



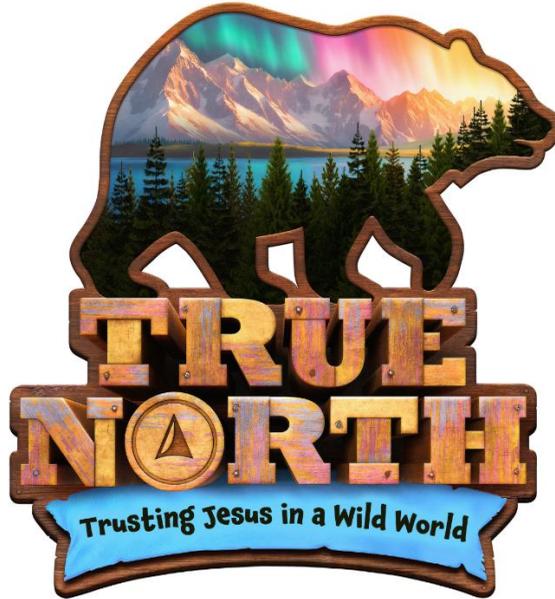
**ST. TIMOTHY'S EPISCOPAL**  
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Sunday, July 27, 2025 *Seventh Sunday after Pentecost/ Vacation Bible School Sunday*

8 am



**Weekly Services:**

Sunday, 8:00 am	Holy Eucharist Rite I, spoken
Sunday, 10:00 am	Holy Eucharist Rite II with Music
Sábado, 7:00 pm	La Santa Misa, en español

**Saint Timothy's Mission Statement**

SAINT TIMOTHY'S MISSION IS TO RESTORE ALL PEOPLE  
TO UNITY WITH GOD AND EACH OTHER IN CHRIST.

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## Information For Our First-Time Guests

We invite you to fill out a Welcome Card in the pew rack in front of you or on the podium in the Narthex. Please place the completed card in the offertory plate or give it to an usher.

For your convenience, there are rocking chairs located at the back of the sanctuary to soothe little ones and worship bags with quiet activities in the Narthex.

We invite you to share in Holy Communion. To receive, come forward and kneel/stand at an open space on the altar rail. Both bread and wine will be offered (or a rice wafer/separate chalice for those allergic to wheat/ gluten intolerant). If you do not wish to receive communion, we invite you to come forward for a blessing. Please indicate that by placing your arms across your chest.

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# HOLY EUCHARIST- RITE I

*At the tolling of the bell, please stand.*

## **Opening Acclamation and Collect for Purity (BCP 323)**

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

**People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen**

Celebrant: 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.**

Celebrant: 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 (BCP 356)**

**All: Glory to God in the highest,  
and peace to his people on earth.  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.  
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world:  
have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:  
receive our prayer.  
For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father. Amen**

## **The Collect for the Day (BCP 180)**

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

**People: And with thy spirit.**

Celebrant: O God, the protector of all that trust in thee, without whom nothing is strong, nothing

is holy: Increase and multiply upon us thy mercy; that, thou being our ruler and guide, we may so pass through things temporal, that we finally lose not the things eternal; 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 Isaiah 42:1-9**

Here is my servant, whom I uphold, my chosen, in whom my soul delights; I have put my Spirit upon him; he will bring forth justice to the nations. He will not cry or lift up his voice, or make it heard in the street; a bruised reed he will not break, and a dimly burning wick he will not quench; he will faithfully bring forth justice. He will not grow faint or be crushed until he has established justice in the earth; and the coastlands wait for his teaching. Thus says God, the LORD, who created the heavens and stretched them out, who spread out the earth and what comes from it, who gives breath to the people upon it and spirit to those who walk in it: I am the LORD, I have called you in righteousness, I have taken you by the hand and kept you; I have given you as a covenant to the people, a light to the nations, to open the eyes that are blind, to bring out the prisoners from the dungeon, from the prison those who sit in darkness. I am the LORD, that is my name; my glory I give to no other, nor my praise to idols. See, the former things have come to pass, and new things I now declare; before they spring forth, I tell you of them.

Reader:           The Word of the Lord.

