



## St. Timothy's Episcopal Church

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Sunday, March 15, 2015

*The Fourth Sunday in Lent*

9:30 a.m.



The Altar Photograph by Craig Dubishar.

### **Sunday Services**

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| 8:00 a.m.  | Spoken Eucharist - Rite I     |
| 9:30 a.m.  | Choral Eucharist - Rite II    |
| 11:00 a.m. | Eucharist With Hymns- Rite II |

### **Opportunities for Children**

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|---------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 9:30 a.m. & 11 a.m. | Godly Play ( <i>ages 3 &amp; potty trained - grade 2</i> ) - Room B1 |
| 9:30 a.m.           | Spark + ( <i>grades 3-5</i> ) - Room A-5                             |
| 9:30 a.m.           | Christian Education ( <i>Grades 6-8</i> ) - Room A-8                 |
| 9:30 a.m.           | Christian Education ( <i>Grades 9-12</i> ) - Upper Room              |

### **Saint Timothy's Mission Statement**

AS PEOPLE OF GOD, WE JOYFULLY WORSHIP GOD, SPREAD THE WORD OF GOD'S LOVE,  
TREASURE ALL PEOPLE, AND SERVE OTHERS EVERYWHERE IN THE NAME OF JESUS CHRIST.

THEREFORE, WITH GOD'S HELP, WE: OPEN OUR DOORS TO EVERYONE,  
OPEN OUR HEARTS IN WORSHIP, OPEN OUR EYES TO THE SPIRIT'S GIFTS,  
AND OPEN OUR ARMS TO EMBRACE GOD'S WORK.

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## Information For Our First Time Guests



All children are welcome to stay with parents in the Sanctuary during worship. However, for parents of children ages 0-3 years who want nursery care, we have a well-equipped and professionally-staffed nursery at the end of the hall nearest the Sanctuary. Each child brought to the nursery is given a number; only the parents of the child can take the child from the nursery. If a parent is needed during worship, the child's number will appear (in red LED's) on the black panels beneath the hymn boards on both sides of the Chancel. Parents, please bring diapers, any snacks, and formula as needed for your child.



All baptized Christians are welcome to receive the Sacrament. If you have not been baptized, please come to the Altar rail for a blessing during Holy Communion (place your arms across your chest to signify your desire for a blessing). If you would like to be baptized, please speak with the clergy after the service. To receive Holy Communion, accept the bread in your hand and place it in your mouth, then sip wine from the Chalice when it is brought to you (guide the Chalice to your mouth please), or hold the bread, dip it in the wine when the chalice comes to you, and place the bread with wine in your mouth. If you are allergic to wheat or are gluten intolerant, please let the person serving bread know to give you a rice wafer.

## Staff

*Regular church office hours are 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. Monday - Thursday and 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. on Friday. If you would like to make an appointment to speak with a member of the clergy, feel free to call the office at 703.437.3790.*

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# The Fourth Sunday in Lent

Holy Eucharist: Rite II

*All hymns marked Hymnal are from the Hymnal 1982. Hymns that have an S in front of the number are located at the front of the 1982 hymnal. Hymns labeled WLP are from the green hymnal "Wonder, Love, and Praise."*

## Prelude

*O God, Beyond All Praising*  
St. Timothy's Handbell Choir

Philip M. Young

## The Word of God

*At the tolling of the bell, all stand.*

## Entrance Hymn

*Guide me, O thou great Jehovah*

Hymnal 690

## The Opening Acclamation

*Celebrant* Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

*People* ***His mercy endures for ever.***

Jesus said, "The first commandment is this: Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God is the only Lord. Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength. The second is this: Love your neighbor as yourself. There is no other commandment greater than these." Mark 12:29-31

## The Confession

*Celebrant:* Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*People: Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.*

*Celebrant:* Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

## Kyrie (sung)

***Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.***  
***Christ have mercy. Christ have mercy.***

Hymnal S 96

***Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.***

## The Collect of the Day

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* ***And also with you.***

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

Gracious Father, whose blessed Son Jesus Christ came down from heaven to be the true bread which gives life to the world: Evermore give us this bread, that he may live in us, and we in him; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## First Reading

