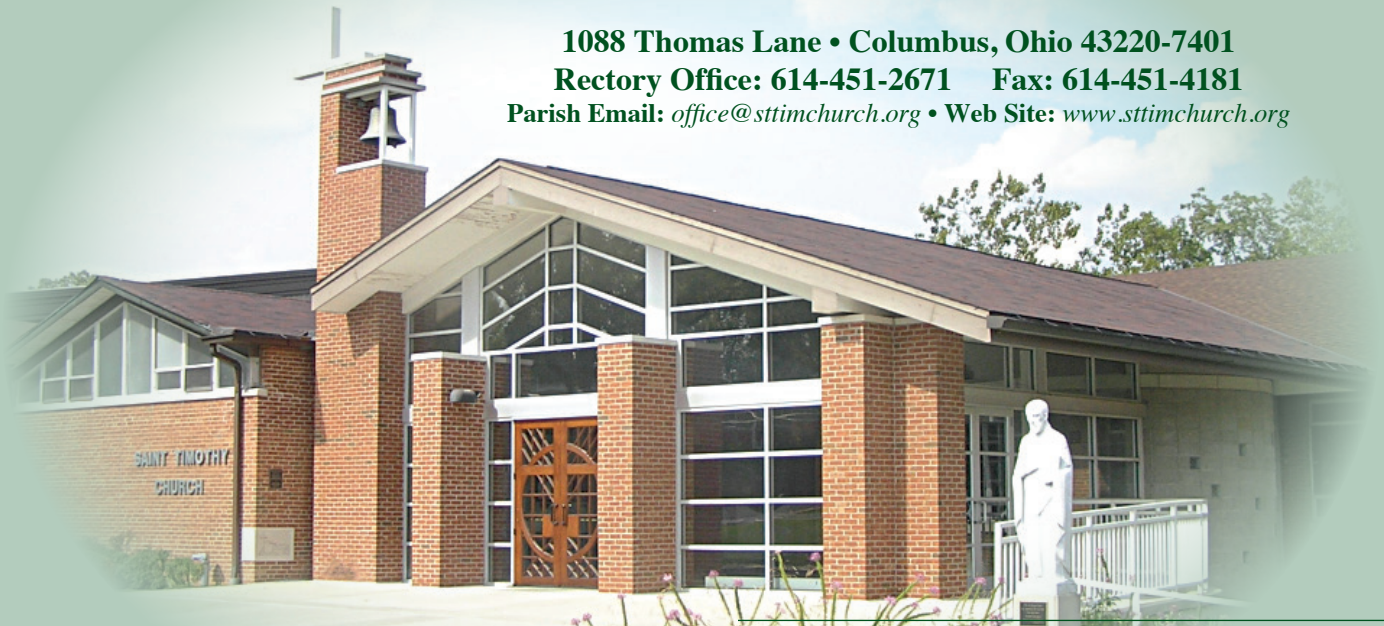


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*"To the King of Ages,  
the immortal, the invisible,  
the only God,  
be honor and glory,  
forever and ever.  
Amen."*

I Timothy 1:17

## Pastor:

Fr. David Poliafico, Pastor  
Fr. Dan Ochs, Administrator

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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

1070 Thomas Lane, Columbus, OH 43220  
614-451-0739 • Church Office email: [office@sttimchurch.org](mailto:office@sttimchurch.org)  
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## Principal:

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## Administrative Assistant:

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## Scheduling:

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

October 14-15

### Saturday, October 14

5:00 p.m. The DePeso and Tiberi Families

### Sunday, October 15

9:00 a.m. Lawrence "Pete" Green

11:00 a.m. Saint Timothy Parishioners

### Monday, October 16

9:00 a.m. The Marvin Family

### Tuesday, October 17

9:00 a.m. Joseph Kiener

### Wednesday, October 18

9:00 a.m. Steven A. Hovan

### Thursday, October 19

9:00 a.m. O'Shea and Haney Families

### Friday, October 20

9:00 a.m. Paul Kiener

### Saturday, October 21

5:00 p.m. The Lalli DiRienzo Families

### Sunday, October 22

9:00 a.m. Saint Timothy Parishioners

11:00 a.m. William H. and Patricia S. Grady

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS

October 21-22

### USHERS AND GREETERS

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

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

11:00 a.m. Matt Peppercorn, Thomas McCauley

### 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. Axel Urra, Allison Urra, Allan Urra

9:00 a.m. Grant Tobe, Dani Geer, Joey Geer

11:00 a.m. Kara Rojas, Gilbert Brionez, Jensen Elek

## STEWARDSHIP AND OUTREACH



September 3rd Offering Total: \$ 9,866.00

September 10th Offering Total: \$ 7,291.00

September 17th Offering Total: \$ 11,446.00

September 24th Offering Total: \$ 4,536.00

September Electronic Contributions: \$ 21,468.00  
(Through WeShare and EFT)

**September Total Church Contributions: \$ 54,607.00**

St. Vincent de Paul offerings for September: \$ 2,572.00



## PASTOR'S DESK

### From the Desk of Father Dan

We are happy to bring the Eucharist to people at Mass who find it difficult to go up the aisle to receive Communion. Please mention this to either the celebrant or the deacon before Mass begins. Also please know that the first pew on both sides of the church is available. We routinely distribute Communion to those seated in both front pews.

