



TRINITY TALK

June 2025

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A message from Fr. Steve:

On June 14, 2025, The Right Reverend Bishop John Harvey Taylor will officiate a very special event in the life of our congregation—the service of installation of a New Rector, also known in more modern language as the Celebration of New Ministry. Trinity has been in a time of transition for over two years, and now, at last, we approach a day that marks a new chapter in our journey as a church community.



While it is undoubtedly a meaningful occasion for me personally as your new Rector, I believe it is even more important to understand what this moment signifies for all of us collectively. The celebration of new ministry is not solely about my role as a spiritual leader; it is a moment of renewal and recommitment for the entire congregation. It is an opportunity for each one of us to consider how we are being called to serve—in new ways, with fresh energy, guided by the inspiration of the Holy Spirit.

This is a time not only to reflect on the ministries that have faithfully shaped Trinity for years, but also to imagine new possibilities. What new ministries or outreach opportunities might be on the horizon? Where can we bring healing, offer hospitality, and speak words of hope in our city and beyond? These are not questions for one person to answer alone. They are questions for the whole community to hold and discern together.

As we prepare for this celebration, I invite each of you to prayerfully consider where the Spirit might be leading you. What gifts do you have to share? What needs in our Orange community tug at your heart? Are there ministries that you feel excited, or even just curious, about getting involved in?

Ministry is not a solo endeavor. It is something we are called to do together, in community, leaning on one another's strengths, learning from our differences, and supporting one another in times of challenge and joy. It's about building something greater than ourselves—a living testimony to God's love here and now.

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So let us approach this Celebration of New Ministry not only with gratitude, but also with openness and hope. Let us be bold in imagining what God might be calling us to do next. Your voice, your insight, and your participation matter. I am asking for your ideas, your prayers, and your passion as we explore how best to bring the message of the Gospel to the people of Orange.

Let this not be just another event on the calendar—but a holy moment where we commit ourselves anew to the work of loving, serving, and growing as the Body of Christ in this place. I look forward to walking this journey with you, excited for all that lies ahead.

Blessings, Fr. Steve

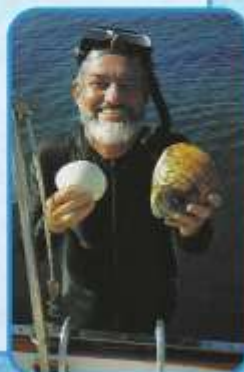


**WIND, WAVES, AND WANDERLUST :
15 YEARS SAILING THE WORLD WITH
PHIL & LYNN SWARTZELL**

June 26th
Doors open at 11am

Join us for an inspiring talk with Phil and Lynn Swartzell, Fr. Steve's parents, who spent 15 years sailing the globe together. Through stunning videos and unforgettable stories, discover what it's like to live a life driven by wind, water, and wonder.

Lunch will be provided after the presentation.
Please sign up in the back of the church.



**Will you support the
Chapel Votive
Candles**

The Altar Guild kindly invites you to support the Chapel Candle Stand each time you light a candle in remembrance — whether it's in honor of a loved one, a birthday, a special moment of joy, or during a time of sadness.

We encourage you to place a donation in the box located on the wall above the matches. Your contribution helps cover the ongoing costs of candles, holders, and matches. Thank you for your generosity and support.

Thank you, The Altar
Guild





The Book Club

June has been canceled. July 12th is the next one.

The book club meets in the Library from 9:30-11:00am the 2nd Saturday of each month.

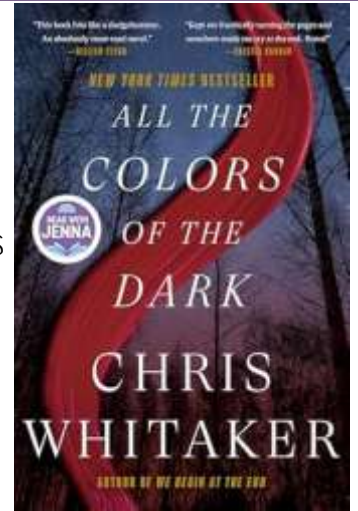
Come join everyone for a truly enjoyable morning and some lively literary discussions.

