

The Roman Catholic
Parish of St. Timothy

Archdiocese of St. Boniface
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Sunday Mass Times:
Saturday at 4:00 pm, Sunday at 9:00 am & 11:00 am

Weekday Mass Times: Tues/Wed/Thurs at 9:15 am
Office Hours: Tues/Wed/Thurs 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

April 21, 2019
Easter Sunday
of the Resurrection
of the Lord

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.

Christ has Risen! Alleluia!

An Easter Grace

*Loving God, you who create all things
and generously give us all we need,
we praise you and thank you for being present with us now
as we celebrate the resurrection of Jesus Christ, your Son.*

*Thank you for accompanying us on our Lenten journey;
please be with us during this Easter season, and always,
as we strive to live as disciples of your Son.*

*May the breaking of bread, today and every day,
remind us of the bread of Life, Jesus Christ,
who died to atone for our sins
and rose again so that we, too, may rise
and live in your presence forever.*

*O God, bless this food and we who share it,
and be with those who cannot share it with us.
We ask this in the name of the same Jesus Christ,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, forever and ever.*

Amen.

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

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Liturgical Celebrations for April 20 - 28, 2019

Sat. April 20	9:00 pm	Needs and intentions of all parishioners
Sun. April 21	9:00 am	† Lionel LaFleche from Yvette LaFleche
	11:00 am	† Susan Horodyska from her family
Tues, April 23	9:15 am	In Thanksgiving
Wed, April 24	9:15 am	† Kenneth Robert
Thurs. April 25	9:15 am	† Deceased members of the Blerot & Cruywels families from Alfred & Marilyn Blerot
Sat, April 27	4:00 pm	† Mary Martin from David Martin & family
Sun, April 28	9:00 am	† Lorraine Charbonneau from Roland Charbonneau
	11:00 am	† Thérèse Olivier from her family

Easter First Readings

At Sunday Mass the first reading usually comes from the Old Testament. This custom changes, however, during the Easter season. For seven weeks from Easter Sunday until Pentecost, the first readings all come from the same book: the Acts of the Apostles. Thus the three readings at Sunday Mass and the two readings at daily Mass all come from the New Testament throughout the Easter season.

Easter makes everything new. The resurrection so changes human history that we immerse ourselves in the New Testament to seek more deeply the meaning of this mystery.

The Acts of the Apostles tells of the beginnings of the church. It opens with the ascension and Pentecost, recounts the spread of the faith in peace and persecution, and concludes with the missionary activity of Paul. This book bridges the gospels with the rest of church history. The Gospels culminate in the resurrection of Jesus, which inspired evangelization. Each Easter our church announces the resurrection through the Scriptures and increases its membership through baptism. We witness evangelization today as we recall its origins in the Acts of the Apostles.

The Old Testament is not completely absent. The Liturgy of the Word throughout the season still includes a responsorial psalm. The Mass for the Pentecost Vigil includes a reading from the Old Testament, foreshadowing the gift of the Spirit.

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Easter Sunday - Acts 10:34, 37-43 - All Is New

"What's new?" That is what we ask when we want to hear a story. Stories celebrate the great moments of life. When you hear one, it fills you with delight. When you tell one, you fulfill an inner desire to share what has shaped your life anew.

After Jesus rose from the dead, the disciples did not wait for people to ask, "What's new?" They proudly proclaimed it: "God raised Jesus on the third day and granted that he be visible to us witnesses." Now, that is new!



fault, and accepted your dependence upon God's help. You have prayed and fasted with the community. You have loved your neighbor. Because you have emptied a place inside yourself, you created a space for God's Spirit to enter. Christ is risen indeed, and he has appeared to you! You are now a witness of all that God can do.

This Easter Day, tell your story. Tell your faith. Let joy radiate from your face and loosen your tongue! Jesus lives!

If you have kept a good Lent, you know very well what is new with you. You are what is new! You have faced your sin, admitted your

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We Welcome and Congratulate Wayne Brown who will be brought into full Communion with the Church at the Easter Vigil.



Join us in the Parish Hall after the Easter Vigil to joyfully celebrate!

