



## St. Timothy's Episcopal Church

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Sunday, July 5, 2015

*Sixth Sunday After Pentecost*

8:00 a.m.



*Church Bell* Photographer, Craig Dubishar

### Sunday Services

8:00 a.m. Spoken Eucharist - Rite I  
10:00 a.m. Choral Eucharist - Rite II

### Opportunities for Children

10:00 a.m. Godly Play (*ages 3 & potty trained - grade 2*) - Room B1

### 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.

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## 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.*

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## Vestry

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Ugo Nwachukwu

Nikki O'Malley

Genevieve Zetlan

Clara Diaz (*Serving as Alternate*)

## Trustees

Tom McLenigan, Keith Sinclair, Deke Smith

## Sixth Sunday After Pentecost

Holy Eucharist: Rite I

*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."*

### The Word of God

*At the tolling of the bell, all stand.*

#### 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, 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.**

**Gloria: *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 of the Day

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And with thy spirit.**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

O God, who hast taught us to keep all thy commandments by loving thee and our neighbor: Grant us the grace of thy Holy Spirit, that we may be devoted to thee with our whole heart, and united to one another with pure affection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the same Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

#### First Reading

**2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10**

All the tribes of Israel came to David at Hebron, and said, "Look, we are your bone and flesh. For some time, while Saul was king over us, it was you who led out Israel and brought it in. The LORD said to you: It is you who shall be shepherd of my people Israel, you who shall be ruler over Israel." So all the elders of Israel came to the king at Hebron; and King David made a covenant with them at Hebron before the LORD, and they anointed David king over Israel. David was thirty years old when he began to reign, and he reigned forty years. At Hebron he reigned over Judah seven years and six months; and at Jerusalem he reigned over all Israel and Judah thirty-three years.

David occupied the stronghold, and named it the city of David. David built the city all around from the Millo inward. And David became greater and greater, for the LORD, the God of hosts, was with him.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

***People Thanks be to God.***

### **Psalm 48** (*Spoken*)

- 1 Great is the LORD, and highly to be praised; in the city of our God is his holy hill.
- 2 Beautiful and lofty, the joy of all the earth, is the hill of Zion, the very center of the world and the city of the great King.
- 3 God is in her citadels; he is known to be her sure refuge.
- 4 Behold, the kings of the earth assembled and marched forward together.
- 5 They looked and were astounded; they retreated and fled in terror.
- 6 Trembling seized them there; they writhed like a woman in childbirth, like ships of the sea when the east wind shatters them.
- 7 As we have heard, so have we seen, in the city of the LORD of hosts, in the city of our God; God has established her for ever.
- 8 We have waited in silence on your loving-kindness, O God, in the midst of your temple.
- 9 Your praise, like your Name, O God, reaches to the world's end; your right hand is full of justice.
- 10 Let Mount Zion be glad and the cities of Judah rejoice, because of your judgments.
- 11 Make the circuit of Zion; walk round about her; count the number of her towers.
- 12 Consider well her bulwarks; examine her strongholds; that you may tell those who come after.
- 13 This God is our God for ever and ever; he shall be our guide for evermore.

### **The Second Lesson**

### **2 Corinthians 12:2-10**

I know a person in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven-- whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows. And I know that such a person-- whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows-- was caught up into Paradise and heard things that are not to be told, that no mortal is permitted to repeat. On behalf of such a one I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. But if I wish to boast, I will not be a fool, for I will be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think better of me than what is seen in me or heard from me, even considering the exceptional character of the revelations. Therefore, to keep me from being too elated, a thorn was given me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to torment me, to keep me from being too elated. Three times I appealed to the Lord about this, that it would leave me, but he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness." So, I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me. Therefore I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities for the sake of Christ; for whenever I am weak, then I am strong.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

***People Thanks be to God.***

## The Gospel

Mark 6:1-13

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

*People* **Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

Jesus left that place and came to his hometown, and his disciples followed him. On the sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astounded. They said, "Where did this man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands! Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon, and are not his sisters here with us?" And they took offense at him. Then Jesus said to them, "Prophets are not without honor, except in their hometown, and among their own kin, and in their own house." And he could do no deed of power there, except that he laid his hands on a few sick people and cured them. And he was amazed at their unbelief.

Then he went about among the villages teaching. He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. He said to them, "Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them." So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent. They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

*Celebrant* The Gospel of the Lord.

*People* **Praise be to thee, Lord Christ.**

Sermon

The Rev. Bradford A. Rundlett, *Rector*

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.** *(Pause)*

*Leader:* Eternal God, in whose perfect kingdom no sword is drawn but the sword of righteousness, no strength known but the strength of love: **So mightily spread abroad your Spirit, That all peoples may be gathered under the banner of the Prince of Peace, as children of one Father; to whom be dominion and glory, now and for ever. Amen.**

### **Confession of Sin**

*Celebrant* Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God.

