

What's Happening

at St. Timothy's



Friday, May 3rd, 2024

**SERVICE
TIMES**

COME AND WORSHIP WITH US

Sunday, May 5th	10:00am Service of Holy Eucharist <i>The Sixth Sunday of Easter</i>
Monday, May 6th to Friday, May 10th	9:30am Daily Morning Prayer <i>(Online)</i>
Wednesday, May 8th	11:30am Mid-Week Eucharist
Sunday, May 12th	10:00am Service of Holy Eucharist <i>The Ascension of the Lord</i>
Saturday, May 18th	6:00pm Relaxed Service



Saturday, May 4th	10:00am Old Orchard Blossoms and St. Andrew's Group Spring Sale (<i>in the parlour</i>)
Sunday, May 5th	8:30am Adult Christian Education
Tuesday, May 7th	10:00am – 12:00nn ESL Group 2:00 – 3:00pm Tuesday Tea
Wednesday, May 8th	10:00am Meditation Through Art 12:00nn St. Andrew's Group Meeting (<i>in-person & online via Zoom</i>)
Thursday, May 9th	10:00am - Chair Yoga 11:00am - Gentle Mat Yoga (<i>Bring your own mat</i>)
Saturday, May 11th	9:00am St. Tim's Breakfast Club

**Sunday Services are live streamed on our Facebook page.
You DO NOT need a Facebook account to watch the live stream.**

From the Incumbent



It's hard to believe that the first four months of the year have already flown by. We've had a very full schedule of special services and receptions lately - many thanks to all the volunteers, musicians, and staff with whose help everything flowed so smoothly. Here is an overview of what is coming up in May:

- **Adult education** is going strong at 8:30am on Sundays, studying biblical canticles. I am considering having a block on comparative religion next, and I welcome other ideas. Let me know what you'd like to learn! I am also considering an alternative timing for this group, such as a weeknight. Please let me know if you are not currently attending but would join if it was held in the evening.
- I will be away on **Sunday, May 12th**, as I am taking my son to the regional level competition in tumbling. The girls and I are very excited about the trip and proud that he qualified.
- On **Saturday, May 18th**, there will be a **Relaxed Service** at 6pm, preceded by a youth group meeting at 5.
- On **Sunday, May 19th**, we will celebrate **Pentecost** and I look forward to hearing different languages as part of the Sunday liturgy.
- On **Sunday, May 26th**, we will have a **multigenerational service to celebrate Trinity Sunday**. The readings will be replaced by a children's play on the book of Acts, in parallel to how we presented a nativity pageant in Advent. The kids have been working hard to write and rehearse the play as part of their Sunday programming over April and May.
- Finally, we're getting close to the last frost date, which means our garden is coming back soon! Stay tuned for more updates as the weather stays warm more consistently.

Irina+
Incumbent

Spring Sale!

The **Old Orchard Blossoms** and the **St. Andrew's Group** are teaming up with a joint Spring Sale on the weekend of May 4th and 5th.



The Old Orchard Blossoms will have lots of items which would make great Mother's Day gifts – jewelry, scarves, bags and some household items. In addition, they have some new knitted animal stuffies, backpack keychains and finger puppets from Zimbabwe.



The St. Andrew's Group will have lovely, knitted goods including items for babies and young children.

Saturday, May 4th from 10:00am to 1:30pm outside the main entrance of the church. *In the event of inclement weather, the sale will be moved inside to the Parlour.*

Sunday, May 5th, during coffee hour after the service – in Soward Hall.

The proceeds from the Blossoms portion of this sale will benefit the *Stephen Lewis Foundation supporting the Grandmothers to Grandmothers Campaign in Africa.*



St. Andrew's Group will donate their cash proceeds of this sale to a charity they select. Additionally, this year, the group has adopted *The North York Women's Shelter* in place of the Mooreland's Baby

Bundle Campaign which is no longer in operation. Please consider purchasing an item for a baby or small child which can be donated to the North York Women's Shelter on your behalf.

Hope to see you at both sales, to support these groups and the very worthwhile causes they support.

St. Tim's Breakfast Club

Saturday, May 11th at 9:00am

A breakfast with conversation

Come and enjoy a cooked breakfast on Saturday, May 11th at 9:00am in Soward Hall.

Open to all who enjoy breakfast and fellowship.

Price for Adults is \$10 and for children \$5.

We are rebuilding the Men's breakfast to be all inclusive.

Please let us know you will attend by emailing Alan Flint flint.novex@gmail.com so we can know how many to cater for.

You can also provide your email address to the office or to Alan so you can be added to our breakfast email alerts.

This is a volunteer run group and is self funding.





