



Sunday, May 24, 2026

Day of Pentecost

8 am

# Holy Baptism

**D**EARLY beloved, ye have brought *this Child* here to be baptized; ye have prayed that our Lord Jesus Christ would vouchsafe to receive *him*, to release *him* from sin, to sanctify *him* with the Holy Ghost, to give *him* the kingdom of heaven, and everlasting life.

Dost thou, therefore, in the name of this Child, renounce the devil and all his works, the vain pomp and glory of the world, with all covetous desires of the same, and the sinful desires of the flesh, so that thou wilt not follow, nor be led by them?

**Answer.** I renounce them all; and, by God's help, will endeavour not to follow, nor be led by them.

**Minister.** Dost thou believe all the Articles of the Christian Faith, as contained in the Apostles' Creed?

**Answer.** I do.

*Book of Common Prayer 1928 pgs. 276-7*

**Minister.** Wilt thou be baptized in this Faith?

**Answer.** That is my desire.

**Minister.** Wilt thou then obediently keep God's holy will and commandments, and walk in the same all the days of thy life?

**Answer.** I will, by God's help.

**Minister.** Having now, in the name of this Child, made these promises, wilt thou also on thy part take heed that this Child learn the Creed, the Lord's Prayer, and the Ten Commandments, and all other things which a Christian ought to know and believe to *his* soul's health?

**Answer.** I will, by God's help.

**Minister.** Wilt thou take heed that this Child, so soon as sufficiently instructed, be brought to the Bishop to be confirmed by him?

**Answer.** I will, God being my helper.

## Weekly Services:

Sunday, 8:00 am                      Holy Eucharist Rite I, spoken  
Sunday, 10:00 am                    Holy Eucharist Rite II, with Choir  
(Godly Play for ages 3–8, Sunday School for ages 9-12)  
Sábado, 7:00 pm                    Santa Eucaristía Rito II, en español

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*Church office hours are 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM Monday through Friday.*

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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.

Children are welcome to stay with parents in the Sanctuary, or they may head downstairs for Godly Play after the reading of the Collect. For your convenience, there are also rocking chairs located at the back of the sanctuary to soothe the 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 (gluten free available on request) and wine (either sip from the chalice or allow the chalice-bearer to intinct) will be offered. If you don't wish to receive, we invite you to come forward for a blessing. Please indicate that by placing your arms across your chest.

### Vestry

**Sr. Warden** – Rob Huizar (2027)

Christine Cozza (2029)

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### Trustees

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## **HOLY EUCHARIST with Renewal of Baptismal Vows** **The Word of God**

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

### **Opening Acclamations (BCP 299)**

**Celebrant:** Alleluia. Christ is risen.

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

**Celebrant:** There is one Body and one Spirit;

**People:** **There is one hope in God's call to us;**

**Celebrant:** One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;

**People:** **One God and Father of all.**

## **Kyrie (BCP 324)**

Celebrant: Lord, have mercy upon us.

**People: Christ, have mercy upon us.**

Celebrant: Lord, have mercy upon us.

## **The Collect for the Day (BCP 175)**

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

**People: And with thy spirit.**

Celebrant: O God, who on this day didst teach the hearts of thy faithful people by sending to them the light of thy Holy Spirit: Grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgment in all things, and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort; through the merits of Christ Jesus our Savior, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the same Spirit, one God, world without end. **Amen.**

*Please be seated.*

## **The Lessons**

### **A Reading from Numbers 11:24-30**

Moses went out and told the people the words of the Lord; and he gathered seventy elders of the people, and placed them all around the tent. Then the Lord came down in the cloud and spoke to him, and took some of the spirit that was on him and put it on the seventy elders; and when the spirit rested upon them, they prophesied. But they did not do so again. Two men remained in the camp, one named Eldad, and the other named Medad, and the spirit rested on them; they were among those registered, but they had not gone out to the tent, and so they prophesied in the camp. And a young man ran and told Moses, "Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp." And Joshua son of Nun, the assistant of Moses, one of his chosen men, said, "My lord Moses, stop them!" But Moses said to him, "Are you jealous for my sake? Would that all the Lord's people were prophets, and that the Lord would put his spirit on them!" And Moses and the elders of Israel returned to the camp.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

