

St. Timothy's Episcopal Church

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Sunday, May 21, 2017

The Sixth Sunday of Easter

8 a.m.



Sunday Services:

8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.

Spoken Eucharist, Rite I Family Service, Rite II Children in Spark+ - grade 12 sit with their families in service today. This is a great way to continue their Christian Education by joining in and following

the service.

Opportunities for Children Today

10 a.m.

Godly Play (ages 3 & potty trained - grade 2) - Room B1

Midweek Healing Eucharist: Wednesday @ 12:15 p.m.

Morning Prayer is Held on Fridays at 8 a.m. in the Sanctuary.

Evening Worship in Spanish/Oración Vespertina Diaria 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. If you would like to make an appointment to speak with a member of the clergy, feel free to call the office at 703.437.3790.

The Rev. Anne Turner, *Interim Rector* (x. 12)

Mrs. Christine Hoyle, *Director of Children/Youth Ministries* (x. 17)

Mr. Kevin Hamilton, Director of Parish Operations (x. 10)

Mr. Roger Long, Interim Musician (x. 16)

Fernanda Marinkovic, Bookkeeper (x. 13)

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Vestry

(Class year in parenthesis)

Senior Warden – Genevieve Zetlan (2018) Junior Warden – Eugene Nkomba (2019)

Treasurer – Jean Shepherd Registrar – Rose Berberich

Hollis Colie (2019) Vidai Genovez-Andrés (2020) Hal Hallett (2018)

Duane Hartge (2018) Vilma Lemus (2018) Susy Nixon (2019)

Bill Outerbridge (2019) Gerritt Peck (2020) Elizabeth Witter (2020)

Sandy Wright (2020)

Trustees

Tom McLenigan Keith Sinclair Deke Smith

The Sixth Sunday of Easter

Holy Eucharist: Rite I

Prelude Organ Chorale on All Glory Be to God on High Georg Boehm

Word of GodAt the tolling of the bell, all stand.

The Opening Acclamation (BCP 323)

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ is risen!

People The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!

The Collect for Purity (BCP 323)

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 (BCP 324)

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.

Gloria in Excelsis (BCP 324)

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 (BCP 325)

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And with thy spirit.

Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, who hast prepared for those who love thee such good things as pass man's understanding: Pour into our hearts such love toward thee, that we, loving thee in all things and above all things, may obtain thy promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The Lessons

A Reading from Acts 17:22-31

Paul stood in front of the Areopagus and said, "Athenians, I see how extremely religious you are in every way. For as I went through the city and looked carefully at the objects of your worship, I found among them an altar with the inscription, 'To an unknown god.' What therefore you worship as unknown, this I proclaim to you.

The God who made the world and everything in it, he who is Lord of heaven and earth, does not live in shrines made by human hands, nor is he served by human hands, as though he needed anything, since he himself gives to all mortals life and breath and all things. From one ancestor he made all nations to inhabit the whole earth, and he allotted the times of their existence and the boundaries of the places where they would live, so that they would search for God and perhaps grope for him and find him—though indeed he is not far from each one of us. For 'In him we live and move and have our being'; as even some of your own poets have said,

For we too are his offspring.' Since we are God's offspring, we ought not to think that the deity is like gold, or silver, or stone, an image formed by the art and imagination of mortals. While God has overlooked the times of human ignorance, now he commands all people everywhere to repent, because he has fixed a day on which he will have the world judged in righteousness by a man whom he has appointed, and of this he has given assurance to all by raising him from the dead."

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 66:7-18 (Read in Unison)

- 7 Bless our God, you peoples; make the voice of his praise to be heard;
- 8 Who holds our souls in life, and will not allow our feet to slip.
- 9 For you, O God, have proved us; you have tried us just as silver is tried.
- 10 You brought us into the snare; you laid heavy burdens upon our backs.
- 11 You let enemies ride over our heads; we went through fire and water; but you brought us out into a place of refreshment.
- 12 I will enter your house with burnt-offerings and will pay you my vows, which I promised with my lips and spoke with my mouth when I was in trouble.
- 13 I will offer you sacrifices of fat beasts with the smoke of rams; I will give you oxen and goats.
- 14 Come and listen, all you who fear God, and I will tell you what he has done for me.
- 15 I called out to him with my mouth, and his praise was on my tongue.
- 16 If I had found evil in my heart, the Lord would not have heard me;
- 17 But in truth God has heard me; he has attended to the voice of my prayer.
- 18 Blessed be God, who has not rejected my prayer, nor withheld his love from me.

