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# St. Timothy Lumen Christi Society Chapter

Our parish Lumen Christi Society Chapter was 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.







March 17, 2024

PARISH OFFICE

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> Fifth Sunday of Lent 3/17/2024 Jeremiah 31:31-34; Hebrews 5:7-9 John 12:20-33

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord 3/24/24 Mark 11:1-10 Isaiah 50:4-7; Philippians 2:6-11 Mark 14:1 - 15:47



"Whoever loves his life loses it, and whoever hates his life in this world will preserve it for eternal life. Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there also will my servant be. The Father will honor whoever serves me."

John 12:25-26

## 413 St. Timothy Lane, Tappahannock, VA 22560

**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.

# 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.



A warm welcome is extended to new parishioners and guests.



# St. Timothy's Lenten Day of Recollection - March 23, 2024

Please join me in welcoming Father Robert (Bob) Bruno, O.S.F who is going to lead us in our Lenten Dav of Recollection. Fr. Bruno is a retired Air Force Chaplain. Colonel, and Franciscan Friar. We are excited to have him here for a whole day to lead us on this journey with Christ as we prepare for Easter. We thank Fr. Bob for his many years of service to God and country.

Pope Francis tells us that Lent is a new beginning, a path towards continual conversion of heart. Therefore, please join us on this day of reflection. We will start at 9:00AM, in St. Jude Parish Hall, and end at 3:00PM. Coffee, refreshments, and a light lunch will be served.

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# Día de Retiro Cuaresmal de San Timoteo - 23 de Marzo de 2024

Únase a mí para darle la bienvenida al Padre Robert (Bob) Bruno, O.S.F, quien nos guiará en nuestro Día de Recogimiento de Cuaresma. P. Bruno es un capellán retirado de la Fuerza Aérea, coronel y fraile franciscano. Estamos emocionados de tenerlo aquí durante todo un día para guiarnos en este viaje con Cristo mientras nos preparamos para la Pascua. Agradecemos al P. Bob por sus muchos años de servicio a Dios y al país.

El Papa Francisco nos dice que la Cuaresma es un nuevo comienzo, un camino hacia la conversión continua del corazón. Por lo tanto, únete a nosotros en este día de reflexión. Comenzaremos a las 9:30 a.m., en el salón parroquial de St. Jude, y finalizaremos a las 3:00 p.m. Se servirá café, refrigerios y un almuerzo ligero.



## **Parish Ministries**

Diana Campbell, Rel. Ed. Director: (804) 238-1279 Roy Fontane, Finance Council Chair: (804) 925-6223 Becky Tobler, Pastoral Council Chair: (757) 897-4840 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** March 9 - March 10, 2024

Offertory - \$3,849 Give Central - \$1,368 Easter Flowers - \$50 Holv Week - \$90 Mass Intentions - \$120 Candles - \$38 Catholic Relief Services - \$190 Columbarium - \$120 Human Needs - \$40

Mass Counts: Saturday 5:00PM - 40 Sunday 9:30AM - 97, 12:00N - 80

This weekend's second collection will be for Easter Flowers The next second collection will be March 24 for Human Needs Ministry Catholic Community Foundation of the Diocese of Richmond 2024 Annual Diocesan Appeal

Actualmente estamos realizando la Campaña Anual de la Diócesis de 2024. La Campaña no solo le brinda la oportunidad de apoyar ministerios importantes que impactan muchos programas fuera de los límites de nuestra parroquia, sino que también respalda los servicios que la Diócesis brinda directamente a nuestra parroquia, como las subvenciones del Fondo Fuel and Hunger y el ministerio para jóvenes y adultos jóvenes. Además, nuestra parroquia recibe una parte de los fondos recaudados. Este año, los fondos devueltos se utilizarán para remodelar nuestra Iglesia, como pagar el techo nuevo, la alfombra nueva y la pintura. Consulte los materiales en las bancas para esta apelación o puede hacer una donación escaneando este código QR:

Demás



# **DEL PASTOR**



## No habrá Adoración (Español) el 25 de Abril.

#### Campaña Diocesana Anual 2024: Compartir Su Amor con los



### La segunda colecta de este fin de semana será de Flores de Pascua La próxima segunda colecta será el 24 de Marzo para el Ministerio de Necesidades Humanas

#### March 17, 2024

# Move to the Light

## **Educational Opportunities**

The St. Timothy mental well-being ministry, Move to the Light, is increasing educational/ informational opportunities for interested parishioners. Based on the previous survey, the following days are identified for meetings: Tuesdays following the noon Mass, Saturdays at 3:45PM before Mass, and Tuesdays or Thursdays at 7:00PM. There is a sign-up sheet in the Commons. Please indicate which of these days and times are best for you. Any questions, please contact Arn Manella, Mental Well-Being Coordinator, 804-499-5854.

