LENT

PARISH EVENTS:
2/24-2/26 - PARISH MISSION
2/26 - ASH WEDNESDAY
2/28 - FISH FRY & STATIONS (LED BY CURSILLO)
3/6 - FISH FRY & MULTIMEDIA STATIONS OF THE CROSS
3/8 - LENT SCRIPTURE STUDY SERIES 1 OF 3
3/9 - ADULT CONFIRMATION ORIENTATION
3/9 - LENT TAIZÉ SERVICE
3/13 - SOUP SUPPER & STATIONS (LED BY YOUTH)
3/14 - ST. JOSEPH'S TABLE
3/15 - LENT SCRIPTURE STUDY SERIES 2 OF 3
3/20 - FISH FRY & STATIONS (LED BY COUPLES FOR CHRIST)
3/22 - LENT SCRIPTURE STUDY SERIES 3 OF 3
3/27 - FISH FRY & STATIONS (LED BY YOUNG ADULTS)
3/29 - COUPLES FOR CHRIST EVENT
3/30 - LENTEN PENANCE SERVICE
4/3 - SOUP SUPPER & STATIONS (LED BY RCIA)

OTHER RESOURCES:
DAILY VIDEO REFLECTIONS: WWW.BESTLENTEVER.COM
LENT MUSIC ON SPOTIFY: "CATHOLIC LENT" BY CLARKROB13
FAMILY ACTIVITIES: WWW.THERELIGIONTEACHER.COM/LENT-ACTIVITIES/
The Season of Lent is Upon Us

As we begin the Season of Lent, first of all, let us pray for each other. We ask our loving God to watch over us, guide our thoughts and actions, grant us the graces we need for repentance and renewal, and stir up within us the flame of the Holy Spirit. As we look toward personal renewal and deepened relationship with Jesus, so also a renewal of our communities, our nation, and our world. “Think globally, act locally” is a good way to look at this. One act of love has eternal consequences, so let’s look to the corporal works of mercy and charity in the weeks ahead as one way of intentionally living this Lenten Season.

Ash Wednesday

6:00am and 7:00pm Liturgy of the Word with Distribution of Ashes
8:30am, 12:15pm, 5:30pm Mass with Distribution of Ashes

Fridays of Lent

5:00pm Fish Fry (2/28; 3/6; 3/20; 3/27) Soup Dinner (3/13; 4/3)
7:00pm Stations of the Cross

Lenten Regulations

Everyone 14 years of age and older is bound to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and all Fridays of Lent.

Everyone who is at least 18 years of age and not yet 60 is bound to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. (Fasting: one main meal, two smaller if needed; no eating between meals)

Where health or the ability to work would be seriously affected, the law does not oblige.

Sacrament of Penance (Confession)

Tuesday evenings 5:00-6:00pm
Saturday afternoons 3:30-4:30pm
First Confessions 10:00am on Saturday, March 14
Faith Formation Confessions During class times on March 17 and March 18
Parish Penance Service 7:00pm on Monday, March 30
Msgr. John and Father Joseph are also available by appointment (949-249-4091)
**ASH WEDNESDAY**

**FEBRUARY 26**

**6AM**  
**8:30AM**  
**12:15PM**  
**5:30PM**  
**7PM**

**Senior Spirituality**

Join us as we explore Serenity for Seniors through themes suggested in the Joan Chittister book, “The Gift of Years.” Led by Shirley Filadelfia, the group will meet starting March 2, on Monday mornings in the Upper Room from 9:30am-11:30am.

For more information: contact Sally Hotchkiss at 949-249-4096 or shotchkiss@st-timsrc.org.

**Blood Drive**

**St Timothy Catholic Church**

Parish Hall  
29102 Crown Valley Pkwy  
Laguna Niguel, CA 92677

**Sunday, March 1, 2020**  
**7:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.**


**SAINT TIMOTHY**

**SPEAKER SERIES**

**MISSION - Sat., Feb. 22nd - Wed., Feb. 26th, 2020. 9am & 7pm M-W**

Father Richard Leonard, S.J.

