

Timothy Topics

Newsletter

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Bible Trivia

Where is 'love' first mentioned in the Bible?

Find the answer on your own or wait for our next 'Timothy topic'

Minister's Corner The root system is usually a below-ground structure that serves primarily to anchor the plant in the soil and take up water and minerals. Roots may be less familiar to the eye than the more visible flowers, stems, and leaves, but they are no less important to the plant. Similarly, you and I have our own root systems, they don't take up water and minerals, but they certainly anchor us and deliver vital ingredients for our survival. Ingredients like feelings, belonging, and hope -just to name a few- are less obvious than food and shelter but are no less important to our livelihood. And, of course, the anchorage and nutrition our root-systems supply depend on the soil where they rest. This is similar to the very close relationship between trees and the soils they grow in. The soil is the storage place where root systems draw what they need from and use for the structural support of the whole plant.

Now, trees have little choice when it comes to the soil where they rest their roots, but this is not the case for us. We have a choice, and quickly after we make it, we start to receive whatever nutrients that soil has to offer. We start to absorb the minerals dissolved under our feet. So, the question that begs for an answer here is: where do your spiritual, mental, and emotional roots lay? What kind of soil or environment do you immerse yourself in?

The bible describes those who trust in the Lord saying: They shall be like a tree planted by water, sending out its roots by the stream. It shall not fear when heat comes, and its leaves shall stay green; in the year of drought, it is not anxious, and it does not cease to bear fruit (Jeremiah 17:7-8) Hopefully, the environment where your root system lays will help you to live and grow. Rev. Reine

In the rearview mirror

April was a busy month at St. Timothy's. It started with Good Friday on April 2. On Sunday we celebrated the greatest news in the world, The Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. Session members led the service on the following Sunday (April 11). Our clerk of session delivered a very meaningful spiritual message. On Sunday 25, the efforts of the 'anniversary prep committee' were materialized with a wonderful celebration of St. Tim's 64th anniversary. Different age groups, talents, and backgrounds made our celebration such a memorable day. God has been with us for the last 64 years in this worshipping community and will continue for many years to come. Happy birthday St. Tim & Good job everyone.

looking forward

-With new volunteers onboard we are looking forward to our upcoming events. We welcome all who responded to God's calling to dedicate their time and talents to enrich St. Tim's ministry.

-Our annual Christian Family Sunday is around the corner. Different families will share with us special spiritual life experiences where they noticed the presence of God in the life of their families. A special story time that Sunday.

Training Sunday school teachers

Children's ministry is crucial for the church. We need to ensure our little ones have the seeds of faith and commitment planted in their hearts. It is important to do this in a fun and creative way. For this end, we are planning our next training session for prospect Sunday School teachers and present ones. We will learn some educational basis plus some techniques so our class time can be productive and engaging. We would love to have you onboard.

Virtual Worship Services

Every Sunday @ 10:00 am

May 09, 2021 Christian Family Sunday
May 16, 2021 Ascension Sunday
May 23, 2021 Day of Pentecost
May 30, 2021 Trinity Sunday

Virtual Coming Events

Contact us for a link

Sunday school teachers training May 12 @ 6:30 pm. If you are not able to join our team now, you can still be part of this training session. See you there.

Virtual Church Groups


Contact us for a link

'Bedtime with Jesus' every Sat & Sun. @ 7pm
Not So Young Adult Group May 9 following Sunday service.
JK/SK & Gr 1-4 Sunday School May 16 after Sunday Service
Gr 5 & up Sunday School May 22 @ 6:00 pm
'Café Connections' every Fridays @ 10:00 am

St. Tim's Pictorial

St Timothy's Presbyterian Church 64th Anniversary Candle Prayer



← Technical team.  The brains behind our virtual connection.

The session of St. Tim lead Virtual service on April 11. Some session members →



← Ijosarah's baptism.

 Our newly confirmed members →



