

# ST. TIMOTHY CATHOLIC CHURCH

## IGLESIA DE SAN TIMOTEO

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### 6th Sunday of Easter — May 6, 2018

*It was not you who chose me, but I who chose you and appointed you to go and bear fruit.*  
— John 15:16

#### OUT AHEAD OF US

In the book of Acts, we learn that God is the primary active agent in the world. God is indeed active within the church. But here we learn that the Holy Spirit also is out ahead of us, working in the lives and communities of people who are different from us. God is busy within and among people who don't know God, or who understand God differently, or who struggle to understand God. Like Peter and the early church, many of us somehow learned, often in childhood, whom to trust and who should be avoided. God, however, seems to be fond of crossing boundaries. The Spirit is stirring in our neighborhoods, workplaces, and public spaces. Many of us will need to learn to pay attention to this. The Spirit invites us to find God there and to join in God's work. Our parishes are invited to embrace our local communities. As we listen and learn from our neighbors and share God's love with them, we will deepen our understanding of being the church today.

#### ADELANTE DE NOSOTROS

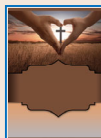
En el libro de los Hechos, conocimos que Dios es el primer agente activo en el mundo. Dios de hecho está activo dentro de la Iglesia. Pero aquí aprendemos que el Espíritu Santo también está adelante de nosotros, trabajando en la vidas y comunidades de personas que son diferente a nosotros. Dios está ocupado dentro y en medio de personas que no lo conocen, o que entienden a Dios de manera diferente o que luchan por entender a Dios. Como Pedro y la Iglesia primitiva, muchos de nosotros de alguna manera aprendimos, a menudo en nuestra infancia, a quien confiar y a quien no. Dios, sin embargo, parece ser alguien a quien le gusta cruzar límites. El Espíritu se mueve en nuestros vecindarios, lugares de trabajo y espacios públicos. Muchos de nosotros necesitaremos aprender a poner atención a esto. El Espíritu nos invita a encontrar a Dios ahí y a unirse en su obra. Nuestras parroquias están invitadas a abrazar a nuestras comunidades locales. Mientras escuchamos y aprendemos de nuestros prójimos y compartimos el amor de Dios con ellos, profundizaremos nuestro entendimiento de ser hoy Iglesia.

#### MASS SCHEDULE/HORARIO DE MISAS

Saturday/Sábado 8 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday/Domingo 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 a.m.  
(12:00 p.m. *en Español*)  
Monday-Saturday 8:00 a.m. (in the Church)  
Lunes a sábado 8:00 a.m. (*en la Iglesia*)

#### PENANCE/CONFESIONES

Saturdays from 3:30 - 4:30 or by appointment  
*Sábados de 3:30 - 4:30 ó previa cita*



#### QUESTION OF THE WEEK...

**Adults:** How is love of others connected to love for God?

**Kids:** Who needs Jesus' love this week? How can you show them his love

#### PASTORAL STAFF

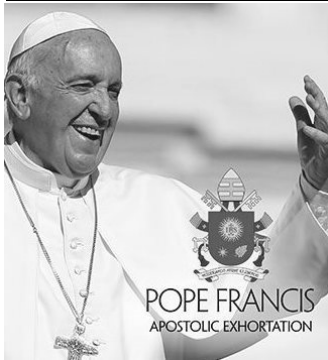
Rev. Aler Uy Nambatac, Pastor  
Rev. Nick Paloso, Parochial Vicar  
Jeanne Sentman, Parish Manager

Rev. Deacon Angel Aguilar  
Rev. Deacon Fred Totah  
Rev. Deacon Benny Koloamatangi

Rev. Deacon Faiva Po'oi  
Rev. Deacon Abel Mejia

#### TONGAN USA CHAPLAIN

Rev. Kapiolani Kakala, (650-342-2470)  
Rev. Saimone T. Moala



**REJOICE AND BE GLAD!** Last week, Pope Francis issued his latest Apostolic Exhortation, "Rejoice and Be Glad" (Gaudete et Exultate) on the call to holiness in today's world. The document is intended to re-invite us to holiness in a modern and practical way.

**CHAPTER 1: THE CALL TO HOLINESS**

There are many kinds of saints. Besides the Church's officially recognized saints, many more ordinary people have been hidden from history books yet have been decisive in changing the world. They include many Christian witnesses whose martyrdom is a feature of our time. "Each saint is a mission, planned by the Father to reflect and embody, at a specific moment in history, a certain aspect of the Gospel." Holiness is experiencing the mysteries of Christ's life, "constantly dying and rising anew with him", and reproducing aspects of His earthly life: His closeness to the outcast, His poverty, His self-sacrificing love. "Allow the Spirit to forge in you the personal mystery that can reflect Jesus Christ in today's world", in a mission to build the kingdom of love, justice and universal peace.

