

St. Timothy's Episcopal Church

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Sunday, April 10, 2016

Third Sunday of Easter

8 a.m.



Sanctuary Cross

Paige Williamson, *Photographer*

Sunday Services

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

Christian Education

- 9:00 a.m. Adult Education - Henry Hall
10:00 a.m. Godly Play (*ages 3 & potty trained - grade 2*) - Room B1
10:00 a.m. Spark + (*grades 3-5*) - Room A-5
10:00 a.m. Christian Education (*Grades 6-8*) - Room A-8
10:00 a.m. Christian Education (*Grades 9-12*) - Upper Room

The Daily Office (20 minutes) - Friday Morning

Morning Prayer Only This Week at 8 a.m. on Friday

Wednesday Noonday Prayer

12:15 p.m.

Service in Spanish (*español*)

Saturdays @ 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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Registrar – Rose Berberich

Hollis Colie

Brian Flusche

Larry Grantham

Hal Hallett

Duane Hartge- *Alternate*

Stephanie Kenis

Bob Kimmel

Vilma Lemus

Susy Nixon

Eugene Nkomba

Bill Outerbridge

Trustees

Tom McLenigan, Keith Sinclair, Deke Smith

Third Sunday of Easter

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!***

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.

O God, whose blessed Son did manifest himself to his disciples in the breaking of bread: Open, we pray thee, the eyes of our faith, that we may behold him in all his redeeming work; through the same thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. ***Amen.***

The Lessons

A Reading from Acts 9:1-6

Saul, still breathing threats and murder against the disciples of the Lord, went to the high priest and asked him for letters to the synagogues at Damascus, so that if he found any who belonged to the Way, men or women, he might bring them bound to Jerusalem. Now as he was going along and approaching Damascus, suddenly a light from heaven flashed around him. He fell to the ground and heard a voice saying to him, "Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?"

He asked, "Who are you, Lord?" The reply came, "I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting. But get up and enter the city, and you will be told what you are to do."

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People *Thanks be to God.*

Psalm 30

1 I will exalt you, O Lord, because you have lifted me up and have not let my enemies triumph over me.

2 O Lord my God, I cried out to you, and you restored me to health.

3 You brought me up, O Lord, from the dead; you restored my life as I was going down to the grave.

4 Sing to the Lord, you servants of his; give thanks for the remembrance of his holiness .

5 For his wrath endures but the twinkling of an eye, his favor for a lifetime.

6 Weeping may spend the night, but joy comes in the morning.

7 While I felt secure, I said, "I shall never be disturbed. You, Lord, with your favor, made me as strong as the mountains."

8 Then you hid your face, and I was filled with fear.

9 I cried to you, O Lord; I pleaded with the Lord, saying,

10 "What profit is there in my blood, if I go down to the Pit? will the dust praise you or declare your faithfulness?"

11 Hear, O Lord, and have mercy upon me; O Lord, be my helper."

12 You have turned my wailing into dancing; you have put off my sack-cloth and clothed me with joy.

13 Therefore my heart sings to you without ceasing; O Lord my God, I will give you thanks for ever.

A Reading from Revelation 5:11-14

I looked, and I heard the voice of many angels surrounding the throne and the living creatures and the elders; they numbered myriads of myriads and thousands of thousands, singing with full voice, "Worthy is the Lamb that was slaughtered to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing!" Then I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all that is in them, singing, "To the one seated on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might forever and ever!" And the four living creatures said, "Amen!" And the elders fell down and worshiped.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People *Thanks be to God.*

Holy Gospel; John 21:1-19

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

People *Glory be to thee, O Lord.*

Jesus showed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias; and he showed himself in this way. Gathered there together were Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples. Simon Peter said to them, "I am going fishing."

They said to him, "We will go with you." They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing.

Just after daybreak, Jesus stood on the beach; but the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to them, "Children, you have no fish, have you?" They answered him, "No." He said to them, "Cast the net to the right side of the boat, and you will find some." So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in because there were so many fish. That disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord!" When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on some clothes, for he was naked, and jumped into the sea. But the other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, only about a hundred yards off.

