



St. Timothy's Episcopal Church

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Sunday, November 11, 2018

Proper 27

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

Opportunities for Children

Sunday, 10 a.m.	Godly Play (<i>ages 3 & potty trained - grade 2</i>) –Room B1
Sunday, 10:00 a.m.	Spark + (<i>grades 3-5</i>) - Room A-5
Sunday, 10:00 a.m.	Christian Education (<i>Grades 6-7</i>) - Room A-8
Sunday, 10:00 a.m.	Christian Education (<i>Grades 8-12</i>) - Upper Room
Sunday, 11:30 a.m.	Children's Choir Music Room
Sunday, 5:00 p.m.	1 st & 3 rd Saturdays Youth Group (Grades 2-7)
Sábado, 5:00p.m.	1er & 3er Sábados Grupo de Jóvenes

Other Service Offerings

Wednesday Healing Eucharist 12:15p.m. (Except December 12)

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 10 a.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.

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Mrs. Alba Padilla, Ms. Gloria Morán Nursery Attendants

Vestry (Class year in parenthesis)

Co-Warden – Eugene Nkomba (2019)

Co-Warden – Susy Nixon (2019)

Treasurer – Duane Hartge (2019)

Registrar – Rose Berberich (2019)

Tim Allen (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!

Proper 27

Holy Eucharist: Rite I

At the tolling of the bell, all stand.

Word of God

The Opening Acclamation (BCP 323)

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen.

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.

O God, whose blessed Son came into the world that he might destroy the works of the devil and make us children of God and heirs of eternal life: Grant that, having this hope, we may purify ourselves as he is pure; that, when he comes again with power and great glory, we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The Lessons

A Reading from Ruth 3:1-5; 4:13-17

Naomi her mother-in-law said to Ruth, "My daughter, I need to seek some security for you, so that it may be well with you. Now here is our kinsman Boaz, with whose young women you have been working. See, he is winnowing barley tonight at the threshing floor. Now wash and anoint yourself and put on your best clothes and go down to the threshing floor; but do not make yourself known to the man until he has finished eating and drinking. When he lies down, observe the place where he lies; then, go and uncover his feet and lie down; and he will tell you what to do." She said to her, "All that you tell me I will do."

So Boaz took Ruth and she became his wife. When they came together, the Lord made her conceive, and she bore a son. Then the women said to Naomi, "Blessed be the Lord, who has not left you this day without next-of-kin; and may his name be renowned in Israel! He shall be to you a restorer of life and a nourisher of your old age; for your daughter-in-law who loves you, who is more to you than seven sons, has borne him." Then Naomi took the child and laid him in her bosom, and became his nurse. The women of the neighborhood gave him a name, saying, "A son has been born to Naomi." They named him Obed; he became the father of Jesse, the father of David.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 127

1 Unless the Lord builds the house, *

their labor is in vain who build it.

2 Unless the Lord watches over the city, *

in vain the watchman keeps his vigil.

3 It is in vain that you rise so early and go to bed so late; *

vain, too, to eat the bread of toil,

for he gives to his beloved sleep.

4 Children are a heritage from the Lord, *

and the fruit of the womb is a gift.

5 Like arrows in the hand of a warrior *

are the children of one's youth.

6 Happy is the man who has his quiver full of them! *

he shall not be put to shame

when he contends with his enemies in the gate.

A Reading from Hebrews 9:24-28

Christ did not enter a sanctuary made by human hands, a mere copy of the true one, but he entered into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf. Nor was it to offer himself again and again, as the high priest enters the Holy Place year after year with blood that is not his own; for then he would have had to suffer again and again since the foundation of the world. But as it is, he has appeared once for all at the end of the age to remove sin by the sacrifice of himself. And just as it is appointed for mortals to die once, and after that the judgment, so Christ, having been offered once to bear the sins of many, will appear a second time, not to deal with sin, but to save those who are eagerly waiting for him.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Holy Gospel Mark 12:38-44

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark

People Glory be to thee, O Lord.

As Jesus taught, he said, “Beware of the scribes, who like to walk around in long robes, and to be greeted with respect in the marketplaces, and to have the best seats in the synagogues and places of honor at banquets! They devour widows’ houses and for the sake of appearance say long prayers. They will receive the greater condemnation.”

