

9/9/18 Parish Announcements

Upcoming Events

- **September 9** - Brotherhood of St. Andrew Study and Breakfast, 7:00 a.m. (Parish Hall)
Sunday School Kickoff and Parents Open House, 9:15 a.m.
- **September 10** - Round Dance Lessons, 7:00-8:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall
- **September 14** – Deadline for Mission Uganda items
- **September 16** – Packing for Mission Uganda (after the late service)
Vestry Meeting, Blue Room, 4:30-6:30 p.m.

Birthday and Anniversary Prayer

O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servant N. as he begins another year. Grant that he may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen his trust in your goodness all the days of his life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

We give thanks for those celebrating birthdays this week: Sydney Weber and Brendan Kimbrough.

We give thanks for those celebrating anniversaries this week: No 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@yahoogroups.com. If you have any questions, contact Sondra Griner or Carol Bohley, our group moderators at sttimothysprayerpartners-owner@yahoogroups.com.

Vestry nominations are open - Forms are available in the Narthex or visit St. Timothy's homepage and click on the "Vestry Nomination Form" (green button) and download the form. Deadline to turn your form in is September 24th.

Online Giving – Did you know that you can pay your pledge, make memorial donations, make a Grace Garden purchase, give to the Capital Replacement Fund, the Hall, the Music Fund and flowers through Simple Give? The church offers this online service as a convenience to the congregation and there's no charge to you to use this service. However, the church is charged a flat fee of 1% for drafts/ACH transactions coming out of your checking or savings account. The church is charged 3.09% for credit card transactions.

The Simple Give icon is at the bottom of St. Timothy's home page or go to: <http://my.simplegive.com/sttims> You can set up an online account or make one time contributions without creating an account.

ARE YOU GETTING THE WEEKLY BLAST? - Make sure you are signed up for our email newsletter – The Blast. Signing up for the Blast ensures you are up-to-date on the latest parish news, even if you are out of town. To request to join our mailing list, just send an email to our Blast editor, Sondra Griner, at sgriner@sbcglobal.net.

Our flower beds are in need of some TLC. If you have 3-4 hours once a month, please consider helping. Contact Jim Cutshall at 979-297-6143 (home) or 979-235-9590 (cell).

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, Rich Tillman and Arleen Frank. 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.

Help Support the Church Team Going to Uganda -We are selling very attractive t-shirts with the St. Timothy's logo. Shirts are \$20 and 100% of the proceeds go to cover team costs, and we still have plenty of shirts left including extra-large. Pick one up this Sunday before they run out!

Mission Uganda - We have 99.5 % of our supplies and as a parish we hit a Grand Slam! A BIG Thank You to everyone who has contributed, time, money, donated items, who has sown so many items and bought t-shirts. We could not have done this without you, and the Ugandan children, especially the Batwa, and the expecting and new mothers and others there will be SO GRATEFUL to receive these much needed items, thanks to you.

Uganda Sewing Ministry - We have started a sewing ministry to support our international mission to Uganda. We will be making blankets for new mothers, scarves, decorated school bags, and larger bags for the pregnancy center and ladies in the village.

You are encouraged to join us on Wednesday mornings from 9:30-12 to sew as a group. If you would like to contribute by sewing on your own, patterns will be available in the Parish Hall. For more information, contact Sherry White at 997-0444 or Dale Rasco at 297-2625.

Camp Allen Corner

September 21-22 Gramps Camp

For more information on these events use this link: <http://campallen.org/>

Food Basket Update: Current needs are: cream soups, canned meats (but not tuna), hygiene products and breakfast cereal. Thank you for your generosity in helping to feed our neighbors.

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 - at 9:15 a.m. in the Blue Room. Fr. Brendan will have a study on *Women of the Bible*. This is a study of women in the Bible who are exemplars of the faith. Women like Sarah, Ruth, Deborah, Mary and Mary Magdalene. And while these women do stand out, they do not stand alone. The women we will focus on are important, but they stand with other women who figure into the biblical narrative but who, in some cases, are not even named. We will look at them as well. Come join us Sunday mornings at 9:15 in the Blue Room starting this Sunday.



This morning, September 9th, 9:15 a.m. – Christian Formation Open House. Come join us! We will gather at the end of the Sunday School hallway for refreshments and fellowship. All children and adults are invited. Then we invite you to join us in the Atrium Level II room to gather around the Prayer Table so that we can all pray together.

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, September 9, 2018

7:00 a.m. – Brotherhood of St. Andrew Study and Breakfast (Parish Hall)

8:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite I

9:15 a.m. – Sunday School Kickoff and Parents Open House; Rector's Forum

10:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Monday, September 10, 2018

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

Tuesday, September 11, 2018

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

Wednesday, September 12, 2018

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

9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. - Uganda Sewing Ministry in the Parish Hall

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

4:30 p.m. – Children's Choir

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

6:00 p.m. – Gentle Yoga (Blue Room)

7:00 p.m. – Senior Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, September 13, 2018

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

Friday, September 14, 2018

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

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

Saturday, September 15, 2018

Sunday, September 16, 2018

8:00 a.m. - Holy Eucharist, Rite I

9:15 a.m. – Children's Formation, No Rector's Forum

10:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite II

12:00 p.m. – Mission Uganda Packing

4:30 p.m. – Vestry Meeting (Blue Room)