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## Sunday, June 23 | Second Sunday after Pentecost

**The Rev. Sarah Shofstall will preach at both services**

[Click here to view this week's lectionary](#)

### **Summer Worship Service Schedule**

8 a.m. Early Eucharist

10 a.m. Holy Eucharist

***PLEASE NOTE:*** We have transitioned to our Summer Worship Schedule with two services (8 a.m. and 10 a.m.). Education programs will take place at 9 a.m., through Sept. 1. Cathedral seating will transition to "Summer Set" on June 30.

### **Tai Chi | 9:00 a.m.**

No experience or special skills necessary. Dress cool and casual for summer services and join a session with Trinity member George Anderson.

## Way of Love Series | 9:00 a.m.

Our session this week will be led by Charlotte Nichols, focusing on the practice of "Pray: Dwell intentionally with God each day." This past Sunday, June 16th, as part of our "Way of Love" summer series, Allison Hauserman helped us explore the second practice, "Learn." No worries if you missed this week's session or attended and want more information and suggestions; you can find a link to a summary of our activities on our companion [web page](#). Thank you for another great turnout this week!

## Becoming Beloved Community Brown Bag Lunch

This will be a group planning session for the 2019/2020 program year. If you have any suggestions for meeting topics, programs, books, etc., please bring them to the meeting. Bring your own lunch or purchase one, either at Café Ah Roma or Subway.

If you will be purchasing a lunch from the Café or Subway, we suggest ordering prior to the 10:00 a.m. service so that it will be ready for pick-up after the service. For more information about this group, please contact Kimberly Adams, [kmariaadams@gmail.com](mailto:kmariaadams@gmail.com).

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## Congregational Life

World Refugee Day: Today, June 20th

"When we welcome the stranger, we welcome the Lord God himself. We welcome Jesus," commented Episcopal Church Presiding Bishop and Primate Michael B. Curry in his 2019 World Refugee Day Message. "On World Refugee Day, pray, learn about refugees, learn about what you can do, and do whatever you can to help the strangers in our midst."

The Presiding Bishop's video message can be found [online here](#).

On World Refugee Day, held each year on June 20, we honor and celebrate the courage, strength, and resilience of refugees worldwide. This day is an opportunity to show support to the 68 million people around the world who are refugees or internally displaced because of conflict or persecution.



Episcopal Migration Ministries is a ministry of The Episcopal Church and is one of nine national agencies responsible for resettling refugees in the United States in partnership with the government. Episcopal Migration Ministries currently has 13 resettlement affiliates in 11 dioceses.

Join Episcopalians across the country this World Refugee Day in prayer and action in support of our newest neighbors and friends.

Follow us on social media, and share your "welcome stories" with the hashtag #worldrefugeeday via [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#).

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## Changes to Trinity Cathedral Recycling Effective Immediately

As you may be aware, recycling programs across the United States are at risk due to policy changes from China, which has been our country's primary recycling end user. Cathedral staff has been notified by our waste management service provider that contamination fees will be assessed for any recycling container found to have more than 15% contamination (non-recyclable material).

The following five (5) items can ALWAYS be placed ***clean and empty*** in recycling containers:

1. Metal cans (beverage and food, clean and empty)
2. Plastic (water bottles, soda bottles, milk jugs, shampoo detergent)
3. Glass (bottles, jars)
4. Paper (staples are ok, newspapers, phone books, magazines)
5. Cardboard (flattened boxes, clean food boxes without liners)

Trinity Cathedral staff and leadership team have participated in updated training to ensure compliance. Additional information and instructions are [available online here](#).

