

# St. Timothy's Episcopal Church

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Sunday, May 6, 2018

The Sixth Sunday of Easter

10 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
Sabado, 7:30 p.m. Misa en Español Rito II

# Opportunities for Children

Sunday, 10 a.m. Godly Play (ages 3 & potty trained - grade 2) -Room B1

Sunday, 10 a.m. Spark + (grades 3-5) - Room A-5

Sunday, 10 a.m. Christian Education (*Grades 6-7*) - Room A-8 Sunday, 10 a.m. Christian Education (*Grades 8-12*) - Upper Room

Sunday, 11:30 a.m. Children's Choir Music Room

Saturday, 5:00 p.m. 1st & 3rd Saturdays Youth Group (Grades 2-7)

Sabado, 5:00 p.m. 1er & 3er Sábados Grupo de Jóvenes

## **Other Service Offerings**

Wednesday Healing Eucharist will not be celebrated this week

#### 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 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. Monday - Thursday and 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Friday. 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)

Mr. Roger Long, Director of Music (x. 16)

Mrs. Fernanda Marinkovic, Bookkeeper (x. 13)

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**Vestry** (Class year in parenthesis)

*Co-Warden* – Eugene Nkomba *(2019)* 

Registrar – Rose Berberich
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Vidai Genovez-André

Tim Allen (2019) Carmela Condro (2021)
Andrew Hamm (2021) Catherine Lamoureux (2021)
Bill Outerbridge (2019) Gerritt Peck (2020)

Sandy Weright (2020)

*Treasurer* – Duane Hartge

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Elizabeth Witter (2020)

**Co-Warden** – Susy Nixon (2019)

Trustees

Tom McLenigan Keith Sinclair Deke Smith

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

# The Sixth Sunday of Easter

Holy Eucharist: Rite II

Suite D Minor

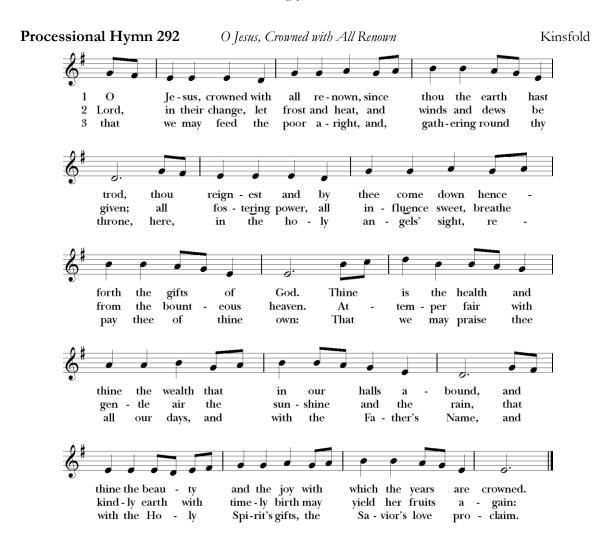
Prelude

Gottlieb Muffat

Prelude, Allemande, Courante

#### The Word of God

At the tolling of the bell, all stand.



Words: Edward White Benson (1829-1896), alt. Music: Kingsfold, English melody; adapt and harm. Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)

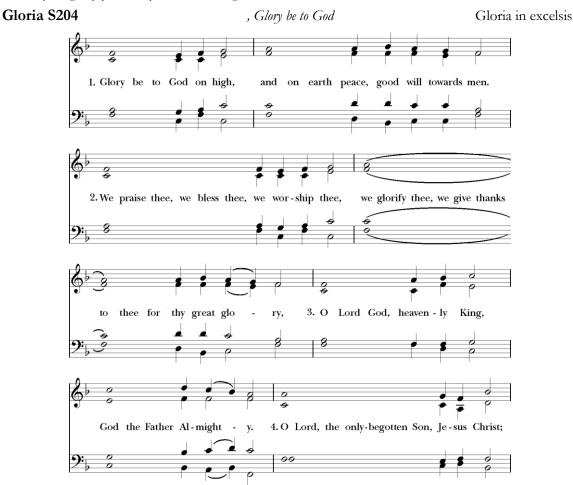
## The Opening Acclamation

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ is risen!

People The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!

#### The Collect for Purity

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





## The Collect of the Day (BCP 357)

Celebrant: The Lord be with you. **People:** And also with you.

Celebrant: O God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as surpass our understanding: Pour into our hearts such love towards you, that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.** 

#### The Lessons

#### A Reading from Acts 10:44-48

While Peter was still speaking, the Holy Spirit fell upon all who heard the word. The circumcised believers who had come with Peter were astounded that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on the Gentiles, for they heard them speaking in tongues and extolling God. Then Peter said, "Can anyone withhold the water for baptizing these people who have received the Holy Spirit just as we have?" So he ordered them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they invited him to stay for several days.

