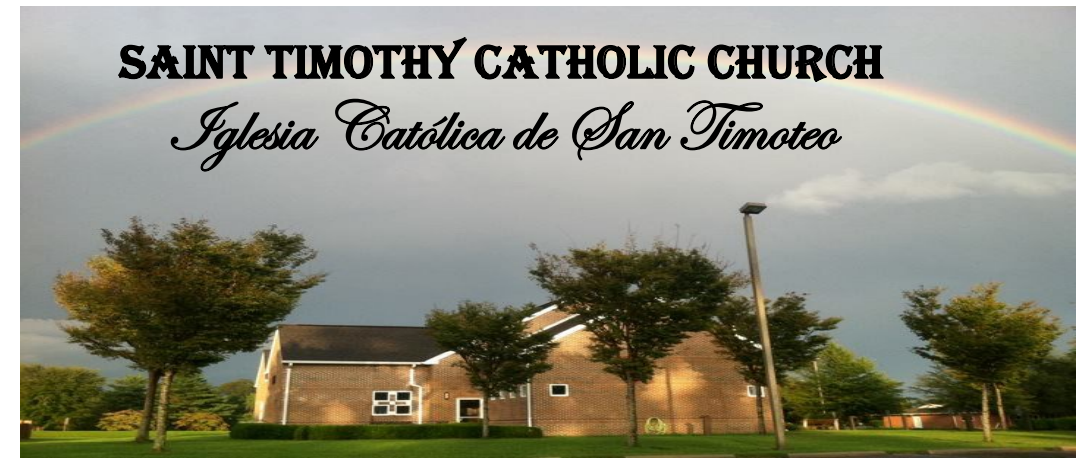




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April 23, 2023

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PARISH OFFICE

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Mission Statement
We are called to serve as one family, through corporal and spiritual works of mercy.

Estado de la misión
Estamos llamados a servir como una sola familia, a través de obras de misericordia corporales y espirituales.



Join Scouting!

St. Timothy Charters the Boy Scout Troop #304B & #304G
 Do you have a son or daughter between the ages of 6 and 17? Now is the perfect time to sign them up for Scouts. The Scouting program helps youth develop academic skills, self-confidence, ethics, leadership skills, and citizenship skills that influence their adult lives.

For more information contact:
 Scout Master Chris Fisher 804-366-8326

Or
 Angel Boily 229-630-3952
 Rivers District
 Cub Scouts (ages 6-10)



St Timothy Lumen Christi Society Chapter

Our parish Lumen Christi Society Chapter is being created to honor those who have named the parish as a beneficiary with a legacy gift. Take this into mind: Your generosity during your lifetime has enabled your parish to serve the people of God in this community. Continue to be a part of this community by making a bequest in your will.

St Timothy Church is formulating an endowment fund from legacy gifts to perpetuate financial security for our beloved church.

Third Sunday of Easter

4/23/2023
 Acts of the Apostles 2:14, 22-33; 1 Peter 1:17-21
 Luke 24:13-35

Fourth Sunday of Easter

4/30/2023
 Acts of the Apostles 2:14a, 36-41; 1 Peter 2:20b-25
 John 10:1-10

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:00pm (English)
 Sunday 9:30am (English)
 Sunday 12:00pm (Spanish)

CONFESSIONS

45 minutes before Mass or
 by appointment.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please contact the Parish Office or Rectory to schedule an appointment



"And he said to them, 'Oh, how foolish you are! How slow of heart to believe all that the prophets spoke! Was it not necessary that the Messiah should suffer these things and enter into his glory?'"

Luke 24:25-26



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St. Timothy 2023 Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

I invite you to join me this year on a 10-Day Pilgrimage (November 7th-16th) to the Holy Land. I had planned this pilgrimage before our Parish's 50th Anniversary but, because of the pandemic, we had to put it off.

Fulfill a dream of a lifetime through this inspirational journey. Strengthen your faith and feel closer to God while walking in the footsteps of our Lord Jesus Christ. Don't miss the opportunity to discover this Spiritual Land. Celebrate daily Mass at the major sites in Bethlehem, Jerusalem, Nazareth, Sea of Galilee, Cana, Jericho and many more! We need 25 persons or more; the more people we have, the less the cost of this pilgrimage.