Similarly, we have low-gluten consecrated hosts in the tabernacle, and we have those hosts available in the Communion line if we know that you need one. Again, please mention this to the deacon or celebrant before Mass if you are new to the parish and we don't know of your need for a low-gluten host.

**Thanks. Have a blessed week.**

**Father Dan**

## CHURCH NEWS



### Eucharistic Adoration

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

"Christ's own joy, divine though it is, is not fulfilled until it flows into the bloodstream of our humble human existence."

~ Father Simeon - Trappist Monk



### 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 about parish news and upcoming events. Go to <https://sttimothychurchcolumbuso.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!

**Rest In Peace**

**Kevin Dodd**  
**September 27, 2023**

May perpetual light shine upon him. May his soul and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen



**AROUND THE TOWN AND BEYOND**

St. Timothy School will be hosting a Basketball Preview on Friday, November 3rd. This basketball preview will consist of the following events:



- three-on-three basketball tournament for grades 4-8 (boys and girls divisions for each grade)
- free throw competition (boys and girls divisions for each grade)
- three point competition (boys and girls divisions for each grade)

Please encourage your sons/daughters to participate if they are basketball players, because this event is a lot of fun and is a great jump start to the basketball season. This event is also a great community event that is enjoyable for all. This competition is open to the entire Diocese. To register, please contact the St. Timothy School Office at 614-451-0739.

**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 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](http://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.

**Did You Know – Childcare for Those in Need**

Most childcare centers require parents to provide a day's supply of disposable diapers. Without diapers, babies cannot be placed in childcare facilities nor participate in early childhood education programs. Without childcare, parents cannot go to work. For more information, and ways you can help, visit [www.bottomsup.life](http://www.bottomsup.life).

**ODU to Host Fall Lecture Series Event on October 26**

Ohio Dominican University's Center for Dominican Studies will host the fourth and final presentation of its fall lecture series focusing on the university's theme for the 2023-24 academic year: truths we have learned. Several ODU faculty will present "Our Perspectives on Truth" at 3:30 p.m. on Thursday, October 26. The free event is open to the public and will take place in Sansbury Hall in the Colonial Room located on ODU's campus at 1216 Sunbury Road, Columbus, 43219.



**SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NEWS**  
**Helping Prevent Utility Shutoffs**

Your donations allow members of St. Vincent de Paul (SVDP) to help our neighbors who are experiencing hardships with their unpaid utilities. Studies have suggested that utility shutoffs can be extremely disruptive to families. Loss of energy services such as lighting, heating, cooling, food preservation, and well pumps had severe negative impacts on the finances, health, and safety of vulnerable families. Members of SVDP provide assistance in our communities through our home visit program where we help families with unpaid rent and utilities. Recently, SVDP's home visit program received an assistance request from a young couple raising 3 children – ages 8, 5, and 2. The father works as a maintenance manager and the mother cares for the children in their home. After experiencing financial difficulties, the family was able to catch up on their rent, but still owed on their electric bill. Since the older child required a nebulizer breathing machine for asthma treatment, it was critical that the electric company did not shut off their power. SVDP helped pay the delinquent utility bill and prevented their electricity from being disconnected. SVDP also supplied the family with other resources to apply for additional assistance. Thank you for your generous gifts which allow us to make a real difference in the lives of the poor.

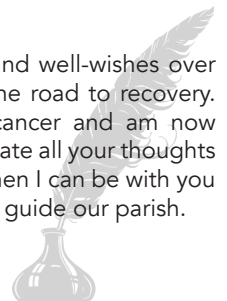
**PASTOR'S DESK**

**From the Desk of Father David**

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

I want to thank you for all of your cards and well-wishes over these past months as I am hopefully on the road to recovery. Back last spring, I was diagnosed with cancer and am now recovering from that surgery. I truly appreciate all your thoughts and prayers and look forward to the day when I can be with you again. May the Lord continue to bless and guide our parish.

**Love your Pastor,  
 Father David**





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