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SCHOOL INFORMATION

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Scheduling: To schedule Baptism, contact the Parish Office. 614-451-2671

Weddings: Contact the Pastor six months before desired date

Parish Center, Gym: Contact Dave & Mary Pat Boulware, 614-371-8410

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 4:15-4:45 p.m.
Anytime by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration
Wednesdays 9:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m.

All other meeting locations, contact the Parish Office.

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 March 12-13

Monday, March 14

9:00 a.m. Dave Parker

Tuesday, March 15

9:00 a.m. The Lalli Family

Wednesday, March 16

9:00 a.m. Keith Ernst

Thursday, March 17

9:00 a.m. Jon & Irene Altman

Friday, March 18

9:00 a.m. Bryson Michael Dodd

Saturday, March 19

5:00 p.m. Elwin Falor

Sunday, March 20

9:00 a.m. St. Timothy Parishioners

11:00 a.m. Mark Douridas

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK:

Monday, March 14

Tuesday, March 15

Bible Study in the Teachers' Lounge

Wednesday, March 16

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

6:00 p.m. Benediction

Thursday, March 17

Friday, March 18

6:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 19

Sunday, March 20

LITURGICAL MINISTERS March 19-20

Thank you for your flexibility during this time!

USHERS/GREETERS MEMBERS

5:00 p.m. Joe Basbagill, Jim Competti

9:00 a.m. Joe Reinhard, Sandy Rosetti

11:00 a.m. Mark Hauenstein, Tom Lacey

LECTORS

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

9:00 a.m. Joyce Nobile, Lou Nobile

11:00 a.m. Jim Foley

ALTAR SERVERS

No Assigned Altar Servers at this time:

Generally Adult Servers, but feel free to volunteer.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF

HOLY COMMUNION

No Assigned Extraordinary Ministers at this time.



PASTOR'S DESK:

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Now as restrictions are being lifted, it is time for me to reach out and find perspective leaders to help and assist me in managing our parish. This first appeal would be in establishing a parish Pastoral Council. This will be a grouping of committee members who will meet once a month for eight months out of the year.

If you are interested, please contact me in writing with your contact information. It will help me greatly if I already know you and you are a regular Mass participant. Our parish has recently lost one of our young mothers, May Zimmerman, who, with her husband, Mike, and three young children were very active in our parish and school. To help this family through this difficult time, we are asking for gift cards for Target, Amazon, Kroger, and DoorDash. There are two boxes to place any donated cards for help. One is in the Church vestibule and the other is in the School lobby.

Our St. Timothy community has always responded wonderfully in time of need. Thank you in advance and please pray for the Zimmerman family.

Have a Holy Lent,

Fr. David

Diocese of Columbus: <https://columbuscatholic.org/>

St. Gabriel Radio: <https://stgabrielradio.com/>

PARISH STEWARDSHIP AND OUTREACH

Last week's Stewardship Collection

in the Basket and by Mail: \$10,633.50

Thank you for your generosity!

Through Electronic Transfer:

EFT Contributions: February: \$10,775.00

WE SHARE Contributions: February: \$12,258.00

Ash Wednesday Offering: \$898.00

Don't forget that you can give online more regularly through EFT: The Parish Office will assist you to arrange for monthly stewardship. Contact the Parish Bookkeeper, Dottie Cocola, at dcocola@rrohio.com. To arrange this, you will need a voided check and the amount that you would like to have withdrawn monthly from your account. (No service fee will incur for the parish for this service.)

OR WE SHARE: <http://sttimothyoh.weshareonline.org>

(This method also allows for contributions to special collections.)

In 2021, Pope Francis announced a worldwide synod to focus on the life and mission of the Church as we move forward together. The Holy Father has asked all of us, as the People of God, to take part in the synod – to "journey together" with our brothers and sisters in Christ, all of us guided by the Holy Spirit. Our Deanery will conduct a synodal listening session at the St. Mary School Gym, 700 S. Third Street, Columbus, on Saturday, March 12, 9:00-11:00 a.m. Please join us for this important event by registering at <https://columbuscatholic.org/synod/meetings>.

LIFE IN THE PARISH

Tuesday Morning Bible Study

We have been learning in our recent studies what it takes and how to become a missionary disciple in our secular society. We are now beginning Bishop Robert Barron's video study of the Creed in order to firm up our understanding of what it is we actually profess to believe. We view approximately 25-minute segments of the films and follow with discussion. Please join us Tuesday mornings after the 9:00 a.m. Mass. We meet for an hour in the Teachers' Lounge. Because we are gathering in the part of the building shared by the school, masks are optional.

