

# ST. TIMOTHY CHURCH

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**MARCH 21, 2010**  
**FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT**

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## MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday, March 22**  
9:00 a.m. John Mains

**Tuesday, March 23**  
9:00 a.m. Robert Daines

**Wednesday, March 24**  
9:00 a.m. Rose Holt

**Thursday, March 25**  
9:00 a.m. Ann Mosey

**Friday, March 26**  
9:00 a.m. Steve Sova  
7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

**Saturday, March 27**  
5:00 p.m. Schwartz and Winkel Families

**Sunday, March 28**  
8:00 a.m. Bruce Jones  
10:00 a.m. Gloria Biscuso  
12:00 p.m. St. Timothy Parishioners

## VOLUNTEERS FOR MARCH

Collection Counters	Sue Bauerle and Robin Altman
Altar Care	Fran Doyle and Jeannine
Altar Linens	Lucy Hickey

## LECTORS FOR APRIL

5:00 p.m.	Ken Guillooy and Kathleen Dunn
8:00 a.m.	Carl Connor and Andrea Marchese
10:00 a.m.	Mike Schnitkey and Dawn Ellis
12:00 p.m.	George Cleary and John Wanchick

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR MARCH 27/28

MASS	Extraordinary Ministers	Mass Servers
<b>5:00 p.m.</b>	Tim & Audrey Kelsey, Mary K Rainey	Connor Geraghty, Jordan Krumpelman, Tom Geraghty, Colleen Rankin
<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	Jeff & Candace Stiegelman	Steven Stiegelman, Joe Jeffrey, Emily Prebhalo, Maria Connor
<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	Bill James, John Rinto, Brad Spees, Bryce Spees, Stevyn Spees	Bailey Spees, Kate Miller, Brian Davidson, Lindsey Meredith
<b>12:00 p.m.</b>	Rick & Colleen Ziemba, Ron Benjamin	Jessica Passwater, Katlyn Lynch, Christina Brahos

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

**Attention, Business Owners:** Advertising space is available in the St. Timothy Annual Silent/Live Auction “Unforgettable Evening” Program. Space is available for a business card size to full-page ad. For details, contact Melanie Payton at [payton.place@sbglobal.net](mailto:payton.place@sbglobal.net).



**Giant Eagle Gift Card Sales:** The Parish Office is looking for a few people who would be willing to help sell the gift cards after the 5:00 p.m. Mass, beginning Saturday, April 10th. It is very simple, not much work required – plus you get to interact with other parishioners. If you are willing to help, contact Chris Valentine in the Parish Office or [youthsttim@rrohio.com](mailto:youthsttim@rrohio.com).

## School News



St. Timothy School is planning a Career Day for the 5th-8th grade students on Friday, April 23rd from 12:00-2:20 p.m. We would like to invite members of the St. Timothy community to help make this event a success. If you are currently employed or retired and would be willing to share your career with our students, we would greatly appreciate it. For more information, please stop in the School Office or you can contact the school at 457-0362 or [ljordan@cducation.org](mailto:ljordan@cducation.org).

## CAFETERIA WORKERS

Mon., March 22	T. Davidson, Limes, L. O'Brien
Tues., March 23	Lehr, Passwater
Wed., March 24	Chappelear, Dall, Lacey, Rogers
Thur., March 25	Bigler, Powell, Spees, Vanausdle
Fri., March 26	S. Anderson, Lind, Silleck, Smith



**What:** 2010 Art Show, 8th Grade Performance of “Pinocchio,” 6th and 7th Grade Performances of “American/Patriotic Music,” 8th Grade Silent Art Auction, 4th Grade Raffle of bowls and other various art items will be auctioned off as well. Yes, all in one EXCITING, FUN NIGHT! It’s been a long winter, get out and have some fun on this night!

**When:** Tuesday, March 23rd. 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 held 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! If any questions, please contact Ann Carroll, Art Teacher, or Kristen Babjak, Music Teacher.

## Prayer and Spiritual

Remember in your prayers, Joe DeVictor and Maxine Lozier, who died. Our sympathy to their families and may they rest in peace.

**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. 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.

**GIFT:** Sunday night Bible Study at 7:00 p.m. in the MPR. Please contact Kate Connors (850-1454 or [kconnors713@aol.com](mailto:kconnors713@aol.com)) for information.

