



TRINITY Bay View

Apalachicola, Florida.....March 15,
2018



St. Patrick's Day, March 17th

St. Patrick was a fifth-century Romano British Christian missionary and bishop in Ireland. Known as the "Apostle of Ireland", he is the primary patron saint of Ireland, along with saints Brigit of Kildare and Columba. He is also venerated in the Anglican Communion, the Old Catholic Church and in the Eastern Orthodox Church as equal-to-the-apostles and *Enlightener of Ireland*.

The dates of Patrick's life cannot be fixed with certainty, but there is broad agreement that he was active as a missionary in Ireland during the second half of the 5th century. Early medieval tradition credits him with being the first bishop

of Armagh and Primate of Ireland, and they regard him as the founder of Christianity in Ireland, converting a society practicing a form of Celtic polytheism. He has been generally so regarded ever since, despite evidence of some earlier Christian presence in Ireland.

According to the *Confessio* of Patrick, when he was about 16, he was captured by Irish pirates from his home in Britain and taken as a slave to Ireland, looking after animals; he lived there for six years before escaping and returning to his family. After becoming a cleric, he returned to northern and western Ireland. In later life, he served as a bishop, but little is known about the places where he worked. By the seventh century, he had already come to be revered as the patron saint of Ireland.

Saint Patrick's Day is observed on 17 March, the supposed date of his death. It is celebrated inside and outside Ireland as a religious and cultural holiday. In the dioceses of Ireland, it is both a solemnity and a holy day of obligation; it is also a celebration of Ireland itself.

Collect for St. Patrick's Day:

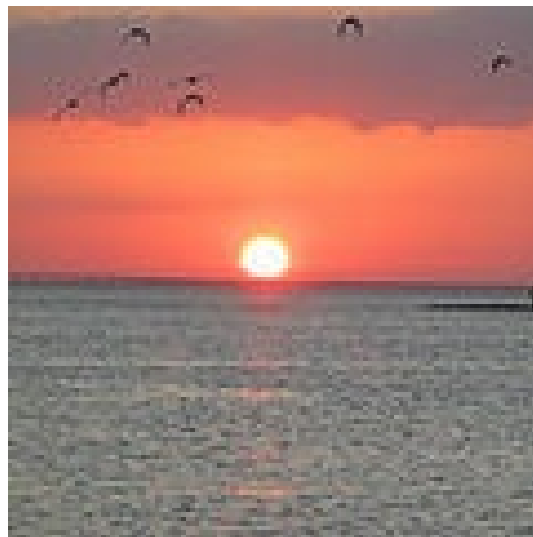
Almighty God, in your providence you chose your servant Patrick to be the apostle of the Irish people, to bring those who were wandering in darkness and error to the true light

and knowledge of you: Grant us so to walk in that light that we may come at last to the light of everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

AROUND THE CHURCH



The Outback Bible study group came to the rescue for Jim and Geri Anderson. Nancy Luther organized a packing party on Sunday, March 11. The Andersons had sold their home with a late March closing and Jim has been in the hospital, leaving Geri with the moving process. Nancy got ahold of almost 20 members of the group who showed up Sunday and packed boxes for storage, Pennysworth, and the Anderson's new place. Thanks to everybody for your help!



HOLY WEEK & EASTER SERVICES

Agape Meal & Maundy Thursday Service

Thursday, March 29th, 6 pm, beginning in Benedict Hall

Good Friday Service Friday, March 30th, noon, church

Stations of the Cross Friday, March 30th, 6 p.m., church

Easter Sunrise Service Sunday, April 1st, 7:30 a.m., Lafayette Park

Easter Service Sunday, April 1st, 10:30 a.m., church

Easter Egg Hunt & Reception Sunday, April 1st, noon
Gorrie Square and Benedict Hall



TOUR OF HOMES AUCTION

The deadline for submissions for our Tour of Homes Auction is **April 15.**

Contact names and numbers are listed below if you have any questions:

Ginger Lawson (404)561-0919 or ginger.lawson48@gmail.com

Betty Bence (513)214-9220 or ronbence@runbox.com

Kathy Rushmore (207)745-3990 or kathyrushmore@aol.com

Marlene Seaborn (843)224-7706 or rseaborn2@comcast.net



It's Time to Support the Tour of Homes Pillar Program

The Pillar Program has become a vital part of the success of the home tour weekend. The funds raised allow us to maintain the historic buildings on our campus: the Church, the Rectory and Benedict Hall.

Members and friends of Trinity Church have received a letter requesting a tax-deductible contribution.

Please help us make this year's tour as successful as ever by making a donation to Trinity's Pillar Program.

TRINITY OUTREACH MINISTRY



Trinity Outreach Ministry is sponsoring a BBQ after the 10:30 service on Sunday, April 8th, featuring Nancy's famous BBQ, baked beans, cole slaw, tea and lemonade, and homemade desserts. We will be serving the meal in Benedict Hall, and takeout is also available.

The proceeds go to support summertime activities for children: camp fees for Boy Scout Troop 347 as well as assistance with Rotary Camp fees for a child with disabilities from Franklin County.

