



ST. TIMOTHY

Follow Jesus. Make a Difference

THE BAPTISM OF OUR LORD

January 12, 2020

Steve Henze. Brad Jurischk. Pastors

TODAY'S ORDER OF WORSHIP

~ 8:00 A.M. ~

Welcome

"Lift High The Cross"

Invocation and Psalm 150

"Joyful, Joyful We Adore You"

**Commissioning of Board of Directors'
and Board of Elders'**

A Time of Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

"Oh Worship The King"

New Testament ~ **Ephesians 3:14-21**

Gospel ~ **John 4:7-24**

Apostles' Creed

We Bring our Tithes and Offerings

"Leaning On The Everlasting Arms"

Gospel Lights

"O Love, How Deep, How Broad, How High"

Children's Church

The Message

"Higher"

Pastor Brad Jurischk

The Blessing

Closing Hymn

"Savior, Again To Your Dear Name"

~ 10:45 A.M. ~

Call to Worship

"Diamonds"

Welcome

"Only King Forever"

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"Our God"

The Blessing and Closing Song

ALTAR FLOWERS ARE GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD BY:

St. Timothy Lutheran Church

WELCOME

Welcome in the name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. We pray this service will be a joyful and uplifting celebration of faith for you as you are strengthened through His Holy Word and Sacraments.



Our Guests: Welcome! We are so glad you have come! Please register your visit with us on a Welcome card. To learn more about St. Timothy, visit STLHouston.org or ask about our next Discovery class that begins March 1, 2020! **You are always welcome here!**

Nursery: Nursery Care is available directly across from the Sanctuary for infants and toddlers up to 3 yrs old any time before or during the services. There is a special time of play and learning for children 2½ through Pre-K in Kid's Spot or Children's Ministry Building during our church services where you may bring your child instead of the nursery.

Children's Church 8:00am Service:

Children 2 ½ yrs old - 1 grade participate in learning just for them and return after the Message.

Children's Church 10:45am Service:

Children 2½ - 4 yrs old are invited to Room 7 in the Children's Ministry Building anytime during the service. Please sign them in and pick them up at the end of the service. Children of parents who wish to keep them at the beginning of the service are dismissed for Children's Church before the Pastor's Message.

Children in Pre-K - 1st grade attend Children's Church in the Children's Ministry "Big Room" during the 10:45am service and will return after the Message.

📶 **Public WIFI Password:** [Jesuslovesme](#)

Hearing devices are available at the Welcome Desk 

BLOOD DRIVE TODAY IN RM 102/103 FROM 8AM-1:30PM

"ELIJAH" BIBLE STUDY LED BY GLORIA RUPPEL WILL BE IN THE SANCTUARY TODAY ONLY

CURRENT SERIES

Jesus takes us HIGHER, Deeper, W↔DER

The mission of St. Timothy is to Follow Jesus and Make a Difference. Following Jesus changes our perspective. It changes our relationships. And it changes our actions. The love of Christ compels us to live differently. **Ephesians 3:17-18 says, *And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the Lord's holy people, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ.*** We believe that as we follow Jesus, He takes our vision **Higher** as we focus on Him in our worship and prayer. He takes us **Deeper** in our relationship with Him and others as we dig into the Word of God and build relationships that are rooted in Christ. Jesus takes us **Wider** as He sends us into our community and world to share His love with others. Join us each week as we look at how we live this out individually and together.



GO DEEPER INTO GOD'S WORD

SUNDAY ADULT BIBLE CLASSES AT 9:30 AM

Higher, Deeper, Wider Bible Study Led by Pastors Steve and Brad in RM 201 (See pg 3)

Uninvited (Women's Only) In this six-session video Bible study women explore the roots of rejection; the lies we believe as a result; and the truth about who God is, who we are and what it looks like to live loved. The enemy wants us to feel rejected... left out, lonely, and less than. When we allow him to speak lies through our rejection, he pickpockets our purpose, cripples our courage, dismantles our dreams and blinds us to the beauty of Christ's powerful love. **Led by Leslie Sjurseth in RM 101**



Elijah Elijah was called by God to speak truth to a culture that had wandered far from God. His challenges included unfaithful leaders, severe drought, and an apathetic people ignorant of the Lord. We study Elijah to learn how we can face similar challenges with courage and humility, leaning on our faithful God for strength and guidance. **Led by Gloria Ruppel in the Sanctuary this Sunday because of the Blood Drive.**



The Five Love Languages Author Gary Chapman helps you identify your personal love language. He also helps you understand the love language of your spouse. Then he provides practical suggestions for enriching your marriage by practicing the other love languages. **Led by Sean and Staci McMahon in RM 104**



