



Sunday, December 16, 2018    Advent 3    9:00 a.m.

## Information for our First Time Guests

All children are welcome at this church and in all our worship opportunities. The purpose of this service is to help not only children feel comfortable, but parents, too. This is a Come As You Are Mass geared to young children. Please feel free to tend to the needs of your children as are required. There is coffee along with treats at the back of the room you are in (Henry Hall). Please help yourself and join us after the service for a brief fellowship time. It is our intention to include in our half hour singing, education, movement, and bread and wine. Please know that our goal is to make this easy and relaxing for all involved. Because this is a new endeavor we want to do some experimenting with the format, so we intend to try some different styles. This is part of our attempt to have fun as well as discover the best fit for those who gather here on Sunday mornings. With that in mind you are encouraged to share ideas, make suggestions, and volunteer to be part of the service.

Please know that all baptized Christians are welcome to receive the Sacrament (bread and wine). If you prefer a blessing, please cross your arms over your chest so that I can give you one. Please fill out a Welcome card so that we can send you a welcome packet in the mail this week. The welcome packet provides you with more information about St. Timothy's and the programs and events we sponsor.

I am always available to answer questions or to share coffee. I can be contacted at [rbardusch@saint-timothys.org](mailto:rbardusch@saint-timothys.org) or 703-437-3790. I look forward to getting to know you. Welcome to St. Timothy's.

Blessings, Father Rich

### Weekend Holy Eucharist Services:

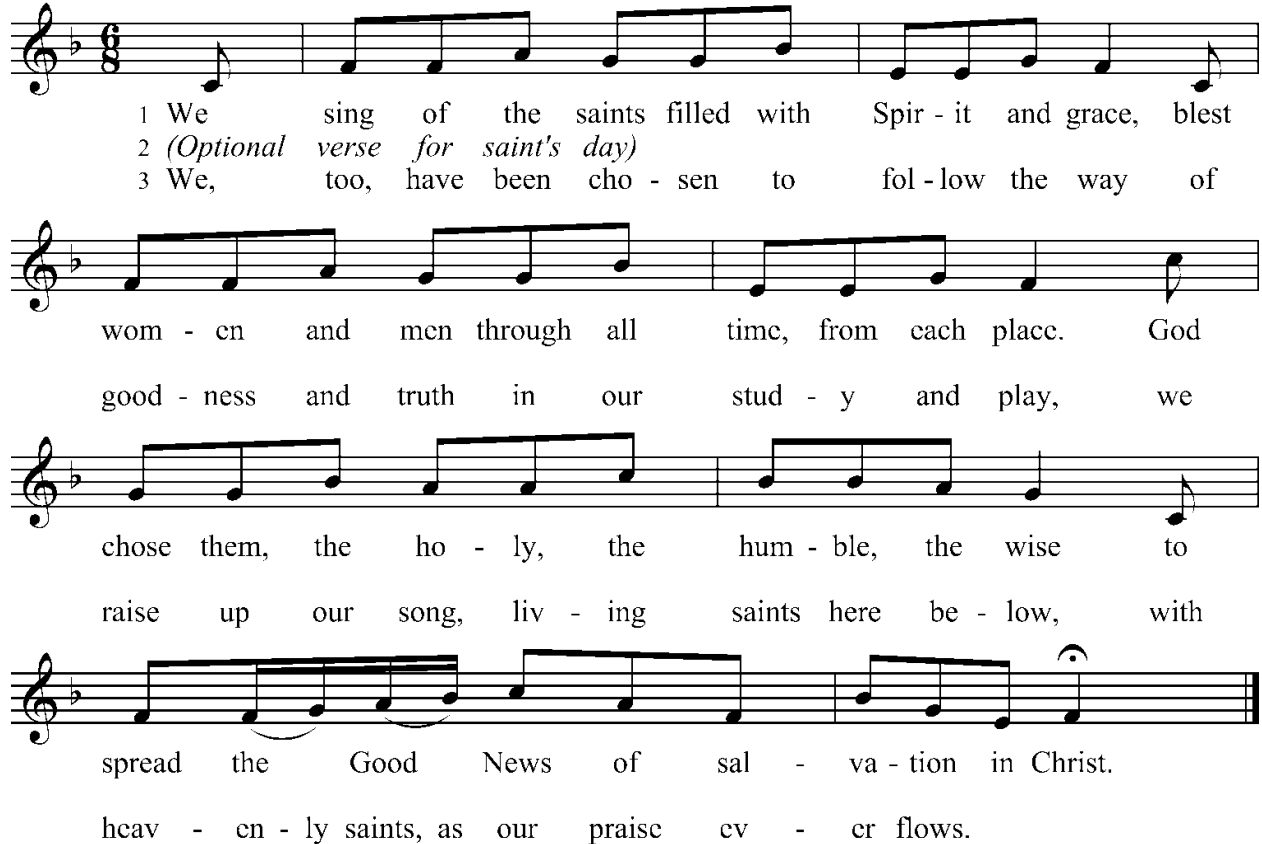
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Spoken Eucharist, Rite I
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Children's Mass (Henry Hall)
Sunday	10:00 a.m.	Service, Rite II
Saturday	7:30 p.m.	Service in Spanish

### Opportunities for Children

Sunday, 10 a.m.	Godly Play ( <i>ages 3 &amp; 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, 10:00 a.m.	Children's Choir    Music Room
Saturday, 5:00 p.m.	1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturdays Youth Group (Grades 5-10)

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1 We sing of the saints filled with Spir - it and grace, blest  
 2 (Optional verse for saint's day)  
 3 We, too, have been cho - sen to fol - low the way of  
 wom - en and men through all time, from each place. God  
 good - ness and truth in our stud - y and play, we  
 chose them, the ho - ly, the hum - ble, the wise to  
 raise up our song, liv - ing saints here be - low, with  
 spread the Good News of sal - va - tion in Christ.  
 heav - en - ly saints, as our praise ev - er flows.

Words: Alan J. Hommerding (b. 1956).

Music: *Zie Ginds komt de Stoomboot*, Traditional Dutch Melody, acc. Karl A. Pölm-Faudré.

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

Friday 12/21	6:00 p.m.	Winter Solstice Revels	Grounds
Monday 12/24	2: 00 p.m.	Service Rite II (Nursery Available)	Sanctuary
	4:00 p.m.	Family Service Rite II (Nursery Available)	Sanctuary
	5:30 p.m.	Service Rite II (Nursery Available)	Sanctuary
	7:00 p.m.	Spanish Service Rite II	Sanctuary
	10:00 p.m.	Service Rite II (Nursery not Available)	Sanctuary
Sunday 1/6	10:00 a.m.	Epiphany Play	Sanctuary

