

# St. Timothy's Episcopal Church

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Sunday, October 5, 2014

The Seventeenth Sunday After Pentecost

9:30 & 11:00 a.m.



"Members of St. Tim's and our chartered Boy Scout Troop & Cub Scout Pack Volunteering at the MS Challenge Walk" Photograph by Chris Brock

# **Sunday Services**

8:00 a.m.	Spoken Eucharist - Rite I
9:30 a.m.	Choral Eucharist - Rite II
11:00 a.m.	Eucharist With Hymns- Rite II

4:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist in Spanish- Misa en Español

# Opportunities for Children

9:30 a.m. & 11 a.m.	Godly Play (ages 3 & potty trained - grade 2) - Room B1
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9:30 a.m. Spark + (grades 3-5) - Room A-5

9:30 a.m. Christian Education (Grades 6-8) - Room A-8
9:30 a.m. Christian Education (Grades 9-12) - Upper Room

# 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 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. Monday - Thursday and 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. on Friday. If you would like to make an appointment to speak with a member of the clergy, feel free to call the office at 703.437.3790.

The Rev. Bradford A. Rundlett, Rector (x.11)

The Rev. Leslie Chadwick, Associate Rector (x.12)

Mrs. Christine Hoyle, Director of Children/Youth Ministries (x.17)

Ms. Filippa Duke, Music Director & Organist (x.16)

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Ms. Helen Guest, Director of the Saint Timothy's Preschool

Ms. Alba Padilla & Ms. Elba Peralta, Nursery Attendants

Ms. Phyllis Hogan, Sexton Ms. Josephine Martin, Assistant Sexton

Mr. Bryan Spoon, Seminarian

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Tom McLenigan, Keith Sinclair, Deke Smith

# The Seventeenth Sunday After Pentecost

Holy Eucharist: Rite II

All hymns marked Hymnal are from the Hymnal 1982. Hymns that have an S in front of the number are located at the front of the 1982 hymnal. Hymns labeled WLP are from the green hymnal "Wonder, Love, and Praise."

Prelude

The Woodcutter's Song

Ralph Vaughan Williams

Marty Brady, soprano

### The Word of God

At the tolling of the bell, all stand.

Entrance Hymn

Earth and all stars

Hymnal 412

## The Opening Acclamation

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

People And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

## The Collect of Purity

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.* 

Hymn of Praise

Glory to God

Hymnal S 280

## The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

## People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray, and to give more than we either desire or deserve: Pour upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid, and giving us those good things for which we are not worthy to ask, except through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ our Savior; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.** 

First Reading Exodus 20:1-4, 7-9, 12-20

Then God spoke all these words: I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery; you shall have no other gods before me.

You shall not make for yourself an idol, whether in the form of anything that is in heaven above, or that is on the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth.

You shall not make wrongful use of the name of the LORD your God, for the LORD will not acquit anyone who misuses his name.

Remember the sabbath day, and keep it holy. Six days you shall labor and do all your work.

Honor your father and your mother, so that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you.

You shall not murder.

You shall not commit adultery.

You shall not steal.

You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or male or female slave, or ox, or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor.

When all the people witnessed the thunder and lightning, the sound of the trumpet, and the mountain smoking, they were afraid and trembled and stood at a distance, and said to Moses, "You speak to us, and we will listen; but do not let God speak to us, or we will die." Moses said to the people, "Do not be afraid; for God has come only to test you and to put the fear of him upon you so that you do not sin."

Reader The Word of the Lord.

### People Thanks be to God.

### Psalm Psalm 19 (Sung)

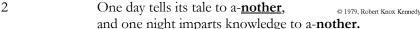
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1 The heavens declare the glory of <u>God</u>, and the firmament shows his **handiwork**.



3 Although they have no words or <u>language</u>,

and their voices are not heard,

Their sound has gone out into all <u>lands</u>, and their message to the ends of the world.

In the deep has he set a pavilion for the <u>sun</u>; it comes forth like a bridegroom out of his chamber; it rejoices like a champion to run its <u>course</u>.

