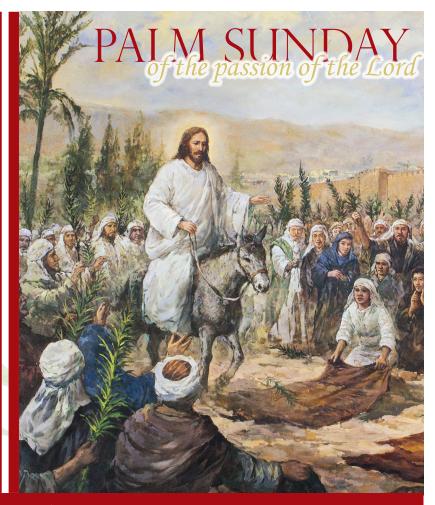
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"To the King of Ages, the immortal, the invisible, the only God, be honor and glory, forever and ever. Amen." ~ I Timothy 1:17



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

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

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

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Weddings:

Contact the Pastor six months before desired date

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All other meeting locations, contact the Parish Office.

St. Timothy Church Columbus, OH

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 23rd-March 31st

Saturday, March 23

5:00 p.m. John Francis Foley

Sunday, March 24

9:00 a.m. Stella Eischen

11:00 a.m. Saint Timothy Parishioners

Monday, March 25

9:00 a.m. Sandy Evans

Tuesday, March 26

9:00 a.m. Rosemary Bringardner

Wednesday, March 27

9:00 a.m. The Intentions of Oripa Chinomona

Thursday, March 28

7:00 p.m. Mary Anne Reinmann

Friday, March 29

2:00 p.m. Celebration of the Lord's Passion

Saturday, March 30

9:00 p.m. Saint Timothy Parishioners

Sunday, March 31

7:30 a.m. Dottie Sheppard 9:00 a.m. Timothy Riedel

11:00 a.m. John and Brenda O'Brien

LITURGICAL MINISTERS: March 30th & March 31st

Ushers and Greeters

9:00 p.m. **OPEN**

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

11:00 a.m. **OPEN**

Lectors

9:00 p.m. Kitty Quinn, Margherita Beacom,

Jack Jenny, Laurie Jenny

9:00 a.m. **OPEN**

11:00 a.m. Jim Foley, Debbie Lackey

Altar Servers

9:00 p.m. Asher Mays, Jameson Klunk,

Chialuka Nwaneri, Chijindum Nwaneri

9:00 a.m. Luke Held, Kurt Held, Grant Tobe 11:00 a.m. Samanthaa Joseph, Adlynn Joseph,

Gus Krohe

Extraordinary Ministers

9:00 p.m. Tim Kelsey 9:00 a.m. **OPEN**

11:00 a.m. Ron Benjamin, Milady Dabestani,

Bruce Lackey

Baptism Class

Our next Baptism class will be April 9th at 6:00 p.m. For more information or to sign up, please contact the Parish Office at 614-451-2671.

PASTOR'S DESK

From the Desk of Father Dan

Catholic School & EdChoice Announcement



Catholic schools are renowned for helping students grow in virtue and academic excellence ... and are now more affordable for all families!

Ohio is blessed with 301 Catholic K-8 schools and 72 Catholic high schools across the state. Locally, we have St. Timothy, Bishop Watterson, St. Charles, and St. Francis De Sales. Perhaps you have considered a Catholic education for your kids, but found it to be cost prohibitive. If so, now is the time to look again at a Catholic school!

Now, ALL Ohio students qualify for the EdChoice program. A family of four making \$140,400.00 per year or less is eligible for a full scholarship for each child in the amount of \$6,166.00 for K-8 and \$8,408.00 for grades 9-12. Families above that income level are eligible for scholarships awarded on a sliding scale based on income and household size, with no less than \$650.00 awarded per child.

Generous scholarships are also available for special needs students, as well as students with Autism.

The best way to learn more is by contacting the Catholic K-8 or high school you are interested in your kid(s) attending. They will walk you through the entire process and help determine the scholarship amount per child for your family. To learn more about EdChoice Scholarship opportunities, visit www.ohiocathconf.org/edchoice.

Special Note

We have added an additional Mass on Easter Sunday at 7:30 a.m. It will be a simple liturgy. The other Masses on Easter Sunday are at 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Have a blessed week.