Reader: The Word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God.** 

#### Psalm 98

Jerome Webster Meachen (b. 1930)



#### Cantate Domino

- 1 Sing to the LORD <u>a new song</u>, \*
  - for he has done <u>marvelous things</u>.
- 2 With his right hand and his <u>holy arm</u> \* has he won for him<u>self the victory</u>.
- 3 The LORD has made known his victory; \*

his righteousness has he openly shown in the sight of the nations.

- 4 He remembers his mercy and faithfulness to the <u>house of Israel</u>, \* and all the ends of the earth have seen the victory <u>of our God</u>.
- 5 Shout with joy to the LORD, <u>all you lands</u>; \* lift up your voice, rejoice, and sing.
- 6 Sing to the LORD <u>with the harp</u>, \* with the harp and the <u>voice of song</u>.
- 7 With trumpets and the sound <u>of the horn</u> \* shout with joy before the <u>King</u>, the <u>LORD</u>.
- 8 Let the sea make a noise and all <u>that is in it</u>, \* the lands and those who <u>dwell therein</u>.
- 9 Let the rivers <u>clap their hands</u>, \* and let the hills ring out with joy before the LORD, when he comes to <u>judge the earth.</u>
- 10 In righteousness shall he <u>judge the world</u> \* and the peo<u>ples with equity</u>.

#### A Reading from 1 John 5:1-6

Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the parent loves the child. By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments. For the love of God is this, that we obey his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome, for whatever is born of God conquers the world. And this is the victory that conquers the world, our faith. Who is it that conquers the world but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

This is the one who came by water and blood, Jesus Christ, not with the water only but with the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one that testifies, for the Spirit is the truth.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn 593 Lord Make Us Servants of Your Peace (Stanzas 1,2,3) Dickinson College



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#### Holy Gospel; John 15:9-17

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

## People Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Jesus said to his disciples, "As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be complete.

"This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another." *Celebrant* The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise be to thee, Lord Christ.

Gradual Hymn 593 Lord Make Us Servants of Your Peace (Stanzas 4,5) Dickinson College
Sermon The Rev. David M. Crosby

#### The Nicene Creed (BCP 358)

We believe in one God,

the Father, the 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, Form III (BCP 387)

Leader: Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;

People: That we all may be one.

Leader: Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

People: That your Name may be glorified by all people.

Leader: We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;

People: That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

Leader: We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

People: That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Leader: Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;

People: That our works may find favor in your sight.

Leader: Have compassion on Bill and all those who suffer from any grief or trouble;

People: That they may be delivered from their distress.

Leader: Give to the departed eternal rest;

People: Let light perpetual shine upon them.

Leader: We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;

People: May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

Leader: Let us pray for our own needs and those of others. (Silence)

People may add their own petitions, either silently or aloud.

#### Celebrant

Almighty God, you have given your people the true Bread from heaven, your Son Jesus Christ: Grant that our souls may be so fed by him who gives life to the world, that we may be made strong for your service, and share with others what we have so richly received; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.* 

## Confession of Sin (BCP 360)

Celebrant: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

All Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

# **Absolution (BCP 360)**

Celebrant: Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. Amen.

## The Peace (BCP 360)

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

#### Welcome & Announcements

## The Offering

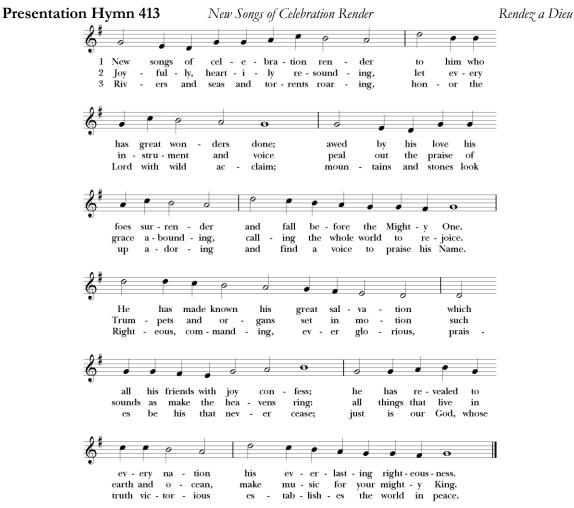
## The Holy Communion

## Offertory Anthem

If Ye Love Me

Thomas Tallis

If ye love Me, keep My commandments, and I will pray the Father, and He shall give you another Comforter, that He may abide with you forever, even the Spirit of Truth.



