



ST. TIMOTHY'S EPISCOPAL
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Sunday, August 18, 2024

Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

8 a.m.



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Weekly Services:

Sunday, 8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist Rite I, spoken
Sunday, 10:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist Rite II with Choir (Godly Play for ages 3–8, Sunday School for ages 9-12)
Sábado, 7:00 p.m.	La Santa Misa, en español

Saint Timothy's Mission Statement

SAINT TIMOTHY'S MISSION IS TO RESTORE ALL PEOPLE
TO UNITY WITH GOD AND EACH OTHER IN CHRIST.

Information For Our First-Time Guests

We invite you to fill out a Welcome Card in the pew rack in front of you or on the podium in the Narthex. Please place the completed card in the offertory plate or give it to an usher.

For those with little ones, there are rocking chairs located at the back of the sanctuary and worship bags with quiet activities in the Narthex.

We invite you to share in Holy Communion. To receive, come forward and kneel/stand at an open space on the altar rail. Both bread and wine will be offered (or a rice wafer/separate chalice for those allergic to wheat/ gluten intolerant). If you do not wish to receive communion, we invite you to come forward for a blessing. Please indicate that by placing your arms across your chest.

Staff

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Vilma Lemus (2026)

John McGrath (alternate)

Matt Schumann (2027)

Midori Yanagihara (2026)

Trustees

Tom McLenigan

Keith Sinclair

Deke Smith

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In memory of Dallas & Sue Peck, Ray Vaughn*

HOLY EUCHARIST- RITE I

At the tolling of the bell, please stand.

Opening Acclamation and Collect for Purity (BCP 323-324)

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

People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Celebrant: 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.**

Celebrant: 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.

Gloria (together)

Glory be to God on high,

and on earth peace, good will towards men.

We praise thee, we bless thee,

we worship thee,

we glorify thee,

we give thanks to thee for thy great glory,

O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;

O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

that takest away the sins of the world,

have mercy upon us.

Thou that takest away the sins of the world,

receive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father,

have mercy upon us.

For thou only art holy;

thou only art the Lord;

thou only, O Christ,

with the Holy Ghost,

art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Collect for the Day (BCP 181)

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And with thy spirit.

Celebrant: Almighty God, who hast given thy only Son to be unto us both a sacrifice for sin and also an example of godly life: Give us grace that we may always most thankfully receive that his inestimable benefit, and also daily endeavor ourselves to follow the blessed steps of his most holy life; through the same thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.**Amen.**

The Lessons

A Reading from 1 Kings 2:10-12; 3:3-14

David slept with his ancestors, and was buried in the city of David. The time that David reigned over Israel was forty years; he reigned seven years in Hebron, and thirty-three years in Jerusalem. So Solomon sat on the throne of his father David; and his kingdom was firmly established. Solomon loved the Lord, walking in the statutes of his father David; only, he sacrificed and offered incense at the high places. The king went to Gibeon to sacrifice there, for that was the principal high place; Solomon used to offer a thousand burnt offerings on that altar. At Gibeon the Lord appeared to Solomon in a dream by night; and God said, "Ask what I should give you." And Solomon said, "You have shown great and steadfast love to your servant my father David, because he walked before you in faithfulness, in righteousness, and in uprightness of heart toward you; and you have kept for him this great and steadfast love, and have given him a son to sit on his throne today. And now, O Lord my God, you have made your servant king in place of my father David, although I am only a little child; I do not know how to go out or come in. And your servant is in the midst of the people whom you have chosen, a great people, so numerous they cannot be numbered or counted. Give your servant therefore an understanding mind to govern your people, able to discern between good and evil; for who can govern this your great people?" It pleased the Lord that Solomon had asked this. God said to him, "Because you have asked this, and have not asked for yourself long life or riches, or for the life of your enemies, but have asked for yourself understanding to discern what is right, I now do according to your word. Indeed I give you a wise and discerning mind; no one like you has been before you and no one like you shall arise after you. I give you also what you have not asked, both riches and honor all your life; no other king shall compare with you. If you will walk in my ways, keeping my statutes and my commandments, as your father David walked, then I will lengthen your life."

