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*"To the King of Ages,  
the immortal, the invisible,  
the only God,  
be honor and glory,  
forever and ever.  
Amen."*

I Timothy 1:17

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**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.

**SCHOOL INFORMATION**

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614-451-2671

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](mailto: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 *February 3rd-February 11th*

### Saturday, February 3

5:00 p.m. Jon and Irene Altman

### Sunday, February 4

9:00 a.m. Saint Timothy Parishioners

11:00 a.m. Sue Del Thoman

### Monday, February 5

9:00 a.m. Rosemary Bringardner

### Tuesday February 6

9:00 a.m. Joyce Nobile

### Wednesday February 7

9:00 a.m. Ruth Conone

### Thursday, February 8

9:00 a.m. Reginald Trass

### Friday, February 9

9:00 a.m. Robert Jordan

### Saturday, February 10

5:00 p.m. Saint Timothy Parishioners

### Sunday, February 11

9:00 a.m. David Parker

11:00 a.m. Don and Marie Fay

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS: *February 10th & 11th*

### Ushers and Greeters

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

9:00 a.m. Sandy Rossetti, Pat Sergio

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

### Lectors

5:00 p.m. John Rinto, Bridget Myers

9:00 a.m. Ed Geraghty, Katherine Vasko

11:00 a.m. Leslie McConnell, Elena Bonny

### Altar Servers

5:00 p.m. Allison Urra, Axel Urra, Allan Urra

9:00 a.m. Luke Held, Kurt Held, Courtney Azor

11:00 a.m. Sam Davis, Oliver Davis, Brady Devlin

### Extraordinary Ministers

5:00 p.m. Tim Kelsey, Audrey Kelsey

9:00 a.m. Sandy Ragland, Susan McNally

11:00 a.m. Joseph Raju, Brad Spees, Paul Koehler

## STEWARDSHIP AND OUTREACH



January 7th Offering Total: \$ 10,844

January 14th Offering Total: \$ 5,253

January 21st Offering Total: \$ 5,710

January 28th Offering Total: \$ 6,237

January Sunday Collection Contributions: **\$ 28,044**

## PASTOR'S DESK

### From the Desk of Father Dan



Elsewhere in today's bulletin, you'll see an article explaining the mission of the Joint Organization for Inner-City Needs (JOIN). It has become customary in most parishes of the metropolitan area to take up a collection on Ash Wednesday that is given to JOIN to help support those it serves. This collection will be taken up at the Masses on February 14th, the beginning of Lent.

Even though we are several days away from the beginning of Lent, I want to give you information about Lenten liturgies and devotions. There are three Masses scheduled for Ash Wednesday. You are invited to come to any of them. There will be the regular 9:00 a.m. Mass for the parishioners. There will be a Mass at 1:00 p.m. which will be attended by the school community, and an evening Mass at 6:00. These are the only times when ashes will be distributed in the church. There will not be Adoration on Ash Wednesday, but it will continue on the other Wednesdays of Lent.

The Stations of the Cross will be on Fridays at 6:00 p.m., including Good Friday.

Confessions are scheduled for Saturdays, 4:00-4:30 p.m. except for Holy Saturday. Father Dunn and I will be available for Confession on Monday, March 25th, from 6:00 until 7:30 p.m.

With the beginning of the season of Lent, we will regularly post the Holy Week schedule in the bulletin.

Have a blessed week.

– Father Dan



### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every Wednesday from 9:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.  
*"Come to me, all you who are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest."*

– Matthew 11:28

## REST IN PEACE

### Marion Furno

May 23, 1928 ~ January 19, 2024

### John O' Brien

March 1, 1932 ~ January 24, 2024

*May perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen*



**ST. TIMOTHY BOOK CLUB**

The St. Timothy Book Club will gather next on March 4th in the teachers' lounge from 1:00-3:00 p.m. We will be reading the book by Kevin Wells entitled, "Priest and Beggar." Two books of this title can be found in the public library, so we will be passing those two around. Let us know if you are interested in reading it as well! Another book that Kevin Wells wrote is, "The Priests We Need to Save the Church." There are six under this title that can be found in the public library. The Book Club has already read this and found it to be helpful in our journey to the Lord.

**ST. TIMOTHY MEN'S CLUB SUB SALE**

The subs are hand-made by the St. Timothy Men's Club. They are some of the best in town!! Go to [www.sttimschool.org/sub](http://www.sttimschool.org/sub) to order online. Don't forget to name your St. Tim student during checkout so they can win great prizes.