### **Psalm 104:25-35, 37 ~ spoken by the half verse**

25 O Lord, how manifold are your works! \*

**in wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.**

26 Yonder is the great and wide sea with its living things too many to number, \*

**creatures both small and great.**

27 There move the ships, and there is that Leviathan, \*

**which you have made for the sport of it.**

- 28 All of them look to you \*  
**to give them their food in due season.**
- 29 You give it to them; they gather it; \*  
**you open your hand, and they are filled with good things.**
- 30 You hide your face, and they are terrified; \*  
**you take away their breath, and they die and return to their dust.**
- 31 You send forth your Spirit, and they are created; \*  
**and so you renew the face of the earth.**
- 32 May the glory of the Lord endure for ever; \*  
**may the Lord rejoice in all his works.**
- 33 He looks at the earth and it trembles; \*  
**he touches the mountains and they smoke.**
- 34 I will sing to the Lord as long as I live; \*  
**I will praise my God while I have my being.**
- 35 May these words of mine please him; \*  
**I will rejoice in the Lord.**
- 37 Bless the Lord, O my soul. \*  
**Hallelujah!**

### **A Reading from Acts 2:1-21**

When the day of Pentecost had come, the disciples were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs-- in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine." But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not

drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

‘In the last days it will be, God declares,  
that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh,  
and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy,  
and your young men shall see visions,  
and your old men shall dream dreams.  
Even upon my slaves, both men and women,  
in those days I will pour out my Spirit;  
and they shall prophesy.  
And I will show portents in the heaven above  
and signs on the earth below,  
blood, and fire, and smoky mist.  
The sun shall be turned to darkness  
and the moon to blood,  
before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day.  
Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'"

Reader:           The Word of the Lord.

**People:**           **Thanks be to God.**

*Please stand as you are able.*

### **Holy Gospel: John 20:19-23**

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

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

When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained."

Celebrant:       The Gospel of the Lord.

**People:**           **Praise be to thee, O Christ.**

*Please be seated.*

**Sermon**

The Rev. Charles Cowherd

*Please stand as you are able.*

## **The Renewal of Baptismal Vows (BCP 292)**

Celebrant: On this day, we remember that we are buried with Christ by Baptism into his death, and raised with him to newness of life. I invite you, therefore, to renew the solemn promises and vows of Holy Baptism, by which we renounced Satan and all his works, and promised to serve God faithfully in his holy Catholic Church.

Celebrant: Do you reaffirm your renunciation of evil and renew your commitment to Jesus Christ?

**People: I do.**

Celebrant: Do you believe in God the Father?

**People: I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

Celebrant: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

**People: I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.  
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit  
and born of the Virgin Mary.  
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried.  
He descended to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again.  
He ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

Celebrant: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

**People: I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting.**

Celebrant: Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of the bread, and in the prayers?

**People: I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant: Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

**People: I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant: Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

**People:** I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

**People:** I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?.

**People:** I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: May Almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has given us a new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and bestowed upon us the forgiveness of sins, keep us in eternal life by his grace, in Christ Jesus our Lord. **Amen.**

### **Prayers for the Candidate (BCP 305)**

Celebrant: Let us now pray for Eleanor who is to receive the Sacrament of new birth.

Leader: Deliver her, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.

**People:** Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: Open her hearts to your grace and truth.

**People:** Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: Fill her with your holy and life-giving Spirit.

**People:** Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: Keep her in the faith and communion of your holy Church.

**People:** Lord, hear our prayer

Leader: Teach her to love others in the power of the Spirit.

**People:** Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: Send her into the world in witness to your love.

**People:** Lord, hear our prayer.

Leader: Bring her to the fullness of your peace and glory.

