

MASS INTENTIONS: Oct. 2nd - Oct. 10th

Sat. 5pm	†John Gottschalk Family (living & deceased) (Ilene Ritz)
Sun. 7:30am	The People of St. Patrick Parish
9am	†Charlene Taylor (David & Jane Dick)
Mon. 8am	John Miller (Dr. Steve Miller)
Tue. 5:30pm	†Dan Allen
Wed. 8am	†Theresa Flynn (Diane Flynn Fahey)
Thur. 8am	Charlene Stottmann (St. Vincent de'paul)
Fri. 8am	†Mary McMillan (Olive Brungardt)

NEXT WEEKEND'S INTENTIONS

Sat. 5pm	†Charles Fowler (Louie Raymond)
Sun. 7:30am	†Lynn Brinkman (Doug & Family)
9am	The People of St. Patrick Parish

THIS WEEK AT ST. PATRICK'S:

Mon Oct. 4	Mass	8:00am
Tue Oct. 5	Mass	5:30pm
Wed Oct. 6	Mass	8:00am
	PSR	5:30pm
	CYM	7:00pm
Thur Oct. 7	Mass	8:00am
Fri Oct. 8	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 Oct. 9	Confessions	3:30pm
	Mass	5:00pm
Sun Oct. 10	Mass	7:30am
	Mass	9:00am

October 2021 Prayer List:

Raef Stanford, Carter Graham Stephens, April & Natalie Stanton, Jim & Janie Schibi, Priscilla Lubbers, Rita Schauf, Kyle Templeton, Mary Paula Feess, 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, Martha Davenport, Malissa Forbes, Howard & Barbara Westhoff, Garrick Hudson, Terry Payne, Sam Lenati, Ramona Carnahan, Terri Fehr, Craig Forbes, Caleb Beckerman, Paul Mendenhall, Sam Blubaugh, Monica Cervantes, Mike Jackson, Mark Harper, Tommie Forbes

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

	09/26/21	07/1/21 - 09/26/21
WEEKLY COLLECTION:	\$9120.00	\$167,078.00
LOOSE CURRENCY /COINS:	\$239.00	\$2314.00
OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS:	\$ 00	\$2200.00
TOTAL CONTRIBUTION:	\$9359.00	\$171,592.00
BUDGET:	\$17,500.00	\$227,500.00
OVERAGE/SHORTAGE:	(\$8,141.00)	(\$55,908.00)

NEXT WEEK MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Sat: Oct. 9th	5:00pm Mass
Servers:	Zach Collins
Lector:	Julia Bradbury
Greeters/ Gifts :	Tom & Beth Westhoff
Sun: Oct. 10th	7:30am Mass
Servers:	Collin Snider
Lector:	John Keene
Greeters / Gifts:	Aaron & Terri Saye
Sun: Oct. 10th	9:00am Mass
Servers:	David Ortiz / Adrian Ortiz
Lector:	Leslie Keller
Greeters / Gifts:	Frank & Elaine Chandler

AMOUNT OF CONTRIBUTION	NUMBER OF CONTRIBUTORS
\$1 - \$24	15
\$25 - \$49	25
\$50 - \$99	33
\$100 - \$199	22
\$200 - \$499	12
\$500 - \$999	1
\$1000 UP	0
TOTAL	108
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN PARISH	533
% OF HOUSEHOLDS CONTRIBUTING	20%

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

Oct. 9th	Emilio Aita/ Ross Harper/ Adam Myers/ Nick Pfeifer
Oct. 16th	Frank Chandler / Ryan Chandler / Mark Mall / Erin Snider
Oct. 23rd	Joel Schibi / Luke Wolgamott / David Wheat Family
Oct. 30th	Clay Snider / Robert Barger / John Keene / Peter Kendrick
Nov. 6th	Luke Schibi / Joey Alexander / Paul Yanez / Jerrod Stanford
Nov. 13th	Paul Schibi / Vincent Schibi / Bryan Schibi / Daniel Schibi

2021 PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY CRUSADE

WHAT: THE HOLY ROSARY
WHERE: ST. FRANCIS CATHOLIC CHURCH PARKING LOT- ST. PAUL KS
WHEN: OCTOBER 16TH, 2021
TIME: 12:00 (NOON)
CONTACT: MARY JANE GOUVION 620-449-2654

October is the month of the Rosary and Respect for Life.

Stewardship Bulletin Reflection
OCTOBER 3, 2021
TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Our readings this week speak to each of our domestic churches — the little churches that we call our families.

