

**ST. TIMOTHY CHURCH
COLUMBUS, OH**

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**April 26, 2009
Third Sunday of Easter**

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VOLUNTEERS FOR MAY

Linens	Ann Standley
Collection Counters	Tom Davidson and Eileen Bertolini
Altar Care	Fran Doyle and Jeannine Davis

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR MAY 2/3

MASS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	MASS SERVERS
5:00 p.m. Saturday	Tim & Audrey Kelsey, Colin Kelsey	Christina Brahos, Nate Cattell, Joseph Montgomery
8:00 a.m. Sunday	Jack & Laurie Jenny, Ken Lutter	Jordan Krumpelman, Ian Ballantyne
10:00 a.m. Sunday	John Rinto, Dawn Ellis, Brad Spees, Jim & Gina Connor	Charles Cooper, Kalin Benjamin, Tom Cooper
12:00 p.m. Sunday	Rick & Colleen Ziemba, George Cleary	Tom Geraghty, Matt Mockensturm, Connor Geraghty

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, April 27
9:00 a.m. Dan Grant

Tuesday, April 28
9:00 a.m. Jackie Ebinger

Wednesday, April 29
9:00 a.m. Mary Brahos

Thursday, April 30
9:00 a.m. Irene Fox

Friday, May 1
9:00 a.m. Robert and Mary Oess

Saturday, May 2
5:00 p.m. Mildred Cabrera

Sunday, May 3
8:00 a.m. St. Timothy Parishioners
10:00 a.m. Theresa Frabott
12:00 p.m. George and Donna Hesser

Schedule for the Week of April 27

Tuesday, April 28 Bible Study	MPR	9:30 a.m.
Wednesday, April 29 Folk Group Rehearsal Adult Choir Rehearsal	Church Church	6:45 p.m. 7:30 p.m.
Thursday, April 30 RCIA Parish Council Meeting Church Ushers' Meeting	MPR TL Library	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
Sunday, May 3 Festival Meeting	Library	1:00 p.m.

LECTORS FOR MAY

5:00 p.m.	Angela Parker and Norm Altman
8:00 a.m.	Kitty Quinn and Joe Briski
10:00 a.m.	Jim Connors and Vince Fabro
12:00 p.m.	Ed Geraghty and Jan Della Flora



The Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary is prayed daily before the 9:00 a.m. weekday Mass.



Divine Mercy Chaplet, Tuesdays after Mass.



Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesdays from 9:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m., come and spend some time in the Presence of our Eucharistic Lord. He hears your cry and has something to tell you if you are ready to give Him the time.

AROUND THE TOWN

Offices at St. Joseph, Resurrection and Holy Cross cemeteries will be open on Sundays, May 3, 10 and 17, from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Family Service Advisors will be available to assist families with preneed arrangements and answer questions.

SENIOR CITIZENS

Because of Bishop Campbell's recent surgery, the SENIOR CITIZENS' DAY CELEBRATION IS RESCHEDULED FOR AUGUST 18TH. It will take place at St. Brigid of Kildare Church, 7179 Avery Road, Dublin. Mass will begin at 10:30 a.m., followed by a luncheon. Registration for lunch is \$15.00. To register, contact the diocesan Office for Social Concerns (241-2540).

St. Andrew seniors invite St. Timothy seniors to join them on trips to Hartville Flea Market (Mennonite Amish) on June 5, \$55.00; Cincinnati Reds at Cleveland Indians on June 28, \$75.00; Amish Country on September 3, \$63.00; and October 11-16 Branson, Missouri, \$799.00 double occupancy. For questions or reservations, call Kathy Barger at St. Andrew (459-1402).



Immaculate Conception Home and School Annual Garage Sale, Saturday, May 2nd, from 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. We need your stuff: your old, your new, your used. We sell "Soup to Nuts." But please, no mattresses, no big furniture, no big appliances, trash, junk or broken stuff. Drop off donations at I.C. Gym on Friday, May 1st, 1:00-8:00 p.m. Call Pete McCann (262-0505) for info.



Cinco de Mayo Event

St. Stephen the Martyr Parish in Columbus invites you to a *Fiesta Cinco de Mayo* to raise money to bring the Missionary Servants of the Word Sisters from Mexico to evangelize in the West Side of Columbus. The event will be on Tuesday, May 5th, 6:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., at Our Lady of Victory Parish Hall and will feature cocktails, authentic Mexican food, live music and a silent auction. The cover charge for the event is \$75.00. For more information, contact Laura Kreber (lauragch@hotmail.com).

