

St. Timothy Catholic Church
Our Parish • Our Future • Our Responsibility

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September 29 & 30, 2007

This Weekend is Your Last Chance

ATTEND A CAMPAIGN RECEPTION

Our Final Campaign Receptions will be held this weekend, **September 29 and 30, 2007**. Even if you did not return your RSVP card, you are more than welcome to attend. *Parish families, who attend a campaign reception and respond by submitting their pledge card before "Commitment Weekend," October 6 and 7, will not be contacted by a volunteer.* By responding, you will reduce the work of our volunteers.

PARISHWIDE RECEPTIONS TO BE HELD ON:

Saturday, September 29, 2007, following 5:00 P.M. Mass in the Multipurpose Room
Sunday, September 30, 2007, following the 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon Masses
in the Multipurpose Room

The Campaign Committee would like to thank all of the parishioners who have already attended a reception. Please remember that the basis for our campaign is "equal sacrifice, not equal giving." If you have not done so already, please return your pledge response this week in the envelope provided with your informational packet. You are welcome to drop it into the collection basket during Mass or place it in the mail. Your timely response back to the Parish Office is greatly appreciated. †

COMMON PLEDGE PRACTICES

We need to raise as much as possible toward our \$1.5 million goal. Everyone in the parish is being asked to make a financial sacrifice in support of this campaign. There are several opportunities to consider when making your pledge; Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT), the transfer of securities, and IRA rollovers.

Some parishioners have expressed that they would like to make a pledge to the campaign but would prefer to donate stock. If you own securities – either stocks or mutual funds – it can be particularly advantageous to contribute appreciated securities. If you choose to contribute in this manner, you will receive a dual tax: first, you will avoid the capital gains taxes which would be due if the stock were sold; and, second, you will receive a charitable deduction equal to the fair market value of the securities *at the time of the gift*, as opposed to the purchase.

Please note: *Individual circumstances alter specific cases, and you should seek professional advice based upon current tax laws. Be sure to consult your financial advisor for answers to specific questions related to your financial situation.* †

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



Parents, attendance is very important. Please make sure that your children attend each and every class. Also, please ask your children about what they are learning and make sure that they do all of their assignments each week. In addition, please personally bring your children to their classrooms on time and personally pick up your children from their classrooms on time. For the safety of all of the PSR students, all PSR students need to be dropped off and picked up by a parent or legal guardian at their classroom door.

PRAYER AND SPIRITUAL LIFE

Bible Study Group

Meets in the Multi-purpose Room at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesdays.



Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesdays, from 9:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. We are asking you to sign in when you come for Eucharistic adoration and sign out when you leave. The sheets are on the table in the vestibule.



Divine Mercy Chaplet

Please join us for Divine Mercy Chaplet after the 9:00 a.m. Mass every Tuesday.



CRISIS PREGNANCY Hotline

24-hour hotline (614) 444-4411.

Notices for the bulletin can be e-mailed to sttimothy@rrohio.com. Tuesday is the deadline for bulletin announcements for the following Sunday's bulletin.

AROUND THE TOWN

Fabulous 50s Bash: Grand Class Reunion

Alumni of ALL Catholic High Schools, including St. Charles, Aquinas, St. Mary of the Springs, St. Joseph Academy, Rosary, Holy Family, St. Mary South, Wattersson.

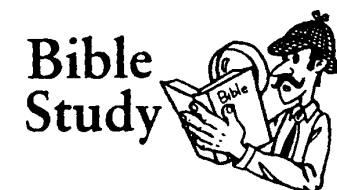
Friday, October 12th, 7:00 p.m., at Valley Dale. Music by John Sproat and the Majestics with Jimmy Harris. Great food, cash bar, shared memories and great times. Cost: \$40.00 per person.

Send payment to: 5-Class All-Catholic High School Reunion, Marilyn Kiep, 1044 Brook Drive, Columbus, OH 43235.

For more information, call Butch DeMatteis (565-5516).