The First Reading from the book of Genesis takes us to the beginning of creation when God made man and woman. When Adam sees the woman he says, "This one, at last, is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; this one shall be called 'woman.'"

We can almost hear the longing, gratitude, and appreciation in Adam's voice when he meets Eve as he says, "at last." She was a gift because she was an equal partner to him.

This was before the fall of man, meaning sin had not entered the world. Adam and Eve only viewed each other in total acceptance and love.

Our Gospel brings us to life after sin had entered the world — a time that is familiar to us. As the Pharisees questioned Jesus about divorce, He expressed that Moses permitted it because of the hardness of man's heart. However, Jesus was calling them to deeper holiness. He was calling them to restore the original plan God had intended for marriage, "A man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh."

Jesus' words still apply to us here and now in each of our domestic churches. It is the task of families to tirelessly work to restore God's original plan for marriage and family life — homes filled with gratitude, acceptance, and love.

It takes a daily commitment to live out our call to holiness to restore our families to this beautiful image.

Message from Pope Francis

In a speech given on September 27th Pope Francis said, "There is the discarding of children that we do not want to welcome with the law of abortion that sends them to the dispatcher and kills them directly. And today this has become a 'normal' method, a practice that is very ugly. It is really murder...is it right to eliminate, to take a human life to solve a problem? Is it right to hire a hitman to solve a problem? That's what abortion is," the pope commented.

SALE!

St. Vincent de'Paul
1122 Main Street
\$3.00 Sack Sale
Thursday, Oct. 7th
(10:00 a.m. – Noon) (2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.)

Friday, Oct. 8th
(10:00 a.m. – Noon) (2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.)

Saturday, Oct. 9th
(10:00 a.m. – Noon)

 Congratulations:
Mason Volmer and the former Jaeli Jorgenson, who were united in Marriage here at St. Patrick on September 25th.

Please Pray for: the end of abortion and all sins against life
Eternal Rest Grant Unto Her Oh Lord, Mary Jane Coomes, Grandmother to Craig Coomes (Molly). Let Perpetual Light Upon Her, May She Rest in Peace.

Our Lepanto is Now

In 1571 Europe was facing invasion by the Islamic Ottoman Empire, whose stated purpose for invading Europe was to destroy and eliminate Christianity from the face of the earth, so as to spread the Islamic faith. Unfortunately during this time many of the nations of Europe were busy fighting among themselves and showed little concern over this impending threat. One man that did take notice was St. Pope Pius V. He knew what a successful invasion by the Ottoman Empire would mean for the future of Europe and Christianity. So in response, he managed to assemble a make-shift navy, known as the Holy League, to engage the advancing Muslims. This Holy League navy was smaller and less skilled in battle than the invading force and their chances of success were slim, which was something that the Pope realized himself. He knew they would not succeed on their own. So he called upon all Catholics to pray the rosary on Oct. 7th for the success of the battle. Churches in Rome were filled with the faithful praying their rosaries from dusk to dawn. That same day the Battle of Lepanto took place. It lasted only 5 hours and many miraculous things happened during the battle that turned the tide in favor of the Christian fleet and brought them an overwhelming and decisive victory.

In thanksgiving, St. Pope Pius V decreed that Oct. 7th be celebrated as the Feast of Our Lady of Victory, also referred to as Our Lady of the Rosary. Now as then, the Church, as well as our nation, is under attack by the forces of evil and we are in the midst of our own Lepanto. So too, it is the same call to arms, in the same way, that we the Catholic faithful need to respond, by taking up the spiritual weapon of the Rosary and praying for victory through our Blessed Mother's intercession.

Feasibility Study

Thank you to everyone who has participated in the feasibility study to discern a capital campaign to repair the roof of our church. Your time, input, and opinions are appreciated. Making the needed repairs will allow us to gather once again in our beautiful church as a faith community. We want to make this process open to everyone at St. Patrick's and we encourage your participation by providing feedback and by praying for the future of our church. Members may still participate with four different options, which will all involve the same questions:

- Completing a survey online by going to the following survey site: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/GNTZ9WN>
- Going to the St. Patrick's website and clicking on the link for the feasibility study.
- Picking up a packet in the back of church, completing, and returning in the attached envelope.
- Calling Betty Johnson, (785) 313-3632, and completing the survey through a phone interview, or emailing at bettyjohnsonassociates@yahoo.com.

The study process will be open until October 15th. We look forward to hearing from you as we continue to grow in our faith and our commitment.

St. Therese described the Rosary as a long chain that linked heaven and earth. When we pray, we hold one end and Mary holds the other.

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St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen

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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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