Numbers 21:4-9

From Mount Hor the Israelites set out by the way to the Red Sea, to go around the land of Edom; but the people became impatient on the way. The people spoke against God and against Moses, "Why have you brought us up out of Egypt to die in the wilderness? For there is no food and no water, and we detest this miserable food." Then the LORD sent poisonous serpents among the people, and they bit the people, so that many Israelites died. The people came to Moses and said, "We have sinned by speaking against the LORD and against you; pray to the LORD to take away the serpents from us." So Moses prayed for the people. And the LORD said to Moses, "Make a poisonous serpent, and set it on a pole; and everyone who is bitten shall look at it and live." So Moses made a serpent of bronze, and put it upon a pole; and whenever a serpent bit someone, that person would look at the serpent of bronze and live.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

## Psalm 107:1-3, 17-22 *(Sung by the choir)*

- 1 Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, and his mercy endures for ever.
- 2 Let all those whom the LORD has redeemed proclaim that he redeemed them from the hand of the foe.
- 3 He gathered them out of the lands; from the east and from the west, from the north and from the south.
- 17 Some were fools and took to rebellious ways; they were afflicted because of their sins.
- 18 They abhorred all manner of food and drew near to death's door.
- 19 Then they cried to the LORD in their trouble, and he delivered them from their distress.
- 20 He sent forth his word and healed them and saved them from the grave.
- 21 Let them give thanks to the LORD for his mercy and the wonders he does for his children.
- 22 Let them offer a sacrifice of thanksgiving and tell of his acts with shouts of joy.

## The Second Lesson

Ephesians 2:1-10

You were dead through the trespasses and sins in which you once lived, following the course of this world, following the ruler of the power of the air, the spirit that is now at work among those who are disobedient. All of us once lived among them in the passions of our flesh, following the desires of flesh and senses, and we were by nature children of wrath, like everyone else. God, who is rich in mercy, out of the great love with which he loved us even when we were dead through our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ-- by grace you have been saved-- and raised us up with him and seated us with him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, so that in the ages to come he might show the immeasurable riches of his grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus. For by grace you have been saved through faith, and this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God-- not the result of works, so that no one may boast. For we are what he has made us, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand to be our way of life.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

## Sequence Hymn

*My faith looks up to thee*

Hymnal 691

## The Gospel

John 3:14-21

*Celebrant* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

*People* ***Glory to you, Lord Christ.***

Jesus said to Nicodemus, "Just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life.

"For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life.

"Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him. Those who believe in him are not condemned; but those who do not believe are condemned already, because they have not believed in the name of the only Son of God. And this is the judgment, that the light has come into the world, and people loved darkness rather than light because their deeds were evil. For all who do evil hate the light and do not come to the light, so that their deeds may not be exposed. But those who do what is true come to the light, so that it may be clearly seen that their deeds have been done in God."

*Celebrant* The Gospel of the Lord.

*People* ***Praise to you, Lord Christ.***

## Sermon

**Ms. Lisa Erdeljon**, *Seminarian at Yale Divinity School (Cosponsored by St. Timothy's)*

## Nicene Creed

***We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.***

***We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father.***

***Through him all things were made.***

***For us and for our salvation***

***he came down from heaven:***

***by the power of the Holy Spirit***

***he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,***

***and was made man.***

*For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.  
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.  
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.  
He has spoken through the Prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.*

### **The Prayers of the People**

*Leader:* Sons and daughters of God, sisters and brothers in Christ, let us pray. *(Silence)*

*Leader:* God of luminous glory, we lift our voices on behalf of the world you have made. Your creation is threatened by human greed and casual disregard. Give us knowledge and wisdom, compassion and courage. Help us revere and preserve this magnificent earth and all of your creatures. **Gracious Creator, help us restore your world.** *(Silence)*

*Leader:* Benevolent Governor, we pray for communities and nations devastated by poverty, tyranny, and war. We wound, enslave, and destroy one another. Have mercy on us. Draw us ever more deeply into your love, that we may establish peace and equity for all. **Healer of the world, save us from ourselves.** *(Silence)*

*Leader:* Divine Benefactor, your world is in upheaval, the economy is turmoil; show us new solutions for our problems. Help us create new industries that are good for the earth, and good for your people. Lead us through these stressful and uncertain times to a better world, a better economy, and a better life for all people. **God of the Exodus, guide us into a future full of promise.** *(Silence)*