Price is \$3,700 per person for 10 Days/8 Nights, and this package includes:

- Airfare from Dulles
- 5 Star Hotels
- 2 meals a day
- Entry fees to all sites
- Air-conditioned motor coaches
- Catholic tour guide.

There is a sign-up sheet in the Commons for those interested in this pilgrimage, or you may call the office.

Parish Ministries

- Elizabeth Fowler, Rel. Ed. Director: (540) 903-2100
- Roy Fontane, Finance Council Chair: (804) 925-6223
- Lois Ann Bonhaus, Pastoral Council Chair: (804) 445-1006
- Becky Tobler, Human Needs Chair: (757) 897-4840
- Kathy Hayden, Safe Environment Chair: (804) 450-4207
- Gonzalo Ramirez, Hispanic Ministry: (804) 313-5119

Hospital Visits: Call Parish Office or Rectory

Homebound: Call Parish Office to schedule Communion

Offertory Collection April 15 - April 16, 2023

- Offertory - \$3597
- Capital Projects - \$20
- Candles - \$134
- Religious Education - \$250

Mass Counts

4:00pm	45
9:30am	107
Noon	74

The next second collection is May 14th for Capital Improvements

DEL PASTOR

San Timoteo 2023 Peregrinación a Tierra Santa

Los invito a unirse a mí este año en una peregrinación de 10 días (del 7 al 16 de Noviembre) a Tierra Santa. Había planeado esta peregrinación antes del 50 Aniversario de nuestra Parroquia pero, debido a la pandemia, tuvimos que posponerla.

Cumple el sueño de tu vida a través de este viaje inspirador. Fortalece tu fe y siéntete más cerca de Dios mientras caminas en los pasos de nuestro Señor Jesucristo. No pierdas la oportunidad de descubrir esta Tierra Espiritual. ¡Celebre Misa diaria en los sitios principales de Belén, Jerusalén, Nazaret, el Mar de Galilea, Caná, Jericó y muchos más! Necesitamos 25 personas o más; cuanto más gente tengamos, menor será el costo de esta peregrinación.

El precio es de \$3,700 por persona por 10 Días/8 Noches, y este paquete incluye:

- Pasaje aéreo desde Dulles
- Hoteles de 5 estrellas
- 2 comidas al día
- Entradas a todos los sitios
- Autocares con aire acondicionado
- Guía turístico católico.

Hay una hoja de registro en los Comunes para aquellos interesados en esta peregrinación, o puede llamar a la oficina.

Directorio de la Iglesia

Hemos asegurado fechas para que un fotógrafo tome fotografías para nuestro nuevo directorio. Son Miércoles 3 de Mayo y Jueves 4 de Mayo. Las citas se realizarán de 14:00 a 20:30 ambos días. Las citas se pueden hacer en: <https://instant-scheduling.com/sch.php?kn=3534502&typId=64781&step=2>. Si no se siente cómodo haciendo su cita en línea, habrá alguien en los comunes después de la misa para ayudarlo. Marque sus calendarios y, si aún no lo ha

La próxima segunda colecta es el 14 de Mayo para Mejoras de Capital

JOKE OF THE WEEK

Risen Lord on the Train

On her first train trip, a little girl was put into an upper berth by her mother. The mother then assured her that Jesus would watch over her during the night. As the lights were switched off the girl became alarmed and called out softly: "Mom, are you there?" "Yes dear," her mother replied. A little later the child called in a louder voice: "Daddy, are you also there?" "Yes," was the reply. After this had been repeated several times, one of the passengers lost patience and shouted: "We're all here. Your father, your mother, your brothers and sisters and cousins, your uncles and aunts – all are here. Now go to sleep!" There was silence for a while. Then, in a hushed voice the child asked: "Mom, was that risen Jesus traveling with us?"



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



Knights in Action

The Knights of Columbus have a busy next few weeks with activities that include Pro-Life and Patriotic events honoring our Armed Forces Veterans. Listed below are some recent and upcoming activities; if you are interested in participating in any of these or learning more about what the Knights are doing please contact Ed Sullivan at desulliva@aol.com.

