

**MISSION STATEMENT:**

*St. Patrick Catholic Church encourages spiritual growth, lives Christian values and provides meaningful stewardship to the local and world communities.*



**St. Patrick Catholic Church**

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**Men of St. Joseph** Bob Miller

**Buildings and Grounds** Dean Coons

**Disaster Responders Team** Belva Gerke

*There are many ministries to participant in. If you don't see a ministry that you feel drawn to but have an idea for one, contact the parish office or see Father Schmitz.*

**National Shrine of Mary, Mother of The Church**

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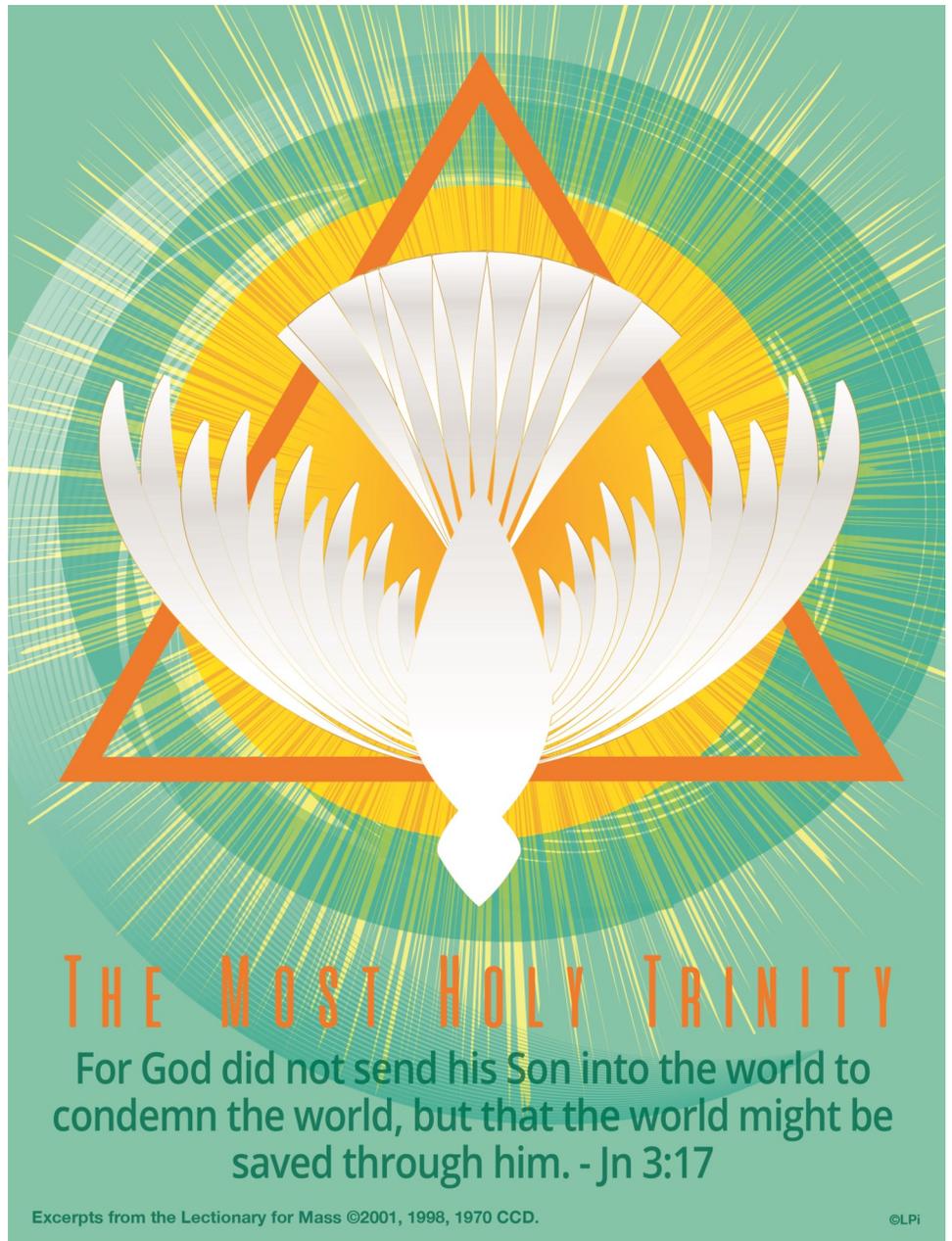
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**On April 17th, Bishop McKnight extended and modified a decree which dispenses the faithful from the Sunday Mass obligation through June 30, 2020.**