**Help make and sell subs February 9th, 10th, and 11th.**

Want to have fun, meet other parents in the parish, and fulfill your volunteer hours all at the same time? Join us Friday, February 9th starting at 6:00 p.m. in the St. Timothy Cafeteria to make subs. It's casual and fun, and a great way to meet people and give back at the same time. Come for an hour or stay the entire time...it's up to you. A few people are also needed for Saturday, February 10th and Sunday, February 11th to help fulfill orders and load and unload the truck. High school students welcome, and middle school students welcome with a responsible adult.

**SCHOOL NEWS****DONUTS AND COFFEE**

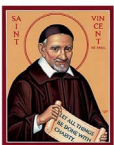
Please join the St. Timothy 3rd Graders for refreshments after the 11:00 a.m. Mass this Sunday, February 4th. All are welcome! The 6th Graders will be hosting the event next, on Sunday, March 24th. Coffee, donuts, orange juice and more will be provided.

**AROUND THE TOWN AND BEYOND****CATHOLIC CEMETERIES OF COLUMBUS  
SPRING CLEANUP BEGINS MARCH 1**

It's getting close to Spring and that means time for the Catholic Cemeteries of Columbus Spring Cleanup! Families wishing to retain any personal keepsakes should gather them by March 1st, 2024, when Cemetery field staff will begin cleanup around graves and mausoleums. If you have questions, please contact our cemetery offices: St. Joseph/Mt. Calvary 614-491-2751; Resurrection 614-888-1805; or Holy Cross 740-927-4442.

**JOINT ORGANIZATION FOR INNER-CITY NEEDS**

JOIN, is an agency of the Diocese's Catholic Charities Office, located at 578 E. Main Street in downtown Columbus. Sharing God's love and word through the assistance provided to our brothers and sisters is our daily aspiration. Because of the generosity, throughout our Diocese, JOIN is able to help our neighbors with their essential needs such as food, personal care, household items and diapers. We can also assist with more complicated issues such as prescriptions, utilities, birth certificates and transportation. The Ash Wednesday collection of your church and others would be instrumental in our mission to serve our neighbors with these various needs and more. All donations go directly to improve the quality of life for those we serve. It is a modest but significant way to begin Lent, for you and the community. On behalf of all of us here at JOIN, and from the neighbors we serve, thank you for all you do through your ministries that serve our brothers and sisters. You are always welcome to visit JOIN, or feel free to call or email me, Lisa Keita, director of JOIN, any time at 614-241-2530 or [lkeita@columbuscatholic.org](mailto:lkeita@columbuscatholic.org). God bless you with His grace and Peace!

**SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NEWS****HELPING FAMILIES STRUGGLING WITH FOOD INFLATION**

*"Let the love you have in your hearts be shown outward in your deeds."*

– St. Clare of Assisi

Food inflation is hurting the average American family. According to the U.S. Department of Agriculture, food prices increased by 9.9 percent in 2022 and 7.9 percent in 2023. These recent increases in food prices are causing great concern for the poor. Inflation increases the cost of food and worsens food scarcity, increasing the likelihood that families will remain trapped in a cycle of poverty. If a family is unable to afford food due to inflation, children experience hunger, undernourishment and even malnutrition. The Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SVDP) is helping address this problem of food inflation with the St. Lawrence Haven operation located at 244 E. Rich Street in downtown Columbus. Volunteers from parishes throughout the diocese make sandwiches and hot meals which feed 200 people each day. The food is distributed Monday through Friday afternoons at Holy Cross Church. St. Lawrence Haven was able to provide 50,000 meals and distribute more than 400,000 pounds of food to our hungry neighbors in 2023.

Members of St. Timothy Church make sandwiches for St. Lawrence Haven on the second Sunday of each month after the 9:00 a.m. Mass in the school cafeteria. Last year, St. Timothy Church delivered over 6,000 sandwiches to the St. Lawrence Haven operation. Thank you to all of our Parish members who assist each month with our sandwich making to help feed our neighbors in need.

Due to the increased demand, St. Lawrence Haven is currently struggling to keep food supplies on their shelves and needs our help. The items in short supply include granola bars and individually wrapped cookies, crackers and chips. In addition, the SVDP Free Clothing Distribution Center is in need of men's winter coats for the poor. If you would like to donate, please deliver them next to the grocery cart in the church lobby.

Throughout the Bible, God's people are reminded to care for those in need. Everyone needs food, shelter and water. Even if we don't have much, we should use what we do have to help others. Whether it is providing a sandwich at St. Lawrence Haven or a warm winter coat at the SVDP Clothing Distribution Center, small things can make a difference.



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