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 111 (Read responsively)

1 Hallelujah!

I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart, *
in the assembly of the upright, in the congregation.

2 Great are the deeds of the Lord! *

they are studied by all who delight in them.

3 His work is full of majesty and splendor, *

and his righteousness endures for ever.

4 He makes his marvelous works to be remembered; *

the Lord is gracious and full of compassion.

5 He gives food to those who fear him; *

he is ever mindful of his covenant.

6 He has shown his people the power of his works *

in giving them the lands of the nations.

7 The works of his hands are faithfulness and justice; *

all his commandments are sure.

8 They stand fast for ever and ever, *

because they are done in truth and equity.

9 He sent redemption to his people;

he commanded his covenant for ever; *

holy and awesome is his Name.

10 The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom; *

those who act accordingly have a good understanding;

his praise endures for ever.

A Reading from Ephesians 5:15-20

Be careful then how you live, not as unwise people but as wise, making the most of the time, because the days are evil. So do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is. Do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery; but be filled with the Spirit, as you sing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs among yourselves, singing and making melody to the Lord in your hearts, giving thanks to God the Father at all times and for everything in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Please stand as you are able.

Holy Gospel: John 6:51-58

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

People: Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Jesus said, "I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh." The Jews then disputed among themselves, saying, "How can this man give us his flesh to eat?" So Jesus said to them, "Very truly, I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood have eternal life, and I will raise them up on the last day; for my flesh is true food and my blood is true drink. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live forever."

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise be to thee, Lord Christ.

Sermon

The Rev. Charles R. Cowherd

Please stand as able.

The Nicene Creed (BCP 326)

**People: 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.**

Please stand, or kneel, as you are able

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, Sean, Mark, Charles, and Mario 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, 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 Joe our president, Glenn our governor, and Sheila 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 Timothy and all thy saints, that with them we may be partakers of thy heavenly kingdom. **Amen.**

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

Confession of Sin (BCP 331)

Celebrant: Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God:

**People: Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against thee
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
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 way,
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.**

Please stand.

The Peace (BCP 332)

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

People: And with thy spirit.

Please be seated.

Welcome & Announcements

Blessing of the Backpacks

The Offering

Please Stand

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 unto 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 Jesus Christ our Lord thou hast received us as thy sons and daughters, made us citizens of thy kingdom, and given us the Holy Spirit to guide us into all truth. 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 (BCP 334)

**All: 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.**

Stand or kneel, as you are able.

Celebrant: 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 hath 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: Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People: Therefore let us keep the feast.

The Invitation (BCP 338)

Celebrant: The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

Administration of Communion

Post-Communion Prayer (BCP 339)

Celebrant: Let us pray.

All: 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.

Blessing

Celebrant: The peace of God, which passeth all understanding, keep your 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 Ghost, be amongst you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Please stand.

Dismissal (BCP 339)

Celebrant: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

PRAYER LIST:

(Please email careteam@saint-timothys.org with any prayer concerns.)

Rest of the Soul: Leona Garner, Michael Stone

Health: Ted Grivetti, Pete Diefendorf, Will LaWalt, Stephanie Mathias, Mark Thompson

Long Term: Sid, Maryanne, Chris W., Donna W., Chris, Chuck and Peggy, Christine Y., Sarah (recovering from brain surgery), Brad Rundlett, Catherine Hutcheon (Long Covid), David & Mabel Tettyfio (stroke, arthritis, hip pain), Brian Law, Jane Perry, Jerry Vandenberg, Chris Connelly (Barb Kimmel's brother, severe depression), Barb Benson (friend of Bob Kimmel, Parkinson's), Cameron Barr

