

**MASS INTENTIONS: July 24th - Aug 8th**

Sat. 5pm	†Lila, Eleanor, Marie & John (Negrete Family)
Sun 7:30am	For the People of St. Patrick Parish
9am	†Janell Carson (Larry & Connie Gudde)
Mon 8am	†Donald Gouvion (Carolyn Gouvion)
Tue 5:30pm	†Elaine Jefferson (Sonja Perez)
Wed 8am	†Charles Edward & Raymond Gouvion (Carolyn Gouvion)
Thur 8am	Mary Sharp
Fri 8am	†Larry Pearson (Joan Pearson)

NEXT WEEKEND'S INTENTIONS

Sat. 5pm	†Carter Roberts (Tom & Beth Westhoff)
Sun. 7:30am	†Lorene Knedgen (Vince & Mary Schibi)
9am	For the People of St. Patrick Parish

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

<u>Mon July 26</u>	Mass	8:00am
<u>Tue July 27</u>	Mass	5:30pm
<u>Wed July 28</u>	Mass	8:00am
<u>Thur July 29</u>	Mass	8:00am
<u>Fri July 30</u>	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
<u>Sat July 31</u>	Confessions	3:30pm
	Mass	5:00pm
<u>Sun Aug 01</u>	Mass	7:30am
	Mass	9:00am

**"National NFP Awareness Week"** is celebrated July 25-31st this year and highlights the anniversary of the papal encyclical *Humanae Vitae* (July 25th) which articulates the Catholic beliefs about sexuality, conjugal love, and responsible parenthood. This year's theme for National NFP Awareness Week is "To Have, To Hold, To Honor - Supporting God's gifts of love and life in marriage." For more information on the Marquette Method of NFP instruction, contact Jackie Gorman at 316.641.5446 or visit her website at [www.fiatnfp.com](http://www.fiatnfp.com).

21st Annual Midwest Catholic Family Conference - AUG 06 - 08  
 Welcome to the Midwest Catholic Family Conference in Wichita, KS - 3 days filled with entertainment, speakers, prayer, and liturgy! Cost: \$35.00+ For more information, visit our website: [MidwestCatholicFamily.org](http://MidwestCatholicFamily.org)  
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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**

	07/18/21	07/1/21 - 07/18/21
<b>WEEKLY COLLECTION:</b>	<b>\$12,625.00</b>	<b>\$40,817.30</b>
<b>LOOSE CURRENCY /COINS:</b>	<b>\$106.00</b>	<b>\$513.00</b>
<b>OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS:</b>	<b>\$ 00.00</b>	<b>\$400.00</b>
<b>TOTAL CONTRIBUTION:</b>	<b>\$12,731.00</b>	<b>\$41,730.00</b>
<b>BUDGET:</b>	<b>\$17,500.00</b>	<b>\$52,500.00</b>
<b>OVERAGE/SHORTAGE:</b>	<b>(\$4,769.00)</b>	<b>(\$10,770.00)</b>

  

<b>AMOUNT OF CONTRIBUTION</b>	<b>NUMBER OF CONTRIBUTORS</b>
<b>\$1 - \$24</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>\$25 - \$49</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>\$50 - \$99</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>\$100 - \$199</b>	<b>26</b>
<b>\$200 - \$499</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>\$500 - \$999</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>\$1000 UP</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>108</b>
<b>NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN PARISH</b>	<b>532</b>
<b>% OF HOUSEHOLDS CONTRIBUTING</b>	<b>21%</b>

**NEXT WEEK MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

**Sat: July 31st 5:00pm Mass**  
 Servers: Noah McIntosh / Zach Collins  
 Lector: Annette Bradbury  
 Greeters: Paul & Dana Yanez

**Sun: Aug. 1st 7:30am Mass**  
 Servers: Collin Snider / Joseph Cervantes  
 Lector: Erin Snider  
 Greeters: Tony & Connie Adams

**Sun: Aug. 1st 9:00am Mass**  
 Servers: Aiden Wheat / Landon Wheat  
 Lector: Denise Fleming  
 Greeters: Mark & Fatima Mall 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 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

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

**Stewardship Bulletin Reflection**  
 July 25, 2021 —  
 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The servant and the little boy in our readings today are excellent examples for us as Christian stewards. The servant gave the very best of what he had, and the boy gave all that he had, then God did the rest.

