

The Third Sunday In Lent



Saint Timothy's Church

An Ordinariate Catholic Community

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Currently meeting at St. Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church

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Solemn Mass – March 23, 2014

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Welcome Visitor

We are glad you chose to worship with us today. We trust that your visit here was spiritually enriching and that you were warmly received. Please come again.

Weekly Mass Schedule

Sunday: Solemn High Mass 2:00 pm

Wednesday: Low Mass 9:30 am

(Bible Class Follows)

Wednesday Mass is held in St. Mary's Rectory Chapel.

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Old Testament Reading: Exodus 17:3-7

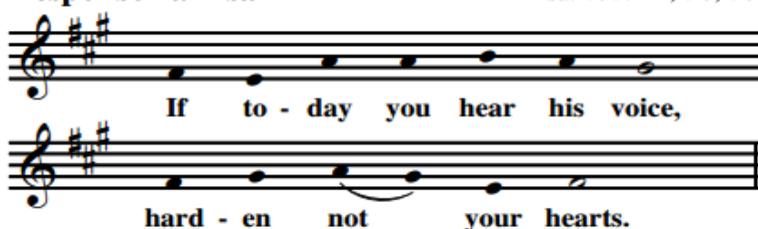
In those days, in their thirst for water, the people grumbled against Moses, saying, “Why did you ever make us leave Egypt? Was it just to have us die here of thirst with our children and our livestock?” So Moses cried out to the LORD, “What shall I do with this people? a little more and they will stone me!” The LORD answered Moses, “Go over there in front of the people, along with some of the elders of Israel, holding in your hand, as you go, the staff with which you struck the river. I will be standing there in front of you on the rock in Horeb. Strike the rock, and the water will flow from it for the people to drink.” This Moses did, in the presence of the elders of Israel. The place was called Massah and Meribah, because the Israelites quarreled there and tested the LORD, saying, “Is the LORD in our midst or not?”

Response: Thanks be to God.

The People sing the Responses:

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 95: 1-2, 6-7, 8-9



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R/ (8) If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.

Come, let us sing joyfully to the LORD;
let us acclaim the Rock of our salvation.

Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving;
let us joyfully sing psalms to him.

R/ If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.

Come, let us bow down in worship;
let us kneel before the LORD who made us.

For he is our God,
and we are the people he shepherds, the flock he guides.

R/ If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.

Oh, that today you would hear his voice:

“Harden not your hearts as at Meribah,
as in the day of Massah in the desert,

Where your fathers tempted me;
they tested me though they had seen my works.”

R/ If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.

The Epistle: Romans 5:1-2, 5-8

Brothers and sisters: Since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have gained access by faith to this grace in which we stand, and we boast in hope of the glory of God And hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us. For Christ, while we were still helpless, died at the appointed time for the ungodly. Indeed, only with difficulty does one die for a just person, though perhaps for a good person one might even find courage to die. But God proves his love for us in that while we were still sinners Christ died for us.

Response: Thanks be to God.

The Gospel: (stand) See separate insert

As a reminder, 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.

Your Parish Council:

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The Gospel: (stand) John 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42

Jesus came to a town of Samaria called Sychar, near the plot of land that Jacob had given to his son Joseph. Jacob's well was there. Jesus, tired from his journey, sat down there at the well. It was about noon. A woman of Samaria came to draw water. Jesus said to her, "Give me a drink." His disciples had gone into the town to buy food. The Samaritan woman said to him, "How can you, a Jew, ask me, a Samaritan woman, for a drink?" —For Jews use nothing in common with Samaritans.— Jesus answered and said to her, "If you knew the gift of God and who is saying to you, 'Give me a drink, 'you would have asked him and he would have given you living water.'" The woman said to him, "Sir, you do not even have a bucket and the cistern is deep; where then can you get this living water? Are you greater than our father Jacob, who gave us this cistern and drank from it himself with his children and his flocks?" Jesus answered and said to her, "Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again; but whoever drinks the water I shall give will never thirst; the water I shall give will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life." The woman said to him, "Sir, give me this water, so that I may not be thirsty or have to keep coming here to draw water. "I can see that you are a prophet. Our ancestors worshiped on this mountain; but you people say that the place to worship is in Jerusalem." Jesus said to her, "Believe me, woman, the hour is coming when you will worship the Father either on this mountain nor in Jerusalem. You people worship what you do not understand; we worship what we understand, because salvation is from the Jews. But the hour is coming, and is now here, when true worshipers will worship the Father in Spirit and truth; and indeed the Father seeks such people to worship him. God is Spirit, and those who worship him must worship in Spirit and truth." The woman said to him, "I know that the Messiah is coming, the one called the Christ; when he comes, he will tell us everything." Jesus said to her, "I am he, the one who is speaking with you." Many of the Samaritans of that town began to believe in him. When the Samaritans came to him, they invited him to stay with them; and he stayed there two days. Many more began to believe in him because of his word, and they said to the woman, "We no longer believe because of your word; for we have heard for ourselves, and we know that this is truly the savior of the world."

