



## St. Timothy's Episcopal Church

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Sunday, March 4, 2018

*Third Sunday of Lent*

8 a.m.



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### **Weekend Holy Eucharist Services:**

Sunday, 8:00 a.m.	Spoken Eucharist, Rite I
Sunday, 9:00 a.m.	Children's Mass (Henry Hall)
Sunday, 10:00 a.m.	Service, Rite II
Saturday, 7:30 p.m.	Service in Spanish
<i>Sabado, 7:30 p.m.</i>	<i>Misa en Español Rito II</i>
Sabado, 5:00 p.m.	1er & 3er Sábados Grupo de Jóvenes

### **Opportunities for Children**

Sunday, 10 a.m.	Godly Play ( <i>ages 3 &amp; potty trained - grade 2</i> ) – Room B1
Sunday, 10 a.m.	Spark + ( <i>grades 3-5</i> ) - Room A-5
Sunday, 10 a.m.	Christian Education ( <i>Grades 6-7</i> ) - Room A-8
Sunday, 10 a.m.	Christian Education ( <i>Grades 8-12</i> ) - Upper Room
Saturday, 5:00 p.m.	1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturdays Youth Group (Grades 2-7)

### **Other Service Offerings**

Wednesday Healing Eucharist takes place at 12:15 p.m. in the Sanctuary

Friday Morning Prayer is Held at 8 a.m. in the Sanctuary

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**Saint Timothy's Mission Statement:**

AS PEOPLE OF GOD, WE JOYFULLY WORSHIP GOD, SPREAD THE WORD OF GOD'S LOVE,  
TREASURE ALL PEOPLE, AND SERVE OTHERS EVERYWHERE IN THE NAME OF JESUS CHRIST.  
THEREFORE, WITH GOD'S HELP, WE: OPEN OUR DOORS TO EVERYONE,  
OPEN OUR HEARTS IN WORSHIP, OPEN OUR EYES TO THE SPIRIT'S GIFTS,  
AND OPEN OUR ARMS TO EMBRACE GOD'S WORK.

**Information For Our First Time Guests**



All children are welcome to stay with parents in the Sanctuary during worship. However, for parents of children ages 0-3 years who want nursery care, we have a well-equipped and professionally-staffed nursery at the end of the hall nearest the Sanctuary. Each child brought to the nursery is given a number; only the parents of the child can take the child from the nursery. If a parent is needed during worship, the child's number will appear (in red LED's) on the black panels beneath the hymn boards on both sides of the Chancel. Parents, please bring diapers, any snacks, and formula as needed for your child.



All baptized Christians are welcome to receive the Sacrament. If you have not been baptized, please come to the Altar rail for a blessing during Holy Communion (place your arms across your chest to signify your desire for a blessing). If you would like to be baptized, please speak with the clergy after the service. To receive Holy Communion, accept the bread in your hand and place it in your mouth, then sip wine from the Chalice when it is brought to you (guide the Chalice to your mouth please), or hold the bread, dip it in the wine when the chalice comes to you, and place the bread with wine in your mouth. If you are allergic to wheat or are gluten intolerant, please let the person serving bread know to give you a rice wafer.

**Staff**

*Regular church office hours are 10a.m. - 6 p.m. Monday - Thursday. If you would like to make an appointment to speak with the Rector, feel free to call the office at 703.437.3790.*

**Fr. Rich Bardusch**, Rector (x. 12)

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**Vestry** (Class year in parenthesis)

**CO-Warden** – Eugene Nkomba (2019)

**CO-Warden** – Susy Nixon (2019)

**Treasurer** – Duane Hartge

**Registrar** – Rose Berberich

Hollis Colie (2019)

Carmela Condro (2021)

Vidai Genovez-Andrés (2020)

Andrew Hamm (2021)

Catherine Lamoureux (2021)

Adaku Nwachukwu (2021)

Bill Outerbridge (2019)

Gerritt Peck (2020)

Elizabeth Witter (2020)

Sandy Wright (2020)

**Trustees**

Tom McLenigan

Keith Sinclair

Deke Smith



**Don't forget to place your phone on silent/vibrate during today's service. Thank you!**

# Third Sunday of Lent

Holy Eucharist Rite I

## Word of God

*At the tolling of the bell, all stand.*

### The Opening Acclamation (BCP 323)

*Celebrant* Bless the Lord who forgiveth all our sins.