# WHAT CAN NEVER BE PLACED IN YOUR RECYCLING CONTAINER



DIAPERS



TISSUES, PAPER  
TOWELS OR NAPKINS



CLOTHES/SHOES



HARDCOVER  
BOOKS



FOOD WASTE



STYROFOAM



GREASY  
PIZZA BOXES



ALUMINUM  
FOIL



ROPES, CHAINS,  
CORDAGE,  
GARDEN HOSES



PLASTIC  
SHOPPING  
BAGS



YARD WASTE



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PAPER

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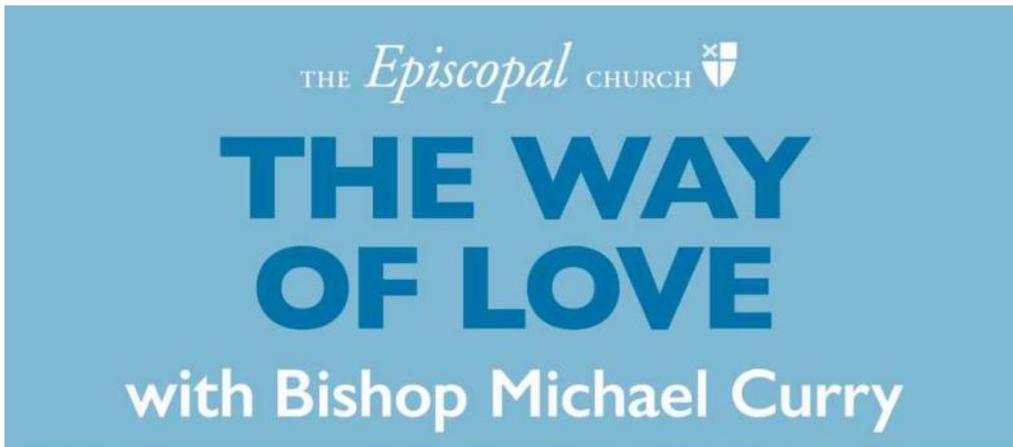
**THE WAY OF LOVE**  
*Practices for Jesus-Centered Life*

# The Way of Love: A Summer Series at Trinity

June 23, July 14, 21, August 4, 18, 25

Visit [Trinity's Way of Love page](#) to plan your summer and follow along with each week's scripture and presenter. If you are unable to be there in person for every session, we will post weekly summaries.

You can also check out *The Way of Love* Podcast with Presiding Bishop Michael Curry. Episodes began the week of June 9, available wherever podcasts are streaming and online at [EpiscopalChurch.org](#).



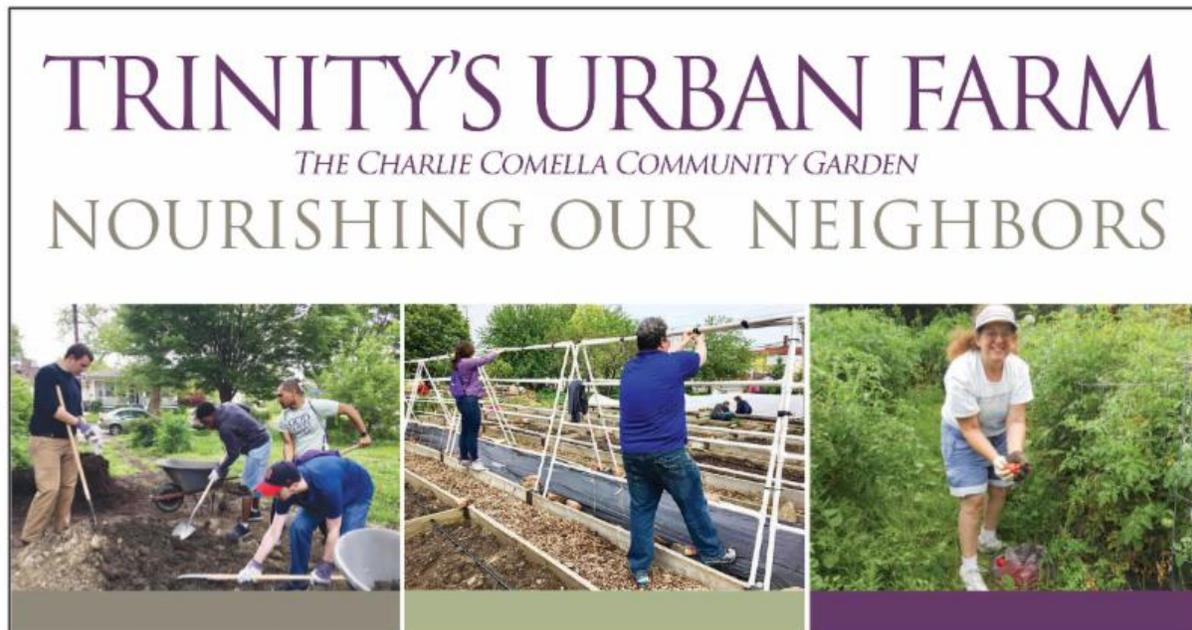
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## Saturdays at the Farm

Join volunteers every Saturday throughout the summer to continue the harvest and plant more crops. Even a half hour helps! The farm is located on E. 35th & Cedar, less than a mile from Trinity. Our Urban Farm regulars are

friendly and eagerly welcome new volunteers.