A Reading from 1 Peter 3:13-22

Now who will harm you if you are eager to do what is good? But even if you do suffer for doing what is right, you are blessed. Do not fear what they fear, and do not be intimidated, but in your hearts sanctify Christ as Lord. Always be ready to make your defense to anyone who demands from you an accounting for the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and reverence.

Keep your conscience clear, so that, when you are maligned, those who abuse you for your good conduct in Christ may be put to shame. For it is better to suffer for doing good, if suffering should be God's will, than to suffer for doing evil. For Christ also suffered for sins once for all, the righteous for the unrighteous, in order to bring you to God.

He was put to death in the flesh, but made alive in the spirit, in which also he went and made a proclamation to the spirits in prison, who in former times did not obey, when God waited patiently in the days of Noah, during the building of the ark, in which a few, that is, eight persons, were saved through water. And baptism, which this prefigured, now saves you-- not as a removal of dirt from the body, but as an appeal to God for a good conscience, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, with angels, authorities, and powers made subject to him.

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

Holy Gospel; John 14:15-21

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

People Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Jesus said, "If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you. In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live. On that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you. They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me; and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them."

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise be to thee, Lord Christ.

Sermon

The Rev. Anne M. Turner, *Interim Rector*

The Nicene Creed (BCP 326)

We believe in one God,

the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,

the only Son of God,

eternally begotten of the Father,

God from God, Light from Light,

true God from true God,

begotten, not made,

of one Being with the Father;

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:

by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man;

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;

he suffered death and was buried;

On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,

who proceeds from the Father and the Son;

With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.

He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Prayers of the People (BCP 328)

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. *Amen.*

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. *Amen.*

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. *Amen.*

We beseech thee also so to rule the hearts of those who bear the authority of government in this and every land, especially Donald 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. *Amen.*

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. *Amen.*

And we most humbly beseech thee, of thy goodness, O Lord, to comfort and succor *Kathy, Rachel & Christopher, Chris & Donna, and* all those who, in this transitory life, are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity. *Amen.*

And we also bless thy holy Name for *George Brady 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. *Amen.*

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 (BCP 330)

Celebrant Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God.

All Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against thee in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved thee with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of thy Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in thy will, and walk in thy ways, to the glory of thy Name. Amen.

Absolution (BCP 332)

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 (BCP 332)

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

This is a true saying, and worthy of all men to be received, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. 1 Timothy 1:15

If any man sin, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous; and he is the perfect offering for our sins, and not for ours only, but for the sins of the whole world. 1 John 2:1 2

The Peace (BCP 332)

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And with thy spirit.

Welcome & Announcements

The Offering

The Holy Communion

Offertory Hymn Miniature on Slane John Carter

The Great Thanksgiving (Prayer II, BCP 340)

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 & Benedictus (BCP 334)

Celebrant and People: Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts:

Heaven and earth are full of thy glory. Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High. Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

The people stand or kneel.

All glory be to thee, O Lord our God, for that thou didst create heaven and earth, and didst make us in thine own image; and, of thy tender mercy, didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon him, and to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption. He made there a full and perfect sacrifice for the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memory of that his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

For in the night in which he was betrayed, he took bread; and when he had given thanks to thee, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat, this is my Body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, he took the cup; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the remission of sins. Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me."

Wherefore, O Lord and heavenly Father, we thy people do celebrate and make, with these thy holy gifts which we now offer unto thee, the memorial thy Son hath commanded us to make; having in remembrance his blessed passion and precious death, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; and looking for his coming again with power and great glory.

And we most humbly beseech thee, O merciful Father, to hear us, and, with thy Word and Holy Spirit, to bless and sanctify these gifts of bread and wine, that they may be unto us the Body and Blood of thy dearly-beloved Son Jesus Christ.

And we earnestly desire thy fatherly goodness to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, whereby we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, our selves, our souls and bodies.

