



St. Timothy's Episcopal Church

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Sunday, March 27, 2016

Easter Sunday

8 a.m.



The Altar

Craig Dubishar, *Photographer*

Sunday Schedule

8 a.m.- Spoken Eucharist - Rite I

9:30 a.m.- Choral Eucharist - Rite II

11 a.m.- Choral Eucharist - Rite II

There will be no Adult, Youth, or Children's Christian Education classes today, Easter Sunday. Children and youth attend services with their families today.

The Daily Office (20 Minute Service): Wednesday & Thursday This Week

Morning Prayer @ 8:45 a.m. Wednesday/Thursday this week- no evening prayer on these days.

Wednesday Healing Prayer & Eucharist

12:15 p.m.

Saturday Service in Spanish (*español*)

7:30 p.m. Santa Eucharistia

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.

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Vestry

Senior Warden – Robert Henry

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Hal Hallett

Duane Hartge- *Alternate*

Stephanie Kenis

Bob Kimmel

Vilma Lemus

Susy Nixon

Eugene Nkomba

Bill Outerbridge

Trustees

Tom McLenigan, Keith Sinclair, Deke Smith

Easter Sunday

Holy Eucharist: Rite I

Prelude

The Word of God

At the tolling of the bell, all stand.

The Opening Acclamation

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ is risen!

People ***The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!***

The Collect for 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.

Almighty God, who through thine only begotten Son Jesus Christ hast overcome death and opened unto us the gate of everlasting life: Grant that we, who celebrate with joy the day of the Lord's resurrection, may be raised from the death of sin by thy life-giving Spirit; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the same Spirit ever, one God, world without end. ***Amen.***

The Lessons

A Reading from Acts 10:34-43

Peter began to speak to Cornelius and the other Gentiles: "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ--he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24

- 1 Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; his mercy endures for ever.
- 2 Let Israel now proclaim, "His mercy endures for ever."
- 14 The LORD is my strength and my song, and he has become my salvation.
- 15 There is a sound of exultation and victory in the tents of the righteous:
- 16 "The right hand of the LORD has triumphed! the right hand of the LORD is exalted!
the right hand of the LORD has triumphed!"
- 17 I shall not die, but live, and declare the works of the LORD.
- 18 The LORD has punished me sorely, but he did not hand me over to death.
- 19 Open for me the gates of righteousness; I will enter them;
I will offer thanks to the LORD.
- 20 "This is the gate of the LORD; he who is righteous may enter."
- 21 I will give thanks to you, for you answered me and have become my salvation.
- 22 The same stone which the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone.
- 23 This is the LORD'S doing, and it is marvelous in our eyes.
- 24 On this day the LORD has acted; we will rejoice and be glad in it.

A Reading from 1 Corinthians 15:19-26

But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died. For since death came through a human being, the resurrection of the dead has also come through a human being; for as all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ. But each in his own order: Christ the first fruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ. Then comes the end, when he hands over the kingdom to God the Father, after he has destroyed every ruler and every authority and power. For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet. The last enemy to be destroyed is death.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Holy Gospel; Luke 24:1-12

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

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

On the first day of the week, at early dawn, the women who had come with Jesus from Galilee came to the tomb, taking the spices that they had prepared. They found the stone rolled away from the tomb, but when they went in, they did not find the body. While they were perplexed about this, suddenly two men in dazzling clothes stood beside them. The women were terrified and bowed their faces to the ground, but the men said to them, “Why do you look for the living among the dead?

He is not here, but has risen. Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, that the Son of Man must be handed over to sinners, and be crucified, and on the third day rise again.” Then they remembered his words, and returning from the tomb, they told all this to the eleven and to all the rest. Now it was Mary Magdalene, Joanna, Mary the mother of James, and the other women with them who told this to the apostles. But these words seemed to them an idle tale, and they did not believe them. But Peter got up and ran to the tomb; stooping and looking in, he saw the linen cloths by themselves; then he went home, amazed at what had happened.

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 to Michael, 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 *especially Carlos* and 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 and 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.

The Prayer For Our Rector Search

Heavenly Father, thank you for your infinite blessings and for making us instruments of your holy work during this time of renewal and discernment, as we prepare to welcome our new Rector to St. Timothy's.

Holy Spirit, thank you for guiding, inspiring and strengthening us so that we may glorify God through our work. Open our hearts to one another in God's love, patience and joy during this time of spiritual growth and decision.

