

ST. PATRICK PARISH

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday thru Friday 9:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.
Closed Thursdays

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday Vigil.....5:00 p.m.
Sunday.....9:30 a.m.
Weekdays.....see schedule

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:30 p.m.—4:30 p.m.
Also by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Normally celebrated on Sunday and are encouraged at a Sunday Eucharist. Baptism preparation is required.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Arrangements must be made one year in advance.
Marriage preparation is required.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

A family member must notify the parish office if a parishioner is hospitalized or confined to home.
Eucharist is brought to the homebound on the third Sunday of each month.



**Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
November 25, 2018**

Masses For The Week

**Saturday, November 24, Vigil: Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe**

5:00 p.m.—For Our Living & Deceased Parishioners

**Sunday, November 25, Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe**

9:30 a.m.—Victor DeBacco—Bob & Betty DeBacco

Monday, November 26, Weekday

No Mass

Tuesday, November 27, Weekday

6:00 p.m.—Margaret Young—John Farone Family

Wednesday, November 28, Weekday

9:00 a.m.—Special Intention—Rose & RaeLynne

Thursday, November 29, Weekday

9:00 a.m.—Thomas McCloskey—Month's Mind

Friday, November 30, St. Andrew, Apostle

9:00 a.m.—Bob Edwards—Bill & Nanette Weibel

Saturday, December 1, Vigil: First Sunday of Advent

5:00 p.m.—For the Deceased Members of the John & Ethel
Bedner Family—Janice & Bob Bishop

Sunday, December 2, First Sunday of Advent

9:30 a.m.—For Our Living & Deceased Parishioners

Sanctuary Candle



The Sanctuary Candle will burn from November 23—December 6 in memory of Doretha Burke, from Alice.

Liturgical Ministers for December 1 & 2

Mass Time	5:00 p.m.	9:30 a.m.
Lectors	Monica A.	Alysha B.
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Ginny H. Judy C. Mary M.	Candace B. Mary Anne A. Helen B.
Altar Servers	Megan L. Nathan L.	Joseph O. Stephen O.

The second St. Patrick Church Town Hall Meeting was held on Thursday, November 8, 2018. The following are highlights of the meeting.

- Meetings will be held quarterly on the 1st Tuesday of the month. The next meeting will be held on February 1, 2019. Mark your calendars because all are welcome and encouraged to attend.
- Three of our parishioners have agreed to administer a St. Pat's Facebook page. The page will feature parish events, important dates and information pertinent to our parish community. Watch for more information for a December 1 launch of the page.
- We would like to make sure that all parish members feel welcome and participate in the fellowship that our parish community offers. If you are aware of a friend, neighbor or family member that does not take part in our parish community, please extend an invitation to return and assist this with a warm welcome.
- We would like to plan for some additional social events in the parish. We are seeking input and ideas from all parish members. If you have a suggestion for a future social event, please let Father Butler know. Some of the ideas were a Father/Son Breakfast and a Mother/Daughter Breakfast.
- We also discussed establishing a platform for grievances should any church member need to seek recourse beyond discussing it with a priest.
- We discussed hosting a training for Protecting God's Children that would involve face-to-face training and not an online curriculum completion. This training would enable all participants to be informed and insure that all members of the parish community are free from possible abuse.
- Spread the word...the future of our church family depends on the faith formation of our youth. Pray for them and encourage them to seek out our Lord. The faith formation teachers in our parish volunteer their time to educate our parish youth. Please assist them by helping all eligible children to attend classes.

**St. Mary, Our Lady of Guadalupe
Holly Berry Fair**

**Saturday, December 1
10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.**

St. Mary Parish Hall, Kittanning

St. Mary, Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish, Kittanning, will hold its annual Holly Berry Fair on Saturday, December 1, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. in the St. Mary Parish Hall. Holly Berry favorites will include a theme basket raffle with over 80 baskets; Breakfast with Santa at 10 a.m. (please pre-register by Nov. 27); sale of fresh Christmas greens and used Christmas items; bake sale and homemade soup sale; knit and crochet gifts; lunch menu; Ham & Turkey Bingo from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. and Stuffed Chicken Breast sit-down or take-out dinner from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. \$10/Adult, \$5/Child.

For more information or pre-order dinner forms, visit www.stmarykittanning.org or call 724-548-7649. Bring your family and friends!

2019 Lottery Calendars

The 2019 Lottery Calendars will be on sale after Mass starting December 1. The cost is \$20 per calendar.

Giving Tree

The Giving Tree is located in the narthex of the church. Please take a tag from the tree and shop for the item or items as you desire that are on the tag. **Please leave all gifts unwrapped.** Place the items in a large garbage bag with the tag attached to the outside. Tag can be taped to the bag. It would be greatly appreciated if you would include a roll of gift wrap with your items. Gift wrap can be placed inside the garbage bag.

If you prefer not to shop, donations will be accepted. Place donations in an envelope marked "Giving Tree" and place envelope in the offertory. If you are writing a check, please make it payable to St. Patrick Church.



Gifts are to be returned to the church by Sunday, December 2. This deadline is very important so all gifts can be delivered by the distribution date. If you have any questions please contact Susan Reeves at 724-526-5591 or 724-496-8808.

Confirmation

Congratulations to our eighth grade students who were confirmed on Saturday, November 17 at St. Mary, Our Lady of Guadalupe Church.



*Claire DiGiammarino
Cecilia Morrow
Leah O'Donnell
Eric Quinn
Kate Seybert*

May the Holy Spirit guide your steps and fill you with Christ's love.

Stewardship of Treasure November 17 & 18

Due to a power outage, the November 17 & 18 offertory will be published in the December 2 bulletin. Your financial support of our parish is very important. God calls us to be good stewards of the gifts that He has given to us. Let each parishioner share and support the mission of St. Patrick Parish.



In a troubled marriage? Retrouvaille can help. Go to <http://www.retrouvailleofpittsburghinc.org>.

Cemetery Lot Sale

Beginning January 1, 2019, the cost for a cemetery lot in St. Mary Cemetery will be \$600. A \$50 discount per grave (\$550) will be given to all parishioners who purchase a grave after January 1, 2019.

**Young at Heart
Nutrolls & Pizzelles**

The Young At Heart is making and selling nutrolls for \$9.00 each and pizzelles (vanilla or anise) for \$3.00 a dozen.

Please order by December 7, 2018 by contacting:

Vicki Jackson	724-290-8216
Peggy Wimer	724-526-5883
Joe Farone	724-445-3715
Tom/Georgie Nolan	724-445-2794
Gene/Alice Clark	814-473-3486

Pick up at the St. Patrick Church Parish Hall after 3:00 p.m. on December 19, 2018.