

**ST. TIMOTHY CHURCH
COLUMBUS, OH**

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**March 15, 2009
Third Sunday
of Lent**

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VOLUNTEERS FOR MARCH

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LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR MARCH 21/22

MASS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	MASS SERVERS
5:00 p.m. Saturday	Mary Ballantyne, Joni Teetor, Mary K. Rainey	Nate Cattell, Garrett Lind, Christina Brahos
8:00 a.m. Sunday	Lou Fabro, Ken & Kathy Lutter	Emily Prebhalo, Remy Powell, Spencer Powell
10:00 a.m. Sunday	Phil & Donna Diaz, Paul Boulware, Dave & Mary Pat Boulware	Charles Cooper, Katie Mullen, Thomas Cooper, Olivia Ward
12:00 p.m. Sunday	Frank Furno, Claire Meeks, Ron Benjamin	Emily Cloud, Joseph Montgomery, Madison Kerscher, Megan Davidson

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, March 16
9:00 a.m. Hugo Cabrera

Tuesday, March 17
9:00 a.m. Catherine Blackburn

Wednesday, March 18
Fasting Intention: *Growth in a spirit of prayer among Christians; that they would know its power.*
9:00 a.m. Jack Gorman

Thursday, March 19
9:00 a.m. Mildred Cabrera

Friday, March 20
9:00 a.m. Ralph Sanese
7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 21
5:00 p.m. Schwartz and Winkel Families

Sunday, March 22
8:00 a.m. Joe Baudo
10:00 a.m. Joseph Morrone
12:00 p.m. St. Timothy Parishioners

Schedule For The Week of March 16

Monday, March 16 Jazz Fest Meeting	TL	7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, March 17 Bible Study Respect Life Meeting Rosary Making	MPR TL MPR	9:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, March 18 Folk Group Rehearsal Adult Choir Bible Study Parish Penance Service	Church Church MPR Church	6:45 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Thursday, March 19 RCIA Ladies Euchre	MPR Cafeteria	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Friday, March 20 Stations of the Cross	Church	7:00 p.m.

**AROUND THE TOWN
AND BEYOND**

The Christ Child Society of Columbus welcomes all women to a morning of reflection on April 18. "Extreme Makeover: Seeing Yourself through the Eyes of Jesus Christ" will be presented by Catholic author and radio host Teresa Tomeo, who will share how the media and media influence have impacted her own life and offer tools to make over our own media habits and impact the culture in positive ways.

April 18, St. Patrick Church, 280 N. Grant Avenue, 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. \$20.00 per registrant, check made payable to "Christ Child Society." Reservations must be received before April 8. Send to: Sue Kelly, 2575 Brandon Road, Columbus, OH 43221, or R. H. Mitsch, 2238 Northam Road, Columbus, OH 43221. Questions? E-mail suekel@gmail.com or mitsch.2@osu.edu.

ARE YOU A VETERAN?

Columbus Post 1936 is a service organization dedicated to Catholic veterans. We are looking for new members to help our organization. For more information, please call John Francis (614-395-8529) or Ted Mosure (614-560-9158).

Alumni Association sponsoring Father/Son Mass and Breakfast March 28; Don Kelley, '47, to be guest speaker.

The St. Charles Father/Son Mass and Breakfast is on Saturday, March 28. This "third annual" fraternal gathering will begin at 9:00 a.m. with Mass celebrated by Father Michael Lumpe, '78, in *Mother of Mercy Chapel* – followed by a COMPLIMENTARY buffet breakfast (prepared by Mass Appeal Dining Services) in the *Robert C. Walter Student Commons*.

We are very proud to announce that 1947 alumnus Don Kelley will serve as our special guest speaker for the event.

The breakfast is FREE, but you are still asked to reserve your spot with St. Charles alumni director Louis J. Fabro, '83, in the Development and Alumni Office to ensure we have plenty of food on hand for everyone. He can be reached by phone at 614-252-9288, ext. 21, or by e-mail at lfabro@stcharlesprep.org.

What a great way for alumni fathers, uncles, and grandfathers to celebrate their St. Charles experience and introduce young sons and grandsons to the school!

We also welcome incoming 8th graders and their fathers as well as current students and their fathers to attend!