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**MAKE A LENTEN PROMISE TO PRAY FOR AN END TO ABORTION IN MISSION VIEJO!**

Go To: [www.40daysforlife.com](http://www.40daysforlife.com) to connect with your local leader and find a Prayer Vigil Location near you!

Local Contact:

Vicky Fershin, vfershin@me.com, 949-280-1474  
Patti Mires, pmires29@yahoo.com, 949-933-0474

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops  
Place ‘Preeminent Priority’ on Stopping Abortion!
Deadline Extended: Independent Compensation Program
The registration deadline for the Independent Compensation Program (ICP) for Victim-Survivors of Sexual Abuse of Minors by Priests has been extended. Victim-survivors have until February 29 to register online at www.californiadiocesesicp.com to have their claim considered. Registration is the first step to register new allegations of abuse in the ICP. For more information, please visit justice.rcbo.org.

“Do this in memory of me,” a Reflection for Lent
At every Mass, in its most solemn moment, the celebrant pronounces the words which Jesus uttered at the Last Supper, words which we believe miraculously change the substance of what had been bread and wine into the body and blood of Christ. For most of my life, I thought the ending sentence, “Do this in memory of me,” only represented the Lord’s commission to the apostles, their successors and the priests of his Church to continue the miracle of transubstantiation during the celebration of the Eucharistic Banquet. But now I see in those powerful ending words a broader commission which extends to all of us.

What is the “this” in the Lord’s invitation to “do this in memory of me?” Consider the words which precede it: “This is my body, which will be given up for you” and “This is the chalice of my blood…which will be poured out for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins.” Are these not also Christ’s invitation to all of us, clergy and laity alike, to dedicate our bodies and, if required, to shed our own blood for the forgiveness of our sins and the sins of others, to become in the words of Saint Paul imitators of Christ and of his heavenly Father? If so, then we are called to be imitators of Christ’s life as well as participants in his death and resurrection. To imitate his love and compassion for the poor and the suffering while accepting our own suffering with courage and patience; to forgive the faults of others; to respect all of God’s creation; to pray for those who persecute us.

Seminarians are told early on that the call to the priesthood is a call to be an Alter Christus, another Christ. This can be a call to all of us as well. We too can strive to live our lives as another Christ. Lent is a good time to start. (By Bill Kramer, Life, Justice and Peace)
The Knights of Columbus Present...

St. Joseph's Table

Everyone’s Welcome and Encouraged to Participate!

Saturday, March 14th, 2020 - 12 PM - 8:30 PM

- **12-3:00 PM** - enjoy a FREE spaghetti luncheon for the parish and community.
- **6-8:30 PM** - a delicious multi-course Italian dinner presented by Chef Frederic Castan, $20.00/ticket - table seating and reservations available.
- Raffle Prizes, Live Auction, Home Baked Goods, Flowers, and Religious Items will be available for purchase.

St. Joseph’s Table will feature a beautifully decorated “altar” filled with for-sale baked delights and flowers in the traditional Italian-American style. Gift baskets will be available for purchase, plus raffle and auction items. Please donate your favorite homemade baked recipe. We need raffle gifts and auction items. Sponsorships and souvenir packages will be offered.

All proceeds to benefit KofC charities.

For more information contact:
Rocky Cifone at rocky.kofc12834@gmail.com or
Doug Peel @ 949-302-6591

ST. TIMOTHY
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
COUNCIL 12834
ST TIMOTHY YOUTH
@sttimsyouthministry

SUNDAY: God at the Center
Join us for this Life Night on how to keep God at the center of your life from 6-8PM in the Upper Room. Bring a friend! We also hope to see you for our Parish Mission this week and for Mass on Ash Wednesday! See below for details!

LIFE NIGHTS
SUNDAYS 6-8PM / UPPER ROOM
Questions? Contact Vanessa Serna: vserna@st-timsr.org.

