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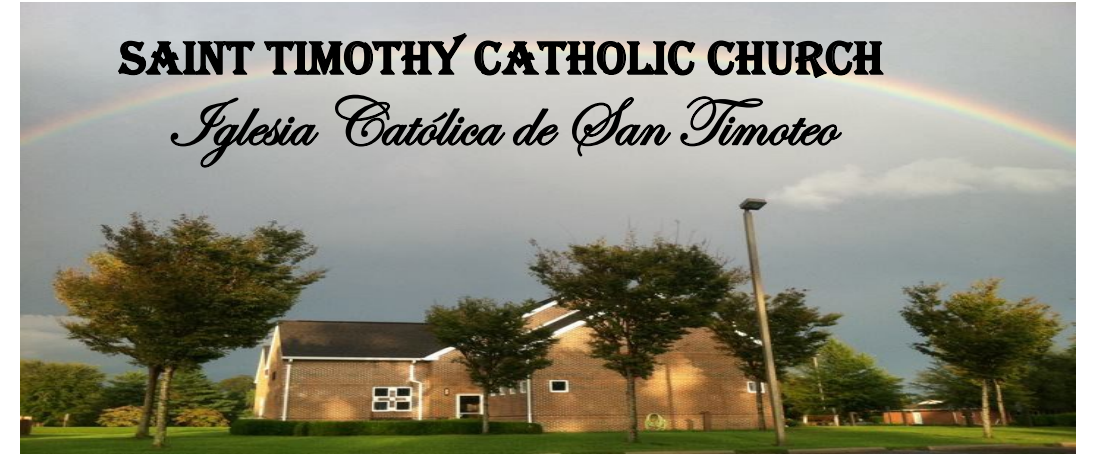
**St. Timothy Lumen Christi Society Chapter**

Our parish Lumen Christi Society Chapter was created to honor those who have named the parish as a beneficiary with a legacy gift. 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.

Calling All Catholic Gentlemen:  
 Please Consider Joining the Knights of Columbus!  
 Charity, Unity, Fraternity, Patriotism and  
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 Please Contact:  
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 Council #10578



September 29, 2024

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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.*

**Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

9/29/24  
 Numbers 11:25-29; James 5:1-6  
 Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

**Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

10/6/24  
 Genesis 2:18-24; Hebrews 2:9-11  
 Mark 10:2-16



*"If your hand causes you to sin, cut it off. It is better for you to enter into life maimed than with two hands to go into Gehenna, into the unquenchable fire. And if your foot causes you to sin, cut it off. It is better for you to enter into life crippled than with two feet to be thrown into Gehenna."*

Mark 9:43, 45

**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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### Seminar: Get Your Affairs Together

You are all invited, on Tuesday, October 1, 2024, after the noon Mass, to this free, information-only seminar offered for our parishioners by Maryagnes (Maggie) F. Keenan from the Office of the Catholic Community Foundation of the Diocese of Richmond.

Maryagnes F. Keenan is the Director of Planned Giving for the Catholic Community Foundation. In her role, she is responsible for all aspects of the legacy-giving program for parishes, schools, and campus ministries. In addition, she manages the Foundation's Lumen Christi Legacy Society and Women's Giving Circle, and coordinates the onboarding of new funds into the Foundation.

Maggie will be helping us to understand and prepare wills and trusts, advanced medical directives, legacy planning, funeral planning, beneficiaries, and designations.

A light lunch will be served.

I look forward to seeing you at this fun and informative seminar.

If you have any questions, please call the parish office.

#### Parish Ministries

Diana Campbell, Rel. Ed. Director: (804) 238-1279

Roy Fontane, Finance Council Chair: (804) 443-1363

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 Rector

**Homebound:** Call Parish Office to schedule Communion

#### Offertory Collection

**September 21 - September 22, 2024**

*Offerings will be reported in next week's bulletin.*

**Mass Counts: Saturday 5:00PM - 39  
Sunday 9:30AM - 123, 12:00N - 66**

**This weekend's second collection is for Human Needs Ministry  
The next second collection is October 13 for Capital Improvements**

## DEL PASTOR

### Seminario: Pongan Sus Asuntos en Orden

Están todos invitados, el Martes 1 de Octubre de 2024, después de la misa del mediodía, a este seminario gratuito, solo informativo, ofrecido para nuestros feligreses por Maryagnes (Maggie) F. Keenan de la Oficina de la Fundación Comunitaria Católica de la Diócesis de Richmond.

