

Sunday, August 23, 2015

Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

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8:00 a.m.



Fawns at the Outdoor Chapel Photographer, Craig Dubishar

#### Sunday Services

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

## **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. Mark A. Michael, Interim Rector (x.12) **Mrs. Christine Hoyle,** *Director of Children/Youth Ministries* (x.17) **Mr. Kevin Hamilton**, Director of Parish Operations (x.10) Ms. Helen Guest, Director of Saint Timothy's Preschool Ms. Alba Padilla & Ms. Maria Pariona, Nursery Attendants

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## Thirteenth 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."

Prelude

Elegy

George Thalben Ball (1896 –1987)

## 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.* 

#### Summary of the Law

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.

#### Kyrie

Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

#### **Gloria in Excelsis**

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.

Grant, we beseech thee, merciful God, that thy Church, being gathered together in unity by thy Holy Spirit, may manifest thy power among all peoples, to the glory of thy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the same Spirit, one God, world without end. *Amen.* 

#### The Lessons

## A Reading from 1 Kings 8:22-30, 41-43

Then Solomon stood before the altar of the LORD in the presence of all the assembly of Israel, and spread out his hands to heaven. He said, "O LORD, God of Israel, there is no God like you in heaven above or on earth beneath, keeping covenant and steadfast love for your servants who walk before you with all their heart, the covenant that you kept for your servant my father David as you declared to him; you promised with your mouth and have this day fulfilled with your hand. Therefore, O LORD, God of Israel, keep for your servant my father David that which you promised him, saying, "There shall never fail you a successor before me to sit on the throne of Israel, if only your children look to their way, to walk before me as you have walked before me." Therefore, O God of Israel, let your word be confirmed, which you promised to your servant my father David.

"But will God indeed dwell on the earth? Even heaven and the highest heaven cannot contain you, much less this house that I have built! Regard your servant's prayer and his plea, O LORD my God, heeding the cry and the prayer that your servant prays to you today; that your eyes may be open night and day toward this house, the place of which you said, 'My name shall be there,' that you may heed the prayer that your servant prays toward this place.

Hear the plea of your servant and of your people Israel when they pray toward this place; O hear in heaven your dwelling place; heed and forgive.

"Likewise when a foreigner, who is not of your people Israel, comes from a distant land because of your name -- for they shall hear of your great name, your mighty hand, and your outstretched arm--when a foreigner comes and prays toward this house, then hear in heaven your dwelling place, and do according to all that the foreigner calls to you, so that all the peoples of the earth may know your name and fear you, as do your people Israel, and so that they may know that your name has been invoked on this house that I have built."

Reader The Word of the Lord.

#### People Thanks be to God.

#### Psalm 84 (Spoken)

- 1 How dear to me is your dwelling, O LORD of hosts! My soul has a desire and longing for the courts of the LORD; my heart and my flesh rejoice in the living God.
- 2 The sparrow has found her a house and the swallow a nest where she may lay her young; by the side of your altars, O LORD of hosts, my King and my God.
- 3 Happy are they who dwell in your house! they will always be praising you.
- 4 Happy are the people whose strength is in you! whose hearts are set on the pilgrims' way.
- 5 Those who go through the desolate valley will find it a place of springs, for the early rains have covered it with pools of water.
- 6 They will climb from height to height, and the God of gods will reveal himself in Zion.
- 7 LORD God of hosts, hear my prayer; hearken, O God of Jacob.
- 8 Behold our defender, O God; and look upon the face of your Anointed.
- 9 For one day in your courts is better than a thousand in my own room, and to stand at the threshold of the house of my God than to dwell in the tents of the wicked.
- 10 For the LORD God is both sun and shield; he will give grace and glory;
- 11 No good thing will the LORD withhold from those who walk with integrity.
- 12 O LORD of hosts, happy are they who put their trust in you!

### A Reading from Ephesians 6:10-20

Be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his power. Put on the whole armor of God, so that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. For our struggle is not against enemies of blood and flesh, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers of this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places. Therefore take up the whole armor of God, so that you may be able to withstand on that evil day, and having done everything, to stand firm. Stand therefore, and fasten the belt of truth around your waist, and put on the breastplate of righteousness. As shoes for your feet put on whatever will make you ready to proclaim the gospel of peace. With all of these, take the shield of faith, with which you will be able to quench all the flaming arrows of the evil one. Take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.

Pray in the Spirit at all times in every prayer and supplication. To that end keep alert and always persevere in supplication for all the saints. Pray also for me, so that when I speak, a message may be given to me to make known with boldness the mystery of the gospel, for which I am an ambassador in chains. Pray that I may declare it boldly, as I must speak.