*Holiness is as diverse as humanity*; the Lord has in mind a particular path for each believer, not just the clergy, the consecrated or those who live a contemplative life. We are all called to holiness, whatever our role, "by living our lives with love and bearing witness" and in the everyday turning to God. Among ways of bearing witness are "feminine styles of holiness", of famous women saints and the "unknown and forgotten" women who daily transform their communities. As well as through big challenges, holiness grows through small gestures: refusing to gossip, listening with patience and love, saying a kind word to a poor person.

Holiness keeps us faithful to our deepest selves, free from every form of enslavement and bearing fruit for our world. *Holiness does not make us less human, since it is an encounter between our weakness and the power of God's grace.* But we need moments of solitude and silence before God, to face our true selves and to let the Lord enter.

**DID YOU KNOW???**

Francis is the Pope of many firsts. He is the first Jesuit pope, the first from the Americas, the first from the Southern Hemisphere and the first non-European pope since the Syrian Gregory III in 741.

**Ascension Sunday  
May 13, 2018**

The **Feast of the Ascension** of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, **commemorates** the Christian belief of the bodily Ascension of Jesus into heaven, the fortieth day after Easter Sunday.



**Coming up at St. Timothy...**

**NO BINGO—May 11**

**Y.E.S. BAKE SALE—Sunday, May 13**

After all masses

**Dinner Dance/Cena y Baile**

Saturday, May 19th 6pm in the gym

**R.C.I.A. Christian Initiation of Adults**

Wednesday's, at 7:00 pm Parish Office

**Bible Study**

Saturday's at 9:30 am in the Parish Office



**Regular Activities at St. Timothy**

Liturgy Ministry	First Thursdays	7:00 pm	Hispanic Ministry	First Mondays	7:00 pm
Pastoral Council	Third Thursdays	7:00 pm	Legion of Mary	Wednesdays	9:00 am
Finance Council	Fourth Tuesdays	7:00 pm	Adoration	Every Friday	5:45 pm (Chapel) (except during Lent)

Visit our website at [www.sttims.us](http://www.sttims.us) for more details  
Inquire about Mass Intentions— Trudy Guella—[tguela@sttims.us](mailto:tguela@sttims.us)

**MASS INTENTIONS**  
**May 5 through May 12**

<b>Saturday, May 5</b>	
5:00 pm	Alex Figueroa + , Fred Natividad + Al Bablo + Pablo & Elias Alcalá + Lita Fakava +
<b>Sunday, May 6</b>	
7:30 am	Thanksgiving—The Borar Family
9:00 am	Tecla Ganio + Giuseppa Fruciano +
10:30 am	Losalia Lavaki + Happy Birthday Anastacia Co Corazon Rubin +
12:00 pm	Oscar Mauricio Figueroa Padilla + Arsenio Rodriguez + Vicente & Domitila Jimenez +
<b>Monday, May 7</b>	
8:00 am	Dennis, Theresa & Christy Patterson Leonati Ofa Pita + Thanksgiving—The Borar Family
<b>Tuesday, May 8</b>	
8:00 am	Guillermo Ver Bitanga + Maliana & Joy Thanksgiving—The Borar Family
<b>Wednesday, May 9</b>	
8:00 am	Edward Uyehara + Thanksgiving—The Borar Family
<b>Thursday, May 10</b>	
8:00 am	Happy Birthday Mark DeOcampo Happy Birthday Lester Ramirez Thanksgiving—The Borar Family
<b>Friday, May 11</b>	
8:00 am	Thanksgiving—The Borar Family Amy Uradomo
<b>Saturday, May 12</b>	
8:00 am	Thanksgiving—The Borar Family Special Intention

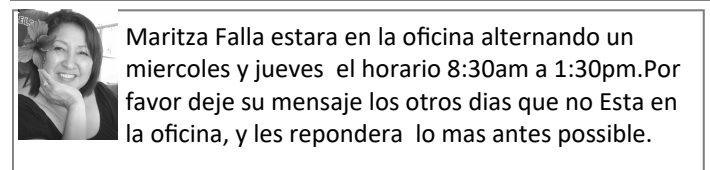
**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK AND DECEASED**

**Pray for our Sick and those who need our Prayers**  
 Lou and Denise Branchaud, Richard L. Sentman (Father of Jeanne Sentman), Carol Page, Betty Rensch, Amy Uradomo, Elsa Alvarez, Isela Campos, Dr. Fred Morgan, Fe Astrero, Clarice Lofran, Matthew Kleinidam, Baby Angeline Ramirez, Rosario Tagigo and Bonnie Giffin

**For the Souls of all the faithful departed especially,**  
 Baby Rishi Moradi Sweeney, Msgr. James T. Tarantino, Jerry Forbes (Fr. Kieran McCormick's brother-in-law), Ileni Ongolea, Michael Cruz Sanchez, Delia Montano, Carol Cross, Charles Bane

**RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)** Rev. Deacon Faiva Po'oi, 650-867-4049  
 For individuals interested in becoming Catholic, and for adult Catholics who have not yet received Eucharist or Confirmation.