It goes forth from the uttermost edge of the heavens and runs about to the end of it a-gain;

nothing is hidden from its burning <u>heat</u>.

The law of the LORD is perfect and revives the <u>soul</u>;

the testimony of the LORD is sure and gives wisdom to the **innocent**.

The statutes of the LORD are just and rejoice the **heart**; the commandment of the LORD is clear and gives light to the **eves**.

9 The fear of the LORD is clean and endures for <u>ever</u>; the judgments of the LORD are true and righteous alto-<u>gether</u>.

More to be desired are they than gold, more than much fine **gold**, sweeter far than honey, than honey in the **comb**.

By them also is your servant en**-lightened**, and in keeping them there is great re**-ward**.

Who can tell how often he of<u>-fends</u>? cleanse me from my secret **faults**.

Above all, keep your servant from presumptuous sins; let them not get dominion <u>over me</u>;

then shall I be whole and sound, and innocent of a great of-fense.

Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your <u>sight</u>,
O LORD, my strength and my re<u>-deemer</u>.

The Second Lesson Philippians 3:4b-14

If anyone else has reason to be confident in the flesh, I have more: circumcised on the eighth day, a member of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew born of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness under the law, blameless.

Yet whatever gains I had, these I have come to regard as loss because of Christ. More than that, I regard everything as loss because of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things, and I regard them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but one that comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God based on faith. I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in his death, if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the dead.

Not that I have already obtained this or have already reached the goal; but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own. Beloved, I do not consider that I have made it my own; but this one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.** 

Sequence Hymn

Christ is made the sure foundation

Hymnal 518

The Gospel

Matthew 21:33-46

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

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said, "Listen to another parable. There was a landowner who planted a vineyard, put a fence around it, dug a wine press in it, and built a watchtower. Then he leased it to tenants and went to another country. When the harvest time had come, he sent his slaves to the tenants to collect his produce. But the tenants seized his slaves and beat one, killed another, and stoned another. Again he sent other slaves, more than the first; and they treated them in the same way. Finally he sent his son to them, saying, 'They will respect my son.' But when the tenants saw the son, they said to themselves, 'This is the heir; come, let us kill him and get his inheritance.' So they seized him, threw him out of the vineyard, and killed him. Now when the owner of the vineyard comes, what will he do to those tenants?" They said to him, "He will put those wretches to a miserable death, and lease the vineyard to other tenants who will give him the produce at the harvest time."

Jesus said to them, "Have you never read in the scriptures: 'The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone; this was the Lord's doing, and it is amazing in our eyes'? Therefore I tell you, the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people that produces the fruits of the kingdom. The one who falls on this stone will be broken to pieces; and it will crush anyone on whom it falls."

When the chief priests and the Pharisees heard his parables, they realized that he was speaking about them. They wanted to arrest him, but they feared the crowds, because they regarded him as a prophet.

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God,

the Father, the 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

Leader: Dear people of God, let us pray.

(Pause)

Leader: Great Creator, hear our prayers for your creation. Renew our awe and appreciation for the world you have made. Make us good stewards. Help us cherish the earth, and preserve all life.

(Pause)

Leader: Spirit of God, hear our prayers for humanity. Turn our wars into peace, our cruelty into compassion, greed into generosity, poverty and oppression into prosperity. **Grant us the courage and grace to reconcile and restore the human family.** 

(Pause)

Leader: Divine Majesty, hear our prayers for this nation. Bless and direct all of our elected officials. Guide your public servants as they struggle with the challenges of these times. **Help us work together for the good of all.** 

(Pause)

Leader: Merciful Savior, hear our prayers for the victims of human violence, disease, and natural disaster; for all who suffer in body, mind, or spirit. We commend them to your loving care and ask you to heal their infirmities and change their sorrow into joy. **Give us the knowledge, wisdom, and compassion to mend the wounds of your people.** 

(Pause)

Leader: Sovereign Christ, bless forever all who have died and those who are dying now. Give us faith to see in death the gate to eternal life, your arms extended in welcome, and all the saints rejoicing. Confirm our faith and strengthen our hope.

