## **Saint Patrick Catholic Church**

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Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time



**Celebration of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass** 

Saturday, 4:00 pm - Sunday, 10:00 am

Wednesday and Thursday, 9:00 am First Friday, 10:00am Holy Days of Obligation, 6:30 pm

**The Sacrament of Reconciliation** 

One hour before each Mass until Fifteen minutes before Mass or by appointment

## **Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**1**st **Reading:** (Wisdom 2:12, 17-20) 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading (James 3:16-4:3) Gospel (Mark 9:30-37)

**PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS IN THE HOSPITAL OR ON HOSPICE:** Please keep all the sick and their caregivers in your prayers.



**PRAYER BOOK:** The prayer book in the narthex is available for all prayer requests. Please pray daily for these requests.

PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS: Especially our families, friends and loved ones who are currently in active military service: Joseph Byrd (Poland) Brett King (Guam) Delia King (Stateside), Jason King (Stateside) Please keep all of our brave men and women in your prayers. Please call the office to add to or remove names from this list,

PLEASE JOIN OUR PARISH! We would love to have you as a registered member of St. Patrick. If you would like to join our parish, please pick up a Census Card in the narthex, fill it out and put it in the collection basket.

PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS WHO ARE UNABLE TO LEAVE THEIR HOMES Mickey Davidson, and Pat Rogato. Please keep these, all the homebound, and their caregivers in your prayers. If you know of any parishioner who should be added to or removed from this list, please contact the office.

24<sup>th</sup> Sunday Do you want to follow Jesus? If you lose yourself for Jesus' sake, you will find life. It is worth the cost of your life. (Mark 8:27-35) Let us pray for this community, that we may be strengthened in faith and committed to following Jesus. (Vocation View is sponsored by Serra Club)

**NEW OFFICE HOURS:** To conserve energy and reduce expenses the office will be closed on Friday's New hours are Monday–Thursday 7:30am – 3:30pm

EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION: Bishop Steven J. Raica has appointed 21 parishioners of St. Patrick as Extra Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. This appointment began on August 19, 2021 and will be in place for 3 years, until August 18, 2024. The list of names will be posted on the Parish News bulletin board just outside of Fr. Weis' office. If you feel your name should be on the list and is not, please contact the office. The date and time for the "Order for the Commissioning of Extraordinary Ministers" will be announced at a later date.

HAVE YOU NOTICED OUR CAMPUS LATELY? It looks really nice doesn't it!? We have a small but very faithful crew of dedicated parishioners that go above and beyond the call of duty to take care of all our lawn and shrub needs. To this crew we want to say a hugh Thank You! for your generosity of time and talents throughout the summer. You will never know how much we appreciate what you do for us. May God bless you abundantly for all you do. Your greatful parish family.

CLEAN OUT FOR CHRIST YARD SALE- Spread the word about our upcoming yard sale! October 1,2 and 3 inside the gym. (Masks are Required) Hours are Friday and Saturday 8:00am until 3:00pm and our big 1/2 price sale on Sunday from 11:30 am until 2:30 pm. Concession stand will be open! Come check out all the bargains and let your family, friends and neighbors know about our sale! Last day for donations in Sunday, September 12.

**SUNSHINE CLUB IN OCTOBER!** Due to unforeseen complications the Sunshine Club will not begin in September as had been hoped. Barring any further complications the first meeting will be the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday in October after the 10:00 am Mass.

**Growing in Faith** RCIA Considering joining the Catholic Church? Catholic but never confirmed? Need to make your First Communion? Want to be baptized? Let us help you! Check out our RCIA classes for adults considering joining the Catholic Church. Come and Learn. For more information, please call the church office. Weekly classes are each Tuesday, at 6:00 pm September – April.

**FAITH FORMATION**: K-12 registration for the 2021-2022 school year is now open. Updates and calendar will be coming soon! If you are interested in teaching or being a teacher's aide, please contact Lisa Dougherty or Tara Blanchard.

**FAITH FORMATION BEGINS** Wednesday, September 15, 2021. Please register your school age children K-12 ASAP. Teachers and rosters are being planned and we want to include all our youth in this New, Amazing Year!!



<u>CATECHIST AND AIDES</u>: Please check you YP1Status to see if you need to update this year. Contact Lisa if you have any questions.

**DONUTS AND DOCTRINE** will begin on Wednesday, September 15th at 6:30 pm.

<u>WEDDING VOW RENEWAL:</u> The Knights of Columbus will sponsor wedding renewal vows this year on September 26<sup>th</sup>. If your anniversary is a 5, 10, 15, etc. (any 5 year increment), and you would like to renew your wedding vows, please sign up. There will be a sign-up sheet in the St. Joseph Hall each weekend.

**SHAWL MINISTRY:** Prayer shawl ministry has changed meeting times. We will meet the third Monday of every month. For more information contact Mary Evans.



**SVDP MEETING:** Our next meeting will be Sunday, September 19th after Mass.

## PANTRY NEEDS

Saltines Grits Oatmeal Dry soup



SHOP AT AMAZONSMILE: Amazon will donate a portion of any online purchase to SVdP. Simply click the icon on the SVdP page on St. Patrick website to place your order. Donations will be computed by AMAZON and automatically transferred to our account.

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time: In today's Gospel Jesus says "Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me." The cross of Jesus and the crosses of his members can evangelize us: the sick, who bear illness with courage; the grieving, who hope against hope; the dying, who clearly trust in the resurrection; the suffering of our poor brothers and sisters who are hungry and homeless, but who still trust in God's love. Is there a neighbor or friend of yours who is in temporary need because of a loss of a job or an illness? Please leave a message for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul...we want to help!

2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection		Weekly Mass Schedule			
School Subsisdy		Saturday	09/11	4:00 pm	Terry Busby - †
		Sunday	09/12	10:00 am	For the People
		Monday	09/13	No Mass	
		Tuesday	09/14	9:00 am @ St. Stanislaus	
		Wednesday	09/15	9:00 am	Pat Evans - +
		Thursday	09/16	9:00 am	Charles Perricotti - †
		Friday	09/17	9:00 am @ St. Stanislaus	
St. Vincent de Paul		Saturday	09/18	4:00 pm	Louise Chicarello - +
	5	Sunday	09/19	10:00 am	For the People

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER is now having LIVE Weekend Experiences! Unlock the power of your relationship with new ways to do the "I do." Renew the romance and live your best life in love. Learn to become the best version of yourselves together! Due to the continued surge of COVID cases, and for the wellbeing of all participants, the Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend scheduled for October 15-17, 2021 has been changed to virtual. You will be able to participate from the comfort of your home. You can get more information or register online at <a href="https://www.wwme.org">www.wwme.org</a> or by calling Frank and Kathryn Wessling

**BREAKFAST WITH THE ST. ALOYSIUS MEN'S SOCIETY:** Come be served by the Saint Aloysius Men's Society at their 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Pancake Breakfast on Saturday, September 18 in a new location: Parish Cafeteria (751 Academy Drive in Bessemer); Bessemer Applebee's is closed for renovation. The men will be cooking and serving from 8:00 a.m. until 10:00 a.m. Donations are greatly appreciated! Proceeds benefit Saint Aloysius Catholic Church in Bessemer.