Grant, we beseech thee, that all who partake of this Holy Communion may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son Jesus Christ, and be filled with thy grace and heavenly benediction;

and also that we and all thy whole Church may be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord; By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost all honor and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end. *Amen.*

And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

All: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Fraction (BCP 337)

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!

The Administration of Communion (BCP 338)

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 Beth & Peter, in the name of this congregation, I send you forth bearing these holy gifts to David Tetteyfio, 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 (BCP 339)

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

The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, the great Shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the everlasting covenant, make you perfect in every good work to do his will, working in you that which is well pleasing in his sight; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. *Amen.*

Dismissal (BCP 340)

Celebrant Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, Alleluia.

People Thanks be to God! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Postlude Organ Chorale on Lasst uns Erfreuen

Ferguson

Assisting in the Preparation and Conduct of Worship				
Altar Guild		Bobbe Duquette, Maria Lawalt, Tricia Mussante, Diana Wright		
Counters		Keith Sinclair, Rhonda McGibbon		
Ushers	8 am	Robin Mullet, Tom Rust		
	10 am	Carol Durand, Don Durand		
Greeters	8 am	Bill Outerbridge		
	10 am	Janet Muich		
Lay	8 am	Marie Lally, Diane Miller		
Eucharistic	10 am	Ted Mankin, Adaku Nwachukwu, Bill Odio, Allan Stanley,		
Ministers		Keith Sinclair		
Acolytes	10 am	Danny Wechtenhiser, Madeleine, Nathaniel, & Vivienne Lamoureux		

Congratulations to the youth completing the Eucharist Class. You'll see them serving in various roles today! They are: James Burke, Gabe Fang-Weeden, Rebecca Hobson, Kate Keane, Emma Kimmel, Eric Kowalcyk, Nathaniel Lamoureux, Connor McAtee, Katy Schrock, Ray Schrock, and Sara Zetlan.

Today's Altar Flowers are Given by...

John Dye in Loving Memory of Betsy Dye whose Birthday is May 26.

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 the **Gifts to Glorify the Lord Committee** as they have completed their work! We thank current members **Carmela Condro, Elaine Horsfield, Jean Lammers, Sharon McKenney, Paige Williamson,** and Co-chairs, **Marty Brady and Randy Karn.** We also thank **all those who served in the past** and **the many who supported GtGtL** through their generosity of time and money.

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!

You can call Peter or Beth Hwoschinsky @ 703.450.8599





Last Names S - Z Please Bring Treats on May 28!

Please consider bringing a suitable snack to share with others at the weekly coffee hour. Simply place whatever you've brought on the table in Henry Hall before you head into the service. We also need two helpers before and after the 10 a.m. Service to replenish food and clean up. If you are able to help, please contact the coffee hour Captain for next week, Carol Sinclair (Csinclair83@msn.com).

<u>Upcoming</u>: Last Names A -F on June 4.

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 5/21	8 & 10 a.m.	Holy Eucharist Services	Sanctuary
	9:20 a.m.	Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
	10 a.m.	Youth Sunday	Sanctuary
	11:10 a.m.	Eucharist Class Celebration	Henry Hall
	4 p.m.	Know Your Rights Seminar	Sanctuary
Monday 5/22	7 p.m.	Boy Scout Troop 159 Meeting	Henry Hall
	7:30 p.m.	Vestry Meeting	B1
Tuesday 5/23		No events currently scheduled.	
Wednesday 5/24	10 a.m.	Morning Bible Study	Kitchen
	12:15 p.m.	Midweek Eucharist and Healing Prayer Service	Sanctuary
	5 p.m.	Guitar Ensemble	Sanctuary
	7 p.m.	Handbell Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
Thursday 5/25	7 p.m.	Saint Timothy's Adult Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
Friday 5/26	8 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Sanctuary
Saturday 5/27	9 a.m.	Altar Guild Set Up	Sanctuary
	7:30 p.m.	Evening Worship in Spanish/Oración Vespertina Diaria en Español:	Sanctuary
Sunday 5/28	8 & 10 a.m.	Holy Eucharist Services	Sanctuary
	9:20 a.m.	Choir Rehearsal	Music Room



Mon. 5/22	Guillaume Eek
Tue. 5/23	Ed Borosky
Wed. 5/25	Jason Law, Connor McAtee
Thu. 5/26	Tom Bosworth
Fri. 5/27	Christine Cuadro
Sat. 5/28	Tessa Schmidt

General Announcements

Know Your Rights Seminar in Spanish will be Held TODAY, Sunday, May 21 at 4 p.m. This presentation is primarily in Spanish but is open to all.