**People:** Lord, hear our prayer.

Celebrant: Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and forever. **Amen.**

*Please stand as you are able.*

### **The Peace**

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

**People:** And with thy spirit.

## Welcome & Announcements

### Offertory Sentence

### The Offering

## The Holy Communion

### The Great Thanksgiving (Prayer I, BCP 333)

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 on this day 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.**

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

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

People:             **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia**

### **The Invitation (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.

### **Administration of Communion**

## 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 & Exit

Celebrant: May God, who sent the Holy Spirit as a flame of fire that rested upon the heads of the disciples, burn out all evil from your hearts, and make them shine with the pure light of his presence, and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

*Please stand as you are able as the ministers depart.*

*Altar Flowers given by -  
Emma Spence in Memory of William Spence  
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## THIS WEEK at ST. TIMOTHY'S

### Sunday, May 24- Feast of Pentecost

8:00 AM Rite II Holy Eucharist – Sanctuary  
9:00 AM Sunday Adult Forum – Henry Hall/ Livestream  
10:00 AM Rite II Holy Eucharist – Sanctuary/Livestream  
11:30 AM Coffee Hour- Henry Hall

### Monday, May 25- Memorial Day- Office Closed

12:15 PM Step into Recovery – AA  
7:00 PM Hope For Today – Al Anon  
8:30 PM Monday Night Milkshake Group – AA

### Tuesday, May 26

7:00 PM – Vestry Meeting – Conference Room

### Wednesday, May 27

4:00 PM DanceWorx – Narthex

### Thursday, May 28

7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal – Music Rm./  
Sanctuary

### Friday, May 29

No Events Scheduled

### Saturday, May 30

9:00 AM Altar Guild Set-Up – Sanctuary  
7:00 PM La Santa Misa – Sanctuary

## PRAYER LIST:

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

**Rest of the Soul:** [Ted Grivetti](#) (Todd's father), George Caldwell

**Health:** Peter Hwoschinsky, Melissa Druitt (concussion/vision), Karen Nichols (cancer), Bill Nichols (heart disease), Giovanni Tagnesi, Weldon Showalter, Sr. (father of Jim Showalter), Sarah Daly (mother of Sarah Daly), Walter Hinostrroza (stroke), John Freeman, Marion Essig, David Manser, Terry Jones, Leslie Brown, Woody Moore (skin cancer), Geoff Bloomfield (surgery),

**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 (Parkinson's), Eric Benson (heart failure), Elizabeth Martinson, Cecelia Kimble (Shon Beury's mother), Philly Hoffman (kidney cancer), Maria Fernandez, Ed Patterson (brain tumor), Dick Joyce (spinal surgery), Mike Delacy, MaryAnn Garrahan, Eleanor Day, Tootie Cornwell, Lang Tran, Krista Warnock (Parkinson's), Molly Reed

## ALTAR FLOWER DONATIONS:

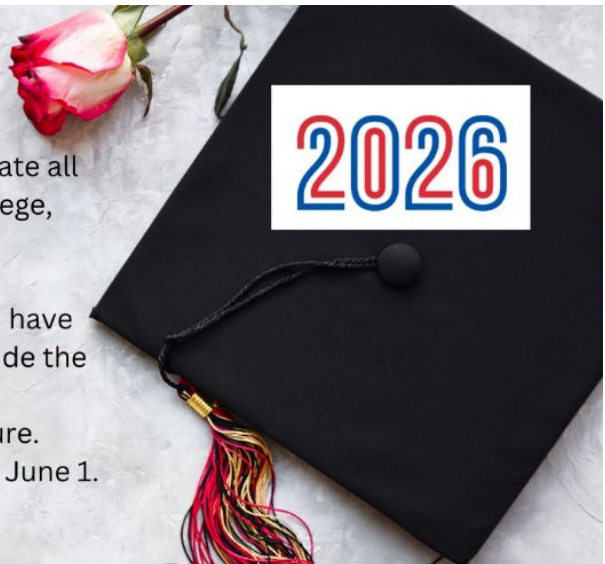
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## CONGRATULATIONS to ALL GRADUATES!