**All attending Mass are required to wear mask. If you do not have a mask, you will not be allowed to attend. Additional safety precautions are being taken and will be communicated across various formats. Social distancing rules apply.**

**SUMMER MASS TIMES: Saturday, 4:30 PM (inside), 8:00 PM (outside) Sunday, 8:30 AM (outside) and 10:15 AM (inside)**

**SCRIPTURE READINGS  
JUNE 7TH-14TH**

**Sunday:** Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56 [52b]/2 Cor 13:11-13/Jn 3:16-18  
**Monday:** 1 Kgs 17:1-6/Ps 121:1bc-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 [cf. 2]/Mt 5:1-12  
**Tuesday:** 1 Kgs 17:7-16/Ps 4:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8 [7a]/Mt 5:13-16  
**Wednesday:** 1 Kgs 18:20-39/Ps 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab and 8, 11 [1b]/Mt 5:17-19  
**Thursday:** Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3/Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13 [2a]/Mt 5:20-26  
**Friday:** 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16/Ps 27:7-8a, 8b-9abc, 13-14 [8b]/Mt 5:27-32  
**Saturday:** 1 Kgs 19:19-21/Ps 16:1b-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10 [cf. 5a]/Mt 5:33-37  
**Next Sunday:** Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20 [12]/1 Cor 10:16-17/Jn 6:51-58

**OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF  
JUNE 7TH**

**Sunday:** The Most Holy Trinity  
**Monday:**  
**Tuesday:** St. Ephrem, Deacon and Doctor of the Church  
 Wednesday:  
**Thursday:** St. Barnabas, Apostle  
**Friday:**  
**Saturday:** St. Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church  
**Next Sunday:** The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ; Flag Day

**MASS INTENTIONS JUNE 7TH**

**MON. HOME OBSERVATION**  
**TUES. 5:30 PM MARGE VANEVERCOOREN, ±**  
**WED. 9:00 AM RANDY SALYER, ±**  
**THURS 9:00 AM LUIS MATIAS ±**  
**FRI. 9:00 AM ROSEMARY STOLTZ, ±**  
**SAT. 4:30 PM VERNON CLARK STRUTTON, ±**  
**SAT. 8:00 PM ALL MOTHERS**  
**SUN 8:30 AM ALL MOTHERS**  
**SUN. 10:15 AM PEOPLE OF THE PARISH**

**GOSPEL MEDITATION**

A well-choreographed dance can be truly inspirational. Each movement and step are interconnected, each contributing a piece of the unfolding artistic story. The beholder is caught up in the rhythms, music, and gestures, realizing that none are dispensable and all are necessary. The same is true of the Divine Dance of the Trinity. Each Person plays a part, using unique gestures and movements that are connected to the other Divine Partners. They tell a story of love. Every movement and step is born of love and flows on into eternity. The Divine Dance never ends.

God the Creator powerfully, yet with gentle love, leads. Creating and recreating, birthing and sustaining, He dances with the compassionate incarnate Son, guided by the breath of the Holy Spirit. They are three distinct Persons but move as One. On one hand, the cascading flow of their Presence appears motionless, yet on the other, flows and moves with effortless attention. They share one heart, one goal, and one purpose and invite all of creation to join in their dance, their joy.