*People* His mercy endureth for ever.

### The Collect for Purity (BCP 323)

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### Summary of the Law (BCP 324)

Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ saith: Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets.

### Kyrie (BCP 324)

Lord, have mercy upon us. **Christ, have mercy upon us.** Lord, have mercy upon us.

### The Collect of the Day (BCP 325)

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And with thy spirit.**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

Almighty God, whose Son our Savior Jesus Christ is the light of the world: Grant that thy people, illumined by thy Word and Sacraments, may shine with the radiance of Christ's glory, that he may be known, worshiped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who with thee and the Holy Spirit liveth and reigneth, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

## The Lessons

### A Reading from Exodus 20:1-17

Then God spoke all these words:

I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery; you shall have no other gods before me.

You shall not make for yourself an idol, whether in the form of anything that is in heaven above, or that is on the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not bow down to them or worship them; for I the Lord your God am a jealous God, punishing children for the iniquity of parents, to the third and the fourth generation of those who reject me, but showing steadfast love to the thousandth generation of those who love me and keep my commandments.

You shall not make wrongful use of the name of the Lord your God, for the Lord will not acquit anyone who misuses his name.

Remember the sabbath day, and keep it holy. For six days you shall labour and do all your work.

But the seventh day is a sabbath to the Lord your God; you shall not do any work—you, your son or your daughter, your male or female slave, your livestock, or the alien resident in your towns. For in six days the Lord made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, but rested the seventh day; therefore the Lord blessed the sabbath day and consecrated it.

Honor your father and your mother, so that your days may be long in the land that the Lord your God is giving you.

You shall not murder.

You shall not commit adultery.

You shall not steal.

You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or male or female slave, or ox, or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*People Thanks be to God.*

### Psalm 19

1 The heavens declare the glory of God, \*

**and the firmament shows his handiwork.**

2 One day tells its tale to another, \*

**and one night imparts knowledge to another.**

3 Although they have no words or language, \*

**and their voices are not heard,**

4 Their sound has gone out into all lands, \*

**and their message to the ends of the world.**

5 In the deep has he set a pavilion for the sun; \*

**it comes forth like a bridegroom out of his chamber;**

**it rejoices like a champion to run its course.**

6 It goes forth from the uttermost edge of the heavens  
and runs about to the end of it again; \*

**nothing is hidden from its burning heat.**

7 The law of the Lord is perfect  
and revives the soul; \*

**the testimony of the Lord is sure  
and gives wisdom to the innocent.**

8 The statutes of the Lord are just  
and rejoice the heart; \*

**the commandment of the Lord is clear  
and gives light to the eyes.**

9 The fear of the Lord is clean  
and endures for ever; \*

**the judgments of the Lord are true  
and righteous altogether.**

10 More to be desired are they than gold,  
more than much fine gold, \*

**sweeter far than honey,  
than honey in the comb.**

11 By them also is your servant enlightened, \*  
**and in keeping them there is great reward.**

12 Who can tell how often he offends? \*

**cleanse me from my secret faults.**

13 Above all, keep your servant from presumptuous sins;  
let them not get dominion over me; \*

**then shall I be whole and sound,  
and innocent of a great offense.**

14 Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my  
heart be acceptable in your sight, \*

**O Lord, my strength and my redeemer.**

### **A Reading from 1 Corinthians 1:18-25**

The message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. For it is written, "I will destroy the wisdom of the wise, and the discernment of the discerning I will thwart."