# JOKE OF THE WEEK

# Things Go Better With Coke...

97% of the world has heard of Coca-Cola. 72% of the world has seen a can of Coca-Cola. 51% of the world has tasted a can of Coca-Cola. Coke has only been around 132 years.

> If God had given the task of world evangelization to the Coke company, it would probably be done by now!

# **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**



# Sports and the Knights Mission

The Knights of Columbus is a Catholic men's organization that was established by Father Michael McGivney to support widows and orphans. It has grown to be so much more, doing charity work of all types. But in addition to charity work, the Knights are dedicated to the family and family values. Each year the Knights of Columbus hold many youth events such as sponsoring the youth Special Olympics, conducting basketball free throw contests, poster contests, and soccer events to name a few.

This year before the Major League Baseball (MLB) spring training began, Catholic ballplayers were invited to come together for some spiritual conditioning, spending time in prayer and fellowship at a retreat organized by Catholic Athletes for Christ and the Knights of Columbus. The Order is a proud sponsor of CAC, whose mission is to serve Catholic athletes and share the Gospel in and through sports.

If you would like to learn more about the Knights of Columbus, or are interested in joining our local council, please contact our Grand Knight Ed Sullivan at desulliva@aol.com.

#### **Please Pray For The Sick** For healing and good health:

Lois Nelms, Anne Glancy, 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, James Morris, Susan Lewis, Andrew Mallory, Owen Liddic, Barbara Taylor, John Ciffo, Kevin Sullivan, Lloyd Samuels, Michelle Sadloch, Jocelyn Boily, Carol Smith, Christopher Carcamo, Janie Kwedar, Charles Palmeri, Chris

Honenberger, Michelle Ward, Michael Herlan, Linda MacDonald, Sharon Hanshaw, Pat Doane, and Ron Largett.

### **Remember In Your Prayers**

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

March 19 - March 24 / Mass Intentions / Mass Times					
Date	Mass	For	Liturgical Days	Requested By	
3/19	12:00N	Salvation of all Souls	Solemnity of St. Joseph	St. Timothy Family	
3/20	12:00N	†Kevin Kean, †Joe Kennealy, and †Jeff Willett	Weekday	Diane Kean	
3/21	9:00AM	Souls in Purgatory	Weekday	St. Timothy Family	
3/22	9:00AM	Jeremy Tippett	Weekday	Jordan Tippett	
3/23	5:00PM	†Roel Limbaga	Vigil - Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord	Dwight and Jojo Sorboen	
3/24	9:30AM	†Taylor Stuart Hayden	Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord	Carl and Kathy Hayden	
	12:00N	Para el Pueblo	Domingo de Ramos de la Pasión del Señor	Familia de San Timoteo	

# 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.



All those who serve our country, particularly . . .

Pray God keeps them in His care.



#### **Upcoming Mass and Service Times**

March 19, 6:00PM	Penance Service
March 20, 11:00AM	Holy Hour prior to Mass
March 23, 9:00AM-3:00PM	Parish Lenten Day of Recollection
March 25, 5:00PM	Chrism Mass at Sacred Heart Cathedral
March 27, 11:00AM	Holy Hour prior to Mass
March 28, 7:00PM	Holy Thursday Mass - NO 9:00AM Mass
March 29, 3:00PM	Stations of the Cross
March 29, 7:00PM	Veneration of the Cross
	NO 9:00AM Mass on March 29th
March 30, 8:00PM	Easter Vigil - NO 5:00PM Mass
March 31, 9:30AM	Easter Mass (English)
March 31, 12:00NOON	Easter Mass (Spanish)

Father Gerald will be away for the month of April. There will be no weekday Masses from April 1 thru May 3. There will there no First Friday or First Saturday Masses during April or May (please note that this is a change from what was published last week). There will be no Adoration (Español) on April 25.

If you need a ride to ANY Mass, please call the office.

#### **Scholarship Applications Available**

St. Timothy is once again offering the St. John Paul the Great Community Service Scholarship. This scholarship is available to all graduating seniors who are participating members of St. Timothy Parish. Interested parties should pick up an application from the parish office. The deadline for the receipt of all application materials in the parish office is Tuesday, April 30, 2024. If you have any questions, please contact the parish office.

#### **Lenten Soup Suppers Schedule**

Stations of the Cross occur every Friday in Lent at 6:00PM followed by a soup supper. There will be a sign-up sheet in the Commons if you'd like to bring sides such as bread, salad, etc.

March 15	Lectors
March 22	Finance Council

#### **Give Central Online Giving**

Remember that you have the option at St. Timothy's to sign up and go online to make your weekly donations to the Church.

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.



## **Parishioner in Healthcare Rehab**

Anne Glancy is at Three Rivers Health and Rehabilitation Center in West Point and would appreciate company. You can also send cards to 2960 Chelsea Rd., West Point, VA 23181, or call her at 804-313-1856.

