

ST. TIMOTHY CHURCH

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RESPECT

Life
SUNDAY

Before I formed you in
the womb I knew you,
before you were born
I dedicated you.

Jeremiah 1:5

*"To the King of Ages, the immortal,
the invisible, the only God,
be honor and glory, forever and ever.
Amen." ~ I Timothy 1:17*



Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00 p.m. • Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m.

Holy Days

Vigil 6:00 p.m. • 9:00 a.m.
or as announced in the bulletin

Sacrament of Penance

Saturday 4:00-4:30 p.m.
Anytime by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesdays 9:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

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SCHOOL INFORMATION

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To schedule Baptism, contact the Parish Office.

Weddings:

Contact the Pastor six months before desired date

Parish Center, Gym:

Contact Dave & Mary Pat Boulware 614-371-8410

All other meeting locations, contact the Parish Office.

Bulletin Submissions: Monday at Noon – bulletin@sttimchurch.org

St. Timothy Parish Mission Statement: "United in the Body of Christ, we strive to promote the greater glory of God through a spirit of welcome and willing service to our brothers and sisters."

MASS INTENTIONS *September 30-October 8*

Saturday, September 30

5:00 p.m. Saint Timothy Parishioners

Sunday, October 1

9:00 a.m. Jon and Irene Altman

11:00 a.m. Janice Dorrian

Monday, October 2

9:00 a.m. The Ohio Shay Clan

Tuesday, October 3

9:00 a.m. Clifford Kiener

Wednesday, October 4

9:00 a.m. The Michael Family

Thursday, October 5

9:00 a.m. Hilda Cline

Friday, October 6

9:00 a.m. Isabel Cline

Saturday, October 7

5:00 p.m. Ivo DiRienzo

Sunday, October 8

9:00 a.m. Saint Timothy Parishioners

11:00 a.m. Daniel Rankin

LITURGICAL MINISTERS *October 7-8*

USHERS AND GREETERS

5:00 p.m. Lori Walker, Robert Walker

9:00 a.m. Joe Briski, Pat Sergio

11:00 a.m. John Stellar, Tom Lacey

LECTORS

5:00 p.m. Ralph Conone, John Stock

9:00 a.m. Jack Jenny, Rachel Patton

11:00 a.m. Leslie McConnell, Ed Geraghty

ALTAR SERVERS

5:00 p.m. Brady Devlin, Max Kowalski,
Claudia Namukwaya

9:00 a.m. Luke Held, Kurt Held, Amelia/Emma Miller

11:00 a.m. Juan Soberanis, Alessandra Soberanis,
Ayleen Soberanis



PASTOR'S DESK

From the Desk of Father Dan

Some Parishioners have asked about the "disappearance" of the blue chairs that were along the aisles of the church. They were removed with my approval because they were put there during the Covid epidemic when we needed to maintain social distancing. Fortunately, we are beyond that time of crisis. Secondly, I was told that the fire marshal had a problem with those chairs because they would affect the movement of people if we had to exit the church in an emergency situation. Even though some of our weekend Masses are full, I have not seen anyone standing because there was no space available in the pews. I respectfully ask that you cooperate with this decision and also make room when you are seated at the end of a pew, and someone would like access to that pew. Thank you.

In the near future, the ceiling of the church will be repaired and painted. This project may last a couple of weeks and might affect a section of the church at Mass on one weekend. This project is funded by private donors, and I am grateful for their generosity. Just to let you know: until I have a clear picture of the financial condition of our parish, we will be holding off on work that can be delayed unless the project is covered through private fundraising.

**Have a blessed week,
Father Dan**

STEWARDSHIP AND OUTREACH



August 6th Offering Total: \$ 8,138.00

August 13th Offering Total: \$ 9,635.00

August 20th Offering Total: \$ 6,464.00

August 27th Offering Total: \$ 6,698.00

August Electronic Contributions: \$ 19,343.00
(Through WeShare and EFT)

August Total Church Contributions: \$ 50,278.00

St. Vincent de Paul offerings for August: \$ 2,612.00

St. Vincent de Paul Electronic offerings for August: \$ 400.00

St. Vincent de Paul total offerings for August: \$ 3,012.00



Eucharistic Adoration

Every Wednesday from 9:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

"Strong is God's love for us; He is faithful forever: come, let us give thanks and praise."