Position Open: Facility Manager

Saint Brigid of Kildare Parish, Dublin, OH, is seeking a professional, detail-oriented individual to manage our parish buildings and grounds. The successful candidate will be responsible for all aspects of facilities management of the Parish campus, including janitorial, maintenance, purchasing and staff management. Three to five years of facility management experience is desired. This is a permanent full-time position and includes the Diocesan Benefits Package. Please send résumé by May 11th to Joe Burger at St. Brigid Parish, 7179 Avery Road, Dublin, OH 43017.

On Tuesday, May 5, 2009, Tom Monaghan, Founder of Domino's Pizza and former owner of the Detroit Tigers, will give an update on the extraordinary progress of Ave Maria University, his vision for this new University located in southwest Florida, and how educating our youth for success will have a positive impact on the future of our Church and society. Please join us for a delicious dinner and presentation at the Josephinum Seminary (Jessing Conference Center) at 7625 North High Street, located at Route 23 and I-270, just north of Worthington. \$30.00 for dinner and presentation. RSVP to Joe by Friday, May 1, at 614-761-3432. Hope to see you there.



A WORD FROM YOUR PASTOR

Blessings on our First Communion Class. What a year this has been for them! At the end of February, they received First Reconciliation along with the third and fourth graders, freeing their hearts for the Lord. They witnessed the Baptism of one of their classmates at a school Mass and welcomed another who was baptized this year as well. They served as an Honor Guard for the Blessed Sacrament for the Eucharistic Procession of Holy Thursday. This past week, they had their potluck and practice and received rosaries as a gift from the Knights of Columbus in a special ceremony that evening. And this weekend, they received their First Holy Communion in a beautiful Mass celebrated Saturday afternoon. Congratulations to you all and to your families! May you always stay close to Jesus Who has shown His Love for you in so many ways. And may your parents and families continue to serve as examples of Faith in the years ahead so that you may always stay close to His Church.

As May arrives, we also enter into the season of B.A.A. 2009. I encourage you to support the Bishop's Annual Appeal that begins next weekend, May 2 and 3. The Bishop's Annual Appeal is a source of hope and inspiration for many in our midst. Our parish family has been asked to raise \$59,965.41. In order to reach our goal, I am asking each household to consider a gift of at least \$300.00 or to consider giving at the Miter Club level of \$1,000.00 or more. As you prayerfully reflect upon a gift in proportion to your financial blessings, please know that the Bishop and I are grateful to you for your sacrifice, regardless of the amount. As a parish, we rely on each and every family to join together to help us do our part for "God and neighbor." If you are unable to give the first weekend, please make your pledge the following weekend, May 9 and 10. Thank you and God bless you.

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY – GROUP PICTURE TAKING

We need some current group pictures of the many groups we have at the church for the directory. Some are being taken this weekend and some are planned for next weekend. The following groups are scheduled after the 12:00 p.m. Mass this Sunday, the 26th. Please be at the church by 1:00 p.m.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

LECTORS

ALTAR CARE

RESURRECTION CHOIR

The group coordinator might call you about this, if not, please consider this as your invitation. We like to have as many as possible. The picture session will only be 10-20 minutes.

Red Mass for Members of the Law Professions

The Thomas More Society of Columbus will sponsor the annual Red Mass on May 5, 5:15 p.m., at St. Joseph Cathedral, Vicar General Msgr. Stephan Moloney presiding; Chancellor Fr. Shawn Corcoran homilist. Deacon Marion Smithberger will serve as Deacon of the Word and Deacons Tom Berg, Jr. and John Crerand will serve as Deacons of the Altar. There will be a reception in the undercroft after the Mass. All are welcome to attend.

The Red Mass was initiated in Columbus by Bishop Griffin in 1985. It is like any Roman Catholic Mass but focuses its prayers and blessings on the leadership roles of judges and other public officials. Prayers ask all those present to be open to Divine strength, wisdom, truth and justice.

The Red Mass got its name from the red vestments worn by royal judges participating in the Pope's tribunal. Today, the red vestments symbolize the Holy Spirit in the Roman Catholic ritual. The first Red Mass was believed to be held around 1200. As of 1310, the Mass had become an annual tradition in England to commemorate the beginning of each new court term. The tradition was adopted in the United States in 1928 in New York and celebrated intermittently. Since 1953, Red Masses have been held annually in Washington, DC, coinciding with the uniting of Catholic and Protestant theologians and leaders in religious tolerance and in opposition to Communism. In Washington, DC, the Red Mass is held in the Cathedral of St. Matthew the Apostle and marks the beginning of the Supreme Court's term. Today, the Red Mass is celebrated annually in more than half of the 50 states.