*A Word from Your Pastor*



Dear Parishioners:

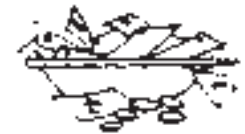
As you can imagine, this has been a very difficult week in the life of our Parish. We have experienced together one of the most intense pastoral moments in the life of any family. Every death affects all of us, but some deaths hit so close to home that no one is left out. We continue to offer our condolences to the family of Bart “Joe” DeVictor, whom we buried this past Wednesday. I have to say, that I am so proud of our Parish and School community for the way everyone pulled together. Students of St. Timothy, St. Charles, Watterson, and other schools were there to support their classmates and friends. Police and Sheriff Departments, and many others among the first responders came to offer tribute to one of their own. It was impressive to be part of a funeral procession with more than 40 police cars with flashing lights all the way to the cemetery. But what was most inspiring was the way all the Parish ministries pulled together to create an experience of welcome. It has been truly a gift to be a part of it and it represents what is best in St. Timothy Parish.

In year’s past, I used to plan out my Lent, with the choice of sacrifices to make and prayers to pray. In recent years, however, I find that I don’t have to make plans. God always brings about the kind of Lent that stretches me beyond where I was. I don’t ask what it will be, I just take one day, one week at a time, and it happens. The anointings, deaths and funerals I have been part of this Lent have been privileged moments of grace. As “my people,” you get to go along for the ride. I am grateful that you are proving yourselves to be so willing to join the journey. May we continue gracefully to the end, with Easter and Resurrection!



**SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK**

<b>Monday, March 22</b> CIBL Meeting Premier Evening Meeting	MPR TL	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
<b>Tuesday, March 23</b> Bible Study Finance Meeting Evening with the Arts	MPR Rectory Cafeteria and Gym	9:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.
<b>Wednesday, March 24</b> Folk Group Rehearsal Adult Choir Rehearsal EPIC	Church MPR	6:45 p.m. 7:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
<b>Thursday, March 25</b> RCIA Parish Council Meeting	MPR TL	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
<b>Friday, March 26</b> Stations of the Cross	Church	7:00 p.m.
<b>Sunday, March 28</b> Blue and Gold Banquet	Cafeteria	4:00 p.m.



*Parish Stewardship*

Last week’s collection was \$9,399.00.  
Thank you for your generosity.

**“An Unforgettable Evening”**

**PREMIER EVENT –  
April 17th**

- Tickets on sale for \$45.00 each or \$360.00 per table of eight.
- If you have an item you would like to donate to the Silent Auction portion of the evening, please contact Melanie Payton ([payton.place@sbcglobal.net](mailto:payton.place@sbcglobal.net) or 273-1463).
- Donations of purses and ties are needed for the “grab a bag and tie one on” section of the Silent Auction
- Questions? Contact Melanie Payton.



**Notes on Lent: The Via Matris**

136. As Christ and Our Lady of Sorrows were associated in God’s saving plan (Lk 2:34-35), so, too, they are associated in the Liturgy and popular piety.

As Christ was the “man of sorrows” (Is 53:3) through whom it pleased God to have “reconciled all things through him and for him, everything in heaven and everything on earth, when he made peace by his death on the cross” (Col 1:20), so, too, Mary is “the woman of sorrows” whom God associated with his Son as mother and participant in his Passion (*socia passionis*).

Since the childhood of Christ, the Blessed Virgin Mary’s life was entirely lived out under the sign of the sword (cf, Lk 2:35). Christian piety has signaled out seven particular incidents of sorrow in her life, known as the “seven sorrows” of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Modeled on the *Via Crucis*, the pious exercise of the *Via Matris dolorosae*, or simply the *Via Matris*, developed and was subsequently approved by the Apostolic See (140). This pious exercise already existed in embryonic form since the sixteenth century, while its present form dates from the nineteenth century. Its fundamental intuition is a reflection on the life of Our Lady from the prophecy of Simeon (cf. Lk 2:34-35), to the death and burial of her Son, in terms of a journey in faith and sorrow: this journey is articulated in seven “stations” corresponding to the “seven dolors” of the Mother of Our Savior.



137. This pious exercise harmonizes well with certain themes that are proper to the Lenten season. Since the sorrows of Our Lady are caused by the rejection of her Son (cf. John 1:11; Lk 2:1-7; 2:34-35; 4:28-29; Mt 26:47-56; Acts 12:1-

5), the *Via Matris* constantly and necessarily refers to the mystery of Christ as the suffering servant (cf. Is 52:13-53, 12). It also refers to the mystery of the Church: the stations of the *Via Matris* are stages on the journey of faith and sorrow on which the Virgin Mary has preceded the Church, and in which the Church journeys until the end of time.

