Saint Patrick Catholic Church

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Very Rev. Anthony Weis, Pastor

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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, 6:00 pm

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

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



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

PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS WHO ARE UNABLE TO LEAVE THEIR HOMES Betty Carroll, Mickey Davidson, Linda Karch, 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.

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 (Stateside) 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.

PARISH EVENTS

BABY BOTTLE DRIVE: Filled bottles are due April 24th. Please be generous.

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS



<u>THE SUNSHINE CLUB</u> will meet next Wednesday, April 20th. There is not a Mass scheduled for that day so the arrival time is 10:30 am. Everyone is invited to attend.



SHAWL MINISTRY: We will meet the third Monday of every month. For more information contact Mary Evans at 205-491-2291.

MUSIC MATTERS EASTER CHOIR: Rehearsals: Adults Sunday 8:30am - Children Wednesday 6:00 pm.

Knights of Columbus Council 10567 is now accepting applications for the annual Louis N. Muro Memorial Scholarship. Applicants must meet the following criteria: (1) Must be a high school senior with a minimum 2.5 GPA; (2) Must be an active member of St. Patrick or St. Stanislaus; (3) Must provide proof of completion of at least 25 service hours performed during junior and senior high school years; (4) Must have plans to attend a four-year college or junior college after graduation from high school; and (5) Must be willing to attend an interview session with designated members of Knights of Columbus Council 10567. To get an application, send an email request to knights@saintpatrickcc.com or ask any Knight. Completed applications can be given to any Knight of Columbus, turned in to the church office, or sent to the previous email address. Deadline for applications to be considered is April 30.

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: Class will be Wednesday, April 20th at 6:30 pm.

ADULTS FOR CHRIST will meet this Wednesday. April 20th at 6:30 pm.

<u>PLEASE PRAY</u> for our RCIA Elect and Candidate this week, as they complete their journey into Full Communion with the Church. Johnny Butt, Kendall Butt, and Walt Ackerman

OTHER ITEMS OF NOTE

ATTENTION ALTAR SERVERS: First, Thank you, Thank you, Thank you, for all you do! Please know, ALL Altar Servers are "On Call" for Holy Week. Everyone has assignments, but you may be asked to fill in the gaps somewhere, if needed. Special Thanks to our returning "Alumni Servers", Anna Blanchard and Jeanie Smith. Remember, it's just one week and we are serving the Lord. We will get through it together. Thank you, Lisa Dougherty & Joan Marks

<u>CALENDAR SPONSOR NEEDED:</u> It is now time to order our 2023 Church Calendars. If you would like to sponsor the 2023 Colanders please contact Pegi Gilmore in the Church Office. We will be ordering less Calendars this year so the cost of sponsorship is reduced to \$263.00.

LADIES OF THE PARISH: If you are interested in studying God's word, strengthening your prayer life, learning more about your Catholic faith, and forming bonds with the extraordinary women in our parish, please consider joining the Women's Bible Study group that is being formed at St. Patrick. It is proposed that the group meet once a week or every other week, on Monday or Friday, at 10:00 a.m., beginning in May; however, the final schedule will be determined from the input of participants. The study topic has not yet been selected, but it will be chosen from approved Catholic resources and okayed by Father Weis. Class materials/books will be provided for each member. Say "YES LORD!" to this wonderful opportunity! For more details, please speak with Geralyn Humphrey, Patti Wilson, or Pam Ganus. A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board in the choir room.

<u>PLEASE JOIN OUR PARISH!</u> 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.

COLD AND FLU SEASON IS HERE! Please remember it is not a sin to miss Mass when you are sick or if you need to stay home with a sick child even if it is "just a cold". It is more in keeping with Jesus's commandment to love to protect others from getting the flu or a cold. "Just a cold" to you, could be detrimental to the very young, the elderly, and those with compromised respiratory or immune systems. Please stay at home when you or your children are ill.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



SVDP MEETING: The next meeting will be announced at a later date.

PANTRY NEEDS

Sugar Cooking oil Mayo Cornmeal Ketchup



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.

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion: Today is Palm Sunday and the beginning of the holiest of Christian weeks. Let us pray for the grace to take up our own cross and to follow Jesus through death to new life. As you place your donations to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box, know that you are a sign of God's love to those who carry their cross of suffering and pain.

AROUND THE DIOCESES

SAINT ROSE ACADEMY 8th graders present a meditative reflection on the Stations of the Cross. This prayerful presentation will allow you to walk the stations with Jesus and Mary. We hope you will join us on Wednesday, April 13, at 7 pm. Saint Rose Academy is located at 1401 22nd Street S, Birmingham, AL 35205.

