



THE CHURCH OF  
**SAINT TIMOTHY**  
*Philadelphia, Pennsylvania*  
*Founded 1928*



*“They all ate and were satisfied.”*

MATTHEW 14:20

*Celebrating 90 years of God's abundant grace*

August 2, 2020    Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Saint Timothy Rectory**

3001 Levick Street \* Philadelphia, PA 19149  
Telephone: 215-624-6188 \* Fax: 215-624-1316  
Open daily 9:00a.m. — 4:00p.m.

Reverend Michael S. Olivere, Pastor  
Reverend Jason E. Buck, In Residence  
Reverend Charles J. Noone, In Residence  
Reverend John A. Kolodziej, OSFS  
Sunday Ministry

**Pastoral Staff**

Sister Beatrice McElrone, SSJ  
*Director of Social Services*  
215-331-5436  
Ms. Anne Coneghen  
*Director of Music Ministries*  
215-624-6188 x102  
Mrs. Cheryl Kirschman  
*Coordinator of Religious Education*  
215-624-6188 x123  
Mr. Thomas Sullivan  
*Business Manager*  
215-624-6188 x104

**Sunday Mass**

Saturday evening: 4:30 pm  
Sunday: 6:30 am, 9:15 am, 12:00 pm

**Daily Mass**

Monday to Friday: 8:30 am  
Saturday: 8:30 am

**Summer Daily Mass Schedule:**

May 31-September 3  
Monday to Friday: 8:30a.m. & Saturday: 8:30 a.m.

**Holydays**

No Vigil Mass the day before the Holyday.  
Mass on the Holy day of Obligation:  
6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 12:05 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

**Blessed Trinity Regional Catholic School**

Hawthorne and Levick Streets  
Telephone: 215-338-9797 \* Fax: 215-331-6457  
Ms. Linda Milewski, Principal

**Saint Timothy Convent**

3033 Levick Street  
Telephone: 215-624-8333  
The Sisters of Saint Joseph  
The Sisters of Christian Charity



**ANNOINTING OF THE SICK**

Please contact the rectory to make arrangements for anointing and Communion for the sick and dying.

**RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)**

Confessions are heard every Saturday from 3:15 to 4:15pm in the lower church, or by appointment.

**BAPTISM OF CHILDREN**

The Sacrament of Baptism is administered on the second and fourth Sunday of each month at 1:00 pm in the upper church.  
Parents are asked to register for Baptism by calling the rectory.  
Pre Jordan instructions are required for parents and are held on the first Monday of each month at 7:00 pm in the rectory dining room.

**To be Announced**

**Please call the rectory to register for the class.**

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (PREP)**

Religious instruction for elementary school students takes place on Wednesday afternoons during the school year. Please contact Mrs. Cheryl Kirschman for more information .

**CHRISTIAN INITIATION of ADULTS**

This prepares adolescents and adults for Baptism and full communion in the Catholic Church.  
For more information, please contact the rectory.

**BLESSED SACRAMENT**

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held every Wednesday in the lower church beginning at 9:00 am and concluding at 12 noon.

**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE**

Arrangements for the Sacrament of Marriage must be made with one of the parish priests at least six months before the wedding date.

**NEW PARISHIONERS**

New parishioners are most welcome and are encouraged to register as soon as possible after moving into the parish.

**VISITS TO SICK AND HOMEBOUND**

The parish priests visit the sick in their homes and in area hospitals.  
Please contact the rectory to arrange a visit.



**PARISH GIVING** is a safe, secure and easy way to make online Parish and Church donations.  
Visit [st-tims.org](http://st-tims.org) for more information and to sign up.

## A Letter from our Pastor

Dear Friends,

It is hard to believe that we are already at the beginning of August. In many ways our time this summer has been surreal, especially since in the three months before summer began we were in quarantine. All of this is a sure reminder to us that, no matter how we look at it, time belongs to God, not to us.