Interested? Please contact Laurie McKinnell at mckinnell4@aol.com.

The July featured book is:

All the Colors of the Dark
by Chris Whitaker

The novel follows two children, Saint and Patch, whose lives forever change when Patch intervenes to save a young woman from an act of violence. This traumatic event affects their lives and others in their small Ozark community.



Education Sunday

June 15, 2025

If you have anyone in your life that you would love to recognize for their education accomplishments please email parish_admin@trinityorange.org with their name, school name, and type of degree or diploma by June 8. We would love to be able to include them in the service!



OUTREACH DINE OUT Habit Burger Grill

Wednesday, June 18th
11am-closing time

1500 E Village Way Suite 2332,
Orange, CA 92865

Come get a juicy burger and a milkshake and support Outreach by helping them make their goal!





THE WARDENS AND VESTRY OF
TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF ORANGE
REQUEST YOUR PRAYERS AND PRESENCE AT THE INSTALLATION OF

**THE REVEREND
STEVEN SWARTZELL**

AS OUR 11TH RECTOR AND TO

**CELEBRATE OUR NEW
MINISTRY TOGETHER**

THE RT. REV. JOHN HARVEY TAYLOR
7th BISHOP OF THE EPISCOPAL
DIOCESE OF LOS ANGELES, PRESIDING

14 JUNE 2025 | 10:00 AM
RECEPTION IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING
THE SERVICE

PLEASE RSVP BY 1 JUNE 2025
EMAIL TrinityRectorCelebration@gmail.com
OR CALL US AT 714.637-1390

CLERGY - PLEASE WEAR RED STOLES

Have you sent your RSVP in yet?
Do it as soon as possible!

Altar Flower Donations

Flowers for the Altar provide a lovely way to offer a thanksgiving or remembrance of a loved one or a special event. More than



one acknowledgement may be given on a Sunday. You may offer flowers as often as you wish. Each Sunday's Altar flowers cost \$160. Any amount towards the expense is very much appreciated! Please make the donation by whichever means you choose, just make sure you indicate that it is for the Altar Flowers.

Thank you so much!

← The Bishop is Coming!

He will be here for the installation and celebration of new ministry for Fr. Steve Swartzell.

Saturday June 14, 2025 at 10am.

If you would like to make a donation towards this event, please make your check out to Trinity Episcopal Church, memo line **"kitchen guild"**.

Thank you very much, and let us celebrate our new Rector.





Messy Church

Messy Church takes place on the second Saturday of each month during the summer (except June).

It is a casual service where all are invited to participate.

Messy Church is all about worshipping God, celebrating life, and having fun. We gather at 5:30pm on the back lawn for appetizers and drinks with the service beginning at 6pm. Hamburgers and hot dogs are provided. Please bring a side dish, dessert, or appetizer to share, as well as something to add to the drink table.

This is a great way to introduce family, friends, and neighbors to Trinity. Don't forget your beach chair or blanket!

July 12 - August 9 - September 13

What is Trinity Sunday?

The celebration of Trinity Sunday developed gradually in the Western Church, becoming formally established in 1334 by Pope John XXII. It falls on the first Sunday after Pentecost, which is the 50th day after Easter. Trinity Sunday, in its essence, celebrates the mystery of faith and unity on and of the Holy Trinity: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

Trinity Sunday is on June 15, 2025

Ever had thoughts on becoming an Acolyte? Or a LEM? Maybe you enjoy good company and are interested in Altar Guild duties?

Well you are in luck! Trinity is hoping we could have some new members of each!



Please contact the parish administrator and she can help you with next steps!

In loving memory of
Frances Fischle

February 10, 1960 - April 20, 2025

Join us as we honor her life on
Wednesday, June 4th, 2025 at 11am

Trinity Episcopal Church
2400 N. Canal Street
Orange, CA 92865

A light lunch will be served following the service.

