

MASS INTENTIONS: April 23rd - May 1st

Sat. 5:00pm For the People of St. Patrick Parish

Sun. 7:30am †Sheila Miller (Dr. Steve Miller)

9am Chance & Lesley Ray (Rick & Marilyn Ray)

Mon. No Mass *St. Vincents Staff (Prayer Shaw Ministry)

Tue. No Mass *†JoAnn Chandler

Wed. No Mass *George Aita (Aita Family)

Thur. No Mass *†Mary Paula Feess (Jane Ann Beachner)

Fri. No Mass *†Tom O'Connor (Jolene & Penny Smith)

*While away Fr. Curtis will offer his daily mass for these intentions.

NEXT WEEKEND'S INTENTIONS

Sat. 5:00pm Living & Deceased Family of John Gottschalk (Ilene Ritz)

Sun. 7:30am For the People of St. Patricks Parish

9am First Communicants

THIS WEEK AT ST. PATRICK'S:

Mon April 25 **NO Mass** 8:00am

Tue April 26 **NO Mass** 5:30pm

Wed April 27 **NO Mass** 8:00am

PSR 5:30pm

CYM 7:00pm

Thur April 28 **NO Mass** 8:00am

Fri April 29 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.

NO Mass 8:00am

Sat April 30 Confessions 3:30pm

Mass 5:00pm

Sun May 1st Mass 7:30am

First Communion Mass 9:00am

EFFECTIVE MAY 2ND, 2022

THERE WILL NO LONGER BE DAILY MASS ON MONDAYS AND THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAYS.

Jesus said "Anyone who goes to Mary and Prays the Rosary Cannot be touched by Satan." Is it any wonder that anyone who prays the Rosary from the heart is Blessed and Protected.

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

	04/17/22	07/1/21 - 04/17/22
WEEKLY COLLECTION:	\$11,240.00	\$586,428.40
EASTER	3,977.00	3,977.00
LOOSE CURRENCY /COINS:	\$383.96	\$9,515.43
OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS:	\$000.00	\$66,903.47
TOTAL CONTRIBUTION:	\$15,600.00	\$666,904.57
BUDGET:	\$17,500.00	\$735,000.00
OVERAGE/SHORTAGE:	(\$1,899.04)	(\$68,095.43)

AMOUNT OF CONTRIBUTION (WEEKLY COLLECTION ONLY)	#OF CONT.	Gift Bearers: If your family would like to take up the gifts for Mass, please call the Parish Office.
APRIL 17TH		
\$1 - \$24	12	
\$25 - \$49	27	
\$50 - \$99	34	
\$100 - \$199	21	
\$200 - \$499	16	
\$500 - \$999	3	
\$1000 UP	0	
TOTAL	113	
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS IN PARISH	514	
% OF HOUSEHOLDS		

NEXT WEEK MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Sat: April 30th 5:00pm Mass
Servers: Zach Collins
Lector: Carolyn Waugh
Greeters /Gifts Paul & Dana Yanez

Sun: May 1st 7:30am Mass
Servers: Collin Snider / Joseph Cervantes
Lector: John Keene
Greeters /Gifts Tony & Connie Adams

Sun: May 1st 9:00am Mass
Servers: Antonio Alta / Sebastian Aita
Lector: First Communicants
Greeters/Gifts Shaun & MaryBeth Varner


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

April 30th Emilio Aita / Ross Harper/ Adam Myers / Nick Pfeifer
May 7th Frank Chandler / Ryan Chandler / Mark Mall
May 14th Paul Schibi / Vincent Schibi / Bryan Schibi / Daniel Schibi
May 21st Chris Allen / David Wheat / John Keene / Peter Kendrick

Mowing Crew Schedule:

April 28th	Nick Pfeifer	Logan Giefer
May 5th	Brett Geifer	Jeff Schibi
May 12th	Mark Mall	Drew Schibi



Stewardship Bulletin Reflection
April 24, 2022 —
Second Sunday of Easter/Sunday of Divine Mercy

Today, the Second Sunday of Easter, is Divine Mercy Sunday. Our Gospel reading from St. John is often called the story of "Doubting Thomas" but the passage involves so much more than the encounter with the skeptical apostle. It is rich with lessons of Christ's mercy to all, including an encouraging word from our Lord especially for us, His modern-day disciples. While Thomas traditionally takes all the bad rap for his doubts, we see that none of the Apostles were at their best when Christ first appeared to them after His resurrection. They were actually in hiding, cowering behind a locked door, paralyzed by fear and doubt. But Jesus appeared right in their midst in spite of the lock on the door. Was it to rebuke them for their lack of faith? Quite the contrary. He comes on a mission of mercy. He comes to offer them peace and the restoration of their relationship with Him. And even more, He commissions them to become ministers of His mercy, by giving them authority to forgive sins. At that moment Christ gives to all of us the supreme gift of mercy — the sacrament of Reconciliation. What a precious and powerful gift!