I call your attention to the insert in today's bulletin, which highlights the great work of Catholic Social Services during this time of pandemic. Hundreds of thousands of people have been fed, thousands of babies and seniors in need have been cared for, and immigrants and those who are in special need have been assisted and supported. The amount of assistance that has been given to so many by the good work of Catholic Social Services is truly overwhelming, and I believe that we have an obligation to thank God for the multiple ways in which the face of Christ has been manifested through this great work to those who are most in need.

Many people in our own neighborhood have benefitted from this outreach. Twice a week now for several months, staff members from our own Blessed Trinity School have distributed meals from our archdiocesan Nutritional Development Services (which is an arm of Catholic Social Services) to the parents of our own school children and of children from the wider Mayfair community. These breakfast and lunch packages are enough to feed children for a week, and so many parents and their children continue to be so grateful for this gift of food, especially at this time when money, for so many, is tight.

I take this opportunity to thank each of you for your generosity in our recent MANNA food drive. You gifted us with many bags of non-perishable food items, all of which was given to Catholic Social Services to be used at their food distribution centers, especially in the cities of Philadelphia and Chester. During this time of pandemic, when so many are suffering in multiple ways, more people than ever have benefitted from the good work of these food pantries, but this has also caused these same pantries to be more quickly depleted of their stock. Your generosity, then, is received with gratitude at this time more than ever, by the staff of Nutritional Development Services (which coordinates the food centers throughout the Archdiocese), and by the good people who are the recipients of the food.

I think it is always important that we remember the good work of Catholic Social Services, but I think it is especially important during this time of particular need. So often the Church in these days gets a bad rap (and sometimes that bad rap is deserved). But the Church, as the Body of Christ, does much more good each day than otherwise. Our Philadelphia archdiocesan Catholic Social Services provides more social services to the people of the Delaware Valley than any other social services organization, and we provide these services to anyone, regardless of their religion, gender, ethnic or racial background, or immigration status. Anyone in need is assisted, with no questions asked. We do what Christ would do, period. That is, in the end, our vocation as his disciples.

Certainly all of this calls to mind the great work in our own parish community of Sister Bea McElrone. For almost thirty years, Sister Bea has ministered among us to those who are most in need, especially to our shut-ins and to those who are in need of food and other outreach. In the name of Jesus, and in imitation of Jesus, Sister goes about her work each day quietly, efficiently, and lovingly, giving life to the words of Jesus in Saint Matthew's gospel, "Whatever you did for one of these, the least of my sisters and brothers, you did for me." Thank you, Sister Bea, for your ever-abiding presence among us. You are, in every way, a blessing to us.

Please know that you and those you love are daily remembered in my Masses and my prayers.

Love and prayers,  
Father Olivere

**Mass Intentions**

- Monday, August 3rd** Ordinary Weekday  
8:30 am. *Thomas P. Glennon (19th Anniversary)*
- Tuesday, August 4th** Saint John Vianney  
8:30am *Harry Tufts*
- Wednesday, August 5th** Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major  
8:30am *Deceased Members of the Tufts Family*
- Thursday, August 6th** The Transfiguration of the Lord  
8:30am *Theresa E. Glennon Prescott (4th Anniversary)*
- Friday, August 7th** Saint Sixtus II  
8:30am *Helen and Frank Cahill*
- Saturday, August 8th** Saint Dominic  
8:30 am *Eileen and Edward Stark*  
4:30pm *Margaret R. Haag (90th Birthday)*
- Sunday, August 9th** Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
6:30am *Walter Jaskowiak, III*  
9:15am *Margaret Curran*  
12:00pm *Thomas Garvin*

**Sunday Scripture Readings**

**Sunday, Aug 9th:** Is 56:1, 6-7; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Rom 11:13-15, 29-32; Mt 15:21-28

**Church Memorials-Week of Aug. 2nd**

The Sanctuary Light in the Upper Church will burn  
*In Loving Memory of Harry McCall*