*Leader:* Steadfast Deliverer, we plead for your Church. We are divided, many of your people are persecuted; we have been silent and complacent, unresponsive to your Gospel. Grant us new faith and vision, integrity and passion. Unite us in your truth and inspire us with your love. **Merciful Redeemer, renew your Church.** *(Silence)*

*Leader:* Blessed Savior, we cry out to you for people who are injured, sick, and suffering; for the victims of natural disasters and human contempt. Increase our knowledge, wisdom, and concern for one another. Help the entire human family respond quickly and graciously when any of our neighbors are in crisis; help us provide comfort and relief to our sisters and brothers who are in anguish. **Lamb of God, heal your people; make us whole.** *(Silence)*

*Leader:* Sovereign of Heaven and earth, we give thanks for the people we love who have died, and pray for those who will pass this week into paradise. Deliver us from faithless fears and anxieties. Confirm our faith in your promises. **God of hope and salvation, help us bear the cross with dignity, and proclaim the Gospel with confidence.** *(Silence)*

*Leader:* Bread of heaven, cup of Salvation, we pray for one another. We stumble and fall. We wander and fail. Help us become the people you want us to be – fill us with faith, hope, and love; generosity, peace, and joy. **Blessed Jesus, infuse us with your Spirit, and direct us in your service.** *(Silence)*

*Leader:* God of providence, Host of Heaven, we do not deserve the blessings you bestow so generously and abundantly. Give us grateful hearts, we pray, and make us faithful stewards of all your gifts, that your love may be known throughout the world, and your praises sung by all creation, now and for ever. **Gracious and compassionate Savior, we praise you, we thank you, and we offer ourselves to you - all we are and all we have. Amen.**

## **The Peace**

*Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

## **Welcome & Announcements**

## **The Offering**

*Celebrant* But do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.

## **The Holy Communion**

### **Offertory**

*Prayer of John Donne*  
Saint Timothy's Adult Choir

**William Bradley Roberts**

The text is provided for those who would like to reflect upon it during the anthem.

*Wilt thou forgive the sin where I begun, which was my sin though it were done before?  
Wilt thou forgive that sin through which I run and do run still though still I do deplore?  
When thou hast done, Thou hast not done for I have more.*

*Wilt thou forgive the sin where I have won others to sin, and made my sins their door?  
Wilt thou forgive that sin which I did shun a year or two, but wallowed in a score?  
When thou hast done, Thou hast not done for I have more.*

*I have a sin of fear, that when I've spun my last thread, I shall perish on the shore,  
Swear by Thyself that at my death Thy Sun shall shine, as it shines now and heretofore;  
And having done that, Thou hast done; I have no more.*

### **Presentation Hymn**

*Now quit your care and anxious fear and worry*

**Hymnal 145**

## The Great Thanksgiving

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

**People** *And also with you.*

*Celebrant* Lift up your hearts.

**People** *We lift them to the Lord.*

*Celebrant* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People** *It is right to give God thanks and praise.*

*Celebrant*

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, who was tempted in every way as we are, yet did not sin. By his grace we are able to triumph over every evil, and to live no longer for ourselves alone, but for him who died for us and rose again. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

## The Sanctus

Hymnal S 130

*Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full, full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.*

*The people stand or kneel.*

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

*Celebrant* On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

*Celebrant and People*

**Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

*Celebrant* We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN!**

And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

*All Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.*

### **Breaking of the Bread**

*Celebrant* Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

*People* **Therefore let us keep the feast.**

### **Fraction Anthem**

*Jesus, Lamb of God*

Hymnal S 164

*Jesus, Lamb of God: have mercy on us.  
Jesus, bearer of our sins: have mercy on us.  
Jesus, redeemer, redeemer of the world:  
give us your peace, give us your peace.*

*Celebrant* The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

### **The Administration of Communion**

#### **Communion Hymns**

*Father, we thank thee who hast planted  
Jerusalem, my happy home  
In your mercy, Lord, you called me*

Hymnal 302

Hymnal 620

Hymnal 706

#### **Postcommunion Prayer**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

*All Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior, Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen*