Where is the one who is wise? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? For since, in the wisdom of God, the world did not know God through wisdom, God decided, through the foolishness of our proclamation, to save those who believe. For Jews demand signs and Greeks desire wisdom, but we proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, but to those who are the called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. For God's foolishness is wiser than human wisdom, and God's weakness is stronger than human strength.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

***People Thanks be to God.***

*The people turn to face the Gospel.*

## **Holy Gospel; John 2:13-22**

*Celebrant* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

***People Glory be to thee, O Lord.***

The Passover of the Jews was near, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem. In the temple he found people selling cattle, sheep, and doves, and the money changers seated at their tables. Making a whip of cords, he drove all of them out of the temple, both the sheep and the cattle. He also poured out the coins of the money changers and overturned their tables. He told those who were selling the doves, "Take these things out of here! Stop making my Father's house a marketplace!" His disciples remembered that it was written, "Zeal for your house will consume me." The Jews then said to him, "What sign can you show us for doing this?" Jesus answered them, "Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up." The Jews then said, "This temple has been under construction for forty-six years, and will you raise it up in three days?" But he was speaking of the temple of his body. After he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this; and they believed the scripture and the word that Jesus had spoken.

*Celebrant* The Gospel of the Lord.

***People Praise be to thee, Lord Christ.***

**Sermon**

**The Rev. Dr. Richard Bardusch, *Rector***

## **The Nicene Creed (BCP 326)**

***We believe in one God,***

***the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.***

***We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,***

***the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father,***

***God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,***

***begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father;***

***Through him all things were made.***

***For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:***

***by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,***

***and was made man;***

***For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried;***

***On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;***

***he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.***

***He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,***

***and his kingdom will have no end.***

*We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son;  
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.  
He has spoken through the Prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.*

### **The Prayers of the People (BCP 328)**

*Leader* Let us pray for the whole state of Christ's Church and the world.

Almighty and everliving God, who in thy holy Word hast taught us to make prayers, and supplications, and to give thanks for all men:

Receive these our prayers which we offer unto thy divine Majesty, beseeching thee to inspire continually the Universal Church with the spirit of truth, unity, and concord; and grant that all those who do confess thy holy Name may agree in the truth of thy holy Word, and live in unity and godly love. **Amen.**

Give grace, O heavenly Father, to all bishops and other ministers especially to Michael, Shannon, Susan, and Ted, that they may, both by their life and doctrine, set forth thy true and lively Word, and rightly and duly administer thy holy Sacraments. **Amen.**

And to all thy people give thy heavenly grace, and especially to this congregation here present; that, with meek heart and due reverence, they may hear and receive thy holy Word, truly serving thee in holiness and righteousness all the days of their life. **Amen.**

We beseech thee also so to rule the hearts of those who bear the authority of government in this and every land, especially Donald our president, Terry our governor, and Lisa our mayor, that they may be led to wise decisions and right actions for the welfare and peace of the world. **Amen.**

Open, O Lord, the eyes of all people to behold thy gracious hand in all thy works, that, rejoicing in thy whole creation, they may honor thee with their substance, and be faithful stewards of thy bounty. **Amen.**

And we most humbly beseech thee, of thy goodness, O Lord, to comfort and succor *Bonnie, Jennifer, and all* those who, in this transitory life, are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity. **Amen.**

And we also bless thy holy Name for *Selma Koffer Schwartz* and all thy servants departed this life in thy faith and fear, beseeching thee to grant them continual growth in thy love and service; and to grant us grace so to follow the good examples of Saint Timothy and all thy saints, that with them we may be partakers of thy heavenly kingdom. **Amen.**

Grant these our prayers, O Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our only Mediator and Advocate. **Amen.**

### **Confession of Sin (BCP 330)**

*Celebrant* Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God.

**All** *Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against thee in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.*

*We have not loved thee with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of thy Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in thy will, and walk in thy ways, to the glory of thy Name. Amen.*

### **Absolution (BCP 332)**

*Celebrant* Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all those who with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### **The Comfortable Words (BCP 332)**

*Celebrant* Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him.