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

#### Holy Gospel; John 6:56-69

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

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

Jesus said, "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." He said these things while he was teaching in the synagogue at Capernaum.

When many of his disciples heard it, they said, "This teaching is difficult; who can accept it?" But Jesus, being aware that his disciples were complaining about it, said to them, "Does this offend you? Then what if you were to see the Son of Man ascending to where he was before? It is the spirit that gives life; the flesh is useless. The words that I have spoken to you are spirit and life. But among you there are some who do not believe." For Jesus knew from the first who were the ones that did not believe, and who was the one that would betray him. And he said, "For this reason I have told you that no one can come to me unless it is granted by the Father."

Because of this many of his disciples turned back and no longer went about with him. So Jesus asked the twelve, "Do you also wish to go away?" Simon Peter answered him, "Lord, to whom can we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and know that you are the Holy One of God."

*Celebrant* The Gospel of the Lord. *People Praise be to thee, Lord Christ.* 

#### Sermon

#### The Rev. Mark A. Michael, Interim Rector

The Nicene Creed I believe in one God. the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible; And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried; and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of the Father; and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end. And I believe in the Holy Ghost the Lord, and Giver of Life, who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spake by the Prophets. And I believe one holy Catholic and Apostolic Church; I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins; and I look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

#### The Prayers of the People

*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.

Give grace, O heavenly Father, to all bishops and other ministers especially Katherine, Shannon, Susan, and Ted, that they may, both by their life and doctrine, set forth thy true and lively Word, and rightly and duly administer thy holy Sacraments.

And to all thy people give thy heavenly grace, and especially to this congregation here present; that, with 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.

We beseech thee also so to rule the hearts of those who bear the authority of government in this and every land, especially Barack our president, Terry our governor, and Lisa our mayor, that they may be led to wise decisions and right actions for the welfare and peace of the world.

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.

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.

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 Saint Timothy all thy saints, that with them we may be partakers of thy heavenly kingdom.

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

#### **Confession of Sin**

Celebrant Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God.

All Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, maker of all things, judge of all men: We acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness, which we from time to time most grievously have committed, by thought, word, and deed, against thy divine Majesty, provoking most justly thy wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent, and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; the remembrance of them is grievous unto us, the burden of them is intolerable. Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; for thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please thee in newness of life, to the honor and glory of thy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### Absolution

*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 Comfortable Words

Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him.

Come unto me, all ye that travail and are heavy laden, and I will refresh you. Matthew 11:28

God so loved the world, that he gave his only-begotten Son, to the end that all that believe in him should not perish, but have everlasting life. *John 3:16* 

#### The Peace

*Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you. *People And with thy spirit.* 

#### Welcome & Announcements

## The Offering

*Celebrant* "I waited patiently for the Lord, and he inclined unto me, and heard my calling, and he put a new song in my mouth, even a thanksgiving unto our God." *Ps. 40:1,3* 

## The Holy Communion

## Offertory

"Faith"

Felix Mendelssohn (1809 –1847)

## The Great Thanksgiving

CelebrantThe Lord be with you.PeopleAnd with thy spirit.CelebrantLift up your hearts.PeopleWe lift them to the Lord.CelebrantLet us give thanks unto our Lord God.PeopleIt 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,

## The Sanctus

Celebrant and People Holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts: Heaven and earth are full of thy glory. Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.

#### Benedictus

Celebrant and People 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.

#### Agnus Dei

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, grant us thy peace.

#### **Prayer of Humble Access**

We do not presume to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy Table. But thou art the same Lord whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

#### The Administration of Communion

*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.

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

## The Blessing

*Priest* 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.* 

#### Dismissal

Celebrant Alleluia! Let us go forth in the name of Christ! People Thanks be to God! Alleluia!

Postlude

"Crown Imperial"

Edward Elgar (1857-1934

# Assisting in the Preparation and Conduct of Worship

Altar Guild

Linda Grantham, Mary McLenigan, Stephanie Wolo, Sandy Wright

<u>Counters</u>

Andy Hamm, Jan Lyons

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

8:00 a.m. Hal Hallett, Robin Mullett 10:00 a.m. Emilia Mbonu, Olga Marinenko

Greeters

8:00 a.m. Bill Outerbridge 10:00 a.m. Muriel Turner, Jill Cox

## Lay Eucharistic Ministers

8:00 a.m. Peter Horsfield, Hector Coronado, Jane Perry 10:00 a.m. Dave Parker, Duncan Hutcheon, Donna Marie Barrett, Adaku Nwachukwu, Michael Cook, Jane Perry

Acolytes

10:00 a.m. Ike Mbonu



## Today's Altar Flowers Are Donated By... Mary Perry In Loving Memory of James Daley!

If you would like to remember a loved one who has departed this life, give thanks 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... **Craig Dubishar** for using his gifts and talents in the area of photography to capture many precious memories of Baptisms, Special Events, and much more here at Saint Timothy's!