#### **The Blessing**

**Closing Hymn**

*Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim*

**Hymnal 473**

**Dismissal**

*Celebrant* Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

**Postlude**

*Voluntary on "Olivet"*

**Charles Callahan**

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## Assisting in the Preparation and Conduct of Worship

### Altar Guild

Bonnie Bunting, Judy Conroy, Emilia Mbonu, Kerrie Wilson

### Counters

Barbara Bruno, Matt Maginniss

### Ushers

8:00 a.m. Bill Outerbridge, Robin Mullet

9:30 a.m. Vincent Donnelly, Carmela Condro

11:00 a.m. Emilia Mbonu, Jim Wallis

### Greeters

8:00 a.m. Beth Hwoschinsky, Peter Hwoschinsky

9:30 a.m. Hollis Colie

11:00 a.m. Deke Smith

### Lay Eucharistic Ministers

8:00 a.m. Bryan Spoon, Michael Cook

9:30 a.m. Catherine Lamb, Genevieve Zetlan, Bryan Spoon, Edna Whittick, Rose Berberich

11:00 a.m. Allan Stanley, Adan Guardado, Bryan Spoon, Dave Parker, Jane Perry

### Acolytes

9:30 a.m. Sara Zetlan

11:00 a.m. Gustavo Bonilla, Alexis Guardado

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### **No Altar Flowers During Lent**



There are no flowers on the altar during Lent. Easter Day brings them back with splendor and beauty. If you would like to remember a loved one who has departed this life or give thanksgiving for family and friends this Easter, please complete a Flower Envelope (*be sure to write Easter Flowers on the envelope*) or call the office at 703-437-3790. **The deadline for all Easter Flower offerings is March 22.**

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### **New Bulletin Section! Thanks for Making A Difference!**



Thanks to **Daryl Grissom** for being a doorkeeper for Godly Play on Sunday, **Andy Hamm** and **Keith Pinkard** for their support to the revitalized Buildings & Grounds Ministry, **Sean Brady** for his willingness to contribute as the new lead to the Buildings and Grounds Ministry, and **Patrick Hobson** for accepting the invitation to chair the Communications Ministry!

*Have someone you'd like to publicly thank for contributing to St. Timothy's in some way? Send an email to [thanks@saint-timothys.org](mailto:thanks@saint-timothys.org) with the person's name and what they did, and we will thank them in this new "Thank You" section of the bulletin as well as the eNews.*



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### **Do you need someone to talk to? Call a Stephen Minister!**

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## Church Events @ St. Tim's This Week



*Only ministry related events are listed. Visit [www.saint-timothys.org](http://www.saint-timothys.org) and click on the calendar link to see the full calendar.*

Day	Time	Event	Location
<b>Sunday 3/15</b>	8, 9:30 & 11 a.m.	Holy Eucharist	Sanctuary
	9 a.m.	Adult Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
	7 p.m.	Lenten Series on Prayer	Narthex
	7 p.m.	Estudios Biblicos ( <i>en español</i> )	B1
<b>Monday 3/16</b>	5 p.m.	Children's Choir I	Music Room
	6 p.m.	Children's Choir II	Music Room
	7 p.m.	BSA Troop 159 Meeting	Henry Hall
<b>Tuesday 3/17</b>		No events currently scheduled.	
<b>Wednesday 3/18</b>	10 a.m.	Morning Bible Study	Kitchen
	12:15 p.m.	Holy Eucharist & Healing Service	Sanctuary
	7 p.m.	Shawl Ministry	Narthex
	7 p.m.	Handbell Rehearsal	Music Room
	7:30 p.m.	Boy Scout Leaders' Meeting	Upper Room
<b>Thursday 3/19</b>	7 p.m.	Adult Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
<b>Friday 3/20</b>		No events scheduled at this time.	
<b>Saturday 3/21</b>	8 a.m.	Finance Ministry Meeting	Upper Room
	9 a.m.	Altar Guild	Sanctuary & AG Room
	7 p.m.	La Asamblea ( <i>en español</i> )	Sanctuary
<b>Sunday 3/22</b>	8, 9:30 & 11 a.m.	Holy Eucharist	Sanctuary
	9 a.m.	Adult Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
	12:30 p.m.	Holy Week Info Meeting	Sanctuary
	5 p.m.	Choral Evensong	Sanctuary
	7 p.m.	Lenten Series on Prayer	Narthex
	7 p.m.	Estudios Biblicos ( <i>en español</i> )	B1

