

3rd Sunday of Advent



Saint Timothy's Church

An Ordinariate Catholic Community

The Rev'd Christopher C. Stainbrook, Priest

Currently meeting at St. Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church

509 West Magnolia Ave ~ Fort Worth, Texas 76104

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Solemn Mass – December 14, 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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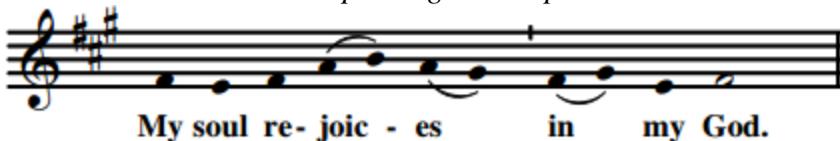
1st Reading: Isaiah 61:1-2, 10-11

The Spirit of the Lord God is upon me, because the Lord has anointed me to bring good tidings to the afflicted; he has sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives, and the opening of the prison[c] to those who are bound; to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor, and the day of vengeance of our God; to comfort all who mourn. I will greatly rejoice in the Lord, my soul shall exult in my God; for he has clothed me with the garments of salvation, he has covered me with the robe of righteousness, as a bridegroom decks himself with a garland, and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels. For as the earth brings forth its shoots, and as a garden causes what is sown in it to spring up, so the Lord God will cause righteousness and praise to spring forth before all the nations.

Response: Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm (Luke 1:46-48, 49-50, 53-54)

The People sing the Responses:



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R/ (Is 61:10b) My soul rejoices in my God.

My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord;
my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,
for he has looked upon his lowly servant.

From this day all generations will call me blessed:

R/ My soul rejoices in my God.

the Almighty has done great things for me,
and holy is his Name.

He has mercy on those who fear him
in every generation.

R/ My soul rejoices in my God.

He has filled the hungry with good things,
and the rich he has sent away empty.

He has come to the help of his servant Israel

for he has remembered his promise of mercy,
R/ My soul rejoices in my God.

The Epistle: 1 Thessalonians 5:16-24

Rejoice always, pray constantly, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you. Do not quench the Spirit, do not despise prophesying, but test everything; hold fast what is good, abstain from every form of evil. May the God of peace himself sanctify you wholly; and may your spirit and soul and body be kept sound and blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. He who calls you is faithful, and he will do it. *Response: Thanks be to God.*

The Gospel: John 1:6-8, 19-28

There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. He came for testimony, to bear witness to the light, that all might believe through him. He was not the light, but came to bear witness to the light. And this is the testimony of John, when the Jews sent priests and Levites from Jerusalem to ask him, “Who are you?” He confessed, he did not deny, but confessed, “I am not the Christ.” And they asked him, “What then? Are you Eli’jah?” He said, “I am not.” “Are you the prophet?” And he answered, “No.” They said to him then, “Who are you? Let us have an answer for those who sent us. What do you say about yourself?” He said, “I am the voice of one crying in the wilderness, ‘Make straight the way of the Lord,’ as the prophet Isaiah said.” Now they had been sent from the Pharisees. They asked him, “Then why are you baptizing, if you are neither the Christ, nor Eli’jah, nor the prophet?” John answered them, “I baptize with water; but among you stands one whom you do not know, even he who comes after me, the thong of whose sandal I am not worthy to untie.” This took place in Bethany beyond the Jordan, where John was baptizing. *Response: Praise be to Thee O Christ*



Announcements



- ❑ This year we combined Stewardship Sunday with the Chili Cook-Off. Many thanks to everyone who turned in their pledge cards. The Parish Council will meet today after Mass, and we will have a report on the Campaign after this meeting. 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. Our Treasurer has reported that there are still some families who have historically pledged to St. Timothy's, but who have not yet turned in their Pledge cards. If you missed Stewardship Sunday last week, Pledge Cards will still be available at all Masses, or one may contact the Church Office or our see treasurer, Christopher Christian after mass. If you reside outside our geographic location, or attend another church, but would like to support our apostleship as a "Friend of St. Timothy" please contact the Church Office or Chris Christian at (817) 456-278. St. Timothy's needs all our support and we will continue to move forward in faith . . . if we choose to.
- ❑ Today, we will have a Parish Council meeting following the 2:00 PM Mass. All Parish Council members are encouraged to attend.
- ❑ Many thanks to all who worked so hard to make the Chili Cook-Off last Sunday such a success! Congratulations to Marshelle Langston who won 1st prize - Emma Shirley who won the runner up prize, and Betsy Acker (with help from Erin Shirley) for winning the "Spirit of St. Timothy Prize" (best booth). Extra special thanks to our special guest St. Nicholas (aka Chad Harris) and Santa's helpers Cynthia and Elspeth Harris. And last but not least - to Judy Grimada for her outstanding efforts in coordinating the event.
- ❑ 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!



- ❑ Our Catholic Church Women are collecting money for Christmas food and personal items for the Union Gospel Mission. The following list is what Judy needs to fill out what she already has: 7 deodorants, 6 hand sanitizers, 14 small hand or body lotions, 10 toothbrushes, 11 toothpastes, misc candies, cookies in small packages, tins or mugs. Also they like the fuzzy socks. Please see Judy Grimada or Marshelle Langston for details.
- ❑ Our Christmas Eve Solemn High Mass and Procession will be celebrated at 5 p.m. at our Host Parish, St. Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church. Father Stainbrook will also celebrate the Christmas Day Mass at 11 a.m. at St. Mary's.



Silver and Golden Anniversary Celebration



On **Sunday, January 25th, 2015** at 2:00 PM the Office of Marriage and Family Life will host the **Silver and Golden Anniversary Mass Celebration** for all couples who are celebrating their 25th and 50th wedding anniversary. Also, all couples who have been married longer than 50 years are welcome. The celebration will take place at St. Patrick Cathedral, 1206 Throckmorton St. Fort Worth, TX 76102. Bishop Michael F. Olson will preside at this special mass which will include an opportunity for you to renew your marriage vows and receive an anniversary blessing. A light reception with cake and punch will follow immediately afterward in the parish's Family Life Center.

Please reserve by January 22nd

Irma Jimenez

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Please provide us with the couple names and last name, years of marriage, total amount of guests and contact information.

Prayer List

(For Week beginning December 14, 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: [14] Russell Howard, Cheryl Beard [17] Duree Purcell [18] Mike Langston

Celebrating an Anniversary: [None]

With Child: Jennifer Pittman Tashenberg, Camryn Johnston Robbins

III:

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

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

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: [15] Ina Henry [16] Hubert Trummel [18] Nadine B. Mitchell, Evelyn Luebbert, Ida M. Hillis [19] Fr. George M. Acker, Celeste Clemens, Bill Stewart.

Last Sunday's Attendance: 72 ↑ (includes 30 visitors)

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!