When they had gone ashore, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish on it, and bread. Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish that you have just caught." So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, a hundred fifty-three of them; and though there were so many, the net was not torn. Jesus said to them, "Come and have breakfast." Now none of the disciples dared to ask him, "Who are you?" because they knew it was the Lord. Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. This was now the third time that Jesus appeared to the disciples after he was raised from the dead.

When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?" He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my lambs." A second time he said to him, "Simon son of John, do you love me?" He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Tend my sheep." He said to him the third time, "Simon son of John, do you love me?" Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, "Do you love me?" And he said to him, "Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my sheep. Very truly, I tell you, when you were younger, you used to fasten your own belt and to go wherever you wished. But when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will fasten a belt around you and take you where you do not wish to go." (He said this to indicate the kind of death by which he would glorify God.) After this he said to him, "Follow me."

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

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

Sermon

The Rev. B. Adolfo Moronta, *Guest Preacher*

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 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 "Praise the Lord, O my soul; while I live will I praise the Lord; yea, as long as I have any being I will sing praises unto my God, alleluia." *Ps. 146:1*

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, Almighty God, our heavenly Father, for that thou, of thy tender mercy, didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption; who made there, by his one oblation of himself once offered, a full, perfect, and sufficient sacrifice, oblation, and satisfaction, for the sins of 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, he brake 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 ye all of this; for this is my Blood of the New Testament, 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, according to the institution of thy dearly beloved Son our Savior Jesus Christ, we, thy humble servants, do celebrate and make here before thy divine Majesty, 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; rendering unto thee most hearty thanks for the innumerable benefits procured unto us by the same.

And we most humbly beseech thee, O merciful Father, to hear us; and, of thy almighty goodness, vouchsafe to bless and sanctify, with thy Word and Holy Spirit, these thy gifts and creatures of bread and wine; that we, receiving them according to thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ’s holy institution, in remembrance of his death and passion, may be partakers of his most blessed Body and Blood.

And we earnestly desire thy fatherly goodness mercifully to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving; most humbly beseeching thee to grant that, by the merits and death of thy Son Jesus Christ, and through faith in his blood, we, and all thy whole Church, may obtain remission of our sins, and all other benefits of his passion.

And here we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, our selves, our souls and bodies, to be a reasonable, holy, and living sacrifice unto thee; humbly beseeching thee that we, and all others who shall be partakers of this Holy Communion, may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son Jesus Christ, be filled with thy grace and heavenly benediction, and made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him.

And although we are unworthy, through our manifold sins, to offer unto thee any sacrifice, yet we beseech thee to accept this our bounden duty and service, not weighing our merits, but pardoning our offenses, through Jesus Christ our Lord;

By whom, and with 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.

Commissioning of Lay Eucharistic Visitors

Celebrant Ralph & Florita, in the Name of this congregation, I send you forth bearing these holy gifts to David Tetteyfo, that those to whom we go may share with us in Christ's Body and Blood.

All ***We who are many are one body, because we all share in one bread, one cup.***

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

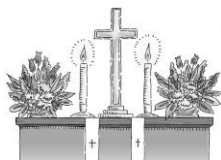
Celebrant Alleluia! Alleluia! Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

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

Assisting in the Preparation and Conduct of Worship

Altar Guild		Michele Bumbary, Bonnie Bunting, Judy Conroy, Emilia Mbonu, Kerrie Wilson
Counters		Pat McGibbon, Charlie Poandl
Ushers	8 am	Kent Miller, Tom Rust
	10 am	Dave Gough, Pete Gleason
Greeters	8 am	Bill Outerbridge
	10 am	Dave Tigar, Janet Muich
Lay	8 am	Diane Miller, Hector Coronado
Eucharistic Ministers	10 am	Gayle Rippe, Duncan Hutchison, Adaku Nwachukwu, Laura Dendtler, Michael Cook, Chris Brock
Acolytes	10 am	

Altar Flowers



Today's altar flowers are given by Beth & Peter Hwoschinsky in Memory of Morfyn & Elinor Hurley, Parents of Beth Hwoschinsky.