### Happy Birthday To You!!!

- Sun. 3/15** Jill Koenig, Jose Guardado, Lila Dubishar, Alex Mbonu, Angelina Serrano
- Mon. 3/16** Rosburn Wilkins, Alison Ward
- Tue. 3/17** Pat Smith, Keith Pinkard, Katherine Masters, Andrew Schmidt,  
Jennifer Fisher, Jay Chadwick
- Wed. 3/18** Sheila Woods, James Norcross, Brooks Griffith
- Thu. 3/19** John Sobchak Jr.
- Fri. 3/20** Chuck Condro
- Sat. 3/21** Glenn Boysko
- Sun. 3/22** Marleen George, Terri Hoisington, CJ Cimino III



## General Announcements

### **Mission of St. Timothy's, Vestry Update**

February giving: \$46,658

Monthly expenses: \$58,250

YTD Budget Deficit: \$26,363

2015 monthly giving needed (Mar-Dec): \$60,764.

Please discuss any questions with a member of the vestry. The next vestry meeting is March 23 at 7:30 p.m.

### **Stay Informed and Get Involved with St. Timothy's**

Subscribe to *The Word* newsletter and get important information about current news, ministry updates, mission outreach, Diocese news, and local church sponsored events. *The Word* is available in multiple mediums.

- **Web:** Go to ([www.saint-timothys.org](http://www.saint-timothys.org)), download via link at bottom of the homepage
- **Email:** Subscribe by clicking "get mail updates" at the top of our website
- **Print:** Copies are on the table by the Rector's office.

### **Parish Retreat at Shrine Mont**

St. Timothy's is going to Shrine Mont the first weekend in May! Registration is now open for our annual parish retreat. Brochures with registration forms can be found in the narthex. This year's theme is about the importance of the Eucharist as a means to revitalize everyday Christian living. Planned activities include worship time, bingo, a hike (weather permitting), and a "talentless" show. Everyone is welcome on this fun, informative, relaxing weekend. Contact Susy Nixon if you have any questions ([senixon@verizon.net](mailto:senixon@verizon.net) or 703-437-0370).

### **Update from VoCoSuM**

In the past, some congregants completed a VoCoSuM questionnaire and volunteered to be a STAR (Small Tasks are Rewarding) to aid St. Timothy's and its ministries. VoCoSuM has been revamped and SUPERSTARs are now STARs. Currently, as a STAR you are called upon to provide assistance as needed. If you cannot help when contacted—no worries, you will be called upon again in the future. If you are new to St. Timothy's, becoming a STAR is a fabulous vehicle to jumpstart your entry into volunteering—no long-term commitment and you can see if the volunteer task that you perform "fits" and if it is a task you would like to volunteer for again. Volunteering aids in making you an integral part of St. Timothy's church family and allows you to actively support the Vestry's 2015 goal: Growth, Involvement, and Outreach.

Towards this end, we would like as many of our congregants to become involved as possible. Interested? Contact Nikki O'Malley ([nikki.omalley@gmail.com](mailto:nikki.omalley@gmail.com)) to update/enter your contact information, or have your name removed from the current STAR list.

### **Save The Date; "EVEREST" Vacation Bible School!**

St. Timothy's Vacation Bible School will be held July 20-24!



## **General Announcements** *(continued)*

### **Herndon Senior Center - The Service Ministry Lenten Outreach for 2015**

Art supplies for the Herndon Senior Center, located in downtown Herndon at 873 Grace Street, is the Service Ministry Lenten Outreach project this year. The theme at the HSC is "Creativity Through Aging." Please help the Center celebrate creativity by donating an item or two listed below. New items have been added to this list (*in italics*). These items are available at local stores.