St. Charles Track and Field is sponsoring a MULCH SALE again this year. Athletic programs are self-supporting at St. Charles, so we must raise funds for our teams through contributions and fund raisers. Our most important track and field fund raiser is the MULCH SALE and we are asking that **if you buy mulch, please consider buying from us.** We are offering both hardwood and cypress mulch at \$5.00 (3 cu. ft. bag). We will deliver it to your home and place it in specific designated spots in your yard (up to four spots). Delivery is \$10.00 and is scheduled for April 25, 2009. If you prefer, you may pick up your order in the parking lot at St. Charles on the same day of delivery at no charge. To place an order, either mail the form below with payment to: St. Charles Preparatory High School; Attention: Track and Field, 2010 E. Broad Street, Columbus, OH 43209, OR give the information and payment to winter track participants (and St. Tim Alums!) Stevyn Spees, Michael Cianafiona or Jon Ruppensburg. We ask that your order be placed no later than **April 11th.**

The St. Charles Track Team is one of the more competitive teams in the state. We consistently are at the top of the Central Catholic League (CCL) and are already working hard preparing for the 2009 track season. Your support of our athletes would be much appreciated.

If you know anyone else who buys mulch, please pass along this form. If you don't need mulch but wish to support our team with a donation, we would greatly appreciate the help. For more information, contact the Spees family at 459-7946 or cbSpees@columbus.rr.com.

Order form: St. Charles Track and Field Mulch
(Make checks payable to St. Charles).

Mulch type:

___ Hardwood (dark brown) at \$5.00 each (3 cu. ft.) \$ _____

___ Cypress (rust brown) at \$5.00 each (3 cu. ft.) \$ _____

Sub total \$ _____

___ \$10.00 Delivery charge per location \$ _____

OR

___ I will pick up my mulch order

Total Due \$ _____

Name (print) _____

Telephone number(s) _____

Delivery address _____

Your E-mail _____

Who sold you this mulch? STEVYN SPEES – MICHAEL CIANAFLONA – JON RUPPENBURG

Closest major intersection and any special instructions for delivery: _____



A Word from Your Pastor

Lent is moving right along. This week, the Third Sunday of Lent, highlights the theme of thirst. Year A Readings, which are used at the Mass with the RCIA First Scrutiny, fix our attention on the encounter between Jesus and the Samaritan Woman at the Well. The readings of Year B at the other Masses speak of the Ten Commandments, God's Wisdom and Zeal for God's House. The central idea is the need to be in touch with the longings of our hearts that point us beyond anything this world has to offer. Written into our very sense of lack, desire and dissatisfaction is the hint that suggests we are incomplete without God. What is needed is a sincere request for Living Water.

Our parish church has a reminder of this truth in our Baptismal Font. It is once again functioning as it should, flowing freely, just like the grace of Baptism which is at work in our lives. When we choose to cooperate with that grace, great things are possible.

This Sunday, the Knights of Columbus are hosting fellowship over coffee and donuts to help build up our parish community. We welcome guests and friends of parishioners to get to know us and to consider becoming active members of the family. Let us all seek the Living Water that Christ will offer us if we but ask Him for a drink. *Lord, give us this water always!*

Fasting Intention for Wednesday, March 18: Growth in a spirit of prayer among Christians; that they would know its power.

Thanks are due to Parish Council Maintenance Chairs Laurie Jenny and Tom Rankin, who have been working diligently to attend to various needs in the parish and school facilities. All who are assisting them and offering suggestions and expertise are also in our debt of gratitude. Our community is the richer (or at least not the poorer!) for your generosity.

Silent Auction Fund Raiser
Jazz Night at St. Timothy Parish Center
Friday, April 24th, 6:30 p.m.-11:00 p.m.
Music by: Park Avenue Jazz Ensemble
Featuring Dr. Larry Griffin
\$35.00/person
\$280.00/table of 8
Tickets presale only, available after all Masses
Contact 614-538-9091 or
E-mail: timothyfundraiser@yahoo.com.

Parish Pictorial Directory
For the last two weekends, the photo sign-ups for the directory have been extremely well received. The first week of photography sessions (March 24-March 28) have been almost completely signed up with only a few slots remaining.