Call for Submissions!

We plan to publish the spring edition of TimPrint before the long weekend. We will highlight the many activities and significant occasions of the past few months. **Please send articles, pictures or ideas to me by May 12th.**

Thanks,
Frances Flint (flint.franal@gmail.com)

OUTREACH CORNER

Flemingdon Park Ministry's Spring Fundraiser

In response to continued support of FPM, the Outreach Committee is seeking the donation of 20 Gift Cards.

Flemingdon Park Ministry is a multilingual community organization providing space, food and community city in the heart of Flemingdon Park.

The Farm is one unique program which grows, feeds and support youth and their families.

Please sign up on the bulletin board outside the office. Cards of \$30 value from Tim Horton's, Canadian Tire and Home Depot may be left in the office (in an envelope with your name please) or given to Cynthia Majewski on Sundays. **Deadline to drop off the cards is May 19th.**

Help make Flemingdon Park Ministry's Spring Fundraiser a growing success!

May 25th

FARM OPEN HOUSE

Seedling Sale, Music & Farm Tours!



Join us to celebrate spring! Admission is free!
Support a local urban farm serving the community.



Saturday May 25, 2024 - 1:00-4:00PM
Location: Common Table Farm
1 Laurentide Drive, North York M3A 3C6
www.flemingdonparkministry.com

Memorial Flowers

The flowers which enhance our services are given by parishioners as a memorial or thank offering and are arranged by our flower team. After each service the flowers are distributed to the memorial donor and/or to shut in parishioners.

Would you like to make a donation of flowers for a Sunday service? The cost of purchasing fresh flowers has gone up substantially over the past few years. Therefore, we are asking for donations of a minimum of \$100.



The process is as follows:

Write out the wording for your memorial / thank offering that you would like to have printed in the Sunday bulletin, choose a week, and send the wording to Ashani at office@sttimothy.ca

Payment for your donation can be made by e-transfer to office@sttimothy.ca or by cheque to Church of St Timothy. Please mention Memorial Flowers in the reference.

Please contact:

Trish Beck at 416-489-9054 trish.beck@icloud.com or

Ashani at 416-488-0079 office@sttimothy.ca for more details.

Adult Christian Education

Adult Christian Education returns on Sundays from 8:30 - 9:30am in the Parlour.

Coffee and morning snacks will be provided.

Through the Easter season we will be focusing on the Canticles.

Date	Content	Leader
April 7	Introduction to Canticles / Canticle 19a The Song of Zechariah or the Benedictus (Luke 1:68-79) <i>(during morning prayer)</i>	Carol
April 14	Canticle 18a The Song of Mary or the Magnificat (Luke 1:46-55) <i>(during evening prayer) /</i> Canticle 20 The Son of Simeon or Nunc dimittis (Luke 2:29-32) <i>(during Compline)</i>	Carol
April 21	Canticle 21 God's Plan of Salvation (Eph 1:3-7) / Canticle 22a Jesus Christ is the Lord (Philippians 2:6-11)	Irina
April 28	Canticle 23 Song of the First-Born (Colossians 1:15-20) / Canticle 9 A Song from Ezekiel (Ezekiel 36:24-28)	Carol
May 5	Canticle 10 The Souls of the Righteous (Wisdom 3:1-8) / Canticle 11 A Song of Wisdom (Wisdom 10:15-19, 20b-21)	Irina
May 12	Canticle 12 The Bread of Heaven (Wisdom 16:20-21, 36) / Canticle 24 A Song to the Lamb (Revelation 4:11; 5:9-10, 13)	Carol
May 19 Pentecost Sunday	Canticle 14 A Song of Creation 1 (Song of the Three 35-51) / Canticle 15 A Song of Creation 2 (Song of the Three 35-36, 52-60) / Canticle 16 A Song of Creation 3 (Song of the Three 35-36, 61-65) / Conclusion	Irina

*Irina will explain antiphons at some point.



Donating to the Church

We encourage all of you to continue to give generously in support of the work that continues at St. Tim's. The needs are great.

- Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG) – If you are already on pre-authorized giving you do not need to do anything and we are very grateful for your continued support.

If you would like to shift to pre-authorized giving, even if only in the short term, please contact the envelope secretary, Jane Hutchinson, at

envelopesecretary@sttimothy.ca

- Envelopes – If you use envelopes, we encourage you to mail those envelopes in, addressed to The Envelope Secretary, Church of St. Timothy, 100 Old Orchard Grove, Toronto, ON, M5M 2E2

- Online Donations – We are able to receive electronic transfers. To donate, **add** Church of St. Timothy to your payee list and e-transfer your donation to

office@sttimothy.ca



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