Come unto me, all ye that travail and are heavy laden, and I will refresh you. *Matthew 11:28*

God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, to the end that all that believe in him should not perish, but have everlasting life. *John 3:16*

### **The Peace (BCP 332)**

*Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**People** *And with thy spirit.*

### **Welcome & Announcements**

### **The Offering**

### **The Holy Communion**

### **The Great Thanksgiving (Prayer II, BCP 340)**

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

**People** *And with thy spirit.*

*Celebrant* Lift up your hearts.

**People** *We lift them to the Lord.*

*Celebrant* Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

**People** *It is meet and right so to do.*



*Celebrant* It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God. Because thou didst send thy beloved Son to redeem us from sin and death, and to make us heirs in him of everlasting life; that when he shall come again in power and great triumph to judge the world, we may without shame or fear rejoice to behold his appearing. Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

### **The Sanctus & Benedictus (BCP 341)**

*Celebrant and People:* **Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts: Heaven and earth are full of thy glory. Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High. Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

*The people stand or kneel.*

All glory be to thee, O Lord our God, for that thou didst create heaven and earth, and didst make us in thine own image; and, of thy tender mercy, didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon him, and to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption. He made there a full and perfect sacrifice for the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memory of that his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

For in the night in which he was betrayed, he took bread; and when he had given thanks to thee, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat, this is my Body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, he took the cup; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the remission of sins. Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me."

Wherefore, O Lord and heavenly Father, we thy people do celebrate and make, with these thy holy gifts which we now offer unto thee, the memorial thy Son hath commanded us to make; having in remembrance his blessed passion and precious death, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; and looking for his coming again with power and great glory.

And we most humbly beseech thee, O merciful Father, to hear us, and, with thy Word and Holy Spirit, to bless and sanctify these gifts of bread and wine, that they may be unto us the Body and Blood of thy dearly-beloved Son Jesus Christ.

And we earnestly desire thy fatherly goodness to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, whereby we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, ourselves, our souls and bodies.

Grant, we beseech thee, that all who partake of this Holy Communion may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son Jesus Christ, and be filled with thy grace and heavenly benediction; and also that we and all thy whole Church may be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord;

By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost all honor and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end. **Amen.**

And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

*All: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.*

### **The Fraction (BCP 336)**

*Celebrant* Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

*People* *Therefore let us keep the feast.*

### **The Administration of Communion (BCP 338)**

*Celebrant* The Gifts of God for the People of God.

### **Postcommunion Prayer (BCP 339)**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

*Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom.*

*And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.*

### **Lenten Prayer**

*Celebrant* Grant, Almighty God, that your people may recognize their weakness and put their whole trust in your strength, so that they may rejoice for ever in the protection of your loving providence; through Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

### **Dismissal (BCP 339)**

*Celebrant* Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

*People* *Thanks be to God.*

## Assisting in the Preparation and Conduct of Worship

Altar Guild		Michele Bumbary, Bonnie Bunting, Judy Conroy, Emilia Mbonu, Jen Wilson, Kerrie Wilson
Counters		Keith Pinkard, Tina Pinkard
Ushers	8 am	Tom Rust, Bill Outerbridge
	10 am	Dave Gough, Pete Gleason
Greeters	8:00 am	C. Holland
	10:00 am	
Lay Eucharistic Ministers	8:00 am	Diane Miller, Eugene Nkomba
	10 am	Catherine Lamb, Genevieve Zetlan, Gayle Rippe, Rose Berberich, Laura Dendtler, Keith Sinclair
Acolytes	10 am	Chudi M., James N., Brayden C., Sophie D.



### No Altar Flowers During Lent

Easter Day brings them back with splendor and beauty. If you would like to remember a loved one who has departed this life or give thanksgiving for family and friends this Easter, please complete a Flower Envelope (*be sure to write Easter Flowers on the envelope*). **The deadline for all Easter Flower offerings is Sunday, April 1.**

### Thank You for Making A Difference!

*Have someone you'd like to thank for contributing to St. Timothy's in some way? Send an email to [thanks@saint-timothys.org](mailto:thanks@saint-timothys.org) with the person's name and what they did, and we will thank them in a future bulletin & eNews.*

### Do you need someone to talk to? Call a Stephen Minister!

You can call Peter or Beth Hwoschinsky @ 703.450.8599



### Coffee Hour

#### Last Names A - F Please Bring Treats on March 11!

Please bring in a treat, pastry, or snack to share with others. Simply place whatever you've brought on the table in Henry Hall before you head into the service.



