



# St. Timothy's Newsletter

## September-October 2018



### Beginning a New Season

Well, here it is: September already. As is the tradition around churches, we're getting ready to welcome folks back from summer travels and local vacations. We're planning new adventures together, and getting set to begin the various projects to be funded by our recent "Growing with God" capital campaign. (More on that in a minute.)

As part of these new beginnings, starting September 9<sup>th</sup>, you'll see a new face around the parish. Maureen Wood will be our Seminarian Fieldworker. What's a seminarian fieldworker, you ask? I'm glad you asked. When future priests are preparing to become priests, part of what is required of them is to spend some time in a local parish, getting some "on the ground" experience. (I did this for three of the four years I was in seminary in New York City.) The fieldwork assignment is intended to provide a learning experience for the seminarian, to gain skills that will serve them in their future priesthood. So, having Maureen alongside us at St. Timothy's is a chance for us to help her, more than it is for her to help us. (To paraphrase JFK, Ask not what your seminarian can do for you; ask what you can do for your seminarian.) I know that you will welcome Maureen warmly, and I thank you in advance for all the help and guidance you will give.

On September 9<sup>th</sup>, between the two services, we will have an informal sort of meet and greet, starting around 9:15am, where you'll have the chance to meet Maureen and find out more about her. On that Sunday, we'll also be kicking off our Mission Fair, which is a chance for all of us to learn more about the many programs and ministries here at St. Tim's, and to consider where God might be calling each of us to help out. I hope you can join us that Sunday.

As a follow up on the Growing with God campaign, I once again want to thank all those who helped make it a success, by serving on committees, and/or making a pledge. We're excited to begin work on the actual projects. If you're interested in helping out with getting those projects going, please let me know. We need a few more folks to get things started and to keep them on track.

I'm looking forward to the programs we've got planned, and the cooler weather that is (hopefully) coming, and for Maureen to get to know you all . . . and also for the chance to wear the lovely blue chasuble again! One closing thought, speaking of fieldwork . . . Both of the priests I worked with in my three years of fieldwork went on to become Bishops. I ask for your prayers that such a fate might never befall your Rector.

Faithfully,

Fr. George



**SALUTATIONS**  
**FROM THE SENIOR WARDEN**

Let me begin with a great big thank you to the wonderful people of St. Timothy's. Because of your moving generosity and incredible love for our church, we exceeded the goal of the Growing With God capital campaign by many thousands of dollars. It was truly wonderful to see us all come together to achieve the goal. The process has started to prioritize the projects that will be completed with the money, but we still need some interested people to agree to help with the planning. If any of you are so inclined, please let me or Father George know of your interest.

On another note, all loose offerings given on the first Sunday of the month are given to the Rector's Discretionary Fund (RDF). This is a fund established by Diocesan canon to be used by the Rector in a manner he deems appropriate to the goals of our mission to help in the community. Typically, he will use these funds to help parishioners and others who are experiencing a period of bad luck by supplying food, gas, clothing and help with utilities. Father George has requests that far exceed the money available every month. You can help by putting a few extra dollars in the offering plate on the first Sunday, or writing a check notated for the RDF. By so doing, you are helping scores of people every month. As Father George has commented on many occasions, he has never seen a parish as generous as St. Timothy's. I agree. Thank you to all for your kindness.

**FELLOWSHIP ACTIVITIES**  
**September/October**

**September 20-** Annual Community Spaghetti Dinner in the Parish Hall. Save the date and bring a big appetite. Spaghetti, salad, garlic bread, refreshments (including wine) and dessert. There will be a raffle for outstanding donated items and a 50/50 drawing, too. This is an evening to thoroughly enjoy. Cost is \$8.00 for adults, \$5.00 for children 6-2, and children under 6 eat free. A family rate of \$20.00 will feed the whole family. Please bring a dessert to share with a few others. It will start at 5:30 and go until 7.

**October 7-** The annual Blessing of the Animals will be held at 1 PM. Even God's smallest creatures need a little Divine attention. Bring your household pets, working animals, beasts of burden, birds that fly and animals that crawl, slithering snakes and fast swimming fish.

During the month of September, we will collect donations for the SAM Center. SAM (Serving Area Military) is an organization that helps families of deployed military and returning veterans in their time of transition. They are always in need of staple items and the need is particularly acute right now. Items to bring to the church include:

peanut butter and jelly  
tuna

tuna  
canned vegetables

coffee  
pasta sauce

pasta sauce  
condiments

**Treasurer's Corner**  
**June and July 2018**

**June 2018 Contributions**  
(4) Sundays \$14,068.50

**July 2018 Contributions**  
(5) Sundays \$18,306.95

Thank you so very much for your continued support and please continue to keep your pledge up to date. Remember that the bills don't take a vacation, but together, we can keep our church a thriving church.

