



The WORD

October 2019

Dear Friends,

The Fall is very much about bringing in the harvest. It is the season when we gather our bounty and prepare for the future. Historically, that has been true for our country as well as our church. Each year in the church we hold our Annual Stewardship Campaign in the Fall, making our commitments just before Thanksgiving. This year is no different and our Ingathering of pledge commitments will be on the weekend of November 16th and 17th. The Annual Pledge Campaign is for the yearly operating budget. It provides for salaries, heat, and supplies. We have two goals in our Annual Campaign: first, to have 100% of our members pledging. If everyone were to pledge, we would increase our budget by nearly a third, enabling us to hire a part time clergy assistant and begin an additional service on Saturday evenings. The second goal is to increase our budget by 30%. It is true that not many can raise their personal pledge by 30%, but with new pledges and everyone raising their pledge some we can make this goal.

This year in addition to our usual pledge campaign, we are running a capital campaign that the Vestry has named Growing Saint Timothy's, Another 150. The church is running well and we are making progress in numbers, ministry and finances. We want to continue to make progress and maximize the return we get from our increased strength and momentum. The pledges for the Capital Campaign are starting to come in and with just a small number returned we already have pledges of almost \$200,000.00. This is an awesome beginning and to be clear, the Capital Campaign is in addition to our



Annual Campaign. What a difference this is going to make in the life of our church!

Most of our Capital Campaign is directed at making sure our buildings are here for the long term, but we also have components that are focused on growing the church and expanding our ministries. This is a very forward-looking campaign. The Capital Campaign is in addition to our Annual Campaign. We pledge each year to the Annual Campaign to be able to run the church and keep the doors open. The Capital Campaign is above and beyond what we can do each year. It is for the big-ticket items like new roofs and air conditioners that are not part of our operating budget.

Please pray and consider seriously what you and your family can do in terms of time, talent and

treasure to strengthen St. Timothy's. I am asking everyone to increase their regular pledge as much as you can and to make a commitment to the Growing Saint Timothy's, Another 150. No gift is too small, and all gifts can be spread out over five years. Because we are a relatively large community, we can achieve great numbers if we all participate. This is not about who makes the biggest gift. It is about all of us making a gift. When we act together for the greater good, then we are a force that can do a lot. Help St. Timothy's with your pledge and your gift.

Blessings,



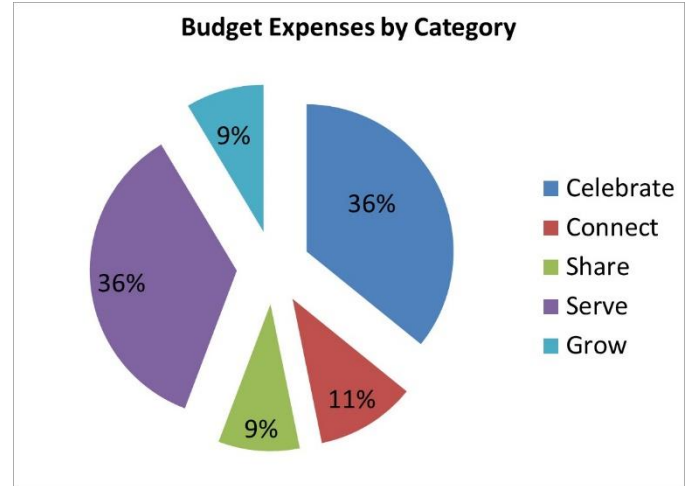
Saint Timothy's 2019 Budget – How your money becomes ministry!

Friends, we at St Timothy's are doing great things in 2019! As your Vestry thinks about what new initiatives we might try to implement in 2020, we wanted to ensure everyone understands where we're starting from. At the end of this article you'll see a pie graph that is designed to help you understand how our different expenditures (funded through your generous donations) contribute to doing God's work. Thank you for the contribution you make to St. Timothy's.

In essence, there are five categories of activities that our church engages in - "celebrate", "connect", "share", "serve" and "grow". By celebrate, we mean activities that let us gather as a church community to celebrate God's love. We commit about 36% of our budget to activities like hosting Sunday service (plus a Spanish Saturday service, centering prayer and Wednesday Eucharist), attracting qualified clergy, supporting a music director and three different choirs, providing nursery care for infants and toddlers, maintaining our sanctuary, obtaining altar guild supplies for worship and clearing the parking lot in inclement weather.

