

MASS INTENTIONS: Dec. 6th - Dec. 14th

- Sat 5:00pm †Lynn Brinkman (Family)
- Sun 7:30am For the People of St. Patrick Parish
- 9:00am †Tom Mansfield (Mary Munoz)
- Tue 5:30pm †Gary Harris (Cheri Allen)
- Wed 8:00am †Betty Schettler (John Schettler)
- Thur 8:00am †Daniela Ponce (John Negrete Family)
- Fri 8:00am †Jack Crandon (Crandon Family)

NEXT WEEKEND'S INTENTIONS

- Sat 5:00pm †Ann Santos (John Santos)
- Sun 7:30am For the People of St. Patrick Parish
- 9:00am †Barbara Workman (Vicki Templeton)

THIS WEEK AT ST. PATRICK'S:

Tue Dec. 9th	Mass	5:30pm
Wed Dec. 10th	Mass	8:00am
Thur Dec. 11th	Mass	8:00am
Fri Dec. 12th	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 The Holy Spirit's gifts of holiness and Strength upon the church.	
	Mass	8:00am
Sat. Dec. 13th	Confession	3:30pm
	Vigil Mass	5:00pm
Sun Dec. 14th	Mass	7:30am
	Mass	9:00am

Immaculate Conception Mass : Monday December 8th

- 8:00am Mass Lector: Vicki Templeton
Servers: **Atticus & Jonas Wilhoft**
- Noon Mass Lector: James Potocnik
Servers: **Jr. & Joseph Mall**
- 6:00pm Mass Lector: Marena Kirkpatrick
Servers: **Oliver Fitzpatrick**

There is NO Vigil Mass.....

Adoration hours available:

Tuesday 12am - 1am & Friday 3am - 4am

Please call the Parish Office
A thousand years of enjoying human glory is not worth even an hour spent in sweetly communing with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament."

Archbishop Paul Coakley, ordained to the priesthood for the Wichita Diocese. Just elected President of the USCCB

Welcome to St. Patrick Catholic Church
Parish Office Hours: Tuesday - Friday 7:30am to 3:30pm
Closed Holy Days and Holidays.

YOUR GIFTS TO GOD AND PARISH
11-30-2025 NEEDED:
WEEKLY COLLECTION: \$14,061.85 \$17,000.00

NEXT WEEK MINISTRY SCHEDULE

- Sat: Dec. 13th 5:00pm Mass**
Servers: Noah Varner / Zane Allen / Kase Keller
Lector: Leslie Keller
Greeters /Gifts: Tom Westhoff Family
- Sun: Dec. 14th 7:30am Mass**
Servers: Will Gorman / Chandler Bastian
Lector: Jeff Perez
Greeters /Gifts: Frank and Elaine Chandler Family
- Sun: Dec. 14th 9:00am Mass**
Servers: Atticus Wilhoft /Danilo Zapatero / Kohen Chesnutt
Lector: James Potocnik
Greeters/Gifts: Gene Berndt / Jackie Martinez

December 2025 Prayer List:
Cathy Mercado, Ron Wood, April & Natalie Stanton, Janie Schibi, Caleb Fent, James Flaming, Bristol & Reagan Bernd, Wes Graber, Mary Brooks, Elsie Woodard, Marisa Merchant, Donna George, Angel Reyes, Rita Schauf, David & Peggy Fryer, Sam Blubaugh, Matt Carrillo, Joshua Munoz, Kobe Hill, Maria Ortiz, Suzie Kuffler, Betty Forshey, Bryan Spielbusch, Rafael Munoz, Clara Hinte, Joaquin Castellanos, Charlie Smith, Dan Bogner, Heather LaRue, Jerry & Sylvia McKinney, Judy Harris, Darlene Johnsen, Lois Johnsen, Margie Johnsen, Joan Bauer, Mary Perrier, Lyndsey Smalley, Raymond Reese, Sandy Clark, Dr. Gary Yarbrough, Ed Bernd, Barbara Kyle, Tim McMillan, Gary Gray, Becky (Vitt) Briggs, Joe Asebedo, Janet Landwehr, Yalanda Wolke, Peggy Dunlay, Mike Almond, Debbie Hannigan, Jason Gonzalez,

Advent Penance Service
Sunday, December 21st
5:00pm to 6:30pm

Altar Society
will be meeting in the Parish Hall
Tuesday, December 9th @ Noon,
we will be making Christmas gift bags for our shut-ins
and enjoying pizza. Please let Maggie know if you are
attending

Stewardship Reflection
12/07/2025

This is the essence of Christian hospitality, a vital aspect of stewardship living. Fully embraced, it has the power to transform our lives and the lives of those who experience it through us.

The practice of Christian hospitality is also a way for us stewards to answer the call of John the Baptist, in our Gospel passage from Matthew. His words apply just as much to us today as they did to the people awaiting the Savior's arrival. John says, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand!" And he recalls the words of the prophet Isaiah, "Prepare the way of the Lord, make straight his paths." There is a definite connection between repentance and effective hospitality.

So how can we make repentance a regular part of our everyday lives? We can make an "examination of conscience" a daily part of our prayers, thanking God for the times we said "yes" to Him, and asking forgiveness for the times we chose our own will. We can (and should!) go to Confession this Advent. We can reach out to a family member or friend where there is distance or discord and make peace.

As we "straighten the paths" of our own hearts and minds, we become more hospitable people, better stewards of God's grace and mercy, and far more open and ready to invite others into our lives, homes, and parish. This is preparation fitting for our merciful Savior.

St. Vincent de'Paul
\$5.00 Sack Sale
1122 Main Street - Parsons Kansas
Thursday Dec. 18th
(10:00am - Noon) - (2:00pm - 4:00pm)
Friday Dec. 19th
(10:00am - Noon) - (2:00pm - 4:00pm)
Saturday Dec. 20th
(10:00am - Noon)

ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC SCHOOL PRESENTS:

LESSONS AND CAROLS

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2025
7:00 PM
ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH

Please Pray for: the right to life.

ST BRIDGET'S
COOKIE & BAKE SALE
Saturday, December 13th, 2025
8:00 a.m. to Noon
St. Bridget's Parish Hall
Scammon, Kansas
Cookies \$6.00 per pound
Specialty Cookies will be marked Accordingly.

Who is the patron saint for December?
Nicholas of Myra. What was Saint Nicholas known for?
Saint Nicholas was known for his generosity and kindness, which gave rise to legends of miracles he performed for the poor and unhappy.

"Making Census of Christmas"
The Gospel of Luke...with Father Nic
December 8th (after 6:00pm Mass)
& December 15th
6:00pm in the Parish Hall.

LIFE LINE SCREENING
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When: Thursday, December 11, 2025

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ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7th, 2025 | SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT



WELCOME
St. Patrick parish family, grounded and united in our love of Jesus Christ, seeks to Know, Love, and Serve God through prayer, education, worship at the Holy Mass, hospitality, stewardship, and evangelization of our community.

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MASS SCHEDULE
Weekend
Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm
Sunday: 7:30am | 9:00am

Weekday
Tuesday: 5:30pm
Wed, Thur, Fri 8:00am

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

Justice shall flourish in his time, and fullness of peace for ever