People:           **Thanks be to God.**

### **Psalm 96: (Spoken responsively at the half verse.)**

1 Sing to the Lord a new song; \*

**sing to the Lord, all the whole earth.**

2 Sing to the Lord and bless his Name; \*

**proclaim the good news of his salvation from day to day.**

3 Declare his glory among the nations \*

**and his wonders among all peoples.**

4 For great is the Lord and greatly to be praised; \*

**he is more to be feared than all gods.**

5 As for all the gods of the nations, they are but idols; \*

**but it is the Lord who made the heavens.**

6 Oh, the majesty and magnificence of his presence! \*  
**Oh, the power and the splendor of his sanctuary!**

7 Ascribe to the Lord, you families of the peoples; \*  
**ascribe to the Lord honor and power.**

8 Ascribe to the Lord the honor due his Name; \*  
**bring offerings and come into his courts.**

9 Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness; \*  
**let the whole earth tremble before him.**

10 Tell it out among the nations: "The Lord is King! \*  
**he has made the world so firm that it cannot be moved;  
he will judge the peoples with equity."**

11 Let the heavens rejoice, and let the earth be glad;  
let the sea thunder and all that is in it; \*  
**let the field be joyful and all that is therein.**

12 Then shall all the trees of the wood shout for joy  
before the Lord when he comes, \*  
**when he comes to judge the earth.**

13 He will judge the world with righteousness \*  
**and the peoples with his truth.**

*Please stand as you are able.*

**Holy Gospel: Matthew 8:5-13**

**Celebrant:** The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

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

When he entered Capernaum, a centurion came to him, appealing to him and saying, "Lord, my servant is lying at home paralyzed, in terrible distress." And he said to him, "I will come and cure him." The centurion answered, "Lord, I am not worthy to have you come under my roof, but only speak the word, and my servant will be healed. For I also am a man under authority, with soldiers under me, and I say to one, 'Go,' and he goes, and to another, 'Come,' and he comes, and to my slave, 'Do this,' and the slave does it." When Jesus heard him, he was amazed and said to those who followed him, "Truly I tell you, in no one in Israel have I found such faith. I tell you, many will

come from east and west and will take their places at the banquet with Abraham and Isaac and Jacob in the kingdom of heaven, while the heirs of the kingdom will be thrown into the outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.” And Jesus said to the centurion, “Go; let it be done for you according to your faith.” And the servant was healed in that hour.

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise be to thee, Lord Christ.

## Sermon

## VBS PERFORMANCE

*Please stand as you are able.*

### The Nicene Creed (BCP 326)

People: 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.**

*Please kneel, or stand, as you are able.*

### **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; grant that all those who do confess thy holy Name may agree in the truth of thy holy Word, in unity and godly love. **Amen.**

Give grace, O heavenly Father, to all bishops and other ministers, especially to Sean, Mark, and Charles, 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, 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, Glenn our governor, and Keven 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 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 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 Timothy and all thy saints, that with them we may be partakers of thy heavenly kingdom. **Amen.**

Blessed are you, Lord, who through your Son gave us a marvelous example of charity and the great commandment of love for one another. Send down your blessings on your servants who labor in government, who so generously devote themselves to helping others. Grant them courage when they are afraid, wisdom when they must make decisions, strength when they are weary, and compassion in all their

work. In these trials and tribulations, grant them the peace that passes all understanding and allow them the patience and courage to continue to faithfully serve you and their neighbor. **Amen.**

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

### **Confession of Sin (BCP 331)**

Celebrant: Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God:

**People: Most merciful God,  
we confess that we have sinned against thee  
in thought, word, and deed,  
by what we have done,  
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 way,  
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.**

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

*Please stand as you are able.*

### **The Peace (BCP 332)**

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**People: And with thy spirit.**

*Please be seated.*

### **Welcome & Announcements**

### **The Offering**

*Please stand as you are able.*

## The Holy Communion

### 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 unto 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. Through Jesus Christ our Lord; according to whose true promise the Holy Ghost came down from heaven, lighting upon the disciples, to teach them and to lead them into all truth; uniting peoples of many tongues in the confession of one faith, and giving to thy Church the power to serve thee as a royal priesthood, and to preach the Gospel to all nations. 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 (BCP 334)

**All: 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.**

*Please kneel, or stand, as you are able.*

Celebrant: 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 hath 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:           Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People:               Therefore let us keep the feast.

### **The Invitation (BCP 338)**

Celebrant:           The Gifts of God for the People of God.

### **Administration of Communion**

*Please kneel, or stand, as you are able.*

### **Post-Communion Prayer (BCP 339)**

Celebrant:           Let us pray.

