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Please contact Father Gerald or any of our Knights here at St. Timothy's.

We need Catholic men to help us serve our church and community.

Please join today.







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.







April 28, 2024

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PARISH OFFICE

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Fifth Sunday of Easter

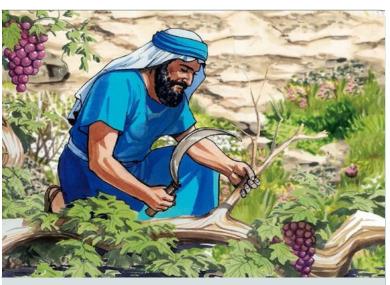
4/28/24 Acts 9:26-31; 1 John 3:18-24 John 15:1-8



Sixth Sunday of Easter

5/5/24

Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48; 1 John 4:7-10 John 15:9-17



"I am the true vine, and my Father is the vine grower. He takes away every branch in me that does not bear fruit, and everyone that does he prunes so that it bears more fruit... Remain in me, as I remain in you."

John 15:1-2, 4

Mission Statement re called to serve as one

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.

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Is There Vacation from Sunday Mass and Tithing?

As Catholics, we belong to more than just our parish — we are members of a universal church; therefore, we are never strangers when we meet with other Catholics in other parishes to celebrate the great Mystery of our Faith, which is the Holy Mass. It is true that vacations are a time of rest and enjoyment — a time to recharge our weak batteries so to speak. However, if we are serious about our Christian commitment, we cannot neglect to recharge also our spiritual batteries in the central act of our worship, the source and summit of all Christian life — the Holy Mass by praising and worshipping God and receiving Jesus in Holy Communion.

Sunday Mass during vacation is also an occasion to ask God's pardon and forgiveness of our sins, to thank God for the gift of a safe and entertaining vacation along with all its blessings, and to offer our lives on the altar asking our Lord for the additional blessings we need. It is the tithing of our parishioners that makes possible all the various ministries of our parish church and the maintenance of all its buildings and property. Hence, it is our duty to send our weekly contribution to our parish even during vacation as our act of thanksgiving to God.

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 April 13 - April 14, 2024

> Offertory - \$2,072 Give Central - \$373 Other Donation - \$4,500 Candles - \$18 Mass Intention - \$20

Mass Counts: Saturday- 63 Sunday 9:30AM - 91, 12:00N - 78

The next second collection will be May 5 for Diocesan Home Missions

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DEL PASTOR

¿Hay Vacaciones en la Misa Dominical y en el Diezmo?

Como católicos, pertenecemos a algo más que nuestra parroquia: somos miembros de una Iglesia universal; por lo tanto, nunca somos extraños cuando nos reunimos con otros católicos en otras parroquias para celebrar el gran Misterio de nuestra Fe, que es la Santa Misa. Es cierto que las vacaciones son un tiempo de descanso y disfrute, un tiempo para recargar nuestras débiles baterías. por así decirlo. Sin embargo, si tomamos en serio nuestro compromiso cristiano, no podemos dejar de recargar también nuestras baterías espirituales en el acto central de nuestro culto, fuente y cumbre de toda vida cristiana: la Santa Misa, alabando y adorando a Dios y recibiendo a Jesús en la Santa Misa. Comunión.

La Misa dominical durante las vacaciones es también una ocasión para pedir perdón a Dios y perdón de nuestros pecados, agradecer a Dios por el regalo de unas vacaciones seguras y entretenidas junto con todas sus bendiciones, y ofrecer nuestras vidas en el altar pidiendo a nuestro Señor el apoyo adicional. bendiciones que necesitamos. Es el diezmo de nuestros feligreses lo que hace posible todos los diversos ministerios de nuestra iglesia parroquial y el mantenimiento de todos sus edificios y propiedades. Por lo tanto, es nuestro deber enviar nuestra contribución semanal a nuestra parroquia incluso durante las vacaciones como nuestro acto de acción de gracias a Dios.

La próxima segunda colecta será el 5 de Mayo para Misiones Diocesanas en el Hogar

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JOKE OF THE WEEK

See What Happens

One woman wrote into a question-and-answer forum:

Dear Sir,

Our preacher said on Easter that Jesus just swooned on the cross and that the disciples nursed Him back to health. What do you think?

Sincerely, Bewildered

The reply:

Dear Bewildered,

Beat your preacher with a cat-of-nine-tails, nail him to a cross, hang him in the sun for 6 hours, run a spear through his side, put him in an airless tomb for 36 hours, and see what happens.

Sincerely, Charles



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS





IN MEMORIAMSEPTEMBER 28, 1948 - APRIL 22, 2024

We regret to inform you that on Monday, April 22, 2024, Council 10578 lost our Grand Knight and beloved St. Timothy's parishioner, Ed Sullivan.

