

**MASS INTENTIONS: July 17th - July 25th**

Sat. 5pm	Adrian Brown (Mary Brown)
Sun 7:30am	For the People of St. Patrick Parish
9am	†Ricardo & Refugio Chavez (Tony Munoz)
Mon 8am	†Lynn Stewart (Margaret Patterson)
Tue 5:30pm	Zach North (Karen North)
Wed. 8am	Ryan & Alisha Young
Thur. 8am	†Alphons & Ceal Eck (Mary Brown)
Fri. 8am	†Jerry George (Dick George)
NEXT WEEKEND'S INTENTIONS	
Sat. 5pm	†Lila, Eleanor, Marie & John (Negrete Family)
Sun. 7:30am	For the People of St. Patrick Parish
9am	†Janell Carson (Larry & Connie Gudde)

**THIS WEEK AT ST. PATRICK'S:**

Mon July 19	Mass	8:00am
Tue July 20	Mass	5:30pm
Wed July 21	Mass	8:00am
Thur July 22	Mass	8:00am
Fri July 23	Day of Penance: abstinence from Meat. Prayer and works of mercy. Reading of Sacred Scripture for an Outpouring of God's mercy and The Holy Spirit's gifts of holiness and Strength upon the church.	
	Mass	8:00am
Sat July 24	Confessions	3:30pm
	Mass	5:00pm
Sun July 25	Mass	7:30am
	Mass	9:00am

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Thank you, Parcom - Schibi men for your time and talents getting our SPCS ready for the upcoming school year. We appreciate all you do..

Thank you, Jim Simon and Larry Knight going above and beyond fixing, securing and modifying our West entrance to the SPCS gym. This was much needed and extremely appreciated.

Thank you to the Home Store for the generous donation. The new flooring will be so nice to have in one of our offices. We truly appreciate your commitment to our school, parish, and community. Autumn Carson, Principal SPCS

Welcome to St. Patrick Catholic Church  
Parish Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9am to 3:30pm  
Closed Holy Days and Holidays.

**YOUR GIFTS TO GOD AND PARISH**

	07/11/21	07/1/21 - 07/11/21
<b>WEEKLY COLLECTION:</b>	<b>\$13,379.00</b>	<b>\$28,192.30</b>
<b>LOOSE CURRENCY /COINS:</b>	<b>\$156.00</b>	<b>\$407.00</b>
<b>OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS:</b>	<b>\$ 00.00</b>	<b>\$400.00</b>
<b>TOTAL CONTRIBUTION:</b>	<b>\$13,535.00</b>	<b>\$28,999.00</b>
<b>BUDGET:</b>	<b>\$17,500.00</b>	<b>\$35,000.00</b>
<b>OVERAGE/SHORTAGE:</b>	<b>(\$3,965.00)</b>	<b>(\$6,001.00)</b>

AMOUNT OF CONTRIBUTION	NUMBER OF CONTRIBUTORS
\$1 - \$24	16
\$25 - \$49	24
\$50 - \$99	33
\$100 - \$199	23
\$200 - \$499	14
\$500 - \$999	3
\$1000 UP	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>115</b>
<b>NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN PARISH</b>	<b>532</b>
<b>% OF HOUSEHOLDS CONTRIBUTING</b>	<b>22%</b>

**NEXT WEEK MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

**Sat: July 24th 5:00pm Mass**  
Servers: Drew Schibi / Tanner Nolting  
Lector: Carolyn Waugh  
Greeters: Ilene Ritz & Wayne Cupp

**Sun: July 25th 7:30am Mass**  
Servers: Antonio Aita / Sebastian Aita  
Lector: Dr. Gary Yarbrough  
Greeters: Aaron & Terri Saye

**Sun: July 25th 9:00am Mass**  
Servers: Owen Feess  
Lector: Jeff Perez  
Greeters: Shaun & MaryBeth Varner Family

Church set-up Crew. ...  
Please call John Schibi at (620) 820-1331 for any questions or if you would like to sign-up on a crew.

**Date: Saturday Crew**

July 24th	Frank Chandler / Ryan Chandler / Mark Mall / Erin Snider
July 31st	Joel Schibi / Luke Wolgamott / David Wheat Family
Aug 7th	Clay Snider / Robert Barger / John Keene / Peter Kendrick
Aug 14th	Luke Schibi / Joey Alexander / Paul Yanez / Jerrod Stanford
Aug 21st	Paul Schibi / Vincent Schibi / Bryan Schibi / Daniel Schibi
Aug 28th	Emilio Aita/ Ross Harper/ Adam Myers/ Nick Pfeifer
Sept 4th	Frank Chandler / Ryan Chandler / Mark Mall / Erin Snider
Sept 11th	Joel Schibi / Luke Wolgamott / David Wheat Family
Sept 18th	Clay Snider / Robert Barger / John Keene / Peter Kendrick
Sept 25th	Luke Schibi / Joey Alexander / Paul Yanez / Jerrod Stanford
Oct 2nd	Paul Schibi / Vincent Schibi / Bryan Schibi / Daniel Schibi

Are you moving, have a new phone number, or new email? Just moved here? Don't forget to let the parish office know...

**Stewardship Bulletin Reflection**

July 18, 2021 — Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today's readings remind us of how our God is compassionate and passionately loves us.

"Woe to the shepherds who mislead and scatter the flock of my pasture, says the Lord." Our First Reading from the prophet Jeremiah addresses false prophets who had misled God's people away from the Lord. The Lord declares that He will restore His people by bringing back those who have gone astray and providing for them new shepherds so that they will "no longer fear and tremble."

