

## From the Rector: A Very Full Month

by the Rev. Brad Rundlett

November is an important month for us. The first service of St. Timothy's in Herndon was on All Saints' Day, November 1st, 1868. Generations of faithful Episcopalians have been worshipping and serving in Herndon for 146 years!

Our "Organ Committee" has finished their charter (it took 12 years!) which the Vestry approved (details will be announced soon). The project will take about 14 months (and you won't believe the difference!).

We will have a Community Thanksgiving service on November 23rd beginning at 7:00 pm; each year the location of the service rotates among participating churches, and this year Trinity Presbyterian Church will host the service and I will be the preacher. Non-perishable food and monetary offerings during the service will go to LINK, our

community food bank. St. Timothy's also has a Thanksgiving Eucharist on Thanksgiving Day at 11:00 am.

November 23rd is Christ the King Sunday - the last day of the Church year. The following week, the last week in November, we begin the season of Advent, a season of expectation during which we look for Christ to come again.

We also have the usual things going on, including our Holiday Bazaar November 2, commissioning our Haiti Mission Team for their November trip, and preparations and rehearsals for Christmas celebrations. Bishop Gulick will Receive and Confirm new members at our 11:00 AM service on December 14th. And don't get me started on January; it's one of our busiest months of the year!

Come be part of the life of the church. Meanwhile, I think I need a nap. +

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## Stewardship Campaign Concludes Nov. 2

On the anniversary of St. Timothy's founding, we will conclude our Stewardship Campaign, the period of pledge collection which will help determine our 2015 budget. If you haven't yet downloaded and filled out a pledge card, please do it now!

[Download pledge card](#)

Our goal is 100% participation - we'd like every family to fill out a card so we can at least reconcile our contact information in our records. And as you consider everything Saint Timothy's does to feed the bodies, minds, and spirits of all God's people, say YES! to our mission with any contribution towards our budget, no matter how small (or large). For the past two years, the number of pledging households has been dropping, while our mission has grown.

Return your pledge card by this Sunday, November 2, by dropping it off in the office, putting it in the collection plate, or emailing it to [office@saint-timothys.org](mailto:office@saint-timothys.org). +



# Angel Tree Starts Nov. 23

by Diana Wright

It's hard to believe, but the holidays are just around the corner. This means that it will soon be time for the beloved Angel Tree. On Sunday, November 23rd, look in Henry Hall for St. Timothy's Angel Tree filled with requests from children and families in need from Cornerstones and LAWS (Loudon Abused Women's Shelter). Last year we provided more than 50 children and 30 families with multiple presents to open on Christmas morning. Thank you all for your generosity! Let us have the same success this year.

In November, the tree will be filled with close to 200 individual gift requests. Please take one, two, or several tags from the tree. Shop for the requested items and return the gifts unwrapped with the original tags firmly attached to St. Timothy's by Sunday, December 7th. We will hold a sorting party after the 9:30 a.m. service on December 7th, and volunteers will be needed to sort and deliver gifts to Cornerstones and LAWS. For more information, contact Diana Wright 703-298-0391.

Once the gifts have been delivered, our Angel Tree becomes the collection point for scarves, hats, mittens, and gloves for adult and children clients of Laurel Learning Center, the Embry Rucker Community Shelter, and LAWS. In this way, our Angel Tree continues to give to our local community during the holiday season. +



# LINK Holiday Program

by Shon Buery

Looking for a way to serve your neighbors during the Thanksgiving season? LINK is an ideal opportunity for families, students, business groups and community organizations to reach out to those in need in the community. Here are some ways you can help LINK provide a week's worth of groceries and coats to families in Herndon, Sterling and Ashburn during the November Holiday Distribution on November 15th.

