

ST. TIMOTHY'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

THE TIDINGS

St. Timothy's Mission: To celebrate and share Christ's healing love through worship, fellowship, and outreach.



APRIL, 2019

RECTOR'S RAMBLINGS

A sinus infection; flat tire; plumbing back-up; computer issues; financial decisions; not fully understanding a ministry resource; lingering tax problem: these are some of the recent realities of my life. In each case, I did not have the resources to solve the problem by myself. I needed to ask for help. And you know what? I received help.

Today, things are better and I feel more connected. That is an important lesson for me to remember. In many ways, the season of Lent is a time to re-learn the lesson of our need to evaluate our life and ask God for help— help with self-control, help with life-giving disciplines, and help with loving God and neighbor. The Bible is full of examples of people seeking God's help and the help comes in God's way and God's time.

May we take advantage of this season of Lent. There are many opportunities at church: Wednesday Potluck, Living the Way of Love, Sunday worship, Holy Week services, etc. Consider using these opportunities to reconnect with God and others.

See you at church.

Albert

FROM THE VESTRY (Last meeting: 2/28/19)

1. We received and approved Vestry minutes and Treasurer's report.
2. We began planning for Worship in the Park and Parish Picnic on June 2.
3. We heard planning is underway for the Mother's Day Bake Sale on May 11.
4. We received a booklet on the Episcopal Church for future discussion.
5. We discussed the program "Connecting Communities", and our need to better understand it.
6. We brainstormed various programming ideas, especially for the older demographic.
7. We heard we would be hosting the "Math Challenge" for students from Bedford High School.
8. We will provide Drive Thru ashes on Ash Wednesday



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**The deadline for
May
Tidings is
MONDAY
April 15,
9:00 am.**

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Saturday, **March 30**, 3-5:30 pm, Wine Education Fundraising Event
- Saturday, **April 13**, 9:00 am, Altar Guild & friends make Palm Crosses
- **Holy Week Schedule**
- Sunday, **April 14**, 8:30 & 10:30 am, Palm Sunday services
- Thursday, **April 18**, 7:30 pm, Maundy Thursday service
- Friday, **April 19**, 7:30 pm, Good Friday service
- Saturday, **April 20**, 9:00 am, Altar Guild sets up the altar
7:30 pm, Easter Vigil service
- Sunday, **April 21**, 8:30 & 10:30 am, Easter services
- Saturday, **May 11**, 9:00 am-1:00 pm, Mother's Day Bake Sale
- Friday, **May 17**, Spaghetti Dinner/Raffle
- Saturday, **May 18**, Connecting Communities, session 2.
- Sunday, **June 2**, 10:30 am, Worship in the Park & Parish Picnic



CHURCH HAPPENINGS

UTO Prayer



Lord, Thank you for giving me a new day, for the blessings that You have prepared, You do wonderful things. Thank You for all Your love.

Ronald McDonald House



Please pull those tabs! If you would like to take on this outreach project, please call Albert.



Connecting Communities

Members of the "Connecting Communities" committee will be asking some members of our congregation to speak about their spiritual life, in a one-on-one conversation. If you would like to be interviewed, please contact Marjorie McDougale.

Easter Memorial Flowers

Please use the special envelopes on the Flower Cart if you wish to donate for memorial flowers on Easter Sunday.

The deadline is Sunday, April 14— Palm Sunday.



CHURCH HAPPENINGS CONTINUED



Haven of Rest Ministries HOPE TOTE

Please join in helping Haven of Rest's annual outreach ministry to needy and homeless women, men and children in our communities. Sponsored by St. Timothy's ECW, this has been an ongoing Lenten project for many years. We are asking for new, regular or large size items to be placed in the HOPE TOTE container in the atrium. The collection runs **March 10** through **April 14**. Please keep the list below to assist you in your purchases.

Thank you from Nancy Nadin and the ECW.