The energy of the Trinity flows through all created things. It is a dance of the heart, not of the mind. It has to be experienced, not dissected, and contemplated, not understood. We stand in awe of the Divine Dance and find ourselves watching in amazement all that God creates and sustains. The dance continues in the majesty of a mountain, the power and wonder of an ocean, and the vastness of the universe. It moves in the cry of a newborn infant and in the soul of one who has been forgiven. It flows in the cry for justice and in the wounds of the oppressed. It circles through the changing of seasons, the cycles of birth and death, and the wisdom that one acquires when they love God.

The Dance never ends. Its movements and rhythms go on forever. The Trinitarian Dance sustains all things, endures all things, and brings hope. You are invited to dance. Don't just watch as if you were simply a spectator. Join in the dance and move as they move.

**STEWARDSHIP**

**WEEKLY COLLECTION:**

**May 24, 2020 Attendance: 71**

**St. Patrick's \$ 4076.00**

**EFT 1st of month \$432.5**  
**EFT 15th of month \$1025**  
**EFT Weekly \$90.00**

Please consider electronic fund transfers, (EFT), which helps St. Patrick to more accurately adhere to financial planning.

**Prayer During A Health Crisis**

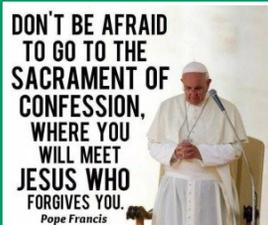
Compassionate and Loving Father,  
 In the face of confusion and concern  
 impart to us the calm of your presence.  
 In You allow us to find hope and healing.  
 Be with those who serve the sick and give them Your  
 caring hands.  
 Be with those who lead and give them Your Spirit of  
 wisdom.  
 Be with those who have fallen ill and give them Your  
 comforting heart.  
 Wrap your arms around our world  
 and hold us in your love.  
 Allow us at this time of trial to then  
 serve as instruments of that love to all we meet.  
 We ask this in Your Name.  
  
 Amen.

**SOCIAL GATHERING SAFETY**

As we now gather to celebrate the Holy Mass, please ensure you are taking the below safety precautions ...

- 1) Parishioners should take their temperature prior to leaving home and remain home if temperature is above 100°.
- 2) All who attend **MUST** wear a mask or appropriate material that covers nose and mouth into church until seated.
- 3) Ushers will assist in seating to ensure social distancing and excuse row by row for communion.
- 4) Mask must be in place when going up to receive communion, lower to below chin before receiving communion on hands, then replaced mask over mouth and nose.
- 5) Although you are not required to receive communion you will be required to 'go with the flow' to ensure continuous social distancing.
- 6) Ushers will dismiss by pew at the close of Mass to ensure social distancing.  
*Please note, as the current situation changes the above list may change as well.*

**RECONCILIATION AND INDIVIDUAL PRAYER**



If you would like to receive the sacrament of Reconciliation during the weekday, please call the Parish Office at 374-7855 to schedule an appointment with Father Schmitz.

Father will also be available on Saturday between 3:30 PM and 4:15 PM. Reconciliation at this time will be held in the St. Patrick Library.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK**

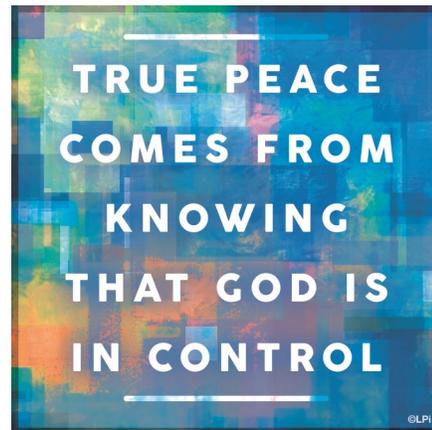
*Please advise the Parish Office if a name should be added or removed from the prayer list and ensure the person is aware their name will be published in the bulletin.*