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

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

Beth Hwoschinsky 703.450.8599 Peter Hwoschinsky 703.450.8599



# Church Events @ St. Tim's This Week

Only ministry related events are listed. Visit www.saint-timothys.org and click on the calendar link to see the full calendar.

Day	Time	Event	Location
Sunday 8/23	8 & 10 a.m.	Holy Eucharist Services	Sanctuary
	9:15 a.m.	Summer Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
	11:30 a.m.	Pastoral Care Team Meeting	B1
	7 p.m.	Estudios Biblicos (en español)	B1
Monday 8/24	7 p.m.	BSA Troop 159 Meeting	Henry Hall
	7:30 p.m.	Vestry Meeting	B1
Tuesday 8/25	No Meetings Currently Scheduled		
Wednesday 8/26	12:15 p.m.	Holy Eucharist / Healing Service	Sanctuary
Thursday 8/27	No Meetings Currently Scheduled		
Friday 8/28	No Meetings Currently Scheduled		
Saturday 8/29	9 a.m.	Altar Guild	Sanctuary, AG Rm, HH
	2 p.m.	ECW Meeting	B1
	7 p.m.	La Asamblea	Sanctuary & HH
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# Happy Birthday To You!!!

- Sun. 8/23 Theodore Milans
- Mon. 8/24 Jennifer Jones, Ryan Lanberg
- Tue. 8/25 David Coyle, Catherine Bacha, Sabrina Franco
- Wed. 8/26 Jim Wallis Jr., Pamela Gjormand, Marilyn Maginniss, Beth Rock, Caroline Beury
- Thu. 8/27 Sheri Bobko
- Fri. 8/28 Kathy Dussault, Sonia Wieczorek
- Sat. 8/29 Rose Berberich, Chris Gjormand, Caitlyn Maginniss
- Sun. 8/30 Linda Kennedy, Elizabeth Stewart, Eric Stewart, Nicki Dubishar, Colby Gardiner

# Mission of St. Timothy's, Vestry Update

July Giving: \$ 49,468.00 <u>Monthly Expenses</u>: \$58,250 <u>YTD Deficit</u>: \$ 41,106.00 <u>Monthly giving needed (Aug-Dec):</u> \$ 66,471.00.

The next meeting of the Vestry is scheduled for August 24 at 7:30 p.m. in B1. The Vestry will be identifying priorities for developing the 2016 budget in the coming months. Members of the congregation are invited to attend, and input on Vestry matters is welcomed at any time. Adjustments to current year pledges are welcome as necessary. Please contact the parish administrator at office@saint-timothys.org / 703-437-3790.



## **General Announcements**

#### Mark Your Calendars!

On Sunday, September 13, St. Timothy's will transition back to our traditional schedule with services at 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. However, we want to ensure that we learn from our summer schedule experiment. What did you like (or not) about the summer service schedule? Email Vestry member Brian Flusche (fluscheb@gmail.com) with your feedback!

#### We Welcome Our New Interim Director Of Music, Dr. Donna Whited!

Dr. Whited has professional degrees in organ from the University of Kansas, University of Michigan and the Eastman School of Music and has served as organist and director (adult, children's and bell choirs) at many different churches throughout her long career. She has also been an organ recitalist at prestigious venues throughout the United States and in Europe.

In the Washington area, she has served predominately Episcopal congregations since 2006, most recently, Holy Cross Episcopal Church in Dunn Loring, Virginia where she directed an adult and children's choir. A Reston resident, she maintains an active piano studio. Dr. Whited will assume the full responsibilities of our former Director of Music beginning on September 1.

#### Tonight Is Youth Bowling Night With Fr. Mark - August 23, 7-9 p.m.

Come out to Bowl America to meet Fr. Mark and catch up with your youth group friends (for rising 6th - 12 grade youth). Bring money for bowling and snacks. We want everyone to participate, so if you need assistance contact Christine at christineh@saint-timothys.org.

Bowl America, 46940 Woodson Dr, Sterling, VA 20164

#### Saint Timothy's Viewpoint Book Club.

St. Timothy's Viewpoint Book Club will read "Still Life With Bread Crumbs" by Anna Quindlen during August and intends to meet on Saturday, August 29 at 9:30 a.m. at Panera Bread, Elden Street, Herndon. Copies of the book are available from the book bag adjacent to the mailboxes outside the office at church or online from your local library etc. If you take a book, please be kind enough to leave your name on the attached list. For further information, please contact Jill Cox on 703-963-8251 or e-mail: jillcoxva@verizon.net. All are welcome.