By connect, we mean strengthening our church by getting to know each other. We dedicate about 11% of our budget to this range of activities. At one end of this scale are intensely personal one-on-one

discussions through the Stephen Ministry or pastoral care and at the other end are congregation-wide events like communicating via *The Word*, eNews and bulletins, or our growing coffee hour. Somewhere in the middle of these two extremes are receptions throughout the year where we gather to enrich each other.



Sharing activities represent directly spreading our faith and telling our story to others and account for about 9% of our budget. Engaging with the local community helps bring people into Saint Timothy's, while support to the Diocese and sponsoring seminarians helps bring people into the Episcopal faith in general.

By serve, we mean doing God's work wherever we are needed - in our town, our state, our nation and our world - and this represents about 36% of our budget. We feed the hungry and clothe the needy here in Herndon through our Service Ministry and contributions to Cornerstones. We provide a safe venue for those recovering from substance abuse, hosting 90+ group meetings per month! We support our pre-school to educate young minds and grow men of character through a Boy Scout Troop. We host English language classes for those working to integrate into our community. We sponsor our youth group, send a team to work on housing with the Lakota in Pine Ridge, South Dakota and support both sending children to school and sending a team to work in Chapoteau, Haiti. Across our congregation we each hear God's call in different ways and our church supports many different ways to respond.

Finally, we must look to ourselves and grow to love God more every year. Our spiritual growth activities account for about 9% of our budget, enabling activities like youth Christian education classes on Sundays and supporting our Godly Play program.

In closing, thank you for your financial contribution to St. Timothy's. Your Vestry recognizes the trust you place in us and we are always open to feedback about your priorities. If you have specific questions about this narrative budget description, please email Brian Flusche (fluscheb@gmail.com).

~ submitted by Brian Flusche



150th Anniversary Events Continue into Autumn

The 150th Anniversary Committee invites you to join us October 13th to hear Tom Rust, former Mayor of Herndon, former member of Virginia House of Delegates and longtime member of St. Timothy's, share his knowledge of Herndon and our beloved community. Tom's talk, *Herndon: From Country Village to Urban Town*, will be given during both the 8:00 and 10:00 am services. During coffee hour that day there will also be a photo exhibit in Henry Hall displaying memories of St.

Timothy's from years long past and more recently. The Committee will host coffee hour with a bountiful selection of refreshments. All are encouraged to attend.

As we continue our 150th Anniversary celebration we are creating a time capsule to mark this period in St. Timothy's history. Artifacts for the capsule will include photos of members and ministry groups, a program from the rededication of the organ, a t-shirt with the youth KICK logo and memories provided by you. On October 19th and 20th, 26th and 27th, parishioners will have the opportunity to provide favorite memories or comments about the impact St. Timothy's has had in their lives. The 150th Committee will collect the submissions to include in the time capsule.

Our final anniversary celebration will be held on Sunday, November 3rd. Events that day will include special guests, liturgy from the prayer book used in 1789 and music chosen specifically for this special date. The Anniversary Committee will host a parish-wide brunch following the 10:00 am service. Please save the date to join us for these exciting events and watch the bulletin for more details in coming weeks.

~ submitted by Shon Beury



Saint Timothy's 2020 Vision – What Might We Accomplish Together?

Friends, the Spirit is alive in our church community and changing lives every day! Our Vestry has begun to look forward to 2020 and is considering some bold new moves—but we need your support to make these real.

What if we started an English-language Saturday evening service before the Spanish service—would we be able to reach new families in our community who might have conflicts with other Sunday morning activities? Or what if we started an adult Christian Education program - would we fill a gap in our current faith experience? We can do these things...if we hire a part-time Associate Rector!

What if we had the opportunity for our teens to grow closer together by serving others - would we better appreciate the blessings in our lives? Or what if our teens had the chance to meet like-minded youth from other churches in our Diocese and grow in faith - would we develop supportive friendships in a positive environment? Or what if we joined other churches in our community to create a summer-long Vacation Bible School - would we reach part of our community that might not yet have a church home? We can make this happen...by hiring a full-time Christian Education staff member!

What if we fully funded our mission teams to aid the people of Haiti, the Lakota on the Pine Ridge Reservation in South Dakota and our brothers and sisters nearby in Dungannon, Virginia —would we all be changed by realizing the differences we can make in lives all over the world?

