

03/17/19 Parish Announcements

Upcoming Events

- March 17** – Daughters of the King meeting, Youth Hall, after the 10:30 service
Lenten Small Group Study, Dale & Sylvia Walker's home, 4:30 p.m.
Lenten Small Group Study, Emily Osborn's home, 5:00 p.m.
- March 18** – Lenten Small Group Study, Rich Tillman & Laurel Owen's home, 7:00 p.m.
- March 19** – Breathe and Be Better, Parish Hall, 10:30 a.m.
Vestry Meeting, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Blue Room
- March 20** – Preparation for Communion Class, 5:15 p.m. in the Welcome Center
Confirmation Class, 5:45 p.m., Welcome Center
- March 23** – The Rev. Andy Parker's Interment, 1:00 p.m. at Grace Garden
- March 24** – Brotherhood of St. Andrew Study and Breakfast, 7:00 a.m., Parish Hall
Lenten Small Group Study, Dale & Sylvia Walker's home, 4:30 p.m.
Lenten Small Group Study, Emily Osborn's home, 5:00 p.m.
- March 25** – Lenten Small Group Study, Rich Tillman & Laurel Owen's home, 7:00 p.m.
Round Dance Lessons, 7-8:00 p.m., Parish Hall
- March 26** – Breathe and Be Better, Parish Hall, 10:30 a.m.
- March 27** – Confirmation class, 5:30 p.m., Welcome Center
- March 30** – Spring Work Day, 8:30-11:30 a.m.
- March 31** – Lenten Small Group Study, Dale & Sylvia Walker's home, 4:30 p.m.
Lenten Small Group Study, Emily Osborn's home, 5:00 p.m.

We pray:

- For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.
- For a Children's & Youth Minister
- For our efforts with the food basket, the prisons, and our work with local students.
- For our work with the Kellermann Foundation in Uganda
- For each member of our church; that they would be engaged in serving this parish and throughout the community.
- For a great kickoff of our Youth Group led by George Dingee

We pray especially for: Jennifer Dillard (Nancy Carter's daughter), Nancy Carter, Mary and Robert Stark, John and Gayle Pitts, Sherry and Ed White, Emily Osborn, Pat and Ed Redfern, Helen Packard, Harriet and Jim, Roy and Kay McKneely, The McCabe and Pyle family, Keith Frank and family, The Rev. Liz Parker and family, Cheryl, Chuck, Margo and Bob Hearn, Lane Harden, Linda, J. A. Smith, Debbie, Chris C., Sam, Billie, Mary and Dennis Young, Ann, Kerry, David (Sandra Weir's grandson), Sean, Drew, Gayle, Denise, Kelly, Carol, Shannon, Janet, Ed, Butch, Debbie, Sharon W., Billy and for our men and women serving in the Armed Forces at home and abroad, Brad, Lucas, Annie, Justin, Brian, Joseph and Ed.

For all of our local churches and today we pray for St. Jerome Catholic Church in Clute.

We give thanks for those celebrating birthdays this week: Tre Wade, Lucas Richardson, Kyle Young, Michael McCabe, Matthew McCabe and Eli McLeod.

We give thanks for those celebrating anniversaries this week:

Did you know that St. Timothy's has an email prayer list? It is called **St. Timothy's Prayer Partners**, and it's a great way to know who needs prayers, and to request prayers. Joining is easy – send an email to sttimothysprayerpartners-subscribe@yahoogroups.com, and follow the instructions you get back. Already a

member? Any member can send an email to sttimothysprayerpartners@yahoo.com. If you have any questions, contact Sondra Griner or Carol Bohley, our group moderators at sttimothysprayerpartners-owner@yahoo.com.

Rev. Andrew Parker's interment and will be Saturday, March 23rd 1:00 pm at St. Timothy's with Rev. Liz Parker presiding. At 1:00 pm family and friends will gather in our Parish Hall to form a New Orleans-style "Second Line" and process with jazz music and joy to our Grace Garden where Andy's ashes will be laid to rest. Afterwards there will be a reception in the Parish Hall to celebrate Andy. Rev. Andrew Parker was rector of St. Timothy's 2000-2015 and rector of Emmanuel Episcopal Church in Houston at the time of his passing. See Kim Lehnhoff with any questions.

Preparation for Communion Class, Wednesday, March 20th, 5:15 p.m. in the Welcome Center.

Spring Work Day – Saturday, March 30th, 8:30-11:30 a.m. We plan to spruce up the outside so bring your garden tools and come be a part of our annual Spring Work Day.

- Bring your string trimmers, blowers, clippers, hoes, garden and leaf racks, shovels and wheel barrows.
- We will be weeding the flower beds along with some minor clipping. No new mulch this time. We will use garden racks to spruce up the existing mulch.
- Bring the kids and make it a family affair.

Friday Evening Prayer as a Lenten Discipline - Can you make some quiet time for God at the end of your work week? Evening prayers can help you thank Him for the day's blessings and ask for His forgiveness of your sins and protection. It is an excellent time to take stock of your week's activities in a quiet atmosphere where, in His presence you can hear His word, make an examination of conscience and say a heartfelt Act of Contrition followed by prayers. Join us any Friday at 5:15 in the St. Timothy's chapel. The entire service lasts about 30 minutes.

Lenten Small Group Study – "Living the Resurrection Reality," is this year's Lenten topic. Almost all Christians know about the resurrection but people can sometimes take the commemoration of Jesus' resurrection very lightly, or even grow a bit dull to what it means for us personally. This 6 week study focuses on 1 Corinthians 15, the Apostle Paul's explanation of what it means. Join us for this study as we journey together in Lent towards the cross of Christ.

- Sundays, 4:30 p.m. at Dale & Sylvia Walker's home.
- Sundays, 5:00 p.m. at Emily Osborn's home.
- Mondays, 7:00 p.m. at Rich Tillman & Laurel Owen's home.