– Psalm 117:2

CHURCH NEWS



**Fall 2023
St. Timothy Men's
Club Sub Sale**

Offering the following items to order online:

- Italian Sub Sandwich \$6
- Donation Food Pantry Sub \$6



Place orders at www.sttimschool.org/sub by Wednesday, October 11th. Available for pickup after weekend Masses October 14th-15th.

AROUND THE TOWN AND BEYOND

Mass For Life

Thursday, October 19th, 5:30 p.m.
Do YOU want to do something locally to make an impact for the moms and babies of our community? Come join His Excellency, Earl K. Fernandes, and Women's Care Center in celebrating a Mass for Life in honor of families and the protection of life ahead of our upcoming elections. *Please join us after Mass for Exposition, a Rosary, and Benediction, followed by pizza-to-go!* The Mass will be held at St. Catharine Parish, 500 S. Gould Road, Columbus OH, 43209. All are welcome!



The Gospel of Luke

The Gospel of Luke is the most complete story of the life of Jesus. Come enter into the life and heart of Jesus through the eyes and heart of St. Luke.

October 13-15
Our Lady of Guadalupe Discipleship Center
5701 Lawshe Road, Peebles, OH 45660
Cost: A donation – includes meals, lodging.
To register: Visit www.presentationministries.com or call 513-373-2397

The Annual Men's Ignatian Weekend Retreat

The Annual Men's Ignatian Weekend Retreat is scheduled for October 27-29 (in cooperation with St. Peter, St. Michael, Immaculate Conception and other local parishes) at the Jesuit Spiritual Center at Milford. The cost is \$310.00 and includes a private room and meals, tuition assistance is available. This year's theme is "Come and See." Rooted in the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius, Fr. Michael Graham, SJ will provide a series of presentations designed to assist you in your spiritual journey. To register online, visit Jesuitspiritualcenter.com/retreats. To register by phone, call 513-248-3500, ext 10. Local Contacts: Deacon Marion Smithberger at 614-204-7553 or Carl Connor at 614-459-0641.

CATHOLIC MEN'S LUNCHEON – FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2023 – SPEAKER JOHN BRADFORD
Join us Friday, October 6 at St. Patrick Church in downtown Columbus for a luncheon featuring a talk titled "What is a Man? The Hunt for Manhood" by John Bradford, Founder and President of Wilderness Outreach, a 501(c)(3) public nonprofit corporation. Learn more about Wilderness Outreach at <https://www.wildernessoutreach.net>. If you are interested in sponsoring this or another luncheon, contact Jim Gernetzke at jimgernetzke@noslumine.com. Holy Mass (optional) begins at 11:45 a.m., followed by lunch at 12:10 p.m. and Mr. Bradford's presentation. No reservations are necessary. \$12.00 covers the lunch and meeting. Bring a friend! **Our next luncheon is Friday, November 3, 2023, and will feature a talk by the Columbus Diocese's only newly-ordained priest in 2023, Father PeterClaver Kasasa Kiviiri, Parochial Vicar at St. Matthew the Apostle Parish.**



SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NEWS
Helping Elderly Neighbors Facing Eviction

Older adults increasingly face housing affordability challenges. Due to rising housing costs, over 10 million households headed by someone 65 and over are struggling to pay for their housing. To compensate, elderly households often cut back on food and medical care, which can be detrimental for those with chronic health conditions.

One recent example of this situation was an elderly couple in our neighborhood. The couple was confronted with increased medical expenses, making it difficult to pay for their apartment. They suffered from health issues, requiring both walkers and oxygen. After being evicted from their previous apartment for unpaid rent, they needed to downsize to a smaller apartment. We cringed at the thought of seeing this elderly couple being placed out on the streets. The Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SVDP) assisted the elderly couple with the deposit required to move into their more affordable apartment. The elderly couple was very grateful for our financial help, which kept them from being homeless and allowed them to move into their new apartment. Since August of 2020, our St. Timothy Conference has partnered with other SVDP organizations and have assisted 325 families with their past-due rent and utilities through our home visit program. Most of these families were facing eviction after struggling to make their monthly rent and utility bills. Thank you for your commitment to making our community a better place through your support of SVDP.

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