**Upcoming:** Last Names G - L on March 18.

**Please consider signing up on the sheet in Henry Hall, just outside of the kitchen, to help make coffee and/or clean up on your particular week.**

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## Highlighted Church Events @ St. Tim's This Week

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*Only ministry related events are listed.*

*Visit [www.saint-timothys.org](http://www.saint-timothys.org) and click on the calendar link to see the full calendar.*

Day	Time	Event	Location
Sunday 3/4	5:00 p.m.	<b>Other Gospels, Strange Christians</b>	<i>Henry Hall</i>
	5:30 p.m.	<b>Hypothermia Dinners</b>	<i>Henry Hall</i>
Wednesday 3/7	10:00 a.m.	<b>Bible Study</b>	<i>Kitchen</i>

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## Highlighted Music Events @ St. Tim's This Week

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Sunday 3/4	9:20 a.m.	<b>Adult Choir Rehearsal</b>	Music Room
	11:20 a.m.	<b>Children's Choir Rehearsal</b>	Music Room
Tuesday 3/6	6:00 p.m.	<b>Guitar Ensemble</b>	Sanctuary
Wednesday 3/7	7:00 p.m.	<b>Handbell Choir Rehearsal</b>	Music Room



<b>Monday 3/5</b>	Michael, Wei
<b>Tuesday 3/6</b>	Jeanne-Marie Burke, Jerry Henry, Ralph Tildon Jr., Christopher Williams
<b>Thursday 3/8</b>	Carol Jensen
<b>Friday 3/9</b>	Craig Ellis, Nancy Gow, Russell Roselle
<b>Saturday 3/10</b>	Brian Law, Cameron Williams

### General Announcements

#### **Hypothermia Dinners- Sundays in March**

Once again, St. Timothy's will be preparing and serving dinner for clients of the North County Hypothermia Shelter on Sundays in March - March 4, 11, 18, 25. Please sign up to provide a part of this meal or to volunteer to serve the meal. Items should be dropped off at the Hypothermia Shelter, ready to serve, at 1850 Cameron Glen Drive, Reston, VA by 5:30 p.m. If you are volunteering, set-up begins at 5:30, the meal is served at 6:00 and you will be finished with clean-up by 7:30. Please note, that no volunteers under the age of 18 are allowed on the premises. We are using Sign-Up Genius to organize volunteers - please visit: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0a4baead2aa46-sttimothys> or contact Jill Norcross at [jillnorcross@verizon.net](mailto:jillnorcross@verizon.net), 703-587-4098 and she can sign you up.

Thank you for your consideration! *"Service Ministry – putting your faith to work".*

## **Closets – Attics - Basements**

Do you have closets, an attic or a basement full of items you do not use? Here is an opportunity for you to clean out all those treasures you have been saving. On Saturday, June 2<sup>nd</sup> (rain date June 9<sup>th</sup>) we are planning an outdoor Giant Yard Sale to raise funds for St. Timothy's. All you have to do is reserve a table for your items and sell them at the yard sale. Whatever is sold will be donated to St. Tim's. Whatever you do not sell, you are asked to take it back home or to The Bargain Loft or The Clothes Closet. You may not want to bring an old outdated TV that you have to lug back home. Contact Mindy Rohrbaugh to reserve a table at [mindyrohrbaugh@hotmail.com](mailto:mindyrohrbaugh@hotmail.com) or 703-435-9653. Questions contact Carmela Condro at [ccondro@verizon.net](mailto:ccondro@verizon.net) or 703-620-1110.