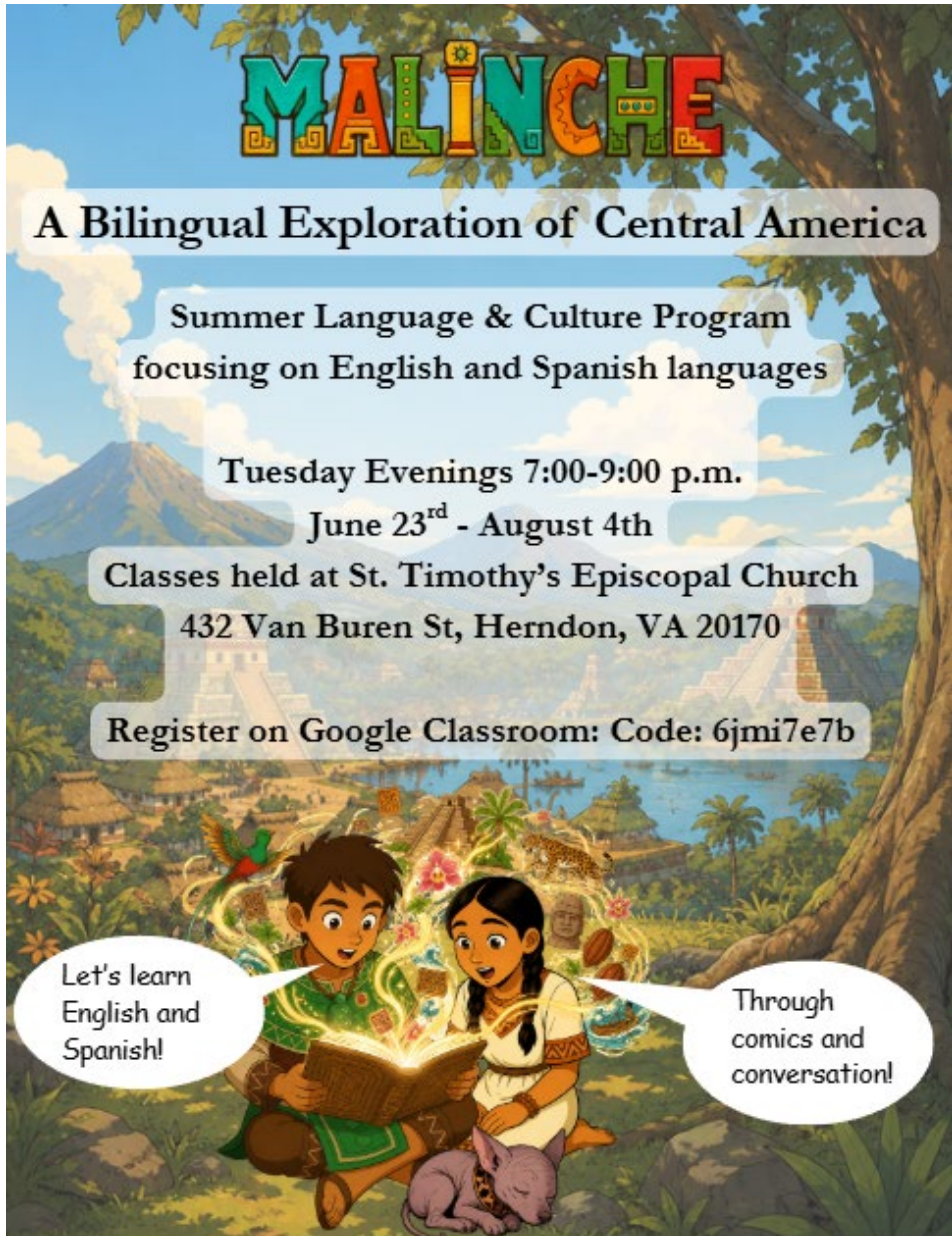
It's that time of year again as we celebrate all those graduating from high school, college, and elsewhere.

Please let the church office know if you have a graduate in your household and provide the following information: Graduate Name, School (/Major), Future Plans, and Picture.

Email to [office@saint-timothys.org](mailto:office@saint-timothys.org) by June 1.



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Tuesday Evenings 7:00-9:00 p.m.  
June 23<sup>rd</sup> - August 4th

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English and  
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Through  
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