## Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time - February 4, 2024

# St. Timothy Catholic Parish

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## SUNDAY MASS TIMES

SATURDAY EVENING 5 PM

SUNDAY MORNING 8:30 AM + 10:30 AM

Weekday Mass 8:30 am

### Confessions Saturday 4 PM

Holy Hour Adoration 1st Fridays 9 am-10 am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Every Wednesday 9 am to 5 pm

#### THIS WEEK'S PRAYER

Keep your family safe, O Lord, with unfailing care, that, relying solely on the hope of heavenly grace, they may be defended always by your protection.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.



#### Gospel Reading Mark 1:29-39

Jesus cures Simon's mother-in-law and many others as well.

#### **Family Connection**

We know from last week's Gospel that Jesus gathered and prayed with the community in the synagogue. Today we learn that Jesus also took the time to pray alone. Following the example of Jesus, we also pray together with our community, and we take the time to pray alone. Our children observe our prayer with others. We might want to take the opportunity to talk with them about our private prayer, however, so that through our example, they may learn to make private prayer an important part of their daily lives.

Gather as a family and talk about the ways in which your family prays together (at Mass, grace before meals, bedtime prayers). Invite each member of the family to talk about his or her private prayer: When do you pray? Where do you pray? How do you pray? What do you pray for?

Jesus modeled for us a life of prayer. Read together today's Gospel, Mark 1:29-39. Talk about this Gospel with your family. Ask questions such as the following: What do you think Jesus was praying about in today's Gospel? What guidance have you received from God in prayer? Conclude by asking God to bless our times of prayer so that we can know and follow God's ways. Pray together the Lord's Prayer.

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#### February 14th, Ash Wednesday

Mass & Ashes at 8:30am and 7pm

#### Friday Stations of the Cross 7pm

#### followed by Soup Supper in the Piazza!

Join us for a cup of soup and a bread stick every Friday after Stations of the Cross

## Lenten Parish Penance Service with Confession

#### Saint Timothy Catholic Parish, Escondido

Wednesday, February 21st, at 7pm

Resurrection Parish, Escondido

Thursday, February 22nd at 7pm

Saint Stephen's, Valley Center

Monday, February 26th at 7pm

The Good Shepherd

Wednesday, March 6th, at 7pm

Saint Mary's, Escondido

Thursday, March 7th at 4pm & 6:30pm

San Rafael Parish, Rancho Bernardo

Tuesday, March 12th, at 7pm

Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish, Ramona

Wednesday, March 13th, at 7pm

Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Rancho Bernardo

Thursday, March 14th at 5pm

Saint Gabriel Parish, Poway

Tuesday, March 19th at 6:30pm

#### 2023 Tax Statements

St Timothy Catholic Parish is in the process of mailing out the tax statements. You should be receiving them by next week.

PLEASE CHECK THE PARISH NOTICE BOARD IN THE BACK OF THE CHURCH FOR OTHER LOCAL AND REGIONAL EVENTS

#### **World Day of the Sick Mass**

February 10th, 2024 at 10 a.m.
Good Shepherd Parish
8200 Gold Coast Dr. San Diego, 92126
The Mass will be livestreamed as well.
For additional information go to
<a href="https://sdcatholic.org/event/world-day-of-the-e-sick-mass/">https://sdcatholic.org/event/world-day-of-the-sick-mass/</a>.

#### Are you thinking about becoming Catholic?

Come and see. Are you searching for a Church to call your own? Do you struggle with questions about life, death, suffering, hope, forgiveness, love, God? Sessions exploring these and other issues in relation to our Catholic faith are being held. Ask about quiry meetings by contacting Justin Mora at youth@sttimothychurch.com or 760-300-1460.

We are always accepting new inquirers to join us for our RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) gatherings on the first Sunday of each month after the 10:30 AM Mass in the parish hall.

#### No Religious Education Classes on Sunday, February 18th Office will be closed Monday,

February 19th, in honor of Presidents Day

— This Week's Mass Intentions — ~ February 3rd - February 10th ~

The Risen Lord continually offers Himself to His Heavenly Father for each and every one of us. A "Mass Intention" assures us that our names are "written" in His Sacred Heart.

Saturday- Phaolo Nguyen (RIP)
Sunday 8:30- People of the Parish,
Sunday 10:30 - People of the Parish,
Monday- Paul Weddell (RIP),
Tuesday- Eva Morlett (RIP),
Wednesday- Mike Smith (RIP),
Thursday- Edith Vazquez (SI),
Friday- Phaolo Nguyen (RIP),
Saturday- Phero Nguyen (RIP)