Beth Lumnitzer, Kerrie Wilson

KNOW YOUR RIGHTS

Sun. 5/29

What to do if you encounter immigration officials.

FREE Know your Rights and Creating an Emergency Plan Seminar (in Spanish).

Sunday, May 21, 4-6 p.m.; in the Sanctuary.

Questions?: 703-534-9805 Catholic Charities

Tuesday Evening Bible Study -- Ruth

We will begin studying the Book of Ruth on Tuesday, May 23. Ruth has been called one of the best books of the Bible, and for good reason. This story reveals how ordinary and difficult life events can be opportunities for loyalty, love, transformation, and contact with God. 7:30 pm in the Music Room. All are welcome! If you have any questions, contact Jane Burkett (jane.burkett@gmail.com).

CONOCER SUS DERECHOS

Que hacer si se enfrenta con los oficiales de inmigración.

Presentación GRATIS: Conocer sus Derechos y Crear un Plan de Seguridad (en Español).

Domingo, 21 de Mayo; 4-6 pm en el santuario.

Preguntas?: 703-534-9805 Caridades Católicas

General Announcements (continued)

Dinner with the Wardens June 2

Got a question or an opinion for a Warden? Want to get to know fellow parishioners in a relaxed setting? Join Sr. Warden Genevieve Zetlan and Jr. Warden Eugene Nkomba for dinner and good fellowship Friday, June 2 at 6:30 p.m. RSVP to gzetlan@gmail.com.

Music Ministry End of Season Cook Out – Saturday, June 3, 2 - 6 p.m.

Roger and Debbie Long cordially invite all Music Ministry participants (Adult Choir, Bell Choir, Children's Choir, Guitar Ensemble, Organ Committee, etc.) and their families to their home on June 3 from 2-6 p.m. for St. Tim's End of Season Music Ministry Cook Out. Please mark your calendars now and plan to attend for a relaxing visit to verdant Fauquier County. For the address and/or directions as well as to RSVP, please contact Roger Long at 540.878.5078 or via email, Longrl58@hotmail.com.

Hamburgers, kosher hotdogs, buns, condiments, paper plates, etc. will be provided. You are invited to bring any other kind of meat that you may prefer, which can be cooked on the grill. Grill Masters will be standing by! Each family is asked to bring a side dish or desert item. For those families with small children, please bring along any outdoor sports equipment that your children like to play with. The Longs look forward to seeing each of you on June 3rd!

Ministry & Calendar Summit Sunday, June 4 @ 11:30 a.m.

Our next Ministry & Calendar Summit will be held Sunday, June 4 after the 10 a.m. service from 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. in Henry Hall. Refreshments will be served. In addition to Vestry attendance, every ministry is requested to nominate and send at least one representative as we discuss plans for the Summer and Fall of 2017. Please provide the representative's name, ministry and any topics to be discussed to Jeanne Bennett at bennettj@sec.gov by Wednesday, May 31st. Discussion will review established church schedules and will coordinate ministry plans to achieve a balanced calendar. If a ministry rep cannot attend the meeting, please send an email regarding the proposed calendar for your ministry to shonbeury@aol.com and the request will be included in the overview and discussion. Thank you!

Ordination Service; All Are Invited!

God willing, The Rt. Rev. Shannon S. Johnson, Bishop of Virginia, will ordain 10 candidates to the Sacred Order of Deacons on Saturday, June 10, 2017 at 10:30 a.m. at Epiphany Episcopal Church (3301 Hidden Meadow Drive, Herndon, VA).

Among the 10 candidates are three individuals closely connected to the Saint Timothy's church family. These individuals include two former Seminarians who served here (**Bryan William Spoon** and **Taylor Anne Devine**) as well as **Lisa Michele Erdeljon**, a seminarian we have supported throughout her journey that attended Saint Tim's before entering seminary.

