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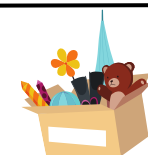
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August 24, 2025

Twenty- first Sunday in Ordinary Time:

In today's Gospel, Jesus tells us to "strive to enter through the narrow gate." Our call to be disciples and to follow Jesus demands that we learn to live for the sake of others.



Clean Out for
Christ



We will be taking donations until September 14th

Please place all donations on the tables marked in the back of the Saint Joseph Hall. Make sure that all items are clean and in working condition. If you have any questions or need to arrange for furniture delivery, please call the church office. Below is a list of accepted and unaccepted items!

Items that can be donated:

Toys	Lawn Tools
Jewelry	Tools
Children's Clothes & Shoes	Pet Items
Electronics/Flat Screen TV's	Linens
Home Décor	Outdoor Furniture
Holiday Decor/Items	Children's Books
Make-Up & Toiletry Items	Paperback Books
Sporting Goods	Furniture
Handbags	Baby Items
Small Kitchen Appliances	Dishes & Glass Ware

These items can NOT be donated:

Adult Clothes & Shoes
China Cabinets
Large Desks
Armoires
Exercise Equipment
Entertainment Centers
Hard Back Books
Mattresses
Baby Cribs & Car Seats



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Contact SVdP
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Next Meeting:
Wednesday,
September 10th
@ 10am

OFFERING



Use this QR code on your smart phone to set up your one time or reoccurring online tithes for St. Patrick.

SAINT PATRICK MINISTRY FAIR

SEPT. 6TH & 7TH

Come explore how your unique gifts can enrich our parish community. From music and hospitality to outreach and prayer, there's a ministry waiting for you. Join us after all weekend Masses to meet ministry leaders, check your parish enrollment, enjoy refreshments, sign up your children for religious education classes, & find your place to serve.

YOUR TIME & TALENTS MATTER!



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
FOOTBALL BOARD



The board is full! The Knights Facebook page will be updated and a Notify-Me will be sent once numbers have been drawn. Board is for the Auburn-Baylor game on August 29th and the Alabama-FSU game on August 30th. Thank you for your support!

CLASSROOM CLEAN-UP

On Wednesday, September 10th from 10am til 1pm, there will be a Clean Up Day in the Family Life Center Classrooms. We need classrooms to be vacuumed, bathrooms cleaned, tables moved & wiped, light bulbs replaced, etc. Any help is greatly appreciated!
Thank You - Desi Nelson

LABOR DAY

The Knights of Columbus are take orders for Boston Butts until August 24th. Cost is \$40 each. See Dale Blanchard to order or sign up in the Narthex. They will be cooking them on Saturday, August 30th & they will be ready for pick up after Mass on August 30th & 31st.

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MASS INTENTIONS


Stop by the church office and set up to have a Mass offered for a loved one. Mass intentions can be for someone who has died, for health, or for a special intention. Stipends for Mass intentions are \$10 & include a Mass card.

SICK & HOMEBOUND VISITS

Please call the office to set up a time for Father Weis to come out to visit the sick and homebound. He will be taking appointments for Wednesdays and Thursdays.

LOOKING AHEAD

- August 30-31:
 - 5th Weekend Rosary & Pancake Breakfast
- September 6th & 7th - Ministry Fair
- September 14th:
 - Religious Education Classes Begin
- September 17th - OCIA Classes Begin



OCIA

Order of Christian Initiation

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults/Children (OCIA/C) is the pathway for adults & children to explore, learn, and prepare to enter the Catholic Church. Whether you're unbaptized, baptized in another Christian denomination, or a baptized Catholic seeking Confirmation and Eucharist—OCIA is for you. **We are excited to begin classes on Wednesday, September 17th!** Please reach out to Desi Nelson to get more information!

Ministry Schedule for 8/30:
Lector: Betty Balcom
Ministry Schedule for 8/31:
Lectors: Andy Ward & Rob Walker
Ushers: James Nelson, Roger Click, Joe Lomoro, Buddy Ganus
Servers: Win Nelson
Eucharistic Minister: Larry Cannon
Gifts: Knight of the Month & Family of the Month
Music: Choir
Fellowship: KofC Pancake Breakfast
Mass Readings for 8/30-8/31:

- Sirach 3:17-18, 20, 28-29
- Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24a
- Luke 14:1, 7-14

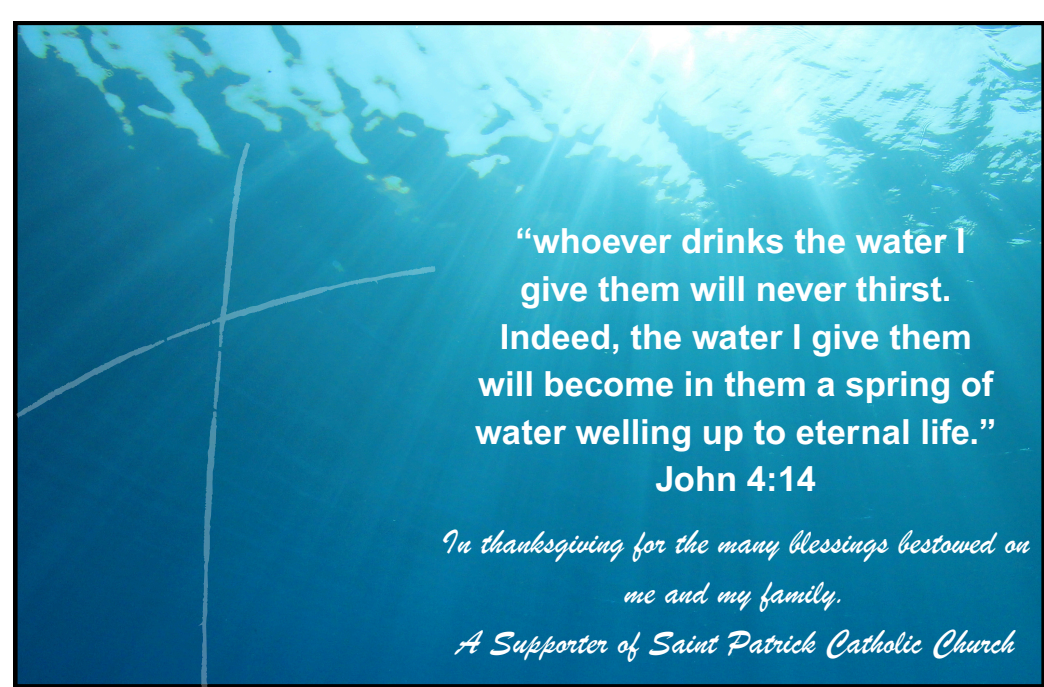
Second Collection for 8/30-8/31:

- No Second Collection

Saint Patrick Weekly Mass Schedule

CONFESSON: One Hour Before Every Mass		
Date:	Time:	Mass Intention:
Wednesday - 8/27	9:00AM	Roselie Lomoro +
Thursday - 8/28	9:00AM	Mary Catherine Shaffer +
Saturday - 8/30	4:00PM	Ann Wright +
Sunday - 8/31	10:00AM	Mark Bradley H
Sunday - 8/31	12:30PM (S)	Pro Populo

For Bulletin or Ministry Schedule Inquiries please contact Desi Nelson - desi@saintpatrickcc.com



“whoever drinks the water I give them will never thirst. Indeed, the water I give them will become in them a spring of water welling up to eternal life.”
John 4:14

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