

June 18, 2023
3rd Sunday after Pentecost



St. Timothy Presbyterian Church
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Monday-Thursday: 9:30 am to 2:30 pm
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St. Timothy Mission Statement
Empowered by the Holy Spirit, our mission is to: seek God, follow Christ, serve and love our neighbor.

Worship is also available via Live Stream just before 10:30 am or later in the afternoon as a video. Just use this link for both options:
<https://video.sttimothypcusa.org>

Welcome!

PRELUDE

INTROIT “I Love You, Lord” Laurie Klein

PASTORAL WELCOME Matthew 10:1-7

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Jesus Christ summons us to answer God’s call of mercy.

Christ gathers us and gives us power to be healed and to heal, to be forgiven and to forgive,

to be freed from sin and to set others free, to tell one another and the world:

God’s presence is at hand.

Today, let us remember that as we gather we are preparing to be sent.

Let us worship the Lord our God!

HYMN “Children of the Heavenly Father” see insert

CALL TO CONFESSION

SILENT CONFESSION

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Triune God, we confess that we do not know how to look for you. We struggle to sense your nearness, and if there are angels among us, we are unaware. We do not show the hospitality to strangers that Abraham showed to you. We do not trust that our hardships can be transformed by your Spirit. O Holy One, forgive us. Send us out with this good news so that others will also receive your blessing; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

***DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS**

Christ gave his life to save us from the wrath of God. Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Trust the good news of the gospel: in Jesus Christ our sins are forgiven.

Amen and Alleluia!

RESPONSE “Gloria Patri” # 623
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

TEACHER RECOGNITION

A MOMENT FOR ILLUMINATION

Leader: Thy Word is a Lamp unto my feet, and a Light unto my path.

People: Thy Word is a Lamp unto my feet, and a Light unto my path.

OLD TESTAMENT READING: Exodus 19:3-6

SPECIAL MUSIC “The Father’s Love” Joel Sczebel

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN Kathey Turnbull

NEW TESTAMENT READING Matthew 9:35-10:8

SERMON Cassy Sautter

“Colorful Calendar”

HYMN “Make Me a Servant” see insert

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostle’s Creed
I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, his only son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried, he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.



PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

Doxology # 625
Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Lord of all creation, we offer with thanksgiving what is not ours but what we have received from you. Bless these gifts for the sake of our sisters and brothers in this world. Let your word of abundant life go out into all the lands, bringing food and forgiveness, in Jesus’ name. Amen.

CALL TO PRAYER

Day by day, day by day, O, dear Lord, three things I pray: To see Thee more clearly, Love Thee more dearly, Follow Thee more nearly, Day by day.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

HYMN “In His Time” see insert

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SENDING AND BENEDICTION

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CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Go with us, Lord, and guide the way through this and every coming day, that in your Spirit strong and true our lives may be our gift to you.

POSTLUDE

**Feasting on the Word Worship Companion: Liturgies for Year A, Volume 2*



Cassy Sautter – thank you for contributing to the worship experience at St. Timothy today!

About Cassy, from Cassy in third person:

As for a bio, here goes: Although she grew up locally in Farmington Hills, Cassy Sautter was born in Chicago and moved to Michigan with her parents and siblings when she was six years old. She became a member of St. Timothy in the early 1990s and married Scott Sautter in the church back in 1999. The Sautter family have been long-time members of St. Timothy, and Cassy is currently our Clerk of Session, a position she has held for the last five years. Cassy enjoys sharing her love of music with the congregation, and more recently with the general public as part of the Farmington Community Chorus. She currently works at American Plastic Toys in Walled Lake as their Accounts Payable Coordinator, and she has two lovely children who attend worship with her regularly. Jillian is a talented musician like her mom, and Mitchell's knowledge of dinosaurs is second to none.

Serving in Worship This Morning

- Greeter: Patty Kreitmeyer
- Ushers: Youth
- Worship Assistant: Mitchell Sautter
- Vocal Soloist: Jillian Sautter
- Keyboard: Linda Delezenne
- Technology: Melanie Gumz
- Safety Officer: Rich Belaire
- Tellers: Paula Boegner, Kim Gaines
- Fellowship Hour: Faith Circle

Weekly Bible Studies

Adult Sunday Bible Study – approximately 12:15 pm

We are studying Genesis. All are welcome!

Zoom Bible Study – Monday afternoon at 12:00 pm

We are studying a comparison of the Gospels.

This is the link address to join: <https://study.sttimothyPCUSA.org>

Adult Weekly Bible Study, Thursday – 9:30 am

Our study is on the passage that Dennis Delezenne will be preaching on June 25 – Matthew 10:24-39.

