

SAINT TIMOTHY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

*A Community in Formation of the
Personal Ordinariate of the Chair of Saint Peter*



SEPTUAGESIMA SUNDAY

The Third Sunday Before Lent

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Mass Times:
Wednesday, 6:30 pm
Sunday, 10 am

Confessions and Adoration of the
Blessed Sacrament:
Wednesday, 5 pm - 6:15 pm

Holy Hour with Devotions to the
Sacred Heart and Evensong:
First Friday of Each Month, 7 pm

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Introit *Circumdede runt (Cf. Ps 18:4-7,1,2)*

The sorrows of death came about me; the pains of hell gat hold upon me: and in my tribulation I made my prayer unto the Lord, and he regarded my supplication out of his holy temple. (Ps) I will love thee, O Lord, my strength: the Lord is my stony rock, my fortress, and my Saviour. GLORY.
The sorrows...

The Gloria shall not be said from this day forth until the Easter Vigil except on Maundy Thursday, and on Solemnities and Feasts.

Collect

O Lord, we beseech thee favourably to hear the prayers of thy people: that we, who are justly punished for our offences, may be mercifully delivered by thy goodness, for the glory of thy Name; through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end. Amen.

First Reading *Isaiah 58:7-10*

Thus says the Lord: "Share your bread with the hungry, and bring the homeless poor into your house; when you see the naked, cover him, and do not hide yourself from your own flesh. Then shall your light break forth like the dawn, and your healing shall spring up speedily; your righteousness shall go before you, the glory of the Lord shall be your rear guard. Then you shall call, and the Lord will answer; you shall cry, and he will say, Here I am. If you take away from the midst of you the yoke, the pointing of the finger, and speaking wickedness, if you pour yourself out for the hungry and satisfy the desire of the afflicted, then shall your light rise in the darkness and your gloom be as the noonday."

Gradual *Adiutor in opportunitatibus (Cf. Ps 9:9,10,18,19)*

The Lord will be a refuge in the time of trouble; and they that know thy Name will put their trust in thee: for thou, Lord, hast never failed them that seek thee.

✠. For the poor shall not always be forgotten; the patient abiding of the meek shall not perish for ever: up, Lord, and let not man have the upper hand.

Second Reading *1 Corinthians 2:1-5*

When I came to you, brethren, I did not come proclaiming to you the testimony of God in lofty words or wisdom. For I decided to know nothing of among you except Jesus Christ and him crucified. And I was with you in weakness and in much fear and trembling; and my speech and my message were not plausible words of wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and power, that your faith might not rest in the wisdom of men but in the power of God.

Tract *De profundis (Ps 130:1-4)*

Out of the deep have I called unto thee, O Lord: Lord, hear my voice.

✠. O let thine ears consider well: the voice of my complaint.

✠. If thou, Lord, wilt be extreme to mark what is done amiss: O Lord, who may abide it?

✠. For there is mercy with thee: therefore shalt thou be feared.

Gospel *Matthew 5:13-16*

At that time: Jesus said to his disciples, “You are the salt of the earth; but if salt has lost its taste, how shall its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything except to be thrown out and trodden under foot by men. You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden. Nor do men light a lamp and put it under a bushel but on a stand, and it gives light to all in the house. Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven.”

Offertory *Bonum est (Ps 92:1)*

It is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord: and to sing praises unto thy Name, O Most Highest.

Prayer over the Offerings

We beseech thee, O Lord, graciously to accept these our prayers and oblations: that we being cleansed by these heavenly mysteries, may obtain of thy great mercy the fulfilment of all our desires; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Preface of Pre-Lent

It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ our Lord; who was in every way tempted like as we are, yet did not sin; by whose grace we are able to triumph over every evil, and to live no longer unto ourselves, but unto him who died for us and rose again.

Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; ever more praising thee, and saying:

Communion Antiphon *Illumina faciem (Ps 31:18,19)*

Show thy servant the light of thy countenance, and save me for thy mercy's sake: let me not be confounded, O Lord, for I have called upon thee.

Postcommunion Prayer

Strengthen, O Lord, we pray thee, with these thy gifts the wills of thy faithful people: that we receiving the same may seek them more earnestly, and seeking the same may obtain them everlastingly; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fellowship

This week's fellowship will take place at Fr. Armando's Rectory located at 6049 Kennard Ct, Eldersburg, MD 21784. All are welcome!

Septuagesima Sunday

Today we begin our 'gesima-tide in which we see the return of violet vestments, the disappearance of the Gloria and the a-word (Alleluia), and the re-appearance of the tract to replace the gospel acclamation (the a-word).

The Church has instituted a preparation for the holy time of Lent. She gives us the three weeks of 'gesima-tide, during which she withdraws us, as much as may be, from the noisy distractions of the world, in order that our hearts may be the more readily impressed by the solemn warning she is to give us, at the commencement of Lent, by marking our foreheads with ashes.

Solemnity of the Chair of Saint Peter

To facilitate the widest possible participation of the faithful and a common celebration of the Solemnity of Title, our 'gesima-tide will be interrupted by the Feast of the Chair of Saint Peter on Sunday, February 19th. We celebrate the Feast of the Chair of Saint Peter to recognize the unity of the Christian Church, the authority of Saint Peter and his dedication towards building a strong foundation for the Church, and because this is the Patronal Feast of our own Diocese.

Almighty and everlasting God, who dost govern all things in heaven and earth: Mercifully hear our prayers, and grant to this Ordinariate all things needful for its spiritual welfare (priests and deacons to labour in this portion of thy vineyard; holy, learned, and zealous religious; churches complete in the beauty of holiness). Strengthen and confirm the faithful; protect and guide the children; visit and relieve the sick; turn and soften the wicked; arouse the careless; recover the fallen; restore the penitent. Remove all hindrances to the advancement of thy truth; and bring us all to be of one heart and mind within the fold of thy holy Church, to the honour and glory of thy blessed Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Mass Intentions

Wednesday, February 1 - Open

Thursday, February 2 - The Most Rev'd Steven Lopes

Sunday, February 5 - Pro Populo

Wednesday, February 8 - Open

Sunday, February 12 - Pro Populo

If you would like to have a Mass offered for someone, please e-mail Father Armando at fr.armando.alejandro@ordinariate.net with the Person's Name, whether they are living or deceased, and the potential date you would like to have the Mass offered. The suggested donation to the Church is \$10, but do not let that be a deterrent to having a Mass offered for a loved one.

Saint Timothy's Weekly Collection

01/01/23 - \$5,169.00

01/08/23 - \$2,322.00

01/15/23 - \$1,092.50

THE LENTEN SCHEDULE

Confessions

Wednesdays Confessions and Adoration
5 - 6:15 PM

Fridays in Lent - Confession/Adoration
5 - 7 PM

Ash Wednesday

7 AM - Mass with Ashes

12 PM - Sext (Midday Prayer) with Ashes

5 - 5:45 pm - Confessions and Adoration

5:50 PM - Evensong

6:30 PM - Mass with Ashes

Lenten Mission

Saint Timothy's Ordinariate Catholic Church is pleased to welcome Father David Michael Moses for our 2023 Lenten Mission. The mission will take place on Wednesday, March 8 at Saint Timothy's.

Confessions and Adoration - 5 PM - 6:15 PM

Mass - 6:30 PM

Spiritual Conference - 7:15 PM (Immediately after Mass)