## **Creating a Sustainable Church – Expenses**

*Ensuring Saint Timothy's will be around for another 150 years*

In order for St. Timothy's to be truly effective, it must provide not only a regular place for worship but also programs involving outreach. The facility entrusted to us by previous generations has been and will be the center for many of these outreach activities. To be successful, these programs require many hours of volunteer time in addition to adequate financial resources and a paid staff. For example, our current annual budget breaks down as follows: \$ 6,299.00 per week for salaries and \$ 5,186.00 per week to operate the facility, leaving \$ 1,392.00 per week and \$ 1,424.00 per week respectively to spend on St. Tim's and Diocesan programs. These figures amount to a total of \$14,300.00 in weekly expenditures. While spending slightly over \$ 2,800.00 per week on programs, much of which benefit the community, is not an insignificant amount, we believe there are more good works we can and should do if only we had additional resources. Hopefully, familiarity with these figures will result in increased contributions on everyone's part. In this series, we will discuss some creative ways to increase our giving so we can increase our service to the community. Please keep in mind that at any time you can call St. Timothy's and make arrangements to increase your giving.

## **Other Gospels and Interesting Christians**

Fr Rich will be leading the 2018 Lenten series. We will gather at 5:00 p.m. at Henry Hall for soup and salad. We need a host or two every week along with donations of soup/salad/bread. Please sign up and RSVP via the Sign Up Genius or email Maria LaWalt [mjlawalt@verizon.net](mailto:mjlawalt@verizon.net) or 703-623-1394.

## **Calling All Chili Fans!**

St. Timothy's 18<sup>th</sup> annual Chili Cook-off will be held Saturday, March 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:30PM. Please join us to celebrate St. Patrick's Day with entertainment, fellowship, fun and chili. All who attend will have a chance to taste and vote on their favorite chili in each category plus your favorite overall. Additional information and a sign-up sheet will be available starting March 3<sup>rd</sup> in Henry Hall. Whether you'll be vying for great prizes with your chili entry, bringing a side dish, or just want to come enjoy a yummy fun evening with your St. Timothy's family, we ask you to sign up. Donations are welcome to support the Lakota Mission minister who lost her funding; St. Timothy's Lakota Mission Team is committed to help the Pine Ridge Retreat Center serve the community children. Thank you for your continued support, Kent Miller (Lakota Team).

## **Shrine Mont Registration Now Open**

Registration is now open for St. Timothy's Annual Parish Weekend at Shrine Mont, happening May 4<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup>, 2018. This year's theme is "The New World in Christ", an exploration of Christian traditions in the New World. Registration materials are available in Henry Hall. The prices are \$172 per adult (13+ years old) (double occupancy), \$227 per adult (13+ years old) (single occupancy), \$68 per child (4 – 12 years old) and free for children under 3 years old. Limited financial assistance is available. The cost of the weekend includes six home-cooked meals (Friday dinner thru Sunday lunch), two nights of lodging and the use of Shrine Mont facilities. Come enjoy this time of renewal, rest, reflection and fun. **Space is limited so sign up early!** We are looking for volunteers to help with planning, especially for the Children's Program. If you are interested in helping with the planning or have any questions about the retreat, contact **Rob Huizar at [rhuizar@gmail.com](mailto:rhuizar@gmail.com) or 713-569-2859. Registration forms can either be given directly to Rob or you can drop them in the Shrine Mont mailbox (in the mailboxes by the hallway coat rack).**

## **Annual Spring Clean Up**

The Building and Grounds team will be hosting the annual Spring Clean Up on Saturday, March 17th from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. We will provide all materials and tools (as well as water and snacks). Come help us beautify the church buildings and the surrounding grounds. All help is welcome! You may sign up for specific tasks on either Volunteer Spot (<http://signup.com/go/hd21mi>) or by using the sign up sheet in Henry Hall. You can also contact Sean Brady ([bandg@saint-timothys.org](mailto:bandg@saint-timothys.org)) directly to volunteer time or offer an additional project you'd like to do.