What if we committed to continuing our summer picnics - would we grow stronger together, and raise awareness about St. Timothy's in our community? What if we had our musician at the Spanish service year-round - would we grow our Latino congregation? What if we grew our centering prayer effort - would we create a non-traditional way to welcome newcomers into our church? We can grow together...if we intentionally plan now!

If we want to implement these initiatives, we all need to join together and just increase our weekly contribution by \$12 per week! Can you do your part to turn our vision into reality?

If you have questions about how this will take shape, email Vestry member Brian Flusche (fluscheb@gmail.com). Over the next few months, we'll hear lots of discussion about the importance of pledging - that's how we'll communicate our commitment to the church so that the Vestry can make the right plans. Please, join us - and be part of the change for 2020!

~ submitted by Brian Flusche

Christian Education Corner



Jesus said, “Let the little children come to me and do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of heaven belongs.” And he laid his hands on them and went on his way. (Matthew 19: 14-15) This verse from Matthew is such a good reminder of the trust that Jesus has in all of his children and that all we

have is and will be theirs. Children and youth are a vital part of our congregation and the more opportunities that we can find to invest in them and work side by side with them, the more we live into our call to discipleship. The verse above has me thinking of family worship, the first Sunday of the month, when our kids join in worship. Our children and youth serve in many roles of worship. We, the church, are intentional in inviting families to worship together. We believe that children are part of what makes the body of Christ whole in worship. I invite you to embrace this opportunity to encourage our children to learn our liturgy, our hymns and our prayers, to be fully embodied in our weekly gathering of community where worship is the center of our life together. Reach out to the families sitting around you, be intentional in saying

hello, offering a smile, and making sure that all truly are welcomed into our worshiping community. Parents, we know that children wiggle and make noise and have to get up and use the bathroom; they are children and it's normal, it's acceptable, it's

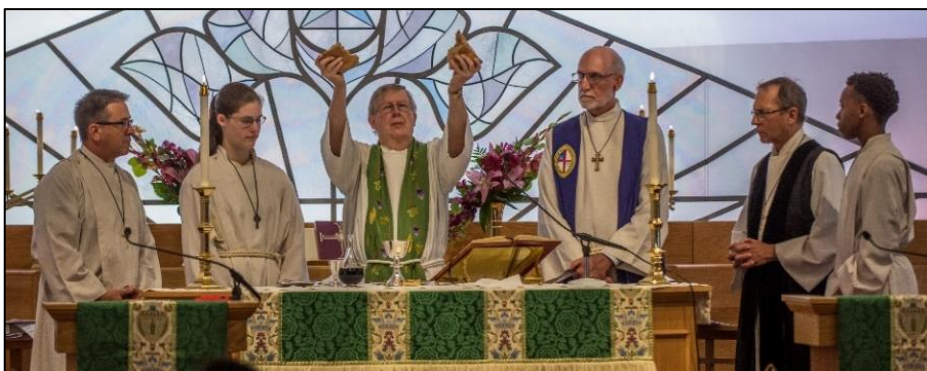
expected and we want you all in worship together. Remember, Jesus said "Let the children come unto me." And together we will embrace that which Jesus has taught us! Thanks be to God.

~ submitted by Alyssa Stoffer



Commissioning of Sunday School teachers in September

On September 15th we welcomed a guest celebrant, the Reverend Dr. Larry Packard, who filled in for Fr. Rich while he was away. Fr. Larry read the Gospel, preached, celebrated and even helped sell a few T-shirts.



THE PETAL by Jill Cox

Light as a feather the petal falls
Disturbed by only a bee, who calls
Upon the bloom for its subsistence,
Maybe even for sheer existence.

Light breeze wafts through leaves
And blows the petal between the trees,
To rest as a spot of color
In a dull grey-green border.

Light-footed ant comes running by,
Bites a small piece of petal nigh,
Leaves hemi-circled void in fallen bloom
Which softly flutters in gathering gloom.

Light web strands capture the remains
To surprise a spider, who obtains
No food to satisfy his need
And retreats to safety in the weeds.

Light gentle from the crescent moon
And stars that shine above the loon
That swims on lake and then espies
This small jewel of blue, like eyes.

Light-ruffled feathers whisper down
To gather the prize to place in the crown
Of reeds made for nestled chicks,
Arranged with feet and beak that clicks.

Light rain washed down upon the jewel.
Its wet weight promotes a duel
Between the nest and greedy water
And the battered petal can but flutter.