Wednesday Pit Stop Adult Bible Class at 6:30 PM "What On Earth Am I Here For?" And here's a clue to the answer: "It's not about you...You were created by God and for God, and until you understand that, life will never make sense. It is only in God that we discover our origin, our identity, our meaning, our purpose, our significance, and our destiny." Study from Rick Warren's Purpose Drive Life Bible Study series. **Led by Pastor Steve and Elizabeth Leitko in RM 102/103.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Men's Ministry meets at Willie's



Icehouse this Tuesday, Jan. 14
at 6:45pm (249/Cypresswood)

Women's Book Club meets this

Wednesday Jan. 15 at 2 PM to discuss
The Languages of Sycamores by Lisa
Wingate in RM 104 of the Adult Education
building. To receive book club news, email
Pat Neal at pneal36313@comcast.net

**INTERESTED IN GOING TO ALASKA
WITH GRACEWORKS JUNE 7-13?**

**Please join us for a quick informational
meeting after the 10:45 service next
Sunday, Jan. 19 in RM 101 or contact
Elizabeth Leitko.**

2020 Offering Envelopes are available at
the welcome desk in the Gathering Area.
Please stop and get yours today.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY



Children's Sunday School is at 9:30 AM in the Children's Ministry Building. Join us!

Do you have a child in Kindergarten?

Then you are invited to our
Milestone Ministry Event:

The Great Family Devotion Challenge!

**Sunday, Jan. 19th at 9:30 AM in the
Children's Ministry Building**

We will eat breakfast and get devoted!

RSVP to Caroline@STLHouston.org

The Blessing Shower

If you've had a baby in
2019, you and your family are
invited to a lunch in
your honor! Join us for the
Blessing Shower **Sunday, Jan. 26th 12-1pm**
RSVP to Caroline@STLHouston.org



For more information on Children's Ministry events contact Caroline Gray at Caroline@STLHouston.org

MID-WEEK RE-CHARGE

Join us for Wednesday's PIT STOP this week!

****Please note the new schedule**



- 5:30-6:30 PM: Dinner in the Life Center: Soups and Salads / Mac N' Cheese
- 6:00-6:30 PM: Joyful Noise (Preschool - 5th grade) meets in RM 201
- 6:15-7:30 PM: Jr. High Confirmation in Sr. High youth room, Sr. High Bible study in RM 104
ZONE 45 - 4th & 5th grade youth group meets in Children's Ministry Building
Activities for children in 1st—3rd grade in the Children's Ministry Building
Childcare through Kindergarten in the Children's Ministry Building
- 6:30-7:30 PM: Adult Bible Study (see page 4 for more info)
- 6:45-7:45 PM: St. Timothy Choir rehearsal in RM 201
- 7:45-8:10 PM: "Gospel Lights" Men's ensemble rehearsal in RM 201

ZONE
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SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY

Senior Adult Bible Study meets this Wednesday

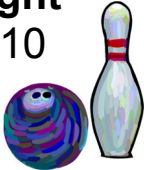
JOY (Just Older Youth) is a LIFE group for those 65 years and older that meets on the 3rd Wednesday of the month in RM 101 from 10-11:30 AM.

JOY GROUP INVITES

Everyone 50 Years and Better
Houston Museum of Natural Science
Thursday, January 23, 2020 - \$10
10:00 AM and return about 4:30 PM
Lunch before the exhibit at: **Cleburne Cafeteria.** Call Georgia (281-397-6545) or call/text Janet (281-923-3897) or pick up a form at the welcome desk with more info.

STUDENT MINISTRY

Sr. High Bowling Tonight
FUEL meets at Bowlero - \$10
 19102 TX 249, Houston 77070
TODAY 4-6 PM *Invite friends!*



College Age Bible Study meets this Thursday, January 16th, at Dan Parker's house at 6-8pm. Dinner will be provided. Please text or email Dan to RSVP.

YOUTH GARAGE SALE! The Youth Garage Sale for Missions Fundraiser will be Saturday, February 29th from 8AM to 3PM. We are currently accepting donations and have a storage POD behind the Adult Education building to store items until the garage sale. If you have items that you would like to donate, please feel free to bring them up to the church or contact Dan Parker for more information. If anyone is interested in helping pick up items that are being donated, please contact Dan Parker.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THESE UPCOMING EVENTS:

Jr. High:	Sr. High:
Feb. 29 - Garage Sale	Feb. 29 - Garage Sale
March 21 - Six Flags Over Texas (Arlington)	March 1 - Movie Night
April 11 - Games Night (5-7:30PM)	April 26 - Spring FUEL Kick-Off
May 3 - Confirmation Sunday	May TBD - Paintball Game
June TBD - Houston Area Mission Service Trip	June 5 - Drive-In Movie Night
July 25 - Bowling at Bowlero	July 10-18 - Mission Trip (Hutchinson, KS)



Sr. High **FUEL** is our Sr. High Gathering each Sunday from 6-8pm. Join us for food, fun and Bible study as we grow our relationship with each other as well as our relationship with God.