THIS WEEK at ST. TIMOTHY'S

Sunday, August 18

8:00 AM Rite I Holy Eucharist – Sanctuary
9:30 AM Adult Choir Warm-up – Music Room
10:00 AM Rite II Holy Eucharist – Sanctuary/Livestream
w/Blessing of the Backpacks

Monday, August 19

12:15 PM Step Into Recovery AA
7:00 PM Hope For Today Al Anon
8:30 PM Monday Night Milkshake Group AA

Tuesday, August 20

7:00 PM Scouts Troop 159

Wednesday, August 21

1:45 PM Staff Meeting – Conference Room
6:30 PM Finance Committee Meeting – Zoom
7:30 PM SA Meeting

Thursday, August 22

7:00 PM Debtors Anonymous

Friday, August 23

No Events

Saturday, August 24

8:00 AM MOST Breakfast
9:00 AM Altar Guild Set-Up – Sanctuary
4:00 PM Latino Family Day Picnic & Bilingual
Service with Blessing of the Backpacks

LITURGICAL MINISTERS TRAINING

Calling all LEMS (Lay Eucharistic Minister): Vergers, Lectors, Chalice-Bearers, Intercessors, and Ushers! A training/ refresher course will be held on **Sunday, August 18th, after the 10 am service in the Sanctuary.** If you are interested in being a part of this important ministry, please also plan on attending. Any questions, please contact Keith Sinclair (ksinclair1@msn.com).

BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS

Please join us at our upcoming blessing of all students (and their backpacks), teachers, and those who work in education as they begin the new school year! Bring your backpack, briefcase, lunchbox... you name it... to be blessed on any of the days below! Also: please send any BACK-to-SCHOOL PHOTOS taken/posted on social media that we might share via our church communications. Please send to [office@saint-timotheys.org!](mailto:office@saint-timotheys.org)

* Saturday 8/17, 11:00 AM - after the St. Timothy's Preschool Play Date (Preschool Playground)

* Sábado 8/17, 7:00 PM - durante la Santa Misa en español (Santuario)

* Sunday 8/18, 8 & 10:00 AM - at our Sunday Eucharists (Sanctuary)

ALTAR GUILD VOLUNTEERS

St. Timothy's Altar Guild plays an important role in the Worship Ministry. Our mission is to ensure that the Sanctuary is in order, beautiful, clean and prepared for worship on a weekly basis and for special services.

This team-based ministry is an easy way to support your church and only requires a few hours of your time on the week you are scheduled to serve (approximately every three weeks). Service opportunities can be flexible to meet your busy schedule or special interests (flowers, care of linens, Sunday only) and training is provided. Please consider helping the Altar Guild grow. For more information, please email us at [altarguild@saint-timotheys.org.](mailto:altarguild@saint-timotheys.org)

ALTAR GUILD SPONSORSHIPS

Are you looking for a way to honor a special occasion like a birthday or anniversary or to remember a departed loved one? Consider sponsoring Altar Flowers! Simply sign up for the Sunday you would like to sponsor using the sign-up sheet posted outside of the church offices. After signing up, simply use a Flower Envelope and drop your donation in the offering on a Sunday or mail it to the church office. Be sure to note Flower Donation on the memo line if giving by check. Suggested donation is \$65.

SHRINE MONT 2024 RETREAT

St. Timothy's is headed to Shrine Mont for our retreat weekend on September 13th-15th, 2024. This is a wonderful opportunity to rest, recharge, and renew with your parish family. You can reserve your spot by e-mailing Rob Huizar, Trip Coordinator, at RetreatCoordinator@saint-timotheys.org. **Registration will end on August 25th.**

Please indicate in your e-mail the following: names and number of attendees; ages for children 17 and under; if you prefer single or double occupancy; any dietary or mobility restrictions; and contact information (phone number and e-mail address). Forms are available for those without e-mail access.