Coming Up

Monday Evenings

"Fan into Flame"
Prayer Group - 7:00 pm
(No meeting Apr. 22)
ALL WELCOME!

Wednesday, April 24

Garden Care - 1:30 pm

Saturday, April 27

Mass at Vista Park Lodge for Residents - 10:30 am

Sunday, April 28

"Celebration of Gifts and Talents"
Presentation at 12:30 pm

Sunday, April 28

Mass at Golden Links Lodge for Residents
2:30 pm

Monday, Apr. 29

SSVP - 7:30 pm
ALL WELCOME!

Tuesday, April 30

Liturgy Meeting - 6:30 pm

Friday, May 3

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Rosary
Prayer - 7:00 pm

Saturday, May 5

Women's Auxiliary Spring Tea - 2 pm



“Alleluia, Christ is Risen! He is truly Risen!”

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

As we celebrate the Resurrection of the Lord, and hear and receive the accounts of disciples encountering the Risen Lord, may we rejoice that the Lord is truly risen.

Let us rejoice and welcome the love of the Lord into our hearts. May we share His love with those around us, especially the most vulnerable of our sisters and brothers. May we be like Mary Magdalene and proclaim “I have seen the Lord!” and with eager hearts tell our sisters and brothers what we have witnessed. And may we, like them, meet Jesus on the way.

A warm welcome to those who are visitors to our Parish. We are happy you chose to celebrate Easter here with us.

I pray that Jesus may live in all our hearts, that we may always embrace Him with love, gratitude and joy.

May our Easter joy live on throughout the 50 days of Easter & always.

The Lord is Good! All the time!

Fr. Chrys



The Easter Paschal Candle

The first sound of the Easter season is the crackling of new fire. Even before the presider greets the people, the Easter flame burns to warm the hearts of believers and to fascinate our eyes, which long to behold the glory of God.

The Easter candle that leads the procession into the church at the Easter Vigil becomes a dominant symbol for the season. Tall, bright, decorative, stately, it creates the first light for the faithful and dispels the darkness that belies our sins. The Easter candle first announces the news of the resurrection, followed by the Glory to God, the Alleluia, the Gospel, the homily, and, of course, the Eucharist. All join to make the same proclamation. Christ is risen!

So big is this message that it takes fifty days to celebrate. That Easter candle burns in our churches every day during those seven weeks, proclaiming: Christ is risen, and we too may rise!

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**Join us for our
Celebration
of Gifts
and Talents
Sunday, April 28
at 12:30 pm**

This is a joint presentation of the Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) and the Finance & Administration Committee

Come join us to review what has been done, understand where we are, and envision where we are going.

A light lunch will be served by the Women’s Auxiliary following the 11 mass on April 28 in the parish hall.
Presentation to begin at 12:30 pm.



**You are invited to the
Women’s Auxiliary
Spring Tea on Sunday,
May 5th, 2019 at 2:00 pm**

Tickets for the Women’s Auxiliary Spring Tea and Raffle are now on sale! Tickets for the Tea are \$12.00 each. Come with your friends and join us in celebrating Spring in our beautiful city. Enjoy the musical stylings of “The B-Side Apostles”!

tickets are 3 for \$5.00. Draws for the Raffle and a variety of door prizes will take place on May 5th at the Spring Tea. All proceeds from the Spring Tea and Raffle will be donated to the church.

Tickets will be available before and after mass next weekend, April 27 & 28. Please purchase tickets and join us in making this endeavour a success for all our parishioners and friends. If you prefer to purchase tickets during the week, you can call one of the following members of the Women’s Auxiliary. We will be happy to make arrangements to deliver your tickets.

We are also holding a Raffle in conjunction with the Spring Tea. 1st prize is \$300 in Sobey’s gift cards, 2nd prize is \$200 in Sobey’s gift cards & 3rd prize is valued at \$100. Raffle

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**St. Timothy "Fan into Flame" Prayer Group
Monday Evenings at 7:00 pm - Parish Hall**

*** NEXT MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 29 ***



Do you desire a new dimension in your spiritual life? Do you want to discover the love of God in a more profound way?