1. April 14, 2023, the Knights of Columbus helped to sponsor the Mother's Heart Gala. This was a fund-raising event to help mothers and Pro-Life issues.
2. On May 20, 2023 the Knights will place American Flags on the graves of all Veterans buried in the Essex and St. John cemeteries and in the Father Dollard Memorial Garden at St. Timothy Church. We will meet at the Essex Cemetery at 9:00am. Everyone is invited to come out and help honor our veterans; you do not need to be a Knight to participate.
3. On Sunday May 28th, the Knights of Columbus will have a wreath laying ceremony at the flag pole in front of St. Timothy Church following the 9:30am Mass. This will be done to honor all veterans on Memorial Day.

Please Pray For The Sick

For healing and good health:

Lois Nelms, Phillip Nuar, Anne Glancy, Liliyanna Kotzeva, Ken Pollack, Dorothy Sponder, Joseph F. Mercurio, Beth Schools, Peggy Shaughnessy, Luke Heller, Theresa Berens, Kelly Liddington, Margaret Bell, Connie and Ed Malloy, Beatrice Howard, Kathie Mendez, Michelle and Anthony Macaluso, Joe Patton, Chloe Fordham, Patricia Brenzovich, Daniel Murchison Lytjen, Amber Davis, Lorraine Jester, Anna Dalton, Charlie Allen, Jerry Simpson, Jr., Robert Davenport, Valarie Roberts, Carolyn White, David Rousseau, Patrick Finn, Rebeca Moreno, Maria Foster, Thomas Hampton, Ed Sullivan, Dan Dean, Catherine Mallory, Linda and David Taylor, Tom Schroeder, James Morris, Susan Lewis, Andrew Mallory, Owen Liddic, Barbara Taylor, John Ciffo, Kevin Sullivan, Lloyd Samuels, Michelle Sadloch, Les Sisson, Jocelyn Boily, and Carol Smith.



Mass Intentions

If you would like to have a family member or friend, living or deceased, remembered in a Mass, please call the parish office and schedule a Mass. We will send the family or person (if living) a card with all the details of the date, time and celebrant, and who scheduled the Mass.



Remember In Your Prayers

All those who serve our country, particularly . . .

LT Patrick Howlett, USAF; Ensign Jordan Gates, USN; LTC Rod Dwyer, USA; Lesley Clarke, USN; FSO Mary O'Brien; SGT John Streat III, USA; 2nd LT Christopher Selig, USA; Morgan Martin, USN, Ty Brown, USCG

Pray God keeps them in His care.

April 25 - April 30 / Mass Intentions/Mass Times				
Date	Mass	For	Liturgical Days	Requested By
4/25	12:00N	Jennifer Withers	Feast of St. Mark	Ken and Elsie Mangano
4/26	12:00N	Father Jonathan Goertz	Weekday	Pat Hirsch
4/27	9:00AM	Salvation of All Souls and Souls in Purgatory	Weekday	St. Timothy Family
4/28	9:00AM	Trish Piscopo	Weekday	Ken and Elsie Mangano
4/29	5:00PM	†Diane Sullivan	Vigil Fourth Sunday of Easter	Ed Sullivan
4/30	9:30AM	†Ann Symmers	Fourth Sunday of Easter	Carol Deverell
	12:00N	Para el Pueblo	Cuarto Domingo de Pascua	Familia de San Timoteo



Church Directory

We have secured dates for a photographer to take pictures for our new directory. They are **Wednesday May 3rd** and **Thursday May 4th**. Appointments will be made from 2:00pm to 8:30pm on both days. Appointments can be made by going to: <https://instant-scheduling.com/sch.php?kn=3534502&typId=64781&step=2>. If you're not comfortable making your appointment online, there will be someone in the Commons after Mass to assist you. Please mark your calendars and if you haven't already, please sign up today so that we can meet our quota. The sign-up sheet is in the Commons on the wooden ambo.

Give Central Online Giving

Remember that you now have the option at St. Timothy to sign up and go online to make your weekly donations to the Church. The website is updated on a weekly basis in-house. You can get more information by calling the parish office, or go to <https://www.givecentral.org/location/1137/event/25198> and follow the steps. Or you can scan the QR code.



Memorial Bricks

Remember and memorialize a departed family member or friend in the Memorial Garden. The price is only \$100 and a duplicate for your home is available for an additional \$50. Pick up an order form from the Commons or contact the parish office.