**PARISHIONERS**

Butch Bayer, Mary Baydrl, Ceil Bish, Bob Brinkoetter, Dorothy Bock, Barbara Bogardo, Mary Bray, Steve Callahan, Louise Carter, Theresa Carter, Amy Drake, Jeanne Dunn, Glenn Gebhardt, Jeanie Hatfield, Bob and Kay Henrichs, Mike Hutton, Norma Lovell, Teresa Morgan, Bob and Charlotte O'Bryan, Pat Reidy, Tom Reidy, Elizabeth Rourke, Edward Ruehter, Barb Schweiger, Bill Shortino, Clarence Smith, Rex Smith, Logi Vande Haar, Al Vasey, Sandy Vossen, David Wilke

**FRIENDS AND FAMILY**

Bill Aglitz, Ashley Barnett, Christopher Bonick, Janet Brown, Judi Burkholder, Dr. Heather Cardin, Debbie DeLuca, Eamon Dolan, Shirley Dull, Mary Kay Feely, Christine Gaul, Tegan Gaul, Shawn Gill, Marv Hansen, Rita Helgersen, Jan Hensler, Ronald Hutton, Beverly Martin, Richard Middeke, Valera Middleton, Paul Miller, Brett Mumaw, Wyatt Newman, Nancee Noble, Anthony Perez, Pat Reidy, Shannon Rhoades, Toni Rinella, Midge Rollings, Susie and Bill Runnebaum, Fr. Jeff Schleisman, Marie Sharp, Judy Simon, Jenna Steele, Steve Stuck, Diana Thomas, Jordan Thompson, Karen White, Josh Wick



**CHARITABLE ASSISTANCE**

As you can imagine, there is a great need to serve those in the community who have been impacted by the current coronavirus environment.

This ministry will be working closely with the Disaster Responders Team in providing assistance where there is a need within our church boundaries.

Please continue to support this great ministry through your donation and prayers. We are all called to help those in need.

Keep families and individuals in your prayers as we walk through this time together.

## Lyrics for Mass on June 6 & 7

### HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

1. Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty! Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee: Holy, Holy, Holy! merciful and mighty, God in three Persons, blessed Trinity.
2. Holy, Holy, Holy! all the saints adore thee, Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea; Cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee, God everlasting through eternity.
3. Holy, Holy, Holy! though the darkness hide thee, Though the eye made blind by sin thy glory may not see, Only thou art holy; there is none beside thee, Perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.
4. Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty! All thy works shall praise thy Name in earth, and sky, and sea; Holy, Holy, Holy! merciful and mighty, God in three Persons, blessed Trinity.

Text: Reginald Heber, 1783-1826, alt.

## Responsorial Psalm: Glory and praise forever.

### O GOD, ALMIGHTY FATHER

1. O God, almighty Father, Creator of all things, The heavens stand in wonder, While earth your glory sings.

**Refrain: O most holy Trinity, Undivided unity, Holy God, mighty God, God immortal be adored!**

2. O Jesus, Word incarnate, Redeemer most adored, All glory, praise, and honor Be yours, O sov'reign Lord.
3. O God, the Holy Spirit, Who lives within our soul, Send forth your light and lead us To our eternal goal.

Text: Gott Vater sei gepriesen; anon; tr. by Irvin Udulutsch, OFM Cap., 1920-2010, alt. © 1959, 1977, Order of Saint Benedict, admin. Liturgical Press

### EYE HAS NOT SEEN

**Refrain: Eye has not seen, ear has not heard what God has ready for those who love him; Spirit of love, come, give us the mind of Jesus, teach us the wisdom of God.**

1. When pain and sorrow weigh us down, be near to us, O Lord, forgive the weakness of our faith, and bear us up within your peaceful word.
2. Our lives are but a single breath, we flower and we fade, yet all our days are in your hands, so we return in love what love has made.
3. To those who see with eyes of faith, the Lord is ever near, reflected in the faces of all the poor and lowly of the world.
4. We sing a myst'ry from the past in halls where saints have trod, yet ever new the music rings to Jesus, Living Song of God.

