

St. Timothy Guide

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Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time, October 2, 2022

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Office Hours

Monday-Thursday –

9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Friday – 9:00 a.m.-12 noon

NEW PARISHIONER REGISTRATION

Please stop by the Parish Office or
print a form from our web site
(see below) and bring or mail it to
the office, **Welcome!**



BAPTISMS

Register at the Parish Office and
attend Baptismal Preparation class.
Please call the Parish Office
for details.

MARRIAGES

Make arrangements
at least 7 months in advance.

WEEKEND MASS

Sunday – 9:30 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASS

Wednesday – 6:00 p.m.
Confessions after Mass

FAMILIES OF PARISHES COUNCIL MEMBERS

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734-675-9425

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Commemorating all the Faithful Departed on All Souls Day



As Christians, we know that death is not the end of life. In the Catholic church we hold the November 1 and 2 close to our hearts. These two days, which gave rise to the celebration of Halloween on October 31, are days in which the Christian community gathers to celebrate and strengthen its faith in eternal life.

On **Monday, November 1, All Saints Day**, we honor the Saints who have finished the race, and now praise God in heaven. These are the saints whose names we know, like Joseph and Cyprian and Anne, but they also include our parents and grandparents, aunts and uncles and Godparents who have gone before us and shown us the way.



Please bring photos of the faithful departed to be placed before the altar before for All Souls Day. They can remain in church until the First Sunday of Advent.

Our prayer on Tuesday, **November 2: All Souls Day**, is for those who have died. You are invited to join us in remembering by name families members or friends who have died at our Masses for All Souls Day.

November 2, 2022

All Souls Day

6:00 PM at St. Timothy, Trenton

This night will include an opportunity for you to light a candle, which we will provide, and prayerfully name the name loved ones in your family who have died if you wish to do so.

Eternal rest grant unto
[name of family member here] O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon them.
May she/he rest in peace.

May her/his soul, and the souls of all
the faithful departed, through the mercy
of God, rest in peace. Amen.



**COMPANIONS
OF THE CROSS**

Outdoor Candlelight Rosary Procession & Bonfire Social

**Sat. Oct. 15th, 7:00 p.m., 17330
Quincy St., Detroit
(Entrance and Gated parking off
Oak St.)**



**Join the Companions of the Cross as
they invoke the intercession of Our Lady
Queen of Peace during the month of the
Holy Rosary and pray for an end to war
in the Ukraine.**

Location: outside on the beautiful, gated
grounds of their Detroit residence
7:00 p.m. – Gather by the bonfire for Intro-
ductory Prayers & Hymns
7:30 p.m. – Commence candlelight Rosary
procession (candles provided)
8:00 p.m. – Pray a consecration to Jesus
through the Immaculate Heart of Mary

**Followed by a “Sweet & Sour” Bonfire
Social
(Roasted marshmallows and apple cider
provided!)**

Weather Permitting

Faith Formation Programs

All of our programs in our family of parishes are now in full swing. It was so wonderful to experience our opening liturgy at Our Lady of the Woods a couple of weeks ago with many of our children and families gathered together for prayer and worship.

Pray for our Middle Schoolers

The young people from our EDGE Middle School program will be gathering for a retreat at the Huntington Center in Detroit next Sunday, October 9. Please pray for them that they be filled with the Holy Spirit in this opportunity to encounter Jesus in the Sacraments and in one another.

High School Youth Ministry

A small team from various parishes in our family of parishes has gathered a couple times now to pray, discern, and plan for initiating youth ministry in our parishes. We are currently discussing plans around some monthly “parish based” opportunities as well as “family wide” programming and opportunities for service. If you find yourself interested in this, please let me know! We cannot do this important work without you!

Sean Calvin

Director of Discipleship Formation

Downriver Missionaries of Christ Family of Parishes

<https://www.downrivermissionariesforchrist.com/>

Director of Liturgy and Music

St. Joseph Parish

734-676-9082 x 19



**TOO CONFUSING
TOO EXTREME**

Attention All Special needs Participates

We will be gathering at St. Timothy Parish on **Monday, October 3rd, 2022** in the Fontana Special Hall. Class time will be 6:30pm-8pm. We gladly welcome all new members to this wonderful ministry! Any questions or concerns, please contact Tim & Marianne Van Goethem at 734-675-9425. Looking forward to seeing all of you in the next couple of weeks.