For Knitting Classes- *Knitting Needles - size 10 or larger (Size 10, Size 10.5, Size 11, Size 13 for example), Circular Knitting Needles (larger sizes), Kitting Stitch Markers, Knitting Needle End Caps.*

For Art Classes- *18 x 24 Canvas from Michaels for each student (20), Oil Pastle Pallets for each student (20), 18 x 24 sketch notebook (20), Art Finishing Spray, colored pencils, super tips washable markers, broad line Markers, poster makers, large Glue dots, large print out coloring sheets and hot glue sticks small and large (can be found at Michaels and Target).*

Jewelry class supplies- earring fish hook with a ball, memory wire bracelets, split rings all sizes, jump rings all sizes, small rope toggle closures (can be found at Michaels, AC Moore and JoAnne's stores).

General items- 2 Resolve Multi-fabric Upholstery Cleaner, Eye Glass Repair Kit.

There is a bin in Henry Hall for the donated items. If you have any questions, please contact Holly Hartge (mhhvirginia@verizon.net or 703.318.8292)

***The Service Ministry...putting our faith to work.***

### **Viewpoint Book Club**

St. Timothy's Viewpoints book group will be reading "The Rosie Project" by Graeme Simsion. The group will meet on Saturday, March 28 at Panera on Elden Street at 9:30 a.m. Copies of the book are available from Jill Cox. If you have any questions, please contact Jill Cox at 703-963-8251 or jillcoxva@verizon.net.

### **Keep The Date- E.C.W. Retreat (*Episcopal Church Women*) - Saturday, April 11**

The Annual E.C.W. Retreat will be held at Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Middleburg, Va. from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, April 11. We will be joined this year by new friends from Epiphany Episcopal Church and Rev. Hilary West has agreed to lead the retreat for us. The theme will be announced at the end of this month. The cost is \$20.00 per person to cover the donation to Emmanuel and incidental expenses. You can sign up via the link from the Friday, March 13 eNews (*it will also be in the next couple of eNews editions*). You also have the option of signing up via sign-up sheets displayed at church each Sunday on the table outside the office or by phone/email to Jill Cox (703.963.8251 / jillcoxva@verizon.net). We ask that you bring a small breakfast or lunch dish or a dessert to be enjoyed by all. Usually a dish for eight provides a reasonable portion for each person. Directions to Emmanuel Episcopal Church can be supplied upon request.

### **Youth Plant Sale Coming Sunday, April 12!** (*After all services in the Parish Hall*)

Tomato Plants- \$3 each / Pepper Plants- \$2 each / Lettuce Plants- \$1 each  
John Nixon provides the plants. All funds go to support the Youth Mission Trip!

## **General Announcements** *(continued)*

### **Immigration & Immigration Reform**

Interested in The Episcopal Church's role advocating for the rights of refugees and immigrants and immigration reform, St. Anne's Episcopal (Reston) has invited Katie Conway, Immigration & Refugee Policy Analyst from The Episcopal Church Office of Government Relations in Washington, DC to convene a dialogue with us at 1 p.m. on Sunday, March 22. Katie's background includes 4 years of work in the immigration and refugee advocacy field for both The Episcopal Church and Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Service. Highlights of her talk will include an overview of the policies and ministries of The Episcopal Church related to welcoming immigrants and refugees and how those policies and ministries intersect with the ongoing national debate around immigration policy and reform. Sandwiches and soft drinks will be served prior to Katie's talk from 12:30 - 1:00. If you plan to attend please RSVP to [tim@stannes-reston.org](mailto:tim@stannes-reston.org).

### **Hypothermia Shelter Meals - Sundays in March**

St. Timothy's will prepare and serve dinner for clients of the North County Hypothermia Shelter on the following Sundays in March; 3/15, 3/22, and 3/29. Please sign up to provide a part of this meal or to volunteer to serve the meal via the online sign up created through Sign-Up Genius at <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0a4baead2aa46-sttimothys> (or you can contact Jill Norcross if you want her to register for you, [jillnorcross@verizon.net](mailto:jillnorcross@verizon.net) or 703-587-4098). The dinner, enough for 40 adults, should be dropped off ready to immediately serve at the North County Hypothermia Shelter at 5:30 p.m. This is a great service opportunity for your family, ministry and friends (volunteers must be 18 years or older to serve at the shelter). Thanks in advance for your time, talent and generosity!