The Bread and Wine are offered in the Upper Church  
*In Loving Memory of Joseph W. & Margaret M. Lyskiewicz*

The Sanctuary Light in the Lower Church will burn  
*In Loving Memory of Stephen Burns*

The Bread and Wines are offered in the Lower Church  
*In Honor of Margaret R. Haag (Living)*

**THANK YOU**

Thank you for your continued support of Saint Timothy Parish through the use of your Sunday envelopes and Parish Giving. Sunday envelopes may be dropped off at the rectory through the mail slot, or mailed directly to:

**Saint Timothy's Rectory**  
3001 Levick St.  
Philadelphia, PA 19149



**Parish Calendar**

| Monday August 3   | Tuesday August 4  | Wednesday August 5  | Thursday August 6 | Friday August 7   | Saturday August 8 | Sunday August 9   |
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| 3pm CYO Athletics | 3pm CYO Athletics   | 3pm CYO Athletics   | 3pm CYO Athletics | 3pm CYO Athletics | 9am CYO Athletics |   |
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**Altar Server Schedule—August 2nd**

- ALTAR SERVERS**
- Mon., 8:30 am  
Tue., 8:30 am  
Wed., 8:30 am  
Thu., 8:30 am  
Fri., 8:30 am
- Saturday, Aug 8th**  
4:30 pm T. Hylan
- Sunday, Aug. 9th**  
9:15 am A. Dinh, K. Trzeciok-Moson  
12:00 pm E. Garcia, C. Thompson
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**Mount Saint Joseph Academy**

The Mount invites all interested girls entering 8th grade to the Practice Test (Pre-HSPT) on **Saturday, August 15.**

Register today at [msjacad.org/practicetest](https://msjacad.org/practicetest).

For more information or with any questions, email the Admissions Team at [admiss@msjacad.org](mailto:admiss@msjacad.org).

## IMPORTANT GUIDELINES AS WE RETURN TO CHURCH

We remind you of our guidelines as we gather as a community of faith for Sunday Mass in light of the COVID-19 pandemic:

- a. Everyone is asked to wear a mask to church, that is, as you approach church, while you are in church, and when you leave church; obviously your mask will be removed when you come forward to receive Holy Communion;
- b. We ask everyone to sit only in the designated pews that are not roped-off;
- c. Please social distance from parishioners while entering and exiting the church;
- d. When in your pew, you may sit with your family members and/or the people with whom you live; if anyone else is in the same pew as you and your family, please social distance from them;
- e. Please try to keep a distance of six (6) feet from the person in front of you when coming forward to receive Holy Communion;
- f. The Communion procession will form and come forward as a single line (as opposed to the regular double line);
- g. The ushers will not be taking up the collection; I ask you to please place your church envelope/offering in one of the designated baskets (at the center of the church or at either end of the altar rail);
- h. Church bulletins are placed for your taking next to the collection baskets;
- i. Holy Water has been removed from the stoups for everyone's safety;
- j. It is strongly recommended that everyone receive Holy Communion in the hand for the time being;
- k. There are hand sanitizer dispensers located at all the entrances to the church, so that you may use them upon entering and exiting;
- l. The Church will be thoroughly sanitized after each Mass.

It is very important for everyone to remember that the obligation to attend Sunday Mass is still lifted in this Archdiocese for the time being; **therefore NO ONE is obligated to attend Mass even now that we are again open.** If you are not well or if you feel uncomfortable, please stay home! We will continue to record Mass and make it available on our Facebook page and on our website for the foreseeable future.