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## The Great Thanksgiving, Prayer A (BCP 361)

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

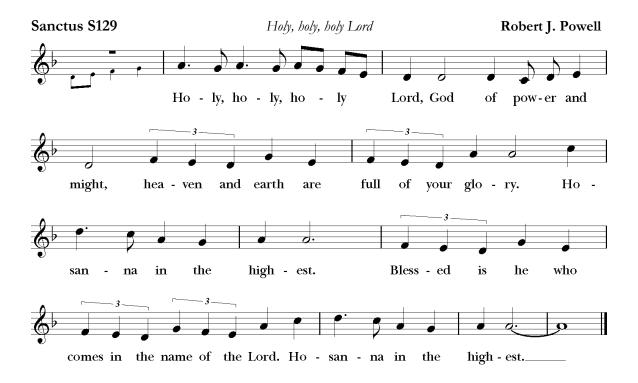
People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give God thanks and praise.

#### Celebrant

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. But chiefly are we bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and has taken away the sin of the world. By his death he has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again he has won for us everlasting life. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:



The people stand or kneel.

Celebrant Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me." Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

*Celebrant:* We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **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.

## Breaking of the Bread (BCP 364)

Celebrant Alleluia Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia

# Fraction Anthem WLP 877





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

## The Administration of Communion

Selections from Suite in D minor

Gottlieb Muffat

Foley

# **Communion Hymns**

Hymn 151





#### Commissioning of Lay Eucharistic Visitors

*Celebrant:* In the name of this congregation, I send you forth bearing these holy gifts to the Tetteyfio, that those to whom we go may share with us in Christ's Body and Blood.

All: We who are many are one body, because we all share in one bread, one cup.

#### Postcommunion Prayer (BCP 365)

Celebrant Let us pray.

All Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us a living member of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Crist our Lord. Amen.

#### Solemn Blessing of Easter

The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, the great Shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the everlasting covenant, make you perfect in every good work to do his will, working in you that which is well pleasing in his sight; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. *Amen.* 



Words: Att. John Fawcett (1739/40-1817) Music: Sicilian Mariners, Sicilian melody; first published The European Magazine and London Review, 1792, alt.

# Dismissal (BCP 366)

Celebrant Let us go forth in the name of Christ, Alleluia, Alleluia.

People Thanks be to God! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Postlude Suite in D minor: Finale Gottlieb Muffat

## Assisting in the Preparation and Conduct of Worship

Altar Guild		Bumbary, Bunting, Conroy, Mbonu, Wilson
Counters		Keith and Tina Pinkard
Ushers	8 am	Bill Outerbridge, Tom Rust
	10 am	Don and Carol Durand
Greeters	8:00 am	J. Bennet
	10:00 am	C Holland
Lay Eucharistic Ministers	8:00 am	Marie Lally, Hector Coronado
	10 am	Alan Stanley, Genevieve Zetlan, Rose Berberich, Laura Dendtler, Gayle Rippe, Keith Sinclair
Acolytes	10 am	Danny W., Carolyn W., Brayden C., Emma K.,



# Today's Altar Flowers are Given by: Norcross Family in Memory of Paul Conroy

Would you like to remember a loved one who has departed this life, give thanksgiving for family & friends, or celebrate a special anniversary by sponsoring the altar flowers on a particular Sunday? Please complete a Flower Envelope

This past Saturday Building and Grounds held their regular working session, working on small projects to repair and beautify the church building and our lovely campus. This week I didn't bring enough tasks, and jobs were completed within 90 minutes. Thanks to Bob, Keith, Bill, Duane for giving of their time improving St Tim's.



B&G holds a regular working session on the fourth Saturday of every month, from 9am to noon (weather permitting). If you'd like to help out, contact Sean Brady at <a href="mailto:bandg@saint-timothys.org">bandg@saint-timothys.org</a>.

Have someone you'd like to thank for contributing to St. Timothy's in some way? Send an email to bookkeeper@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 G- L Please Bring Treats on May 13th

Please consider bringing a suitable snack to share with others at the weekly coffee hour. Simply place whatever you've brought on the table in Henry Hall before you head into service. When providing snacks please consider healthy snacks as well as sweets. The Hospitality Ministry needs two volunteers each Sunday to assist with Coffee Hour. If you are able to help, once a month or one time only, please contact Carolyn Hamm (carolynhamm@verizon.net) Upcoming: Last names M - R are on for next week.