The Women's Luncheon will be held on March 19, after the noon Mass, at the To Do Café in Tappahannock. We look forward to having you attend and enjoy the camaraderie! We welcome new members to join in the fun gathering! See you there!

#### **Divine Mercy Cenacle**

Please join us in the Commons at 12:45PM, on Tuesday, April 2, to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet, and learn about the revelations of Saint Faustina. This will be Week Number 65.



Please bring donations of Easter eggs and treats for our Easter Egg Hunt. Donations will need to be in the Commons no later than March 23. Thank you!

There will be no CCD classes on March 23 or March 31st due to Easter. Classes resume on April 7.

Confirmation has been set for May 19, 2024, at the Cathedral of the Sacred Heart in Richmond City at 2:00PM.

First Holy Communion will be June 2, 2024.

Vacation Bible School will be for Saturday, June 22, 2024, from 9:00AM – 2:00PM. The theme is Dive Into Your Faith. We will be exploring water imagery and symbolism in the Bible and Christianity; this will involve playing with water, so be prepared!





#### **Operation Inasmuch: Keep Bringing Baby Layette Items**

Any time between now and April 7, please place items in one of the boxes by the Operation Inasmuch table in the Commons. We need:





You can receive, as well as give, on the April 20 Operation Inasmuch Day. Sign up to attend the Senior Event at 10:00AM in St. Jude Hall good food, fellowship, games, prizes, and music. There's a sign-up sheet on the Inasmuch table in the Commons, or contact Shari Dwyer (804-443-1503: skdwyer@va.metrocast.net).

#### Sexual Abuse Victim Assistance

As a community, we strive to support survivors of child sexual abuse on their journey toward healing and wholeness. For those who have suffered abuse by clergy residing in the Catholic Diocese of Richmond, we invite you to join virtually on the first Wednesday of each month at 7:00PM. Spouses and affected community members are also welcome. These gatherings, led by an independent facilitator, will offer a safe environment for participants to connect, share, support, and heal. If you would like more information, or the virtual meeting link, please call the Victim Assistance Coordinator at 877-887-9603 or email dana@atreeplanted.org.



2024 Annual Diocesan Appeal: Sharing His Love with Others

We are currently conducting the 2024 Annual Diocese Appeal. The Appeal not only provides an opportunity for you to support important ministries that impact many programs outside of our parish boundaries,

it also supports the services the Diocese provides directly to our parish such as Fuel and Hunger Fund grants and youth and young adult ministry. In addition, our parish receives back a portion of the funds collected. This year, the funds returned will be used for remodeling our Church – such as paying for the new roof, new carpet and painting. Please see the in-pew materials for this appeal or you may make a donation by scanning this QR code:



#### 40 Days for Life

Members of St. Timothy Catholic Church marched in the Virginia Pro-Life March in Richmond, on February 21, displaying St. Timothy's new banner! We will also participate in the 40 Days for Life with silent prayers outside the Planned Parenthood building in Richmond. Please contact Elsie Mangano for further information!

**Caregiver Support Group** is presented by the Alzheimer's Association on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 2:00PM at the Essex Public Library. For more information about caregiver support groups, call Jennifer at 1-800-577-0558.

#### Stay in the Driver's Seat with Car-Fit on April 2

On Tuesday, April 2, between 11:00AM – 1:00PM, come to the Walmart parking lot on Route 360/17 for a 20-minute consultation to help you make sure your car is adjusted properly to "fit" you. This is *not* a driving evaluation; technicians check such things as mirror adjustments to reduce blind spots, foot positioning on pedals, seat positioning/line of sight, and head restraint adjustment. If necessary, an occupational therapist will be on hand to recommend adaptive devices.

THE MOTHER'S HEART SPRING GALA SATURDAY • APRIL 13, 2024 • SEGAR'S LEGACY EVENT CENTER Please join us to hear about all that we have been accomplishing and our plans for the future while enjoying a wonderful dinner. Please e-mail us at info@themothersheart.org to purchase tickets. Table Sponsorship - \$400 Individual Tickets -8 Seats (Dinner included) \$50 per person 1 TMH T-shirt and Swag Bag Page in our program to advertise your (Dinner included) business/ church/ programs, etc

Married Couples - Why not give yourselves a weekend away from it all? Time away from the pressures of work and everyday responsibilities. A chance to talk and listen to that special someone who loves you. If that sounds good to you, sign up now for a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. 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. Here are a few upcoming experiences:

April 12-14, 2024 - Herndon, VA May 3-5, 2024 - Hickory, NC September 27-29, 2024 - Herndon, VA

#### **Considering a Vocation?**

"The Father will honor whoever serves me." Are you called to belong to Christ alone as a priest or through consecrated life? Talk to your priest or reach out to the Office of Vocations at (804) 359-5661 or via email: vocations@richmonddiocese.org.

Scan here to donate to the 2024 Annual Diocesan Appeal