Thank you so much!!!!!! Dave Coltrin, Treasurer



## Flower openings - Remaining 2018

September 30 Niches  
October 7 Niches  
December 23 - Chapel, Niches



Chancel \$50.00 Chapel \$35.00 Niches \$30.00  
Sanctuary Candle \$5.00 Eucharistic Candle \$16.00  
Five Branch Candle \$30.00

## *In Loving Memory of those who have died*

Sally Jane Stevenson  
July 7, 2018  
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### *Weddings*

Brandon Michael Smith  
Amanda Jean Smith  
September 2, 2018  
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### *Baptisms*

Evelyn Taylor Drumm 8/12/18



## WONDERFUL MUSIC TO HELP A WONDERFUL CAUSE

A Chorus For A Cause will be singing in September to raise money for a cause close to St. Timothy's heart....Challenger Baseball. These are the wonderful developmentally disabled children we collect snacks for in spring every year. The chorus, including several people from St. Timothy's, will sing on September 29 at 7 PM at Advent Lutheran Church in Hartville and on September 30 at 4 PM at St. Paul's Catholic Church in North Canton. Tickets are only \$15 to help the cause and can be purchased from any chorus member or at the door.

### September Birthdays

Caroline Hoge 9/5  
Cathy Rieder 9/6  
Judy Wigginton 9/6  
Margaret Howell 9/7  
Nancy Hann 9/11  
Bob Morrow 9/12  
Nancy Baker-Cazan 9/12  
Donna Bower 9/14  
Per Lee Hartman 9/14  
Sylvia Van Dam 9/18  
Ann Higgins 9/19  
Victoria Kula 9/19  
Barbara Casline 9/20  
Hank Harris 9/24  
Fran Miller 9/27  
Liz Frank 9/28  
Jessica Rohr 9/30

### September Anniversaries

Pam and Evan Smith 9/15/84  
George and Cristin Baum 9/15/90  
Joel and Margy Vogt 9/21/68  
Jon and Wendy Silvis 9/24/88



### October Birthdays

Robert Bossart 10/3  
Elizabeth Keene 10/5  
Ken Jarvis 10/12  
Wanda Hann 10/13  
Lisa Smith 10/13  
Mary Lou Long 10/15  
Kristen Hann 10/16  
Cristin Baum 10/18  
Gerry Roethlisberger 10/20  
Reese Kester 10/20  
Mark Craig 10/25  
Praveen Kurian 10/28  
Hayden Keene 10/28  
Jake Miller 10/28  
Russell Gayheart 10/29  
Kelsey Gerber 10/30  
Kelly Hann 10/30

### October Anniversaries

Elizabeth and Andrew Keene 10/15  
Robert and Rhea Bossart 10/18/97  
Larry and Nancy Hann 10/20/79  
Bob and Ellin Schroeder 10/20/73  
Michael and Megan Drumm 10/22/11  
Mary and Allan Humbert 10/24/81  
John and Elaine Harris 10/25/69  
Dana and David Ehmer 10/27/84



# FLOWER AND CANDLE MEMORIALS SEPT. AND OCT. 2018

## September 2

**The Chancel Flowers** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of N. Preston Kerr by his daughter, Nancy.

**The Chapel Flowers** were given by Caroline Hoge to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Dr. and Mrs. Kenworthy Hoge.

**The Niches** were given to the Glory of God and in celebration of my daughter and son-in-law Michelle and Patrick Hoffman's anniversary by Gerry Roethlisberger.

**The Sanctuary Candle** was given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Ed and Edna Rice by Mike and Bonnie Burns.

**The Eucharistic Candles** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of our mother Irene Pantia by the Meek Family.

**The Five Branch Candles** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Douglas Walter Sorg by Dr. David Seffens.

## September 9

**The Chancel Flowers** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Judith McArdle by her husband Stuart McArdle.

**The Chapel Flowers** were given to the Glory of God and in honor of our children and grandchildren by Jim and Donna Bower.

**The Niches** were to the Glory of God and in loving memory of their mothers Virginia Roesch and Mildred Wigginton by Judy and David Wigginton.

**The Sanctuary Candle** was given to the Glory of God and in celebration of the anniversary of Evan and Pam Smith by Anne Smith.

**The Eucharistic Candles** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of our mother Irene Pantia by the Meek Family.

**The Five Branch Candles** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Douglas Walter Sorg by Dr. David Seffens.