Lenten Guidelines:

Everyone 14 years of age or older is bound to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, all Fridays of Lent and Good Friday. Everyone 18 years and older and under 59 years of age is bound to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. On Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, only one full meal is allowed. Two other meals sufficient to maintain strength may be taken according to one's needs, but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted. When health or ability to work would be seriously affected, the rule does not oblige. Catholics should not excuse themselves from these prescribed minimal penitential practices.



STAY CONNECTED WITH FLOCKNOTE!

FLOCKNOTE is meant to help improve the communication of our parish by adding email and texting capabilities. It is especially a great way to stay connected with our St. Timothy family during these times. Via Flocknote, you will receive up-to-date information from Father David about parish news and upcoming events. Go to <https://sttimothychurchcolumbus.flocknote.com/> or Text-to-join via your cell phone: Send to phone #84576. Text our keyword: StTim43220. Then, follow the reply text. Thank you for helping us to keep you better informed of parish news, ministry activities and upcoming events – and any changes in scheduling!

Bereavement Information –

Stations of the Cross for Those Who Mourn

Please join us for a special Way of the Cross for the Grieving on Sunday, March 27 at 7:00 p.m. at St. Brendan Church, 4475 Dublin Road, Hilliard. This is a prayerful opportunity to connect your grief experience to those on the journey to Calvary. We will pray each station using special reflections that ponder the perspectives of Jesus, Mary, Simon, Veronica, and more. Through this experience, it is our hope that you may draw closer to Christ and let Him work to heal and transform your grief. Questions? Contact Jennifer Rice, Pastoral Associate, at 614-876-1272 or jrice@stbrendans.net.

St. Timothy Spaghetti Dinner

Sunday, March 20, 2022, from 12:00-6:30 p.m. Adults, \$12.00; Seniors, \$9.00; Children (age 4-12), \$6.00; Children 3 and under, FREE; Family Meal Deal, \$45.00.

Interested in *The Catholic Times*?

If you would like a subscription to *The Catholic Times*, please send a check for \$18.00 to the Rectory Office or sign up online at columbuscatholic.org.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd NEWS

Our program at St. Timothy needs more teachers and volunteers. If you are interested in learning more about this amazing program, please email Ellen Peppercorn at peppercorn.ellen@gmail.com.

SCHOOL NEWS

St. Timothy School Tours Available

St. Timothy School (Grades K-8) is conducting in-person tours for people interested in learning more about our school. If you are interested in learning more about St. Timothy School and would like to set up a personal tour, please contact our school principal, George Mosholder, at gmoshold@cdeeducation.org or 614-451-0739.

Our Evening with the Arts

Support our St. Timothy school kids at *Our Evening with the Arts*, Thursday, March 24th at 7:00 p.m. We will start at 7:00 p.m. with the 6th Grade production of *Beethoven's Wig*, followed by the 7th grade production of *Lights! Camera! Action!* We will conclude the evening with the 8th Grade presentation of *The Emperor's New Clothes*.

St. Timothy School Virtual Career Day

Would you be interested in being part of St. Timothy School Virtual Career Day 2022? Simply make a 5-10-minute video about your chosen profession. This can simply be shot on your phone – nothing fancy. Send the video to ljordan@cdeeducation.org by Friday, May 6, 2022.



In addition to your monthly support to help families get back on their feet, we support and provide volunteers at the St. James Pantry in the North Linden area. This month, we are again asking for donations of canned soup since the Pantry is currently unable to order this item from the Mid-Ohio Food Collective. As you come to Mass, please deliver them to the grocery cart in the church lobby.

This month, we are asking for: CANNED SOUP



Recently, SVDP received an assistance request. A domestic violence situation left a mother and her daughters homeless. SVDP helped the family with housing payment after the Section 8 voucher could not cover all the housing costs. The single mother is getting back on her feet and the daughters have been reunited with their mother after being in foster care. Throughout the Bible, God's people are reminded to care for those in need. Even if we don't have much, we should use what we do have to help others. Small things can make a difference. Thanks again for your generous gifts as you help make a real difference in the lives of the poor. We invite you to become a SVDP member. Contact Jim Competti at 614-832-5332 for more information.



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