Highlighted Church Events @ St. Tim's in May

V	isit www.saint-	-timothys.org and click on the calendar link to see the full calendar.	
Day	Time	Event	Location
Wednesday 5/9	10:00	The Book of Acts Bible Study Contact gzetlan@gmail.com	Kitchen
Saturday 5/12	5:30-930	Spanish Mother's Day Dinner	Henry Hall
Sunday 5/13		Mother's Day	
Saturday 5/19	6:00 - 7:00	Youth Group	Henry Hall
Sunday 5/20		Pentecost Holy Baptism	Sanctuary
	11:30	Giving Presentation Guest Speaker	Henry Hall
	4:00-6:00	Choral Evensong	Sanctuary
	6:00-7:30	Reception	Henry Hall

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

Visit www.saint-timothys.org and click on the calendar link to see the full calendar.					
Sunday	9:20 a.m.	Adult Choir Rehearsal	Music Room		
	11:20 a.m.	Children's Choir Rehearsal	Music Room		
Tuesday	6:00 p.m.	Guitar Ensemble	Sanctuary		
Wednesday	7:00 p.m.	Handbell Choir Rehearsal	Music Room		



Tuesday 5/8	Bob Beury
Wednesday 5/9 Thursday 5/10	Patricia David Scott Cramer, Stephanie Guthrie
Friday 5/11	Joe Krainak

# **General Announcements**

#### YOU ARE INVITED

You are all invited to a Planned Giving Forum on May 20th in Henry Hall at 11:30am – 12:30pm. Julie Simonton will be our guest presenter. She is with the Diocese of Virginia and will provide hands-on guidance and resources to our congregation in all areas of congregational life, focusing especially on development, including robust stewardship, creative hospitality and spiritual health. Please join us for this important and informative event in the life of our parish. If you are planning to come, please sign up in the Narthex.

#### ONE MONTH TO THE YARD SALE

Do we have your name to reserve your table for St. Timothy's Yard Sale? You have this month to get your name in and to clean out your treasures.

Those who are selling items, set-up time is 8 am on Saturday, June 2nd. We will have people to help you transfer your wares from your car to your table. The Yard Sale hours are 9 am to 12pm. Rain date is June 9th. If you choose not to have a table and sell items, come and shop for treasures and contribute to the Bake Shop table.

Reserve a table: mindyrohrbaugh@hotmail.com Questions: <u>ccondro@verizon.net</u>

#### ARE YOU RECEIVING A TAX REFUND THIS YEAR?

Consider donating 10% of your tax refund this year to St. Timothy's general fund. You will be providing a benefit to your community, making an impact on society and you can claim the donation on your 2018 taxes. If you have questions, please contact the stewardship committee.

## ENSURING SAINT TIMOTHY'S WILL BE AROUND FOR ANOTHER 150 YEARS

The Reserve Fund

The \$14,300 in weekly operating expenditures discussed in March comes from the General Fund. The more we contribute to the General Fund, the more good works we can accomplish. Equally important is establishing a Capital Asset Reserve Fund to pay for costly items that will eventually need replacement or repair such as heating and air conditioning systems, parking lots, roofs, plumbing and major appliances to mention a few. The many programs that St. Tim's provides require a well maintained physical facility. To be clear, regular maintenance costs are generally paid from the General Fund. Typically, the pattern is that while most churches are very prudent about managing general funds for annual operations, churches are notorious for taking their facilities for granted and handling capital items on an as-needed basis. The danger with this approach is that failure to maintain an adequate Reserve Fund for major capital expenses will eventually impact general fund budget line items or involve borrowing from financial institutions, both of which will jeopardize St. Tim's ministry. As good stewards, the Vestry commissioned an engineering study several years ago to determine how much must be saved and over what period of time to pay for projected capital repairs and replacements. Unfortunately, St. Tim's has not adequately funded the Reserve Fund and consequently has let slip some pressing capital repairs. Simply put, St. Timothy's must begin both the process of repair and replacement while at the same time begin setting aside a manageable amount from its annual budget for the inevitable rainy day.

#### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

Submit Prayer Requests <u>Prayer@saint-timothys.org</u>
Reserve a Room <u>Calendar@saint-timothys.org</u>
Make an Appointment with Father Rich <u>rbardusch@saint-timothys.org</u>
Submit an Item for Bulletin & eNews <u>bokeeper@saintptimothys.org</u>
Request maintenance, building and grounds <u>bandg@saint-timothys.org</u>.
Miscellaneous questions supported by office volunteers <u>office@saint-timothys.org</u>
Join a choir <u>musicdirector@saint-timothys.org</u>
Donation statement question <u>bokeeper@saintptimothys.org</u>

#### **Bulletin & eNews Submission Reminder**

Submissions for the Sunday bulletin and eNews are **due** <u>Monday by 9 a.m.</u> of the week they are published unless otherwise communicated. If you would like to submit a church-related announcement, you can email bookkeeper@saint-timothys.org. You will receive a reply via email to confirm your submission was received.



# Saint Timothy's Prayer List

Submissions added this week are in italics.

**<u>Health</u>**: Alma, Andrew, Don, Isodre, Bobby Joe

Long Term Needs: Wallace, Karalyne

Other needs: Jones Family

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.

Prayer List Volunteer Coordinator: Jill Norcross Email requests to 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.





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.