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Sunday, October 13, 2024

Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

10 am



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Weekly Services

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

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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.

Children are welcome to stay with parents in the Sanctuary or they may head downstairs for Godly Play after the reading of the Collect. For your convenience, there are also rocking chairs located at the back of the sanctuary to soothe little ones 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.

HOLY EUCHARIST

The Word of God

Prelude

Partita on "Hyfrydol"
At the tolling of the bell, all stand.

arr. Charles Callahan

Opening Hymn (460)

Alleluia! Sing to Jesus

Hyfrydol

Opening Acclamation (BCP 355)

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

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

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

Gloria (S 202 v 1-3, 8-9)

Glory be to God

Healey Willan

Opening Collect (BCP 234) - *Children may head downstairs after this reading.*

Celebrant: Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow us, that we may continually be given to good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Lessons

A Reading from Book of Job 23:1-9, 16-17

"Today also my complaint is bitter; his hand is heavy despite my groaning. Oh, that I knew where I might find him, that I might come even to his dwelling! I would lay my case before him, and fill my mouth with arguments. I would learn what he would answer me, and understand what he would say to me. Would he contend with me in the greatness of his power? No; but he would give heed to me. There an upright person could reason with him, and I should be acquitted forever by my judge. "If I go forward, he is not there; or backward, I cannot perceive him; on the left he hides, and I cannot behold him; I turn to the right, but I cannot see him. God has made my heart faint; the Almighty has terrified me; If only I could vanish in darkness, and thick darkness would cover my face!"

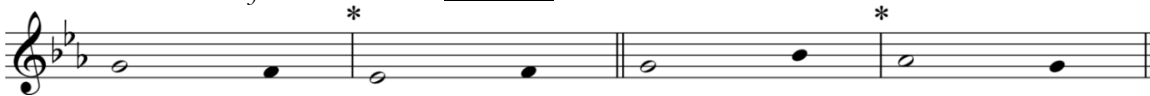
Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 22:1-15

Robert Knox Kennedy

Move to the next note of the chant on the underlined text.



- 1 My God, my God, why have you forsaken me? *
and are so far from my cry and from the words of my distress?
- 2 O my God, I cry in the daytime, but you do not answer; *
by night as well, but I find no rest.
- 3 Yet you are the Holy One, *
enthroned upon the praises of Israel.
- 4 Our forefathers put their trust in you; *
they trusted, and you delivered them.
- 5 They cried out to you and were delivered; *
they trusted in you and were not put to shame.
- 6 But as for me, I am a worm and no man, *
scorned by all and despised by the people.
- 7 All who see me laugh me to scorn; *
they curl their lips and wag their heads, saying,

- 8 "He trusted in the Lord; let him deliver him; *
let him rescue him, if he delights in him."
- 9 Yet you are he who took me out of the womb, *
and kept me safe upon my mother's breast.
- 10 I have been entrusted to you ever since I was born; *
you were my God when I was still in my mother's womb.
- 11 Be not far from me, for trouble is near, *
and there is none to help.
- 12 Many young bulls encircle me; *
strong bulls of Bashan surround me.
- 13 They open wide their jaws at me, *
like a ravening and a roaring lion.
- 14 I am poured out like water; all my bones are out of joint; *
my heart within my breast is melting wax.
- || 15 My mouth is dried out like a pot-sherd; my tongue sticks to the roof of my mouth; *
and you have laid me in the dust of the grave.

A Reading from Hebrews 4:12-16

The word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing until it divides soul from spirit, joints from marrow; it is able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart. And before him no creature is hidden, but all are naked and laid bare to the eyes of the one to whom we must render an account. Since, then, we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast to our confession. For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are, yet without sin. Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Please stand as you are able.

Sequence Hymn (684)

Oh For a Closer Walk with God

Caithness

Holy Gospel: Mark 10:17-31

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

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

As Jesus was setting out on a journey, a man ran up and knelt before him, and asked him, “Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?” Jesus said to him, “Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. You know the commandments: ‘You shall not murder; You shall not commit adultery; You shall not steal; You shall not bear false witness; You shall not defraud; Honor your father and mother.’” He said to him, “Teacher, I have kept all these since my youth.” Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said, “You lack one thing; go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me.” When he heard this, he was shocked and went away grieving, for he had many possessions. Then Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, “How hard it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!” And the disciples were perplexed at these words. But Jesus said to them again, “Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God.” They were greatly astounded and said to one another, “Then who can be saved?” Jesus looked at them and said, “For mortals it is impossible, but not for God; for God all things are possible.” Peter began to say to him, “Look, we have left everything and followed you.” Jesus said, “Truly I tell you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or fields, for my sake and for the sake of the good news, who will not receive a hundredfold now in this age—houses, brothers and sisters, mothers and children, and fields with persecutions—and in the age to come eternal life. But many who are first will be last, and the last will be first.”