Please let us know if you can attend.

heidi.rudd@live.com or text 323-578-5643

In lieu of flowers, we ask that you consider donating to the

Wings Foundation

at

<https://wingsfoundation.com/>

The Service of
Frances
Fischle

June 4th at
11am

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or text

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Amanda Simpson— June 1
Rick Carlton— June 2
Linda Owen— June 3
Irma Ramirez— June 4
Fr. Steve Swartzell— June 4
Ethan Candela— June 6
Mike Ireland— June 6
Anne Warburton— June 7
Delaney Avise— June 10
William Brink— June 11
Susan McCulloch— June 13

Linda Ascenzi— June 16
Janet Hicks— June 16
Steve Cunningham— June 18
Kimberly Ives— June 18
Simone Bilodeau— June 19
Marshall Bull— June 24
Debbie Schober— June 25
Bill Selman— June 25
Emma Lynn Sosa— June 25
Mimi Grant— June 29
Kitty Ellington— June 30



Tammy Hubbard-Barker & Nicholas Hubbard— June 5
Derek & Heather Anderson— June 8
Don & Rosemary Gardner— June 9
Hal & Chris Parmenter— June 19
Ian & Laurie McKinnel— June 27
Angelo & Barbara Samperisi— June 30



Ethan Candela's Confirmation



Outreach Spring Fundraiser



Sunday Supper

Ben Candela



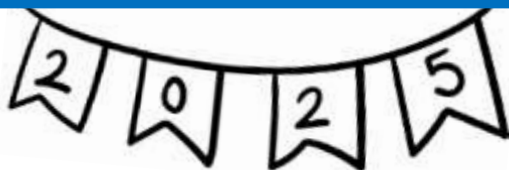
**University of California,
Riverside**

B.S. Mechanical Engineering

We are so very proud of your hard work and all you have accomplished. Most of all, we are proud of the man you have become. We know you will be successful in all that you do. Trust in the Lord. His grace, forgiveness, and strength will be with you always.



Love,
Mom, Dad,
Jacob, and Ethan



Jordan Wilson



**Masters of Business Administration
with an Emphasis on Organizational
Leadership**

Juniata College

Granddaughter of Christine Laub



**Delaney & Dakota
Mitchell**



B.S. Exercise Science with a Minor in
Nutrition for both!

**University of Tennessee
Chattanooga**

Granddaughters of Christine Laub



Colt Peterson



Orange Lutheran graduate and is enrolled at Stanford University for the fall. He was selected at the end of his freshman year at OLu to receive a full four year baseball scholarship to Stanford. Colt has been a right handed pitcher for Orange Lutheran. His course work was selected each year by Stanford and included approximately 80% advanced placement classes. He obtained an overall 4.3 grade point average and graduated "Summa Cum Laude".



Proud parents Jeff and Susan Peterson
and
Grandparents Fred and Anne Warburton

Kayla Ziebel



Kayla is graduating from UCLA with a Bachelor of Science in Cognitive Science, with a Minor in Accounting, and a Specialization in Computing. She is graduating with a 3.6/4.0 GPA. Kayla is a Kappa Kappa Gamma and served as Vice President of Finance. She is currently working as a Wealth Management intern at UBS Financial Services until graduation. Last summer she worked at PricewaterhouseCoopers (PwC) and will be returning there as a Tax Associate in New York City starting in July. She graduates June 13 and 14th.



Proud parents:
Lisa and Mark Ziebell
and
Proud grandparents:
Fred and Anne Warburton

Declan Anderson

Orange Lutheran High School

Declan Anderson will graduate "Summa Cum Laude" from Orange Lutheran High School with a 4.71 grade point average. He received his school's award for Outstanding Government and Economics Student. Declan will attend **University of California, Berkeley** this fall where he plans to study architecture.