Maryagnes F. Keenan es la Directora de Donaciones Planificadas de la Fundación Comunitaria Católica. En su función, es responsable de todos los aspectos del programa de donaciones de legados para parroquias, escuelas y ministerios del campus. Además, administra la Sociedad del Legado Lumen Christi y el Círculo de Donaciones de Mujeres de la Fundación, y coordina la incorporación de nuevos fondos a la Fundación.

Maggie nos ayudará a comprender y preparar testamentos y fideicomisos, directivas médicas anticipadas, planificación de legados, planificación de funerales, beneficiarios y designaciones.

Se servirá un almuerzo ligero.

Espero verlos en este seminario divertido e informativo.

Si tiene alguna pregunta, llame a la oficina parroquial.

**La segunda colecta de este fin de semana es para el Ministerio de Necesidades Humanas  
La próxima segunda colecta será el 13 de Octubre para Mejoras de Capital**



## JOKE OF THE WEEK

### The Prime Minister's Humility

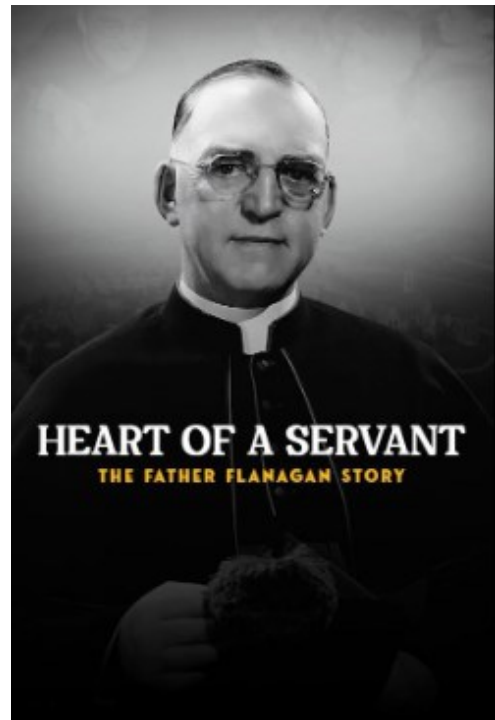
Winston Churchill was once asked, "Doesn't it thrill you to know that every time you make a speech, the hall is packed to overflowing?" "It's quite flattering," replied Sir Winston. "But whenever I feel that way, I always remember that if instead of making a political speech I were being hanged, the crowd would be twice as big."



## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



### Heart of a Servant: The Father Flanagan Story



Father Edward J. Flanagan is a familiar name to many Americans, often for the Oscar-winning 1938 film starring Spencer Tracy about Flanagan's groundbreaking child welfare organization. But the story extends far beyond that, to a man whose name and legacy are still well known as far as Germany and Japan.

Flanagan gained influence and admiration over the course of his life from Presidents, CEOs, celebrities and more, but none mattered more to him than that of the children for whom he tirelessly worked. A sobering reminder of this was during WWII, as Flanagan saw droves of former Boys Town citizens go off to war. In fact, so many former Boys Town boys named Father Flanagan as their next of kin that the American War Dads Association named him as America's Number One War Dad.

Father Flanagan was a hero for his times, and for ours, too: his approach to child welfare remains a top influence in the field, and his frequent outspokenness against injustice showed he was always willing to tell the truth, regardless of risk.

Father Flanagan is now the subject of a new documentary screening in select theaters nationwide October 8. Narrated by Jonathan Roumie, Heart of a Servant: The Father Flanagan Story features interviews with family, friends, and others to tell the true story of this courageous priest and his creative response to the crisis of at-risk youth in 20<sup>th</sup>-century America. To learn more, or to buy tickets to this documentary, visit <https://www.fatherflanaganimovie.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, 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, Dan Dean, Catherine Mallory, James Morris, Susan Lewis, Andrew Mallory, Owen Liddic, Barbara Taylor, John Ciffo, Kevin Sullivan, Lloyd Samuels, Michelle Sadloch, Jocelyn Boily, Christopher Carcamo, Janie Kwedar, Charles Palmeri, Chris Honenberger, Michelle Ward, Michael Herlan, Linda MacDonald, Sharon Hanshaw, Pat Doane, Ron Largett, Amalia Dailey, Barbara Nannery, Dick Byrne, Becky Tobler, Frank Castanon, Nancy Sanchez, and Sue Byrne.