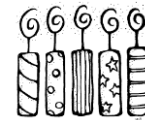


Chancel Flowers



In memory of my husband Jerry Sanchez,
Dorothy Sanchez

Celebrating



Birthday:

June 18

June 21

Anniversaries:

Sue Zabell

Tom Evans

No anniversaries this week

UPCOMING
Events

Saturday, June 24 – Deacon/Elder Retreat

Sunday, June 25 – Church Picnic

Saturday, July 8 – Patriotic Caroling

Wednesday evenings, July thru August – Campfire
Worship

*Thank
You*

To all those who have helped with the Memorial Garden, thank you! It is going to be fun to watch everything grow in...and we will be able to enjoy the beautiful view while in the garden or in fellowship hall! Carol P. and Linda D.



Do you have someone that is in need of prayer? Put their name on a prayer ribbon and tie it to the fence out front. Write your concerns and worries and give them to God. Give Him thanks and praises. The prayer ribbons are a spiritual and awesome sight to see fluttering in the wind. Ribbons are on the table in the main entry.



Update...

Narthex Update

The Narthex is getting a new look. The latest addition to the Narthex is the name tags. Thank you to everyone that helped to fund them and thanks to everyone for wearing them. Hopefully, soon we will have 2 new easy chairs to sit on either side of the fireplace. Also, look for a new mission statement and frame outside of Shelly's office this summer.



Final Count
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We will have final count next week! The generosity of this congregation is wonderful! We delivered the cereal and food pantry items to Presbytery on Friday.

Thank you to all who have donated to this ministry!



2023 Chancel Flower Chart

The 2023 Flower List is posted on the bulletin board in fellowship hall! -There are dates available! Adding some beauty and color to our sanctuary on Sunday mornings is so special!



Fellowship Hour is such a nice time to gather with everyone after service. Once a month, we are asking you to bring a specific food category if you are able. This is the list through the summer:

- July 9 – Bring your favorite appetizer
- August 6 – Bring your favorite pasta dish.



Chrismon Workshop

Please join us to make Chrismons for the children of our congregation and extended family. No previous experience is necessary. You will be provided instructions on how to assemble them at the workshops and will have others available for guidance.

We are meeting at the church on Thursday afternoons from 12:00 pm to 2:30 pm. We have lots of fun and are able to create something memorable. Please join us.

Dorothy Sanchez and Carol Prevost



Church Picnic

Everyone is invited to a picnic after worship on June 25th hosted by the Deacons and Mission/Outreach committee. Hamburgers, hot dogs, salad and dessert will be provided. Bring your favorite outdoor game.



Please join in for Patriotic Caroling!
 Saturday, July 8
 12:45 – meet at the church
 Sign up sheet in Fellowship Hall



Campfire Worship
 Wednesday evenings in July and August
 Time: 7:00 or 7:30 more details later

- The first night will include a hotdog roast
- Plan on some testimonials
- Plan on bible discussion
- Enjoy singing with a new campfire book!



Church Weekly Schedule

Sunday	11:30 AM	Fellowship Hour
6/18	12:15 PM	Adult Bible Study
Monday	12:00 PM	Zoom Adult Bible Study
6/19		https://study.sttimothyPCUSA.org
	Morning	10 & 2 Driving Academy
	6:30 PM	TOPS
	6:30 PM	Deacons
Tuesday	9:00 AM	STARS
6/20		
Wednesday		
6/21		
Thursday	9:30 AM	Thursday Morning Bible Study
6/22	12:30 PM	Chrismons
Friday		
6/23		
Saturday	10:00 AM	Deacon/Elder Retreat
6/24		
Sunday	10:30 AM	Family Worship
6/25		https://video.sttimothyPCUSA.org
	11:30 AM	Church Picnic
	12:15 PM	Adult Bible Study



MICHIGAN

Michigan summers are the best!

Children of the Heavenly Father

*Children of the heav'n-ly Father
Safely in His bosom gather;
Nestling bird nor star in heaven
Such a refuge o'er was given.*

*God His own doth tend and nourish,
In His holy courts they flourish;
From all evil things He spares them,
In His mighty arms He bears them.*

*Neither life nor death shall ever
From the Lord His children sever;
Unto them His grace He showeth,
And their sorrows all He knoweth.*

*Praise the Lord in joyful numbers,
Your Protector never slumbers;
At the will of your Defender
Ev'ry foeman must surrender.*

*Though He giveth or He taketh,
God His children ne'er forsaketh;
His the loving purpose solely
To preserve them pure and holy.*

Make Me a Servant

*Make me a servant, humble and meek,
Lord, let me lift up those who are weak.
And may the prayer of my heart always be:
Make me a servant, make me a servant,
make me a servant today.*

In His Time

*In his time, in his time;
he makes all things beautiful in his time.
Lord, please show me every day
as you're teaching me your way,
That you do just what you say in your time.*

*In your time, in your time;
you make all things beautiful in your time.
Lord, my life to you I bring;
may each song I have to sing
be to you a lovely thing in your time.*