He sat down opposite the treasury, and watched the crowd putting money into the treasury. Many rich people put in large sums. A poor widow came and put in two small copper coins, which are worth a penny. Then he called his disciples and said to them, “Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put in more than all those who are contributing to the treasury. For all of them have contributed out of their abundance; but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, all she had to live on.”

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise be to thee, Lord Christ.

Sermon

The Rev. Dr. Richard Bardusch

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 Bob, 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, Ralph 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 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 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.**

A Stewardship Prayer

Almighty God, In You we live and move and have our being; all we have comes from You. Help us to embrace and grow in Your Love. Open our hearts, to be thankful and faithful stewards with all You have bestowed upon us. Bless the missions and ministries of St.

Timothy's that make a difference in people's lives here in Herndon and around the world. All this we ask in the name of Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. 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 in the mystery of the Word made flesh, thou hast caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of thy

glory in the face of thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord. 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 334)

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, our selves, 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 337)

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

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

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.

The Blessing

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep our hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of His Son, Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit be among you, and remain with you always. ***Amen.***

Dismissal (BCP 339)

Celebrant Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People **Thanks be to God.**



**Today's Altar Flowers are Given by:
Kathryn Sieh in Memory of David & Barbara Kennedy and Elton &
Virginia Sieh**

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

Assisting in the Preparation and Conduct of Worship

Altar Guild		Linda Grantham, Mary McLenigan, Stephanie Wolo, Sandy Wright
Counters		Pat McGibbon, Frank Martin
Pastoral Care		Peter and Beth Hwoschinsky
Ushers	8 am	Hal Hallet, Robin Mullet
	10 am	Dave Gough, Pete Gleason
Greeters	8:00 am	P & B Hwoschinsky
	10:00 am	J. Muich
Lay Eucharistic Ministers	8:00 am	Hector Coronado, Diane Miller
	10 am	Keith Sinclair, Patrick Hobson, Max Weeden, Michael Cook
Acolytes	10 am	Chudi M., Carolyn W., Katie W., Lily B.

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

You can call Peter or Beth Hwoschinsky @ 703.450.8599



**STEPHEN
MINISTRY**

*Thank
You*

The 150th Anniversary Celebration and Organ Rededication was a big success. Thank you to the committee that worked for months preparing the posters, program and reception: Shon Beury, Carmela Condro, Helen Guest, Carolyn Hamm, Holly Hartge, Elaine Horsfield, Bob Kimmel, Maria LaWalt, Mindy Rohrbach and Sandy Wright. Also to: Bonnie Bunting for creating beautiful floral arrangements in Henry Hall, and to those who helped with setup and cleanup: Loy Bate, Christine & Paul Cozza, Brenda & Vince Donnelly, Janet & David Dopsovic, Andrew Hamm, Duane Hartge, Jay LaWalt, Karen & Gerritt Peck and Carol & Keith Sinclair.

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.

Coffee Hour

Coffee Hour is held following each service in Henry Hall. We take turns bringing treats (see calendar below) and need helpers to set up and clean up. If you are able to host a coffee hour please sign up on the Hospitality Bulletin Board in Henry Hall (just outside the kitchen). If it's your Sunday to bring a treat, please place whatever you've brought on the table in Henry Hall before you head into the service. When providing snacks please consider gluten free items and healthy snacks as well as sweets. Questions? Email the Hospitality Ministry at

hospitality@saint-timothys.org.



<i>Date</i>		<i>Bring Treats</i>	<i>Hosting</i>
2 nd Sunday	November 11	No Coffee Hour	Holiday Bazaar
3 rd Sunday	November 18	Lakota Ministry	Lakota Ministry
4 th Sunday	November 25	No Coffee Hour	No Coffee Hour
1 st Sunday	December 2	Last Names A - F	Need Host
2 nd Sunday	December 9	Hospitality Committee	Bishops Visit
3 rd Sunday	December 16	Last Names M – R	Need Host
4 th Sunday	December 23	Last Names S – Z	Need Host
5 th Sunday	December 30	No Coffee Hour	Holiday Break

Highlighted Church Events @ St. Tim's

Visit www.saint-timothys.org and click on the calendar link to see the full calendar.