Endowment Fund

An Endowment Fund was established at St. Timothy's Church as a way to donate to the work of the Church. This affords donors a variety of gift vehicles, in addition to cash, bequests in wills, life income gifts, annuities, trusts, life insurance policies, real estate, securities, and other assets. Persons who have questions or are interested in donating to the Endowment Fund should contact the church office at 703-437-3790 or Email: office@saint-timothys.org

Youth & Children's Ministry News

Youth Sunday / Eucharist Class Celebration TODAY!- Youth Sunday/Eucharist Class celebration will take place on May 21 during the 10 a.m. service. We will have a celebration cake in Henry Hall after the service.

Parent and Youth meeting - On June 4 at 11:15 a.m., Mother Anne and Christine Hoyle request that all youth and parents (including rising 6th grade students & parents) join us for a meeting in the upper room on June 4 (after the car wash) to discuss items for next year. We will have pizza for lunch and anticipate the meeting to last about 40 minutes. Please take the time to join us as we have a lot of items to review that will require planning before we start classes up in September. Please contact Christine at christineh@saint-timothys.org with the number of people from your family that will join us on June 4 so we can order enough pizza.

Vacation Bible School Has Been Postponed Until the Summer of 2018.

While we did not have the volunteer leadership or the enrollment to sustain a program this year, we look forward to coming back stronger next summer. If you have any questions, please talk to Anne Turner or Christine.

Answer Jesus' Call

Join a ministry where you can connect with others in volunteer service to make a difference at St. Tim's, our local community, and in the world! Reach out via the contact info provided where you have an interest!

Altar Guild Team- St. Timothy's Altar Guild plays an important role in the Worship Ministry. Their mission is to ensure that the Sanctuary is in order, beautiful, clean and prepared for worship on a weekly basis and for special services. The special fellowship of this team-based ministry is an easy way to support your church and only requires a few hours of your time on the week you are scheduled to serve (approximately every other month for a two-week rotation). Each team is led by an experienced Guild member and training is provided. Service opportunities can be flexible to meet your busy schedule or special interests (flowers, care of linens, Sunday only). Please consider helping the Altar Guild grow and meet our 2017 goal of doubling the number of teams who serve. For more information, please contact Carol Sinclair (csinclair83@msn.com).

<u>Car Wash</u> - The Youth Car Wash will take place on June 4, 7:45 a.m. – 11 a.m. Funds raised will benefit the annual youth mission trip to Dungannon. We need all youth, youth parents, and anyone available to help to please contact Christine at christineh@saint-timothys.org.

Godly Play Door Keepers— If anyone is looking for some quality time with some our youngest congregation, we are in need of some volunteers for Door Keepers for Godly Play ages 3 to 8. This opportunity is during the early part of the service. Our goal is to bring the children up at Peace, but always in time for Communion. We run Godly Play throughout the Summer with exception of the Sunday closest to July 4th and Labor Day. We try to schedule each person once per month. Please contact Sarah Hobson at sarahlhobson@hotmail.com if interested!

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Pastoral Care Team (Includes Home Communion Visitors)— The Pastoral Care Team welcomes new members to the team who can reach out to those in need via prayer, phone calls, notes of encouragement, as well as those who are able to make Home Communion Visits to those who cannot attend church services. We will train anyone who is interested in being a part of this important care network. Please email Gayle Rippe or Sarah Daly for more information. (gayle_657@hotmail.com / stilldaly@gmail.com).

Hospitality Ministry— The Hospitality Ministry provides an opportunity for fellowship at Sunday morning coffee hours and provides support to church wide events such as the annual visit by our Bishop. We are in need of extra hands to assist with coffee hours following the 8:00 and 10:00 services. If you are able to help by making coffee, setting out snacks or cleaning up - once a month or once a year – your assistance would be greatly appreciated. For further information please contact the chair, Carolyn Hamm (carolynhamm@verizon.net).

Service Ministry-St. Timothy's has a long history of service to the local community and beyond. The Service Ministry is dedicated to continuing that tradition by providing opportunities to serve others through local and global outreach. We support local organizations such as The Closet, LINK (a local food pantry), and Cornerstones and partner with the Haiti Ministry to support students in Chapoteau, Haiti. Would you like to engage the congregation in living their faith by serving others through local and global outreach? Consider joining the Service Ministry! We meet once a month and there are a variety of ways that you can make a difference in this ministry. If you are interested contact Carolyn Hamm, Service Ministry Chair, at service@saint-timothys.org.