OUR GREATER COMMUNITY

EASTPOINT FIRE HOUSE

Located one block North of US Hwy 88.
Corner of 6th St. & CC Land Rd.



**SATURDAY MARCH 17TH
17TH ANNUAL RED CODEOFF**

1ST PLACE GRAND PRIZE - \$1,000

2ND PLACE - \$750

3RD PLACE - \$500

HONORABLE MENTION - \$250

GATES OPEN 0400 - FREE ADMISSION

SHIRT OFFERS - FOOD OFFERS

LOTS OF ENTERTAINMENT

TRUCKS AND MORE PRIZES FOR THE KIDS

NOV. BUSINESS STARTED FROM

1 LADY TILL THE ROAD IS OPEN

Come out and enjoy a day of food, fun, and music with the Fire Fighters.
All proceeds go to benefit the Eastpoint Volunteer Fire Department.

For more information or to be a sponsor, contact us at 850-676-6666
or email to info@eastpointfire.com or visit our website at www.eastpointfire.com

Women's Local Art Exhibit

March 20 at 12:00 pm - March 31 at 5:00 pm
Apalachicola Center for History, Culture & Art

We will close out Women's History Month by
featuring local female artists and art celebrating women.
Art will be on display and available for purchase.
HCA is open Tuesday-Saturday, 12pm-5pm.
86 Water Street, Apalachicola, Florida.

LAY MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Lay Ministries Schedule – March 2018

*If you have a conflict, please get someone to cover for you and call the office
with the changes.*

March 18

Acolyte: 8:00-Frank Cook

10:30-Debbie Flowers

Lectors: Candace Springer & Paul McAbee

Prayers: Kristin Anderson

Greeters: Ralph & Susie Wagoner
 Chalice: Gloria Austin & Brooks Jones
 Healing: Kristin Anderson
 Altar Guild: Candace Springer, Susan Galloway & Peggy Hawkins
 Hospitality: Choir

March 25

Acolytes: 8:00 – Frank Cook
 10:30 – Hunter & Bill Van Der Tulip

Verger: Brooks Jones

Lectors: Ralph Wagoner & Patti McCartney

Prayers: George Rudo

Greeters: Jim & Geri Anderson

Chalice: Candace Springer & Patti McCartney

Healing: Kristin Anderson

Altar Guild: Candace Springer, Susan Galloway & Peggy Hawkins

Hospitality: TOH

CALENDAR

Trinity Episcopal Church

March 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
25	26	27	28	1	2	3
				Natural Spirituality 9:30 BINGO @ 6:00 Outback Bible 6:30	Office Closed	Penny's Worth 10-3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
3 rd Sunday of Lent HE Rite I 8 am Christian Ed 10 am HE Rite I 10:30 am Coffee hour to follow OA Meeting @ 5:30	Monday School @ 10 Bridge @ 3:00 BH	Penny's Worth 10-4 EFM @ 4:00 Martha out/cont. Ed.	Beginners Tai Chi 8 BH Tai Chi 9 BH Chair Yoga @ 10 Penny's Worth 10-4 Choir 4 Centering Prayer 5:15 Faith Sharing 6:30 Martha out/cont. Ed.	Natural Spirituality 9:30 Outback Bible 6:30 Martha out/cont. Ed.	Office Closed Martha out/cont. Ed.	Penny's Worth 10-3 Farmer's Market 9-1 Martha out/cont. Ed.
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
4 th Sunday of Lent HE Rite I 8 am Christian Ed 10 am HE Rite I 10:30 am Coffee hour to follow Don West/Preaching OA Meeting @ 5:30	Bridge @ 3:00 BH	Penny's Worth 10-4 EFM @ 4:00	Beginners Tai Chi 8 BH Tai Chi 9 BH Chair Yoga @ 10 Penny's Worth 10-4 Choir 4 Centering Prayer 5:15	Natural Spirituality 9:30 Outback Bible 6:30	Office Closed	Penny's Worth 10-3
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
5 th Sunday of Lent HE Rite I 8 am Christian Ed 10 am HE Rite I 10:30 am Coffee hour to follow OA Meeting @ 5:30	Monday School @ 10 Bridge @ 3:00 BH	Penny's Worth 10-4 EFM @ 4:00	Beginners Tai Chi 8 BH Tai Chi 9 BH Chair Yoga @ 10 Penny's Worth 10-4 Choir 4 Centering Prayer 5:15	Natural Spirituality 9:30 Outback Bible 6:30	Office Closed	Penny's Worth 10-3 Farmer's Market 9-1
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Palm Sunday HE Rite I 8 am Christian Ed 10 am HE Rite I 10:30 am Coffee hour to follow OA Meeting @ 5:30	Monday School @ 10 Bridge @ 3:00 BH Vestry @ 5:00	Penny's Worth 10-4 EFM @ 4:00	Beginners Tai Chi 8 BH Tai Chi 9 BH Chair Yoga @ 10 Penny's Worth 10-4 Choir 4 Centering Prayer 5:15	Natural Spirituality 9:30 Outback Bible 6:30 Maundy Thursday 6:00 pm	Good Friday @ Noon Stations of the Cross 6:00 pm	Penny's Worth 10-3

Sunday Services are 8 am & 10:30 am, Eastern time

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