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon

The Reverend Mario Meléndez

Please stand as you are able.

The Nicene Creed (BCP 358)

**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, Form II (BCP 385)

I ask your prayers for God's people throughout the world; for Michael, Our Bishop, for Sean, our Presiding Bishop Elect, for Mark, our Diocesan Bishop, for Charles and Mario; for this gathering; and for all ministers and people Pray for the church.

Silence

I ask your prayers for peace; for goodwill among nations; and for the well-being of all people. Pray for justice and peace.

Silence

I ask your prayers for the poor, the sick, the hungry, the oppressed, and those in prison. Pray for those in any need or trouble.

Silence

I ask your prayers for all who seek God, or a deeper knowledge of him. Pray that they may find and be found by him.

Silence

I ask your prayers for the families of the departed. Pray for the families of who have died.

Silence

Praise God for those in every generation in whom Christ has been honored. Pray that we may have grace to glorify Christ in our own day.

Silence

Celebrant: Heavenly Father, you have promised to hear what we ask in the Name of your Son: Accept and fulfill our petitions, we pray, not as we ask in our ignorance, nor as we deserve in our sinfulness, but as you know and love us in your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Confession of Sin (BCP 360)

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

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

Absolution (BCP 360)

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

Please stand.

The Peace (BCP 360)

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

People: **And also with you.**

Welcome, Announcements, & Stewardship Moment

Offertory Sentence

The Offering

Choral Anthem

“Vox Ultima Crucis”

William H. Harris

Tarry no longer; toward thine heritage
Haste on the way, and be of right good cheer.
Go each day onward on thy pilgrimage;
Think how short time thou shalt abide here.
Thy place is bigg'd above the starres clear,
None earthly palace wrought in so stately wise.
Come on my friend, my brother most enterel!
For thee I offered my blood in sacrifice.

Please stand as able.

Presentation Hymn (11 v 4) *Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow*

Morning Hymn

Holy Communion – Eucharistic Prayer A (BCP 361)

The Great Thanksgiving

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Celebrant: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. For by water and the Holy Spirit you have made us a new people in Jesus Christ our Lord, to show forth your glory in all the world. And so this day we join with Saints and Angels in the chorus of praise that rings through eternity, lifting our voices to magnify you as we sing:

Sanctus (S 114)

Holy, Holy, Holy

Healey Willan

Please stand or kneel, as you are able.

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

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

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

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

**All: Christ has died.
 Christ is risen.
 Christ will come again.**

Celebrant: We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom. All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

All: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

Fraction Anthem (WLP 865)

Christ our Passover

Thaddeus Cavuoti

The Invitation (BCP 364)

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

Communion Hymn (655)

O Jesus, I Have Promised

Nyland

Please stand or kneel, as you are able.

Postcommunion Prayer (BCP 366)

Celebrant: Let us pray.

All: Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

Closing Hymn (WLP 782)

Gracious Spirit, Give your Servants

Abbot's Leigh

Dismissal (BCP 366)

Celebrant: Let us bless the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

"Toccata Brevis"

Daniel Gawthrop

Flowers are given by Tom & Mary McLenigan

In memory of Liz & Tom McLenigan

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PRAYER LIST:

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

Repose of the Soul: Joaquin Hugo Lembert (Hugo Lembert's father), Sandy

Health: Will LaWalt, Dick Joyce, Rick Chambers, Allen C., Bob Fritzsche, Ann Kordenback, Julius Koenig, Sean Cornelius, Randy, Nellie, Beth Hwoschinsky

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), Susan Kruchten, Elizabeth Martinson, Ted Grivetti

STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN 2025 – “You Welcomed Me”

We kicked off our Stewardship Campaign last Sunday and will continue throughout the month of October, celebrating the shared gifts of time, talent and treasure in our St. Timothy's family. A letter was

sent from the church and your Rector is asking you to fill out a pledge card for 2025. If you did not receive a pledge card, please contact the church office. **You may mail or drop off your pledge cards to the church office at any time.** Please consider your pledge prayerfully and in the knowledge that all our gifts come from a gracious and all-loving God.

