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# Saint Patrick Catholic Church

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## *Solemnity of the Epiphany*



### 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

**Feast of the Baptism of the Lord**

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** (Isaiah 40:1-5,9-11) **2<sup>nd</sup> Reading** (Titus 2:11-14;11-14;:4-7) **Gospel** (Luke 3:15-16, 21-22)

**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** 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.

**Epiphany** The light of Christ shines upon you. How will you share that light with others? Consider the gift of a Church vocation. Let us pray for our world, that the light of Christ may guide our leaders to work together for peace. (**Vocation View is sponsored by Serra Club**)

**COLD AND FLU SEASON IS HERE!** Please remember that it is not a sin to miss Mass when you are sick. It is also not a sin to miss Mass if you need to stay home with a sick child even if it is “just a cold”. In fact it is more in keeping with Jesus’s commandment to love for you to protect others from getting the flu or a cold. Remember an illness that is “just a cold” to you, could be detrimental to the health of someone else. Especially the very young, the elderly, and those with compromised respiratory or immune systems. Please stay at home when you are ill and keep your children at home when they are ill.

**TAKE A LOOK!** Please notice the new ads on the inside back cover of the bulletin. We are very fortunate to have 4 new local businesses supporting our parish as well as all the businesses on the back cover that have supported St. Patrick for years. Try to use each business when possible and let them know they are appreciated.

**THANK YOU** to all who’ve helped provide meals for RCIA for 2021, and to those who have already volunteered for 2022. Your generosity is appreciated. If you would like to provide a meal for 2022, please see Lisa Dougherty and she will put you on the schedule for next year. God Bless!!

**A SPECIAL THANKS** to ALL who serve on our Liturgy and Ministry Schedule, especially our Altar Servers. We are very much in need of Readers/Lectors for both Saturday and Sunday Masses and Altar Servers for Sunday. Please pray and consider joining in these very special ministries. Training will be provided.

**THE ANNUAL RESPECT LIFE MASS** and Witness for Life will be Saturday, January 15, 2022 Bishop Steven Raica will celebrate the Mass at 9:00 AM at the Cathedral of St. Paul. 2120 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave. N, Birmingham. The Prayer Vigil and Witness for Life will begin at 10:45 AM at Planned Parenthood at 1019 1<sup>st</sup> Ave. North, Birmingham. For more information go to [www.birminghammarchforlife.com](http://www.birminghammarchforlife.com)





**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:** Class will resume this Wednesday, January 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm.

**ADULTS FOR CHRIST** will meet this Wednesday, January 5, 2022. At 6:30 pm. They will begin a new video series called: The Creed by Bishop Barron- The Creed is the key that unlocks the beliefs of the Christian Faith. The words roll off our tongues so easily at Mass, but they often aren't fully understood. Each class will include a video followed by discussion.



**SHAWL MINISTRY:** We will meet the third Monday of every month. For more information contact Mary Evans.

**LADIES AUXILIARY**

**BINGO:** January 15th after 4pm Mass in the SJH, come out and enjoy Bingo, hosted by the Ladies Auxiliary. We will have our \$5 meal deal (Hotdog, chips, drink, & dessert), 50/50 Raffle, Prize Drawing, 25 cent Bingo Cards, and lots of fun! We can't

wait to see you there!

**LADIES AUXILIARY MEETING:** Come Join us this Thursday, January 6th! Mass is held at 6pm. Dinner is started at 6:30pm, and then we will have our meeting and fun! We hope to see you there! Contact Desi Nelson with any questions.



**COAT DRIVE:** The Knights of Columbus are once again collecting coats, sweaters, gloves, etc. for men, women & children (outer wear only). All items should be clean and should be placed in the collection box in St. Joseph Hall. Thanks for supporting this important effort. This will be done until after the first of January.

**MEETING:** Knights of Columbus Council 10567 will meet Thursday at 7 p.m. in the Charles L. Blanchard Knights of Columbus room. Mass is at 6 p.m. and food will be served after Mass. Please join us for our first meeting of the new year.