- Hold a food or winter coat drive
- Bring donations of non-perishable food to St. Timothy's anytime in November
- Volunteer to transport donations November 10-14
- Volunteer as a Spanish translator on November 15th
- Assist with sorting donations at 3 local churches
- Escort clients "shopping" for food on November 15
- Help with clean-up following distribution on the 15th

Food distribution is at Trinity Presbyterian in Herndon and Christ the Redeemer in Sterling. Coats and warm weather gear are distributed at Sterling United Methodist. Distribution is 8:00am to 3:30pm with volunteer opportunities for a few hours or all day. To volunteer, go to the LINK website [www.linkagainsthunger.org](http://www.linkagainsthunger.org) and click on the Sign-up Genius button. For more information, please contact Shon Buery, [shonbuery@aol.com](mailto:shonbuery@aol.com). Thank you for putting your faith to work to serve our community. +

## St. Tim's in Cornerstones Help the Homeless Walk

Thank you to the St. Tim's members who walked to Help the Homeless on behalf of Cornerstones clients on Sunday, October 19. We had over 300 people from faith communities register in support of our homeless neighbors. The walk started at the Embry Rucker Shelter, wound through the Reston Town Center and ended up at St. Anne's Episcopal Church. Approximately 30 people from St. Tim's participated. Thank you for your support! +



# Halloween Party

by Leslie Chadwick

The youth group put on a spook-tacular Halloween party on Saturday, October 25. Children from the community, our preschool, our morning services and from our Misa en Espanol painted pumpkins, ate donuts from a string, visited a haunted house, decorated treat bags, and ate snacks. Thank you to all who donated items and helped run this fun event! +



## Organ Update: Win-Win

Thanks to the donations of pledgers, individual givers, and the Pennies for Pipes contributions St. Timothy's is in the last stages of contracting with a pipe organ renovator for the 1870 James D. Moore Tracker organ to be renewed and enhanced. The over \$340,000 given through the Gifts to Glorify the Lord campaign means St. Timothy's can not only have a renovated organ but has the funds to do the improvements to the sanctuary needed for the best sound and location for the pipe organ. A big thank you goes to all who made this possible. A wonderful bonus is the over \$67,000 given to the Reserve Fund for future parish needs. More information on the plans will be announced soon. St. Timothy's is a winning congregation! Thank you for saying "YES" to the mission of music at St. Timothy's! +



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### Submission deadline for the next issue: Friday, November 28, 2014

Questions, articles, or ideas, and comments for The Word are always welcome. Send materials via email to [wordeditor@saint-timothys.org](mailto:wordeditor@saint-timothys.org) and put "The Word" in the subject line. Photos are also welcome; please identify key people in photos. Articles or letters may be edited.

## Welcome, New Registered Members!

We welcome the following people who have been officially recorded as members during the past month:

*Andrew Schmidt*

*R. Schantal Montgomery*

*Tessa Montgomery Schmidt*

*Danna Lujan Wechtenhiser*

Please don't let St. Timothy's be the last to know if you move! If you receive offering envelopes it is essential that we have the most up to date information so we are not charged when the offering envelopes are returned to St. Timothy's. Further, if we don't have an email address for you and your family, or if your email has changed, update your information at [www.saint-timothys.org](http://www.saint-timothys.org) or send the information to [office@saint-timothys.org](mailto:office@saint-timothys.org). To transfer your membership to St. Tim's, or to find out if you are a registered member, fill out the Parishioner Information Form: [www.saint-timothys.org/uploads/docs/info-form.pdf](http://www.saint-timothys.org/uploads/docs/info-form.pdf). Email the completed form to [office@saint-timothys.org](mailto:office@saint-timothys.org), or print the form and mail it to St. Timothy's, or place it in the collection plate. Questions? Please don't hesitate to call 703 437-3790.

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## Service Times

### **Sundays**

8:00 a.m.

Eucharist, Rite I

9:30 & 11 a.m.

Eucharist, Rite II

Godly Play, ages 3-8

SPARK+, 3-6th grades

Nursery Care

9:45 am

Journey to Adulthood

Rite 13, 7-12th grades

4:00 pm

Misa en Espanol

### **Wednesday**

12:15 P.M.

Eucharist and

Healing Service

### **Saturday**

7:00 P.M.

Oracion y Alabanza