The Roman Catholic

Parish of St. Timothy

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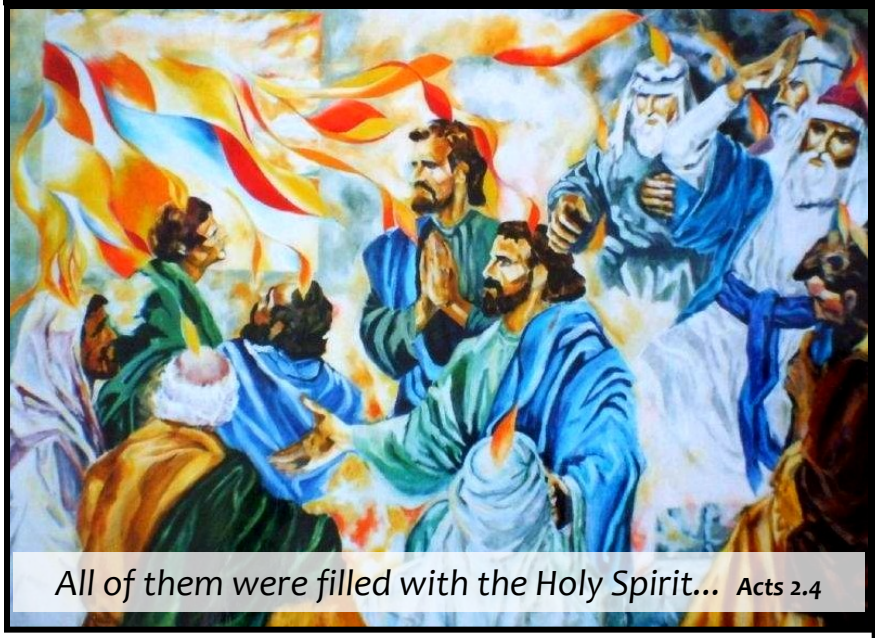
Sunday Mass Times:
Saturday at 4:00 pm, Sunday at 9:00 am & 11:00 am

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

June 9, 2019

The Feast of Pentecost

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.



All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit... **Acts 2.4**

Readings for June 9:

Acts 2:1-11 *The Spirit's presence is made manifest among Jesus' disciples*
Ps 104 *Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the Earth.*
1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 *All the Spirit's gifts are equal and necessary for the whole body*
Jn 20:19-23 *Jesus' peace and forgiveness is to be shared*

Readings for June 16:

Prv 8:22-31 *Wisdom precedes, accompanies and reflects God in creation*
Ps 8 *O Lord, our God, how wonderful your name in all the Earth!*
Rom 5:1-5 *Our faith, even in suffering, brings peace and hope*
Jn 16:12-15 *Jesus connects his teachings to the Spirit and the Father*

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 call Fr. Chrys at 204-257-3723 for an appointment.

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

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 June 8 - 16, 2019

Sat. June 8	4:00 pm		Needs and intentions of all parishioners
Sun. June 9	9:00 am	†	Deceased members of the Blerot & Cruywels families from Alfred & Marilyn Blerot
	11:00 am	†	Thérèse Olivier from her family
Mon. June 10	9:15 am	†	Guy Robert
Tues, June 11	9:15 am		Special Intention from Michelle Coyne & family
Wed, June 12	9:15 am	†	Richard Carriere from Jeannine & Noel Audet
Thurs. June 13	9:15 am	†	Alma Horodyski from the Grindean family
Sat, June 15	4:00 pm	†	David Garroni from Diane
Sun, June 16	9:00 am	†	Our Fathers, Edmond & Louis from Gaitane & Gerry Guillou
	11:00 am	†	Stan, Walter & Frank from Mary Kaskiw

Memorial of Mary Mother of the Church - Monday after Pentecost

Please join us for mass on Monday, June 10 at 9:15 am to celebrate the Memorial of Mary Mother of the Church.

Pentecost *1 Corinthians 12:3-7, 12-13*

The Reason for Gifts

Look around your church and you will see many gifts. You will see those who sing and those who read, those who preach and those who greet. You will see some who feed the hungry and others who serve on committees. You will see some who decorate and others who converse. Some have a gift for leading prayer, for parenting children or for making people feel at home. Everybody has some gift.

Still, not all gifts are equal. Some people excel at their gifts. Others exercise them less capably. The quality of the gift is not that important. It is important to exercise the gift, whatever its extent may be. The use of our gifts releases the power of the Spirit.