This reading portrays God's infinite care and concern for our lives. We can see that God is the one who loved us first. Oftentimes, we are like the people who are blind to His goodness and enticed by sin — something we think will make us happy but does not. God is the one who constantly pursues us and gives us opportunities to say "yes" to Him. He wants to win us back, and ultimately, He will make us happy. So, we must ask ourselves, who or what is blinding us or leading us away from our ultimate happiness? Stop for a moment and name that thing — money, status, a person, career, laziness, addiction, self-image, health, etc. — that could be leading you away from a full and happy relationship with God. As Christian disciples, deep down we really know that our true happiness is God. So, what are we waiting for? Take the leap of faith and allow yourself to radically love God in return.

As we begin this new week, let us name the things in our lives that are robbing us of our ultimate happiness, work to let go of them and let us strive to make Jesus our true shepherd by seeking Him in our daily lives.

**July 2021 Prayer List:**

Raef Stanford, Jim & Priscilla Lubbers, Rita Schauf, Kyle Templeton, Mary Paula Feess, April & Natalie Stanton, Caleb Fent, Lorie Nutter, Dave Turk, Connie Rhodes, Gary Woolard, Kris Vitt, Nicon Nordquist, Wayne Cupp, Judy Cupp, Gauge Cupp, Kerri Heiskell, Donna George, JoAnn George LaForge, Wilmetta Alderman, Ron McDaniel, Caren Kuffler, Gloria Cervantes, Juanita Wilkerson, Nancy Davis, Darlene Johnson, Chris & Tim Hurley, Marietta Munding, Judy Tedstrom, Esther Ponce, Martha Davenport, Malissa Forbes, Howard & Barbara Westhoff, Garrick Hudson, Terry Payne, Sam Lenati, Ramona Carnahan, Terri Fehr, Mark Harper, Craig Forbes, Kathy Arnold, Caleb Beckerman, Sherry Perkins

**Save the Date! Saturday, Aug. 14**  
**9:00 Brunch for the Altar Society**  
 (all women of St. Patrick)  
**@ 1723 Main St. Parsons..**  
 Come enjoy complimentary mimosas,  
 brunch munchies and Chair Yoga demo.  
 Optional chair massages available for \$12  
 Thanks! Dana

You are invited to come and recite the Holy Rosary to defend the unborn on the 1st Saturday August 7, 2021 at Trust Women Abortion Facility, 5107 E. Kellogg, Wichita, KS., at 9:00 a.m. Let us pray the rosary to change hearts. Questions: contact the Respect Life Social Justice Office at 316 269-3935.

Please Pray for: Our Youth at St. Patrick Church  
Eternal Rest Grant Unto Him Oh Lord, Scott Patterson, son of †Mike and Margaret Patterson, brother to Patrick, Kathleen and Mary (Vince) Schibi. Let Perpetual Light Shine Upon Him, May He Rest in Peace.

**Last Step Before Knighthood**

Our society tends to stress the importance of action more than prayer, but the two really are meant to go together. In medieval times, before organized police forces and government legal systems, justice and social order were maintained by courageous volunteers known as Christian knights. These were noblemen who dedicated their time, money, and physical strength to defending the defenseless and helping the local lord protect the populace against bandits and barbarians. The process to become a knight was long and arduous, because the life of a knight was fraught with dangers and difficulties. He was the quintessential man of action. The very last step in attaining knighthood, however, had nothing at all to do with action. Rather, it was a reminder to the knight of the real source of all strength, justice, and hope. At sundown on the evening before the day of the knight's dubbing ceremony, he would enter his lord's chapel. Then, dressed in his full armor, with his sword strapped on and securely in its scabbard, he would kneel in prayer, in front of the altar, looking up at the crucifix. He would stay there all night long, until sunrise the next morning. If he couldn't make it through this prayer vigil, he couldn't be dubbed a knight, no matter how good he was with a horse and a lance. We are all knights serving our Lord Jesus Christ, and to fulfill our mission we need both action and prayer.

**World Day for Grandparents**

Sunday, 25 July 2021, has been designated by Pope Francis, as the First World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly (Ord Time 17). It coincides with the Feast of Saints Joachim and Anne, grandparents of Jesus, on July 26., 'I am with you always', the day draws attention to the vital role grandparents and the elderly play in our communities and in the mission of the Church.

SAINTS JOACHIM AND ANNE, PRAY FOR US;  
PRAY FOR OUR GRANDCHILDREN  
WHO ARE SO DEAR TO US.

**THEY'VE 'SEEN IT ALL BEFORE'**

In the confusion of a pandemic, older people are the ones with the longest experience of unpredictable and challenging times. They are survivors whose experiences often include migration, war, droughts, bushfires, financial recessions, business failures, to name just some. They can provide perspective in the face of uncertainty.

2021 - Year of St. Joseph  
Obedient and Faithful  
Faithful Guardian of Christ

St. Joseph is called the Guardian of Christ. At every moment he guarded Jesus. He supported Jesus, he took care of him, he taught him, he worked to supply his needs, he protected him from dangers, even to the point of risking his own life. All of this was contained, as in a seed, in Joseph's "yes" to the angel's message: "Do not be afraid to take Mary your wife into your home." To be the guardian of the Son of God was Joseph's God-given mission in life and he embraced his responsibility whole-heartedly.

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M-F: 9:00 am - 3:30 pm  
Closed on Holidays & Holy Days

**LORDS DAY MASS SCHEDULE**  
Vigil Mass: 5:00pm  
Sunday: 7:30am & 9:00am

**WEEKDAY MASSES**  
Mon, Wed, Thur, Fri: 8:00am  
Tuesday: 5:30pm

**CONFESSION SCHEDULE**  
Saturdays 3:30pm to 4:30pm  
Weekdays 30 minutes before Holy Mass

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YEAR OF  
**St Joseph**  
8 DEC 2020 - 8 DEC 2021  
"With a father's heart."