(Pause)

Leader: Spirit of life, hear our prayers for your Church throughout the world, for the Anglican Communion, the Episcopal Church, the Diocese of Virginia; our Bishops - Shannon, Susan, and Ted, and for St. Timothy's. Perfect our faith, ignite our passion to accomplish your good will, make us agents of grace. Help us spread faith, hope, love, and joy, throughout your world.

(Pause)

Leader: God of abundance and providence, you made us, named us, love us, and bless us beyond all accounting. We thank you, and we praise you.

(Pause)

Leader: Gracious God, all we are and all we have is a gift from you. We offer ourselves to your service. Give us grace, we pray, to be faithful, wise, just, and generous in all we do. Amen.

#### Confession of Sin

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.* 

*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.* 

#### The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

#### Welcome & Announcements

## The Offering

Celebrant Let us with gladness present the offerings and oblations of our lives and labors to the Lord.

## The Holy Communion

Offertory

(9:30 a.m.)

Christ is the Cornerstone
Saint Timothy's Adult Choir

David Ogden

The text is provided below for those who would like to reflect on it as the choir sings.

Christ is our Cornerstone, On Him alone we build; With His true saints alone The courts of heaven are filled; On His great love our hopes we place Of present grace and joys above.

O then with hymns of praise These hallowed courts shall ring; Our voices we will raise The Three in One to sing; And thus proclaim in joyful song Both loud and long, that glorious Name.

Here, gracious God, do Thou Forevermore draw nigh; Accept each faithful vow, And mark each suppliant sigh; In copious shower on all who pray, Each holy day, Thy blessings pour.

Here may we gain from Heav'n, The grace which we implore; And may that grace, once given, Be with us evermore; Until that day when all the blest To endless rest are called away.

-Latin hymn translated by John Chandler

(11:00 a.m.)

Elegy

Harold Darke

**Presentation Hymn** 

Sing, my soul, his wondrous love

Hymnal 467

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. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

The Sanctus Hymnal S 129

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

The people stand or kneel.

#### 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.** 

Celebrant 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.

## Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!

#### Fraction Anthem

Lamb of God

Hymnal S 163

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world; have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world; have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world; grant us peace.

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

### The Administration of Communion

Communion Hymns

Let thy blood in mercy poured Let all mortal flesh keep silence Hymnal 313 Hymnal 324

## Postcommunion Prayer

Celebrant Let us pray.

All Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Blessing

Closing Hymn

All creatures of our God and King

Hymnal 400

**Dismissal** 

Celebrant Alleluia! Let us go forth in the name of Christ!

People Thanks be to God! Alleluia!

Postlude Voluntary on "Earth and All Stars" Paul Manz

# Assisting in the Preparation and Conduct of Worship

#### Altar Guild

Carol Sinclair, Jean Lammers, Adaku Nwachukwu, Liz Ward

### Counters

Keith Pinkard, Tina Pinkard

#### <u>Ushers</u>

8:00 a.m. Hal Hallett, Tom Rust 9:30 a.m. Vincent Donnelly, Jim McKenney 11:00 a.m. Jim Wallis, Robert Bumbary

### **Lay Eucharistic Ministers**

8:00 a.m. Bryan Spoon, Marie Lally 9:30 a.m. Sean Brady, Bryan Spoon, Chris Brock 11:00 a.m. Bryan Spoon, Ted Mankin, Jane Perry, Bill Odio

### **Acolytes**

9:30 a.m. Sabrina Franco, Erika Hobson, Christopher Draper



#### Altar Flowers

Today's altar flowers are given by Mary Perry in Loving Memory of Muriel Daley and by Bob & Barb Kimmel in Thanksgiving For Their 40th Wedding Anniversary!

If you would like to remember a loved one who has departed this life, give thanksgiving for family and friends, or celebrate a special anniversary by sponsoring the altar flowers on a particular Sunday, please complete a Flower Envelope or call the office at 703-437-3790.

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



Beth Hwoschinsky 703.450.8599

<u>Peter Hwoschinsky</u> 703.450.8599



## Church Events @ St. Tim's This Week



<u>Please note:</u> Only ministry related events are listed. You can visit our website and click on the link at the bottom of the home page to see the full calendar online.