A second week of photos is scheduled for Tuesday-Saturday, March 31-April 4. The photography times are the same as the first week, namely 2:30-9:00 p.m., Tuesday through Friday, and 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., Saturday. The sign-up sheets will be available the next two weekends at all Masses. We encourage you to sign up as quickly as possible. Those of you who had to check your schedule at home before signing up, please do so and call me to sign up, so you don't forget again. We would like to have as many of the parish members in the directory as possible.

We are aiming to have the printed directory in your hands by early June. In order to meet that deadline, we need to finish the major photography sessions by mid-April. Thank you for your participation and cooperation.



The St. Timothy Maintenance Committee sends out a "THANK YOU" to Phil Hall and Jim Flanagan for replacing the baptismal pump. Also, Jim, thank you for fashioning a new latch and repairing the wooden gate that conceals our trash dumpster and George Cleary for cleaning out gutters.

On behalf of the Men's Club and Women's Club, we would like to extend a hearty thank you to all who helped make the 2009 Spaghetti Dinner a rousing success. In addition to mountains of pasta, over 5,000 meatballs were made! This event is so successful due to the volunteer efforts of our parishioners. If you didn't get the opportunity to help out this year, we'd love to add you to our crew next year.

SCHOOL NEWS

Wendy's Night

The 8th grade class is hosting a St. Timothy Spirit Night at Wendy's on the corner of Bethel Road and Olentangy River Road on Wednesday, March 25th, from 5:00-8:00 p.m. Twenty percent of all proceeds will be donated to St. Timothy's 8th grade class trip to Washington, DC. No coupons are necessary and people do NOT need to inform Wendy's that they are from St. Timothy. Please come and support our 8th graders as they raise money for their class trip.

Attention, All Parishioners and School Parents: Everyone is invited to this year's "Evening with the Arts" Program.

What: 2009 Art Show, 8th grade performance of "The Emperor's New Clothes," 6th and 7th grade performance of "American Music," 8th grade Silent Art Auction, 4th grade Raffle of Boxes and various other art items to be auctioned off as well. Yes, all in one EXCITING, FUN Night!

When: Tuesday, March 31st. Doors open for the Art Show, Silent Auction and Raffle at 6:30 p.m., the performance by the 6th and 7th grade will begin promptly at 7:00 p.m., followed by a 20-minute intermission (at the end of intermission the Silent Auction and Raffle will end) and the 8th grade performance will begin after the intermission. (Please note, if you win any auction or raffle item, you can pay for them AFTER the performance of the 8th grade play.)

Where: The performances will be held in the Gymnasium, the Art Auction and Raffle will be held in the Cafeteria, and Art Work of each student at St. Timothy will be shown in the lower hallway of the school.

One final important note: We are asking any family who attends to please donate a dessert (cakes, pies, cookies, fruit, cheese/crackers, etc.) to share with everyone. Please send in your dessert items the day of the event with your student and take it to the cafeteria. Refreshments will be provided by the Home and School Association and the ever popular Coffee Bar will be provided by Angie Freeman again this year!

CAFETERIA WORKERS	
Monday, March 16	Auber, Carmody, Diaz, D. Francescon
Tuesday, March 17	Frissora, Green, Marchese, O'Reilly
Wednesday, March 18	Catanzarite Dippolito, Fulop
Thursday, March 19	Belcher, McGinn, Passino
Friday, March 20	NO School



PRAYER AND SPIRITUALITY

Divine Mercy Chaplet

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

Eternal Father, we offer You the sacred Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your dearly beloved Son, our Lord, Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and the sins of the whole world.

For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

Jesus, I trust in You.



Prayer Line – Call Lea Guarasci (451-1281) or Kitty Hoessly (451-2146).

Bible Study

Tuesday mornings at 9:30 a.m. in the Multipurpose Room.



Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesdays, from 9:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. When school is cancelled, formal Adoration (with Exposition following the Wednesday Morning Mass) will not take place in light of the difficulty to ensure that the Eucharistic Lord is never left alone in the church. On these occasions, the church will be left open for private adoration of the Lord in the tabernacle.



Respect Life meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 17th, at 7:00 p.m., in the Teachers' Lounge.

Birthright Crisis Hotline: Call 1-800-550-4900.