

The Roman Catholic  
**Parish of St. Timothy**

Archdiocese of St. Boniface

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**Sunday Mass Schedule:**

**Saturday 4 pm, Sunday 9 am & 11 am**

**Weekday Mass Schedule:**

**Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday - 9:30 am**

**Office Hours: 9 am - 5 pm (closed noon - 1 pm)**

**October 11, 2020**

**28th Sunday  
in Ordinary Time**

St. Timothy is a contemporary Roman Catholic parish called to "fan into flame the gifts God has given us" (2 Tim 1.6-7) so together ALL encounter and share the Living Christ.



**Upcoming Sunday Readings:**

**Oct. 11** Is 25.6-10, Ps 23, Phil 4.12-14; 19-20; Matt 22.1-14

**Oct. 18:** Is 45.1,4-6; Ps 96; 1 Thes 1.1-5; Matt 22.15-21

**Baptisms:** Please call the parish office three months in advance.

**Weddings:** Please call the parish office one year in advance.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession):** After weekday morning mass or please contact Fr. Brian at 204-257-3723 or Fr.Brian@st-timothy.ca for an appointment.

**Bulletin:** Please submit church related announcements to Grace in the office (bulletin@st-timothy.ca) by Tuesday morning.

**Our vision is to be a life-giving community committed to welcome, to worship, to grow, and to serve.**



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## Mass Intentions for October 10 - 18, 2020

Sat., Oct. 10	4:00 pm	Special Intention from Darry & Joe O'Neil
Sun., Oct. 11	9:00 am	Special Intention from Nicole Nicholson
	11:00 am	† Paul Novog from Odette Novog
Tues., Oct. 13	9:30 am	Needs and intentions of all parishioners
Wed., Oct. 14	9:30 am	Special Intention from Joan & John O'Neil
Thurs., Oct. 15	9:30 am	† David Garroni from Diane Garroni
Sat., Oct. 17	4:00 pm	† Fred Loveday from Betty Loveday
Sun., Oct. 18	9:00 am	† Adam West from Daniela Loredana
	11:00 am	Needs and intentions of all parishioners



### Coming Up at a glance

#### Monday Evenings

"Fan into Flame"  
Prayer Group  
7:00 pm - on-line

#### Tuesday, October 13

Liturgy meeting  
6:30 pm - Library

#### Wednesday, October 14

Finance meeting  
6:30 pm - Library

#### Thursday, October 15

Parish Pastoral Council  
(PPC) - Library

REJOICE ALWAYS, PRAY CONTINUALLY,

*Give thanks in all circumstances*

1 Thessalonians 5.16-18

## Attendance at Mass & NEW MASK Protocols as of September 28

### Arriving for Mass Reminders

**Recent changes to Provincial covid protocols do not affect the number of people allowed at Mass.** We still are able to accommodate **85-90 participants**, providing physical distancing and sanitizing measures are followed.

Registration not required, however we are getting closer to our maximum allowed numbers, so arrive early to be sure of a seat at mass.

**Masks are now mandatory at Mass.**

Entrance to the church is through the north doors only (closest to the parish office). Doors open 30 minutes before mass.

**Please arrive at least 15 minutes before mass** as there may be slight delays entering the church due to the brief screening process and the need to sign the contact tracing forms.

**Screening: You will need to confirm that neither you nor anyone in your household is exhibiting cold or flu-like symptoms, nor recently travelled to restricted areas, nor been in contact with someone who has tested positive for the corona virus.**

The doors must be locked after we reach our maximum allowable numbers or by the time mass begins.

**Congregational singing is discouraged.**

**Masks are mandatory.**

**Smiling under masks is noticeable and encouraged.** 😊

### If You Cannot Attend Mass

**If you cannot attend mass, you can now watch and participate in mass - live! The 4 pm mass is now live streamed AND recorded, so you may watch it live at 4 pm on facebook or later at your convenience.** The video of the recorded mass will be available to view starting Saturday evening on YouTube. Go to [st-timothy.ca](https://www.youtube.com/st-timothy.ca) for the viewing link or search for us on Facebook. The link will be "live" about 5 minutes before mass begins.