Day	Time	Event	Location	
Sunday 10/5	8, 9:30, & 11 a.m.	Holy Eucharist	Sanctuary	
	9 a.m.	Adult Choir Rehearsal	Music Room	
	3 p.m.	Blessing of the Animals	Outdoor Chapel	
	4 p.m.	Eucharist in Spanish	Sanctuary	
	7 p.m.	Christianity 101 with Father Brad	Narthex	
	5 p.m.	Children's Choir I	Music Room	
Monday	6 p.m.	Children's Choir II	Music Room	
10/6	7 p.m.	BSA Troop 159 Meeting	Henry Hall	
	7 p.m.	Stephen Ministries Peer Supervision	B2	
Tuesday 10/7	5 p.m.	Nurturing Parents Group (Fairfax County)	HH, Kitchen, A1, A4, Nrsry	
Wednesday 10/8	10 a.m.	Wednesday Morning Bible Study	Kitchen	
	12:15 p.m.	Holy Eucharist/Healing Service	Sanctuary	
	7 p.m.	Handbell Choir Rehearsal	Music Room	
Thursday 10/9	7 p.m.	St. Tim's Adult Choir Rehearsal	Music Room	
Friday 10/10	No events scheduled at this time			
Saturday 10/11	9 a.m.	American Red Cross First Aid/CPR Course	Narthex	
	9 a.m.	Altar Guild	Sanctuary & AG Room	
	8, 9:30, & 11 a.m.	Holy Eucharist	Sanctuary	
Sunday 10/12	9 a.m.	Adult Choir Rehearsal	Music Room	
	4 p.m.	Eucharist in Spanish	Sanctuary	
	7 p.m.	Christianity 101 with Father Brad	Narthex	

# Happy Birthday To You!!!

Sun. 10/5 Frank Martin, Greg Klipfel, Kristie Rudolph, Emma Mankin

Mon. 10/6 Stuart Drake, Eleanor Chadwick

Tues. 10/7 Donna McGrath, Mark Lehner, Max Norcross

Wed. 10/8 Evelyn Showalter

Thur. 10/9 Ross Mullet, Meghan Randolph

Fri. 10/10 Betty Peacock, Liz Ward, Carl Kimble, Bryant Colie, Douglas Colie, Jessica Lynch, Samuel Krauss

Sat. 10/11 Tony LaRe

Sun. 10/12 Dean Rohrbaugh, Samantha Kenis

# **General Announcements**



## The Blessing of the Animals is today, October 5, at 3 p.m.

Join us at the Outdoor Chapel with your pet(s) for Saint Timothy's annual Blessing of the Animals today, Sunday October 5, at 3 p.m. The Outdoor Chapel is located next to the parking lot (facing Van Buren St.) and has wooden bench seating for participants. You are welcome to bring all types of pets for this special service! (*Rain date is October 12*).

# General Announcements (continued)

## Holiday Bazaar- November 2, 2014!

St. Timothy's annual Holiday Bazaar will be held on **Sunday, November 2 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the parish hall.** The proceeds will benefit the GTGTL (pipe organ restoration) and the Episcopal Church Women (ECW)'s efforts to revitalize the parish hall. If you are interested in a vendor table please contact Carmela Condro ccondro@verizon.net or Sue Van Meers sue.vanmeers@live.com. A few vendors that have already signed up – Mary Kay, Tupperware, Discovery Toys, Pampered Chef, Baked goods, and more to come!

This is a wonderful opportunity to start your holiday shopping for stocking stuffers, teacher gifts, and baked goodies OR treat yourself to something special! Mark your calendars – November 2, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., the same Sunday that daylight savings time ends!!