Lord Jesus, thank you for keeping us united in your grace, hope and love as we minister to each other during our time of transition. Grant us faith to appreciate one another and shepherd us toward your will in selecting a new Rector.

We are most grateful for the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit. Amen

Confession of Sin

Celebrant Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God.

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 "The earth trembled, and was still when God arose to judgment." *Ps. 76:8-9*

The Holy Communion

Offertory

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 unto our Lord God.

People *It is meet and right so to do.*

Celebrant It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God. But chiefly we are bound to praise thee for the glorious resurrection of thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the very Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and hath taken away the sin of the world; who by his death hath destroyed death, and by his rising to life again hath won for us everlasting life. 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, 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**

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.

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.

Solemn Blessing of Easter

May Almighty God, who has redeemed us and made us his children through the resurrection of his Son our Lord, bestow upon you the riches of his blessing. ***Amen.***

May God, who through the water of baptism has raised us from sin into newness of life, make you holy and worthy to be united with Christ for ever. ***Amen.***

May God, who has brought us out of bondage to sin into true and lasting freedom in the Redeemer, bring you to your eternal inheritance. ***Amen.***

And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you, and remain with you for ever. ***Amen.***

Dismissal

Celebrant Alleluia! Alleluia! Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

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

Assisting in the Preparation and Conduct of Worship

Altar Guild		Jean Lammers, Adaku Nwachukwu, Carol Sinclair, Liz Ward
Counters		Andy Hamm, Jan Lyons
Ushers	8 am	Robin Mullet, Tom Rust
	9:30 am	Jim McKenney, Vincent Donnelly, Dave Gough, Bill Bate
	11 am	Olga Marinenko, Hugh Masters, Patty Masters, Juventino Rodriguez-Serrano, Emilia Mbonu, Chris James
Greeters	8 am	Beth Hwoschinsky, Peter Hwoschinsky
	9:30 am	Dave Tigar
	11 am	Muriel Turner
Lay	8 am	Diane Miller, Peter Horsfield
Eucharistic Ministers	9:30 am	Danny Wechtenhiser, Keith Sinclair, Edna Whittick, Jane Burkett, Donna Marie Barrett, Cheryl Brock, Taylor Poindexter.
	11 am	Liz Ward, David Parker, Bill Odio, Taylor Poindexter
	9:30 am	Gabe Fang-Weeden, Max Fang-Weeden
Acolytes	11 am	Camille Koenig, Chudi Mbonu, Ike Mbonu, Julius Koenig

Altar Flowers (Easter Flower Dedications listed in the back of the bulletin today)

If you would like to remember a loved one who has departed this life or give thanksgiving for family and friends, please complete a Flower Envelope or call the office at 703-437-3790.

thank
you!

Thank You for Making A Difference!

Thanks to 16 of Saint Tim's finest, the Spring Clean-up was a great success.

Thanks go out to **Mike, Paige, Lorna, Robert, Hollis, Bob, Milan, Liz, Andy, Hal, John, Jane, Bill, Eugene, Mark and Marty** for help making the church a little brighter and cleaner!

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

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Last Names A-F, please bring treats for Coffee Hour on April 3.

We need your help to make our coffee hour a success. Please bring in a treat, pastry, or snack to share with others. Simply place whatever you've brought on the table in Henry Hall before you head into the service.

Upcoming: Last Names **G - L** on April 10.

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 3/27	8, 9:30 & 11 a.m.	Easter Holy Eucharist	Sanctuary
	9 a.m.	Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
	Aft 11 am Srvc	Easter Egg Hunt	Outdoor (HH if raining)
	7 p.m.	Estudios Biblicos (<i>en español</i>)	B1
Monday 3/28		No Morning Prayer, Church Office Closed	
	7 p.m.	BSA Troop 159 Meeting	Henry Hall
	7:30 p.m.	Vestry Meeting	B1
Tuesday 3/29	7:30 p.m.	Adult Faith Formation- Parables of Jesus Bible Study	Narthex
Wednesday 3/30	8:45 a.m.	Morning Prayer Service (20 minutes)	Sanctuary
	10 a.m.	Morning Bible Study	Kitchen
	12:15 p.m.	Holy Eucharist / Healing Service	Sanctuary
		No Evening Prayer Service	
	7 p.m.	Handbell Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
Thursday 3/31	8:45 a.m.	Morning Prayer Service (20 minutes)	Sanctuary
		No Evening Prayer Service this week	
		No Adult Choir Rehearsal This Week	
Friday 4/1	6 p.m.	Rehearsal for Choir en Español	Music Room
Saturday 4/2	9 a.m.	Altar Guild	AG Rm, HH
	9 a.m.	Boy Scout Leadership Training	B1
Sunday 4/3	8 & 10 a.m.	Holy Eucharist	Sanctuary
	9:25 a.m.	Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
	5 p.m.	Boy Scout Court of Honor	Henry Hall
	7 p.m.	Estudios Biblicos (<i>en español</i>)	B1