DROP-IN
Every Thursday from 3-5pm the Youth Room is open to teens in high school. Come get help with homework, play Smash on Nintendo Switch, play pool or ping pong, eat food & relax.

PARISH MISSION
Father Richard Leonard is a Jesuit priest and film critic from Australia and he will be leading our parish mission by preaching at the Masses on February 22-23, and then giving talks at 9am & 7pm on February 24-26. Hope to see you there!

ASH WEDNESDAY
Ash Wednesday is February 26th and is the beginning of the season of Lent, a season of prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Come receive your ashes at 6am, 8:30am, 12:15pm, 5:30pm or 7pm.

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY @thrive_yam
THURSDAYS 7:30 - 9PM / YOUTH ROOM / 18+

THRIVE 7:30 THURSDAYS
Are you looking for a consistent young adult community where you can meet new people and grow in your relationship with Jesus? THRIVE is a weekly young adult ministry that seeks to build community through fellowship, prayer, lectionary, and discussion about our lives, current events and our faith. All are welcome and invited to join us as we seek to live out our Catholic faith in the world.
Elementary Faith Formation

There is an amazing group of people who spend their time, talent, treasure and tons of energy preparing three weeks out of the month to bring the Sunday gospel to life for the children who participate in the Faith Formation program. These people have the special name of “Catechist.” During each session, they teach about the upcoming Sunday Gospel: what was going on during Jesus’ time and then discover how and why it is important in their own lives. This also helps families get ready for Sunday and hopefully have great discussions after Mass! During the remaining months of the parish’s 40th anniversary year, these amazing catechists will be highlighted. They continue in a long line of catechists who pass on the faith.

May their reward be great in HEAVEN!

Here’s a question answered by Mrs. Addie Carroll and Mrs. Kristina Smith’s 3rd grade class.

What is your favorite part about coming to St. Timothy for Faith Formation class?

- Spending time with my friends and my teachers.
- Learning new things about Jesus and God.
- Learning “sign language”.
- Hearing about new places in the world where Jesus helped and healed people.
- Bringing my bunny rabbit to share with the class on the feast of Saint Francis of Assisi.
- Seeing Saint Nicholas and learning he was a bishop in our church.
- I love to come and learn and have a snack.
- Learning and helping the St. Vincent de Paul food pantry.
- My Mom is one of our teachers and I love that she’s here with me.
- Going over to the little church that would be The Holy Family Chapel.
- Learning new stuff and how to be good.
- Watching movies about Jesus and the Saints.
- Learning new prayers together.

Children’s Faith Formation Office: 949/495-4126
**Mass Intentions for the Week**

**Saturday, February 22**
5:00 p.m. Robert Begley, Sr.,†
and James & Theresa Nguyen,†

**Sunday, February 23**
7:00 a.m. Ruth Douglas,† and Joan Regalado,†
9:00 a.m. For the People of St Timothy Parish
11:00 a.m. Crisanta Sagra,† and Jackie Brozovich,†
5:00 p.m. Lilian Perera,† and Evelyn Ryan,†

**Monday, February 24**
8:30 a.m. Rev. Stephen Deaver, living
and Elaine & Leonard Wilson, living

**Tuesday, February 25**
8:30 a.m. Jose Luis Avila,† and Jaime Parker,†

**Ash Wednesday, February 26**
6:00 a.m. Liturgy of the Word with Distribution of Ashes
8:30 a.m. Janet Cory, living and David Krug, living
12:15 p.m. Peg Hennessey,† and Joseph Thomas, living
5:30 p.m. For the People of St Timothy Parish
7:00 p.m. Liturgy of the Word with Distribution of Ashes