A key component of living as a good steward is constantly evaluating our lives, particularly our relationship with God to ensure we are not just scraping by but rather giving God our entire lives.

We should ask ourselves — "how am I giving God my time, using my talents, and sharing my treasures?"

We are called to give God adequate time each day. If we don't plan for this time, likely, He won't get any. We need to find what works best for us so that God can become a more significant part of our daily lives. We are also called to put our gifts and talents to good use too. The servant and the boy teach us that it is not up to us to decide how our gifts will affect others. God will do that. All we need to do is to give it well.

Lastly, the servant reminds us that we are called to give the first fruits of our treasures. It is easy to give something; it is difficult to give the finest gift. Giving our best requires us to reevaluate our priorities in life.

When we strive to live out our call as Christian stewards by entrusting all that we have been given to the One who graciously gave us these gifts, we will be blessed beyond measure. As we begin a new week, let us spend some time evaluating our relationship with God by asking, 'what is my very best, and am I giving it to God?'

**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 Johnsen, 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, Paul Mendenhall, Sam Blubaugh

Pope Francis has proclaimed the First World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly, to be held on Sunday 25th July 2021

Children and the elderly build the future of peoples: children because they lead history forward, the elderly because they transmit the experience and wisdom of their lives

*Dear Friends,*  
 God Bless you and Thanks, to each of you for your Prayers, Mass Intentions as well as the beautiful cards, notes and gifts for my birthday, all made it a special day, You are all daily in my prayers.  
 Love & Prayers, Sr. Bertina

Please Pray for: Eternal Rest Grant Unto Her Oh Lord, Mary McMillian, wife of Jay, mother to Tim (Linda), Debra (Tom) Shaw, and Karen (Roy) Shipp. Let Perpetual Light Shine Upon Her, May She Rest in Peace.

**The Little Things Matter**  
 A certain king announced that he was going to visit a village in his kingdom. The villagers were excited. They agreed that each man contribute a jar of wine for the feast. All the wine was to be poured into a big barrel from which it would be served. One man thought to himself: with all the men in the village each pouring a jar of wine into the barrel, what difference would it make if I poured in a jar of water and save my wine? A jar of water among so much wine would hardly make any difference. Unfortunately, he was not the only man in the village who thought that way. Many other men had also contributed water instead of wine, thinking that it did not matter, since other people's contributions would make up for their not contributing. When the king arrived and the barrel of wine was ready to be served, it was discovered to be full of water and very little wine. A jar of wine did matter after all.

**New Handrail**  
 Thank you to Jim Simon and Larry Knight, who not only repaired the existing handrails at the west entrance of the school gym, but manufactured and installed a new center handrail to make entering and exiting that side of the gym easier and safer.

**RCIA**—Thinking of asking someone to join the Catholic Faith? Pray about it and then go for it! Or, have the RCIA team do it for you! Classes start in September. Direct inquiries to the rectory.

**Our Youth NEED your help.**  
 Looking for Volunteers to help PSR & EDGE..  
 1 hour 1 day a week, (Edge is every other week)  
 registration coming soon.  
 You can make a huge difference.  
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**St. Patrick School News:**  
 If you would like to enroll for School or Pre-School or have any questions about St. Patrick Catholic School Summer office hours are Tuesday - Wednesday and Thursday - from 8am to 4pm or call: 421-0710

If you haven't been - you should go..  
 Spiritual Life Center - Diocese of Wichita  
 The Center is open for private prayer from 7:30 am to 7:30 pm each day. Visitors may also take advantage of our walking paths, outdoor Stations and statues, as well as our St. John the Baptist Nature Trail.

Thank you ! We want to Thank Fr. Curtis for his support and for concelebrating the funeral mass for Scott and doing the burial service. We also want to Thank the Altar Society for the wonderful dinner and a big Thank you to everyone who said prayers for Scott. We appreciate all of you.  
 God Bless You All, The Family of Scott Patterson

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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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