This weekend, all "active" Catholic households should have received a special issue of the newly formatted Catholic Times Diocesan newspaper. Also, as an "insert" to that paper, is a "special" subscription envelope. If you like what you see and you want to try the Catholic Times for the next six months, simply put \$5.00 into that subscription envelope, fill it out and either drop it into the collection basket at Mass this Sunday or next or drop it into the mail before October 1st. If you want to write a check, and you want to drop it into the collection, make your check payable to the parish; if you are going to mail a check, make it payable to Catholic Times. We hope you enjoy all the improvements to "your" Diocesan newspaper.



Bible Study – "The Gospel of Matthew"

St. Timothy Parishioners are welcome to participate in a weekly Bible Study Program offered at Immaculate Conception Church, 414 E North Broadway, every Wednesday evening starting October 10th and continuing for 24 weeks. Two sessions are available: 10:00-11:30 a.m. or 7:00-8:30 p.m. The cost is \$25.00 for material. Call Msgr. Tony Missimi (267-9241) for information.

ST. TIMOTHY CHURCH • COLUMBUS, OH

September 30, 2007

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, October 1

9:00 a.m. Mary Loretta Zuber

Tuesday, October 2

9:00 a.m. Patty Leffler

Wednesday, October 3

9:00 a.m. Christina Rogers

Thursday, October 4

9:00 a.m. Bob Connery

Friday, October 5

9:00 a.m. Rocco Salimbene

Saturday, October 6

5:00 p.m. Marthey and Kinney Families

Sunday, October 7

8:00 a.m. Robert Miller

10:00 a.m. St. Timothy Parishioners

USHERS FOR OCTOBER

5:00 p.m.	Joe Basbagill and Bob Gardner
8:00 a.m.	Pat Sergio and Tim Bechtold
10:00 a.m.	Bill Steller, Paul Crum and John O'Brien
12:00 p.m.	John Cline, Joe Brembeck and Frank Iezzi

LECTORS FOR OCTOBER

5:00 p.m.	Walt Swider	Gail Wenger
8:00 a.m.	Lou Nobile	Joyce Nobile
10:00 a.m.	Jim Foley	Debbie Lackey
12:00 p.m.	Linda Gelhaus	Anne DeVoe

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR THE WEEKEND OF OCTOBER 7

MASS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	ALTAR SERVERS
5:00 p.m. Saturday	Bill & Elaine James, Virginia Leidheiser	Lindsey Rankin, Mary Brahos, Christina Brahos
8:00 a.m. Sunday	Bob Dorinsky, Kitty Quinn, Joe Briski	Haley Jeffers, Lauren Plumley
10:00 a.m. Sunday	Dawn Ellis, Lou Fabro, Diane Hobson, Pam Grady, Norm Altman	Kate Lampe, Tim Silleck, Matt Grady
12:00 p.m. Sunday	Mike & Dolores McGroarty, Bill Hartnett	Joe Neary, Matt Neary, Emily Cloud

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

Monday, October 1 St. Vincent de Paul Meeting – MPR Men's Club Meeting – Cafeteria	7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday, October 2 Youth Group Meeting – MPR Campaign Visitor Volunteer Meeting – Cafeteria	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, October 3 Folk Group Rehearsal – Music Room Adult Choir Rehearsal – Music Room	6:45 p.m. 7:30 p.m.
Thursday, October 4 RCIA – MPR	7:00 p.m.
Sunday, October 7 Youth Group Meeting – MPR Ladies Prayer Group – MPR	1:00 p.m. 7:00-8:30 p.m.

The collection for last week was \$8,440.00.

St. Vincent de Paul members will be at the doors of the church this weekend to accept your donations.