Father Dan



Eucharistic Adoration

Every Wednesday from 9:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. "My God, my rock in whom I put my trust, my shield, and my refuge; You are worthy of praise."

~Psalm 18:2

Book Club

"No Regrets" by Allen Hunt and Matthew Kelly is the book for our March read. An inspirational fiction giving five keys to living and dying with no regrets, the book can be found in our public library. The next meeting will take place on April 1st in the Teachers' Lounge at 1:00 p.m. All are welcome! PALM SUNDAY MARCH 24, 2024

PAUSE FOR THOUGHT The Palms in our Hands

"Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord." ~ Mark 11:9

We may spend so much time this Sunday weaving them into decorations or waving them during Mass that we can forget the original meaning of palms.

The dictionary tells us that the palm tree gets its name from the way its open branches resemble a human hand. As we begin Holy Week, maybe we should consider not just how we use cut palms to remind us of Christ's entry into Jerusalem, but how our own palms, our hands, can carry on what Jesus began.

Have we used our palms during Lent to comfort, to console, to give? Have we folded them more often in prayer? Have we extended them to help?

Palm Sunday can be challenging for a lot of us; the Gospel is long, and the pews are often packed. But the biggest challenge may be realizing that our own palms can do so much. Have we put them to use this Lent to truly prepare our hearts for Easter?

Dc. Greg Kandra Living Faith - March 2024



LENTEN SCHEDULE

Confessions

- Monday, March 25th 6:00-7:30 p.m.

(two Confessors available)

Holy Week Schedule

- Holy Thursday 7:00 p.m. Mass of the

Lord's Supper

- Good Friday 2:00 p.m. Celebration of the

Passion of the Lord 6:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

- Holy Saturday 9:00 p.m. Easter Vigil - Easter Sunday 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

SCHOOL NEWS

Donuts and Coffee

Please join the St. Timothy 6th Graders for refreshments after the 11:00 a.m. Mass **Sunday, March 24th**. All are welcome! The 2nd Graders will be hosting the event next, on Sunday, April 14th. Coffee, donuts, orange juice and more will be provided.

AROUND THE TOWN AND BEYOND

PONTIFICAL GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION:

Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps Christians in the Holy Land. Your support helps the church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools and offer religious education. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines. The pandemic hit particularly hard the Christians in the Holy Land. Most of them depend on pilgrimages to work. In these times of crisis, the Pontifical Good Friday Collection is also necessary to meet the basic needs of the People of God still living in this Land where the Church was born. When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you become an instrument of peace and join with Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land. For more information about Christians in the Holy Land, visit www.myfranciscan. org/good-friday.

The collection for the Holy Land will be taken up on Good Friday during the $2:00\ p.m.$ Liturgy.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NEWS

Hunger Increased in US after Food Inflation

"He who is kind to the poor lends to the Lord, and he will repay him for his deed." ~Proverbs 19:17.

Local food pantries have been struggling to keep up with the significant increase in people needing food after record inflation and prices. The rising costs of food have been a significant hardship for Ohio families living paycheck-to-paycheck or trying to make ends meet on a fixed income. A recent study by the Ohio Association of Food Banks revealed that the majority of people using Ohio's food pantries are choosing between buying food and paying for essentials like utilities, housing or medicine. In the US, over 3.5 million American families went hungry after food prices spiked in 2022.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SVDP) is helping families deal with food inflation through the Food Pantry located at the St. James the Less Church at 1614 Oakland Park in North Linden. Volunteers from parishes throughout the diocese pack groceries each evening Monday through Friday. The SVDP Conference at St. Timothy contributes financial support and provides teams that volunteer at the St. James Pantry to supply groceries to over 1,000 needy clients each month.

The St. James Food Pantry is located in a food desert, or an urban area in which it is difficult to buy affordable or good quality fresh food. Many clients do not have the transportation to get to a grocery store, which is miles away. The pantry provides healthy meals for the families in this impoverished neighborhood.

Each week, the SVDP conference at St. Timothy collects your nonperishable food items for the St. James Food Pantry in the grocery cart in the church vestibule. The Pantry is currently in need of the following supplies: soup and crackers, canned meat, shampoo, body wash and lotion, diapers.

Thank you for your generous support, which allows our SVDP conference at St. Timothy to conduct numerous programs to assist the poor in our local community.



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