



St. Timothy's Episcopal Church

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Sunday, September 11, 2016

The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

8 a.m.



Sanctuary Remodeling in Progress

Jason with Nuance Inc, *Photographer*

Sunday Services:

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

Opportunities for Children

- 10 a.m. Godly Play (*ages 3 & potty trained - grade 2*) - Room B1
10 a.m.* Spark + (*grades 3-5*) - Room A-5
10 a.m..* Christian Education (*Grades 6-7*) - Room A-8
10 a.m.* Christian Education (*Grades 8-12*) - Upper Room

** Children/Youth start in service today & go to classes with teachers after Commissioning*

The Daily Office (20 minutes) - Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday:

Morning Prayer- Wed. at 9 a.m., Friday at 8 a.m.

Evening Prayer- Wed. & Thurs. at 5 p.m.

Midweek Healing Prayer & Eucharist Service: Wednesday @ 12:15 p.m.

Eucharist in Spanish (*Santa Eucharistia en español*): Saturday (*Sabado*) @ 7:30 p.m.

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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Ms. Taylor Devine, *Seminarian*

Vestry

Senior Warden – Robert Henry

Junior Warden – Genevieve Zetlan

Treasurer – Jean Shepherd

Registrar – Rose Berberich

Hollis Colie

Larry Grantham

Hal Hallett

Duane Hartge

Stephanie Kenis

Bob Kimmel

Vilma Lemus

Susy Nixon

Eugene Nkomba

Bill Outerbridge

Trustees

Tom McLenigan, Keith Sinclair, Deke Smith

The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

Holy Eucharist: Rite I

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 his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen**

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

Glorify 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, forasmuch as without thee we are not able to please thee, mercifully grant that thy Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with thee and the same Spirit liveth and reigneth, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Lessons

A Reading from Exodus 32:7-14

The Lord said to Moses, "Go down at once! Your people, whom you brought up out of the land of Egypt, have acted perversely; they have been quick to turn aside from the way that I commanded them; they have cast for themselves an image of a calf, and have worshiped it and sacrificed to it, and said, 'These are your gods, O Israel, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt!'"

The Lord said to Moses, "I have seen this people, how stiff-necked they are. Now let me alone, so that my wrath may burn hot against them and I may consume them; and of you I will make a great nation."

But Moses implored the Lord his God, and said, "O Lord, why does your wrath burn hot against your people, whom you brought out of the land of Egypt with great power and with a mighty hand? Why should the Egyptians say, 'It was with evil intent that he brought them out to kill them in the mountains, and to consume them from the face of the earth'? Turn from your fierce wrath; change your mind and do not bring disaster on your people. Remember Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, your servants, how you swore to them by your own self, saying to them, 'I will multiply your descendants like the stars of heaven, and all this land that I have promised I will give to your descendants, and they shall inherit it forever.'" And the Lord changed his mind about the disaster that he planned to bring on his people.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 51:1-13

- 1 Have mercy on me, O God, according to your loving-kindness; in your great compassion blot out my offenses.
- 2 Wash me through and through from my wickedness and cleanse me from my sin.
- 3 For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me.
- 4 Against you only have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight.
- 5 And so you are justified when you speak and upright in your judgment.
- 6 Indeed, I have been wicked from my birth, a sinner from my mother's womb.
- 7 For behold, you look for truth deep within me, and will make me understand wisdom secretly.
- 8 Purge me from my sin, and I shall be pure; wash me, and I shall be clean indeed.
- 9 Make me hear of joy and gladness, that the body you have broken may rejoice.
- 10 Hide your face from my sins and blot out all my iniquities.
- 11 Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.
- 12 Cast me not away from your presence and take not your holy Spirit from me.
- 13 Give me the joy of your saving help again and sustain me with your bountiful Spirit.

A Reading from 1 Timothy 1:12-17

I am grateful to Christ Jesus our Lord, who has strengthened me, because he judged me faithful and appointed me to his service, even though I was formerly a blasphemer, a persecutor, and a man of violence. But I received mercy because I had acted ignorantly in unbelief, and the grace of our Lord overflowed for me with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners-- of whom I am the foremost. But for that very reason I received mercy, so that in me, as the foremost, Jesus Christ might display the utmost patience, making me an example to those who would come to believe in him for eternal life. To the King of the ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Holy Gospel; Luke 15:1-10

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

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

All the tax collectors and sinners were coming near to listen to Jesus. And the Pharisees and the scribes were grumbling and saying, “This fellow welcomes sinners and eats with them.” So he told them this parable: “Which one of you, having a hundred sheep and losing one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the wilderness and go after the one that is lost until he finds it? When he has found it, he lays it on his shoulders and rejoices. And when he comes home, he calls together his friends and neighbors, saying to them, ‘Rejoice with me, for I have found my sheep that was lost.’ Just so, I tell you, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who need no repentance. “Or what woman having ten silver coins, if she loses one of them, does not light a lamp, sweep the house, and search carefully until she finds it? When she has found it, she calls together her friends and neighbors, saying, ‘Rejoice with me, for I have found the coin that I had lost.’ Just so, I tell you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents.”