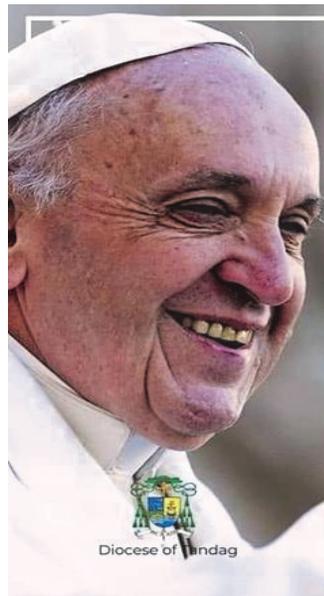
### Scrip is open:

Tuesday 1-4pm  
Wednesday 9am-4pm  
Thursday 9am-4pm  
Friday 9am-12pm

215-624-6188

Sanctuary Light and Bread and Wines Memorials are available for September through December . Please contact the rectory if you would like to remember a loved one with a Sanctuary Light or Bread and Wine.

215-624-6188



“ Rivers do not drink their own water; trees do not eat their own fruit; the sun does not shine on itself and flowers do not spread their fragrance for themselves. Living for others is a rule of nature. We are all born to help each other. No matter how difficult it is...Life is good when you are happy; but much better when others are happy because of you.

Pope Francis ”

[/TandagDiocese](https://www.facebook.com/TandagDiocese)

**PARISH PRAYER INTENTIONS**

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|---------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| Janice Buck         | Patrick Kelly        | Sheri Perry         |
| Bentley Baker       | Tim Kelly            | Pete                |
| Josephine Brescia   | Matthew Jann         | Rivera Family       |
| Burns Family        | Raymond Jann         | Charlotte Rychlicki |
| Carmela Cella       | Bob Jones            | Sue Zeoli           |
| Jack Dillon         | Christina Kosyla     |                     |
| Joan Dillon         | Jerry Levicoff       |                     |
| Daniel J. Dougherty | Christina Mican      |                     |
| Julia Doyle         | Joan Migliore Mannin |                     |
| Lisa Christ-Escher  | Patti Martin         |                     |
| Cindy Garbacki      | Fran Murray          |                     |
| Mason Garro         | Joanmarie Nolan      |                     |
| Deacon Ed Hanley    | Julia Oiellana       |                     |
| Judy Herdman        | Mary Ousey           |                     |
| Isa                 |                      |                     |



*Let them be filled with patience and joy in your presence as they wait for your healing touch. Please restore your servants to full health, dear Father. Remove all fear and doubt from their hearts by the power of your Holy Spirit, and may you, Lord, be glorified through their life, Amen.*

**\*\*We will be happy to keep the name of your loved one on the sick list for three weeks. Hopefully, by that time, they will have recovered. If you wish to extend a request for prayers beyond that time, please call the rectory in order to place the request on the prayer list again.\*\***

*May the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.*



*Margaret D. Lieb  
William Steel*

**FOOD FOR THE NEEDY**

We continue to need and appreciate your donations to help those experiencing hard times . Please drop off your donation (bag of **non-perishables**) on the front porch of the Rectory (3001) any time between 9 and 3am, Monday or Tuesday. God bless your efforts in this outreach.



**Parish Social Ministry 215-331-5436  
Sr. Bea McElrone, SSJ**

**PCA's Health Promotion Unit** is now offering FREE remote health and wellness programs to manage chronic health conditions and improve physical activity! See below for information.

**Chronic Disease Self-Management Program – Help Yourself to Health**

The Chronic Disease Self-Management Program offers a free remote health and wellness workshop for older adults (60+) called Help Yourself to Health\*. This evidence based program is geared to empower older adults to effectively manage their health conditions including (but not limited to) diabetes, asthma, heart disease, and high blood pressure. Participants will learn how to take charge of their conditions and any associated symptoms, such as managing pain, depression and overcoming physical limitations. Program materials will be offered in English and Spanish. This is a unique opportunity for seniors to stay connected and gain a wealth of information – all from the comfort of home!

If interested, please contact  
Lauren Jirinec at (215) 765-9000, ext. 5119  
or Stephen Merrill at (215)765-9000, ext. 5123



**Available through the Ministry Office  
215-331-5436**

Medical Equipment Items:  
Cane, walker with seat, shower chair, shower bench, commode, wheel chair, women and men's protective underwear.



