



**St. Timothy's Anglican Church, Agincourt**  
**Sunday, April 15, 2018 – 8:00 am**  
**Third Sunday of Easter**  
**Celebrant & Preacher**  
**The Rev. Andrea Christensen**

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**Our Order of Service**

Good morning and welcome to St Timothy's. Whether you attend every Sunday or are visiting with us, we are blessed by your presence. We hope you'll find our worship meaningful and inspiring.



**Hearing Assistance** Devices are available. Please ask a Sidesperson to assist you.

**Communion**

All baptized Christians are invited to receive communion. If you are not baptized or do not wish to receive, you are invited to come for a blessing. Please indicate this by crossing your arms over your chest. If you would like a gluten-free wafer, please bring your prayer book to the rails.

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**8:00 am HOLY EUCHARIST**

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**The Gathering of the Community**

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**Hearing God's Word to Us**

FIRST READING: Acts 3:12-19

*Peter takes on leadership and calls people to faith in Jesus.*

Psalm 4

*Put your trust in the Lord.*

SECOND READING: 1 John 3:1-7

*As children of God we abide securely in him.*

THE GOSPEL: Luke 24:36b-48

*Jesus' disciples alternate between joy and disbelief when Jesus appears among them.*

**R: Glory be to thee, O Lord. Alleluia! /Praise be to thee, O Christ. Alleluia!**

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### **THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

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THE COMMUNION

Leader The gifts of God for the People of God.

**All Thanks be to God.**

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PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION *To be said by the Leader, please stand*

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THE BLESSING *To be said by the Leader*

THE DISMISSAL

Leader Go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the spirit. Alleluia!

**All Thanks be to God. Alleluia!**

**THE BLESSING OF THE TOWER CROSS & SIGN  
IS TODAY AFTER THE 10:00 AM SERVICE.**

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### **Those assisting in our worship today**

Deacon: Bob Saunders

Sub Deacon: Sherri Golisky

Readers: Doris Micks/ Penny Seymour

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## This Week at St. Timothy's April 16 – 21

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| Mon/Tues | St. Timothy's Workshop     |                | 9:00 am  |
| Mon.     | Bible Study                | Bonis Room     | 1:00 pm  |
|          | Bible Study                | Bonis Room     | 7:30 pm  |
| Tues.    | Craft Club                 | Lamont Hall    | 9:30 am  |
| Wed.     | Breakfast Program          | Walker Hall    | 8:30 am  |
|          | Morning Prayer             |                | 10:00 am |
|          | Bible Study                | Bonis Room     | 10:30 am |
|          | Tai Chi Class              | Walker Hall    | 1:00 pm  |
|          | Advisory Board             | Bonis Room     | 7:30 pm  |
| Thurs.   | Hot Lunch Program          | Walker Hall    | 11:30 am |
|          | Chair Yoga Class           | Walker Hall    | 2:00 pm  |
|          | Choir Rehearsal            | South Transept | 8:00 pm  |
| Fri.     | Praise & Worship Rehearsal | Walker Hall    | 7:30 pm  |

**AN OUTREACH MEETING** is scheduled next Sunday after the 10:00 am service.

### WHAT IS PAR AND WHY SHOULD I SIGN UP FOR IT?

***"Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." 2 Corinthians 9:7***

Pre-Authorized Remittance, or PAR, allows you to support your church through an automatic monthly withdrawal from your bank account.

If you have automatic debits being taken from your bank account to pay your bills, then you already understand the PAR principle. You can give to St. Timothy's the same way.

Using the PAR program for your offering allows you to give intentionally, proportionally and faithfully to St. Timothy's, even when you are away. Providing our church with a dependable flow of contributions also helps with budgeting and reduces paper work.

It's easy. Just decide what you want to give each year and divide that amount by twelve. By giving regularly to our church family you help nurture our congregation, provide programs, pastoral care, support our church home, and teach our children and young people about Christ. You also support people in our community through our mission and outreach programs.

*Thinking about signing up, but have a few more questions??* Please speak to Penny Laity or one of our Churchwardens today after the service or leave a message for them at 416-293-5711 x1 or [office@sttims.ca](mailto:office@sttims.ca).

**LENTEN BOXES:** Please return your boxes on the offering plates (or in the Office) no later than **Sunday, April 22.**

**OUR LIGHT SHINES!** Very special thanks to the Signage Committee, who gave generously of their time and expertise in commissioning and implementing our new Tower Cross and St. Timothy's Sign. Your hard work and tireless effort has provided a new visible presence in the life of our community. Thank you, Rev. Dr. John Stephenson, Janet Trim, Bob Saunders, Jonathan Kay, Penny Laity, Pearl Chandler and Paul Baillargeon. You are a blessing to us!

*"In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven."*

**OPPORTUNITY:** To Pick up remaining 2018 ENVELOPES – For 2 weeks (April 15 & 22) on the table in the narthex. – Penny Laity, Envelope Secretary

**SUMMER CAMP:** Registration is now open. Forms are available in the narthex and on the website.

**Please remember in your prayers this week**

**Parish Prayer Cycle:** Paul & Anne Baillargeon, Dan Baldasio  
Vaughn & June Baptist, Arlene Bascombe

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**Special Needs:** Rose Threndyle, David Conn, Nadine Corrigan, Eva Cowie, Cheryl, Jim Gibson, Emmanuel, Andrew, Nancy Campbell, Roz Trotter, Joyce, Vera, Dennis.

**On-Going Challenges:** Les Birmingham, Matthew Patrick, Louise, Gail Shotlander, Janet Tam, Mignonne, Erwin.

**Next Sunday's Readings:**

Acts 4:5-12    1 John 3:16-24    John 10:11-18

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***OUR PURPOSE: Is to be a loving, caring community worshipping Almighty God, sharing the good news of Jesus Christ and reaching out to others in the power of the Holy Spirit.***