Divine Mercy Cenacle

Please join us in the Commons at **12:45pm**, after the noon Mass on **Tuesday, May 2nd**, to pray the *Divine Mercy Chaplet*, and learn about the revelations of Saint Faustina. This will be Week Number 56.

Bible Study

The Bible Study group meets on Tuesday at 11:00am in the Religious Education Office. We welcome new members. Please contact Chris at ciovino@hotmail.com or 804-443-7179 cell phone.



Religious Education Updates

Sunday May 14 - FIRST COMMUNION (also Mother's Day) - **NO CCD CLASSES**.
Sunday May 21 - last class.

SAVE THE DATE: Saturday June 24 - Vacation Bible Day (PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS DATE HAS CHANGED).



Telecki Land Donation

The Telecki Land that was donated to St. Timothy's was sold for \$54,529.

Parishioner's Request for Assistance

Dear Friends from St. Timothy's,

After so many days/nights in the Riverside VCU Hospital, my mother-in-law Liliyana will soon be back home. I promised Konstantina that her Mom will not be in a nursing home. She is in a serious condition and will spend the rest of her life in a medical bed. Please, help me to find out if there is anyone from the congregation who can offer some help, a retiring nurse perhaps (not for free of course). You can share this email with everyone you need.

With love and hope to you all.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
 Ignat of the KonKons
kkonstan@sms.org

Does your Marriage need a boost? A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience will help you enjoy life with a new closeness to each other and God. You don't need it - you DESERVE a Marriage Encounter Experience!

For more information or to register, go to WWME.org, click "Apply" and search for "Virginia" or your desired location. Feel free to contact Mark and Cathy Stangler at 703-378-4150 or mstang1987@aol.com with any questions.

Upcoming dates:
 September 22-24, 2023 - Crowne Plaza Hotel, Herndon VA
 November 17-19, 2023 - Holiday Inn, Virginia Beach VA

THIS Weekend Is Operation Inasmuch (OIAM): Last-Minute News

Volunteers working on Saturday, April 22 should have been contacted by your team leader. If not, contact Shari Dwyer (804-443-1503; skdwyer@va.metrocast.net) or Dan Bowden (804-246-9353; dbowden81@hotmail.com). Meet at 8am on St. Margaret's lawn; wear your T-shirt and bring a canned good.

Sunday, April 23 at 4pm, St. Timothy will host the OIAM closing ceremony. All are invited! Please come to welcome OIAM volunteers from many Essex County churches, as we celebrate this weekend of giving to our community.

Other happenings open to all on Saturday, April 22:

- Children's project, 9am - 1pm at St. Margaret's. Fun projects for kids age 4-12.
- Free-for-all, 9am - 1pm at Beale Memorial Baptist Church. All items at this yard sale are free. If you have gently used items to donate, **drop them off at Beale from 5:30 - 8:30 pm on Thursday, April 20.**
- Health checks, 9am - 1pm at Beale. Get blood pressure and blood sugar checked and talk to a health professional.
- Car wash, 8:30am - Noon at Nauti Marine, 609 Warner St.

Need a Will?

Do you need a Will? The Catholic Community Foundation can help! They've partnered with FreeWill to offer an online solution for estate planning that helps you complete a legal Will completely free of charge. Get started at: FreeWill.com/RichmondCatholicFoundation

Annual Diocesan Appeal

We hope you have taken time to consider how you and your family can support this year's Annual Diocesan Appeal which helps to empower the next generation, provide for those in need, and strengthen Catholic communities in many important ways.

There is so much need and we're blessed at St. Timothy Parish to receive assistance from the Appeal. The collective spirit we bring to this effort today will be a major step to our success with this year's Appeal. Keep in mind: the more we collect, the more we receive back through the parish sharing formula of the Appeal. For online giving, go to: <https://www.givecentral.org/location/1137/event/25198>, and follow the steps. Or you can scan the QR code.



Holy Land Pilgrimage Details

St. Timothy Catholic Church
 Group Leader: Father Gerald Musuubire
 November 7-16, 2023 - 10 Days/8 Nights
 Price per person: \$3,700
* Price is based on double occupancy
 † Single Supplement, Private Room = Additional \$495

Round-trip airfare
 Airline taxes and fuel surcharges
 Accommodation for 8 nights at 4-5 Star Hotels including service charges
 Breakfast and Dinner Daily
 Professional Catholic tour guide
 Sightseeing and admissions fees as per itinerary
 Modern air-conditioned motor coaches + WiFi
 Daily Mass
 Farewell Dinner

Included

Not Included: Lunch and drinks with meals, Tips and Travel Insurance.