Lightly falling into rippled current,
The battered petal, now small and spent,
Shrivels, crumples, pales and submerges
Beneath the surface, and re-emerges.

Lightly grasped in piscine lips
And suddenly it gently slips
Into maw with gulp and swallow,
No more to be of any value.

Light and warmth return at dawn
And bees arrive aroused and swarm
By need to re-visit bushes full of scent
And petal will again be torn and bent.



Crafters and Vendors Needed for Holiday Bazaar

Interested in raising money? We are looking for crafters and vendors in the community for the November 10th Holiday Bazaar. If you have friends or neighbors who create crafts or sell ready-made products consider inviting them to register for table space. An 8' table will cost \$45 and a 4' table will be \$35.

Have you been thinking of ideas for a theme basket for the Bazaar? A ministry could work together and fill a basket valued at \$20-\$30 to sell to the highest bidder. This could be gift cards to fun stores like Home Goods, or Kohl's, dinner and a movie or even Home Depot!

Collect all your excess Christmas, Halloween, Thanksgiving and Easter decorations which are taking up space in your closets and storage rooms. Bring them to church and place them in a collection bin you will find in Henry Hall. These decorations will be sold at the Bazaar.

All cooks and bakers, we will also have an opportunity for you to donate your home-made goodies and preserves at the Country Store Bake Sale table. You can buy these wonderful one of kind treats and freeze them for your Thanksgiving guests or buy them for great holiday gifts.

For a registration forms, please contact Christine Cozza at c_cozzaz@yahoo.com or Carmela Condro at ccondro@verizon.net.

~ submitted by Christine Cozza



Welcome Home Sunday and one final picnic for the season.



Backpack Meals for Clearview Elementary School

One in six children in America doesn't have enough to eat. That includes more than 23,000 kids in Fairfax County alone. This past Lent, St. Timothy's congregation stood together and said "We can do something to help..." and we did! In five weeks, we packed and donated more than 350 backpack meals to Clearview Elementary School for the students in need to take home over Spring Break. As a reference point, that was two full van loads stuffed to the gills!

We received wonderful and supportive feedback from St. Timothy's. Parishioners appreciated the very relevant, local community we supported, children were excited to write special, encouraging notes to other kids and everyone enjoyed the easy ability to bring in food and lend a quick hand packing a meal after service. We have heard you, and we will continue this program and partnership.

Kids who participate in the free and reduced cost school meal programs at Clearview Elementary School don't have access to this source of food that their families rely on when school is closed. The Service Ministry identified an upcoming long weekend when Clearview needs additional meals. **This is our opportunity.** We have committed to filling this unmet need and we need your help to make sure that children in our community go home with healthy food to eat. We will be asking for food donations to be brought in on October 20th and 27th and we will need help packing meals between and after the services on Sunday, October 27th. Keep an eye out for announcements in the bulletin with specific food requests and additional details. This is an opportunity for everyone to get involved and we need your help!

Please contact Amy Hein with any questions, suggestions or offers of help for this project (amymhein@gmail.com). If you enjoyed this project, have ideas for other opportunities or want to get more involved, please consider stopping by a Service Ministry meeting (7:30 pm on the 2nd Monday of the month). Thank you for putting your faith to work to serve our community.

~submitted by Amy Hein

Haiti Mission Trip: Breaking Records

This year's mission team to Haiti will be the largest we have ever sent, consisting of ten members from three congregations. The team will be visiting on the heels of the most successful Agape campaign ever conducted at St. Timothy's, carrying with them funds for the payment of teacher's salaries for the Fall. The trip is November 2nd through November 6th, and we cannot wait to return to St. Matthieu's to see our children, their teachers, and their families.

Mission team members entirely fund the cost of their participation in the trip. In addition, this year we will be purchasing and taking soccer balls and jump ropes for the children—the jump ropes were a huge hit last year, with both boys and girls having a great time jumping double-dutch with our team members. We will be taking funds for the Priest in Charge, who each year arranges our transportation to and from Port au Prince and across the lake to Chapoteau, as well as meals and lodging. Prices for nearly everything in Haiti, including food and gas, have almost doubled in the last year in the wake of the international changes that have devastated Haiti's economy. Lastly, we will be taking a monetary gift for our former seminarian Wisnel Dejardin, with whom we will stay in Port au Prince on Tuesday night.