VOLUNTEERS FOR OCTOBER

Altar Care	Brenda O'Brien and Margie Brembeck
Linens	Mary Fabro
Collection Counters	Bob Dorinsky and Mary Jo Leonard

From the Pastor's Desk

As of Wednesday afternoon, when the bulletin goes to press, the Parish Capital Campaign had received pledges from 93 parishioners who pledged a total of \$515,570.00. That is 34% of our goal. These parishioners made up-front cash gifts to the campaign of \$194,615.00, nearly 13% of our goal. Thank you very much to everyone who has already made a pledge! This weekend, everyone who could not attend one of the campaign receptions will have the opportunity to pick up his/her campaign materials after Mass. Please prayerfully review those materials and consider what kind of pledge your family can afford to make to this important endeavor. I heartily thank everyone for their generosity and open-mindedness!

Youth Ministry Happenings from Chris Valentine:
youthstim@rrohio.com

Adult Volunteers Needed:

Are you looking for new ways to help out with the parish? Like working with young people? Then consider helping out with the Youth Ministry Program. Any help will be greatly appreciated. Contact Chris in the Parish Office for more information and any questions that you might have.

Attention, High School Youth:

There will be a gathering on Tuesday, October 2nd, at 7:00 p.m., in the Multi-purpose Room to plan for the High School Youth Ministry kickoff set for Sunday, October 7th. If you can come, please contact Chris at 451-2671 or at youthstim@rrohio.com.

Save the Date:

The High School Ministry KICKOFF will take place on Sunday, October 7th, after the 12:00 noon Mass in the MPR. Food and beverages will be available. Come to this informal gathering as we begin an exciting year of youth ministry at St. Timothy. Contact Chris for more information.

Vintage Club –

Which Includes all Seniors in the Parish:

Come enjoy the fall foliage and commune with nature at Dawes Arboretum, 1,700 acres of plant collections, gardens and natural areas in Newark, Ohio. A four-mile trip with a guide will allow us to explore the Arboretum's natural beauty. Our bus will leave St. Timothy promptly at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, October 25th, with a stop for lunch at CLARK'S DINING ROOM and return at 4:00 p.m. Cost of transportation and guide is \$22.00, with lunch on your own. Reserve a place on the bus for this delightful autumn trip by calling Connie Barr (457-5767) or Jan Della Flora (457-4981).

The 2008 Entertainment Books are Now Available in the church lobby where grocery certificates are sold. They are only \$20.00! Ask friends and relatives if they need one or give them as a gift! Out of town books are also available. Contact Kathy Theado (451-4581) with questions.

Men's Club will meet Monday, October 1st, at **Digger and Fitch**, 6720 Riverside Drive, at 7:00 p.m. Hors d'oeuvres and beverages will be served and you will be able to hit range balls.

SCHOOL NEWS

We are looking for a few good Mentors! The seventh graders have begun working on their Science Fair projects and some of them have asked for help from a mentor, if we can find one for them. Some categories of their Science Fair projects include memory, magnets, batteries, plants, food and molds, to name a few. If you think you can find an hour every other week for the next three months to work with a student, please let me know as soon as possible. Mentoring can be done during the school day or before or after school. You must have gone through the Protecting God's Children program and have been fingerprinted. My e-mail address is sgardine@cducation.org.

Thank you!
Sue Gardiner

The School now has an AED (Automatic External Defibrillator). It is located in the school outside the Gym doors.

CAFETERIA WORKERS

Mon., 10/1	Melillo, Romaker, Staley
Tues., 10/2	Lutter, Meeks, Stock, Colasurd
Wed., 10/3	Cattell, Cooper, Freeman, Thomas
Thurs., 10/4	Feige, Moran, Reinmann
Fri., 10/5	Brembeck, Bras, Lind

****MEN'S CLUB PIZZA AND SUB SALE****

Just in Time for the OSU vs. Penn State Game!! Pick up orders Saturday, October 27th, 12:00 noon to 3:00 p.m. or after the 5:00 p.m. Mass. You can put your order form in the collection basket or turn it in to any St. Timothy student. We sold out last year, so please get your order in and plan on stocking up!

We are always looking for a few good men to help assemble the pizza and help fill orders Friday evening, October 26th, 7:00-11:00 and Saturday morning, October 27th, 8:00 a.m.-12:00 noon. If you can help either day, please call Al Ortiz at 595-6633.