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

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

Sermon

Fr. 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 *Simfarosa* 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 *Jeannette, Helen,* and 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.

Celebrant A Prayer for the Anniversary of the 2001 Terrorist Attacks

God the compassionate one, whose loving care extends to all the world, we remember this day your children of many nations and many faiths whose lives were cut short by the fierce flames of anger and hatred. Console those who continue to suffer and grieve, and give them comfort and hope as they look to the future. Out of what we have endured, give us the grace to examine our relationships with those who perceive us as the enemy, and show our leaders the way to use our power to serve the good of all for the healing of the nations. This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord who, in reconciling love, was lifted up from the earth that he might draw all things to himself. *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 "Moses sanctified an altar unto the Lord, offering upon it burnt offerings, and peace offerings; he made an evening sacrifice of sweet fragrance unto the Lord God in the sight of the children of Israel." *Ex. 24:4-5*

The Holy Communion

The Great Thanksgiving

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People *And with thy spirit.*

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People *We lift them to the Lord.*

Celebrant Let us give thanks 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. 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, 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.

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.

The Blessing

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

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

Assisting in the Preparation and Conduct of Worship

Altar Guild		Bobbe Duquette, Linda Grantham, Maria Lawalt, Mary McLenigan, Stephanie Wolo, Sandy Wright
Counters		Pat McGibbon, Charlie Poandl
Ushers	8 a.m.	Robin Mullet, Tom Rust
	10 a.m.	Hugh Masters, Patty Masters
Greeters	8 a.m.	Beth Hwoschinsky, Peter Hwoschinsky
	10 a.m.	Janet Muich
Lay	8 a.m.	Diane Miller, Marie Lally
Eucharistic Ministers	10 a.m.	Allan Stanley, Dave Parker, Taylor Devine, Rose Berberich, Chris Brock, Danny Wechtenhiser
Acolytes	10 am.	

Today's Altar Flowers are Given by...

Bobbe Duquette in Loving Memory of her Mother, Helen B. Bright



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!



Thanks to **Don and Carol Durand** for volunteering to keep our pews well maintained and stocked with offering envelopes and pencils.

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 September 18

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 **September 25**

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 9/11	8 & 10 a.m.	Holy Eucharist	Sanctuary
	9:20 a.m.	Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
	12 noon	Welcome Home Sunday Annual Picnic	Grounds, (HH if rain)
Monday 9/12	7 p.m.	Boy Scout Troop 159	Henry Hall
	7 p.m.	Service Ministry Meeting	B1
	7:30 p.m.	Stewardship Ministry Meeting	Church Office
	7:30 p.m.	Region V Leadership Meeting	Narthex
Tuesday 9/13		NO MINISTRY RELATED MEETINGS SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME	
Wednesday 9/14	9 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Sanctuary
	10 a.m.	Morning Bible Study	Kitchen
	12:15 p.m.	Healing Prayer and Eucharist	Sanctuary
	5 p.m.	Evening Prayer	Sanctuary
	7 p.m.	Handbell Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
	7 p.m.	Rector Search Focus Group	B1
Thursday 9/15	9 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Sanctuary
	5 p.m.	Evening Prayer	Sanctuary
	7 p.m.	Adult Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
Friday 9/16	8 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Henry Hall
Saturday 9/17	8 a.m.	Finance Meeting	Upper Room
	9 a.m.	Altar Guild	AG Rm, HH
	7:30 p.m.	Santa Eucharistia (Eucharist in Spanish)	Sanctuary
Sunday 9/18	8 & 10 a.m.	Holy Eucharist	Sanctuary
	9:20 a.m.	Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
	11 a.m.	Rector Search Focus Group (after the 10 a.m. service)	B1
	4 p.m.	Dungannon Reunion	Henry Hall



Sun. 9/11 Jill Norcross, Joni Ogden, Eloise Abbott
Mon. 9/12 Catherine Hutcheon
Wed. 9/14 Christopher Wilson, Ellie Teegardin
Thu. 9/15 Thelma Hubert, Dianna Traub
Fri 9/16 Gerritt Peck
Sat. 9/17 Richard Curley, Bishop Hall
Sun. 9/18 Margaret Perkinson, Julius Koenig

General Announcements

Annual Welcome Home Sunday & Picnic TODAY!