A Knight for nearly 60 years, Ed was a lifetime member who served as a past Grand Knight as well as Faithful Navigator. He was very instrumental in our Council as well as our Parish family and his passing will be a huge loss.

Ed was a true Southern gentleman: kind and helpful to all. He loved our Faith, and exemplified living this Faith.

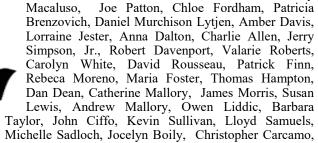
Please keep Ed's family close in prayer. Funeral details to follow.

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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



Michelle Sadloch, Jocelyn Boily, Christopher Carcamo, Janie Kwedar, Charles Palmeri, Chris Honenberger, Michelle Ward, Michael Herlan, Linda MacDonald, Sharon Hanshaw, Pat Doane, Ron Largett, and Amalia Dailey.

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; COL Rod Dwyer, USA; FSO Mary O'Brien; SGT John Streat III, USA; 2nd LT Christopher Selig, USA; Morgan Martin, USN; and Ty Brown, USCG

Pray God keeps them in His care.

| April 30 - May 5 / Mass Intentions / Mass Times | | | | |
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| Date | Mass | For | Liturgical Days | Requested By |
| 4/30 | 12:00N | No Mass Rosary | Weekday | |
| 5/1 | 12:00N | No Mass Rosary | Weekday | |
| 5/2 | 9:00AM | No Mass Rosary | Memorial of Saint Athanasius | |
| 5/3 | 9:00AM | No Mass Rosary | Feast of Saints Philip and James | |
| 5/4 | 5:00PM | †Margie Kaminski | Vigil - Sixth Sunday of Easter | Becky Tobler |
| 5/5 | 9:30AM | †Stuart Nalls | Sixth Sunday of Easter | Carl and Kathy Hayden |
| | 12:00N | Para el Pueblo | Sexto Domingo de Pascua | Familia de San Timoteo |

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Upcoming Mass Times

Father Gerald is away for the month of April. There will be no weekday Masses through May 3rd, but we will pray the Rosary.

There will be no First Friday or First Saturday Masses during

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

Scholarship Applications Available DEADLINE APPROACHING!

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.

Give Central Online Giving

scan the QR code.

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



Parishioner in Healthcare Rehab

Anne Glancy has moved from Three Rivers Health and Rehabilitation Center in West Point and is now at Heritage Green Assisted Living in room 124, 7080 Brooks Farm Rd., Mechanicsville, VA 23111. Company is welcome. You can also call her at 804-313-1856.

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.



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!

Move to the Light St. Timothy's Mental Well-being Ministry HEALING MASS

On Wednesday, May 15, at 12:00 Noon, Father Gerald will celebrate a healing Mass on the Feast Day of St. Dymphna, the patron of those suffering from nervous and mental afflictions. A corner of the Commons will be adorned with a display containing the holy relics of St. Dymphna, St. Therese of Lisieux, and St. Bernadette of Lourdes. In addition, Holy Water brought back from the recent Order of Malta annual pilgrimage to Lourdes will be available. All are welcome!

Divine Mercy Cenacle

Please join us in the Commons at 12:45PM, on Tuesday, May 7, to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet, and learn about the revelations of Saint Faustina. This will be Week

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.

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:

September 27-29, 2024 - Herndon, VA November 15-17, 2024 - Virginia Beach, VA

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Formation

You are invited to join us for a Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) Montessori Formation course to be held in King George, VA this June! This Catholic religious education program, so full of beauty and joy, blesses both the children and adults who participate in it! For more information on this international program, please visit <u>cgsusa.org</u>. For questions and registration, please contact Angela Giorsetto at angela.giorsetto@gmail.com. Registration deadline is May 11, 2024.



Pilgrimage to Poland - See the Catholic Treasures of Poland!

Please join us on a pilgrimage to Poland! Highlights include Jasna Gora Monastery (home of Our Lady of Czestochowa), the Sanctuary of Divine Mercy and the Divine Mercy Image, the Museum and Chapel of St. Maximilian Kolbe, the cell where he was martyred in Auschwitz, the birthplace and baptismal church of St. John Paul II, Wawel Cathedral where he was ordained a Bishop, and so much more! Daily Mass. October 3-12, 2024. \$3695/per person based on double occupancy. \$150 discount if you enter coupon code Bulletin150 on the registration form. For more information, please visit www.OoHTours.com or call us at 1-800-213-4295.

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Considering a Vocation?

"He had spoken out boldly in the name of Jesus." Pray for those who God is boldly calling forth to serve Him and His people as religious brothers. If you are considering this joy-filled vocation, talk to your priest or reach out to the Office of Vocations at (804) 359-5661 or via email: vocations@richmonddiocese.org.