The Haiti Ministry will be holding a "Beans and Greens" fundraiser in October, selling Haitian coffee and Christmas decorations in Henry Hall. However, if you would like to make a direct contribution to the Ministry to assist with costs, we invite you to write a check with "Haiti Ministry" on the memo line, or give online at squareup.com/store/STEC.

Thank you for your generous support of our mission to spread the love of God to our poorest neighbors.

~submitted by Genevieve Zetlan

St. Timothy's Fall 2019 Youth Car Wash Fundraiser

The St. Timothy's Youth Car Wash was held on Sunday, Sept 22nd and was a great success due to the participation of our hardworking youth and parent volunteers and to the generosity of our parishioners at the 8:00 am and 10:00 am services.

We had approximately 40 parishioner vehicles lined up for washing, cleaning and drying starting from 7:45 am and we dried and polished off our last car at 11:00 am. The youth volunteers came equipped with enthusiasm and ready for some hard work with yellow sponges, long handled brushes and car shampoo. The parent volunteers provided the valet service and hunkered down to help wash vehicles [creaking knee joints kept time with the youth chatter]. Youth volunteers were provided fuel in the form of copious stacks of Dunkin' Donuts and the adults, mindful of the gentle reproaches from their waistlines, reached instead for coffee with suppressed sighs.

The youth carwash event raised \$500 in total and we are truly grateful for the generosity of our church community who support our youth led fundraising effort. The fund raised will go towards next year's youth pilgrimage trip. Thank you, St. Timothy's church community for your support!

~submitted by Joe Weeden



Hitchhiker?



Earn money for St. Timothy's at No Extra Cost [and a Little of Your Time]

Sound too good to be true? It's really not and our budget needs your help. It's a slightly different way of spending the same amount of money as you normally do. The only difference being that by using our Scrip program, the church benefits! Taking a little added time to routinely use the program can add up to a huge contribution to our operating fund. The holiday season is the most profitable time for fundraising, but this program is year-round for all of your general spending – groceries, home improvement, clothing, dining, entertainment, travel, movies, etc. and it is a cumulative fundraising program.

How it works

Instead of your normal course of spending/shopping at various retailers, you would purchase physical or eGift cards through our ShopwithScrip.com program. When you buy \$25.00 (face value) worth of gift cards, you get \$25.00 (face value) to spend at that retailer. The earnings for St. Timothy's come in the form of a rebate for those gift cards, based on the retailer's arrangement. The earnings range from 1% to 16%. For example: Starbucks 7%, Macy's 10%, LL Bean 16%, Safeway 4%, Lowe's & Home Depot 4%, Chipotle 10%, etc. Over 750 Top Retailers participate in this program! Plus, many special promotions are offered throughout the year.

Our Program

- 1) Join by creating an account on MyScripWallet.com or ShopWithScrip.com (there are no costs to join).
- 2) Enter our organization's enrollment code: 956A588362855
- 3) Shop online and place your order for as many of your upcoming expenses and events as possible! You'll be amazed at how much you can earn for the church!
- 4) Either pay online (the MOST convenient for all) or by check made out to St. Timothy's by our order schedule shown below. Please place a copy of your order and your check in our Scrip Box in Henry Hall (NO CASH ALLOWED).
- 4) If you order and pay online for Escrip (electronic scrip) or reloadable cards, you will receive an email when your funds are ready. This can be within an hour up to about 24 hours. You don't need to print it out; you

can have the retailer scan your phone. It's that simple! If you order physical cards or pay by check, you will be able to pick up your gift cards the Sunday after the order is due.

Order Schedule for 2019

<u>Order Due Date</u>	<u>Order Pick up Date</u>
October 6 th	October 13 th
October 20 th	October 27 th
November 3 rd	November 10 th
November 17 th	November 24 th
December 1 st	December 8 th
December 15 th	December 22 nd

Questions? Feel free to call the co-coordinators: Micki Moravitz (202-957-3296) or Pam Lowe (703-915-3190). You can also email StTimsScrip@yahoo.com. We hope to make this as simple and rewarding as possible so more and more people put the program into regular use.

~submitted by Micki Moravitz

God Is Everything

A good friend and fellow book lover suggested that I read *Southernmost*, by Silas House, an author with whom I was not at all familiar. It is always a little chancy that you will like a book recommended by other readers. We all have different reactions to styles and subjects and my pet revulsion is the unwarranted use of violence and what I call “bad language”, but in the case of this novel there was nothing offensive and much to think about.