Celebrate the start of another school and church year takes place starting at 12 noon today, **September 11**, on the grass area behind the church (indoors if the weather is inclement). There will be entertainment for the children in the form of games and a visit from the Leesburg Petting Zoo.

Lost and Found Items

Among the items in the Lost and Found is a Nintendo Gameboy DS and a set of keys. If you believe either of these is yours, please contact Carolyn Hamm (carolynhamm@verizon.net).

Welcome Back Taylor

Please welcome back our seminarian, Taylor Devine, to St. Timothy's today following her summer vacation. She has begun her senior year at Virginia Theological Seminary.

Gifts to Glorify the Lord (GtGtL) Project Update

As worship services resume in our Sanctuary today, we wish to give thanks for all those who contributed to make this rejuvenation of our worship space possible. From each of you who donated time, treasure and talent to the Capital Campaign to our contractors (Nuance & Conestoga Tile) who gave us top quality work and alot of value-added to those who simply cheered us on. The entire GtGtL team, past and present, hope that the fresh look and sound in our updated Sanctuary inspires and embraces you with God's love as we both honor the past and look forward to some new beginnings. *Look for a few finishing touches (such as narthex doors, sacristy cabinets and altar carpet) to be completed in the coming weeks.*

Quarter 2 Giving Statements Available

Quarter 2 statements are available for pick up on the table in the Narthex today, and are in alphabetical order by last name. Please note, Quarter 2 statements reflect only giving through June. Quarter 3 statements will be available in October. Statements not picked up today will be mailed on September 12. Contact our bookkeeper, Jay Foster, with any questions about your statement; bookkeeper@saint-timothys.org .

RSC Question of the Week

What was your experience during a change in the church? Did you understand why and how the change was happening? What went well? What went poorly? What did you learn from the experience?

Weekly, the Rector Search Committee is posing a specific new question and you are encouraged to email your response to the RSC, rsc@saint-timothys.org. Responses will be kept confidential and are for RSC use only. Please send your response to the QTW and/or any questions you have about the RSC work to rsc@saint-timothys.org. If you prefer to provide a written response, please leave your answer in an envelope in the RSC mailbox located near the coat closet.

General Announcements *(continued)*

If You Have Been a Cub Scout Leader in the Past, St. Tim's Pack 156 Needs Your Help!

We've lost one of our leaders over the summer (*they moved unexpectedly*) and we have a Den Leader position open. In addition, we would love to be able to participate in the Lions Pilot Program, which opens scouting to even younger children. The Lion Guide **MUST** be someone who has been a Den Leader/Cub Master, and is more of a Parent Wrangler than a kid wrangler. The Lion Guide may **NOT** hold any other leadership/position in the pack. Each Lion Den is restricted to **ONLY 5** Parent/Scout pairs, and we already have three pairs recruited.

If you have a year, or two that you'd be willing to give to us to help us get through this rather lean time in leadership, we would be grateful. Local Training will be provided on Saturday, Sept 10, 1:00 – 3 p.m. at Trinity Presbyterian Church Please contact Matt or Amanda Lewis at 703-787-6933, email herndonpack156@gmail.com or talk to Chris Brock 571-228-6907 if you'd like to volunteer or simply want more information.”

Tuesday Evening Bible Study

Beginning September 13, we'll complete our study of the parables of Jesus by looking at the parables concerning prayer, money, and the end times. Led by Jane Burkett at 7:30 pm in the Narthex.

Do You Have an Hour a Week for Wednesday Morning Bible Study?

On Wednesday, September 14, the Wednesday Morning Bible Study will reconvene in St. Timothy's kitchen from 10 to 11 a.m. Bring your Bible (*we read from various versions for comparison*) if you would like to join this coed multi-generational group. All are welcome! Interested? Contact: Nikki O'Malley nikki.omalley@gmail.com. Current Bible Study members need not contact her.

Choir Rehearsals Resume!

Adult choir rehearsals are on Thursdays at **7 p.m. (Began 9/8)**. Handbell choir rehearsals begin Wednesdays at **7 p.m. on 9/14**. Both choirs welcome new members with enthusiasm.