**Caring For Friends**

Caring for Friends are in need of one, or two volunteers to drop off meals every other week in our area.

If you are available, please call Steve at:  
215-464-2224 ext. 125.

**PREP – Mrs. Cheryl Kirschman  
215-624-6188 Ext. 123**

**Registration for PREP year 2020-2021**

Please contact Mrs. Kirschman in the Religious Education office for more information.

**The fee will be \$70/child.**

Returning students will have information mailed to their home address.. Classes are scheduled to begin in October.

SCRIP-Mr. Thomas Sullivan  
215-624-6188 ext. 106

**The Scrip Program** benefits so many people in our parish. It helps those who participate with their tuition costs to Blessed Trinity School and Saint Timothy Parish as well. Are you looking for a way to give back to your Parish, SCRIP is the program for you. Volunteer your time, purchase SCRIP gift cards (at face value and a small percentage is allotted towards the Parish or a young person's tuition). There are many ways to be involved. Check out our expansive list of participating stores: grocery, retail, restaurants, movies. You can't go wrong with gift cards. Stop by on the SCRIP office

**Tuesday:** 1pm to 4pm  
**Wednesday:** 9am to 12pm and 1pm to 4pm  
**Thursday:** 9am to 12pm and 1pm to 4pm  
**Friday:** 9am to 12pm

### A Prayer from Father Olivere

Let us Pray for peace in our country Lord, have mercy on us!

O God, author and giver of peace,  
in whose image and likeness each of us has been created with a human dignity worthy of respect on earth and destined for eternal glory,  
Listen to the cry that rises from every corner of this fragile earth, from our human family torn by violent conflict:

Give peace in our time, O good and gracious God,  
that peace which, as your son Jesus Christ told us  
and as we have experienced in these days,  
is a peace which the world cannot give.

To world leaders grant the wisdom  
to see beyond the boundaries of race, religion, and nation  
to that common humanity that makes us all your children  
and brothers and sisters to one another.

To those who have taken up arms in anger or revenge  
or even in the cause of justice  
grant the grace of conversation to the path of peaceful  
dialogue and constructive collaboration.

To the innocent who live in the shadow of war and terror,  
especially the frightened children,  
be a shelter and strength, their haven and hope.

And to those who have already lost their lives  
as victims of human cruelty and chemical warfare,  
open wide your arms and enfold them all  
in the embrace of your compassion, healing, and  
everlasting life.

Grant this through Jesus Christ, your son, our Lord.  
Mary, Mother of all Queen of peace, pray for us.

Music Ministry  
Anne Coneghen 215-624-6188 Ext. 102



**Choir and Hand Bells are  
suspended until further notice**

Remaining 2019 Sanctuary Memorials



September 27th: Sanctuary Light (UC)  
September 27th: Sanctuary Light (LC)  
October 11th: Bread and Wine (UC)  
October 11th: Sanctuary Light (LC)



Blessed Trinity Tuition Office  
215-624-6188 x110 / 215-338-9797 x122

**CONTACT:** Sr. Mary Elizabeth Farrell, SSJ.  
or Mr. Tom Sullivan  
[mf Farrell@st-tims.org](mailto:mf Farrell@st-tims.org) or [tsullivan@btcrs.org](mailto:tsullivan@btcrs.org)

The tuition office is open on  
Monday through Thursday, from 10am to 3pm

### Sexual Abuse Claims in Boy Scouts Bankruptcy

The Boy Scouts of America ("BSA") has filed bankruptcy in order to restructure its nonprofit organization and pay Sexual Abuse Survivors.

**Anyone who was sexually abused during their time in Scouting, on or before February 18, 2020, must file a claim.** You should file a claim using the Sexual Abuse Survivor Proof of Claim by **November 16, 2020 at 5:00 p.m. (Eastern Time)**. If you do not file a timely Sexual Abuse Claim, you may lose rights against BSA, BSA Local Councils or organizations that sponsored your troop or pack, including any right to compensation.