Would you like to remember a loved one who has departed this life, give thanksgiving for family & friends, or celebrate a special anniversary by sponsoring the altar flowers on a particular Sunday? Please complete a Flower Envelope or call the office, 703.437.3790.

Thank You for Making A Difference!



Thank you to **All of Our Volunteers** on this, our Volunteer Appreciation Sunday. All are invited to our coffee hours as we celebrate our St. Tim's volunteers.

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



Last Names M - R, please bring treats for Coffee Hour on April 17.

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 **S - Z** on April 24.

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 4/10	8 & 10 a.m.	Holy Eucharist	Sanctuary
	9 a.m.	Adult Bible Study Class (Topic is the Sabbath)	A1
	9:25 a.m.	Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
	7 p.m.	Estudios Biblicos (<i>en español</i>)	B1
Monday 4/11	7 p.m.	BSA Troop 159 Meeting	Henry Hall
	7 p.m.	Service Ministry Meeting	B1
Tuesday 4/12	7:30 p.m.	Adult Faith Formation- Parables of Jesus Bible Study	Narthex
Wednesday 4/13	10 a.m.	Morning Bible Study	Kitchen
	12:15 p.m.	Noonday Prayer Service	Sanctuary
	7 p.m.	Handbell Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
Thursday 4/14	7 p.m.	Adult Voice Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
Friday 4/15	8 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Sanctuary
	6 p.m.	Rehearsal for Choir en Español	Music Room
Saturday 4/16	8 a.m.	Finance Meeting	Upper Room
	9 a.m.	Altar Guild	AG Rm, HH
	9 a.m.	Altar Guild Brunch	HH
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Birthdays This Week

- Sun. 4/10** Owen Davis, Kennedy Timke
Tues. 4/12 Robin Law, Justin Bennett, Elizabeth Cramer, Ian Gough
Wed. 4/13 Muriel Turner
Fri. 4/15 Glenn Rudolph
Sat. 4/16 John McGrath Jr., Jack Klipfel, Sarah Fletcher, Caleb Carpen
Sun. 4/17 Rosemary Perfetti, Basil Sobchak, Ryan Dick, Grace Heleniak

General Announcements

We Welcome Rev. B. Adolfo Moronta as our Celebrant and Preacher Today.

Father Moronta is the vicar of Iglesia San Marcos in Alexandria. He has also been leading our weekly Saturday evening Spanish Eucharist since September, and provides pastoral care and leads programs for our Latino parishioners. A native of New York City, Father Moronta was previously a rector in the Dominican Republic, where he also served as an instructor in the diocesan seminary.

General Announcements *(Continued)*

Volunteer Appreciation Today, Sunday, April 10

Whether you have had the opportunity to volunteer yet or not, please join VoCoSuM (Volunteer Coordination and Support Ministry) after both the 8 and 10 a.m. services and help yourself to some cake or gluten-free snacks, and other Coffee Hour treats donated by those with last names G-L. We will have paper and markers so that a volunteer can write their name and indicate the way(s) that they have volunteered at St. Tim's. We look forward to Volunteer Sunday that celebrates each of you!

Youth Plant Sale Today, 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!



Transferring Membership to Saint Timothy's...

If you would like to request a letter of transfer from another Episcopal parish to Saint Tim's, or if you would like to confirm if you are a registered member, please contact the Church Office. We plan to receive those who have become members by letter of transfer at the 10 a.m. Eucharist on April 24.

The Parables of Jesus Bible Study

The Parables of Jesus is the current topic for our Tuesday night Bible study, which is taught by Jane Burkett at 7:30 p.m. each week in the Narthex. You are invited to join us for this study!

The Sabbath; Sunday Morning Bible Study

The Sabbath is the topic of a new Sunday morning adult Bible study. Taylor Poindexter and Father Mark teaches 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.

Do You Have an Hour Available on Wednesday Mornings?

Do you work from home or are you retired and would like to join a group of friendly people to discuss the Bible for an hour? The group meets on Wednesdays from 10 to 11 a.m. in St. Tim's kitchen. We follow the Fairfax County Public School Calendar for holiday and school closings. Please join us on Wednesdays as we start at the very beginning: Genesis. Interested, or for more info contact nikki.omalley@gmail. Please email Nikki, who serves as the group's facilitator, if you can join us-we need at least three participants for a spirited discussion. No prep is necessary- just you!!

