

Annual Meeting
Senior Warden Report

Honestly, your senior warden's biggest accomplishment this year was that I did not contract any viruses. But I have several "Thank You" notes to offer to those who did accomplish things for Trinity this year.

Thank you to Father Les and Valinda Jackson for coming aboard this year. They are an excellent addition to Trinity, and as you can see in his report, he hit the ground running and has not slowed down,

Thank you to our Junior Warden, Cindy Badwey, for staying on top of the church's physical needs, especially the new ceiling fans, the Labyrinth overhaul, the roof leaks, and plumbing issues.

Thank you to Devin Lawson and the entire King Family for undertaking and completing the refurbishing of the Labyrinth. It turned out wonderfully.

Thank you to the vestry members for soldiering on, using Zoom to hold on-line meetings monthly, culminating in the budget projection attached in this report.

Thank you to Edith Waugh, our bookkeeper and Denise Whisman, our secretary for keeping everything running very smoothly during a trying year.

Every meeting of the vestry this year included a conversation about the flat portion of Trinity's roof and its propensity to leak. In August we got an estimate for \$125,000 to fix it, a figure that took us unaware as we gasped at the amount. We discussed trying to patch it but realized the roof had reached a point that patching was throwing good money after bad, given the money spent to keep it patched over the years. The church insurance company said the roof was worn out and would only pay \$750 toward its repair. This leads us to Trinity's Christmas Miracle:

THANK YOU to the Anonymous Donor who has given the church the entire amount of the cost of the roof repair! The vestry received two bids, both for the \$125,000 amount, and chose the one with the longer warranty. The donor's generosity ensures we will have money in the Kirkpatrick Fund to continue services indefinitely, and that we will be dry as we celebrate.

Finally, thanks to you, the congregation, for hanging in there. I am aware that the Bishop's decision to close down attendance in the diocese due to COVID has led some of our parishioners to attend live services elsewhere. It looks like the Bishop will review her decision in March; we will keep our fingers crossed. Please get your vaccination ASAP. The vaccinations will make it safer for all of us.

I look forward to seeing each of you personally, inside Trinity, soon.

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