ITALIAN AMERICAN HERITAGE SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP ANNOUNCEMENT The IAHS is again announcing the opportunity for a \$500 scholarship based on the winning essay, "What My Italian Heritage Means to Me." To be eligible to participate, the applicant must have a relative who is a society member. Also, the person submitting the essay must be currently enrolled at the college level or a high school senior who has been accepted at a college. The deadline for submitting the essay is May 31, 2022. Two \$500 scholarships will be awarded. Obtain the Scholarship Guidelines from a society member or go to our website for the Scholarship Guidelines:

HER CHOICE BIRMINGHAM WOMEN'S CENTER 18th Annual GOLF FORE LIFE Friday, May 20, 2022 at Highland Park Golf Course Lunch at 12:00pm · SHOTGUN START at 1:00p.m Have fun, save lives and raise funds for Her Choice, the only pro-life pregnancy resource center located in the heart of Birmingham. The cost is \$250 (\$125 tax deductible) per individual golfer and prizes will be awarded immediately following the tournament. Individual golfers are welcome and will be paired up. Be a Hole Sponsor, \$500.00, or a half Hole Sponsor, \$250.00. This Ministry exists to help women facing a crisis pregnancy choose life, and to support them in that decision. Post-Abortion healing support is also offered. Please, support this event and contact Her Choice Women's Center: golf4life@herchoicebirmingham.org.

<u>URGENT HELP NEEDED IN UKRAINE:</u> Bishop Raica, in union with Catholic Relief Services efforts to aid our Ukrainian brothers and sisters in crisis, need your help. Much like the Bishop's Disaster Fund, a link has been provided on the diocesan website at bhmdiocese.org to make donations toward **UKRAINE RELIEF**. Any donations submitted will be received by Catholic Charities and Communities office and directed to Catholic Relief Services specifically for this project. Checks can also be mailed to the DIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM, please note on the check UKRAINE RELIEF, and mail to: P. O. Box 12047, Birmingham, Alabama, 35202-2047.

2nd Collection

Weekly Mass Schedule

School Subsidy

5	Saturday	04/09	4:00 pm	Zitta Hofer -+
	Sunday	04/10	10:00 am	For the People
	Monday	04/11	No Mass	
	Tuesday	04/12	9:00 am @ St. Stanislaus	
	Wednesday	04/13	9:00 am	Tony & Lucille Pattole - †
	Thursday	04/14	5:00pm @ St. Stanislaus	
	Thursday	04/14	7:00 pm	For the People
	Friday	04/15 (The Passion) 5:00 pm @ St. Stanislaus		
	Friday	04/15 (The Passion) 7:00 pm		
5	Saturday	04/16	7:30 pm Easter	For the People
	Sunday	04/17	10:00 am Easter	For the People

Stations of the Cross on Good Friday will be at 3:00 pm

Palm/Passion Sunday Are you willing to surrender your life to God? You are promised eternal life. (Luke 22:14-23:1-49) Let us pray for all who are preparing for the Easter sacraments. (Vocation View is sponsored by Serra Club)

Next Week's Readings

Easter Sunday Mass During the Day 1st **Reading:** (Acts 10:34a, 37-43) 2nd Reading (Colossians 3:1-4) Gospel (John 20:1-9)

SPECIAL LITURGIES



ST. PATRICK

HOLY THURSDAY: Mass at7:00 pm ADORATION: following Mass until 10:00 pm GOOD FRIDAY: Stations of the Cross 3:00 pm The Passion 7:00 pm **HOLY SATURDAY: The Easter Vigil: 7:30pm EASTER SUNDAY:** Mass 10:00am

ST. STANISLAUS

HOLY THURSDAY: Mass at 5:00 pm GOOD FRIDAY: Stations of the Cross 4:00 pm The Passion 5:00 pm EASTER SUNDAY **Mass 8:00am**



SPRINGFEST!





SPRINGFEST RAFFLE: SELL SELL! We need you to keep selling and to keep turning in your raffle tickets! Prizes: 10 - \$100 cash prizes and the Grand Prize is \$1,500!

<u>T-SHIRTS:</u> Springfest T-Shirts are here and ready for you to purchase! They are \$10 each and can be purchased in the Saint Joseph Hall after weekend Mass. Please take notice of our T-Shirt Sponsors and thank them when you get a chance.

SPRNGFEST VENDORS WANTED! We are looking for vendors for The Ora Labora Market. Spaces are 10 foot by 10 foot, and are \$50 for one day or \$80 for both days. The market will start the day before Springfest on April 30, and run until the end of Springfest on, May 1st.It will open both days from 11:00am till 3:00pm. We are also accepting food trucks for Saturday only at a fee of \$70. Email oralabora301@gmail.com or talk to Jeff Blanchard for details.

<u>AUCTION:</u> Springfest Auction is coming! Please be on the lookout for items and baskets to be in the SJH and on the website! Contact Desi Nelson if you see a Buy Now item you wish to purchase.

SPRINGFEST MEETING: April 24th after Mass is the next Springfest Meeting.

CAKE BOOTH: Cake Boxes are ready to be picked up for Springfest. Please pick up a cake box or two and bring a delicious dessert for our Cake Booth at Springfest!