Text: 1 Corinthians 2:9-10; Marty Haugen, b.1950, © 1982, GIA Publications, Inc.

### HOLY GOD, WE PRAISE THY NAME

1. Holy God, we praise thy name! Lord of all, we bow before thee; All on earth thy scepter claim, All in heav'n above adore thee; Infinite thy vast domain, Everlasting is thy reign. Infinite thy vast domain, Everlasting is thy reign.
2. Hark! the loud celestial hymn Angel choirs above are raising; Cherubim and Seraphim In unceasing chorus praising, Fill the heav'ns with sweet accord: Holy, holy, holy Lord! Fill the heav'ns with sweet accord: Holy, holy, holy Lord!
3. Holy Father, Holy Son, Holy Spirit, Three we name thee, While in essence only One, Undivided God we claim thee, And adoring bend the knee, While we own the mystery. And adoring bend the knee, While we own the mystery.

Text: Grosser Gott, wir loben dich; ascr. to Ignaz Franz, 1719-1790; tr. by Clarence Walworth, 1820-1900

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THE  
NATIONAL  
SHRINE OF **Mary**  
MOTHER OF THE CHURCH



Mary Shows Us How to Live in Communion with the Trinity

*To Jesus Through Mary.* This phrase captures one of the central tenets of Catholicism: that the surest path to knowing and loving Jesus is through His mother Mary. As the one who cooperated in the Incarnation of the Word, helped start His Ministry, and suffered with Him in the crucifixion, Mary is uniquely suited to bring us closer to Jesus.

If this is true, then it makes sense that Mary is also the way into the perfect communion of love that is the Trinity. Her submission to the Father, her union with the Holy Spirit, and her mission with her Son.

As we pray today, Holy Trinity Sunday, keep Mary in your hearts, she will lead you to them.

Please remember The Mother's Shrine in your gift giving. There are several ways to donate: write a check and mail it, or drop it in one of our many lockboxes around the shrine.

Use the QR code at the top of this page visit our website and donate

Our new website is:

<https://thenationalshrineofmarymotherofthechurch>

Make checks payable to:

**The Mothers Shrine**

176 Marian Drive

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Our next pilgrimage is June 20th with featured speaker Fr. Anthony Viviano. It begins at 8:30 with registration and continues with a day of prayer and adoration. Lunch will be served, and social distancing will be followed according to the Bishop's decree.

The day will end with the 4:30 Saturday night Mass.

## WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THE POPE? CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED

### Question:

Why do Catholics have a pope?

### Answer:

To answer the question of why Catholics have a pope, we have to pull the lens back and think about the very nature of the Church herself. According to the Nicene Creed (which is the statement of beliefs that we recite each Sunday at Mass), we profess that the Church is “one, holy, catholic, and apostolic.” These adjectives are called the marks of the Church, and they help us see that the Church is bigger than just our individual parish communities or even the Christians living in a particular region or country. To help ensure that the community of disciples would remain united in a communion of love, Jesus entrusted the Apostles with special authority to teach, heal, and forgive sins in his name. And from among this group, Jesus chose Simon Peter to play a special role, designating him as the “rock” on which the Church was to be built (see Matthew 16:18-19; John 21:15-17). Peter “the Rock” became the visible sign of union within and among the Apostles. In time, as Peter and the other Apostles passed away, other men were chosen to take their place. The successors of St. Peter — who we honor as the first Bishop of Rome — and the successors of the other Apostles (the bishops) continued the work entrusted by Jesus to that first generation of Church leaders.

According to long-standing tradition, the successor of Peter was Linus, who was followed by Cletus, who was followed by Clement I, etc. This line of succession continues to Pope Francis in our own time.

Over the centuries, these Bishops of Rome — who came to be known as the “pope” (from papa, which means “father” in Latin) — still continue to act as the “rock” of the Church and as the visible sign of unity for all the Catholic Christians. The pope, more than any other bishop, stands as the Church’s primary teacher and as pastor of the Church throughout the world, helping to ensure that the Church remains what Jesus intended her to be: one, holy, catholic, and apostolic.