Contact Scott Blanchard if you have any questions at [scottwblanchard@roadrunner.com](mailto:scottwblanchard@roadrunner.com) or for more information.



## Congregational Picnic at Bellwether Farm

**Saturday, June 29, 12:00- 4:00 p.m.**

Get ready for some fun at Bellwether Farm!

The Cathedral Life Team is planning a great day for Trinity members and friends to explore Bellwether Farm, the Diocese of Ohio's new camp and retreat center in Wakeman, OH. We have reserved a pavilion (with grills) for our picnic lunch, and afterwards, there will be swimming, canoeing, and guided wagon tours of the Farm. Come meet the goats, sheep & chickens. See the vegetable garden, the retreat cabins, the dining hall, the meeting rooms, and the worship barn. Enjoy some fellowship time with friends.



Register at the Promenade table on Sunday or at <https://tinyurl.com/BellwetherFarmPicnic>.

What to bring? Bring your own entrée, plus a side dish or dessert to

share (last names A-N bring a side dish; last names O-Z bring a dessert). We will provide the paper products and beverages and get the grills started. If you wish, bring indoor/outdoor games, swimsuits, towels, and sunscreen. Life guards will be on duty 2-4 p.m for swimming and canoeing. Wagon tours of the farm will be offered at 1:30, 2:00 and 2:30 p.m.

Let us know if you need a ride or if you can provide a ride to Bellwether Farm. Find out more about Bellwether Farm and how to get there at <https://bellwetherfarm.com>. Questions? Contact Jan Kelemen at [jantkelemen@gmail.com](mailto:jantkelemen@gmail.com) .

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## LGBT + Allies Brunch

**Sunday, June 30, 12:00 p.m.**

The LGBT Ministry Outreach Team is planning an LGBT and allies brunch meetup in celebration of Pride month. Please join us after the 10:00 a.m. service on Sunday, June 30, for brunch at The Southside, 2207 W. 11th Street, Cleveland (Tremont). We will meet at 11:45 a.m.

Everyone is welcome. Please RSVP by Wednesday, June 26, to [truthonthelake@gmail.com](mailto:truthonthelake@gmail.com).

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## Summer Festivals #InTheCLE

Are you interested in attending some Cleveland-area festivals with friends from Trinity this summer?

Send your name and email (and festivals in which you may be interested) to Bill DiTirro, [bdt8320@sbcglobal.net](mailto:bdt8320@sbcglobal.net). And get ready to have some fun!

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## Episcopal Peace Fellowship

**Sunday, July 7, 11:30 a.m.**

All are invited to come and join us after the 10 a.m. service. We will be discussing the latest developments in Human Trafficking in Northeast Ohio, future peace actions in Yemen, and news regarding possible changes in the death penalty in the United States and in Ohio in particular. We will also be discussing our exciting planned agenda for the upcoming new program year beginning in the Fall.

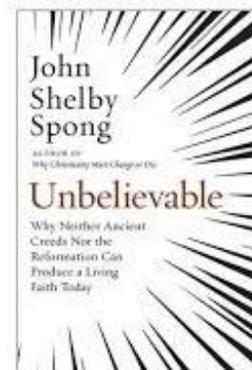
Contact Bruce Freeman at [freeman.bruce@gmail.com](mailto:freeman.bruce@gmail.com) or Debbie Hunter at [hunterd16@roadrunner.com](mailto:hunterd16@roadrunner.com) for more information.

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## Faith Journey Book Club

**Saturday, July 27, 11:30 a.m. at Hot Spot Cafe**

Our next book will be the John Shelby Spong book "Unbelievable: Why Neither Ancient Creeds Nor the Reformation Can Produce a Living Faith Today." We are going to be meeting every other month starting on Saturday, July 27th. The Book Group gathering will be combined with a brunch/lunch, so we will meet at 11:30 a.m. at the Hot Spot Café, 1332 Carnegie Avenue, Cleveland. There is free parking next to the restaurant building. Please let me know as soon as possible if you plan to attend so that I can make a reservation.