The main character is a preacher in charge of a very conservative church in Tennessee and the problems with his congregation when two gay men wish to worship in their church and the extension of that problem within his own family. However, it was not the narrative that really struck me but a simple declaration by the 10-year-old son, who was trying to define his own view of God and declared that “God is Everything”.

We usually hear that “God is IN everything”, but the concept that “God IS everything” had never

occurred to me before and I found that I really like this concept.

For one thing it is possible to view even the most controversial person or people with the hope that God will indeed break through. After all, if He is the unique Creator there must be a purpose for everything (there's that word again) and it is our task to recognize Him even in things we dislike or cannot discern the purpose for which they are created.

For instance, I have difficulty accepting slugs, earwigs and stink bugs, but it is easier if I think "God is everything" and accept that he has a purpose not revealed to lowly me. Perhaps that is what directs the Jains in their non –destructive view of creation and sometimes derided efforts not kill even the least living organism in their path.

I also recommend this slim volume that outlines a few of the precepts that some people hold within their Christian faith which often seem far out and intractable. The difficulty for me is discerning the source and accuracy of these precepts which are often set in the books of the Old Testament when knowledge was limited and communities were competitive as indeed they are now! I admit to having difficulty with St. Paul and the early Church at times, but constantly try to discern the message contained in the early letters adopted by the Church. What shines through is the constant love and loyalty to us (His creation), given without conditions and with compassion by God our Father through Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit.

Truly God should be everything in our lives!



~submitted by Jill Cox



Twins

Upcoming Events

<i>Donuts and Discussion</i>	Join us every Sunday morning in October at 9 a.m. in room B-1 for 45 minutes of discussion with four different presenters featuring four different topics. Please sign up on the poster entitled DONUTS AND DISCUSSION located in the Narthex and join our sessions of adult Christian Education. The donuts will be provided. You provide the discussion. Questions: Carmela Condro at ccondro@verizon.net .
	October 6th Ralph Tildon will present <i>Knowing God-Personal Reflections</i> .
	October 13th Fr. Peter Smith from Holy Trinity will give a brief introduction to the Gospels.
	October 20th The Reverend Deacon Bette Goglia, Chaplain at Reston Hospital, will lead a discussion called <i>Where is My Voice</i> .
	October 27th Genevieve Zetlan will present <i>Theological Reflection-Exploring Meaning at the Intersection of Culture, Tradition and Belief</i> .
<i>150th Anniversary</i>	Sunday, October 13th <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tom Rust will speak about <i>Herndon: From Country Village to Urban Town</i> during the 8:00 am and 10:00 am services • Coffee hour and Photo sharing in Henry Hall after the services
	Sunday, November 3rd Final St. Timothy's 150th Anniversary Celebration Event <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hymns from 150 years ago will be played by our music director, Roger Long • Several visitors from St. Timothy's past • State Senator, Jennifer Boysko will present Proclamation • Brunch follows in Henry Hall.
	Sunday, November 3rd St. Timothy's 150th Anniversary Celebration commemorative Christmas Ornament will be on sale starting on November 3 rd . This specially designed ornament commemorates the 150 years that St. Timothy's has served the community of Herndon. The ornament will also be available for sale during the Holiday Bazaar on Sunday, November 10 th . The ornament comes in two different colors, red and gold and are embellished with the new St. Timothy's logo. The cost is \$10 each and proceeds will go to the General Fund. So, while you are Christmas shopping at the Holiday Bazaar on November 10 th , please buy some of these beautiful Christmas ornaments for family and friends.
<i>Joy of Living</i>	Tuesday, October 22nd at 11:00 am - Fall Gardening Come and learn from a professional, what type of plants to add to your garden during the fall season. A sign-up sheet is in Henry Hall, on the table under the JOL bulletin board or email joyofliving@saint-timothys.org . A light lunch follows the presentation, so please sign up so we can prepare enough food.