## St. Tim's Joins the 11th Annual Help the Homeless Community Walk

We've set a goal to have 40 walkers from St. Tim's join Cornerstones for the annual "Help the Homeless Walk" on Sunday October 19, leaving from the Embry Rucker Homeless Shelter at 1:30 p.m. (registration starts at 12:30 p.m.). Participation in this event will help Cornerstones reach its goal of housing as many homeless individuals and families as possible before the winter season. The walk begins at the Embry Rucker Homeless Shelter, goes through the Reston Town Center to St. Anne's Episcopal Church, and back. The route is less than 2 miles. There will be refreshments, and opportunities to learn about homelessness in the area and Cornerstones' programs to alleviate it. Registration fees are \$25/first adult and \$20 first child (not older than 18) – any other combination of adults/children will cap the fee at \$50. Each registered person will get a shirt (maximum of three shirts for \$50 family registration). Sign up in Henry Hall if you can attend. To pre-register and for additional information, please visit: http://www.cornerstonesva.org/events\_list/hth/ Contact Jill Norcross with any questions, 703-587-4098 or jillnorcross@verizon.net Thank you for your support!

## What is An Episcopalian?

About 60% of people come to the Episcopal Church from other denominations - ever wondered what makes us Episcopalians unique? Find out October 12 from 7- 8 p.m. This session is part of Christianity 101, but you don't have to attend Christianity 101 to drop in on this class. From Henry VIII to General Convention; learn who is The Venerable and what via media means; bring your questions!

## Choral Evensong on October 26th!

You are invited to a Choral Evensong at St. Timothy's on October 26, 2014 at 6:00 p.m. This beautiful service of sung Evening prayer will be sung by St. Timothy's choir. Light refreshments will follow in Henry Hall at 7:00 p.m. This is wonderful way to recharge and prepare for a new week through beautiful sung prayers and contemplative readings and worship. Bring a friend!

**Decorate in Style This Christmas Season While Helping the Youth of Saint Timothy's!** Starting today, October 5, the Youth Group is taking orders for Christmas wreaths. You can conveniently place your order October 5 - November 2 in Henry Hall after all Sunday services. Please stop by and order the beautiful wreaths to help with a future Youth pilgrimage! A direct shipping option is available so customers can send the beautiful Christmas greens to friends and family out of town! (Because of the logistics involved, the direct shipping option will incur added costs.)

# General Announcements (continued)

### View Point Book Club Meeting

St. Tim's View Point Book Club will meet Saturday, October 18 at 9:30 a.m. at Panera Bread, Elden St. Herndon. The book chosen and available (in the book bag adjacent to the Mail Boxes in the hall opposite the office) is "Gaining Ground" by Forrest Pritchard, a local author who has written in a light-hearted fashion about his attempts at sustainable farming and participating in farmers markets in Virginia and D.C. Please leave a note or email jillcoxva@verizon.net if you take a copy and be prepared to return it by the meeting date as another group has reserved the books. Copies are available to download or put on hold at various local libraries. If you took a copy of "The Weight of Heaven" please return it to the book bag by Saturday October 4 - We hope you enjoyed your reading!

## A Message From The E.C.W. (Episcopal Church Women)

Ladies of the church, please know that ECW has agreed to co-sponsor the Holiday Bazaar with the Capital Campaign Committee on Sunday November 2nd and in particular to organize a Bake Sale for that day. Please e-mail jillcoxva@verizon.net or phone 703-963-8251 if you are willing to contribute, bread, cakes, cookies etc. a.s.a.p. Your offerings can be brought to the church the previous evening or the morning of the sale. Please watch for further announcements about this event in the weeks to come. Of course contributions cooked by MEN will be more than welcome!!

### An Evening With Imam Ankaya on Wednesday, October 22

Join us for an evening with Imam Bilal Ankaya from the Institute of Islamic and Turkish Studies in Fairfax, VA. Through this special presentation we will gain a wider persective of the diverse world in which we live. A meal will be served in Henry Hall from 6:30 - 7:15 p.m. Please sign up in Henry Hall after services on October 5, 12, or 19 so we can have an accurate count for this community dinner. After dinner, Imam Ankaya will lead a presentation from 7:15 - 8:15 p.m. Childcare will be provided for those attending the presentation.