All **Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against thee in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and 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 ways, to the glory of thy Name. Amen.**

*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.**

### **The Peace**

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

**People And with thy spirit.**

### **Welcome & Announcements**

#### **The Offering**

*Celebrant* "Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God."  
*Ephesians 5:2*

## **The Holy Communion**

### **The Great Thanksgiving**

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

**People And with thy spirit.**

*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 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. Who by water and the Holy Spirit hast made us a new people in Jesus Christ our Lord, to show forth thy glory in all the world. Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

*Celebrant and People*

***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.***

*The people stand or kneel.*

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 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.***

## **The Fraction**

*Celebrant* Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

*People* ***Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!***

*Celebrant* The Gifts of God for the People of God.



## The Administration of Communion

### Postcommunion Prayer

*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 Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.**

### The Blessing

#### Dismissal

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

*People* **Thanks be to God! Alleluia!**

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## Assisting in the Preparation and Conduct of Worship

### Altar Guild

Carol Sinclair, Jean Lammers, Adaku Nwachukwu, Liz Ward

### Counters

Keith Pinkard, Tina Pinkard

### Ushers

8:00 a.m. Kent Miller, Bill Outerbridge

10:00 a.m. Vincent Donnelly, Jim McKenney

### Greeters

8:00 a.m. Pat Rhoads

10:00 a.m. Hollis Colie, Deke Smith

### Lay Eucharistic Ministers

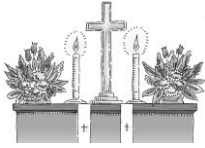
8:00 a.m. Peter Horsfield, Marie Lally, Rose Berberich

10:00 a.m. Bill Odio, Betsy Knoizen-Bosworth, Keith Sinclair, Adaku Nwachukwu, Vilma Lemus, Sean Brady, Michael Cook

### Acolytes

10:00 a.m. Ike Mbonu, Gustavo Bonilla, Alexis Guardado

## Altar Flowers



***Today's altar flowers are given by the people of God to the Glory of God.***

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.



### Thank You for Making A Difference!

Thank you to... **Jane Perry** for serving as substitute and providing lovely music at today's service!

*Have someone you'd like to thank for contributing to St. Timothy's in some way? Send an email to [thanks@saint-timothys.org](mailto:thanks@saint-timothys.org) with the person's name and what they did, and we will thank them in a future bulletin & eNews.*



**STEPHEN  
MINISTRY**

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

Beth Hwoschinsky  
703.450.8599

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

*Only ministry related events are listed. Visit [www.saint-timothys.org](http://www.saint-timothys.org) and click on the calendar link to see the full calendar.*

Day	Time	Event	Location
<b>Sunday 7/5</b>	8 & 10 a.m.	Holy Eucharist Services	Sanctuary
	9:15 a.m.	Summer Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
	7 p.m.	Estudios Biblicos ( <i>en español</i> )	B1
<b>Monday 7/6</b>	ALL DAY	Church Office Closed	Church Office
	7 p.m.	BSA Troop 159 Meeting	Henry Hall
<b>Tuesday 7/7</b>	No Events Currently Scheduled		
<b>Wednesday 7/8</b>	12:15 p.m.	Holy Eucharist & Healing Service	Sanctuary
<b>Thursday 7/9</b>	No Events Currently Scheduled		
<b>Friday 7/10</b>	No Events Currently Scheduled		
<b>Saturday 7/11</b>	9 a.m.	Altar Guild	Sanctuary, AG Rm, HH
	7 p.m.	La Asamblea	Sanctuary & HH
<b>Sunday 7/12</b>	8 & 10 a.m.	Holy Eucharist Services	Sanctuary
	9:15 a.m.	Summer Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
	11:30 a.m.	Calendar Summit Meeting	B1
	7 p.m.	Estudios Biblicos ( <i>en español</i> )	B1



## Happy Birthday To You!!!

- Sun. 7/5** Jennifer Kammer  
**Mon. 7/6** Sarah Laible, John Sobchak, Matt Schumann, Maggie Weaver  
**Tue. 7/7** Sarah Daly, Stephen Ward, Jamie Ogden, Gabriel Fang-Weeden  
**Thurs. 7/9** Anita Palmer, Michael Louis III  
**Fri. 7/10** Ben Wolo, Brian Horne, Natalie Dubishar  
**Sat. 7/11** Duncan Hutcheon, Kathy Maser, Sally Cowan, Justin Henry, Cassandra Parker

## Mission of St. Timothy's, Vestry Update

May Giving: \$47,848    Monthly Expenses: \$58,250    YTD Deficit: \$27,047

Monthly giving needed (Jun-Dec): \$62,114.