STEWARDSHIP AND GENEROSITY

Last week's regular collection was \$8,367.00. Your response to God's call to generosity is appreciated!



Knights of Columbus Raffle

St. Timothy Knights of Columbus Council 14345 is selling its 2009 Super Cash Bonanza Charity Raffle tickets after all Masses this weekend. The proceeds of ticket sales are used to support Knights of Columbus charities within the Parish and throughout the state. Men interested in joining the fraternal order for their spiritual and personal growth are invited to call the Grand Knight, Bill Reinmann, at 459-8727.

2009 FESTIVAL NEWS!

Preparations are being made for the St. Timothy Festival on the Green, to take place:

Friday, July 10, 6:00 p.m.-12:00 midnight and

Saturday, July 11, 5:00 p.m.-12:00 midnight

Festival Organizational Meeting

Your help and ideas are important! Please share at the Festival meeting:

When: Sunday, May 3, 1:00 p.m.

Where: St. Timothy School Library

Current captains are requested to attend. All parishioners are welcome!

Captains Needed!

We are in desperate need of filling some captain positions. All that's needed is a few hours of your time and your enthusiasm. Training will be provided.

Cake Walk

Bingo

Dunk Tank

You're sure to meet some new friends and have fun! Please contact Janis Browning at jbrownin5@aol.com or call 457-8426.

Second Hand Rose/St. Timothy Garage Sale

Your trash is someone else's treasure! When you clean your closets and garages this spring, please save your saleable items for the Second Hand Rose Booth. Your donated goods profited St. Tim's over \$2,000.00 last year!

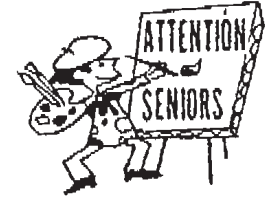
Sponsors Wanted:

We are seeking individuals or businesses who might be interested in sponsoring a booth or portion of the Festival to help us cut our expenses and increase our chance for success and profit. Please contact Janis Browning at 457-8426 (home) or jbrownin.5@aol.com for more information.

SCHOOL NEWS

All school volunteers are invited to a Volunteer Brunch on Wednesday, May 6th, after the 9:00 a.m. Mass.

CAFETERIA WORKERS	
Monday, April 27	T. Davidson, Kellogg, Limes
Tuesday, April 28	Brahos, Koerner, Lorenz
Wednesday, April 29	Keller, L. O'Brien, Payton
Thursday, April 30	Cattabiani, Emswiler, Montgomery
Friday, May 1	Dall, Petman, Steigelman, Frank



Attention: All SENIORS and FRIENDS of St. Timothy School! Save the date May 20, 2009, for a salute to America! Join the Kindergarten and fifth grade in song and poems. Performance will be in the gym at 2:00 p.m. We would love to have you join us!

St. Timothy School Advisory Board is taking nominations for board positions. Four positions will be open for the 2009-2010 school year. The positions are two-year terms. The School Advisory Board is comprised of 11 voting members who are parents of students currently attending St. Timothy School. Current employees of the parish are ineligible to serve. One board member will be appointed by the pastor and the principal. This will be a two-year term. The current president of the Home and School Association is also appointed for a one-year term. Potential nominees should contact Bill Miller at miller@wellington.org. Send a brief biography and an attached photo.

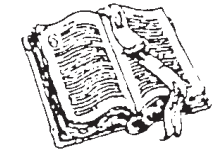
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

First Communion Banners

Banners were due April 20th to teacher or catechist.

PRAYER AND SPIRITUALITY

Please remember in your prayers MARGARET HIXSON and GENE DENNEHY, who died this past week. May they rest in peace.



Bible Study

Sunday evenings at 7:00 p.m. in the Multipurpose Room, the Women's Bible Study GIFT meets, Growing in Faith Together.

Tuesday mornings at 9:30 a.m. in the Multipurpose Room, we're journeying through the Letters of St. Paul with the aid of a text by Sr. Carolyn Thomas, SCN.

Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m., the Great Adventure Bible Study continues on its path through the Biblical Narrative with Jeff Cavins' video program.

Watch for news of other amazing opportunities being planned for your biblical understanding.