Day	Time	Event	Location
Sunday 11/11	8-12	Holiday Bazaar	Henry Hall
Monday 11/12	7:30 p.m.	Service Ministry Meeting	B1
Saturday 11/17	10:00a.m 12:00 p.m.	Centering Prayer Meeting Flower Arranging Class	B1 Henry Hall
Sunday 11/18	8-12 11:30-1:00	Bread & Art Sale to benefit Lakota Newcomer Brunch	Henry Hall Henry Hall
Tuesday 11/20	7:00p.m.	Vestry Meeting	Narthex
Wednesday 11/21	12:15 a.m. 7:00p.m.	Healing Service Thanksgiving Eve Service	Sanctuary Sanctuary
Sunday 11/18		Angel Tree Gift Collection Starts	Henry Hall
Saturday 12/1		Youth Group Trip to Antietam	Offsite
Tuesday 12/04	11:00 a.m.	Joy of Living Trip to the Bible Museum	Offsite

Music Schedule

Visit www.saint-timothys.org and click on the calendar link to see the full calendar.

Tuesday	6:00pm	Guitar Ensemble Rehearsal	Music Room
Wednesday	7:00pm	Handbell Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
Thursday	7:00pm	Adult Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
Sunday	9:20am	Adult Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
Sunday	11:30am	Children's Choir Rehearsal	Music Room



Sunday 11/11	Christopher Coleman, Paul Kimmel, Tim Lally, Nadia Lim
Monday 11/12	Leslie Brown
Tuesday 11/13	Jack Hauslein Jr., Anna Kimmel
Wednesday 11/14	Lorna Moran
Thursday 11/15	Carolyn Hamm
Friday 11/16	Matt Maginniss, Pat McGibbon
Saturday 11/17	Bruce Curtis, Angela Hadfield

General Announcement

Today November 11, at 11:11 a.m.

The Saint Timothy's bell will join the Bells of Peace in remembrance of the Veterans of World War I to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the armistice. The nationwide program is designed to honor American men and women who served 100 years ago during World War I, especially the 116,516 who died. The war ended by an armistice agreement between the warring countries at 11 a.m. on Nov. 11, 1918. World War I took place between July 1914 and November 1918 and is among the deadliest conflicts in world history. The United States officially entered the war on April 6, 1917. Some 4.7 million Americans stepped forward to serve in uniform, of whom 2 million were deployed overseas to fight. Our bell will ring 21 times, please gather near the bell for this act.

SUPPORT ST. TIMOTHY'S GENERAL FUND

The Holiday Bazaar is this coming Sunday from 9am to 1pm and the proceeds go toward our General Fund. You may write a check to St. Timothy's to purchase items from the church-sponsored tables and write Holiday Bazaar on the



notation line. This amount will appear in your giving statement as a donation to the General Fund.

Come and bid on the amazing baskets filled with wonderful delights, including donated gift certificates. Buy some baked goodies to enjoy now or to be frozen for your Thanksgiving celebration. The Shawl Ministry has donated knitted items perfect for Christmas gifts. Buy tickets for the raffle filled with vendor donations. The Christmas table and Jean's table have items you cannot resist for a gift for someone or a gift for yourself.

The vendors are selling art, toys, books, White House ornaments, Tupperware, Tastefully Simple items, skin and nail care products, candles, jewelry, doll clothes, centerpieces, handbags, accessories and Lakota items. The vendors may be paid in cash, check and some cases credit.

Questions: ccondro@verizon.net

Capital Campaign Survey

We would like for parishioners of St. Timothy's 16 and older to participate in a short but important survey. Parishioners like you have built and sustained St. Timothy's over the past 150 years. Your responses to this survey are critical to the leadership planning for St. Timothy's long-range vision and goals. By taking part in this survey, you will help us improve our outreach and our communications with you about our upcoming capital campaign. The survey is anonymous, and the results will be used to guide the St. Timothy's Capital Campaign Committee and Vestry. On 17 and 18 November, during the worship services the members of the congregation will have the opportunity to complete the written survey. For those that prefer, an electronic version of the survey can be taken at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/J9S8WD7> For the survey to be effective, it is important that individuals respond only once regardless of whether the response is written or electronic. Stewardship Committee.