Itinerary

Day 1 | Departure

Depart for your overnight flight to the Holy Land. Meals will be served on board.

Day 2 | Arrival

Arrive at Tel Aviv Airport. Meet your guide, drive to your hotel in Nazareth for dinner and overnight.



Day 3 | Nazareth, Cana

Start the day in Nazareth at the Basilica of the Annunciation where we will celebrate a Mass. Walk to the Church of St. Joseph's workshop. Continue to the site where Jesus performed His first miracle, Cana, where the married couples would renew their wedding vows at the wedding church. In the afternoon, climb Mt. Tabor, site of the Transfiguration of Jesus. Experience the views where Peter, James and John saw the Glorified Lord with Moses and Elijah.



Day 4 | Tiberias, Sea of Galilee, Mount of Beatitudes

On this day, we will start with a visit to the Mount of Beatitudes, where Jesus preached the Sermon on the Mount. Continue to Tabgha for a visit to the church of the Multiplication of the Loaves and Fish. Take a memorable boat ride across the same lake Jesus walked, the Sea of Galilee. After Lunch, visit the Church of Peter's Primacy where Peter declares his love for Jesus three times. Continue to Capernaum the home town of Jesus to see the ruins of the ancient synagogue and St. Peter's house.



Day 5 | Caesarea Maritima, Haifa

After Breakfast, we drive to Caesarea, capital of the Roman province, where we visit the Roman and Crusader remains and the harbor from which St. Paul was taken prisoner to Rome. Continue to Haifa where we visit Mount Carmel and Cave of Elijah. Enjoy panoramic views of the Mediterranean Sea and Haifa City including the Bahai Shrine and gardens. Drive to Bethlehem, check in to your hotel and gather for dinner.



Day 6 | Bethlehem, Shepherd's Field, Ein Karem

Start our day in Bethlehem at the Church of the Nativity where we will celebrate a Mass. Visit the cave - the birthplace of Jesus - beneath the church. After lunch, drive to the town of Beit Sahour where we find the Shepherd's Fields to see the place where the Shepherds saw the star of the Nativity. Continue to Ein Karem, the birth place of St. John the Baptist. Drive back to your hotel for dinner and overnight.



Day 7 | Jericho, Qumran, Dead Sea

After breakfast, continue your journey to the real site of Jesus' Baptism by the Jordan River. Visit Jericho the oldest city in the world, view Mount of Temptation where Jesus was tempted by the devil. Celebrate Mass at the Good Shepherd Parish in Jericho. Drive to Qumran where the Dead Sea Scrolls were first discovered. We will have a dip in the Dead Sea salty water. Enjoy shopping in Bethlehem, buy souvenirs for you and your family. Drive back to your hotel for dinner and overnight.



Day 08 | Old City of Jerusalem

Start the day very early, praying the Stations of the Cross as we walk the true way of the Cross (Via Dolorosa). Then we will visit the Church of the Holy Sepulcher, where Jesus was crucified, buried, and then rose again. View the Convent of Zion Sisters and visit St. Ann's Church (birthplace of the Virgin Mary).



Day 09 | Western Wall, Mt. Zion, Mt of Olives, Gethsemane

Drive to the Mount of Olives for a wonderful view of Jerusalem. Visit Pater Noster Church where the Lord's prayer "Our Father" was first taught. Walk the Palm Sunday way. At the foot of the mountain, see the Garden of Gethsemane with its ancient olive trees and the Church of All Nations (with the rock where Jesus prayed in agony). Visit the Walling (or Western) Wall, with views of the Al-Aksa Mosque and Dome of the Rock. See the site known as David's memorial. Visit the Caenaculum, the place where the Last Supper occurred as well as the Descent of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. Visit Church of St. Peter in Gallicantu where St. Peter denied Jesus.



Day 10 | Return to USA

Today our Holy Land pilgrimage comes to an end. We will head to the airport for our return flight, carrying all these unforgettable memories walking in the footsteps of Jesus.

