

Get Connected

@ Holy Trinity Church
Spring 2011

Ongoing Opportunities @ HTC:

Intercessory Prayer

Email Intercessory Prayer Group

If you would like to receive weekly prayer requests regarding the prayer needs of HTC and its people, email Michael Swanson to sign up: Michael@MyHolyTrinityChurch.com. Once per week, group members receive a list of prayer requests via email. Group members pray for these needs on their own as they are able throughout the week. Note: Your email address will not be revealed to others in the group.

Sunday Morning Intercessory Prayer Group

This is an opportunity to join with others in the HTC community to pray for the church and its ministries. The group meets every Sunday morning from 9:15 - 9:45am in the Sunday School room (the room behind the hospitality table). Feel free to simply show up, or email Marti Clark if you have any questions: marticlark@alphausa.org.

Mid-Week Intercessory Prayer Group

This is an opportunity to join with others in the HTC community on a semi-regular basis to pray for the church and surrounding community. On the first and third Tuesday of each month, a group meets at the home of Julie and John Johnston at 10:30am (2936 Sequoia Ave, Fullerton). Feel free to simply show up, or call Julie if you have any questions: (714) 529-7265.

To Submit a Prayer Request

You can submit intercessory prayer requests via email to: Michael@MyHolyTrinityChurch.com. Also, you can submit prayer requests via the Contact Cards on Sunday mornings.

If you would like to receive prayer in person, whether for a physical, emotional, relational, or spiritual need, our prayer ministry team is available to pray with you at the conclusion of each Sunday service, in the front of the sanctuary. For more in depth needs, we are also willing to make appointments to pray in more depth. To make an appointment, contact Pablo Esparza: (714) 318-9187, or pablossalon@yahoo.com.

Home Groups

Swanson Home Group

If you're a younger adult, or young at heart, we invite you to join us for a season of growing together as a community. We spend our time together in a mix of fellowship, conversation, worship, and prayer. Also, we are taking time this season to give people opportunity to share their life story with the group. If you're interested, we'd love to have you join us. Newcomers are always welcome. If you have any questions, feel free to contact us.

Time: Wednesdays, 6:30 - 8:30pm

Note: We do not meet the last week of each month, in order to take a Sabbath.

Note: The group will break for the summer at the end of May.

Location: The Swanson Home

Rancho Santa Fe Apartment Complex
2480 Irvine Blvd (intersects with Robinson)

Apt 191
Tustin

Leaders: Michael & Ansley Swanson

Cell: 209-969-6985

Email: Michael@MyHolyTrinityChurch.com

Mercy Ministry

The Mercy Ministry of HTC seeks to share the love of Jesus in practical ways with our community, our nation, and beyond. Here are some ways you can get involved:

- Serving the homeless community at the riverbed near the Honda Center in Orange on Sundays.
 - Although we usually have enough help, there is always opportunity to serve there.
- Helping cook meals which are served to the homeless.
- Taking pre-prepared bags which are made available on Sunday mornings so you can give them to homeless people you encounter throughout the week.
- Donating needed items.
- Donating money.

If you're interested in helping in one of these ways, email Julie Cruz for more info: info@lifehouseministryoc.com.

Sunday Worship Service

It takes a lot of work to create a welcoming environment that is conducive to worshipping God together each week. We could really use your help! If you are able to help on a once per month basis with one of the following needs, please fill out one of the Sunday sign-up cards, or email Rebecca Taylor: rebecca@c4so.org.

Needs:

- Setup/Tear-down
- Audio/Video
- Info Table
- Hospitality
- Greeting
- Ushering
- Beauty Work (décor, etc.)

Upcoming Opportunities @ HTC:

Café Philosophy

Friday, March 18th, drinks and appetizers at 6:00 p.m., conversation at 7:00 p.m.

"The Loft": 1954 Placentia Avenue, Suite 108, Costa Mesa

Cost: \$7. Hosted by Paul Martin

The purpose of Café Philosophy is to create a "public square" conversation in our community, on life's most important issues. It's a place to bring friends open to spiritual issues, but not ready for Christianity. So though the café will not appear as a "Christian" event, its intention is evangelistic. Paul will encourage guests with "spiritual questions" to speak with him at the end of the evening.

Holy Week & Easter Services

Visit our website for more info: www.MyHolyTrinityChurch.com.

Baptism

- Date: Second or third Sunday after Easter (May 8 or 15), during the Sunday worship service. TBA
- If interested, contact Michael Swanson for more info: Michael@MyHolyTrinityChurch.com.
- A meeting with a pastor will be required.

Confirmation

- Date: The Day of Pentecost (June 12), during the Sunday worship service.
- What confirmation is:
 - Post-baptismal confirmation of your faith.
 - Re-affirmation of baptismal vows.
 - Prayer by the bishop with laying on of hands for the Holy Spirit's empowerment in your life.
- If interested, contact Michael Swanson for more info: Michael@MyHolyTrinityChurch.com.
- A meeting with a pastor will be required, to determine what is needed for adequate preparation.

Community Gathering

Details will be forthcoming.

Prayer Ministry Training

Pablo Esparza and Michael Swanson will offer training in prayer ministry sometime around Pentecost (June). Stay tuned for further details. This will be an opportunity for those who are interested in prayer ministry to learn more about that, and to learn how they can get involved with the prayer ministry team.

Occasional Opportunities:

We will keep you apprised of additional opportunities as they arise. Here are some examples of occasional things we've done in the past:

- Newcomers' Dinners
- The Alpha Course
- Anglicanism Class
- All Church Picnic

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