Great Harvest Bread Sale!!! The Lakota Ministry will hold the annual bread sale to support the people of the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation on November 18th in Henry Hall. Delicious Great Harvest bread varieties including Pumpkin Swirl and Apple Scrapple will be available after each service. Suggested donation is \$12 for a loaf.

Thanksgiving Flower Arrangement Class

The Altar Guild will be having a flower arranging class just in time for Thanksgiving. On Saturday, November 17, from 9-11 a.m. we will meet in Henry Hall to learn how to create a beautiful arrangement using fresh fall flowers. No experience necessary! Cost of the class is \$25, which covers all supplies. You will leave with a beautiful arrangement you can use for your Thanksgiving table. To sign up, please email Carol Sinclair (csinclair83@msn.com). Class size is limited to 20 people; reservations are required by November 14 to order supplies.

Beading Class for Young People

Beading Break will be holding a Beading Class for Young People on Saturday, December 1st in Henry Hall from 2:00 -3:00 pm. We currently have room for two more children/parent duos. If

you are a parent with a young person, (boys and girls welcome..... Dad's too), please come join us and share a great experience spending special time with your child while together the two of you create something special for either your child or maybe a family member. (Christmas is just around the corner ☺). Please R.S.V.P. by November 20th to beadingbreak@gmail.com. Danny Wechtenhiser 703/430-6458 & Karen Wilkins 843/200-6321

The Joy of Living for Seniors Ministry

The Joy of Living generally meets on the first and third Tuesdays each month from 11am-12:30 pm. We provide a light lunch for in-house sessions and ask for a donation to offset costs.

Please sign up for any and all events you wish to by whichever is easiest for you:

- Sign-Up Genius on the St Tim's Website
- Email joyofliving@saint-timothy's.com
- Use the sign-up sheets on the JOL table

Join us for fellowship! Check out our upcoming events!

Tuesday, December 4: we will be trekking down to the Museum of the Bible, and we need your help organizing the trip. Please contact us at joyofliving@saint-timothys.org if you are able to help with the logistics.

Tuesday, December 18: Join us to celebrate Christmas! We will exchange \$10 gifts and see who ends up with the most useful gift. Choir members have already agreed to lead us in singing songs of the season.

Tuesday, January 15: By popular demand, Dean Rohrbach has agreed to return to help us navigate Turbo Tax – don't miss this opportunity to breeze through tax season.

Questions/comments? Please chat with Janet Dopsovic, Carmella Condro, Becky Donnelly, Helen Guest, or Mindy Rorhbach. You can also send us an email: joyofliving@saint-timothys.org

Bishop Robert Ihloff's Visit. Sunday December 9th

The Bishop will join us for the 10:00 am service, on Sunday December 9. The following rites of initiation will be performed: Holy Baptism, Confirmation, Reception and Reaffirmation of Baptismal Vows. If you have questions, or would like to take part please contact Fr. Rich at rbardusch@saint-timothys.org

Epiphany, January 6th

This year we will return to an old Saint Timothy's tradition of having an Epiphany play instead of a Christmas play. On January 6th at the 10:00 a. m. service the children will be performing the Epiphany play. If you have questions or want to participate, please contact Jean-Marie Burke or Sarah Hobson

Baptism Schedule

December 9, 2018 Bishop's Visit at 10:00 am (Confirmation, Reception, Baptism.)

January 13, 2019 Baptism of our Lord. All Services

April 20, 2019 Easter Vigil 5:00 p.m. English, 7:30 p.m. Spanish

June 9, 2019 Pentecost. All Services
August 11, 2019 Transfiguration. All Services
November 3, 2019 All Saints. All Services

The B&G Post: Flexible Seating

We received our six chairs on order from New Holland Church Furniture just in time for the 150th All Saints Day anniversary. The chairs are a standard model modified for us to have a rack for hymnal and music folder storage. The area in front of the choir pews was designed to allow for a variety of uses such as guest musicians, guitar group, a chamber orchestra, and for the choir itself. The piano can also be moved completely out of the area to allow even more flexible space.



Creating a Sustainable Church

Ensuring Saint Timothy's will be around for the next 150 years

Chapter VIII - Tying Things Together

During the past six months, the Creating a Sustainable Church series has endeavored to explain the relationship among the three funds which make St. Timothy's mission and ministries possible. Now that the stewardship campaign is underway, it seemed appropriate to review the various funds that make possible St. Timothy's current and future financial security as well as its structural preservation.