St. Tim's Summer Choir Begins JUNE 25- This summer, as in past years, St. Tim's will again offer a 'Summer Choir' that rehearses only on Sunday mornings before our 10 a.m. worship services. Repertoire will include mostly 2 and 3 part anthems from a variety of composers. Our Summer Choir schedule will begin on June 25 with rehearsal at 9:20 a.m. This is a great opportunity to sing without attending weekly Thursday evening rehearsals; come as you are able. Due to the warmer temps, we will not vest, so participants can sit with their families and then join the choir for their anthem. If you have been thinking about singing in the choir but are too busy for weekly rehearsals, this choir is for you! Please see Roger Long after church for more details or e-mail him at rogerl@saint-timothys.org.

<u>Ushers Needed</u>- The role of an Usher is multifaceted, but the most important is to assist visitors and members not only coming into the presence of God, but doing so in a welcoming manner that helps facilitate the worship experience in a way that is meaningful and significant. Ushers play a significant role with projecting the mission of St. Timothy's Church as they are frequently the first people to meet visitors or members as they enter the sanctuary. Ushers are needed for Sunday Morning Worship Services, Holiday Worship Services, Evensong, Funerals, and other Special Events (Music, Plays, Visiting Artists/Guests, etc).

If you are interested in joining this critical, visible Ministry as an individual, family, or with someone else, and can assist in any or all of the services mentioned above or if you have further questions, please contact one of the following individuals: Jim Wallis - 703-478-3390/ jimw.wallis@gmail.com, Robin Mullet - 703-471-0385/Robin.Mullet@fairfaxcounty.gov or contact the church office.

Bulletin & eNews Submission Reminder

Submissions for the Sunday bulletin and eNews are **due** <u>Wednesdays by 9 a.m.</u> of the week they are published unless otherwise communicated. If you would like to submit a church-related announcement, you can email office@saint-timothys.org. You will receive a reply via email to confirm your submission was received.



Saint Timothy's Prayer List

Submissions added this week are in italics.



<u>Health</u>: Diane, Harper, *Kathy*, Margaret, and Michele.

Recently Deceased: Eva Papa, George Brady

Other Needs: Rachel & Christopher, Chris & Donna

Long Term Needs: Barbara, Bill, Carolyn, Danny, Dave, David, Dolores, Florita, Jane, Jerry, Joanne, Julie, Laura, Lauren, Lynn, Mabel, Martha, Matthew, Michael, Pam, Prof. Dr. Sakr, Ralph, Richard & Helen, Virginia & Cameron, and Wallace.

Please Note: Email requests to Prayer@saint-timothys.org with the name of the person and prayer request. Request details will only be placed on the Pastoral Care Team listing; first names only 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. Prayer requests, unless specifically requested as a Long Term Need (in cases of prolonged illness, etc.) will remain on the Prayer List for three Sundays.



St. Timothy's Episcopal Church was founded on November 1, 1868, and is a member Region V of the Diocese of Virginia, one of the Episcopal Church's 9 original dioceses and the largest diocese in the domestic U.S. The bell from our 1881 church building has been electrified and continues to ring before every Sunday service and major holy day. Our 1870 James D. Moore Tracker pipe organ was restored and reinstalled April, 2017.

We have a long history of outreach within and beyond the Herndon/Reston community. We staff The Closet, which had its beginnings at St. Timothy's in the 1970s. The first homeless shelter in Fairfax County began in our Henry Hall in 1984 and became the Embry Rucker Shelter, which we continue to staff. We run a school supply drive and holiday Angel Tree in addition to supporting LINK, Helping Hungry Kids, and Cornerstones, among others. We serve the poorest in our state, our nation, and our hemisphere with yearly mission trips to Dungannon, VA, Pine Ridge Indian Reservation, SD, and Chapoteau, Haiti.

We worship 4 times per week, in English and in Spanish, and we welcome everyone who would like to worship with us and become a part of our community. If you are visiting us, please sign the guest book in the Narthex and introduce yourself to our clergy and vestry members.