

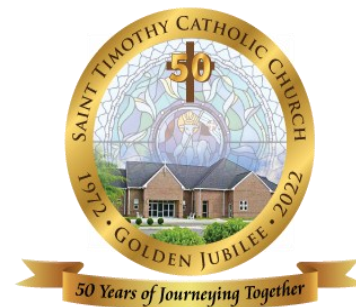


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Mission Statement
We are called to serve as one family, through corporal and spiritual works of mercy.

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



**LUMEN CHRISTI
LEGACY SOCIETY**

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.

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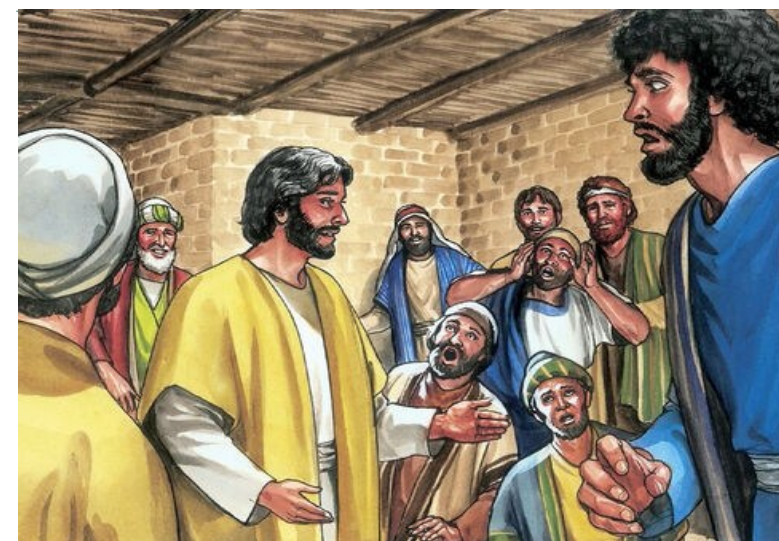
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Pentecost Sunday
6/8/25
Acts 2:1-11; Romans 8:8-17
John 20:19-23

The Most Holy Trinity
6/15/25
Proverbs 8:22-31; Romans 5:1-5
John 16:12-15



“...‘Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.’ And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, ‘Receive the holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained.’”

John 20:21-23

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
Rector to schedule an appointment.



*A warm welcome is extended to
new parishioners and guests.*



Pope Leo XIV

“And I tell you, you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it.” Matthew 16:18

It has been almost a month since we heard “Habemus Papam,” and our newly elected pope was announced on the balcony of St. Peter’s Basilica - Pope Leo XIV. The new pope delivered his first apostolic blessing, Urbi et Orbi, to the faithful gathered in St. Peter’s Square and those watching globally. What a wonderful moment to be Catholic!

Pope Leo XIV, formerly Cardinal Robert Francis Prevost, was born on September 14, 1955, in Chicago to a family of Italian, French, and Spanish heritage. Prevost’s early life was marked by a deep commitment to faith and service. He joined the Order of St. Augustine in 1977, professing solemn vows in 1981. His academic pursuits led him to earn a degree in mathematics from Villanova University, a Master of Divinity from Catholic Theological Union in Chicago, and both licentiate and doctoral degrees in canon law from the Pontifical University of St. Thomas Aquinas in Rome.

In 1985, Prevost embarked on a missionary journey to Peru, serving in Chulucanas and later in Trujillo. His roles included parish vicar, seminary rector, and canon law professor, reflecting a blend of pastoral care and scholarly engagement. His leadership qualities were recognized globally when he was elected Prior General of the Augustinian Order in 2001, a position he held until 2013.

Pope Francis appointed him as the bishop of Chiclayo, Peru, in 2014, and later brought him to Rome in 2023 to serve as Prefect of the Dicastery for Bishops, overseeing the selection of bishops worldwide. His elevation to cardinal in September 2023 further solidified his standing within the Church hierarchy.

Pope Leo XIV is known for his humility and approachability. But most importantly, Pope Leo XIV is known for his Eucharistic devotion, a trait that has marked both his pastoral ministry and his theological emphasis. His years as a missionary, seminary rector, and bishop were shaped by a reverence for the Real Presence of Christ in the Blessed Sacrament.