Trenton Food Pantry

Please give to the food pantry

You can donate Money into the locked box. Any Help is a **Blessing** to People in need.

This week we are in need of **Cereal, noodles, rice, Peanut butter, instant Potatoes, tuna, canned meats.**

Make A Difference



You can Altar serve (carry the Cross & help Father)
Lector (Read the readings at the altar)
Eucristic Minister (serve the Host to the parish)
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion(Give communion to the sick and home bound)
Usher
Wash altar linen
 If you are interested in helping please let the office know.



PREGNANCY CENTER
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Most in need right now -
any formula, Diapers sizes 4,5,& 6. Baby wipes, baby wash, Potty seats (that fit onto a regular toilet), winter blankets

You can leave items by the office and we will get them to the Center.

If you know anyone in need. Please have then call the center.

313-386-4005

STEWARDSHIP

September 25, 2022

Weekly Budget	\$3,000.00
Offertory	\$1,711.00
Envelopes	36



FUEL THE MISSION

Goal: \$35,349.00

Total Pledged: \$12,530.00

Amount needed to reach our goal is

\$22,819.00



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Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4



Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14

God's Own Time

God is good, but God is slow. We trust in God's plan. We believe that virtue will be rewarded and evil will be punished. But we get tired of waiting for it to happen. The prophet Habakkuk says God has given a vision that we can easily read. But the vision may not be fulfilled soon. It works on its own time. Still, it will press on to its fulfillment and it will not disappoint those who hope in it. "If it delays," the prophet says, "wait for it, it will surely come." But it can take a while. Faith is what happens while we wait on a slow God. We believe because we have experienced God's love and mercy throughout our lives. We rely on the One who alone can fulfill our desires. We trust that God wants goodness as much as we do. But the waiting is still hard. "How long, O Lord? I cry for help but you do not listen!" says Habakkuk. Actually, God does listen. God longs to hear our prayers. God wants righteousness even more than we do. God will deliver, but the vision has its own time. God asks only one thing of us: patience, a patience born from faith.

Stirring the Flames

We do not use all the tools we have. A computer can do much more than a typical user understands. Cell phones have more bells and whistles than people know about. Many of us do not know what to do with all the tools in the garage we bought, inherited, or that were left behind. We have more clothes than we can wear, more books and magazines than we can read, more television stations than we can watch. Our lives are filled with opportunity. So are our hearts. God has given each of us a wealth of tools at our disposal. We have cleverness and concern, ingenuity and compassion, bravery and confidence—but we do not always use them. The Second Letter to Timothy speaks of our spiritual gifts as something waiting to be stirred into flame. "I remind you to stir into flame the gift of God that you have through the imposition of my hands." The Holy Spirit came to each one of us in Baptism and Confirmation, implanting the gifts of divine life in us like seeds. Or like sparks. They are ready to do the work that God intended them to do. Those gifts lack only one thing. They need to be stirred. That is up to each of us. If we are moved by the needs of the world, we will move for the needs of the world. Stir your gifts into flame!

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This Week at St. Timothy

Sunday , October 2nd
 Mass 9:30am

Monday, October 3rd
 Adult Special needs Group 6:30pm-8pm

Tuesday, October 4th
 Catholic Biblical School 7-9Pm

Wednesday. October 5th
 Mass 6pm Confession after mass

Thursday, October 6th
 FOP Staff Alpha training 12-2pm
 Christian Women's Assoc. 6pm-9pm

Sunday. October 9th
 Mass 9:30am
 Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Drive

Christian Women's Association

This is a group of women that meet on the first Thursday of each month at 6pm in the Fontana social hall. Come join this group and meet new people or see many that you all ready know. For anu questions about the group please call Joyce George .

Notice:

The Parish office will be closed on Thursdays at 12 noon.

Beginning September 8th through November 17th, While the Staff attends Alpha Training

OFFICE CLOSED

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



Sunday October 2, 2022

9:30am +Joseph Pisarcik by Dave & Kathy Pisarcik

Wednesday October 5, 2022

6pm +Kathleen Malone by Family

Would you like to schedule a Mass Intention?

You can still do that!

Please call the Parish Office at 734-676-5115 or email Jennifer Bilyk at secretary.st.timothy@gmail.com and we will be happy to schedule one for you.