Please discuss any questions with a Vestry member. The next vestry meeting is scheduled for July 27 at 7:30 p.m. in B1.

## General Announcements

### **Save The Date- Farewell for Father Brad on August 9**

Mark your calendars for August 9 as we hold our farewell celebration for our beloved Rector, Father Brad, as he retires. This will be Father Brad's last Sunday here at Saint Timothy's as Rector. The celebration will be held at noon in Henry Hall. We will provide more information about this event in next week's eNews and Bulletin.

### **Vacation Bible School Needs**

Vacation Bible School is the week of July 20-24. If you have any of the following items you can donate, please email Christine Hoyle at christineh@saint-timothys.org. If you need your items returned, please make sure you put your name on the items so they get returned to the correct person! Thank you in advance.

#### For outdoor games:

- 6 coiled ropes
- 3 large camping backpacks
- 3-4 small blankets
- 3 packed sleeping bags

#### General Decoration Items:

- 2 canopy tents
- Coiled ropes
- Old table cloths or blankets  
*(dark or light brown or cream colored)*

#### Snacks for volunteers (can be dropped off ahead of time or during the week of VBS):

- |                 |                 |                       |
|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| - Water bottles | - Bags of Chips | - Cereal bars Cookies |
| - Yogurt        | - Muffins       | - Brownies            |

NO PEANUT PRODUCTS! PLEASE READ LABELS.

Thank you very much!

### **Church Office Closure**

The church office will be closed on Monday, July 6. **Thank you!**

## **General Announcements** *(Continued)*

### **Backpack Drive: July 5 – August 9**

Cornerstones, in cooperation with Kids R First, is collecting backpacks this summer for kids in need. We can only accept newly purchased backpacks, and regret that we cannot take bags with wheels or corporate logos. Larger sized (25-30 liter size) backpacks are preferred. Last year we reached our goal of 50 backpacks—so we have increased this year's goal to 65. Thank you for your support! Starting July 5, drop off your donations in Henry Hall and the Service Ministry will deliver the backpacks to Cornerstones. Please contact Jill Norcross, 703-587-4098 or [jillnorcross@verizon.net](mailto:jillnorcross@verizon.net) with any questions. The Service Ministry appreciates your generosity in putting your faith to work.

### **Sign Up To Be An Acolyte**

Would you like to be a part of the worship service? You can be a torch bearer (2nd grade - 6th grade), server (6th - 8th grade) or crucifer (9th - 12th grade). Training is available! Contact Maria LaWalt, 703-318-9838 or [mjlawalt@verizon.net](mailto:mjlawalt@verizon.net) if you have any questions. If you've already been trained, please use the Sign Up Genius link <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0549ABA82AAA8-sttimothys4>

### **Acolyte/Parent Get-Together**

If you are between the ages of 6 and 18 or if you are the parent of someone that age, this announcement is for you! St. Tim's is hosting two Acolyte Get-Togethers in July and August. On Sunday, July 12 at 1 p.m., we will be having a cookout at the home of Chris and Cheryl Brock. We will also host a breakfast on Saturday, August 15 at 9 a.m. at St. Tim's.

This will be a time of fellowship and fun – a chance to catch up with other acolytes/parents, as well as a chance for new kids/parents to find out about the Acolyte program. As you know, we are experiencing many changes at St. Tim's, and this means we are in need of even more great kids and parents to support our Sunday Services. No experience is needed, just a willingness to make our beautiful Sunday worship even more meaningful. So join us on Sunday, July 12 or Saturday, August 15 for fun, information, and fellowship! If you have any questions, please contact Cheryl Brock at [Maggie.brock2@gmail.com](mailto:Maggie.brock2@gmail.com) or 571-228-6908.

### **Rector's Retirement Gift**

Our beloved rector, Fr. Brad Rundlett, will retire on August 9 after 21 years of faithful service to Saint Timothy's. If you would like to contribute towards a financial gift for him and his family in honor of their service, you can do so through the offering any Sunday through August 2, via mail to the church office, or by going to the giving page of our website to give via credit card! Write "Rector's Retirement Fund" on the envelope and the check memo line.

### **View Point Book Club**

St. Timothy's View Point Book Club will be reading "What Alice Forgot" by Liane Moriarty during July and will hopefully meet on Saturday, August 1 to share opinions and reviews. The book is available from the book bag in front of the church mail boxes near the office. Please sign the card within if you take a copy. If you cannot attend the gathering at Panera Bread, Elden St. at 9:30 a.m. on August 1, please return your book to church on or before August 2. Everyone is welcome. For further information please contact Jill Cox on 703-963-8251 or e-mail [jillcoxva@Verizon.net](mailto:jillcoxva@Verizon.net).