In a time when the world is often distracted by noise and novelty, his example in this way draws us back to the very heart of our Catholic faith: the Eucharist. The Church does not simply *believe* in the Eucharist — she *lives* from it. As Pope Leo XIV steps into the Chair of Peter, we are all reminded that the source and summit of our faith is not a program or policy, but a Person — Jesus Christ, truly present in the Holy Eucharist.

The name “Leo” signifies the strong leadership and doctrinal clarity of the other Pope Leos who have gone before him. Pope Leo the Great famously defeated Attila the Hun and St. Leo is one of the four great Western fathers of the Church. The name means “Lion” which of course spiritually refers to strength of faith.

Leo XIII was the first pope to be filmed and truly embraced technology, and perhaps this is one of the aspects that Pope Leo XIV will also embrace. He is also an avid tennis player, and those who knew him in Chicago warmly called him Fr. Bob.

Join us in praying for Pope Leo.

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Hospital Visits: Call Parish Office or Rectory

Homebound: Call Parish Office to schedule Communion

Offertory Collection

May 31 - June 1, 2025

Offertory - \$3,585

Give Central - \$542

Votives - \$71

Mass Intentions - \$200

Capital Projects - \$100

**Mass Counts: Saturday 5:00PM - 69
Sunday 9:30AM - 150, 12:00N - 72**

**This weekend’s second collection is for Capital Improvements
The next second collection is June 15 for the Catholic Virginian**

DEL PASTOR

Papa León XIV

“Y yo te digo: tú eres Pedro, y sobre esta roca edificaré mi iglesia, y las puertas del infierno no prevalecerán contra ella.” Mateo 16:18

Ha pasado casi un mes desde que escuchamos “Habemus Papam” y nuestro nuevo papa electo fue anunciado en el balcón de la Basílica de San Pedro: el Papa León XIV. El nuevo Papa impartió su primera bendición apostólica, Urbi et Orbi, a los fieles reunidos en la Plaza de San Pedro y a quienes lo seguían desde todo el mundo. ¡Qué momento tan maravilloso para ser católico!

El Papa León XIV, anteriormente Cardenal Robert Francis Prevost, nació el 14 de Septiembre de 1955 en Chicago en una familia de ascendencia italiana, francesa y española. La infancia de Prevost estuvo marcada por un profundo compromiso con la fe y el servicio. Se unió a la Orden de San Agustín en 1977, profesando los votos solemnes en 1981. Sus actividades académicas lo llevaron a obtener una licenciatura en matemáticas por la Universidad de Villanova, una maestría en Divinidad por la Unión Teológica Católica de Chicago y una licenciatura y un doctorado en derecho canónico por la Universidad Pontificia de Santo Tomás de Aquino en Roma.

En 1985, Prevost emprendió un viaje misionero a Perú, sirviendo en Chulucanas y posteriormente en Trujillo. Desempeñó los cargos de vicario parroquial, rector de seminario y profesor de derecho canónico, combinando su atención pastoral con su dedicación académica. Sus cualidades de liderazgo fueron reconocidas mundialmente cuando fue elegido Prior General de la Orden de los Agustinos en 2001, cargo que ocupó hasta 2013.

El Papa Francisco lo nombró obispo de Chiclayo, Perú, en 2014, y posteriormente lo trasladó a Roma en 2023 para servir como Prefecto del Dicasterio para los Obispos, supervisando la selección de obispos en todo el mundo. Su ascenso a cardenal en septiembre de 2023 consolidó aún más su posición dentro de la jerarquía eclesiástica.

El Papa León XIV es conocido por su humildad y accesibilidad. Pero aún más importante, es conocido por su devoción eucarística, un rasgo que ha marcado tanto su ministerio pastoral como su énfasis teológico. Sus años como misionero, rector de seminario y obispo estuvieron marcados por la reverencia a la Presencia Real de Cristo en el Santísimo Sacramento.

En una época en la que el mundo a menudo se distrae con el ruido y la novedad, su ejemplo nos remite de esta manera al corazón mismo de nuestra fe católica: la Eucaristía. La Iglesia no solo cree en la Eucaristía, sino que vive de ella. Al sentarse el Papa León XIV en la Cátedra de Pedro, recordamos a todos que la fuente y la cumbre de nuestra fe no es un programa ni una política, sino una Persona: Jesucristo, verdaderamente presente en la Sagrada Eucaristía.