**Invite family, friends, and neighbors to celebrate with our St. Tim's Church Family at any of our Holy Week services! All are welcome!**



**Palm Sunday Holy Eucharist, March 29 @ 8, 9:30, & 11 a.m.**

*Procession of the Palms (starts in Henry Hall) & reading of the Passion Narrative. Childcare Available.*

**Healing and Holy Eucharist Service, April 1 @ 12:15 p.m.**

*This is our regular Wednesday Healing and Eucharist Service, (Rite II).*

**Maundy Thursday, April 2 @ 7:30 p.m.**

*The Stripping of the Altar, Rite II*

**Good Friday, April 3 @ 12:15 and 7:30 p.m.**

*The 12:15 p.m. service is "The Stations of the Cross" and the 7:30 p.m. is a service with music, solemn prayers, and a narrative reading of the Passion Gospel (Rite II).*

**Easter Day Eucharist, April 5 @ 8, 9:30, & 11 a.m.**

*Festival Eucharist with music at all services, Childcare available.. Easter Egg Hunt for children follows the 11 a.m. service.*

## 2015 Lenten Series on Prayer at St. Timothy's

Join us Sunday nights during Lent to reflect on how God speaks to us through prayer. Each presentation can stand alone, so come to one, two, or as many events as you can!

**March 15-** Seminarian Bryan Spoon presents "Praying with Icons" from 7 - 8:30 p.m. in the Narthex (*Light snacks will be served*).

**March 22-** Director of Music, Dr. Filippa Duke and St. Timothy's Choir present Choral Evensong (Corporate, Sung Prayer) from 5 - 6 p.m. followed by a reception in Henry Hall.

**NEW-** At 7 p.m. on March 22, Father Brad will hold his session on "The Practice of Centering Prayer" from 7 - 8:30 p.m. in the Narthex (*Light snacks will be served*). *Originally Scheduled March 1, but postponed due to snow.*



**Prayer List:** Bill, Dave, Mabel, Melissa, Paige, Phyllis, Pam, Cheryl, David, Diane, Christine, Catherine, Matthew, Julie, Eric, Sandy, John, Doug, Grace, Sean, Natalie, Damion, Patricia, Ed, Lynn, Carrie, Dillon, William, Jesse, Carol, Ross, Anna, Drew, Charlotte, Michael, Jac, Pat, Tom, Mary, Patricia, Reese, the Mankin family, Mike and Lisa, the Augustine family, Nancy, Dora, Barbara, the Hargadon family, the Barrett family, Pete & Emily and family, Pat, the Augustine family, Anne, Dora, Barbara, Nancy, Tom, the family of Paul Powenski, Phyllis, Nadejda, Mikko, Nina, George, Elizabeth, Christopher, Jace, Maloney/LaRe families, Lynn, the family and friends of Carolyn Osbourne, Claudine, Geoff, Rick, the Wieczorek family, John, Donna, the McGrath Family, Margaret, John, Sally, Jim, Christine, Katie, Lilly, Cookie, Kathleen, Susie, Beth, Margaret, Beth and Joe, the Wood family, Evelyn, Joel, Eustace, Loy, Jerry, the Yergen/Jennings family, John, the Hannam family, Bruce, Florita & family, Nikki & family, Karen, Sarah, Micki, Ralph, Judy, the Lopez family, Maria, Mr. & Mrs. Morgan, Lorna, Marie, John, the Bloom family & friends, the Pfadenhauer family, Joni and Jamie and the family of Rose Morgan, David, Nancy, Jenny, and the extended family of Sarah Daly, Marty Burke, Sue, and Eric.

**Please Note:** *To add a request please email [Prayer@saint-timothys.org](mailto:Prayer@saint-timothys.org) with the name of the person and prayer request. Please note, the request itself will only be placed on the list for the Pastoral Care Team to pray for; first names will be placed in the bulletin. If you do not have access to email, you can call the church office and leave your request with the Parish Administrator, 703.437.3790 x.10.*

## Bulletin & eNews Submissions

*Submissions for both the weekly bulletin and eNews are due Wednesdays by 9 a.m. of the week they are published unless otherwise communicated. If you would like to submit a church related announcement, you can email the Parish Administrator at [office@saint-timothys.org](mailto:office@saint-timothys.org). You will receive a reply email to confirm your submission was received.*