

<p>Fr. Bernard Kimminau, <i>Pastor</i> Fr. Basil Ejim, <i>Assoc. Pastor</i> Fr. Bernard Lorenz, <i>Hispanic Ministry</i></p> <p>Emergency Number: 308-340-0817</p> <p>Website: http://www.stpatismccook.com</p> <p>NEW School Website: http://www.stpatrickmccook.com</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">St. Patrick Catholic Church <i>East 4th and F Street</i> Rectory Office: 612 East 4th Street Mailing Address: P.O. Box 1040 McCook, NE 69001-1040 Phone: 308-345-6734</p> <p>WELCOME to St. Patrick Catholic Church. We hope you feel at home and among friends here. If you are a visitor for a day, we pray God's speed on your journey. If you are looking for a parish community, we would be delighted to welcome you to our parish family. Please introduce yourself. To Register please call at 308-345-6734 or stop by the rectory on 4th street.</p>	
<p>MASS SCHEDULE: SUNDAY: Saturday Vigil Mass: 6:00 PM Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, & 11:00AM, 4:00 PM (in Spanish) DAILY: 6:45 A.M. -- Monday-Friday 8:00 A.M. -- Saturday KINSHIP POINTE: 10:30 A.M. Wednesday</p>	<p>CONFESSION SCHEDULE: Monday - Friday: 6:30—6:40 am Saturdays: 4:00 - 5:30 pm and after 6:00 pm Mass. Or, any time by appointment, call the rectory at 345-6734.</p>	<p>ST. ANN CHURCH (Rural McCook, NE) SUNDAY MASS: 8:00 AM (Confessions ½ hour before Mass) SACRED HEART CHURCH (Rural Hayes Center, NE) SUNDAY MASS: 10:00 AM (Confessions ½ hour before Mass)</p>

ST. PATRICK SCHOOL (345-4546): *Rebecca Redl, Principal, Barbara Bortner, Secretary.* Grades K-8. Tuition for 2025-26: \$2,960 per student. Diocesan technology fee of \$440.00 per student. Tuition assistance available. Please log on to your FACTS account to set up your payment plan <https://online.factsmtg.com/signin/43QNN>. If you are new to our school or have any questions, please contact the St. Patrick School Office (308-345-4546) for assistance. School offers: Band, Vocal Music, Art, Athletics, Student Council, Hot Lunch, Advanced Math, & Literature.

LITTLE KNIGHTS PRESCHOOL (345-4546): *Jill Koenig, Teacher.* 612 East 3rd St. Preschool: Tues & Thurs 9-11:15 am; 3-Day Pre-K: Mon -Wed-Fri, 9-11:15 am; 4-day Pre-K: Mon, Tues, Th & Fri: 1-3:15pm.

CCD PROGRAM: Grades K-8, Wednesday evenings during school year, 7:00-8:15 pm. (For children not attending St. Patrick School.)

CYO/GODPARENT PROGRAM: Religion program for Grades 9-12.

For more information, contact the rectory at 345-6734.

OCIA (ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS): Classes held on Thursday evenings from 7:00-8:00 pm in the School Library. Call the rectory at 345-6734 for information.

LEGION OF MARY: *Carol Lashley:* Catholics reaching out to the community in imitation of Mary.

BAPTISM: Call the Rectory to arrange pre-baptismal class and to schedule baptism.

MARRIAGE: Call for an appointment to begin preparation **at least 6 months** before your proposed wedding date.

FERTILITY CARE INSTRUCTOR: Kate Siegfried RN, BSN, FCP-

FAMILY COUNSELING: For information or to schedule appointments, call The Immaculate Heart of Mary Counseling Center of Catholic Social Services - **1-800-961-6277**.

PROJECT RACHEL: Healing the wounds of abortion. Don't suffer any longer from guilt, despair, psychological or spiritual problems. Private, sensitive and confidential - **1-800-964-3787**.

CATHOLIC MOTHERS FOR CHRIST: Phone Cassie Spencer for more information.

THAT MAN IS YOU (Men's group): Phone the Rectory at 345-6734 for more information.

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MASS SCHEDULE - St. Patrick Church**Monday, Nov 3**

6:45 am.....Dan & Mary Ann Wais+
 8:00 am.....L/D Jim & Sandy Pettera Family

Tuesday, Nov 4

6:45 am.....Walter Piekatowski+
 8:00 am.....L/D O'Dea & Sekavec Family

Wednesday, Nov 5

6:45 am.....L/D James Budke Family
 8:00 am.....L/D Lavera Brooks Family

Thursday, Nov 6

6:45 am.....Ron, Adonna & Nathan Sis+
 8:00 am.....Wayne Hager+
 7:00 pm.....Spanish Mass (Hayes Center)

Friday, Nov 7

6:45 am.....Catherine Amador+
 8:00 am.....Anna Montey+
 3:00 pm.....Spanish Mass

Saturday, Nov 8

8:00am.....Lee & Barb Miller Family
 6:00 pm.....Catherine Blume+

SUNDAY MASSES:**Sunday, Nov 9**

7:30 am.....Lester Bieker+
 9:00 am.....James Huffman Family
 11:00 am.....Roberta Spilinek+
 4:00 pm.....Spanish Mass

Iglesia de San Patricio (409 Calle F) Padre Bernard Lorenz- (308) 414-1195

Confesiones: antes de la Santa Misa.