	<p>Tuesday, November 5th at 11:00 am- Herndon Village Network Learn about volunteer opportunities and the services the Herndon Village Network provides to retirees. A sign-up sheet is in Henry Hall, on the table under the JOL bulletin board or email joyofliving@saint-timothys.org. A light lunch follows the presentation, so please sign up so we can prepare enough food.</p>
<i>Bible Study</i>	<p>Wednesdays from 10:00 to 11:00 am in St. Timothy's kitchen. If you have questions or would like to join, please contact Nikki O'Malley at nikki.omalley@gmail.com.</p>
<i>Shawl Ministry</i>	<p>The first Wednesday of each month from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm and the second Tuesday of each month, from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm in the Narthex.</p>
<i>Centering Prayer</i>	<p>Two Saturdays in October, 5th and 19th, from 10:00 am to 11:30 am We are reading the book, <i>Aging as a Spiritual Practice</i>, by Lewis Richmond. One of the author's quotes is as follows: "Everything is downhill. Are you going to just slide or are you going to steer!". Please consider joining us for quiet meditation and fellowship.</p>
<i>Solar Open House</i>	<p>Saturday, October 5th, from 11.00 am to 2 pm at 12338 Cliveden Street, Herndon (home of the Dubishar family) From Craig Dubishar: I will be hanging out in the front, eager to discuss solar energy, solar power and whatever you want to discuss about renewable energy. I am new to residential solar but now have, in essence, three months of data and stats and energy savings to share! Go to this link: http://www.nationalsolartour.org/rsvp/3021, to RSVP for the solar open house at my home address.</p> 
<i>Godly Play Training</i>	<p>Saturday, October 19th, from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm, in Room B1 Have you ever wanted to teach Godly Play but felt like you needed more training? Have you been a doorkeeper and want to learn how to be a story-teller? Do you have no idea what Godly Play is and want to help support our children grow in their faith? Godly Play Trainer Arlene Decina will be leading us in a shortened Godly Play intro/refresher training. Please RSVP to AlyssaS@saint-timothys.org</p> 

October

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Events at St. Timothy's



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 Bible Study Shawl Ministry	3	4	5 Centering Prayer Solar Open House
6 Donuts and Discussion Youth Meeting	7	8 Shawl Ministry	9 Bible Study	10	11	12
13 Donuts and Discussion Photo Sharing Tom Rust	14	15	16 Bible Study	17	18	19 Centering Prayer Youth Meeting
20 Donuts and Discussion Donate food for Backpack Program	21	22 Joy of Living: Fall Gardening	23 Bible Study	24	25	26 Halloween Party
27 Donuts and Discussion Donate food for Backpack Program	28	29	30 Bible Study	31		

(Print and save this calendar of events at St. Timothy's.)

2019 Vestry with Liaison Assignments

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Pictured left to right: Fr. Rich Bardusch, Vidai Genovez (Andres), John Nixon, Adaku Nwachukwu, Carmela Condro, Elizabeth Witter, Allison Dodd, Andy Hamm, Brian Flusche (not pictured: John Druitt, Catherine Lamoureux, Gerritt Peck, Sandy Wright)



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Service Times

Saturdays: 7:00 pm	Santa Eucharista
Sundays: 8:00 am	Eucharist, Rite I
9:00 am	Children's Eucharist
10:00 am	Eucharist, Rite II
	Godly Play ages 3-2nd gr.
	SPARK+, 3rd-5th grade
	Christian Education
	Nursery Care
Wednesdays: 12:15 pm	Eucharist and Healing Service

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Welcome New Members

[no new members to report this month]

Please be aware that there are MANY active congregants who have been attending and donating to St. Timothy's for many years that are not registered members. Our goal is to aid the transfer of all congregants interested in being registered members of St. Timothy's.

Non-registered congregants can participate in all aspects of church worship with the exception of serving on the Vestry and participating in elections. However, the more registered members St. Timothy's has recorded, the more delegates we can send to the conventions, giving us a stronger vote in Diocese matters.

If we don't have an email address for you and your family, or if your email has changed, update your information at www.saint-timothys.org or send the information to office@saint-timothys.org.

To transfer your membership to St. Timothy's or to find out if you are a registered member, contact Mindy Rohrbaugh (blessed2boma@gmail.com) or fill out the Parishioner Information Form: www.saint-timothys.org/uploads/docs/info-form.pdf

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I lift up my eyes to the hills; from where is my help to come?
My help comes from the Lord, the maker of heaven and earth.
He will not let your foot be moved and he who watches over you will not fall
asleep.

Behold, he who keeps watch over Israel shall neither slumber nor sleep;
The Lord himself watches over you; the Lord is your shade at your right hand,
So that the sun shall not strike you by day, nor the moon by night.
The Lord shall preserve you from all evil; it is he who shall keep you safe.
The Lord shall watch over your going out and your coming in, from this time
forth for evermore.

Psalm 121