

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.....6:00 p.m.
Sunday.....9:30 a.m.
Weekdays.....see schedule

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 4:30 p.m.—5:30 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.



**Twenty-Eighth Sunday In Ordinary Time
October 14, 2018**

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Masses For The Week

Saturday, October 13, Vigil: Twenty-Eighth Sunday

In Ordinary Time

6:00 p.m.— John F. Forster—Eleanor & Margretta Forster

Sunday, October 14, Twenty-Eighth Sunday

In Ordinary Time

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

Monday, October 15, St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin &

Doctor of the Church

No Mass

Tuesday, October 16, St. Hedwig, Religious;

St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin

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

Wednesday, October 17, St. Ignatius of Antioch,

Bishop & Martyr

9:00 a.m.— Nancy Matijak—Daughter, Elaine & Family

Thursday, October 18, St. Luke, Evangelist

No Mass

Friday, October 19, SS John de Brebeuf & Isaac Jogues,

Priests and Companions, Martyrs

9:00 a.m.—William Young—John Farone Family

Saturday, October 20, Vigil: Twenty-Ninth Sunday

In Ordinary Time

6:00 p.m.— For Our Living & Deceased Parishioners

Sunday, October 21, Twenty-Ninth Sunday

In Ordinary Time

9:30 a.m.— John & Joanne Andreassi—Amy Andreassi

Young at Heart

The Young at Heart will meet in the parish hall on Wednesday, October 17 at noon.

Liturgical Ministers for October 20 & 21

| Mass Time | 6:00 p.m. | 9:30 a.m. |
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| Lectors | Anthony G. | Mary Ann M. |
| Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion | Mary M. Janice B. Judy C. | Art D. Candace B. Ginny H. |
| Altar Servers | Peggy W. Katelyn G. | Kate S. Wyatt M. |

Festival Recap

Thank you to everyone who assisted with the Fall Festival, whether you helped in the kitchen, basket raffle, made pies, cleaned tables in the hall, or purchased dinners. It was a beautiful day and the festival was a success. Basket Raffle winners and dinner financials will be placed in the bulletin next week.

A note from Barb:

On **April 30, 2019 at 6:30 p.m.**, yes I said 2019, a Fall Festival meeting will be held in the parish hall to establish a new committee, date for the festival, etc. The last two festivals have run without a chairperson. The office has picked up the slack and tried with the help of a couple of volunteers to run the event. Many have voiced interest in making the festival similar to years past with outside face painting, games, and snacks. To be honest, this plan will not work unless additional volunteers step up to the plate. Originally the festival was held on Labor Day but people suggested via a survey to have the festival on a different date because more people would volunteer. Now that we have proven this theory untrue, we are back to the beginning. The sign-up sheet was out for several weeks, the youth group was asked to participate in lieu of class that day, and still we were shorthanded. The purpose of the sign-up sheet is to help the non-chairperson know who is planning to volunteer. Just having people drop by is great, but it is hard to plan on who should work where to ensure that all jobs are covered. Not all jobs are busy at the beginning of the event but are really needed through the day. Even the person who fills in while others who may want to eat are crucial to a smooth running event. I realize that people like to be asked to volunteer personally but sometimes finding the time to do so is tight. This is all of our parish and we should want to do whatever we can to help it stay vibrant. Please remember, the festival is not always about making money, it is also about community and working together as a parish family from beginning to end. Please do not think that someone else will do it, because the older generation should be able to pass on the torch to the younger families. So I am personally asking everyone, please mark April 30th on your calendar. Come to the meeting with your ideas and then we can have the festival like the old days.

Mass Intentions for 2019

Mass Intentions for the calendar year of 2019 may be made now. **All Mass requests MUST be in writing and accompanied by \$10 per Mass. Please do not request more than 2 weekend Masses per family.** You may place your requests in the offertory (please place in a separate envelope marked Mass request), by mail, or drop off your request at the office during office hours.

As a reminder, one Mass per weekend must be for Pro-Populo (For The People). This is according to Canon Law.

Every effort is made to satisfy your Mass request, however, there may be times when the Mass will need to be changed due to funerals and other priest obligations. You will not always be notified of changes. We will try and reschedule the Mass for the closest available time. Always consult the bulletin for the date and time of your Mass. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Bequest

Reverend Chester Raimer, who was pastor here from 1986-1992, passed away recently. Between his will, insurance, and 401K, Fr Chet left St. Patrick Church \$71,783.14. The money was split the following way: \$30,000 was placed in the parish savings account, \$15,000 was invested in a 5 year CD, \$10,000 in a 3 year CD, with the remaining funds in the regular checking for ordinary expenses. A donation of \$1,000 was made to the Backpack for Success program at Sugar creek Elementary in memory of Fr. Chet.

Cemetery Lot Sale

The current cost of a lot at St. Mary Cemetery is \$450. In checking with local cemeteries in the area, a decision was made to increase the cost.

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.

Additional changes were made to the cemetery guidelines. A major change is the Fall Clean-Up date for having your summer flowers, etc., off of the graves. The new date is October 15th not November 15th. New decorations may be placed on the lot beginning November 1st.

Faith Formation

Faith Formation classes for pre-school through sixth grade will meet this Sunday in the parish hall from 10:30-11:45 a.m.

Reconciliation Workshop

The Reconciliation Workshop will be on **Sunday, October 21 at 11:00 a.m.** Parents will meet in the church, while children attend their regular faith formation in the church hall. This workshop is for the parents of children in the second grade who are preparing to receive the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion.

High School Youth Ministry

Grades 9-12 will meet on Sunday, October 21, from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. in the parish hall. Hope to see you there!

Grades 7 & 8 Confirmation Preparation

Students in grades 7 & 8 will meet for their combined Confirmation Preparation Class/Youth Ministry on Sunday, October 21, from 6:00-7:30 p.m. in the parish hall.

Sanctuary Candle



The Sanctuary Candle will burn from October 12—October 25 in honor of Bob and Janice Bishop's 50th wedding anniversary, from their children and grandchildren.

Stewardship of Treasure October 6 & 7

| | <u>Weekly</u> | <u>Year-To-Date</u> |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| Adult Offertory | \$3,290.75 | \$46,559.25 |
| Children Offertory | \$0.00 | \$55.65 |
| Loose | <u>\$92.00</u> | <u>\$2,581.81</u> |
| Total | \$3,382.75 | \$49,196.71 |
| Budget | <u>\$3,600.00</u> | <u>\$54,000.00</u> |
| Difference | <u>-\$217.25</u> | <u>-\$4,803.29</u> |
| Seminarian & Clergy Formation | \$10.00 | |
| Log Church | \$76.00 | |