MISSIONS:**ST. ANN CHURCH****Sunday, Nov 9**

8:00 am.....For Our Parishioners

SACRED HEART CHURCH**Sunday, Nov 9**

10:00 am.....Greg Hock

Confessions: 6:30 am Monday -Friday & Sat. 4:00-5:30 pm,
 & after 6 pm Mass in the church, or call rectory for an ap-
 pointment.

CCD Classes: Classes will meet on Wed at 7:00 pm.

CYO Classes: Classes will meet at Godparents homes this
 week @ 7:15pm.

School News: Nov. 6—School Confessions

Next week's Mass Schedule: Nov 8/9:

	Lectors:	Acolytes:
Sat. eve	M. Graff	R. Jacobs/Swanson
7:30 am	J. Roberts	Liess/Carfield
9:00 am	M. Sis	Kain/Fagot
11:00 am	M. Tines	Wilson/Sughrue

Offertory Gifts for Nov 8/9:

Sat. Eve	Erika Solko Family
7:30	Lacy Tally Family
9:00	Becca Eiler Family
11:00	

Mark your Calendars:

SW Nebraska Big Give—Nov. 6
 Healing Mass—Dec. 14 @ 4:00pm
 Game Feed '26— Feb. 14
 St. Patrick's Gala — March 14, 2026

PRAYER CHAIN: 340-7946

(Call between 8 & 8:30 am)

Online Giving— visit www.stpatsmccook.com and follow
 the link to Our Sunday Visitor. Easy to register & flexible
 contribution options.

Contributions: 10-26-2025**St. Ann**

Weekly \$ 75.00

St. Patrick:

Weekly: \$ 8,606.00

Online: \$ 1,347.00

Total to St. Pats: \$ 9,953.00

Sacred Heart

Weekly \$ 250.00

*Your contributions to St. Patrick, St. Ann and Sacred
 Heart parishes are needed and greatly appreciated!*

ST. PATRICK PARISH**Fiscal Year July 1, 2025-June 30, 2026**

Collections received since July 1, 2025: \$ 151,277.43

Misc. Donations year to date: \$ 18,341.00

(Budgeted amount for fiscal year: \$550,000.00)

Please pray for the souls of: Dr. Corinne Phillips-Ward.

Legion of Mary: "When the Holy Rosary is said well, it
 gives Jesus and Mary more glory and is more meritorious
 than any other prayer." St. Louis De Montfort

Hospitalizations: Remember if you are admitted to the
 hospital, you must identify yourself as Catholic to ensure
 that we will know to visit. We can't visit if we don't know
 you are there. Thank You!!

Weekly Holy Hour: Holy Hour on Monday, Nov. 3rd @
 7:00pm. The hour includes the rosary, quiet reflection
 time, confession, litany to St. Patrick, litany for Rain and
 night prayer, finishing with benediction.

Prayers for our Seminarians: Please pray for Cody Hein.
 He is in his Theology 3 year at St. Charles Borromeo Semi-
 nary. He is from St. Mary's parish in David City.

Holy Spirit Catholic Radio: The Spirit Catholic Radio did a
 podcast regarding the 40th Anniversary for St. Patrick
 School. You can tune in to listen to Fr. Kimminau, Mrs.
 Redl and Shannon talk about the 40th Anniversary of our
 school. Our interview begins about 13 minutes into the
 podcast. <https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/10-20-25-spirit-mornings-show/id1763746657?i=1000732713338>

First Friday Holy Hour: Please consider joining us in prayer
 this Friday, Nov. 7th. Holy Hour begins at 7:00 pm and will
 conclude at midnight.

7:00 pm Altar Society Ladies

8:00 pm—Matthew

9:00 pm—Mark

10:00 pm—Luke

11:00 pm—John

St. Patrick Altar Society: The Altar Society will meet on
 Tues. Nov. 4 at 7:00 pm in the church basement. Please
 join us at 6:30 for the rosary in church.