El nombre "León" evoca el firme liderazgo y la claridad doctrinal de los otros Papas Leo que lo precedieron. El Papa León Magno derrotó a Atila el Huno, y San León es uno de los cuatro grandes padres occidentales de la Iglesia. El nombre significa "León", lo que, por supuesto, se refiere espiritualmente a la fortaleza de la fe.

León XIII fue el primer Papa en ser filmado y adoptó la tecnología, y quizás este sea uno de los aspectos que el Papa León XIV también adoptará. También es un apasionado del tenis y quienes lo conocieron en Chicago lo llamaban cariñosamente Padre Bob.

Únase a nosotros en oración por el Papa León.

Primera Comunión

Felicitaciones a Andres Becerra, Anderson Breunig, Jorge Entzin, William Fowler, Antonio Hernandez, Bryan Hernandez, Inocencio Hernandez y Jasmine López Anastacio. Recibieron su Primera Comunión el 1 de Junio; Jorge, Antonio e Inocencio también recibieron la Confirmación el mismo día.

Señor, te damos gracias y te alabamos por el don más preciado de la Sagrada Eucaristía. Te pedimos que bendigas a todos los que recibieron tu Cuerpo y tu Sangre por primera vez.

Nos has provisto abundantemente mediante el don de tu Cuerpo y tu Sangre. Recibir la Sagrada Eucaristía es una gran bendición, y te pedimos que ayudes a todos los que hicieron su Primera Comunión: ayúdalos a crecer en tu amor por ti cada día de sus vidas y ayúdalos a apreciar siempre los grandes dones que nos has dado para nuestra salvación.

Amén

**La segunda colecta de este fin de semana es para Mejoras de Capital.
La siguiente segunda colecta será el 15 de Junio para la Católica Virginiana.**

JOKE OF THE WEEK

He Wanted \$100

A little boy wanted \$100 badly and prayed for two weeks, but nothing happened. Then he decided to write a letter to the Lord requesting the money. When the postal authorities received the letter addressed to the Lord, USA, they decided to send it to the White House so the President could have a look at it. The President was so impressed, touched, and amused that he instructed his secretary to send the little boy a \$5.00 bill, as this would appear to be a great sum of money to a little boy. The little boy was delighted with the \$5.00, and sat down to write a thank-you note to the Lord. He wrote: “Dear Lord, thank You very much for sending me the money. However, I noticed that for some reason You had to send it through Washington, D.C., and those jerks deducted 95%.”

The Two Ushers

Six-year-old Angie and her four-year-old brother Joel were sitting together in Church. Joel giggled, sang, and talked loudly. Finally, his big sister had had enough: “You’re not supposed to talk out loud in church.” “Why? Who’s going to stop me?” Joel asked. Angie pointed to the back of the church and said, “See those two men standing by the door? They’re ‘hushers.’”



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



The Knights of Columbus will be having a Father’s Day Pancake Breakfast in St. Jude Hall on Sunday, June 15, after the 9:30AM Mass.

Everyone is invited to join in to celebrate Father’s Day.

Donations accepted.

Please Pray For The Sick

For healing and good health:



Lois Nelms, Susan Lewis, Andrew Mallory, Dick Byrne, Frank Castanon, Joanie Copen, Ernie Wootton, Nancy Schroeder, Charles Bowles IV, Trish Degon-Piscopo, and Franki Dahlgren.

Names will be kept on the prayer list for one month from the time they are requested. If you need someone to be on the list longer, please reach out to the office prior to the end of the month.

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.

June 10 - June 15 / Mass Intentions / Mass Times				
Date	Mass	For	Liturgical Days	Requested By
6/10	12:00 N	Salvation of All Souls	Weekday	Parish Family
6/11	12:00 N	Lois and †Earl Nelms	Memorial of Saint Barnabas	Carl and Kathy Hayden
6/12	9:00 AM	†Buddy Darlington	Weekday	Joan Miller
6/13	9:00 AM	Ronald Carter	Memorial of St. Anthony of Padua	Joe Swonk
6/14	5:00 PM	†Buddy Darlington	Vigil, Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity	Parish Family
6/15	9:30AM	†Giacomo, †Gaspar, and †Nancy Aleo	Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity	Diana Campbell
	12:00N	Para el Pueblo	Solemnidad de la Santísima Trinidad	Familia de San Timoteo



Calendar

June 6, 8:00AM	First Friday Adoration
June 7, 8:00AM	First Saturday Adoration
June 7, 9:00AM - 2:00PM	Vacation Bible School
June 7 & 8	Pantry Sunday
June 13, 11:00AM	Funeral Mass - Mary Williams
June 17, 1:00PM	Catholic Women’s Luncheon

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

If you are without family in the area and the office or Father can be of assistance, please let us know.