St. Paul wrote to the Corinthians, "To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit." God gives gifts for a reason. They are meant to be nurtured and used. The gifts manifest the Spirit. When used properly, they draw attention to God who gives, not to the person who has received.

The manifold gifts within one community show the marvels of the Holy Spirit. When people share their gifts, they create a spirit of selflessness and inspire others to service. They help everyone appreciate the goodness of God, who gives even before we ask.

When people look at you, they also see gifts. For which gifts are you most grateful? How do you share them?

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We Welcome Through the Waters of Baptism…

Brooke Elizabeth Harris
daughter of
Christopher & LeKatie Harris
on May 11, 2019

Coming Up at a glance

Monday Evenings
"Fan into Flame" Prayer Group - 7:00 pm ALL WELCOME!

Saturday, June 8
Eve of Pentecost Praise & Worship Event 7 pm - Parish Hall

Monday, June 10 & 24
SSVP - 7:30 pm

Tuesday, June 11
Knights of Columbus 7:00 pm - Library

Wednesday, June 12
Finance meeting 6:30 pm

Saturday, June 22
Mass at Vista Park Lodge for residents 10:30 am

Sunday, June 23
Mass at Golden Links Lodge for residents - 2:30 pm

EVE OF PENTECOST - PRAISE & WORSHIP
EVERYONE is INVITED!

Saturday, June 8 from 7 pm - 9 pm

Join us at the parish for a Praise & Worship event at the parish on the Eve of Pentecost, Saturday, June 8 in the parish hall. Refreshments & fellowship to follow.

This event is organized by the "Catholic Charismatic Renewal Services of Manitoba" with the help of the Monday evening "Fan into Flame" Prayer Group.

NEW SCHEDULE FOR LITURGICAL MINISTERS

The next Ministry schedule will begin July 6 and will go until the end of September, 2019.

If you already know some dates that you are not available from July - September, please go on-line to the ministry schedule, click on "my profile" and submit the dates that you are not available to be scheduled. **The deadline to get your availability in for the 3rd quarter Ministry Schedule is Sunday, June 16.**

If you do not use the schedule electronically, please contact Grace at the parish office at grace@st-timothy.ca or leave a message at 204-949-3760 to share the dates that you know you are not available to serve. Thank you!

PENTECOST SUNDAY!

To the CHURCH!

Pentecost Sending of the Spirit

On this final day of the Easter season, we rejoice in being members of God's holy people, with the privilege and responsibility of joining Christ and His Church in worshipping God. We thank the Father for letting His Spirit live within us to guide our lives and our prayer. The Spirit is Jesus' first gift to all who believe.

After today, the Easter Paschal candle is placed back by the baptismal font. During the year, it will be lighted whenever we celebrate baptisms or funerals and when new members are welcomed into the Church of God.

Excerpt from the "Easter Season" pamphlet from the National Liturgy Office CCCB

SUMMER MUSIC MINISTRY REQUESTED

While our three choirs take a much deserved break for the summer, we are looking for other music ministers to fill in during July & August. We are looking for both vocalists and musicians to lead the assembly in hymns only. (You don't have to sing or play the different mass parts or responses.)

If you sing, or play the piano or guitar, and are familiar with our church hymns, let us know! You don't have to commit to every Sunday this summer, just when you are available. Please call the parish office at 204-949-3760 or email liturgy@st-timothy.ca for more information.

In particular, the 4 pm Choir is looking for an instrumentalist to accompany our choir and violin player on July 6, August 3, and August 31st. If interested please contact Cindy at 204-254-1996 asap in the afternoon or evenings or email her at gospelmusicsinger41@gmail.com

Deadline approaching!

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.

PARISH PICNIC – Sunday, September 29, 2019

Our Welcome Ministry and friends are planning a "Getting to Know You" picnic on Sunday, September 29, 2019. We will need MANY hands to help make this a FUN and successful event for everyone of all ages!

We will have sign-ups later on to help set-up, clean-up, take down, and run the games. **At this time we are asking for more FUN ideas and planners to be on the organizing committee.** If you would like to help out in this way, please let Grace know in the parish office at 204-949-3760 or grace@st-timothy.ca as soon as possible. Thank you!

ONCE A MONTH help is needed for our Catholic Communities at *Golden Links Lodge and Vista Park Lodge* Personal Care Homes

Since the beginnings of our parish, we have had volunteers from St. Timothy help bring the Mass to our Catholic Community living at Golden Links Lodge and Vista Park Lodge personal care homes in St. Vital. These volunteers bring the compassion and communion of the church and seek to companion with those seeking the healing presence of Christ.