**Thursday, February 27**
8:30 a.m. For the Families in our Faith Formation Programs

**Friday, February 28**
8:30 a.m. Frank Santilli,†, Jennifer Blazek,† & Nick Traino,†

**Weekly Parish Offering**

**February 16, 2020**
Collection amount was not available at the time the bulletin was published.

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**Prayer for the Sick**

Liza Schuman Aber
Javier Acuña
Eduarda Alegra
Godofredo Armosado
Pam Ayers
Jerry Baker
Ed Baon
Edward Barron
Bob & Gina Berman
Urania Botiller
David Bowman
Bill Brooks
Shannon Botillier
Tony Castagno
Jerry Cara
Karen Caruso
Penelope Ceballos
Hunter Ciccarelli
Chavez Family
Roseann Coons
Jim Crawford
Jair Dol De Leon
Riley Dockerty
Ellen Doyle
Alicia Escobar
Don Flood
Robert Friaro
Lavelle Froboese
Wayne Froboese
Cynthia Gallaway
George Gallaway
Joe Garcia
Lydia Garcia
Geraldine Gauldiva
Body Glasscock
Ken Glasscock
Helene Gorritti
Dick Goodreau
John Grady, Sr.
Ariana Harner
Jerry Hayes
Suzan Hazard
Lily Hazzun
Ginny Horaney
Sue House
Yolanda Huapaya
Dianne Hurst
Lance & Amy Ishmael
Pamela Johnson
Kevin Keane
Duane Kinkade
Socorro Labit
Lorraine LaSala
Rochealavine
Henry Lawrence
Kate Lerner
Robert Leroux
Pat Lister
Reynaldo Lim
Adriana Lopez
Zenaida Loyola
Al Lubrano
Rose Mary Malak
Helen Malke
Gerry MacClevery
Luis Mantilla
V. Marie
Cody Marschak
Kim Marschak
Jennifer Martin
Irene McCarthy
Patty McCarthy
Mary Kennedy McCue
Mary McKellen
William Mitchell
Danny Moody
Eddy Morales
Clara Moshenko
Mario Murua
Ma. Victoria Nacario
David Norris
Sandra Nunez
Luke O’Heiden
Kathleen O’Regan
Richard Ornelas
Kyle Osborne
Martha Paez
Janet Panichi
Anita Parker
Russell Patrick
Adela Perez
Edgar Perez
Barbara Perrella
Nola Petty
Alan Pfister
John Pola
Dennis Preston
Maximo Pulzalanski
Frank & Inez Quevedo
Jojo Ramirez
Thomas Reyes
Donna Roget
Patrick Roux
Roland Rubalcava
Jack Samuels
Anna Senkowski
Henry Shahinian
Rodney Shaffer
Carol Sheley
Sigmund Sing
Barbara Smith
Howard Smith
Andrew Soto
Dale Tazbier
Robert Thomas
Susan Thomas
Vern Toomey
Anna & Kandiss Troy
Rosemary Valenzuela
Elizabeth Villa
Ana Villegas
Carol Virgilak
Patty Walsh
Blair Wilkinson
Sarah Winskill
Devin Greer Zachry
PARISH MISSION STATEMENT
The mission of Saint Timothy Parish is to form loving disciples of Jesus Christ who make a difference.

CLERGY:

Pastor: Monsignor John Urell
Parochial Vicar: Rev. Joseph Truong
Deacon: Rev. Mr. Ken Hobbs
Sunday Visitor Priest: Rev. Bernard Johnson, O. Praem

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE:
Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 5:00 p.m.
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday: 8:30 a.m.

CONFESSIONS:
Tuesday: 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Saturday: 3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:
Monday - Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Saturday: 9:00 a.m. - 4:45 p.m.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: 249-4091
Monday, Tuesday & Friday: 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Wednesday & Thursday: 8:30 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Saturday & Sunday: 7:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

FAITH FORMATION HOURS: 495-4126
Tuesday - Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Visit our Parish website for more information www.st-timsrc.org
Follow us on Facebook www.fb.com/sttimothycc

Stewardship Reflection
“But I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you…” MATTHEW 5:44

Love your enemies, easier said than done, no doubt. But, remember, the foundation of stewardship is prayer. When we are in close communication with God, it opens our heart and it turns our attention away from “me” and moves it towards God and others. It allows us to have a little more empathy for “our enemy”. When we pray for others, even “our enemies”, maybe it softens their hearts as well.