RSC Focus Groups and Parish Survey

The Rector Search Committee (RSC) will hold **two final** Focus Groups during the upcoming week. These general Focus Groups are intended to give anyone interested the opportunity to participate in a group discussion led by RSC members. We welcome the opportunity to hear from you! The Focus Groups are on Wednesday, 9/14, room B1, 7 – 8:30 p.m. and, Sunday, 9/18, room B1 11:30 – 1 p.m. Light refreshments will be served. Please RSVP to rsc@saint-timothys.org.

On Sunday, Sept. 25 a parish wide survey will be distributed during the services. The survey will help the RSC understand what qualities are desired in a new rector. It will also assist the new rector in knowing what is important to our congregation and how our church operates. Ample time will be provided for responding to the survey. An online version will also be available to those who prefer that option. It is important that parishioners respond only once to the survey regardless of what method they prefer. More details will provided soon in future announcements.

The Story of the Prayer Book...

...will be the topic of a six week Sunday morning class that will begin on September 18 at 9 a.m. in Room A1 The course will explore the development of the Book of Common Prayer in the context of five centuries of political change and cultural development, a fascinating and wide-ranging story of God's grace in the life of Anglican Christianity.

General Announcements *(continued)*

Christianity 101.

Christianity 101 explores the central teachings and practices of the Christian faith, as the Episcopal Church has received them. Father Mark and Taylor Devine teach this class for youth and adults on Sunday evenings from 7 - 8:30 p.m. in the Narthex (September 25 - November 13). Bishop Gulick will visit Saint Timothy's on Sunday, November 20 to administer confirmation and receive new members into the Episcopal Church. All are welcome to come, learn, and grow.

Save the Living World (One Hometown Habitat at a Time)

Join the interfaith movement to create wildlife sanctuaries on your Northern Virginia church property. Learn more at the screening of 'Hometown Habitat' at the Herndon Friends Meeting House, Sunday, September 25, 2016, 660 Spring Street, Herndon, 1 - 2:30 p.m. RSVP or Questions to Margaret Fisher at 1margaret.e.fisher@gmail.com or 703.968.2971 (or contact St. Tim's Steward of Creation, Craig Dubishar, at wcdubi@gmail.com).

2016 Haiti Mission Trip -- Update

The Haiti Ministry is gearing up for its 2016 mission trip to Cange and Chapoteau in the Central Plateau region of Haiti, likely in November or December. This is our annual visit to St. Matheiu's school where St. Timothy's supports twenty-five school children, providing two school uniforms, books, backpack, and one daily meal. The logistics and planning phase are always a challenge given communication difficulties with our Haitian hosts but we are hopeful to lock in our trip dates by the end of September. Please look for more announcements and updates.

All interested people (including non- St. Timothy's members) are welcome on this trip. There will be an "interest" meeting in late September. Look for the announcement soon. For more information, contact Craig Dubishar, 2016 Mission Team Lead, wcdubi@gmail.com or any member of the Haiti Ministry and visit <http://www.saint-timothys.org/mission/chapoteau-haiti/> for more information (and to see the video of our trips).

St. Timothy's Viewpoint Book Club

Copies of "The Man Called Ove" MUST be returned today as books are due back Monday.

For next month, we will be reading Diane Rehm's book "On My Own" during September and copies will be available on Sunday September 11th or by arrangement with Jill Cox (703-963-8251 or e-mail: jillcoxva@verizon.net). Unless such arrangements are made, the books will not be collectable at church until October 1st. The discussion will take place on Saturday, October 8 at Panera Bread, Elden Street, Herndon, at 9:30 a.m. There are many ethical questions to be discussed with this book and we will be using a text about Christian bioethics to clarify some of these. For further information please contact Hollis Colie on e-mail - hollis211@aol.com or phone: 703-787-0272.



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, 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, Kathy, Thelma, Carol, Cleveland, Peggi, Jim, Ching, Diane, Donna L., Eduardo, Jim, Beth, Carlos, Meghan, Matthew, Larry, Nancy, Joseph, Elizabeth, Martha, Jeanee, Sue, Barb, Rick, Michael, Alice Pat, Kyle, and Fr. Brad, *and Simfarosa.*

Recently Departed: *Jeanette, Helen Bright*

Friends and Family Members of Parishioners: Evelyn, Pete, Lenore, Cheryl, Doug, Buzz, Charles, 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.*