The plan for future Book Group meetings will be to meet every other month on Saturdays at about 11:30 at different restaurants for brunch/lunch. I will bring copies of the book list of future book selections for those who are interested. Everyone is welcome. Please contact [jl Morrison611@gmail.com](mailto:jl Morrison611@gmail.com) for more information.

## Family Ministries at Trinity

### Reserve A Family Cabin for the Trinity Families Retreat | Aug. 9-11

Join our new Curate for Youth & Families, Allie Heeter, along with Dean Owens and his family for a family-centric retreat at beautiful and relaxing Bellwether Farm in Wakeman, OH.



[Register online here.](#)

Parents, caregivers, and children (Pre-K through Grade 6) are invited to build community, make meaningful memories, and find restoration in Christ before the busy school and program year begins.

## Music & Art at Trinity

Wednesday Programming Returns in October

The 42nd season of the BrownBag Concerts will begin on Wednesday, October 2, at 12:00 p.m.

More information and concert listings [available here](#).

Choral Evensong and Wednesday evening programs will also return at that time.

**SAVE THE DATE:** Music and Art at Trinity will proudly host the legendary Choir of Trinity College, Cambridge, England in a free concert on Wednesday, September 18, 2019 at 7:30pm.

## News from The Diocese



### The Bishop's Appeal 2019

What is this appeal? What's it about?

Find out more about the way our church and community benefit from this expression of our collective ministry. Click [here to view the Bishop's Appeal video](#), or make a donation using the link below.

## Save the Dates

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Saturday, June 29 - All Church Picnic at Bellwether Farm

Saturday, July 13 - Cleveland Indians Baseball vs. Minnesota Twins

Friday - Sunday, Aug. 9 to 11 - Family Retreat at Bellwether Farm

Sunday, Aug. 4 - Baptism Sunday

Sunday, Aug. 25 - Smoothie Sunday (Youth Pre-K to 5th grade)

## Volunteer Opportunities

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### Hospitality Volunteers Needed

We are seeking friendly folks to help provide hospitality on Sunday mornings at Trinity's reception desk in the Piazza. Greet old friends and new ones, offer directions, and respond to questions. Serve before or after your favorite worship service-you won't have to miss it. Volunteers will choose one of two shifts: 9:00-11:30 a.m. or 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Training will be provided, and Sunday staff support is always available to assist. For more information, contact Ginger Bitikofer at [gbitikofer@trinitycleveland.org](mailto:gbitikofer@trinitycleveland.org) or 216-774-0407.

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### Food for Families Leadership Transition

Dale Murphy, our long-time Food for Families mobile pantry coordinator, is stepping back from the in-person aspects of this monthly, interfaith program at nearby Marion Sterling school. Thank you, Dale, for sharing your gifts of time and spirit for many years!

If you are interested in combatting food insecurity and building meaningful relationships with our Cleveland neighbors, then please

consider becoming a liaison to help coordinate volunteers (there are plenty of them) and/or be present for food distribution one Friday per month from 3:30 - 5:00 p.m.

Dale Murphy will continue his administrative and "behind the scenes" role with the food bank and our community partners. Potential volunteers can reach out to [dale.murphy@sbcglobal.net](mailto:dale.murphy@sbcglobal.net) for more information.

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## Submit Your Content for Publication

The deadline to submit program updates or events for the weekly e-news, *This Week @ Trinity*, is the Tuesday before each Thursday publication date.

You can read the current issue of [Cathedral Connections online](#), or pick up your monthly newsletter in the Piazza during all church services. Please contact Ginger Bitikofer at [gbitikofer@trinitycleveland.org](mailto:gbitikofer@trinitycleveland.org) to receive a printed copy at home.

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## In The Community

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5 Days. 25 Events. Join the fun!

Water. It sustains us, nourishes us, and drives our economy. By the time of the 1969 Cuyahoga River fire, there was no visible life in the water. Fifty years later, the river is alive again, but clean water faces more threats than ever. Take part in the largest series of clean water events in the country, June 19th through the 23rd. There's something for everyone!

[Click here for the Anniversary Week Event Guide](#)

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The mission of Trinity Cathedral is to proclaim in word and action  
God's justice, love and mercy for all creation.

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