## September 16

**The Chancel Flowers** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of her husband, W. Lewis Lash, her son, W. Lewis Lash II and her parents Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Vogt by Ruth Lash.

**The Chapel Flowers** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Ed and Edna Rice by Mike and Bonnie Burns.

**The Niches** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of George and Burdella Hann by The Lawrence Hann Family.

**The Sanctuary Candle** was given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Helen Holschuh by Carolyn Flamm.

**The Eucharistic Candles** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of our mother Irene Pantia by the Meek Family.

**The Five Branch Candles** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Douglas Walter Sorg by Dr. David Seffens.

## September 23

**The Chancel Flowers** were given to the Glory of God and in celebration of the birthdays of Elizabeth Keplinger Keene and Helen Sebring Keplinger by their parents Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Keplinger.

**The Chapel Flowers** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of her father Ralph E. Oberlin, Jr. by Ellin and Bob Schroeder.

**The Niches** were give by Mary Vasilo to the Glory of God and in loving memory of her husband Roy C. Vasilo.

**The Sanctuary Candle** was given by Anne Smith to the Glory of God and in celebration of Eric Smith's birthday.

**The Eucharistic Candles** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of our mother Irene Pantia by the Meek Family.

**The Five Branch Candles** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Douglas Walter Sorg by Dr. David Seffens.

## September 30

**The Chancel Flowers** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of her husband, W. Lewis Lash, her son, W. Lewis Lash II and her parents Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Vogt by Ruth Lash.

**The Chapel Flowers** were given to the Glory of God and in celebration of God's gift of compassion and love of and for animals by Nancy Baker Cazan.

**The Niches: OPEN**

**The Sanctuary Candle** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Tim and Roy Vasilo by Mary Vasilo.

**The Eucharistic Candles** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of our mother Irene Pantia by the Meek Family.

**The Five Branch Candles** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Douglas Walter Sorg by Dr. David Seffens.



### October 7

**The Chancel Flowers** were given to the Glory to God and in loving memory of Toby Immel's birthday by Betsy and Terry Conner.

**The Chapel Flowers** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Robert M. Hess, III by his family.

**The Niches: OPEN**

**The Sanctuary Candle** was given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Martha and Lewis Lewis Family by The Joleen Lewis Family.

**The Eucharistic Candles** were given to the Glory off God and in thanksgiving for Barbara Louise Smith Benner and Christine Louise Benner by Dave Seffens.

**The Five Branch Candles** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Evelyn and Raymond Long, Dorothy and Harold Young, Mary and Horace Wertz by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Long.

### October 14

**The Chancel Flowers** were given by Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Keplinger to the Glory of God and in celebration of Elizabeth and Andrew Keene's anniversary.

**The Chapel Flowers** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Kathy Sutherland by Christine Hoge Eckhauser, M. D.

**The Niches** were given to the Glory of God and in celebration of the wedding anniversary of Larry and Nancy Hann by Lawrence and Wanda Hann and family.

**The Sanctuary Candle** was given to the Glory of God and in loving memory Loyola and Roland Moore's anniversary by Tim and Carla Moore.

**The Eucharistic Candles** were given to the Glory off God and in thanksgiving for Barbara Louise Smith Benner and Christine Louise Benner by Dave Seffens.

**The Five Branch Candles** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Evelyn and Raymond Long, Dorothy and Harold Young, Mary and Horace Wertz by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Long.

### October 21

**The Chancel Flowers** were given by Carole, Matthew and Charles Smith to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Burtney Smith.

**The Chapel Flowers** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of her grandmother Hilda Edwards and her father Don Cornell by Jay and Laurie Bomze.

**The Niches** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory Robert M. Hess, III by his family.

**The Sanctuary Candle** was given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Rice by Mr. and Mrs. Michael Burns.

**The Eucharistic Candles** were given to the Glory off God and in thanksgiving for Barbara Louise Smith Benner and Christine Louise Benner by Dave Seffens.

**The Five Branch Candles** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Evelyn and Raymond Long, Dorothy and Harold Young, Mary and Horace Wertz by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Long.

### October 28

**The Chancel Flowers** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of her husband, W. Lewis Lash, her son, W. Lewis Lash, II and her parents Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Vogt by Ruth Lash.

**The Chapel Flower** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of her husband, W. Lewis Lash, her son, W. Lewis Lash, II and her parents Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Vogt by Ruth Lash.

**The Niches** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of her husband, W. Lewis Lash, her son, W. Lewis Lash, II and her parents Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Vogt by Ruth Lash.

**The Sanctuary Candle** was given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Aunt Weezie Lewis by Ronnie Lewis Family and The Hartman Family.