Please keep the office updated on your location should you move or go to the hospital or other facility.

Parishioner in Healthcare

Richard Byrne is at Heritage Green, 7080 Brooks Farm Rd., Mechanicsville, VA 23111.

Cards and visits are welcome!

Joanie Copen

Joanie Copen has been released from the nursing home and is now at home. She would love to receive calls!

Pantry Sunday

Pantry Sunday is this weekend, June 7-8. Donations of canned fruit, vegetables, and soup are *always* needed. Please place your donations in the designated area to the left of the door as you enter the Commons. Thank you for your continued support of this valuable ministry for people in our community.



Volunteers Needed!

Any one or any number of people that would like to sing in the choir, particularly Saturday night, would be greatly appreciated! Contact the office or Ken Mangano at either Mass to sign up! Thank you so much!

Funeral Mass for Mary Williams

The funeral Mass for Mary Jeannette Williams is scheduled for Friday, June 13, at 11:00AM. Luncheon to follow in St. Jude Hall. Please keep Mary Williams and her family in your prayers.

First Holy Communion

Congratulations to *Andres Becerra, Anderson Breunig, Jorge Entzin, William Fowler, Antonio Hernandez, Bryan Hernandez, Inocencio Hernandez and Jasmine Lopez Anastacio.* They received *First Holy Communion* on June 1st; *Jorge, Antonio, and Inocencio* were also confirmed on the 1st.

Dear Lord, we thank You and praise You for the most precious gift of the Holy Eucharist. We ask You to bless all those who received Your Body and Blood for the first time.

You have provided for us richly through the gift of Your Body and Blood. Receiving the Holy Eucharist is a tremendous blessing, and we ask You to help all who made their First Holy Communion: help them to grow in love for You each day of their lives, and help them to always appreciate the great gifts You have given us for our salvation.

Amen

Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School will be Saturday, June 7, from 9:30AM-2:00PM. The theme is *Light of Christ*. ***VBS is in need of two volunteers to help from 9:00AM-2:00PM.*** Teens needing volunteer hours are welcome. Adults need Virtus training. If you are available to assist, please contact Diana Campbell at dcampbell@richmond-county.k12.va.us or leave a message at (804) 238-1279.

Religious Education

We are in need of one instructor for the 2025-2026 Religious Education program for the elementary (grades 3-5) students. Please reach out to Diana Campbell at dcampbell@richmond-county.k12.va.us or leave a message at (804) 238-1279 if you are interested.

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.



Catholic Women’s Luncheon

Our monthly luncheon was hosted by Becky Tobler at her lovely home. Thank you, Becky! We had an enjoyable get-together and discussed plans for upcoming trips and activities. We are looking forward to our next luncheon, June 17 (3rd Tuesday of every month).



Saint of the Week - Saint Anthony of Padua

St. Anthony, faithful servant of Christ, you offered comfort and consolation to all who came to you in times of trouble. Pray for me now, that I may know true peace of mind, heart and soul. Help me grow in faith, so that I may be free from all useless and needless anxiety in this life.

Fill me with a complete and lasting confidence in God’s healing graces. Grant me the serenity known by those who let go of resentments, bitterness and anger. Reassure me that Our Divine Savior, Jesus Christ, is with me every step of the way, every day of my life, and that in His gracious love I need not worry or fear any of life’s difficulties.

Amen.



“When you look into muddy or choppy water, you will not see your face reflected. If you want the face of Christ, who looks on you, to be reflected within you, come away from the disturbance of exterior things, and let your soul be at peace.”

~ St. Anthony of Padua

Spring INTO ACTION 5k

RUN FOR REFUGEES

June 21, 2025

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