To learn more, see the “Catechism of the Catholic Church” (no. 857-862 and 880-882).

## GIFT SHOP



**Father’s Day is June 21st and is right around the corner.**

Come visit the Gift Shop and see the various gifts we have available to choose from. Come see our collect of Dad Items. Or see the many great gifts, or home décor. The Gift Shop is open Mon - Fri 10am - 3Pm, and after MOST Masses

We are always in need of volunteers. If you are interested please call the parish office. It is a very easy way to get to know people in the surrounding area and from a far. Plus you will receive 30% off most items. We look forward to you being a part of the team.

## ONGOING EVENTS

**2nd Sunday:** Knights of Columbus, Pancake Breakfast, St. Leo Hall, after 8:30 am Mass **On hold at this time.**

**1st Tuesday:** Parish Guild, St. Leo’s Hall 10:00 am No Meeting in July

**2nd Tuesday:** Knights of Columbus, Rosary at 6:30 pm, Meeting begins at 7 pm, Knights in St. Leo Hall, Ladies Auxiliary **No June meeting due to Installation of officers.**

**3rd Tuesday every other month; (Jan, Mar, May, July, Sept, Nov):** Building and Grounds Meeting, 1 pm, St. Leo Hall.

**Wednesdays:** Men of St. Joseph, 7 am St. Leo Hall.

**3rd Thursday:** Ladies Scripture Reflection following 9 am Mass St. Joe Hall Open to all ladies of our parish Open to all parishioners.

**On hold at this time.**

## COMMUNITY FOR CHRIST

You might be surprise as to how much food can be purchased in bulk. Please consider a monetary donation to aid in the procuring current needed items.

The **Community For Christ Thrift Shop** remains closed at this time. However, provisions for food are still being addressed and provided to individuals and families in need.

The **Community For Christ Food Pantry** is providing needed items to those who may not be able to get to the facility to pick items up.

Food Donations are still needed. *Thank you to all who have donated funds or dropped off food at the office.* It is always appreciated, those who pick up a few extras while you are shopping. The outpour in support during this time has been a blessing to many. Pick up can be arranged, please call the parish to arrange a time. Items can be brought to CFC front door on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday (between 10 & 2).

### REQUESTED ITEMS

**Here is a list of the needed items**

FYI: The below items cannot be bought with food stamps.

- Personal hygiene items such as shampoo, deodorant (men & women) & women’s personal products.
- Cleaning products for the home.
- Paper products.

Kids are home now, please keep them mind.

- Cake mixes and frosting, birthday candles, brownie or cookie mixes
- Chef Boyardee items
- Cookies, graham crackers, marshmallows, chips

**Other needs:**

- Hearty Soups, boxed meals, cereals, canned fruit, canned veggies and beans.
- Bread, of any kind, Hot dog & hamburger buns

Last Saturday, May 30 during the Pentecost Vigil we celebrated by baptizing three Catechumens and one infant. We celebrated First Communion with those three as well as one youth. We also Confirmed the three Catechumens as well as 17 youth from our parish and St. Philip Benizi. We welcome all of them into our community of faith.

*Neophytes: Aaron Sebastian Allen, Amber Brigid Ford, Gregory Christopher Ford*

*Newly Baptized Infant: Addison Lynn Allen*

*First Communion: Drake Allen*

*Confirmandi*

*Addison Margaret Raeder, Hannah Francis Hankinson, Wesley Francis LaHay,  
Connor Thomas Souders, Katie Catherine Winn, Cooper Hubertus Deters,  
Christine Ann Thompson, Kurk Luke Wonderly, Adam Sebastian Radcliff,  
Jeremiah Francis Trokey, Zachary Paul Brodersen, Joshua Moses Leake,  
Alexis Joan Stoecklein, Jacob Paul Wormsley, Rachel Agnes Zurakowski,  
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