This Sunday is a perfect time to reflect on how well we make use of this gift. Do we really appreciate its healing power? Could we become better stewards of this gift by going to Confession more often? We must also reflect on how well we extend mercy to others as Jesus did to Thomas that day. Let's commit ourselves to becoming faithful disciples and stewards of Christ's mercy. We will be those very ones to whom Jesus gave a "shout out" during His encounter with Thomas: "Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed" — in His merciful love.

Position Available: Custodian

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Sunday May 1st is the...
Feast of Saint Joseph the Worker
This silent saint, who was given the noble task of caring and watching over the Virgin Mary and Jesus, now cares for and watches over the Church and models for all the dignity of human work. Devotion for St. Joseph goes back to at least the 9th century, when he was commonly referred to as "nutritor Domini" meaning "guardian of the Lord."

Please Pray for: Raef Stanford
Eternal Rest Grant Unto Her Oh Lord, Carolyn Cornell Evans, mother to Allie (Nick) Pfeifer, grandmother to Kennedy & Harrison, Let Perpetual Light Shine Upon Her, May She Rest In Peace.
Eternal Rest Grant Unto Her Oh Lord, Colleen Eisenbart, mother to Cathy (David) Schibi, grandmother to Suzanne (JR) Allen and Jeff (Breah) Schibi. Let Perpetual Light Shine Upon Her, May She Rest in Peace.

Preserving Our Heritage, Our Faith, and Our Future
The Capital Campaign committee is calling fellow parishioners to be callers to recruit additional volunteers for the campaign. If you get a call - please say yes and help if at all possible — it is appreciated! If you have not received a call, please call the parish office and let them know you will help. This volunteer role consists of calling an assigned list of parishioners to recruit home visitors. A short training to provide information, lists, and answer questions will be held for those agreeing to volunteer for this important role, that will only take a few hours of your time. Thank you!

Divine Mercy in Action
A TIME magazine issue in 1984 presented a startling cover. It pictured a prison cell where two men sat on metal folding chairs. The young man wore a blue turtleneck sweater, blue jeans and white running shoes. The older man was dressed in a white robe and had a white skullcap on his head. They sat facing one another, up-close and personal. They spoke quietly so as to keep others from hearing the conversation. The young man was Mehmet Ali Agca, the pope's would-be assassin (he shot and wounded the Pope on May 13, 1981); the other man was Pope St. John Paul II, the intended victim. The Pope held the hand that had held the gun whose bullet had torn into the Pope's body. This was a living icon of mercy. John Paul's forgiveness was deeply Christian. His deed with Ali Agca spoke a thousand words. He embraced his enemy and pardoned him. At the end of their 20-minute meeting, Ali Agca raised the Pope's hand to his forehead as a sign of respect. John Paul shook Ali Agca's hand tenderly. When the Pope left the cell he said, "What we talked about must remain a secret between us. I spoke to him as a brother whom I have pardoned and who has my complete trust." — This is an example of God's Divine Mercy, the same Divine Mercy whose message St. Faustina witnessed.

April 2022 Prayer List:

Isela Lupita Ayala, Jen Thompson, Raef Stanford, Reagan Bernd, Bristel Bernd, April & Natalie Stanton, Janie Schibi, Caleb Fent, Lorie Nutter, Dave Turk, Malissa Forbes, Terry Payne, Mark Harper, Wayne Cupp, Judy Cupp, Gauge Cupp, Kerri Heiskell, Danny Cain, Matthew Carrillo, Rafael Munoz, Tommie Forbes, Kris Vitt, Rita Schauf, JoAnn George LaForge, Donna George, Sam Blubaugh, Jim Vitt, Linda Crabtree, Katie Mullins, Peggy Weidert, David Moreno, Darlene Johnsen, The Robertson Family, Caron Kuffler, The King Family, Tom Forbes, Harry Heppler

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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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