Lucky Irish Calendar Winners-2025:

Oct 20	Denton Haag	Oct 24	Kim Aubrey
Oct 21	Charlie Bruscato	Oct 25	Kylee Kime
Oct 22	Lynn Rodenmayer	Oct 26	Aaron Purvis
Oct 23	Shane Fagot		

Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House in Waverly : Call 402-786-2705, or see goodcounselretreat.org to check to see the list of retreat options available. Check it out and consider supporting our Retreat House in Waverly.

Pope's Intention for November: Let us pray that those who are struggling with suicidal thoughts might find the support, care and love they need in their community, and be open to the beauty of life.

Men's Prayer Group: "That Man is You" meets this week on Sun. Nov. 2 @ 8:00pm in the school library. Visitors welcome.

Mass Intentions: Please place mass requests in the collection or the rectory drop box. Please make checks to St. Patrick, please include your name & phone number in case clarification is needed. Usual donation is \$10. Masses are scheduled as they come in. Masses are currently 5-6 months out.

Women at the Well:

Small Group Study Has Begun- Living Joy by: Chris Stefanick Groups will meet Wed. from 6:30-7:30a.m. or Wed. evening from 7-8:00 p.m. or Sunday evening from 6:30-7:30p.m. @ St. Pats school library. All Women are welcome to show up and we will get you copies of the material. Bring your bible, a pen and a journal. Contact Kate Siegfried (620) 272-7641 or Amanda Peterson (308) 340-1451 with any questions.

World Marriage Encounter Weekend: Transform your marriage and strengthen your commitment. Marriage encounter weekend is scheduled for February 14-16 in Lincoln, NE. For more information or dates please call or text Gary & Brenda Granger at 402-370-5839 or visit www.wwme.org.

October Pro-Life Diaper Drive: The LDCCW October Pro-Life Diaper Drive will soon be coming to an end, but you still have an opportunity to donate. Diapers can be left in the back of the church, by the elevator or with the Student Counsel at school.

Knights of Columbus: The Knights have events coming up during the month of November.

Spaghetti Supper will be Nov. 8th starting at 5:30 to 7:30 pm. Free will donations will be accepted with proceeds to go to Flags and Grave markers and uniforms.

Hunter Stag & Stagette will be Nov. 14th at 6:00 pm. Food, Raffles and Games all evening. Open to everyone who would like to attend. Raffle tickets are available from the Knights and in the rectory office.

Trap Shoot will be held on Nov. 29th at the shooting range by the airport. Cost will be \$25.00 More details to come.

Lucky Irish Calendars: Calendars have been mailed out for this year. This year's proceeds will go to new bleachers for the school gym. Additional calendars are available at the church entrances and the rectory. Please fill out your stubs and drop the money in the collection, or bring it to the rectory or mail it to: Knights of Columbus, PO Box 122, McCook, NE 69001. Thank you for supporting your parish.

Boxes of Joy: Our School will be participating in Box of Joy, a Christmas gift ministry organized by local Catholic schools, parishes and groups nationwide. These boxes will bless children in extreme poverty by sharing the joy of Christmas and planting seeds of hope through the Gospel and Cross Catholic Outreach over 32 countries through this ministry.

Boxes are available at the church entrances. Drop off donations of school supplies, socks, small toys or toiletries in the totes in the school lobby or take a box and pack it at home! You may also make a monetary donation to help cover the cost of shipping. Cost of shipping is \$9 per box. Please make all checks Payable to CROSS CATHOLIC OUTREACH. Donations for supplies are needed by Thurs. Nov 5th and packed boxes by Monday Nov. 10th. Please drop off boxes at the school office. Contact: Amanda Peterson @ 340-1451

Magnificat's Fall Prayer Meal : The Magnificat Fall Prayer Meal with speaker Father Jim Morin, the Dean of Men and Instructor of Theology and Latin at St Gregory the Great Seminary, will be on Saturday November 22 at the Hillcrest Country Club from 9:30 a.m. until Noon! Registration is \$33 and due by November 15. For questions, contact Coordinator Rhonda Litt at 402.525.6396. Register at: <https://www.osvhub.com/magnificatmorningstarchapter/forms/november-prayer-meal-featuring-fr-morin>

Catholic Social Services: We have a CSS Branch in the area to provide all services to those in need. Please contact Jennifer Hinze at 531-484-3566 or jhinze@cssshope.org.

Holy Land Art—Olive Wood— will be here the weekend of Nov. 15 –16th to sell their Olive Wood products. Please consider supporting Christians in the Holy Land by purchasing some of their items. Their products would make great Christmas presents.

November: Month of the Poor Souls

This month the Church encourages us to remember the faithful departed in prayer. There is a special opportunity of an indulgence for your departed loved one by visiting a cemetery and praying for them. During the first 10 days of November, this could be a plenary indulgence if the conditions are fulfilled (prayers for the Pope's intentions, communion & confession).



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