**ANGEL TREE AND PENNIES FROM HEAVEN** We will continue to accept Pennies from Heaven and Lavender Angel monetary gifts. Please put your monetary donation in the envelope and place the Lavender Angel in the collection basket. THANK YOU for your support of this ministry and for your generosity.

**SUPPORT AFTER ABORTION MILITARY AND VETERANS PROGRAM** is offering a Rachel's Vineyard abortion healing retreat February 11 - 13, 2022 in the Atlanta area. The retreat is open to all military, active, guard, reserves, veterans, and family members of military or veterans. The retreat is led by veterans and free of charge. You served. We want to serve you. To register go to: <https://qrco.de/bcPCLI>.

**BEWARE OF SCAMS:** Many churches and schools in the Diocese of Birmingham are being used by scammers to prey on local Catholics. Be vigilant. Scammers are continuing to pose as pastors, parish staff, and even the bishop. Typically, emails are being sent asking for assistance, but text messaging is also being utilized. Before responding directly, please contact the parish or the Bishop's Office by phone to ensure authenticity.

**Catholic Charities Report for St. Patrick.**

Parish	Goal	Pledged	Over/(Under)	Accts.	No Pledges	Pledges	Average
418 - St. Patrick Catholic	\$25,000.00	\$13,520.00	(\$11,480.00)	245	197 80%	48 20%	\$281.67

If you have not mailed your catholic Charities pledge to the Diocese please do so soon.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection

Capital Improvements

↪ Saturday	01/01	4:00 pm	Ruth Lyda - H
↪ Sunday	01/02	10:00 am	For the People
Monday	01/03	No Mass	
Tuesday	01/04	9:00 am @ St. Stanislaus	
Wednesday	01/05	9:00 am	Florence Smith - †
Thursday	01/06	9:00 am	Kathy Brown - †
Friday	01/07	8:00 am St. Stanislaus	
Friday	01/07	10:00 am	Stephanie Miller - †
Friday	01/07	1 hour Adoration and Benediction after 10:00 am Mass	
↪ Saturday	01/08	4:00 PM	For the People
↪ Sunday	01/09	10:00 am	Joe & Mary Gagliano

School Subsidy

## Weekly Mass Schedule

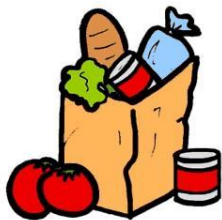


**SVDP MEETING:** Our next meeting will be announced at a later date.

**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.

## PANTRY NEEDS

Cereal  
Cooking oil  
Mayo  
Dry soup  
Jelly



**Epiphany:** Today we celebrate the feast of the Epiphany, where the Magi find the newborn king and offer him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. **In the spirit of the Magi, we would like to thank all our friends that made a donation in December to help our families in need, so that comfort and peace can once again be given to children.**



*Flowers on the Alter where given,  
in part, in memory or in honor of the following:*

*Dorothy Anselmo  
Joseph & Carmela  
Anselmo  
Benny Bakane  
Sue Baxter  
Balcom Family  
Walter Blackwell  
Jerry Box  
Bradley family  
Theresa Smith Brackin  
Buddy & Edith Brasher  
Xander Brasher  
John & Anne Brooklere  
Kathy Brown  
Paul & Frances Buddy  
Bobby Butler  
Campanotta family  
V.B. & Polly Cannon  
Carruba family  
Florence Carter  
William Carter  
Hazel Charles  
Joe & Louise Chicarello  
Robert Colvert  
Ellis & Doris Cornelius  
Josephine Cullefer  
Joseph & Veta Culotta  
Rose Culotta  
Mark Davis  
Deason family  
Ike & Bid Dempsey  
Jon, Susan & Noah Devine  
Mr. & Mrs. C. T. Dietrich, Sr.  
Mr. & Mrs. C. T. Dietrich, J  
Henry M. Dougherty, Jr.  
Henry & Gertrude  
Dougherty  
Nargaret Dougherty  
Geroge & Betty Dudchock  
Blake Dudchock*