**SAN TIMOTEO EN ESPANOL**  
 Deacon Abel (650) 342-2468 x 20  
 Maritza Falla (650)342-2468 x20



**DINNER DANCE**  
**CENA Y BAILE**  
 May 19th at 6pm  
 \$30 for adults  
 \$15 for kids 12 and under  
 Tickets available at the parish office.



**ST. TIMOTHY CATHOLIC SCHOOL**  
 GRADES K-8  
 Michelle Basile, Principa(650) 342-6567  
 WWW.sttimothyschool.org

**Walk-a-thon Spring 2018**  
 We are excited for our upcoming Walk-a-thon 2018! All money raised from this fundraiser helps support school programs and activities. Support your tigers today by going to the website above. Please be sure to name the student in whose honor you are donating.

*faith* Formation 

Anamaria Park, R.E. Coordinator (650) 579-0901  
**Office Hours:**  
 Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 8 AM – 2:00 PM  
 Wednesday Evening 6 PM – 8:30 PM  
 Saturdays 8 AM – 12 PM

**FORMACION DE FE (CCD)**  
 Anamaria Park, R.E. Coordinator (650) 579-0901  
**Horas de oficina:**  
 Martes, Miercoles y Jueves 8 AM – 2:00 PM  
 Miercoles: 6 PM – 8:30 PM Sabados 8 AM – 12 PM

**WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE  
A REGISTERED PARISHIONER?**

Fill out this form and return to the parish office:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

OR

Log on to our Website at  
www.sttims.us  
Click on "Our Family" and scroll  
down to "New Parishioner"



**SACRAMENTS**

**BAPTISM/BAUTISOS**

Parents should call the Parish Office 3 months in advance.

*Los padres deberan de informar a la oficina, con tres meses de anticipación.*

**CONFIRMATION/CONFIRMACION**

Confirmation is now being offered to students entering the 8th grade and up if they have attended 7th grade religious education classes. Adults over 18 please contact Deacon Faiva, 650-867-4049.

*Estamos recibiendo estudiantes para confirmacion del octavo grado en adelante con previa educacion religiosa en el septimo.*

*Adultos mayores de 18 años comuniquense con Deacon Faiva Po'oi.*

**MARRIAGE/MATRIMONIOS**


Couples should call at least 6 months ahead of time.

*Por favor avisenos con seis meses de anticipación.*

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK /UNCION A LOS ENFERMOS**

For anyone experiencing chronic illness or preparing for medical treatment, or long term care, please call the parish office to arrange an appointment with a priest.

*Toda persona experimentando una enfermedad cronica, tratamiento medico o atencion de largo plazo, por favor llame a la oficina para obtener una cita con el sacerdote.*

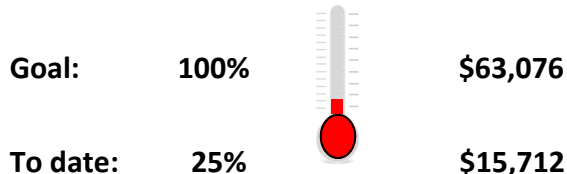

 **MUSIC DIRECTOR:** Mr. Peter Mafi

**SACRIFICIAL GIVING/COLECCION**

***Gifts for God - Colección***

April 29 Sunday Collection	\$ 4,776.50
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 1,928.00

**ARCHDIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL 2018**

**NEXT WEEK** is Catholic Charities Sunday. This annual second collection asks parishioners to live their faith by generously supporting the good work of Catholic Charities, the social services arm of the Catholic Church in your local area. Your contribution directly support programs and services that provide relief for homeless families, frail seniors, immigrants, the working poor, children and youth, and many of our most vulnerable neighbors who are struggling to meet even their most basic needs. Put your faith into action and change a life for the better today by contributing to Catholic Charities.

## Church Environment Volunteers Needed



Please contact the Parish Office  
(650)-342-2468 or [info@sttims.us](mailto:info@sttims.us)  
If you would like to be a part of this worthwhile ministry!

**Celebrate Spring!**



**Senior Lunch**  
**Monday, May 7th**  
**12 to 2pm Fitzpatrick Hall**