- Sun. 3/27** Tom McLenigan Jr., Jonathan Beckett, Bryan Henriquez, Benjamin Krauss
- Mon. 3/28** Lily Burke
- Tues. 3/29** Dottie Lawson, Orlando Ramos Mesa
- Wed. 3/30** Carol Sinclair
- Thu. 3/31** David Dopsovic
- Fri. 4/1** Fernando Gallardo
- Sat. 4/2** Peter Nwachukwu, Madeleine Lamoureux
- Sun. 4/3** Carolyn Odio

General Announcements

Today is Easter Day...

when we celebrate the Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ from the Day. Christ is risen and has shown us His victory over the forces of sin and death. This good news is the foundation of our faith, and the great promise in which we hope.

We Especially Welcome All Visitors Today...

and invite you to sign our Guestbook in the Narthex (lobby) so that we can follow up and thank you for your visit. We have a special gift for you, a copy of “The Case for Easter,” a book by an acclaimed journalist that investigates the evidence for Jesus’ resurrection. Pick up a copy at the back of the Church on your way out.

Church Office Closure

The Church Office will be closed tomorrow, Monday, March 28, in celebration of the Easter holiday.

The Parables of Jesus Bible Study

The Parables of Jesus will be the next topic for our Tuesday night Bible study, which is taught by Jane Burkett at 7:30 p.m. each week in the Narthex. The new course will begin on March 29.

St. Timothy’s Viewpoint Book Club

We will read “Beautiful Ruins” by Jess Walter during the month of March and will meet for discussion on Saturday April 2 at 9:30 a.m. at Panera Bread, Elden St., Herndon. All 12 books have been distributed from the book kit, but you should be able to get one from the shelves in the Fairfax County Library system or online. We welcome anyone to join us. For information please contact Jill Cox on 703-963-8251 or email jillcoxva@verizon.net. All books must be returned at the meeting or by Sunday April 3rd. They can be placed in the Open Arms mailbox at church outside the office.

The Sabbath; Sunday Morning Bible Study

The Sabbath is the topic of a new Sunday morning adult Bible study, which will begin on April 3. Taylor Poindexter and Father Mark will teach the class, which explores the Biblical roots and the life-giving practice of the day of rest. The course will help prepare for our annual Parish Retreat at Shrine Mont, which will also focus on the gift of the Sabbath. The Adult Bible study is held at 9 a.m. in Room A1 starting Sunday, April 3.

Volunteer Appreciation Sunday is April 10

On April 10, 2016, St. Timothy’s Volunteer Coordination Support Ministry (VoCoSuM) will facilitate thanking all the church’s volunteers after both services (8 am and 10 am.) Cake will be served and we will also have gluten-free snacks (for those with a gluten sensitivity). If your last name indicates that this is your week to bring something for the coffee hour—please do so.

Youth Plant Sale Coming Sunday, April 10! *(After all services in the Parish Hall)*

Tomato Plants- \$3 each / Pepper Plants- \$2 each / Lettuce Plants- \$1 each

John Nixon provides the plants. All funds go to support the Youth Mission Trip!



General Announcements *(Continued)*

Gifts to Glorify the Lord (GtGtL) Organ Update

Our organ restoration company (farmerpipeorgans.com) reports that despite numerous setbacks after their main workshop was destroyed by arson last March, our organ is approximately 25% complete. Although the original date of the organ's return was due to be, well, about now-ish, there will be a 9-month delay. This places the return of our fully renovated organ in late Fall 2016. Our contract with the Farmers has been modified accordingly as a no-cost extension since it is a firm fixed price contract. Please visit the church Facebook page or sign up for E-news distribution to see weekly updates and photos of progress on the organ and news about sanctuary improvements as they progress.

The Parish Weekend at Shrine Mont is Reserved for Friday, April 29 to Sunday May 1!



