

2nd Sunday of Advent



Saint Timothy's Church

An Ordinariate Catholic Community

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Solemn Mass – December 7, 2014

*The order of service for the Mass is found in the Worship Manual.
The Mass setting is Missa de Sancta Maria Magdalena by Healey Willan.*

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<i>People:</i> May the Lord accept the sacrifice at thy hands, for the praise and glory	

of His name, for our good and for the good of all His holy Church.

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The People sing:



We pro - claim thy Death, O Lord, and pro - fess thy Res - ur - rec - tion,



un - til thou come__ a - gain.

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Organ Postlude Rebecca Pope

St. Timothy's is a fully Roman Catholic Congregation, and that receiving communion at this mass satisfies the obligation for all Catholics. Please refer to the "Guidelines for receiving Holy Communion" on page 35 of the mass booklet.

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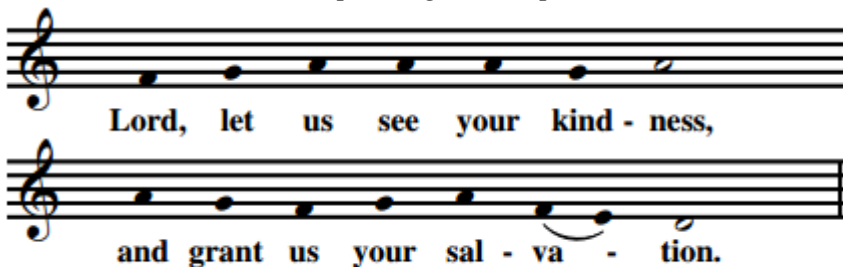
Year B

1st Reading: Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11

Comfort, comfort my people, says your God. Speak tenderly to Jerusalem, and cry to her that her warfare[b] is ended, that her iniquity is pardoned, that she has received from the Lord's hand double for all her sins. A voice cries: "In the wilderness prepare the way of the Lord, make straight in the desert a highway for our God. Every valley shall be lifted up, and every mountain and hill be made low; the uneven ground shall become level, and the rough places a plain. And the glory of the Lord shall be revealed, and all flesh shall see it together, for the mouth of the Lord has spoken." Get you up to a high mountain, O Zion, herald of good tidings; lift up your voice with strength, O Jerusalem, herald of good tidings, lift it up, fear not; say to the cities of Judah, "Behold your God!" Behold, the Lord God comes with might, and his arm rules for him; behold, his reward is with him, and his recompense before him. He will feed his flock like a shepherd, he will gather the lambs in his arms, he will carry them in his bosom, and gently lead those that are with young. *Response: Thanks be to God.*

Responsorial Psalm 85:9-14

The People sing the Responses:



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**R. Lord, let us see your kindness,
and grant us your salvation.**

I will hear what God proclaims;
the LORD--for he proclaims peace.

Near indeed is his salvation to those who fear him,
glory dwelling in our land.

**R. Lord, let us see your kindness,
and grant us your salvation.**

Kindness and truth shall meet;
justice and peace shall kiss.

Truth shall spring out of the earth,
and justice shall look down from heaven.

**R. Lord, let us see your kindness,
and grant us your salvation.**

The LORD himself will give his benefits;
our land shall yield its increase.

Justice shall walk before him,
and prepare the way of his steps.

**R. Lord, let us see your kindness,
and grant us your salvation.**

The Epistle: 2 Peter 3:8-14

But do not ignore this one fact, beloved, that with the Lord one day is as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day. The Lord is not slow about his promise as some count slowness, but is forbearing toward you, not wishing that any should perish, but that all should reach repentance. But the day of the Lord will come like a thief, and then the heavens will pass away with a loud noise, and the elements will be dissolved with fire, and the earth and the works that are upon it will be burned up. Since all these things are thus to be dissolved, what sort of persons ought you to be in lives of holiness and godliness, waiting for and hastening the coming of the day of God, because of which the heavens will be kindled and dissolved, and the elements will melt with fire! But according to his promise we wait for new heavens and a new earth in which righteousness dwells. Therefore, beloved, since you wait for these, be zealous to be found by him without spot or blemish, and at peace. *Response: Thanks be to God.*

The Gospel: Mark 1:1-8

The beginning of the gospel of Jesus Christ, the Son of God. As it is written in Isaiah the prophet, "Behold, I send my messenger before thy face, who shall prepare thy way; the voice of one crying in the wilderness: Prepare the way of the Lord, make his paths straight—" John the baptizer appeared in the wilderness, baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins. And there went out to him all the country of Judea, and all the people of Jerusalem; and they were baptized by him in the river Jordan, confessing their sins. Now John was clothed with camel's hair, and had a leather girdle around his waist, and ate locusts and wild honey. And he preached, saying, "After me comes he who is mightier than I, the thong of whose sandals I am not worthy to stoop down and untie. I have baptized you with water; but he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit."

