



Honoring the Past. Nurturing the Future.

Trinity Episcopal Church

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May 5, 2017

Dear Friends,

This is the 125th Anniversary Year of our parish, since Trinity Episcopal in Everett was founded by a commitment group of frontier-minded Episcopalians in 1892. The generosity, vision and determination of those men and women provided the legacy that we enjoy today. Now it's our turn to ensure that Trinity will continue for the next 125 years.

The endowment fund that is dedicated to Facilities and Maintenance will play a significant role in helping to support projects that are critical to maintaining the life of our historic physical plant including (but not limited to) the following:

- Professional restoration of eastern wall of the church sanctuary [which supports the priceless stained-glass windows above the high altar which were designed by Charles J. Connick]
- Maintaining and eventually replacing the facilities main boiler [installed in the 1950's]
- Supporting the facility changes necessary to accommodate the installation of an elevator [which are not covered by the separately dedicated Elevator Fund]

Some years ago, members of Trinity had the wisdom and foresight to establish Trinity's Facilities and Maintenance Endowment Fund. However, it needs our continuing support in order to meet the needs of our heritage site and continue to grow into the vision of future generations.

In recognition of our 125th Anniversary and in honor of those Trinity members who have gone before us, we are providing an opportunity for all of us to become part of the legacy for the next 125 years. Enclosed with this letter is a special envelope for direct donations to Trinity's Facilities and Maintenance Endowment Fund.

All donors will be recognized on a memorial roll, resembling the original roll hanging in the Parish office that lists the original donors who committed the funds that founded Trinity in 1892.

Your donation will be split 50/50, between Trinity's current operating fund and the Facilities and Maintenance Endowment. This is to say, half of all donated funds from the **125th Anniversary Campaign** will go to Trinity's general operating fund to support the operations of Trinity for the remainder of 2017 as we address facility needs in real time this year. The other half of all donated funds will go to the Facilities and Maintenance Endowment for investment.

The 125th Anniversary Campaign will conclude on Sunday, July 9, 2017, when we will honor the donors listed on the original 1892 roll during services. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact our treasurer, Matt Fleckenstein, or the Chair of Endowments, Evie Beard.

Finally, be sure to save the enclosed flyer about the wonderful celebration events coming up, and we hope to see you as we come together in joy and honoring throughout our 125th Anniversary Year.

In Christ's Peace,

Rachel +

The Rev. Rachel K. Taber-Hamilton, Rector

And The Trinity Vestry:

Ben

Ben Baird

John

John Heberling

Bob

Bob Moore
Senior Warden

Mel

Melody Oxley
Junior Warden

Carol

Carol Bartley

Gonzalo

Gonzalo Canseco

Harry

Harry Stengele

Jeff

Jeffrey Wheeler

Linda

Linda Bond

Jason

Jason Grace

Nick

Nick Fuchs

Janet

Janet Kowalski

A Prayer for Congress.

MOST gracious God, we humbly beseech thee, as for the people of these United States in general, so especially for their Senate and Representatives in Congress assembled; that thou wouldest be pleased to direct and prosper all their consultations, to the advancement of thy glory, the good of thy Church, the safety, honour, and welfare of thy people; that all things may be so ordered and settled by their endeavours, upon the best and surest foundations, that peace and happiness, truth and justice, religion and piety, may be established among us for all generations. These and all other necessities, for them, for us, and thy whole Church, we humbly beg in the Name and mediation of Jesus Christ, our most blessed Lord and Saviour. Amen.

Book of Common Prayer 1892