Proud Parents: Derek & Heather Anderson

Luke

Reynolds

B.S. Mechanical Engineering

Cal Poly San Luis Obispo



Grandson of Carol Reynolds

Aidan Fernandes



George Mason University

B.A. in Government and International Studies

Grandson of Heidi Crabbs

**Trinity
Selman**



**Orange Lutheran High
School**

Granddaughter of Priscilla Selman

Virginia Wills



**Rainbow Riders Preschool at
Virginia Tech University**



Granddaughter of Joyce Wills

**MEGAN RILEY
SWARTZ**



**Bachelor of Science; Psychology
Northeastern University**



James K rejci



**University of
California, Riverside
BS Computer Sciences**

Grandson of Charles
Stevenson

Congratulations!

Kimmmie Powers



Santiago Canyon College

- ♦ Child and Adolescent Development, AA
- ♦ Liberal Arts: Arts, Humanities, and
- ♦ Communication, AA
Liberal Arts: Social and Behavioral Sciences, AA

Dearest Kimmie:

We've seen you just through the past four years going to college **BREEZE NOT!**



your bachelor's degree at CSUF!
We love you!!

John and Lisa, John, Brian, Rachel, and Becky

We know that it has not been a breeze at all, but a tough time for you, and we are so impressed that you have reached this goal while raising your children, working full-time, and supporting a household. And AA degrees from Santiago Canyon: Child and Adolescent Development; Liberal Arts in Arts, Humanities, and Communications; and Liberal Arts in Social and Behavioral Sciences! Wow! What a trooper! Congratulations on this outstanding achievement! Good luck as you begin working toward

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Chrys Uzochi Elendu



El Modena High School

Son of Chioma and Reginald Elendu



YOU DID IT!

Arianna Jaime

Sunny Hills High School

Will be attending California
State Long Beach with a major in
Political Science with a minor in Legal
Studies.

Proud parents: Johnny and Irma Jaime



Sarah Donaldson

Master of Science
Occupational Therapy

Dominican University of California

Daughter of Kim and Mike Donaldson



Chidubem
Estelle Elendu

**University of
California, Irvine**

Daughter of Chioma and
Reginald Elendu



June 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 7:00am Altar Guild Team 1 8:00am Holy Eucharist- Rite I 10:00am Holy Eucharist - Rite II 4:00pm Sunday Supper	2 6:30pm Outreach Meeting 7:00pm Railroad Society	3 5:30pm Overeaters Anonymous 6:30pm Narcotics Anonymous	4 11:00am Frances Fischle Service	5 10:00am Eucharist Healing Service 7:00pm AA Meeting 7:00pm Shirts 'n Skirts	6 9:00am Property Commission 10:00am Bible Study 12:00pm AI Anon Meeting	7 8:30am Debtors Anonymous
8 7:00am Altar Guild Team 2 8:00am Holy Eucharist- Rite I 10:00am Holy Eucharist - Rite II Day of Pentecost	9	10 5:30pm Overeaters Anonymous 6:30pm Narcotics Anonymous	11	12 10:00am Eucharist Healing Service 6:30pm Orange Historical Society 7:00pm AA Meeting 7:00pm Shirts 'n Skirts	13 9:00am Property Commission 10:00am Bible Study 12:00pm AI Anon Meeting 7:00pm OC Recorder Society	14 Messy Church 8:30am Debtors Anonymous 9:30am Book Study 10:00am Installation and Celebration of New Ministry for Fr. Steve
15 Education Sunday Trinity Sunday 7:00am Altar Guild Team 3 8:00am Holy Eucharist- Rite I 10:00am Holy Eucharist - Rite II	16	17 5:30pm Overeaters Anonymous 6:30pm Narcotics Anonymous 6:30pm Vestry Meeting	18 11 am The Habit Burger Grill- Outreach Outing	19 10:00am Eucharist Healing Service 7:00pm AA Meeting 7:00pm Shirts 'n Skirts	20 9:00am Property Commission 10:00am Bible Study 12:00pm AI Anon Meeting	21 8:30am Debtors Anonymous
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