**The Eucharistic Candles** were given to the Glory off God and in thanksgiving for Barbara Louise Smith Benner and Christine Louise Benner by Dave Seffens.

**The Five Branch Candles** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Evelyn and Raymond Long, Dorothy and Harold Young, Mary and Horace Wertz by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Long.



## St. Timothy's Hike & Bike Club

2018 Sunday  
Fall Schedule

### Trail Rides/Hikes

Meet at 12:00 Ride/Hike when ready  
Ride if you are willing and able  
Walk if you prefer  
For riders and hikers of all levels  
No one left behind

September 2 Warmington Road Trailhead– South towards Navarre - out and Back  
September 16 17th St. Lincoln Park - West towards Dalton - out and back  
September 30 Warmington Road - Trailhead- South towards Navarre - out and back  
October 14 17th St. Lincoln Park - West towards Dalton - out and back  
October 28 Warmington Road Trailhead - South towards Navarre - out and back  
November 11 17th St. Lincoln Park - West towards Dalton - out and back  
November 25 Warmington Road Trailhead - South towards Navarre - out and back  
December 9 17th St. Lincoln Park - West towards Dalton - out and back

### RECTOR'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

All loose cash and other offerings so designated on the *first Sunday of each month* go into the Rector's Discretionary Fund. The RDF is a very important tool for the Rector's ministry, so please, put a little extra cash or a check designated to the Rector's Discretionary Fund in the plate. Thanks.

Father George's Office Hours - Normally, he will be in the office on Monday through Thursday, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Should you need to get in touch with him to make an appointment or to notify him of a pastoral need you may reach him on his cell at 419-450-8200. You may also contact him via email at [fathergeorgebaum@gmail.com](mailto:fathergeorgebaum@gmail.com).



### LIONS AND TIGERS AND BEARS, OH MY

Sunday, October 7, at 1 PM we will have the annual blessing of the animals here at St. Timothy's. Please bring your furry friends, slimy sidekicks, and pretty pets that afternoon for a blessing and a treat. All God's creatures need a little help from above. Whether they walk, hop, fly, slither or swim, all are welcome that day here.

### READ FATHER GEORGE'S SERMONS ONLINE

*Father George's sermons are available at the website under the tab called "Worship."*  
[StTimsMassillon.com](http://StTimsMassillon.com)



### PRAYER CHAIN

Carol Smith is the leader of St. Timothy's Prayer Chain. She can be reached at 330-854-2534 or by email at [maplehillfarm@sssnet.com](mailto:maplehillfarm@sssnet.com). Please submit any names for the Prayer Chain to Carol. If you would like to join this ministry talk to Carol. There can never be too many people praying!

### Capital Campaign Update



Thanks to your pledges, we have been able to reimburse the Endowment for the kitchen roof repair, and are now beginning to map out what comes next. If you'd like to help in planning the next steps, please Hayley Sunquist or Fr. George.

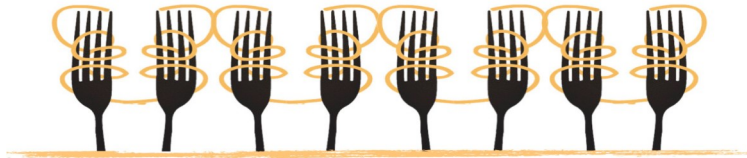
### Phantom Of The Opera

Our very own "Jay Spencer" will be playing the Phantom of the Opera at the Palace Oct 19, at 730 pm. Silent film with Jay at the Kilgen organ.



**St. Timothy's Episcopal Church**  
**ANNUAL SPAGHETTI DINNER**

**SPAGHETTI DINNER**



***Thursday, September 20, 2018***

***5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.***

**Spaghetti, Salad, Garlic Bread  
and Refreshments**

**Adult - \$8.00**

**Children 6 - 12 - \$5.00**

**Family - \$20.00**

**50/50, raffles, gift drawing**

**Make your reservations!!!**

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*Accountant:* Mrs. Debbie Williams  
*Organist:* Mr. Jay Spencer

### **ST. TIMOTHY'S STAFF**

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*Sexton:* Mr. Ron Johnson

### **VESTRY**

#### **Term Expiring January 2019**

Dave Coltrin, Treasurer  
Ann Higgins  
Hayley Sunquist, Jr. Warden

#### **Term Expiring January 2020**

Chael Brady  
Grover Buhr, Clerk  
Bob Meyer

#### **Term Expiring January 2021**

Connie Keplinger  
Bob Schroeder, Sr. Warden

### **St. Timothy's Mission Statement**

The Mission of St. Timothy's Episcopal Church is to spread the Gospel through Liturgical Worship, welcoming hospitality, and community outreach.