Your information will be kept private. You can download and file a claim at [www.OfficialBSAclaims.com](http://www.OfficialBSAclaims.com). Or call 1-866-907-2721 for help on how to file a claim by mail.

BSA will fund in-person counseling for current or former Scouts and their family. To request in-person counseling, please call 1-866-907-2721 or email [restructuring@scouting.org](mailto:restructuring@scouting.org).

**Your information will be kept private.**

### Maternity B.V.M. Pre-Cana Session

9220 Old Bustleton Ave. Phila., PA 19115

**Fall Pre-Cana Day - Saturday, September 26, 2020.**

**Advance registration is necessary.  
To register, please call the Rectory: 215-673-8127**

**GOLDEN FRIENDS SENIOR CLUB**  
 Contact: Kathy Drissel 215-370-7735

Stop by and have a great *Wednesday with us from 10am to 2pm.* You can have coffee, cake, make many good friends and a chance to win **BINGO.** Come for a free visit. I know you will come back to join Golden Friends Seniors here in the gym. Any questions call 215-370-7735  
*We are a fun group!*

**Saint Timothy 50/50**  
**Monthly Prize Drawing: July 31**  
**Cost:** (1)one for \$2.00 or 3(three) for \$5.00  
**Drawing:** Last Monday of month/need not be present to win.

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**CONGRATULATIONS!**  
 To our June winner:  
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**Financial Information—Sunday Tithing**

**God's Plan for Giving:** Thank you! Tithing is God's plan to support His Church. Full tithing means 10% of income to God. We ask half of this, or 5% for your Parish Church.

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| <p><b>Sunday, July 26, 2020</b><br/> <b>Amt: \$5,296.00 Env: 194</b></p> <p><b>Sunday, June 28, 2019</b><br/> <b>Amt: \$5,558.00 Env: 314</b></p> |  |
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**A Will can be a final expression of one's love and concern for family, friends, and the Parish Community. Please remember St Timothy Church in your estate planning!**

**Participating Parishioner/School Family**

A participating parishioner is a member of Saint Timothy Parish who faithfully attends Mass on Sunday & who contributes to the support of our parish at that time through the use of Sunday envelopes with a minimum contribution of \$11.00 per week as the parish subsidy has been increased to \$1,150 per student. In addition, High School students should continue to use their envelopes as well. All contributions will be reviewed & tuition will be charged accordingly.

**Memorial Opportunities**

- † Sanctuary candle: A sanctuary candle burns in both our upper and lower church to remind us of the sacramental presence of Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist. If you wish to have the sanctuary candles in the upper or lower church burn for a full week in memory of a loved one, please contact the rectory. The suggested offering is \$10.
- † Bread and Wine: In the early Church it was customary for the People of God to provide the bread and wine to be used at the Celebration of the Eucharist. If you wish to participate in the ancient tradition of providing the bread and wine for the Celebration of the Eucharist in either the upper church or lower church as a memorial for your Family or your deceased loved ones, please call the rectory. Suggested offering: \$10.
- † Sanctuary Memorial Fund: This fund is an ideal way to memorialize deceased loved ones and friends. At the time of a funeral, funds can be directed to the Parish Sanctuary Fund. An acknowledgement of the gift is sent to the Family of the deceased. The fund is used for the upkeep of Saint Timothy Sanctuaries. Mass is offered for Memorial Fund Benefactors privately.

**Sanctuary Memorials**

**There are Sanctuary Candles and Bread and Wine Memorials available through the rest of the year**

**Please visit, or call the rectory 215-624-6188**

**Sisters of St. Joseph Invite You to Celebrate Laudato Si' Year**

Pope Francis has announced that the period between May 24, 2020 and May 24, 2021 will be designate as Laudato Si' Year for the Catholic Church. During this year of reflection the Sisters of St. Josph will be providing excerpts each week from the encyclical along with reflection questions as one way for our parishioners to participate in this global commemoration.