We are looking for additional volunteers to support this Ministry of Care. What do these volunteers do? They:

♥ accompany the residents to and from Mass (pushing their wheelchairs, accompanying them while they walk with their walkers, etc) ♥ assist the Presider at Mass ♥ help set up for Mass ♥ arrive about 30 minutes before Mass and stay until after Mass for a short time if needed

Mass at Vista Park Lodge takes place on the 4th Saturday of the month at 10:30 am. Mass at Golden Links Lodge takes place on the 4th Sunday of the month at 2:30 pm. Only 1 or 1 ½ hours a month is required of your time.

Want to learn more? Call Grace at the parish office and she'll get you in touch with our coordinator for the care home where you are interested to help.

FINANCE NEWS
Weekly offering to our Parish - 2019

Collection date	Envelopes	Loose Cash	Total	Children's Collection for SSVP
May 26	$4,403.00 (174 env)	$260.25	**$4,663.25**	$33.60
June 2	$5,290.00 (186 env)	$265.30	**$5,555.30**	$35.44

- Donations made to the church by Direct Debit for May was $15,375.00 (186 direct debit users)

JOIN DIRECT DEBIT TODAY! If you are not using Direct Debit to make your parish donations, please consider doing so! It's easy & convenient! And using Direct Debit means that you can continue to support the work of the church even when you are unable to attend mass or are on holidays. Forms are by the parish office or download a form at st-timothy.ca.

CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

June 9, 2019 - Pentecost Sunday

"The Advocate, the Holy Spirit whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you." (Alternate Gospel - John 14:26)

The materialism of our society lures us to concentrate more on what we want than on what God wants for us. The relativism of our world tells us that we should be tolerant of all things, that there is no absolute truth. Pray to the Holy Spirit to transform our lives & to guide our thoughts, words & actions.

Migrant & Refugee Solidarity Walk, Saturday, June 15, 2019: Gathering at Canadian Museum for Human Rights at 1:00 pm, opening ceremonies at 1:30 pm, walk begins at 2 pm down Broadway to the Manitoba Legislative Building with closing ceremonies at 3:30 pm.

SAVE THE DATES!!

Celebrate 150 Years with St. Mary's Academy! You are part of St. Mary's Academy's 150 year story and we welcome you to join us at one or many of the celebratory events:

Wednesday, August 28, 2019: 150th Birthday Picnic 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm - St. Mary's Academy Grounds.

September 27, 2019: Join in a celebratory Gala Dinner and Dance to pay tribute to the Sisters of the Holy Names of Jesus and Mary (SNJM). 6 pm at the Victoria Inn.
Tickets are $150 each, purchase at
https://www.smamb.ca/about/150th-birthday/

Saturday, September 28, 2019: Homecoming
Commemorative Years Brunch from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm for the Classes of 1939, 1949, 1959, 1969, 1979, 1984, 1989, 1994, 1999, & 2009 Tickets: $30 each.
Come Reminisce from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm.
Tour the school, enjoy tea, dainties and visiting

WEEKLY MARRIAGE TIP

Let fire reignite your love. Try a candlelit dinner, a backyard bonfire, sitting in front of a fireplace, light the house with candles. Be creative. Don't forget to talk.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SSVP) MONTHLY UPDATE

Because of the generosity of our parishioners, 69 families consisting of 97 adults & 124 children received food assistance and visits to their homes during the month of May.

Women's Auxiliary & Habitat for Humanity

Every year, the St. Timothy Women's Auxiliary provides food for a morning coffee break to the Habitat for Humanity construction volunteers. The women of our parish have been supporting Habitat every summer for the last 25 years!

On May 30, Eva and Irene delivered food at the Habitat for Humanity building site. Maureen H and her three daughters are the happy future owners of the home which is being built on Polson Avenue.

Irene & Eva with the hard working but happy future home-owners!

Reminder for those who registered for the Women's Auxiliary (and Friends) Wind-Up : The South Beach Casino Day bus leaves the church parking lot at **10:00 am on Tuesday, June 11** for a fun day out at South Beach with a 4:00 pm return time.

Can you help some Newcomer Families in our area?

A large family is in need of TWO sets of bunk beds, a queen bed - any beds!

Another family needs EVERYTHING! Household items and furniture.

Three Mom's are in need infant car seats.

If you can help with any of these items, please call Brigitte at 204-396-6103. THANK YOU!

God is talking to one of his angels. He says, "Do you know what I have just done? I have just created a 24-hour period of alternating light and darkness on Earth. Isn't that good?" The angel says, "Yes, but what will you do now?" God says, "I think I'll call it a day."