Prayer Requests

Robert Ambrose
Christine Arnoczki
Betty Aronson
Miriam Barnes
Vivian Beutner
Erma Bennett
Sharon Blackledge
Ken Bloomfield
Ashley Bogin
Darilyn Bogue
Victorio Bonot
Josephine Bourassa
Doug Brochue
Michael Bunting
Karen Campos
Tino Casetti
Tommy Chapman
Christie Chaput
Bethany Ciemnicki
Judy Clinton
Ryan Collier
Diane Cornacchia
Michael David
Domenic DeLucia
Carole DeMolen
Phil Dillaha
Ann Doley
Brittany Dzialo
Eva Fleck
Jerry Flaishans
Mark Florino
Anna Ferrante
Jack Gallagher
Barbra Gaarllaway
Deborah Garak
Brenda Gentile
Mary Beth Gervasi
Ava Grebovic
Sharon Grech
Adilaide Grixty
Keelin Haber
Vernon Hallquist
Angelina Hamblin
Penny Henricks
Dawn Hood
Michael R. Holzemer
Mary Honsher
Michelle Jahs
Mary Ellen Judd
Frank Kardos

Glenda Koenig
Amie Kramer
Ted Kramer
Kimberly Kucel
Jessica Long
John Joe Macken
Barbra Mahalak
William Marciniak
Kyle Mayrand
Marc McDougal
Johnny McKee
Sal Mignosi
Ed Miller
Heather Millitello
Philomena Mirch
Frank Moore
Monica Moore
Jackie Moorehouse
Jerry Moreno
Andrea Mosynski
Alexis Navia
Lori Palumbo - Puckett
James R. Petrowski
Evelyn Phillips
Darren Player
Margueite Porter
Carolyn Prather
Jenny Ring
Joe Rico
Dale Roberts
Arlene Robinson
Virginia Rolling
Theresa Rowe
Jeanine Saylor
Marge Sawicki
Joseph Seguna
Dennis Slusarz Jr.
Seanin Smith
Peter Snellman
Lynn Sonenauer
Kathleen Steveson
Lily Rose Sucharski
Patricia Tarjeft
Mary Taurence
Jack Terpenney
Anna Ventura
Bob Van Vynckt
Geraldine Weeg
Tabitha Wilkerson
Mark Wysner

OUR LADY OF THE

Rosary



Responsorial Psalm -

If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.

	Lector	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS
Sunday, October 9th 9:30AM	Tom Stoltz	Please sign up
Wednesday, October 12th 6PM	David Dwornick	Please sign up

Altar Linen Wash October We Still need a volunteer

MILITARY PRAYER LIST

May God bless and protect all men and women in the military, especially these we pray for here:

John DeLucia, Air Force
Peter J. Podolski, Air Force
Jonathan Martin, Air Force
Tim Shiflet, Army
Ben Stoddard, Army
Justin M. Purdy, Marines



Please notify
office of any
changes

Sunday, Oct 02, 2022**Your wild and precious life**

Today bears many names: Respect Life Sunday. Gandhi's birthday. International Day of Non-Violence. World Habitat Day. This cluster points to one precious idea: that all people bear the divine image and their welfare matters. We honor the whole fabric of life issues protecting each person from conception to death. The United Nations recognizes Gandhi's birthday with a call for nations to abandon aggression and embrace peace. This year's "Urban October" extends the work of Habitat Day in achieving a carbon-free world by focusing on cities, where 70 percent of emissions are generated. Respect life with every decision.

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

TODAY'S READINGS: Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4; 2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14; Luke 17:5-10 (141). *"For the vision still has its time, presses on to fulfillment, and will not disappoint."*

Monday, Oct 03, 2022**Trust God's farsighted vision**

If you ever doubt what God has called you to do, then Mother Theodore Guerin is a saint for you. When this French sister immigrated, with hesitation, to Indiana in 1840, she opened what would become Saint Mary-of-the-Woods College, the first chartered school of higher education for women in the state. Guerin wrote, "It is astonishing that this remote solitude has been chosen for a novitiate and especially for an academy. All appearances are against it." It became the first women's college to offer journalism courses and degree work in secondary education, and was a pioneer in distance education, offering independent study in 1973 (talk about prescient!). Trust God's vision and your role in plans longer-term than anyone can imagine.