**Dispensation from Sunday Obligation:** while we continue to move toward a total opening, the dispensation from the Sunday obligation to physically attend Mass is granted to the faithful until the end of the pandemic (cf. Code of Canon Law, 87).

## *A Message from Fr. Brian*

### **Thanksgiving**

The civic holiday of Thanksgiving this year will certainly feel a little different this year than previous years. Traditional times of family gathering now must consider the current circumstances of the pandemic and its impact on social gatherings. Certainly, I hope everyone will be able to adapt to these circumstances and be safe while still recognizing how vital these moments can be in helping us remember what our priorities in life are. At the very least, this holiday can and should remind us that there are plenty of things to be thankful for in our lives.

The greatness of creation is shown in the splendour of food, animals, plants, and especially in the gift of our own humanity. This pandemic is a good but painful reminder that all these good things are finite, and will experience the effects of a fallen world, even as good as all these things are. They are gifts for us to rejoice in and remind us that there is some good Giver, One who is not subject to corruption or limits. In recognition for all the gifts and blessings in our lives we can come to recognize that the greatest source of all these things is ultimately God, whose very nature is to give for the benefit of others.

May every day be an occasion for us to be thankful to God for all that we experience. When we praise the Giver of all gifts we become less attached to the gifts that pass away and more drawn to the Triune God, the source of all gifts that eternally endure.

*“It is truly right and just, our duty and our salvation, always and everywhere to give you thanks, Lord, holy Father, almighty and eternal God. For, although you have no need of our praise, yet our thanksgiving is itself your gift, since our praises add nothing to your greatness but profit us for salvation, through Christ our Lord...” - Eucharistic Prayer, Common Preface IV*



This week, Archbishop LeGatt is launching the 2020 Good Shepherd Campaign, *United Now More Than Ever in Christ*, in support of the formation of our seminarians and to help counter the enormous impact of the pandemic on the Archdiocese and its parishes.

We will be sharing information and testimonies with you over the next few weeks through our parish bulletin and website; this information will also be shared on the Archdiocesan website and Facebook page. You will notice that in an effort to adapt to the new reality of the COVID-19 pandemic, and to help reduce costs, this year's campaign will take place primarily online.

This week, we invite you to read the *Meet Our Seminarians* banner which introduces our seminarians and includes a word from our Archdiocesan Director of Vocations to the Priesthood, Fr. Joshua Gundrum, on what it means to discern a call to the priesthood. The banner is included with bulletins that are emailed, or you'll find it on the archdiocesan website [archsaintboniface.ca](http://archsaintboniface.ca). You'll also find the video featuring our most recently ordained priests, Frs. Brian Trueman and Jean-Baptiste Nguyen, and newly ordained Deacon Christian Mutombo. (or click [here](#) to watch Fr. Brian's video!)

**Please note that the Good Shepherd Campaign special collection will be held on the weekend of October 31 and November 1.**

*We invite you to pray for our seminarians as they continue to discern God's will in their lives and journey toward the priesthood.*

## GREETINGS from SSVP!

Things are changing on a daily basis due to Covid and its challenges. The Poor, however, continue to have the same challenges with hunger, health and homelessness. Thanks to your generosity, SSVP continues to reach out and do the best we can to help them.

**We have decided to start with our Christmas Hamper Campaign** as we need to do things a little differently this year.

**Beginning this weekend, as you exit the church you will see a table with 5 different food tag options: PANCAKE MIX, PANCAKE SYRUP, PEANUT BUTTER, JAM & CEREAL.**

We ask that you either pick one or two or more food tags (as a reminder to purchase them) or if you don't need the reminder tags, just bring those food items back by the following weekend and deposit all in the SSVP food crate. You may drop off those food items during office hours too!

Every week we hope to request other non-perishable food selections, specifically for the Christmas Hampers.

When shopping for hampers, please concentrate on the food items requested via the bulletin for the Christmas Hampers. Our storage space is limited so we'd like to stick with these specific food requests. We are hoping that this new strategy will help us reach our goal to build 30 hampers for Christmas this year!

If you have any questions, please call Nannette at 204-995-3813. Thank you!