Literature and booking forms are available from the table in Henry Hall and further information can be obtained from Susy Nixon (703-437-0370 or email senixon@Verizon.net) or Jill Cox (703-963-8251 or email jillcoxva@verizon.net). The little tastes of Spring we gradually experience might entice you to consider a short stay in the lovely surroundings of the Shrine, which is Virginia's Cathedral, and the green meadows, lakes and mountains in Orkney Springs. Our seminarian, Taylor Poindexter, will lead us to consider the meaning of "Sabbath", the children will enjoy various fun activities with responsible leaders, some of us will be energetic and will hike to the labyrinth and the Cross near the top of the mountain and some of us will just read, chat, knit and just possibly nap!!

But all of us will be able to enjoy the company of our fellow parishioners, take time to think about our lives without the stress of commuting or planning meals or doing homework. And God will be near at hand to guide and comfort us. Please come. There is some money available to help if necessary and we can accept installments in cash or check, but please note on your check to St. Timothy's that it is intended for Shrine Mont.

Save the Date

Helen Guest, beloved Director of St. Timothy's Pre-School, is retiring at the end of May. Come help us honor her and thank her for her 40 years of service to the Pre-School on Sunday, May 15 at 2:00 p.m. in Henry Hall. Questions? Contact Beth Lumnitzer at blumnitzer@yahoo.com.



Saint Timothy's Prayer List *Submissions added this week are in italics.*

Health & Other Needs

Ralph, Bill, Dave, Florita, Jean, Ted, Laura, Mary, Jean, Loran, Julie, Geoff, Mabel, Dave, Melissa, Paige, Phyllis, Pam, Cheryl, David, Diane, Christine, Richard, Herta, Catherine, Matthew, Julie, Bill, June, The people of Haiti, Our Little Roses Orphanage, Residents of the Loudoun Abused Women's Shelter, Alma, Donna, William, Dora, Barbara, Anne, Kathryn, Joey, Richard, Sue, Damien, Jerry, Elaine, Kevin, Jeanne, Jane, Jan, and Kathy, Thelma, Carol, Cleveland, Peggi, Jim, Ching, Diane, Donna L., Eduardo, Jim, Beth, *and Carlos.*

Friends and Family Members of Parishioners: Evelyn, Pete, Lenore, Cheryl, Doug, Buzz, Charles, Max, Kevin and Hannah, Annette, Roger, Will, Marcel, Sally, Dr. Sakr, Dara, Bill, Dolores, J. C., and Martha.

Please Note: *Email requests to 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 don't have access to email, call the church office & leave your request with the Director of Parish Operations, 703.437.3790 x.10.*

Bulletin & eNews Submissions Reminder

Submissions for 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 Director of Parish Operations at office@saint-timothys.org. You will receive a reply via email to confirm your submission was received.

Easter Flower Dedications



A Special Thank You to the Altar Guild for the beautiful arrangements on this Easter Day!

Donor

Dedication

The Condro Family

In Memory of Mary & Joseph Ieraci and Victoria & Frank Condro.

Hector L. Coronado

*In Memory of my father, THE RT. REV. EUSTACE D.
CORONADO, D.D.*

Carol & Don Durand

In Memory of Andrew Van Evera

David & Julie Hixon

In Memory of Amy Elizabeth Hixon

Elaine & Peter Horsfield

*In Memory of husband & Father, Jim Horsfield, and Son & Brother,
Andrew Horsfield.*

Bob & Barb Kimmel

In Memory of Bob's parents Clift & Virginia Kimmel.

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In Thanksgiving for Barb's parents Bill & Dolores Connelly.

Diane & Kent Miller

In Memory of our Fathers, Thaddeus Gronkiewicz & Kenton Miller.

Micki & Vic Moravitz

In Memory of Martin & Rosie Betts

Charles & Nikki O'Malley

*In Memory of departed loved ones and in thanksgiving for Charlotte, K.C.
and Molly, and our St. Tim's Family!*

Mary Perry

In Thanksgiving for Amelia & Anna.

Dana & Patricia Smith

*In Memory of Nancy, Mary Gay, Kevin, William, and Adelene. In
Thanksgiving for Sandy, Justin, Riley, Megan, Josh, Wyatt, Mason, Scott,
and Joanie.*

Muriel Turner

In Memory of Harlin Turner.

Muriel Turner

In Memory of Dorothy & Matthew Webb.

Cynthia & Michael Wei

*In Memory of Dick Wei, William Hannam, and Alison Hannam. In
Thanksgiving for Michelle & Nathan Wei.*

Edna & Kellogg Whittick Jr.

In Memory of Kellogg Whittick Sr. and Arlene Whittick.