



St. Timothy's Anglican Church, Agincourt
Sunday, June 2, 2019 – 8:00 am
The Seventh Sunday of Easter
Jerusalem Sunday &
Growing Healthy Stewards: Legacy Giving Sunday
Celebrant: The Rev. Andrea Christensen
Preacher: Mr. Michael Cassabon

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.

8:00 am HOLY EUCHARIST (*with Anointing & Healing Prayer*)

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Hearing God's Word to Us

FIRST READING: Acts 16:16-34

Even in prison, Paul and Silas witness for Jesus, and the jailer and his household come to faith.

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We are called to acknowledge the power and glory, the justice and righteousness of the Lord.

SECOND READING: Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21

Anticipate the second coming of Jesus, Lord and giver of life.

THE GOSPEL: John 17:20-26

Jesus prays for his disciples, asking that they be filled with unity and love.

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

SERMON (*Growing Healthy Stewards: Legacy Giving Sunday with Michael Cassabon*)

CATECHETICAL FAMILY MOMENT

Question: Since we are redeemed by grace alone, through faith alone, where does this faith come from?

Answer: All the gifts we receive from Christ, we receive through the Holy Spirit, including faith itself. (Titus 3:4-6)

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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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THE BLESSING *To be said by the Leader*

THE DISMISSAL

Leader Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia!

All Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

Those assisting in our worship today

Deacon: Rev. Johanna Pak & Rev. Dr. Kathy Buligan Sub Deacon: Roman Hamilton
Readers: Pam Blizzard/ Alex Yearwood

Please remember in your prayers this week

Parish Prayer Cycle: Noel Baccus, Maggie Bailey
Paul & Anne Baillargeon, Dan Baldasio

In Memoriam: Loved ones of the Broadbent and Brown families.

Special Needs: The Vanderwerf Family, Rie, Bob J., Lisa S., Susan Hazel, Shirley Hinkson, Bill Buffett, Iris Tai, Lita Yhap, Mary, Rev. Ron Scott, Dave Merrall, Elaine P., Frank Pandoo, Henderson S., Diane.

On-Going Challenges: Alison, Rev. Jessica, Beryl, Thompson, Alice Lee, Annette Patrice.

Those Who Have Entered God's Nearer Presence: Mary Vanderwerf, Gordon Robertson

Birthdays: Soniya Thomas, Louis Hill, Merle Lee.

Anniversary: Berwick & Merle Lee will celebrate their 60th anniversary on Thursday, June 6.

This Week at St. Timothy's: June 3 - 8

Mon/Tues	St. Timothy's Workshop	Lamont Hall	9:00 am
Mon.	Bible Study	Bonis Room	1:00 pm
Tues.	Craft Club	Lamont Hall	9:30 am
Wed.	Breakfast Program	Walker Hall	8:30 am
	Corporation Meeting	Bonis Room	5:30 pm
	Advisory Board Meeting	Bonis Room	7:00 pm
Thurs.	Hot Lunch Program	Walker Hall	11:30 am
	Chair Yoga Class	East Hall	2:00 pm
	Choir Rehearsal	South Transept	8:00 pm
Fri.	Praise & Worship Rehearsal	Walker Hall	7:30 pm



Mr. Michael Cassabon is the Manager of Major Gifts and Legacy Giving for the Anglican Diocese of Toronto Foundation. Three years ago, Michael came to Toronto after he married his partner Luc, and he has worked with the Diocese since September 2017.

Michael's work and ministry supports the local Anglican community in many ways: he promotes the benefits of legacy giving in parishes across the Diocese. He coaches priests and lay leaders on the spirituality of stewardship and the theology of money. And he is presently leading a diocesan fundraising project called "The John Strachan Trust" to endow the Office of the Bishop of Toronto. Michael also raises corporate funding for the annual FaithWorks campaign and secures sponsorships for Synod and the annual Bishop's Company Dinner.

Michael is often invited to preach on the spirituality of using our gifts to glorify God and to build Christ-centered communities. He sees his role as supporting the good work that parishes are doing, and he seeks to contribute his unique gifts to support local parishes as we strive together to be light and love to those around us. *Thank you for being with us today, Michael. May God bless you in your work!*

MANY THANKS to everyone who came out to support St. Tim's at our Walk-N-Roll-A-Thon yesterday. It's always fun to gather and participate in an activity together. Thank you, too, to everyone who contributed to support the participants through sponsorship or the provision of refreshments and prizes. We request that all collected pledges be submitted to the church office **by Sunday, June 23rd**.

JERUSALEM SUNDAY is an annual opportunity for Anglicans in Canada to learn about and support God's mission in the Anglican Diocese of Jerusalem and the Middle East. This year's theme is "Multi-Narrative Pilgrimage." Jesus did not favour one people nor the story of one people. Therefore, when considering the Holy Land, we must immerse ourselves in the stories, hopes, and dreams of all its peoples. Christian pilgrims visiting the Holy Land rarely notice the local Christian community. Yet 7,000 Anglicans, in 30 parishes, serve faithfully in Lebanon, Syria, Jordan, Israel, the West Bank, and Gaza. They oversee an enormous outreach ministry of 30 institutions, employing more than 5,000 people providing education, vocational training, and medical care. They are a vibrant faithful community offering a bold witness to the compassionate love of God in action. Today, we pray for them.

SUMMER SCHEDULE REMINDER: The Mid-Week Eucharist Service & Christian Formations Study is on hiatus until September as we break for the summer months. We look forward to seeing you after Labour Day!

COMING SOON: Our St. Timothy's Church BBQ will take place on Sunday, June 23. Be sure to reserve the date!

REAR ENTRANCE DOORS: To reduce the wear-and-tear on the single door, we ask that you use the double doors when entering and exiting the building, whenever possible. This simple adjustment to your routine will assist in reducing expenses as door repairs can be very costly.

THE TORONTO CANTATA CHORUS PRESENTS: There is still time to get your tickets for "A concert for hope", featuring the Salvation Army North York Temple Band on Saturday, June 8 at 7:30 pm. The concert will be held at the Toronto Christian Community Church, located at 100 Acadia Avenue in Markham. Tickets can be purchased for \$20.00 in our Narthex Marketplace today, after each service. ALL proceeds from ticket sales go to St. Timothy's, Agincourt.

SUMMER CAMP IS ALMOST FULL! Don't delay your registration! Forms are available in the Narthex and on our website. Camp will run from July 15 – 19, the cost is \$90 per child.

THE BELLES BUS TRIP: We will be seeing Sight & Sound Play "Jesus" on our next big adventure, September 8-11, 2019. Seats are still available. Please call Betty Steele for more information at 416-335-0392. For those already registered, the final balance for the trip is due by July 30.

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