THE GENERAL FUND: The primary focus of the current stewardship campaign will be to adequately fund the General Fund. The General Fund pays for staff salaries, operating expenses such as electricity, water, and sewer, general maintenance of the structure, Christian Education and many programs which impact people's lives not only in our community but also in our state, country and around the world. Simply put, the more we contribute to the General Fund, the more good works we can accomplish.

THE RESERVE FUND: 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. The Reserve Fund pays 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 only a few. St. Tim's has not adequately funded the Reserve Fund and consequently has let slip some pressing capital repairs. The amount currently in the Reserve Fund is woefully inadequate should a major expense arise. We run the risk of having the building where we worship and minister to the community fall into a state of disrepair. Failure to maintain an adequate Reserve Fund for major capital expenses could eventually impact the General Fund or necessitate borrowing from financial institutions, both of which would jeopardize St. Tim's ministry. Saint Timothy's must begin setting aside a manageable amount from its annual budget for the inevitable rainy day.

THE ENDOWMENT FUND: To review, the General Fund pays for outreach programs and operating expenses while the Reserve Fund pays for the repair and replacement of large capital assets. The Endowment Fund at St. Timothy's is a portfolio of assets where the principal is held in perpetuity with only the income generated from the investments being used to benefit the parish. In effect, donors provide a gift in the present to fund good works at Saint Timothy's for years to come and long after the donor has gone. Gifts to the Endowment Fund can be large or small and can take the form of cash, personal property, life insurance, and real estate to name only a few. In addition to being an enduring statement of faith, contributing to the Endowment Fund can have the effect of reducing your taxes if the proceeds of these investments are paid **DIRECTLY** to the Endowment Fund. Moreover, if the donor so chooses, the donor can designate the contribution for a specific purpose (including any of the funds in this article). Of course, you should consult with your financial advisor as to the effect these contributions have on your estate plan and/or tax liability.

Campaign for Another 150: St. Timothy's has ministered to the needs of Herndon and our larger faith community for 150 years. St. Timothy's has grown from a farmhouse to a small wooden structure to a large brick and mortar structure that will remain for use by future generations only if properly maintained. We need to continue to provide programs to serve both the people of St. Tim's and the local community. In sum, we need to have the financial resources to strengthen both our mission and outreach and to pay not only for current programs but also those expenses which are required for the continued maintenance of our facility. After much prayerful discussion, the Vestry will be proposing in the months ahead a dramatic recommitment to our faith through reinvestment in our church. It is imperative that we safeguard our buildings and by extension our future. The stronger we are financially, the better we are able to spread the Good News of Jesus Christ to our world. Thanks, Deke

CONTACT INFORMATION

Submit Prayer Requests Prayer@saint-timothys.org

Reserve a Room Calendar@saint-timothys.org

Make an Appointment with Father Rich rbardusch@saint-timothys.org

Submit an Item for Bulletin & eNews bookkeeper@saint-timothys.org

Request maintenance, building and grounds bandg@saint-timothys.org.

Miscellaneous questions supported by office volunteers office@saint-timothys.org

Join a choir musicdirector@saint-timothys.org

Pastoral Care Requests careteam@saint-timothys.org

Donation statement question bookkeeper@saint-timothys.org

Current or future fundraising events fundraiser@saint-timothys.org

Joy of Living Senior Group joyofliving@saint-timothys.org

Anniversary Celebration 150thAnniversary@saint-timothys.org

Coffee hour and special events hospitality@saint-timothys.org

Bulletin & eNews Submission Reminder

Submissions for the Sunday bulletin and eNews are **due Monday by 9 a.m.** of the week they are published. Bulletins for December 24 and 30, and all evensong services will not have announcements. Announcements for January 6, 2019 need to be submitted by December 17, 2018. 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

Health: Carol, Julie, Ricardo, Xeden, Rebecca, Tubby, Greg

Long Term Needs: Wallace, David, Maria, Sandra.

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 Church, 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.

Highlights of the 224th Annual Convention of the Diocese of Virginia

More than 330 lay and clerical delegates from across the Diocese gathered at the Richmond Marriott November 1-3 for the 224th Annual Convention of the Diocese of Virginia.