HOPE TOTE Request List: Regular or Large size items

Drop off MARCH 10 through APRIL 14

Toothbrushes	Soap	Tooth paste	Deodorant
Shampoo	Hand & Body Lotion	Lip Balm	Shoe Laces
Conditioner	Facial Tissues	Disposable Razors	Socks
Shaving Cream	Brush & Comb		

WINE EDUCATIONAL FUNDRAISING EVENT

Sponsored by and for
ST. TIMOTHY'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Macedonia

Saturday, March 30, 2019, 3-5:30 pm

SPENNATO'S RESTAURANT 10446 Northfield Road, Northfield Tel. 330-468-8688

Hosted by Cyrus Davarpanah, Sommelier, and Bill Palmer

PORTUGUESE WINE and FOOD CELEBRATION

Wines and Food

Casa Ferreirinha Planalto Reserva, Douro (white) with Cheese Plate

Casal Garcia Rose Vinho Verde (rose) with Pasta with Clams

Casal Garcia, Douro (red) with Vegetarian Ravioli

Quinta Do Crasto Superior, Douro (red) with Hanger Steak, Kale

Quinta do Crasto "Crasto", Douro (red) with Strawberries in Port, Amaretto Cookies

Wines for sale following the wine/food tasting

FREE WILL OFFERING RESERVATIONS REQUIRED

Contact Suzanne Palmer by Thursday, March 28 with # of attendees

email: suzannepalmer@roadrunner.com

Tel. 330-467-7220 (Signup list at church for St. Timothy's members and their guests)



IN THE PARISH FAMILY

DEATH

Nancy Krul

Rest Eternal, Grant to her , O Lord.

MOVED

Mary Ann Perry, to Florida

DEACON'S REFLECTIONS

What's the oddest place you've ever volunteered? Last week I found myself in the cooler at the Cleveland Food Bank. I didn't know that when I signed up, and was glad I wore a heavy coat with gloves. Six of us were boxing up donated cakes, breads and other pastries according to type, for delivery to the hundreds of mobile pantries that the Food Bank partners with. I've never seen such an array of specialty cakes! We all loved the Unicorn Cakes, but the Top Hat and Princess ones were good too. There were a few "Happy Birthday to ----" cakes, which made me wonder why those didn't get picked up. The breads included rolls, twists, buns, croissants and biscuits in whole wheat and other flavours.

I'm in the cooler because during Lent I'm trying to take on an activity of service, one that gets me working with people I don't know in ways that help my neighbours. It's a discipline that helps me live out The Way of Love, which Presiding Bishop Michael Curry has been promoting. He calls it living a Jesus-centered life. I have to confess that when I'm in the cooler sorting bread, I don't think about Jesus, but afterwards I reflect on those who will receive this food, and the food we collect on Sundays, and what it will mean to them.

Lent is a great time to reflect on how we're living out our faith, and if it's not how we'd like, to make changes. I hope that you find a way to live a Way of Love that helps others and strengthens your faith. Just make sure to check if you'll need an extra sweater.

Anne

OUTREACH FOR APRIL

This month we are collecting **Mac & Cheese dinners**.
We are asking for the regular sizes— not jumbo size.

Your continued generosity is most appreciated by Open M and many families.

Outreach Committee



ECW

Mother's Day Bake Sale



St. Timothy's 4th Annual Mother's Day Bake Sale

Saturday, May 11, 2019 9:00 am – 1:00 pm

St. Timothy's Episcopal Church, 8667 Shepard Road, Macedonia, is holding its 4th Annual Mother's Day Bake Sale for one day only on Saturday, May 11 from 9 am to 1 pm. A wide variety of baked goods from our church members' own kitchens including cakes, pies, pastries, quiches, muffins, cupcakes and much more will be available, just in time for Mom's special day, and beautifully boxed for gift giving. All proceeds will go towards St. Timothy's general fund.

Contact Catherine Gouldlock or Cheryl McDonald with questions at bakesale@sttimothymacedonia.org.

RECIPE CORNER

Buffalo Chicken Dip Stuffed Bread Bowl

Yield: 8 Servings

Ingredients

8 oz. cream cheese, softened
1/3 cup sour cream
1/3 cup real mayonnaise
1 packet ranch seasoning
1/3 cup hot wing sauce
2 cups cheddar cheese (shredded & divided)
2 cups shredded chicken, cooked
1 loaf French bread

garnish: 2 green onions chopped
any chips, crackers, or veggies for dipping

Directions

Preheat oven to 350 degrees.

In a large mixing bowl, combine cream cheese, sour cream, mayo, ranch seasoning, wing sauce, cooked chicken, and 1 and 1/2 cups of the cheddar cheese. Stir well.