Response: Praise be to Thee O Christ

Announcements

- ❑ Our Friday Night Stations of the Cross Services continue this week -- St. Timothy's will be alternating with St. Mary's every other week for both Confessions and Stations. Father Stainbrook will be hearing Confessions from 5:30-6:30 p.m. and leading Stations at 7 p.m. this Friday. Father Bristow will be hearing Confessions and leading Stations April 4th.
- ❑ There will also be expanded opportunities for Confessions during Lent - Confessions will be held on Fridays at 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. (before Stations of the Cross) and on Saturdays at 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. before the 4:30 Vigil Mass (St. Mary's Novus Ordo style).
- ❑ It's hard to imagine, but Palm Sunday, Holy Week and Easter are just around the corner. We need volunteers to help organize the Palm Sunday Procession -- if interested, please contact Chris or Carol Christian.
- ❑ We also need to know if St. Timothy's would again like to provide the Easter baskets for the UG Mission this year -- if interested, please contact Judy Grimada.
- ❑ Here is a review from Carl McNiell of the new "Son of God" movie. Perhaps our Youth Group, Wednesday Morning Bible Study class, CCW, Daughters of St. Timothy, or just an impromptu collection of parishioners may wish to see this film together this Lent -- if interested, please see Father Stainbrook on Sunday
Just wanted to say that Suzanne and myself went to see Son of God today. It is very good. It ended with Peter giving out the Body and Blood of Christ.. We highly recommend this film. Carl
- ❑ We are very proud to announce that life-long parishioner Myles Langston has achieved that rank of Eagle Scout through the Boy Scouts of America. St. Timothy's parishioners are cordially invited to attend the Eagle Court of Honor where Myles will receive his award. The Court of Honor will be held on April 5th, at 11:30 AM, at the Westminster Presbyterian Church, 7001 Trail Lake Dr, Fort Worth, TX 76133. A reception will follow.
- ❑ Keeping Our Lenten Rule. We are somewhat surprised that we have, so far, received very few Lenten Rules this year. Making and Keeping a Lenten Rule has long been an important tradition at St. Timothy's (even when we were Episcopalian) Please make every effort to keep a good and Holy Lent. As our Holy Father, Pope Francis,

mentioned in his weekly address last week (and which was also stressed in the Sunday homily at St. Timothy's) the old idea of "giving up" something for Lent has a great deal to commend it. We hope to see many more Lenten Rules in the collection basket this Sunday (or in the mail or via email from our Friends who are unable to attend mass personally). Your submitted Lenten Rule is kept in confidence on the altar during the season of Lent, then burned to light the new fire on Holy Saturday. Hard copies of this rule can be obtained from the ushers at Sunday mass.

From Anglican to Catholic -- Three former Episcopalian clergy from Holy Comforter church in Cleburne now Catholic. Long time rector of Holy Comforter, Father Richard McHenry will be confirmed into the Catholic Church by the Ordinary of the Ordinariate of the Chair of St. Peter, the Rev. Msgr. Jeffrey Steenson on Sunday, March 30th. at St. John Vianney Catholic Church, Cleburne TX. Father McHenry and his two successors at Holy Comforter (Father Steven Jones and Father to be Jonathan Duncan) mark a series of three Episcopal rectors in a row from the same Episcopalian congregation who have entered the Catholic Church -- perhaps an Ordinariate record!

Monsignor Steenson is in town that weekend to assist His Excellency, The Most Reverend Michael F. Olson, the Bishop of Fort Worth, in ordaining The Rev. Deacon Jonathan Duncan, Administrator of St. John Vianney Catholic Church, Cleburne, (Ordinariate of the Chair of St. Peter), to the Sacred Priesthood of the Catholic Church on Saturday, March 29th at 2:00 pm at St. Mary the Virgin in Arlington, TX. St. Timothy's parishioners are cordially invited to the ordination. Father Stainbrook has acted as the Supply Priest for St. John Vianney for the last 8 weeks. Their former Pastor, Fr. Charles A. Hough III (a "Son of St. Timothy's") was elevated in January to the position of Vicar for Clergy for the Ordinariate in the United States.

Rest in Peace: Long-time parishioner of St. Timothy's Episcopal Church, Martha Harvill, has entered eternal life. Martha was godmother to Judy Grimada's son, Christopher. A memorial service will be held at St. Vincent's Cathedral (Bedford) at 11 AM on Saturday, April 5th.

Prayer List

(For Week beginning March 23, 2014)

Of your charity, pray for the Spiritual and Material needs of this Congregation, for Jeffrey, our Ordinary, for Michael our Bishop, 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, Richard, Stephanie, Terry, Charles, Patrick, Kevin, Trey, Nathan, Angel, Jr., Robert, Eric, Duree, Quentin, Alec

Celebrating a Birthday: [25] Sandra Hough, G.T. Purcell [28] Bryan Blount

Celebrating an Anniversary: [None]

With Child: Wendy Hankins, Jennifer Smith, Andrea Pederson, Karah Buckingham

III:

[Sun] Brian, Shar, Karen, Patrick, Billie and Jimmy, Geraldine, Marshelle, Jimmie, Jessica, Rebecca, Dewey, Judy, Perc, Janice, Dee, Beverly, Gerry, Tony Jr., Albert, Peyton, Amanda, Sherman, Alice

[Wed] Kenneth, Casey, Eileen, James, Larry, Ella, Virginia, Jennifer, Becky, Rick, Carolyn, Stephanie, Lois, Tony, Laverne, Dena, Louise, Victor, Tomi, Clarette, JoAnn, Jim, Evonne, Matt, Kellie, Wayne

In adversity or need of guidance: Shar, Vicky, Ryan, Julia, Kelly, Donna, Charles, ShaRee, Barbara, Sue, Linda, Martinez family, Amanda, Tony, Joshua, Ray

Anniversary of Death: [23] Wade H. Hancock, Jessie L. Gorell, Dave Austin [24] Rose Mary Clay Rise [28] Jerry W. Claridge

Last week's attendance: 52↑ (includes 13 visitors)

Parish Personals: Carl McNiel is in room 420 at North Hills Hospital recovering from a successful prostrate surgery. Please keep him in prayer as he recovers.

One time parishioner Kay Emery is in Mansfield Hospital, please keep her and her family in prayer.

Judy Grimada requests continued prayers for her brother Wayne (and his wife Erma) as he recuperates from his stroke. (We offer prayers for Judy too, as she has been ill and unable to attend mass for a few weeks.)