It was the final Convention to be led by the Rt. Rev. Shannon Johnston, Bishop of Virginia, who announced his retirement August 3. At the conclusion of Friday's proceedings, he passed presiding duties to the Rt. Rev. Susan Goff, Bishop Suffragan.

In her address on the final day of Convention, Bishop Goff said, "As I begin this period as ecclesiastical authority of the Diocese of Virginia, I commit myself again to life in community with you...We are a community for one another and for the love for the world."

"As we go now into the world, we will grow in community.... As we go now into the world, we will build on all that has come before."

Bishop Goff announced that she will host a series of Listening Sessions around the Diocese before Christmas to "hear your concerns, your frustrations, your joys and your hopes about our life as a diocese."

Helen Spence, Chair of the Standing Committee, addressed next steps in the transition process, along with J.P. Causey, Chancellor of the Diocese. Ms. Spence and Mr. Causey also took questions from the floor. The Standing Committee will continue the search for a Bishop Provisional.

The Convention passed a resolution that would authorize the Bishop Suffragan, in consultation with the Standing Committee, to hire an Assistant Bishop when and if needed.

In his final pastoral address, Bishop Johnston thanked the people of the diocese for "keeping the main thing, the main thing," during the years when the Diocese was in litigation with breakaway congregations.

He spoke about his commitment to the inclusion of LGBTQ Christians into "the fullness of our community." He applauded our growing willingness to "engage issues in the public square as people of faith.... Our call has never intended to be partisan: our only bias is Jesus."

He celebrated the deepening partnership with the Dioceses of Liverpool, UK, And Kumasi, Ghana - the Triangle of Hope. Bishop Paul

Bayes of Liverpool and Archbishop Daniel Sarfo of West Africa were among his special guests at the Convention.

Several people were elected to the Standing Committee of the Diocese, including:

The Rev. Andrew T. P. Merrow, St. Mary's, Arlington

The Rev. Barbara "Bambi" Willis, Trinity, Fredericksburg

Ms. Ashley Cameron, St. Mary's, Goochland

Ms. Christie Thomas, St. Paul's Memorial, Charlottesville

Other actions of convention include:

- Passing two additional resolutions: one condemning the recent violence against the Tree of Life synagogue in Pittsburgh; the other commending the Way of Love/Rule of Life endorsed by Presiding Bishop Michael Curry.
- Celebrating the transition of Trinity Church, Charlottesville, from mission status to full parish status.
- Approving a budget totaling \$4,946,087. The budget featured increased funding for college chaplaincies, a new ministry for the hearing impaired, and continued support growing ministries across the Diocese.

150th Anniversary Historical Trivia

The needlework on the kneelers at the communion rail is a gift of talented modern-day members of our congregation. From 1994 to 1996 a committee called The Heavenly Hands initiated designs, contracted with professional designers and upholsterers, and fundraised to cover materials. They then spent many years completing the needlework. There are twelve uniquely meaningful designs in all. Several of the kneelers were stitched by two people, others by one person.

The canvases were installed in December 2004 and are estimated to last up to 85 years.

Watch this space for more trivia in coming weeks!



Events at Saint Timothy's

Thanksgiving Evening Service

Wednesday, November 21. 7:00p.m. Service Rite II

Youth Group Trip to Antietam

Saturday, December 1

The Youth Group will hike one of Antietam's trails

Angel Tree Gift Collection

Change a Child's Life Forever

Bishop Robert Ihloff's Visit

Sunday, December 9

The Bishop will join us for the 10:00 am service. The following rites will be performed: Baptism, Confirmation, Reception

Children's Party "Posadas"

Saturday, December 15, 5:00 p.m.

Latino Ministry Special Event for all Children of Saint Timothy's

Winter Solstice Revels

Friday December 21, 6:00 p.m.

Join the congregation for fun, singing and conversation by the fire circle

Christmas Eve December 24

2:00 p.m. Service Rite II

4:00 p.m. Service Rite II Family (Music)

5:30 Service Rite II (Music)

7:00 p.m. Service Rite II Spanish

10:00 p.m. Service Rite II (Music. Nursery service will not be available)

Epiphany

Sunday, January 6

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 Epiphany Play