Lent Madness moves into its second week! Catch your Lent Madness Saintry Scorecard and bracket in the Narthex!! The [Lent Madness website](#) will catch you up if you're considering joining in the madness. If you're just joining in the fun, we're glad you're here! There's plenty of madness to go and we're delighted to have people jump aboard the purple Lenten train at any point in the season. Remember each pairing remains open for 24 hours as participants read about and then vote to determine which saint moves on to the next round. Catch the Bracket winners in the Hall outside the office or down the long hall to the Parish Hall. We're still working through pairings to the Saintry Sixteen. Check with Kim and Mark Lehnhoff for questions! Who will win the **Golden Halo???**

Sew much fun sewing for the Batwa! - We had a great time with our sewing days last Saturday and Sunday. We enjoyed each other's company, and we made great progress on sewing feminine hygiene products for the Batwa girls. Our sewing project will help keep the girls in school, and benefits them, their families, and their community. We are well on our way to contributing 50 kits!

Our next sewing days will be Saturday, April 6 from 10:00 - 2:00, and Sunday April 7 from 9:00 - 1:00.

Our group sewing days are open to sewers of all skill levels. If you are a beginner sewer, you can get some practice on the St. Timothy's sewing machine, or bring your own, and we'll help you learn how to use it. The bags and liners

are great beginner projects. If you don't sew at all, we can use people who help with things like ironing, tracing patterns and cutting out fabric.

Contact Sondra Griner or Dale Rasco for more information.

The Hall is opened daily Monday-Thursday, 3:15-5:00 p.m. to Lake Jackson Intermediate students. This year additional assistance is provided by Kathy Hutchison, Mary Stark, Rick Griner and Rich Tillman. As well, Harriet Cutshall and Sharon McKey remain on staff. If you would like to assist in any way, please contact Sharon McKey at 979-285-3567.

Food Basket Pantry – 29.5 pounds of food were delivered. An idea for Lent: Give 40 cans of vegetables, 40 pounds of beans or 40 cans of tuna, or 40 jars of spaghetti sauce. We could really make a difference! Thanks for your generosity to help our neighbors in need!

Please join us on Tuesday or Saturday mornings at 8:30 a.m. (1 Wesley Drive, Clute, TX 77531).

Camp Allen Corner - Camp Allen has so many things to offer to people of all ages, and groups of many interests. Here is what's coming up!

April 26-27 Family Campout

April 26-28 Birds & Blooms

May 1 Starry Nights Austin

May 17-19 Fly Fishing for All

Use this link for more information and registration:

<https://www.campallen.org/registerforevents.html>

El Chico – Bring your bulletin to El Chico on Sunday and/or Wednesday and receive 10% off your meal. El Chico matches and gives 10% back to the church.



Rector's Forum – 9:15 a.m. in the Blue Room – “Common Questions About Faith”

- How can I know to trust and to look to God's Word?
- Is the Bible reliable?
- Don't all religions lead to God?
- I believe in Christ but why be part of a church?
- Is there rational evidence for God's existence?
- How can I separate spiritual truth from fiction?
- How can a loving God allow suffering?
- Doesn't science and religion conflict?
- Christians come across judgmental.
- Isn't religion just a crutch or at best a cultural construct?

Christian Formation

- Level I Atrium (3-5 year olds)

- Level II Atrium (Kindergarten through 3rd grade)

- Hearts Alive (4th, 5th and 6th grade).

Classes will gather at the chairs in the Formation hallway. High schoolers are encouraged to attend the Rector's Adult Formation class in the Blue Room. Three year-olds and younger are welcome in the Nursery.

Quiet Bags and Packets are available for children to use during the worship service. Bags are designed for ages 3-5 and contain a quiet church friend, a book and activities. Packets for grades K-3 contain books, worship leaflets and activities. The Bags and Packets are available in the entrance hall to the church.

This Week at St. Timothy's

Sunday, March 17, 2019

8:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite I

9:15 a.m. – Faith Formation

10:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite II

11:45 a.m. – Daughters of the King meeting, Youth Hall

4:30 p.m. – Lenten Small Group Study, Dale & Sylvia Walker's home

5:00 p.m. – Lenten Small Group Study, Emily Osborn's home

Monday, March 18, 2019

3:15-5:00 p.m. – The Hall (open to Lake Jackson Intermediate students)

7:00 p.m. – Lenten Small Group Study, Rich Tillman & Laurel Owen's home

Tuesday, March 19, 2019

10:30 a.m. – Breathe and Be Better, Parish Hall

3:15-5:00 p.m. – The Hall (open to Lake Jackson Intermediate students)

Wednesday, March 20, 2019

8:30 a.m. – Army of Retired Men (ARM), All are welcome

10:00 a.m. – Sewing Group (Parish Hall)

3:15-5:00 p.m. – The Hall (open to Lake Jackson Intermediate students)

4:30 p.m. – Children's Choir Rehearsal

5:00 p.m. – Centering Prayer (Guild Room)

5:15 p.m. – Preparation for Communion Class, Welcome Center

5:45 p.m. – Confirmation Class, Welcome Center

6:00 p.m. – Gentle Yoga (Blue Room)

6:30 p.m. – Joyful Noyse Choir Rehearsal

7:00 p.m. – Senior Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, March 21, 2019

3:15-5:00 p.m. – The Hall (open to Lake Jackson Intermediate students)

Friday, March 22, 2019

9:00 a.m. – Healing Prayer Group (Home of Char Aslakson)

5:15 p.m. – Evening Prayer, St. Timothy's Chapel

Saturday, March 23, 2019

1:00 p.m. – The Rev. Andy Parker's Interment at Grace Garden

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