

CHURCH SCHOOL

If you are new to our church and would like to find out more information about our program, Nursery through 8th grade, please contact Carrie O'Brien, Church School Director, at 978-369-4837 or cobrien@triconchurch.org. Church School registration forms for new families can be found on the TriCon website, www.triconchurch.org.

Reaching out to all of TriCon

Would you like to help share the amazing story of Advent and of Jesus' birth with the children of TriCon? Please consider helping in Church School in December in our Blended Pre-K and Kindergarten, Combined 1st and 2nd Grade, 5th or 6th Grade classes. Contact Carrie O'Brien at cobrien@triconchurch.org.

COMING UP

Saturday, December 2nd – Voyagers

Sunday, December 3rd – Angel Breakfast
SEEKERS and City Mission

IMPORTANT for PARENTS

Parents are responsible for supervising their children prior to and following worship. There has to be parent supervision if children want to use the play yard. Children should only use the play structure. Please make sure that the play yard is picked up before leaving.

CHURCH SCHOOL resumes next Sunday, December 3.

**Open Table – November 2017
Flour & Sugar**

As the holidays begin, let's help our neighbors by stocking the shelves at Open Table with baking flour and sugar.

Tricon OUTREACH → Concord & Maynard

Helping Our Neighbors Locally and Globally --- Serving Over 300 Guests Weekly

Events and Comments November 26, 2017

Trinitarian Congregational Church, Concord, MA
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www.triconchurch.org and find us on Facebook

WELCOME

Welcome to our worship service. Hearing aid units and large print bulletins are available from the ushers. We also have a hearing loop for those with compatible hearing aids.

Head ushers are: Thad and Patience Jackson. **Ushers/greeters are:** Jim and Jane Hall, Fred and Billie Kinch.

Coffee servers are: Charles, Pat and Glenna Davis.

IF YOU ARE NEW AT TRICON TODAY -- We invite you to sign our guest book located on the podium in the sanctuary entrance. Please pick up information about the church in the entry or at the welcome table in the parish hall.

WHAT'S HAPPENING

ONGOING OPPORTUNITIES

ANCHOR GROUP (Men's Group) –ANCHOR GROUP is now the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 7:00 a.m. - church parlor.

SILENCE IN THE STORM – A Weekly Meditation Group
Mondays – 10:00 a.m. in the church parlor

CAREGIVERS GROUP – Wednesday, November 29 – 10:00 a.m. - church parlor.



SMALL GROUPS

ADVENT 2017

Advent is a season to deliberately connect memory with hope. It's also time to fearlessly acknowledge the dark, shadowed places that surround our world today. From within the darkness an emotional memory ignites like a single flame. It is the memory of God becoming human. Remembering Jesus, we discover a courageous hope that defies circumstances and roots us in God's hope for the world.

What do you hope for? Where do you find hope in the difficult times of life? Join a small group this Advent and engage in the 3 guided discussions.

Week One: *The Light of HOPE Within*

Week Two: *The Light of HOPE of God*

Week Three: *Living a Life of HOPE*

"For you give me hope, O Lord; I have trusted in you since I was young."
Psalm 71:5

Sign up online, in the parish hall or call the church office.

Books for the Advent series are available for participants in the church office.
\$5. donation requested.

The Concord Carlisle Human Rights Council

invites you to attend

the annual Human Rights Day Breakfast

with featured speaker -- Joseph F. O'Connor, Concord Chief of Police

Monday December 4, 2017 7:30-9am

Trinitarian Congregational Church

All are welcome!

No charge for any CCHRC event cchumanrights.org

DECEMBER PARKING

The Post Office is very generous in allowing us to park in their lot on Sunday mornings most of the year but in December they may have workers there on Sunday.

Please observe posted signs.

**THE POST OFFICE LOT IS OFF LIMITS THROUGH JANUARY 8.
CARS WILL BE TOWED.**

Help us to be good neighbors and show our appreciation by respecting their needs.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Tuesday, November 28

7:30 p.m. - Church Council

Wednesday, November 29

10:00 a.m. - Caregivers Group

12:00 p.m. - Knitwits

7:30 p.m. - Youth Discussion Group

Thursday, November 30

7:45 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, December 3 - First Sunday of Advent

10:00 a.m. - Service of Worship/Communion

7:00 p.m. - Youth Group