If so, we invite you to take this opportunity to allow the Holy Spirit to "Fan into Flame the gifts He has given you".

Join us for a time of praise and worship, teaching and Faith Sharing, available prayer ministry and a time of fellowship. We look forward to seeing you!

For further information, please contact
Marcie: 204 - 504-6040, or Donna: 204-255-3414

CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

April 21, 2019 - Easter Sunday

"He went about doing good and healing all those oppressed by the devil, for God was with him." (Acts 10:38)

On this Easter Sunday, open your hearts to receive God's love, mercy and forgiveness. God is love and we are made in His image and likeness. Let our lives reflect His light to others. Pray for guidance on how to live your life and give thanks for all that He has given you.



It's time to Register for Catechism & Sacraments for the Fall of 2019!

Those families who have children that are new to the catechism program at St. Tim's, please contact our Coordinator of Religious Education, Michelle Coyne for information about registration (see contact below). Here are a few important facts you need to know about our program!

- Our catechism program offers classes for children from Kindergarten to Grade 5.
- The program runs weekly from October to April.
- Classes will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings from 6:30 - 7:30 pm.
- Children in Grade 2 + are invited to prepare for the Sacrament of First Penance (Confession/Reconciliation).
- Children in Grade 3 + are invited to prepare for the Sacrament of First Eucharist (First Communion).
- Confirmation preparation is open to children in Grade 6 or older.
- **Registration deadline is June 26, 2019**
- Please pick up a brochure by the parish office for more details.

If you would like to know more, please contact
Michelle Coyne at 204-949-3764 or michelle@st-timothy.ca.

Do you LOVE to putter in the GARDEN?



Our Garden Care Team is looking for more green thumbs to help look after the outdoor flowerbeds and gardens! Interested? Please contact Linda Teriaco at 204-668-6425.

WEEKLY MARRIAGE TIP

Rejoice! Whether the time you spend with your spouse today be brief or long, look at your beloved with fresh eyes. Recognize and remember why you promised to love each other forever.

**St. Timothy Knights of Columbus
Charity Golf Tournament 2019**

Join us for the St. Timothy Knights 10th Annual Charity Golf Tournament on Thursday, June 6th at the Oakwood Golf Course in Ste. Anne, Manitoba in support of the St. Amant Foundation. The cost is \$120 per person.



Pick up a registration form by the office or register on-line at www.stamant.ca/koc. If you have any questions, please call Denis Tremblay at 204-253-2227 or Bryan Vandale at 204-791-7138.

Harry and Carol Harapiak Memorial Bursary



Applications for the Harry & Carol Harapiak Memorial Bursary are now available. To qualify, the candidate for the bursary must be a registered member, or the son or daughter of a registered member, of the Parish of St. Timothy. As well, the candidate shall be entering the first year of a Canadian University leading to a baccalaureate degree, or a minimum 2-year diploma program at a community college.

Submissions must be received by **Sunday June 23, 2019**. The winner will be determined by **July 31, 2019**. The bursary for this year will be **\$2,000** supplied by the **Harapiak Memorial Bursary Fund** and the **St. Timothy Knights of Columbus**.

The Application Forms and Rules of Eligibility for the Bursary are available on the table in front of the Parish Office.

Archdiocese 200th Anniversary Books for Sale

If you are interested in purchasing Archdiocese Anniversary books, the costs are: \$40.00 for the "Church in Western Canada" (Hardcover) and \$18.00 for "Red River Mission" Graphic Novel (Softcover). The hardcover book would make a nice gift for those Manitoba history buffs and the graphic novel would be ideal for school-aged kids and teens and for Confirmation gifts! Contact the parish office at info@st-timothy.ca or 204-949-3760.

Fertility Health Awareness Seminar: The Marriage, Family and Life Service of the Archdiocese of Saint-Boniface is pleased to offer the Fertility Health Awareness Seminar, Thursday April 25, 2019, from 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm in the Saint Boniface Cathedral Hall. This seminar gives couples and individuals the opportunity to discover various methods of Natural Family Planning (NFP) and to find a method that fits their needs. There is no cost to participate. All are welcome, although registrations are required. Register at archsaintboniface.ca.