*Albert Duchock  
Charles & Mary Duchock  
Pete & JoAnn Duchock  
Duchock family  
Butch & John Evans  
Pat Evans  
Gregory David Fadlevich  
Johnny Fadlevich  
Martin Fadlevich, Sr.  
Mike & Mary Fadlevich  
Fadlevich family  
O.E. Faulkner  
Theo Files  
Thomas & Sebaska  
Franklin  
Verna Franklin  
Joe & Mary Gagliano  
Carolyn Giambrone  
Gingise family  
Howard Glasgow  
Walter Goolsby  
Goolsby family  
Jemmy Guarino  
Norman & Jean Gugliotta  
Guy family  
Jeana Hale  
Harbuck family  
Higdon family  
Marianne Humphry  
Terry Jackson  
Howard Jones, Sr.  
Margaret Jones  
Lonnie Jordan  
Ericka Karch  
Mr. & Ms. L.P. Karch  
Kirk family  
Barbara Kretzmer  
Landrum family  
Lenburg family (Dorothy,  
Joan, Vivian, James,*

*Marie, Rick, Tom, Jake, &  
Bud)  
Mr. & Mrs. M. Liedy  
Matthew Liedy  
Arnold & Velma Lindsey  
Clarence Lively  
Mike Lively  
Mary Lucia  
Lucia family  
Charlie & Belle Lynn  
Eddie Lynn  
Donald Lyda  
Pete & Elizabeth Majerik  
Nancy M. Manzella  
Bill Mathis  
Jackie & Joseph Milazzo  
George & Edna Miller  
Henry & Dorothy Miller  
Stephanie Miller  
Miller family  
Louis & Rose Muro  
Mary & Melvin Nelms  
Jasper & Ruth Newman  
Hugh & Grace O'Brian  
Carl & Martha Olander  
Parker family  
Petronio Vicente Perez  
Eddie Perkins  
Sara Perkins  
Irene Peterson  
Ray & Pat Peterson  
Paul & Sam Pocopanni  
Nellie Raia  
Raia family  
Rogato family  
Emmanuel Rosato  
Barbara Rucker  
Janie Salvagio  
Dominick Salvagio  
Vivian Sanford*



*Dale & David Savage  
Joanie Smith Savage  
John Sazy  
Jimmy Serio  
Lawrence J. Serio  
Mike & Agnes Sazy  
Helen Fadlevich Sefton  
Lawrence & Sara Serio  
Mr. & Mrs. C.M. Sessions  
Mr. & Mrs. Shoemaker  
Albert E. Slovensky  
Albert & Annie Slovensky  
David Slovensky  
Infant Slovensky  
Joe Slovensky  
Joseph & Helen Slovensky  
Carol Miller Smith  
Guy & JoAnn Smith*

*Pauline Smith  
Christa Snider  
Paul & Evelyn Snider  
Paul Michael Snider  
Luther & Lucille Spivey  
Christopher Stano  
Genoveva Stano  
Louis John Stano III  
Louis Stano, Sr.  
Lennie Stano  
Misty & Ramona Stano  
James & Barbara Swindle  
Lawrence Taylor  
Lloyd Taylor  
Rose M. Taylor  
Riley & Alice Taylor  
Robert Vivian Taylor*

*George Tragesser  
Mavis Tragesser  
Mike Vines  
David & Agnes Vines  
David & Pauline Vines  
Josephine Vizzinia  
Camille Von Hagel  
Sandy Von Hagel  
Mae Washington  
Wehby family  
Isabella Rose Wharton  
Dan & Ruth Whetson  
Viola Burch Whitaker  
Wise family  
Yabes Family*

**CHRISTMAS FLOWER NAMES:** We did our best to list all names that were turned in. If we somehow missed your list and the names you intended to have listed are not on the list, please call the office before this Wednesday and they will be included in an additional list that will be produced in the next bulletin.



*To Faith filled & Beloved Parishioners,*

Wishing you every happiness this Christmas  
Go Raibh gach sonas ort an Nollaig seo

*You are always close to my heart with a Special Remembrance in my Christmas  
Masses. Love you  
Fr. Ray*