

MASS INTENTIONS: Oct. 9th - Oct. 17th

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

Mon. No Mass *Mike Miller (Dr. Steve Miller)

*While away Father Curtis will offer his daily Mass for the intention.

Tue. 5:30pm Joe Miller (Dr. Steve Miller)
 Wed. 8am Stringer Family (Gary & Vonda Carter)
 Thur. 8am Mary Paula Feess (Bill Feess)
 Fri. 8am †Greg Forbes (Mary Greenough)

NEXT WEEKEND'S INTENTIONS

Sat. 5pm †Sinforiano & Angela Negrete (Robert & Maria Perez)
 Sun. 7:30am The People of St. Patrick Parish
 9am †Jesus & Irene Grajeda (Tony Munoz)

THIS WEEK AT ST. PATRICK'S:

Mon Oct. 11 **No Mass**

Tue Oct. 12 Mass 5:30pm
K of C 7:00pm

Wed Oct. 13 Mass 8:00am
PSR 5:30pm
EDGE 6:00pm

Thur Oct. 14 Mass 8:00am

Fri Oct. 15 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. 16 Confessions 3:30pm
 Mass 5:00pm

Sun Oct. 17 Mass 7:30am
 Mass 9:00am

Save the Date: October 26th
Altar Society
(all women of St. Patrick Parish)
A bonfire at Dan & Amy Manner's house,
2037 24000 Rd. (Hwy. 400)
on Tuesday, October 26th @ 6:00 pm!
Bring a chair and your beverages,
hot dogs and s'mores will be provided.

One Hail Mary said, fills the heart of Our Lady with delight and obtains for us indescribably great graces.
 One Hail Mary well said, gives us more graces than a thousand thoughtlessly said. - ourladywriters

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

	10/03/21	07/1/21 - 10/03/21
WEEKLY COLLECTION:	\$18,902.00	\$185,980.00
LOOSE CURRENCY /COINS:	\$241.86	\$2555.86
OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS:	\$ 7500.00	\$9700.00
TOTAL CONTRIBUTION:	\$26,643.86	\$198,235.86
BUDGET:	\$17,500.00	\$245,000.00
OVERAGE/SHORTAGE:	\$9,143.86	(\$46,764.00)

NEXT WEEK MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Sat: Oct. 16th 5:00pm Mass
 Servers: Drew Schibi / Tanner Nolting
 Lector: Chris Allen
 Greeters/ Gifts : Jody & Joan Thompson

Sun: Oct. 17th 7:30am Mass
 Servers: Collin Snider/ Joseph Cervantes
 Lector: Marena Kirkpatrick
 Greeters / Gifts: Richard & MaryJo Fitzwater

Sun: Oct. 17th 9:00am Mass
 Servers: Landon Wheat / Aiden Wheat
 Lector: Jeff Perez
 Greeters / Gifts: David & Karen Wheat Family

AMOUNT OF CONTRIBUTION	NUMBER OF CONTRIBUTORS
\$1 - \$24	12
\$25 - \$49	29
\$50 - \$99	30
\$100 - \$199	29
\$200 - \$499	19
\$500 - \$999	3
\$1000 UP	4
TOTAL	126
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN PARISH	533
% OF HOUSEHOLDS CONTRIBUTING	24%

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. 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
 Nov. 20th Emilio Aita/ Ross Harper/ Adam Myers/ Nick Pfeifer

Please consider an Adoration hour or being a sub for the Adoration Chapel.
 Call the Parish Office @ 421-6762

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

If you wish to spend an eternity with God, get to know him now.

Stewardship Bulletin Reflection
 OCTOBER 10, 2021 —
 TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

In our Gospel today we hear the story of a man who ran up to Jesus and asked Him what he must do to reach eternal life. Jesus said, "You are lacking in one thing. Go, sell what you have, and give to the poor and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me." It says the man went away sad because he had much. We might cringe when we hear this story because it is sad — this man was so close to becoming an active disciple of Jesus, but instead turned away. We also might cringe because it could be deeply applicable to our lives. Jesus states that "It is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for one who is rich to enter the kingdom of God." One of the metaphors for the "eye of a needle" was a tight passageway into Jerusalem that people had to enter to get into the city. In order for their camels to pass through, they had to remove whatever the camel was carrying, only then, could they enter. If we look at our own lives, we can most likely think of something that we tightly carry with us. Maybe it is possessions — material goods or money — like Jesus references in our Gospel. Or maybe it is something less material — like status, pride, or control. Jesus doesn't want our stuff — our job promotions, our designer house, or our bank account. He just wants us. So, we need to be willing to strip those things from our lives in order to reach Him. It might seem difficult, but the outcome will be more than we could have ever imagined — peace on earth and treasure in heaven.

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, Barbara Rouse, Jolene Smith

Pope Francis' Prayer to Saint Joseph

Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary. To you God entrusted his only Son; in you Mary placed her trust; with you Christ became man. Blessed Joseph, to us too, show yourself a father and guide us in the path of life. Obtain for us grace, mercy and courage, and defend us from every evil. Amen.

Please Pray for: the end of abortion and all sins against life
 Eternal Rest Grant Unto Her Oh Lord, Elizabeth Crum-Hill, sister -in-law to Vicki Templeton. Let Perpetual Light Shine Upon Her May She Rest in Peace.

How can you trap a monkey?

With a coconut, some roasted peanuts or rice and a string, tribal people living in the border of forests in Africa, Sri Lanka, and India have been trapping monkeys for centuries. At one end of the coconut, they open a hole that is big enough to allow a monkey's hand to push inside. However, the hole is too small for a monkey to remove his hand when he makes a fist. On the other end of the coconut, a string is firmly attached and tied to a tree trunk. The coconut trap, with roasted peanuts or roasted rice inside, is placed along a monkey's trail, and the trapper hides behind bushes with a net. The monkey smells the peanuts and is attracted to them. He puts his hand through the hole and grabs a handful of peanuts, after which it is impossible for him to remove his hand since he is unwilling to let go of the peanuts. Suddenly the trapper casts the net over the monkey and traps it. — We too are attracted by different "peanuts" that can be detrimental to our spiritual and physical pursuits. Today's Gospel presents a rich young man who wants eternal life but will not relinquish "the peanuts" of riches.

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 on the concession stand shelf, 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. We had a great response to the in first phase of the feasibility study process, and look forward to continued success in this phase of the study. Your continued prayers for St. Patrick's, our project, and its success are important for our parish's future and our parish community.

2021 The Year of St. Joseph:

Saint Joseph is an example of how a disciple of Jesus responds to negative circumstances: with patience. Patience to stand firm in faith, to wait, and to trust in Divine Providence. In all things, God works for the good of those who love Him (Rm 8:28). Patiently trusting Divine Providence doesn't guarantee things will change, nor is it a promise of freedom for anxieties and things beyond our control. However, patience under trial makes our faith in God and His loving care for us grow to maturity (Jas 1:2-4).

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Prayer to St Michael The Archangel
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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M-F: 9:00 am - 3:30 pm
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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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St Joseph

8 DEC 2020 - 8 DEC 2021
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