

What's Happening at St. Timothy's



Friday, October 3rd, 2025



Saturday,
October 4th

11:00am
Blessing of the Animals

Sunday, October
5th

10:00am
Service of Holy Eucharist

Monday,
October 6th to
Friday, October
10th

9:30am
Morning Prayer via Zoom
(<https://sttimothy.ca/services/upcoming-online-services/> for the links)

Wednesday,
October 8th

11:30am
Mid-Week Eucharist

Sunday, October
12th

10:00am
Service of Holy Eucharist



Sunday, October
5th

8:30am
Adult Education

Tuesday, October
7th

10:00 – 11:00am
ESL Reading & Career
Mentoring Groups

11:00am - 12:30pm
ESL Conversation Group

1:00 – 2:00pm
Open Church Drop-In Hour

Wednesday,
October 8th

10:00 – 11:00am
Contemplative Art

12:00nn
St. Andrew's Group
Meeting

1:00 – 2:00pm
Open Church Drop-In Hour

Thursday,
October 9th

1:00 – 2:00pm
Open Church Drop-In Hour

Sunday, October
12th

8:30am
Adult Education

From the Incumbent

Blessing of Animals — Tomorrow, Saturday, October 4 at 11:00 a.m.

Bring your beloved pets (or a photo/leash animal) for a brief outdoor blessing. All ages welcome.



Education & Formation (all now up and running!)

- **Youth Group (12+) — Sundays, after the service**
Time together for check-ins, planning, and seasonal projects.
- **Adult Education — Sundays, 8:30 a.m.**
Join us for a short, engaging session before worship. The current focus is on scriptural representation of disability.
- **Deepening the Faith (Teens & Adults) — Sundays, during the morning service**
A gentle, discussion-based class open to anyone exploring or preparing for confirmation.
- **Adult Art Group — Weekly**
We're about to **pivot from Faces to Flowers**—a fresh subject if you've been thinking of joining.
- Save your **mini-study guides** we have started to include with the order of service each week, and consider memorizing, practicing, and reflecting on the key verses provided in two versions for adults and children. The children have been given special folders which they may use to store these handouts.

Weekday Worship on Zoom

- **Morning Prayer — Every weekday at 9:30 a.m.**
A peaceful 15–20 minutes to begin the day in prayer and Scripture. (Same Zoom link as usual.)

Let's get those pictures taken and uploaded in the online directory ASAP.

- Let us know if you can help take photos during the coffee hour and/or consider uploading your own photo.

Pick up your printed copy of the **Seasonal Guide** to our worship, education, service, and social activities between now and Advent, or check it out online – <https://sttimothy.ca/fall-guide-2025/>

Blessings,

Irina+

Incumbent

Coffee Table Book of Illustrations

The new edition of Rev. Irina's book of illustrations is now available. This edition titled **"A Liturgical Journey in Image and Word"** features digital images, verses of scripture and reflections on the major feasts through the liturgical year. Cost: \$40 per book. All proceeds (less the cost of printing) being donated to St. Tim's. Please contact Ashani, office@sttimothy.ca



Advisory Board Meeting Minutes

The draft minutes of the Advisory Board meeting held on **September 15th, 2025** are now available [here](#) or on the bulletin board outside the office.

Save the Date: BREAKAWAY 2026

Join us for our annual Parish Retreat at Fairhavens, happening **January 30–February 1, 2026**. It's a weekend of renewal, connection, and spiritual refreshment—set against the peaceful backdrop of Fairhavens.

Everyone is warmly invited.

For details or questions, contact Joanna Maplazi at joannamaplazi@gmail.com or 416-697-7371.

Empty Preserve Jars

The Christmas Kitchen Team would appreciate if you could bring in any empty 125 ml or 250 ml jars to be reused for this year's preserves. Please leave any jars in the kitchen.

OUTREACH CORNER

St. Timothy's Winter Clothing Drive Returns

*Keeping ahead of the Cold
One warm coat, boot and mitt at a time!*

The Winter Clothing Drive returns for Flemington Park Ministry, a multicultural community city bringing people together to break barriers of isolation and food insecurity in the Thorncliffe/Flemington Park area.

Seeking: NEW boots, hats, and water-resistant mitts or gloves for ages 4 to 14 (elementary school age). Our goal is to fully equip up to 30 snowsuits ready for Winter.

The opportunities to donate:

- **Saturday, October 4th** between 10:30am – 12nn.
- **Starting October 5th**, every Sundays into early November during the 10am service.
- **Weekdays** (Tuesday & Wednesday) between 10:00am – 2:00pm during the month of October. *(Please use the Ridley Boulevard entrance by the rainbow-coloured fence)*

Thank you! Please help by sharing this information amongst family, friends, and neighbours.

Wishing to donate instead?

Make cheque payable to Church of St Timothy, noting Winter Drive in the memo line and we will buy more snowsuits towards our goal of 30 complete sets.

Questions? Contact Cynthia at cyn.majewski@gmail.com

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 Jane Hutchinson, at envelopesecretary@sttimothy.ca

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

- 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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