## **The Service Ministry has selected Mobile Hope of Loudoun for Lenten Outreach this year.**

Mobile Hope improves the lives of disadvantaged, precariously housed and homeless youth and young adults in Loudoun County. During Lent, now through April 1, the Service Ministry asks you to donate these items for Mobile Hope:

**New Clothing** - New socks boys and girls of all ages; new t-shirts for boys of all sizes; new underwear for boys and girls of all ages.

**Baby Items** – Diapers (large sizes are very helpful), Pull Ups, and wipes

There will be a bin in Henry Hall for your contribution. At the end of Lent we will take the items to Mobile Hope of Loudoun County. For more information about Mobile Hope, please go to their website: <http://www.mobilehopeloudoun.org/about-mobile-hope/> For additional information please contact Holly Hartge, [mhhvirginia@verizon.net](mailto:mhhvirginia@verizon.net).

Thank you for your support of Mobile Hope of Loudoun County and helping the Service Ministry in *putting your faith to work.*



## Saint Timothy's Prayer List

*Submissions added this week are in italics.*



**Deceased:** Rex Roller

**Health:** *Diane, Brian, Patricia, Steve*

**Long Term Needs:** Analise, Arnaldo's family in P.R., Barbara, Beth, Bill, Bonnie, Carolyn, Danny, Dave, David, Dolores, Emmanuel, Fred, Geraldine, Helen, Hurricane Victims, Jane, Jennifer, Jerry, Joanne, John, Julie, Laura, Lauren, Leslie, Mabel, Marie, Martha, Matthew, Michael, Pam, Prof. Dr. Sakr, Virginia & Cameron, and Wallace.

**Other needs:**

**Please Note:** *Email requests to [Prayer@saint-timothys.org](mailto:Prayer@saint-timothys.org) with the name of the person and prayer request. Request details will only be placed on the Pastoral Care Team listing; first names only will be placed in the bulletin. If you don't have access to email, call the church office & leave your request with the Director of Parish Operations, 703.437.3790 x. 10. **Prayer requests, unless specifically requested as a Long Term Need (in cases of prolonged illness, etc.) will remain on the Prayer List for three Sundays with the exception of Thanksgivings which remain for one week.***

### **A Prayer for the Search and Transition Process of a second Bishop Suffragan**

The search process to elect a second Bishop Suffragan for the Diocese of Virginia is underway. Our own Diane Miller is chairing the search committee. Please join with others in the Diocese as we continue to pray for the process. The Diocese has provided the prayer below.

***Almighty God, Shepherd and Bishop of our souls, who calls, guides, and empowers us as your Church; Bless us as your people. Create in us discerning minds as we seek to elect a Bishop in this Diocese. Open our ears, broaden our vision, and enliven our hearts for the work that lies before us. All this we pray through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, now and forever, Amen.***



St. Timothy's Episcopal, founded on November 1, 1868, is a member of Region V of the Diocese of Virginia, one of the Episcopal Church's 9 original dioceses and the largest diocese in the domestic U.S. The bell from our 1881 church building has been electrified and continues to ring before every Sunday service and major holy day. Our 1870 James D. Moore Tracker pipe organ was restored and reinstalled April, 2017.

We have a long history of outreach within and beyond the Herndon/Reston community. We staff The Closet, which had its beginnings at St. Timothy's in the 1970s. The first homeless shelter in Fairfax County began in our Henry Hall in 1984 and became the Embry Rucker Shelter, which we continue to staff. We run a school supply drive and holiday Angel Tree in addition to supporting LINK, Helping Hungry Kids,

and Cornerstones, among others. We serve the poorest in our state, our nation, and our hemisphere with yearly mission trips to Dungannon, VA, Pine Ridge Indian Reservation, SD, and Chapoteau, Haiti.

We worship 4 times per week, in English and in Spanish, and we welcome everyone who would like to worship with us and become a part of our community. If you are visiting us, please sign the guest book in the Narthex and introduce yourself to our clergy and vestry members.