For more information on Student Ministry events contact Dan Parker at Dan@STLHouston.org or text him at 940-357-9309

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Altar Guild is in need of several women to fill teams that rotate in preparing the Sanctuary and Life Center for Sunday worship. They do this work on Saturday and/or Sunday mornings. If you are interested, contact Janis Heider (Janis53.Heider@gmail.com) or Elizabeth Leitko (Elizabeth@STLHouston.org)



WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Today, Jan. 12	8:00 AM	Worship in the Sanctuary
	8:00-1:30 PM	Blood Drive in RM 102/103
	9:30-10:30 AM	Children's Sunday School / Adult Bible Classes
	10:45 AM	Worship in the Life Center
	1:00 PM	Manantiales de Vida Worship Service
	4:00-6:00 PM	Sr. High FUEL goes bowling at Bowlero (see pg. 6)
Mon. Jan. 13	6:30 PM	Cub and Boy Scouts Meeting in Adult Ed
Tues. Jan. 14	8:00 AM	Prayer Team Meeting in the Sanctuary
	9:00 AM	Quilters for Christ in the Annex
	9:30 AM	Women's Bible Study in RM 101
	6:45 PM	Men's Ministry meets at Willie's Icehouse
	7:00 PM	Voices In Bronze rehearsal in RM 202
	7:00 PM	Adult Bible Study in Church Office Conference Room
Wed. Jan. 15	5:30-6:30 PM	Dinner in the Life Center: Soups and Salads / Mac N Cheese
	6:00-6:30 PM	St. Timothy Festival Choir Rehearsal in RM 201
	6:15-7:30 PM	Jr. High Confirmation / Sr. High Bible Study / ZONE 45 / childcare
	6:30-7:30 PM	Adult Bible Class in RM 102/103 (class description on pg 3)
	6:45-7:45 PM	St. Timothy Choir rehearsals in RM 201
	7:45-8:10 PM	Gospel Lights - Men's ensemble in RM 201
	8:30 PM	Manantiales de Vida Adult Bible Study
Thurs. Jan. 16	6:00-8:00 PM	College Bible Study at Dan's house
	7:30 PM	Men's Pick-Up Basketball game in the Life Center
Fri. Jan. 17	7:00 PM	Manantiales de Vida Youth Worship
Sat. Jan. 18	7:00 AM	Men's Bible Study in the Church office conference room
Sun. Jan. 19	8:00 AM	Worship with Holy Communion in the Sanctuary
	9:30 AM	The Great Family Devotion Challenge
	9:30-10:30 AM	Children's Sunday School / Adult Bible Classes
	10:45 AM	Worship with Holy Communion in the Life Center
	12:15 PM	Graceworks Alaska Informational Meeting in RM 101
	1:00 PM	Manantiales de Vida Worship Service
	6:00-8:00 PM	Sr. High FUEL

Save the Date for these Upcoming Events:

January 26 - The Blessing Shower (See page 5 for more info)

February 19 - Thrivent Workshop with Steve Emmons

CONTACT US

To reach any of the staff members, please call the church office at 281-469-2457.
Staff email addresses are available on our website at STLHouston.org/staff

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THOSE WHO SERVE

Today, January 12, 2020

	8:00 AM	10:45 AM
Acolytes	Ben Rohan	n/a
Elders/Deacons	Russel Blue / Cameron Spurgeon / Kevin Arnold / Chris McFarlane / Lee Gray	
Reader	Judy Cordes	Doug Dretke
Prayer Partner	Dianne Kingsley	Tiffany Gilley
Ushers	Ross Friedrichs / Roger Rucker / Fred Gallard / Robert Rucker / Stan Fritsche	Steve Bachmeier / Butch Bradt / John Ullrich / Marshall Wickman / David McManners / Patrick Matthews / Don Sanderson / Eddie Payne
Desk Host	Sheryl Huebner	Art Sukman
Tech Team	Roger Gautt / Clint Noack	Patrick Blake

Next Sunday, January 19, 2020

	8:00 AM	10:45 AM
Acolytes	Alyssa Scoble / Maximus Harvey	Colin Honeycutt / Kendall Honeycutt
Elders/Deacons	Russel Blue / Cameron Spurgeon / Kevin Arnold / Chris McFarlane / Lee Gray	
Reader	Jon Jungklaus	Lorna Winoske
Prayer Partner	John and Nancy Rohan	Kathy Kolkhorst / Patty Sanderson
Ushers	Neil Bamsch / Richard Drews / David Nahirny / Wayne Huebner / Blake Schmeling / Daniel Waggoner	Clint Noack / Gary Kolkhorst / Keith Casey / Robert Walker / Bob Sawicki / Roger Gautt / Clay Currin / Cheyanne Hildebrandt / Larry Olejnik
Desk Host	Bev Londergan	Brenda McKeegan
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