Remove the top middle inside portion of the loaf of bread and save pieces for dipping. Transfer dip to the inside of loaf. Sprinkle remaining 1/2 cup of cheese over the top.

Bake for 18-20 minutes until bread is toasted and dip is bubbling.

Serve with crackers, chips, celery, and/or other veggies.



WORSHIP SCHEDULE for APRIL, 2019

	APR 7	APR 14	APR 18	APR 19	APR 20	APR 21	APR 28
ALTAR GUILD	Pat Colleen	Judy H Cheryl	Nancy All Altar guild to strip altar		9:00 am Altar guild sets up Altar	Linda Sandy R	Jeanne Nancy
*ACOLYTES	Ella Mike H	Karen R Carlene	Mike H Lillian	Cheryl	Karen R Cheryl	Ella Lillian	Carlene Mike H
HOSPITALITY	Cheryl Mike	Nancy-Anne Lois				Marjorie Jim D	Allen Bill
GREETERS	Mary	Linda	volunteer	volunteer	volunteer	Kathleen	Joan
USHERS	Cheryl Mike	Cheryl Mike	volunteers	volunteers	volunteers	Cheryl Mike	Cheryl Mike
COUNTERS	Bill Nancy-Anne	Jim Mike				Nancy-Anne Mike	Jim Bill
SEASON	5th Sunday Lent <i>purple</i>	Palm Sunday <i>red</i>	Maundy Thursday <i>red</i>	Good Friday	Easter Vigil <i>white</i>	Easter <i>white</i>	Easter 2 <i>white</i>
	Rite I	Rite II	Rite II		Rite II	Rite II	Rite II
CHALICE BEARER	Anne	Jim	Karen R	Marjorie	Nancy-Anne	Anne	Cheryl
1ST LESSON	Cheryl	Nancy-Anne	Suzanne	Pat	Peter	Cheryl	Peter
2ND LESSON	Nancy-Anne	Peter	Mara	Nancy-Anne	Cheryl	Maureen	Suzanne
INTERCESSOR	Anne	Jim	Bill	Marjorie	Nancy-Anne	Anne	Jim
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Any changes made to this schedule must be made to the copy above Karen's desk, also.

If you are unable to serve, please call someone on the list to change and notify the appropriate leader.

Acolytes: it is imperative that you arrange any trade of dates. This is your responsibility.

April 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 April Fool's Day	2 10:00 a Holy Chatter Noon AA Meeting 8:00 p AA Meeting	3 6:00 p Potluck Program 7:30 p Choir Rehearsal	4	5	6 8:00 p AA meeting
7 8:30 a Holy Eucharist 9:30 a Living the Way of Love 10:30 a Holy Eucharist	8	9 10:00 a Holy Chatter Noon AA Meeting 8:00 p AA Meeting	10 6:00 p Potluck Program 7:30 p Choir Rehearsal	11	12	13 9:00 a Altar Guild & friends make Palm Crosses 8:00 p AA meeting
14 Palm Sunday 8:30 a Holy Eucharist 9:30 a Living the Way of Love 10:30 a Holy Eucharist	15 9:00 a Tidings deadline	16 10:00 a Holy Chatter Noon AA Meeting 8:00 p AA Meeting	17 6:00 p Potluck Program 7:30 p Choir Rehearsal	18 Maundy Thursday Noon, Heinen's Group 7:30 p, Maundy Thu service	19 Good Friday 7:30 p, Good Friday service	20 9:00 a Altar Guild sets up altar 7:30 p, Easter Vigil service 10:00 p AA Meeting
21 Easter 2 Cents a Meal 8:30 a Holy Eucharist 10:30 a Holy Eucharist 2:00 p, Nursing Home service	22 Earth Day	23 10:00 a Holy Chatter Noon AA Meeting 8:00 p AA Meeting	24 6:00 p Potluck Program 6:45 pm, Finance Mtg 7:30 p Choir Rehearsal	25 7:00 p Vestry Meeting	26	27 8:00 p AA meeting
28 8:30 a Holy Eucharist 9:30 a Living the Way of Love 10:30 a Holy Eucharist 12:00 p Connecting Communities	29	30 10:00 a Holy Chatter Noon AA Meeting 8:00 p AA Meeting				