Gifts to Glorify the Lord (GtGtL) Organ Update

J. Allen Farmer's barn has been rebuilt (see photos on the St. Timothy's Facebook page) and his staff is busily installing equipment and moving in supplies to begin work on the larger elements of our organ. Overall, the restoration is ~30% complete and we expect our beloved J.D. Moore instrument to return in the late Fall 2016.

Looking to Help Behind the Scenes?

The Altar Guild is looking for members to be a part of their ministry - No Experience Necessary! St. Tim's Altar Guild sets up the altar, arranges the flowers, and cleans the linens. It requires about 2-3 hours a month and they work in teams of about 4 women each; you don't need to know how to arrange flowers or clean linens! If you're interested in learning more, please come to the Altar Guild Brunch on Saturday April 16 at 9 am in Henry Hall. All members of the Altar Guild are encouraged to attend. For more info or to RSVP, contact Carol Sinclair (csinclair83@msn.com / 703.437.4713).

General Announcements *(Continued)*

You're Invited to Movie Night at Saint Tim's on April 24!

"The Letters" is a 2014 film about the heroic life and faith struggles of Mother Teresa, whose work among the poor of Calcutta moved people around the world and whose canonization as a saint was recently announced. Recounted from the perspective of the priest who investigated her candidacy for sainthood, the story is framed by a series of letters Mother Teresa wrote to her spiritual director. The Adult Faith Formation Ministry will host a free viewing of the film on Sunday, April 24 at 6:30 p.m. in Henry Hall. Refreshments will be served and discussion will follow in what we hope will be a series of film nights at Saint Tim's.

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.

St. Timothy's Viewpoint Book Club

We have chosen "Peace Like A Lake by L.L. Engel for discussion at a time and date to be announced next week. Copies will be available at church on Sunday, April 10 from Jill Cox before or after the 10 am service. Please be sure to sign for your copy, noting the number written on the inside back cover of each book. Please call Jill Cox on 703-963-8251 or e-mail: jillcoxva@verizon.net for further information. All books MUST be returned at the meeting or to the Open Arms mail box outside the office by May 14.

Lay Eucharistic Minister Training

Have you ever wondered what it takes to be a Lay Eucharistic Minister (LEM)? Do you have a calling to assist making our worship service more meaningful? Then join us on **Saturday, May 14** at 10 a.m. in the Sanctuary for our semi-annual LEM Training.

The morning is for both existing LEMs and those who are interested in becoming a LEM. We will be discussing the duties and responsibilities of each LEM and review any changes that have been made over the last few months. Other topics will include LEM vestments and the LEM schedule. If you are interested in becoming a new LEM, contact Cheryl Brock at Maggie.brock2@gmail.com or just join us on Saturday, May 14 at 10 a.m. If you are already one of fantastic LEMs, please plan to attend or let Cheryl know if you cannot join us.

General Announcements *(Continued)*

Cub Scouts Pack 156 Updates

Pack 156 is delighted to announce that starting this Autumn, we will be welcoming Kindergarten boys into a brand new LION DEN! We currently meet every Wednesday night. April 13 and 27's meetings will be held in the Cafeteria at Hutchison Elementary. April 20 and May 4 will be in the upstairs art room at McNair Elementary. Email HerndonPack156@gmail.com for more information. Interested in volunteering with us? Talk to Chris Brock! We'll be holding a Join Scouting Night here at St. Timothy's on Friday night May 6 at 6:30 p.m.

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 years of service to the Pre-School on **Sunday, May 15 at 2 p.m. in Henry Hall**. A book of cards and notes is being compiled for Helen; to contribute, please leave your card or note in the basket near the downstairs entrance to the church (the Pre-School entrance). Also, donations of finger foods or desserts for the retirement celebration would be appreciated. Please contact Beth Lumnitzer at blumnitzer@yahoo.com if you have questions or plan to bring food.



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, Carlos, and Meghan.

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.

Recently Deceased: Lisa

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.