The highest expression of the *Via Matris* is the *Pietà* which has been an inexhaustible source of inspiration for Christian art since the middle ages.



**Things You Can Say and Do To Make Abortion Unwanted Today and Unthinkable for Future Generations**

Make a point of telling all the young people in your life there is nothing they could ever do to make you stop loving them, just as God loves us despite our faults and sins. They never need fear to tell you anything.

– from Heartbeats International web site <http://www.heartbeatinternational.org/10things/>

**Youth Ministry News**



**Sunday Movie Fest:** Sunday, March 21, from 1:30-3:00 p.m. in the School Cafeteria. Come as we Feast on some good food and on great conversation. Come, bring a friend as we watch and discuss a movie.

**Diocesan Walking Stations of the Cross:** will take place on Good Friday, April 2: All High School youth and their families are invited to come to this powerful event beginning at 8:00 a.m. at St. Joseph Cathedral with a prayer service led by Bishop Campbell followed by a 4-mile walk around downtown Columbus as we reflect on the suffering, death and resurrection of our Lord. It ends approximately between 11:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon – plenty of time to get back to St. Tim for the Celebration of the Lord’s Passion at 1:00 p.m. **For those interested in going we will meet at the church at 7:30 a.m.** Any minor not accompanied by an adult will need to get permission form through Chris Valentine.



St. Vincent de Paul is helping a father with four daughters who needs two bunk beds, a washer and electric dryer and a small (42”) kitchen table. Please contact Andy Andracki at 614-451-6306 or [zjand@juno.com](mailto:zjand@juno.com).



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**USCCB NATIONWIDE BULLETIN INSERT/ACTION ALERT**

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**Stop Abortion Funding in Health Care Reform!**

**Protect Conscience**

**Ensure Affordable Health Coverage**

**Allow Immigrants to Purchase Private Health Insurance**

As long-time advocates of [health care reform](#), the U.S. Catholic bishops continue to make the moral case that genuine health care reform must protect the life, dignity, consciences and health of all, especially the poor and vulnerable. Health care reform should provide access to affordable and quality health care for all, and not advance a pro-abortion agenda in our country. Genuine health care reform is being blocked by those who insist on reversing widely supported policies against federal funding of abortion and plans which include abortion, not by those working simply to preserve these longstanding protections.

- On November 7, the U.S. House of Representatives passed major health care reform that reaffirms the essential, longstanding and widely supported policy against using federal funds for elective abortions and includes positive measures on affordability and immigrants.
- On December 24, the U.S. Senate rejected this policy and passed health care reform that [requires federal funds](#) to help subsidize and promote health plans that cover elective abortions. All purchasers of such plans will be required to pay for other people’s abortions through a separate payment solely to pay for abortion. And the affordability credits for very low income families purchasing private plans in a Health Insurance Exchange are inadequate and would leave families financially vulnerable.
- Outside the abortion context, neither bill has adequate conscience protection for health care providers, plans or employers.
- Congressional leaders are now trying to figure out how the rules of the House and Senate could allow the final passage of a modified bill that would satisfy disagreements between House and Senate versions.

**ACTION:** Contact your Representative and Senators today by e-mail, phone or FAX.

- To send a pre-written, instant e-mail to Congress go to [www.usccb.org/action](http://www.usccb.org/action).
- Call the U.S. Capitol switchboard at: 202-224-3121, or call your Members’ local offices. Contact info can be found on Members’ web sites at [www.house.gov](http://www.house.gov) & [www.senate.gov](http://www.senate.gov).

**MESSAGE – HOUSE:**

“I am pleased that the House health care bill maintains the longstanding policy against federal funding of abortion. On the other hand, the provisions on abortion funding in the current un-amended Senate health care bill are seriously deficient and unacceptable. I urge you to work to uphold essential provisions against abortion funding, to include full conscience protection and to ensure that health care is accessible and affordable for all. I urge you to oppose any bill unless and until these criteria are met.”

**MESSAGE – SENATE:**

“I am deeply disappointed that the current un-amended Senate health care bill fails to maintain the longstanding policy against federal funding of abortion and does not include adequate protection for conscience. I urge you to support essential provisions against abortion funding, similar to those in the House bill. Include full conscience protection and ensure that health care is accessible and affordable for all. I urge you to oppose any bill unless and until these criteria are met.”

**WHEN:** Votes in the House and Senate are expected at any time. **Act today!**

**Thank You!**