**Aug. 2nd**— *Pollution, waste and the throwaway culture:* Each year hundreds of millions of tons of waste are generated, much of it non-biodegradable, highly toxic and radioactive, from homes and businesses, from construction and demolition sites, from clinical, electronic and industrial sources. The earth, our home, is beginning to look more and more like an immense pile of filth. (LS #21)

\*\*\* This week notice how you participate in the “throwaway” culture. What paper and plastic items do you use once and throw away?

\*\*\* Take a walk in your neighbor on trash day. Remind yourself that most of this trash will end up in a landfill somewhere. There is no “away” to throw anything.

**CORA**

**CORA** is offering **FREE** tutoring on a first come first served basis! Ur educators can help with reading, math and more, for students in grades K-12. For more information:  
Email: [caring@coraservices.org](mailto:caring@coraservices.org)  
Call: CORA's Family Resource line at **215-342-7660**



**CORA's Family Resources**

- \*Academic Enrichment/Tutoring
- \*Parenting Consults
- \*Resource Access
- \*Early Childhood Support

To be directly connected, for **FREE**, to one of our Family Resource Line staff, please call **215.342.7660**

Monday through Friday: 9am to 1pm  
Wednesday Evening: 3pm to 7pm

For more information, email CORA at:



**CHRISTIAN INITIATION**

Christian Initiation of Adults is the process established for the universal Church for individuals to become Catholic and receive the sacraments of initiation—

Baptism, Confirmation and the Eucharist.

This is for persons in need of Baptism, persons baptized in another Christian tradition who desire to become Catholic and persons baptized Catholic in need of First Communion and Confirmation. The Rite speaks of conversion as a “spiritual journey.” Centered on fostering a deep relationship with Jesus and the Church he founded, this journey takes place through distinct stages over a period of time.

The initial inquiry period at Saint Timothy begins in September. The first phase of the journey of initiation is a time for seekers to hear the mystery of Christ proclaimed. The inquirers consciously and freely seek the living God and enter the way of faith and conversion as the Holy Spirit opens their hearts.

If you, or someone you know would like further information please contact:  
**Father Olivere, at (215) 624-6188**

**2020 Census  
Census Takers in Your Neighborhood**

Starting in July, census takers will visit homes that haven't yet responded to the 2020 Census. Census takers will wear a masks and follow local public health guidelines when they visit your home. All census takers complete virtual COVID-19 Training on social distancing and other health and safety protocols before beginning their work in neighborhoods.

Census takers are hired from your area, and their goal is to help you and everyone in your home be counted in the 2020 Census.. If the census taker who visits your home does not speak your language, you may request a return visit from a census taker who does speak your language.

If no one is home when the census taker visits, the census taker will leave a notice of their visit with information about how to respond online, by phone or by mail.

**How Can You Verify That Someone Is A  
Census Taker**

If someone visits your home this year to collect information for the 2020 Census, check to make sure they have a valid ID badge with their photograph, a U.S. Department of Commerce watermark, and an expiration date. Census workers may also carry Census Bureau bags and other equipment with the Census Bureau logo



## Saint Timothy Parish Mission Statement

We, the parish Family of Saint Timothy Roman Catholic Church of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, a diverse community of many generations, are dedicated to announcing God's presence for all people

Relying on God's Spirit and a strong tradition of Word, worship and welcome,  
we seek to create a community of prayer, teaching and service.

### Parish Clergy

|                                  |                    |              |                      |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|--------------|----------------------|
| Reverend Michael S. Olivere..... | Pastor .....       | 215-624-6188 | molivere@st-tims.org |
| Reverend Jason E. Buck .....     | In Residence ..... | 215-624-6188 |                      |
| Reverend Charles J. Noone .....  | In Residence ..... | 215-624-6188 |                      |

### Parish Pastoral Staff

|                                    |                           |                   |                       |
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