### 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.*

October 1 - October 6 / Mass Intentions / Mass Times				
Date	Mass	For	Liturgical Days	Requested By
10/1	12:00N	†Arlene Somers	Memorial of Saint Thérèse of the Child Jesus	Katelyn Mazzoquette
10/2	12:00N	†Taylor Stuart Hayden	Memorial of the Holy Guardian Angels	Carl and Kathy Hayden
10/3	9:00AM	Barbara Lynn	Weekday	St. Timothy Family
10/4	9:00AM	†Diane Kean	Memorial of Saint Francis of Assisi First Friday	John and Joy Kirkwood
10/5	9:00AM	†Diane Kean	First Saturday	Susan Vecchione
	5:00PM	†JoAnn Darlington	Vigil - Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time	Burley Darlington
10/6	9:30AM	†Father Pat Apuzzo	Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time	Carl and Kathy Hayden
	12:00N	Para el Pueblo	Vigésimo Séptimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario	Familia de San Timoteo



**Calendar**

October 4, 9:00AM First Friday  
 October 5, 9:00AM First Saturday  
 October 6 - 27 Coat, Sweater, and Blanket Drive  
 October 13 OCIA Begins  
 October 26, 9:00AM St. Timothy's Yard Sale

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

**Priesthood Sunday, September 29, 2024**

"Whoever is not against us is for us." Pray for your priests. They heard God calling them to the priesthood and chose to serve Christ. Now they enrich our spiritual well-being every day in the name of God.

**Parishioners in Healthcare**

Lloyd Samuels is at Carrington Place, 1150 Marsh St., Tappahannock, VA 22560.

Barbara Nannery is at Westminster Canterbury, Parsons Health Center, Room 9331, 1600 Westbrook Ave., Richmond, VA 23227. She can be reached at (804) 296-9082.

Sue Byrne is at Hanover Health and Rehabilitation Center, 8139 Lee-Davis Rd., Room 403B, Mechanicsville, VA 23111. She can be reached at (804) 296-4044.

Visits, cards, and calls are welcome!

**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.



**Memorial Bricks**

Remember and memorialize a departed family member or friend in the Memorial Garden. The price of a brick 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.



**Annual Coat, Sweater, and Blanket Drive**

Starting Sunday, October 6 through October 27, the 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Coat, Sweater, and Blanket Drive will happen. We will be collecting all new, clean, and gently used coats, sweaters, and blankets to be donated to the Tappahannock Community Center. Please bring your items to the left side of the Commons area in the church. We will deliver them. There is a special need this year for children's coats and sweaters. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. Thank you. Human Needs Ministry

**Order of Christian Initiation of Adults**

On October 13, we will begin this year's Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA, formerly RCIA) classes for adults baptized in the Catholic Church, baptized in another Christian denomination, or who have never been baptized and are considering becoming Catholic. The OCIA process provides a time of formation and discernment leading to reception into full communion in the Catholic Church. For more information, please get in touch with Arn Manella at (804) 499-5854.

**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 (804) 347-1778.

**MARRIED COUPLES.** Getting ready for school means lots of time spent on your children. After school begins, why not give yourselves some time together? Make a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend! For more information or to register, go to [WWME.org](http://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](mailto:mstang1987@aol.com) with any questions. Here are a few upcoming experiences:

October 11-13, 2024 - College Park, MD  
 November 15-17, 2024 - Virginia Beach, VA

**National Rosary Rally**



**Come and pray the Rosary to save America!**

Sponsored by: Knights of Columbus Council # 11667  
 Location: St Paul's Catholic Church, Hague  
 7036 Cople Hwy, Hague, VA 22469  
 Date/Time: Saturday, October 12<sup>th</sup>, at 10:00 AM  
 Questions: call Chris Johnson; 804-238-8673



Free Refreshments following the rally



**St. Timothy's yard sale will be on Saturday, October 26, 2024, at 9:00AM.** We will need volunteers to help prepare on Thursday and Friday, October 24 and 25, and to assist with sales on Saturday, the 26th. If you're able to assist, please contact Lou Spencer at (703) 930-3030.

**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](http://FreeWill.com/RichmondCatholicFoundation).

**SAVE THE DATE**

**Tuesday, October 1<sup>st</sup> at 12:30pm**

**SEMINAR:**

*Get Your Affairs in Order:  
 4 things your family will thank you for!*

Wills and Trusts • Advanced Medical Directives  
 • Legacy Planning • Funeral Planning • Beneficiaries and Designations

*This is a free, information-only seminar offered for the members of Saint Timothy's Church.*

Refreshments served.

**Reserve Your Seat:**

RSVP by calling the parish offices (804) 443-2760



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 Guaranteed generosity for  
 your parish.**

Charitable Gift Annuity Rates	
Age (Single Life)	Annual Payout Rate
65-69	5.7 - 6.2%
70-74	6.3 - 6.8%
75-79	7.0 - 7.8%
80-84	8.1 - 8.9%
85-89	9.1 - 9.9%
90+	10.1%

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