Below are the rates for the weekend (for adults 18+ years old): Double Occupancy - \$190, Single Occupancy - \$245. All children 17 years old and younger are FREE! These rates include 2 nights of lodging, 6 meals (2 each of breakfast, lunch, and dinner) & use of Shrine Mont facilities. Day passes are also available for \$32.

Scholarships are also available.

ST. TIMOTHY'S COFFEE HOUR SIGN UP

We have had a wonderful year so far of Coffee Hour with fellowship and fun in Henry Hall after the 10 am service! We plan to continue this practice but need volunteers to assist with set up, clean-up and bringing light refreshments. **If you are interested in helping, please contact the church office at office@saint-timothy.org or sign up via the spreadsheet link in the weekly eNews Coffee Hour announcement.**

WELCOME HOME WEEKEND - SAT. & SUNDAY AUGUST 24th - 25th

All are invited back from the beach and the mountains, and everywhere in between, to regather together as One St. Timothy's for the program year. In addition to our 3 usual services, we will have the below offerings over the course of the weekend to Welcome Home everyone from their travels. Be sure to attend to participate in the below events and hear some exciting announcements about what's coming up ahead at St. Timothy's

SATURDAY AUGUST 24th, 2024 4:00 pm (Outdoor Chapel and Picnic Area)

All are invited to our Annual Latino Family Day Picnic to join together as a community of faith and as a family in Christ. We will have steak, hamburgers, hot-dogs (and vegetarian options) on the grill, as well as games for the young ones. The Spanish service will follow in the Outdoor Chapel. Wear light and comfortable clothing.

SUNDAY AUGUST 25th, 2024 11:00 am (Henry Hall)

All are invited to an Ice Cream Social dessert extravaganza in Henry Hall following the 10:00 am service on Sunday. Thanks to Generations Ministry, we will have an opportunity to enjoy some tasty treats and catch up with friends old and new.

FAITH FORMATION for ALL AGES – resumes AUGUST 25th

Sunday Adult Forums (in the Sanctuary during the 9 am hour, also livestreamed)

We begin with our 3rd Annual three-part series, taking its name from the famous church song: "I am the Church, You are the Church..."

Sunday August 25th: "We are the Church." We will begin with a look at the history of Shrine Mont Camps. Charles Cowherd will present on "The Integration of Shrine Mont Camps"—a look at how our Diocesan camps struggled to racially integrate during the 1950s and 1960s. Based off of archival research, 1st person interviews, the presentation is set to be published (in print form) in *Anglican and Episcopal History*, the historical journal of the

Episcopal Church, this coming Fall.

Sunday September 8th: “You are the Church.” Our Ecumenical Round Table will again feature different members of our congregation sharing how they landed at St. Timothy’s Episcopal Church. This year, we have invited our members who grew up on the continent of Africa to share their faith journey from their home country and church to Herndon!

Sunday September 29th: “I am the Church.” In this final session, our Associate Rector, the Reverend Mario Melendez, will share with us the story of his spiritual journey. Come to learn more about how Mario’s life has been a witness and testimony of his faith!

Sunday School

During the 10 AM Sunday Service, children and youth from 4th grade and up will gather first in the sanctuary, but then be shepherded by teachers out to meet at the outdoor chapel, weather permitting, where our kids will have time to gather, learn a bible story, and play on our beautiful church grounds. We will rejoin worship before communion. In case of inclement weather, we will gather in Henry Hall.

Godly Play

Finally, **our children (age 3-3rd grade) will continue to attend Godly Play during the 10 AM Sunday Service.** This Montessori-based curriculum uses hands-on storytelling and wondering to introduce children to Bible stories and church traditions. Children who attend Godly Play head downstairs after the reading of the Collect and then rejoin their parents in the Sanctuary during the Peace prior to Eucharist.

Look for more information in the coming weeks or check out the **“Welcome Home Weekend Flyer”** that you can pick up in the Narthex or see in the eNews.



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