## Catechism & Sacramental Preparation 2020/2021

It is not too late to REGISTER for FAMILY catechism and sacramental preparation – all done at home through our

**NEW CATECHISM WEBSITE!**

[st-timothycatechism.ca](http://st-timothycatechism.ca)

Check it out! You can view the sample lesson. Once you are registered, you may have access to all the engaging material - online!



**Families growing & sharing faith together!**



Religious Education at the Parish of St. Timothy

Catechism

Sacramental Preparation

Feast of the Week

Log In

### Welcome to our virtual classroom!

A place for families to:

- grow closer to God and the Church
- learn about our Catholic faith
- prepare to receive the sacraments

**This website is also a great way for grandparents to share faith experiences with their grandchildren.**

**Contact Michelle Coyne for more information or to REGISTER today!**

[michelle@st-timothy.ca](mailto:michelle@st-timothy.ca) or 204-949-3764.

## Weekly offering to our Parish - 2020

Collection Date	Envelopes	Loose Cash	TOTAL
September 27	\$2,493.00 (42 env)	\$34.25	\$2,527.25
October 4	3,024.00 (60 env)	\$10.00	\$3,034.00

- Donations made to the church by Direct Debit for September was \$18,700.00 - 212 direct debit users!

*Thank you for your continued support to your parish.*

## CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

October 11, 2020 - 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"My God will supply whatever you need..." - Phil 4:19

God really does provide for those who are grateful and generous. This is very difficult for people that don't live a stewardship lifestyle to believe. People are skeptical and say it's just coincidence. If you are skeptical, try living a stewardship lifestyle for just one month – be generous with your gifts of time in prayer, talent in charitable works and treasure and see how God provides for your needs.

From the "Companions in Grief" Team

### MOVING FORWARD with *Grief*

#### Grief & Thanksgiving

Being thankful as we live our Grief journey, is sometimes very difficult. As life goes on around us we may wonder if we will be truly happy again. Remember your life has purpose & meaning even without the presence of the person who died. Thank God for the people and things that make your life worth living.

*from "Understanding your Grief", Dr. Alan Wolfelt*

See the latest **Bishop Velychkovsky Martyr's Shrine newsletter** for September at <https://bvmartyrshrine.com/>. There is an online live-streaming weekly devotional services honouring Blessed Vasy! every Wednesday at 7 pm CST on [our YouTube channel](#). Please, also note that our Shrine is open to the public as noted at the last page of our newsletter.

**Bus Driver for CTK School:** Christ the King School invites applications for the position of Bus Driver, to start as soon as possible. Closes October 16, 2020 Contact the school for details.

## WEEKLY MARRIAGE TIP

Where's your phone? Probably handy, right? Grab it now. Yes. Right now. Send your spouse a text saying "thank you" for something they've done today that you forgot to say "thank you" for.

## Requests for Newcomers

### Looking for:

Vacuum cleaners  
area rugs  
table and chairs for a family of 8  
**Winter parkas, ski pants and boots are needed for the children**



If you have any used but still good items to donate, please call Theresa Prystupa at 204-256-9608. *Warm thanks!*



The poster features the Knights of Columbus logo at the top, which includes a shield with a cross and the letters 'K of C'. Below the logo, the text reads 'Knights of Columbus St. Timothy Council 10247'. The main title 'WINE & DINE RAFFLE' is written in large, bold, red letters. Below the title is an illustration of several wine glasses filled with red and white wine, along with a cheese platter and some grapes. At the bottom, it says 'Draw Date: Friday November 27, 2020', '2520 Tickets Printed', and 'LGCA 3081-RF-34800'.

## Knights of Columbus **RAFFLE**

If you haven't bought your K of C WINE & DINE raffle tickets yet, see the Knights outside before or after mass.....let's not leave them out in the cold....get your tickets soon! Great prizes! Tickets are 3 for \$10.

You can call Lou or call/text Ray, Denis or Brian at the numbers below to make arrangements to purchase tickets, too, via e-transfer:

Ray 204-797-2948/Denis 204-793-9815  
Brian 204-791-7138/ Lou 204-253-5533

On a beautiful, sunny October 4th, in honour of St. Francis of Assisi, Fr. Brian blessed our fur-family at our annual PET BLESSING!  
Go to our facebook page for all the PICS and all the FUN!