## **Explore Your Faith!**

If you are an adult or a 9th - 12th grader interested in exploring your faith, Fr. Brad invites you to attend his Christianity 101 class on Sunday evenings in the Narthex, from 7:00 p.m. until 8:30 p.m., September 28 - November 23 (no class October 26). The Bishop will visit on December 14 this year to confirm, reaffirm, and receive people who would like to make a mature, public, affirmation of their faith. You are not required to be confirmed or received if you take this class. All are welcome.

#### Annual Chili Cook-off on October 18!

Get out those recipes, wooden spoons and spices again!! The Annual Chili Cook-off takes place Saturday, October 18 at 6 p.m. in Henry Hall. The event will be preceded by a reception for newcomers to St. Tim's and members of the congregation who would like to greet them. It is important that we know how many will attend and enter the tasty cook-off, so please sign up at the table outside the church office or e-mail (jillcoxva@verizon.net) or phone (703.963.8251) by October 12. Alternative food for children will be provided and tickets for a drink will be issued that night. Donations are requested to be given to a cause nominated by the Vestry. Will Fr. Brad win again?

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fun event!

Saint Tim's Youth Hosting Halloween Party On October 25 For Children Up To 5th Grade! On Saturday, October 25 from 3 - 4:30 p.m., the Youth of Saint Tim's will host a community halloween party for children up to 5th grade. There will be snacks, crafts, a costume parade, and other fun events! You do not need to preregister, just bring your children (up to 5th grade) to this

We are also looking for donations of individually wrapped candy, mini pumpkins (these should be real pumpkins as they will be decorated), mini bottles of water, and juice boxes. Donations may be placed in the container in Henry Hall through October 24.

## American Red Cross Adult and Pediatric First Aid/CPR/AED Training

St. Tim's will offer an American Red Cross Adult and Pediatric First Aid/CPR/AED course on Saturday, October 11 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the church. If you're interested, please sign up in Henry Hall; space in limited. Red Cross First Aid, CPR (cardiopulmonary resuscitation) and AED (automated external defibrillator) training meets the needs of workplace responders, professional rescuers, school staff, professional responders, and healthcare providers as well as the general public. Learn how to respond to cardiac and breathing emergencies in adults, children, and infants, including the use of automated external defibrillators (AEDs). Also, learn how to respond to common first aid emergencies including burns, cuts, head, neck, and back injuries. The course fee is \$75. If you have any questions please contact Kenneth Vierra (kenvierra@gmail.com).



# **Prayer List**

Carol, Glenn, Bill, Dave, Florita, Mabel, Dave, Melissa, Paige, Phyllis, Pam, Cheryl, David, Diane, Christine, Catherine, Matthew, Julie, Eric, Sandy, Leslie, John, Doug, Grace, Sean, Natalie, Damion, Patricia, Ed, Lynn, Carrie, Dillon, William,

Jesse, Carol, Ross, Anna, Leslie, Drew, Charlotte, Michael, Jac, Pat, Tom, Mary, Patricia, Reese, the Mankin family, Mike and Lisa, the Neaveill family, the Augustine family, Nancy, Dora, Barbara, the Hargadon family, the Barrett family, Pete & Emily and family, Alexia and Cabot, Pat, Emily, the Augustine family, Anne, Dora, Barbara, Nancy, Family of Scott Zetlan, Tom, the family of Paul Powenski, Phyllis, Nadejda, Mikko, Nina, George, Leslie, Elizabeth, Christopher, Jace, Maloney/LaRe families, the Odio family, Lynn, the family and friends of Carolyn Osbourne, Claudine, Geoff, Rick, the Wieczorek family, Gerry, John, Donna, the McGrath Family, Margaret, John, Sally, Jim, and Christine.

<u>Please Note</u>: To add a request please email Prayer@saint-timothys.org with the name of the person and prayer request. Please note, the request itself will only be placed on the list for the Pastoral Care Team to pray for; first names will be placed in the bulletin. If you do not have access to email, you can call the church office and leave your request with the Parish Administrator, 703.437.3790 x.10.

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gifts	Pipe Organ Fund	\$ 336,858	\$475,000
the Lord	Reserve Fund*	\$65,661	\$100,000
As of July 31, 2014	*Some funds disbursed for HVAC equipment		