**All:                   Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.**

## Blessing

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

*Please stand as you are able.*

## Dismissal (BCP 340)

Celebrant: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

## PRAYER LIST:

*(Please email [careteam@saint-timothys.org](mailto:careteam@saint-timothys.org) with any prayer concerns.)*

**Rest of the Soul:** Margaret Erickson (cousin of Geraldine Lyons), Maria Ines Hernandez Morales (aunt of Felix Hernandez), Sylvia Kinsolving (mother of Kathleen Kinsolving), Brad Rundlett

**Health:** Deb Angerman (breast cancer), Sean Jorgensen, Maureen Osborn, Bob S., Jack & Porter H., Family of Margaret Erickson, Peter Hwoschinsky, Arnie Goodman

**Long Term:** Sid, Maryanne, Chris W., Donna W., Chris, Chuck and Peggy, Catherine Hutcheon (Long Covid), David & Mabel Tettyfio (stroke, arthritis, hip pain), Brian Law, Jane Perry, Jerry Vandenberg, Chris Connelly (Barb Kimmel's brother, severe depression), Barb Benson (friend of Bob Kimmel, Parkinson's), Elizabeth Martinson, Ted Grivetti, Cecelia Kimble (Shon Beury's mother), David Caines (cancer), Philly Hoffman (kidney cancer)

## VBS SUNDAY- today at 8 and 10 am.

Today we welcome all our campers and their families to Vacation Bible School Sunday here at St. Timothy's! Many of our campers are St. Timothy's parishioners, some attend our Pre-School, and some are from neighboring churches and communities. They are all a part of the St. Tim's family!

We have been working all week on these songs and growing together in trust and faith in Jesus. Our theme was *True North* and we learned that no matter how lost we got, how alone we feel, or how powerless we might seem, we can always set our compasses on God and trust in Jesus.

Thanks to all our volunteers. A special word of gratitude to Johanna Smith for leading our VBS again this year, to Marie Esther Duvert, Todd Grivetti, Charles Cowherd, and Laura Salinas for leading our stations, to Lael Lyons, Bob Beury, John McGrath, Betsy Bosworth, and Pat Smith to leading our "Crews." To Annie Katz and Sandy Wright for leading "Tundra Treats." To Maria LaWalt for handling registration and for her world-famous homemade ice cream. To Kimberly Cowell-Meyers and Gio Tagnesi for helping with Aftercare.

To our Youth Volunteers: Camille and Julius Koenig, Annemarie Smith, Leo Salinas, Riley Farmer, Dariel Lemus, and Genevieve Masters. To Carolyn Hamm for helping out and providing our Service Project. To Ken Vierra for bringing Ember the therapy dog in. To Amy Foley and her boyfriend Hosei Kujima and the soccer demonstration. And to all those who helped set up after the Funeral last Sunday.

## THIS WEEK at ST. TIMOTHY'S

**Sunday, July 27 – Summer Link Food Drive/ VBS Sunday**

8:00 AM Rite I Holy Eucharist – Sanctuary

9:30 AM Adult Choir Warm-up – Music Room

10:00 AM Rite II Holy Eucharist – Sanctuary/Livestream

**Monday, July 28**

12:15 PM Step into Recovery – AA

7:00 PM Hope For Today – Al Anon

8:30 PM Monday Night Milkshake Group – AA

**Tuesday, July 29**

9:15 AM Staff Meeting – Conference Room

**Wednesday, July 30**

4:00 PM DanceWorx – Narthex

6:30 PM Worship Committee Meeting - Zoom

7:30 PM SA Meeting

**Thursday, July 31**

7:00 PM Debtors Anonymous

**Friday, August 1**

No Events

**Saturday, August 2**

9:00 AM Altar Guild Set-Up – Sanctuary

7:00 PM La Santa Misa – Sanctuary

### LINK Summer Food Drive in July – Today!

The Service Ministry's Summer food drive for LINK is underway. Service Ministry members will be in the Narthex before and service **today and August 3<sup>rd</sup>**. We will be glad to help unload items directly from your car if you would like assistance.

You can pick up a bag in the Narthex or at the church office during business hours. Items can also be dropped off anytime at the LINK basket in the hallway between the office and the Narthex. We are grateful for anything you can contribute to help with hunger in our community. The Service Ministry thanks you for *putting your faith to work* to serve our neighbors.

### RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE – August 6<sup>th</sup>

Saint Timothy's will be hosting a blood drive on Wednesday, August 6<sup>th</sup>, 10am-3pm, in Henry Hall. If you are interested in donating for the first time or wish to start giving again, please visit:

<https://www.redcross.org/give-blood.html> or call 800 RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767).

### BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS/SCHOOL BAG

St. Timothy's Episcopal Church is offering a "blessing of the backpack" for those who would like to start the school year with a special prayer for a good year for school bag and particularly the students, teachers, and families. All in our community are welcome to participate; parents feel free to bring your briefcases too! If you are interested in a blessing, bring your backpack, school bag, work bag, or briefcase to one of the following:

- **August 16, 11:00 am** – On the St. Timothy's Pre-School Playground
- **August 17, 8:00 am** – Holy Eucharist (Sanctuary)
- **August 17, 10:00 am** – Holy Eucharist with choir (Sanctuary)
- **August 23, 5:30 pm** – Holy Eucharist, in Spanish (Sanctuary)