Announcements



- ❑ Our Stewardship theme this year is "If we CHOOSE to" -- because there is nothing to stop us from achieving any of our hopes and dreams at St. Timothy's if we choose to commit our Time, Talent and Treasure towards making these dreams a reality. Pledge Cards will be available at all Masses, or one may contact the Church Office. Today we will collect our pledge cards for the upcoming year. St. Timothy's needs all our support and we will continue to move forward in faith... if we choose to.
- ❑ Next Sunday, December 14, we will have a Parish Council meeting following the 2:00 PM Mass. All Parish Council members are encouraged to attend.
- ❑ Today is the second Sunday of Advent and the season of Penitence and Perspective for Catholics before Christmas continues. Our mass setting throughout Advent is the beloved "Missa Maria Magdalena" by Healy Willan. This simple setting helps focus us during Advent. May people choose to make their confessions during Advent. Confessions are held every Saturday at 3 p.m. (before the 4:30 Vigil Mass) or please call Father Stainbrook (817) 923-1911 to schedule yours.
- ❑ The Catholic Church Women are collecting money for Christmas food for the Union Gospel Mission, as well as white socks (men's and women's) and gift bags for the often forgotten senior ladies who live at Mission. We have been supporting the Union Gospel Mission for several years and we need your support again. Please see Judy Grimada or Marshelle Langston regarding donations.
- ❑ Our Wednesday Morning Bible Study Class continues the study of the Gospel of Saint Matthew next Wednesday (following the 9:30 Ordinariate Mass in the Chapel). Matthew has been called -- "The Gospel of the Church" Why not join the class and learn more? (As an added inducement: Refreshments are served at every class!)
- ❑ ***The annual St. Timothy's Chili Cook-off is today!*** Thank you to all who have registered. We are pleased to announce that we have many teams competing. Since the cook-off falls one day after St. Nicholas day, the theme this year is 'St. Nicholas; the real Santa Claus!' As usual, there will be a prize for the best theme/decoration

chili/table as well as the first place trophy for the best chili.

Your cost will be:

Adults \$6 ~ Children 3 to 10 \$3 ~ Children 3 and under free ~ Cold drinks and bottled water 75¢ ~ Coffee/tea free.



- ❑ A new section containing answers to general questions about the Ordinariate has been added to our website at <http://www.sttimothyfortworth.org>. There is also a page describing how to make an Advent wreath and more importantly prayers for its use. Check it out!



The Advent Tradition: Advent is an ideal time to establish in our homes liturgical customs. Most popular of the Advent customs is the Advent Wreath. It is derived from an ancient European custom. For many centuries, the week before Advent Sunday was a time for the gathering of greens and the making of the Advent Wreath, a project entered into by the entire family.



Prayer List

(For Week beginning December 7, 2014)

Of your charity, pray for the Spiritual and Material needs of this Congregation, for Jeffrey, our Ordinary, for Michael, the Bishop of Fort Worth, for the Clergy in Fort Worth and in the Ordinariate, for Christopher, our Priest, and for those who are:

Serving in the Armed Forces: Nicholas, Kirk, Rob, Jamey, Marianne, Jerry Don, Rollie, Everett, Stephanie, Terry, Patrick, Kevin, Trey, Nathan, Angel, Jr., Robert, Eric, Duree, Quentin, Alec, Evan, Lane

Celebrating a Birthday: [8] Sheila Shirley [10] Debbie Blount
[13] Cynthia Harris

Celebrating an Anniversary: [None]

With Child: Jennifer Pittman Tashenberg, Camryn Johnston Robbins

III:

[Sun] Jimmie, Sue, Jim, Clarette, Dee, Jessie, Albert, Barbara, Tom, Henry, Becky, Shawn, Gayle, Kade, Valerie, Sadie

[Wed] Judy, Shar, Perc, Rebecca, Rick, Becky, Georgie, Taylor, Charles, Danni, Dorothy, Lois, Geraldine, Tony

In adversity or need of guidance: Jimmie, Chris, Michael, Mendy, Ronnie, Sue, Jim, Shawn, Gisselle, Patricia, Joshua, Kris, Kim, Rick, Letty, Jimmy, Tippi, Ann, Bentley, Clayton, Allison, Janice, Jocelyn, Cullen

Anniversary of Death: [7] Cokie Russell [10] Ruth Ward, Dorothy Colter Edwards
[11] James D. Wilson [13] Fannie E. Dickerson, Earnest E. Sparks

Thank for your contribution. Please Note: For non profit tax reasons, our church continues under the 501c3 tax I.D. of St. Mary's Church until we can complete the application process to obtain our own ID. number, and they will set up a sub account for our offerings. Therefore, if you are contributing by check, PLEASE make the check out to ST. MARY'S CHURCH and put "St. Timothy's" in the memo line of the check. Please do NOT write "St. Timothy's" on the "pay to the order of" line, as it will have to be returned to you. St. Mary's mailing address is 509 West Magnolia Ave, Fort Worth TX , 76104. Thank you, and God Bless you!