THIS WEEK at ST. TIMOTHY'S

Sunday, October 13 – Stewardship Week II

8:00 AM Rite I Holy Eucharist – Sanctuary

9:15 AM Adult Choir Warm-up – Music Room

10:00 AM Rite II Holy Eucharist – Sanctuary/Livestream

Monday, October 14 – Church Office Closed

12:15 PM Step Into Recovery AA

7:00 PM Hope For Today Al Anon

7:30 PM Service Ministry Meeting – Conference Room

8:30 PM Monday Night Milkshake Group AA

Tuesday, October 15

9:15 AM Staff Meeting – Conference Room

4:00 PM DanceWorx – Narthex

6:30 PM Scouts Troop 159

Wednesday, October 16

4:00 PM DanceWorx – Narthex

7:30 PM Finance Committee Meeting – Zoom

7:30 PM SA Meeting

Thursday, October 17

7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal – Music Room

7:00 PM Debtors Anonymous

Friday, October 18

No Events

Saturday, October 19 – Fall LINK Food Drive

9:00 AM Altar Guild Set-Up – Sanctuary

7:00 PM La Santa Misa – Sanctuary

“FAITH & POLITICS – October 20th (9AM in the Sanctuary & via livestream)

“How Biblical Values Can Speak to Me as a Voter?” led by Ron Boggio. Come for a continuation of our *JOY in '24* series with another look at how our faith and spiritual lives intersect in this election season.

LINK FALL FOOD DRIVE

For the next two Sunday's, members of the Service Ministry will be in the Narthex after each service to hand out cloth bags for you to fill with items for LINK. Attached to the bag will be a list of items that are in high demand. **We will collect the bags the weekends of October 19th and 20th and October 26th and 27th.**

PRESCHOOL SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR & TRUNK OR TREAT

St. Timothy's Pre-School is hosting a Scholastic Book Fair from **October 23-27**, which will also be open to the church during weekend services. For more information, including volunteer opportunities, see the E-news or pick up a flyer in the Narthex.

St. Timothy's Pre-School will be hosting its annual Trunk or Treat in the church's parking lot on **October 27th from 2-3:30 pm**. Bring the kiddos in costume and let them have fun collecting candy!

TREE PLANTING #1 – Sunday October 20, 2024, 2 pm

Democracy in the United States of America is bigger than elections. It is a shared commitment to self-government, a respect for minority views, a trust in the institutions of local, state and national government, and a belief in the transcendent creed of the United States, that all people are created equal. However, elections stress these principles, because they inherently separate us into winners and losers. To overcome this tension, the United States depends upon rituals that reaffirm our shared commitments to the endeavor of democracy, to each other, and future generations.

Growing Hope and Democracy: A Reston/Herndon Community Tree Planting will bring together our entire community by planting a ceremonial tree to demonstrate our commitment to democracy, each other, and future generations. Event activities include both a Tree planting ceremony and Music & Readings. Together we will strengthen the ongoing fabric of our democracy, strengthen our commitment to one another, and bring hope to our local community. **Save the date: October 20, 2 pm, Haley M. Smith Park 324 Van Buren St. Herndon, VA 20170**

TREE PLANTING #2 – Sunday October 27, 2024, 11:30 am

October 25th to October 28th is **Bird Sanctuary Planting Weekend!** This is a region-wide event sponsored by organizations including Plant NOVA Natives/Plant NOVA Trees, Northern Virginia Bird Alliance, Fairfax ReLeaf, McLean Trees Foundation, Fairfax Tree Stewards - plus other volunteers. St. Timothy's is fortunate to be receiving a tree to be planted on our campus during the previous week, on **Sunday October 27th** we will celebrate by planting it after our 10 AM Service! Look for details to follow.

SONGS OF INSPIRATION & HOPE – Piano Concert by Todd Grivetti

Join us at St. Timothy's on **November 1st at 7:30 pm or view via livestream**, for a contemplative evening of hymn favorites and offer prayers for the Saints and the upcoming election.

FROM TODD: *I'm determined to exude JOY in 2024 and what better way than to be able to share this special evening with you. Are you anxious about the upcoming election? Have you lost someone that meant a lot to you in your life? Do you need some calm and peace in this hectic life of ours? If the answer to any of these questions is "YES," then I believe this is where you need to be on November 1 at 7:30 pm. Join me as I play some of my favorite arrangements of famous hymns, in the hopes of inspiring you and bringing you hope, joy, and peace. I hope to see you! Please share!*

CHRISTMAS VILLAGE MARKET UPDATE

Proprietors have already begun to sign up for the **Christmas Village Market on December 7, 2024**. Ministries and/or individuals can sign up to make this event a huge success. See the article in October's WORD for more info or speak to your Vestry liaison. Last day for sign up will be November 1. Please no commercial vendors.