TODAY'S READINGS: Galatians 1:6-12; Luke 10:25-37 (461). *"You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your being, with all your strength, and with all your mind."*

Tuesday, Oct 04, 2022**Be praised, my Lord, for Brother Francis**

Pope Francis chose his papal name to honor Francis of Assisi. Two of the pontiff's encyclicals pay further homage. Both *Laudato Si'* (Italian for "Praise be to you") and *Fratelli Tutti* (Italian for "All brothers and sisters") take their names from the words of Saint Francis. "Praise be to you" echoes the famous Canticle of Creation, apt for an encyclical on the care of creation. "All brothers and sisters" comes from the Admonitions of Saint Francis, the saint's entreaty to embrace a life of fraternal love. Read the opening of one of these texts today to honor "this saint of fraternal love, simplicity and joy."

MEMORIAL OF FRANCIS OF ASSISI, FOUNDER

TODAY'S READINGS: Galatians 1:13-24; Luke 10:38-42 (462). *"They glorified God because of me."*

Wednesday, Oct 05, 2022**"Go where I send thee"**

Today we celebrate the feast of Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos, a German Redemptorist missionary who gave his life serving sick immigrants in New Orleans during the late 19th century. Born in Bavaria in 1809, Seelos volunteered for foreign missions, arrived to the United States in 1843, and several decades later in 1866 found himself in New Orleans. Until his untimely death from yellow fever the following year, he pastored St. Mary's Assumption

Church—where his national shrine remains to this day. As we face a double pandemic of ethnophobic division and COVID-19 in America, may we look to today's saint as a faithful model of ardent charity amidst strife and division.

MEMORIAL OF FRANCIS XAVIER SEELOS, REDEMPTORIST PRIEST

TODAY'S READINGS: Galatians 2:1-2, 7-14; Luke 11:1-4 (463). *"Praise the LORD, all you nations, glorify him, all you peoples! Go out to all the world, and tell the Good News."*

Thursday, Oct 06, 2022**Baby steps can take you far**

The theme of small beginnings that led to great things echoes throughout Christianity, starting with Jesus and his 12 apostles. Most religious communities started out with a handful of underfunded but faith-filled individuals. Blessed Marie Rose Durocher fits the pattern. In spite of her poor health, Durocher teamed up with two friends to run a boarding school for 13 girls near Montreal. That was the humble beginning of today's international Sisters of the Holy Names of Jesus and Mary. Have you ever taken a chance on a bootstrap endeavor? Could God be calling you to do so now?

MEMORIAL OF MARIE ROSE DUROCHER, SISTER, FOUNDRESS

TODAY'S READINGS: Galatians 3:1-5; Luke 11:5-13 (464). *"Ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you."*

Friday, Oct 07, 2022**The mother of all prayers**

In his 2002 Apostolic Letter on the Most Holy Rosary, Pope John Paul II described the Rosary as a prayer that was from its inception "destined to bring forth a harvest of holiness." Though ostensibly a prayer calling on Mary's aide, it is ultimately centered on Christ and the eternal mystery of the Word made flesh. Regularly contemplating the mysteries of Christ's life—his Incarnation and early days (joyful); his revelatory love (luminous); his suffering and sacrifice (sorrowful); his saving grace (glorious)—is an exercise designed to bring peace, deepen our sense of faith, hope, and love, and, above all, help conform us "ever more closely to Christ until we attain true holiness."

MEMORIAL OF OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

TODAY'S READINGS: Galatians 3:7-14; Luke 11:15-26 (465). *"Whoever is not with me is against me, and whoever does not gather with me scatters."*

Saturday, Oct 08, 2022**Listen up, as Mary did**

Mary is the Queen of Heaven and preeminent among the saints. She holds the singular distinction of being at the same time both virgin and mother. Owing to her giving birth to the Son of God, she holds the exalted title Mother of God. Yet it is none of these things that make her blessed. Jesus ramps up Mary's blessedness a notch by recognizing that she's blessed because she hears the word of God and does it. That means we can join Mary in joy and fulfillment by doing the same.

OPTIONAL MEMORIAL OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

TODAY'S READINGS: Galatians 3:22-29; Luke 11:27-28 (466). *"He replied, 'Rather, blessed are those who hear the word of God and observe it.'"*

Invest just five minutes a day, and your faith will deepen and grow—a day at a time



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