## **General Announcements** *(Continued)*

### **Calendar Summit in July**

Ministry reps are encouraged to attend the Calendar Summit for the second half of 2015 on Sunday, July 12 at 11:30 am in B1. The summit will focus on church events planned for July through December of 2015. If you represent a ministry, fund raising group or other group that requires church facilities and/or clergy participation please attend this meeting. Discussion will review established church schedules, such as Advent, and will coordinate ministry plans to encourage a balanced calendar. If a ministry rep cannot attend the meeting, please send an email regarding the proposed calendar for your ministry to shonbeury@aol.com and the request will be included in the overview and discussion. Feel free to contact Shon Beury for more details.

### **Shawl Ministry- *Be loved, be blessed, be warm, be comforted.***

Hundreds of our church family members, friends, and loved ones have received our prayer shawls, lap robes, and baby blankets with the message of love, hope, and healing. Each item is hand-knitted or crocheted in prayer for that special person and, when completed, is blessed by our loving hands. In addition to the church praying for your loved one, allow the Shawl Ministry to offer a tangible gift. All acts of kindness enrich the giver as well as the recipient. Please request a shawl, a lap robe, or a baby blanket and put it in the Shawl Ministry mail box, located in the beige metal boxes in the hall between the Narthex and church offices. You can find request forms on the table in the hall as you enter the church. When the item is completed and blessed, a member of the Shawl Ministry will give it to the requestor. Our Shawl Ministry motto is, "*Be loved, be blessed, be warm, be comforted.*"

**Saint Timothy's Welcomes  
Father Mark Michael, *Interim Rector*,  
on Sunday, July 19.**



Father Mark Michael joins St Timothy's with a broad perspective shaped by his 12 years of experience working previously as the rector of Christ Episcopal Church in Cooperstown, New York and St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Sharpsburg, Maryland, and his tenure as a boarding school chaplain at St. James in Hagerstown, Maryland. Father Mark has been particularly active in liturgy and preaching, ministry with children and families, Christian education, and evangelism, and is excited by our focus on outreach ministry in many different parts of the world.

Father Mark has formal interim ministry training and was recommended to us by the Director of Transition Ministry for the Diocese of Virginia. He has also earned honors degrees from Duke and Oxford Universities. He blogs at <http://companyoftheblessed.blogspot.com/>. Father Mark is married to Pastor Allison Michael, a Lutheran minister. They have two sons—Phillip, who is six, and Peter, who is three. We are excited to welcome them into our community—please be sure to introduce yourself!



## **Saint Timothy's Prayer List**

Dave, Mabel, Melissa, Paige, Phyllis, Pam, Cheryl, Diane, Catherine, Matthew, Julie, Eric, Sandy, John, Doug, Grace, Sean, Natalie, Damion, Patricia, Ed, Lynn, Carrie, Dillon, William, Jesse, Carol, Ross, Anna, Drew, Charlotte, Michael, Jac, Pat, Tom, Mary, Patricia, Reese, Mike and Lisa, Nancy, Dora, Barbara, Pete & Emily and family, Pat, Anne, Dora, Barbara, Nancy, Tom, the family of Paul Powenski, Phyllis, Nadejda, Mikko, Nina, George, Elizabeth, Christopher, Jace, Maloney/LaRe families, Lynn, Claudine, Geoff, Rick, John, Donna, the McGrath Family, Margaret, John, Sally, Jim, Christine, Katie, Lilly, Cookie, Kathleen, Susie, Beth, Margaret, Beth and Joe, Evelyn, Joel, Eustace, Loy, Jerry, John, the Hannam family, Bruce, Nikki & family, Karen, Sarah, Micki, Ralph, Judy, Maria, Mr. & Mrs. Morgan, Lorna, Marie, John, Joni and Jamie and the family of Rose Morgan, David, Marty Burke, Sue, Dolores, Chris, Dr. Sakr, Emily, Christine, Jim, Sally, Jerry, Jeanne, Bill, Steve, Ruth, the family of Eric, Lois Shepherd, Milan, Debbie, Linda, Jean, Dale, the Coronado family, Daphne, Averill, Wayne, Margie, Barbara and family, Eric, Debbie, Phyllis, Fuller family, Horace, and Dorothy.

**Please Note:** *To add a request please email [Prayer@saint-timothys.org](mailto: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.*

## **Bulletin & eNews Submissions Reminder**

*Submissions for both the weekly bulletin and eNews are due Wednesdays by 9 a.m. of the week they are published unless otherwise communicated. If you would like to submit a church related announcement, you can email the Parish Administrator at [office@saint-timothys.org](mailto:office@saint-timothys.org). You will receive a reply email to confirm your submission was received.*