#### ¡Todos Son Bienvenidos!

Padre Adolfo Moronta, el sacerdote nuevo de la Iglesia San Marco en Alexandria celebrará la Santa Eucaristía en Espanol aquí en la iglesia el 29 de Agosto en 7-:00. Todos son bienvenidos.

#### Giving Statements For January - July Available For Pick-up In The Narthex.

Statements are available on a table in the Narthex, sorted alphabetically by last name. All statements not picked up by Sunday, August 30 will be mailed Monday, August 31. This statement reflects donations to Saint Tim's from January 1 - July 31, 2015. If you have any questions about your statement, please contact the Parish Administrator at office@saint-timothys.org.

#### Stewardship Ministry Meeting On Wednesday, September 2 @ 7 p.m.

The Stewardship Ministry will hold a meeting on Wednesday, September 2 at 7 p.m. in B1. Stop by if you are interested in finding out more about this ongoing ministry. This would be a great time to join us as we begin planning for our 2016 Stewardship campaign! If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Stephanie Kenis at stephanie.kenis@verizon.net.

## General Announcements (Continued)

#### Lay Eucharistic Ministers And Vergers Meeting On September 12 at 9 a.m.

A meeting will be held on Saturday morning, September 12 from 9 - 11 a.m. in the sanctuary to review procedures for the return to three services. If you are unable to attend, please contact Jane Perry or Father Mark.

#### Welcome Home Sunday; September 13 From 12:30 p.m. To 3 p.m.!

Everyone is invited to share a time of fellowship with a simple barbecue, games for children and adults, and a petting zoo; all with plenty of time to greet old and new friends at the start of a new year for St. Tim's. There are lists on the table outside of the church offices for you to sign up and perhaps donate a small side dish, salad, or dessert. We also request the loan of gazebos/canopies to provide some shade and also for ice chests and bags of ice. Please come and chat informally with Fr. Mark and his family and welcome them and other new members of the church family. For info. please contact Jill Cox on 703-93-8251 or e-mail: jillcoxva@verizon.net.

#### Consider A Busy Person's Retreat.

Would you like to spend some quality time in meditation and to receive some spiritual direction, but don't have time to get away to a monastery or retreat center? Father Mark will be leading a "busy person's retreat" for five people about discerning your call to serve God over six weeks, beginning September 20. We will be using a book called "Ears to Hear" by Bishop Ed Little, which focuses on Biblical leaders who heard and responded to God's call. He will prepare daily meditation materials for you, and will meet with you for a half hour once a week at a time that is convenient for you to discuss your progress. The group will celebrate together at the end of the retreat. You need to be able to set aside at least a half hour each day for prayer and meditation to participate, and please don't sign up unless you will be here all six (we will offer this again). Sign up by emailing Father Mark at markm@saint-timothys.org. Participation will be on first come, first service.

#### Chapoteau Mission Trip Informational Meeting, Sunday, September 20!

The annual mission trip to Chapoteau, Haiti is scheduled for November 4 - 9. This trip is a transforming opportunity to experience the poorest country in the Western Hemisphere, (re)connect in hope with our friends and partners in Haiti, and interact with the teachers and children of Saint Mathieu's School first hand! Rev. (Pere) Wisnel Dejardin will be hosting us this year! Whether you are ready to sign up or just curious to know more about the ministry, feel free to attend this informational meeting. The deadline to sign up for the mission trip is September 21. If you have any questions about the trip or the informational meeting, email TeamHaiti@saint-timothys.org!

#### Workplace Visits And Blessings.

Father Mark will be available for workplace visits and blessings in September. He would be pleased to visit you at your workplace and to offer special prayers for the way you serve God there. A calendar and an online signup system will be available next week.

## General Announcements (Continued)

#### Haiti Ministry Update.

Our work in Haiti now has an official "Haiti Ministry," which has been busy this summer building partnerships with other churches, fostering progress with meter gardens in Chapoteau (the first crop of spinach was just harvested!), and preparing for the start of the school year September 7. Plans are also underway for the November Mission Trip. If you are interested in being a part of this Ministry, please contact Ministry Chair Shon Beury (shonbeury@aol.com), and consider supporting the Ministry and the upcoming Mission Trip with a donation. Thank You.

## 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, 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, 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, Dorothy, Laura, the Diaz Family, Muriel, Annette, Mabel, Quarty family, John, McGrath Family, Dugo family, Max, Mary Lee, and James.

**<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.

#### Bulletin & eNews Submissions Reminder

Submissions for both the weekly bulletin and eNews are due <u>Wednesdays by 9 a.m.</u> 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. You will receive a reply email to confirm your submission was received.