Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost Proper 16 August 24, 2025 9:30 a.m.

St. Patrick's Episcopal Church
7121 Muirfield Drive
Dublin, Ohio
(614)766-2664
www.pats-dublin.org

Welcome to St. Patrick's. If you are new to our parish or visiting with us, we are so glad you are here. Please sign our guest book in the narthex or fill out a pew card. Thank you for worshipping alongside us. *Questions? Email us at church@pats-dublin.org*

Children at St. Patrick's

We believe children point to the presence of the Holy Spirit during worship. Therefore, kids are welcome throughout the service. During the program year (September-May) we have Children's Chapel for children ages 4 through 5th grade. For younger children, ages 0 to 3 years old, we have nursery available staffed with 2 professional caregivers during this service year around. Please ask the ushers if you need directions to the nursery.

HEARING/VISION IMPAIRED: Wireless hearing devices and large print materials are available. Please check with an usher for assistance in locating these if needed.

- **St. Patrick's Mission Statement:** St. Patrick's joyfully welcomes and includes you in a journey of Christian faith through the grace of the Holy Spirit.
- **St. Patrick's Vision Statement:** St. Patrick's continues to grow as a joyful community of faith. Through worship, friendship, education and outreach, we live a Christ-centered life, caring for each other and our neighbors as ourselves.

Opening Hymn 521 Put forth, O God, thy Spirit's might

The people standing, the Presider says

Blessed are you, holy and living One.

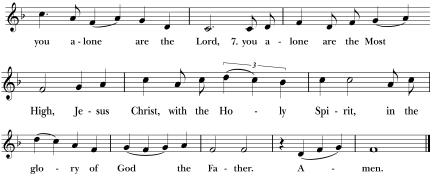
People And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen

The Presider then says,

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Glory to God





Music: Robert Powell (b. 1932), rev. Setting: Copyright © Church Publishing Inc.

The Collect of the Day

Presider The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Presider Let us pray.

Grant, O merciful God, that your Church, being gathered together in unity by your Holy Spirit, may show forth your power among all peoples, to the glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

A reading from the book of Jeremiah 1:4-10

The word of the Lord came to me saying, "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations." Then I said, "Ah, Lord God! Truly I do not know how to speak, for I am only a boy." But the Lord said to me, "Do not say, 'I am only a boy'; for you shall go to all to whom I send you, and you shall speak whatever I command you, Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you to deliver you, says the Lord." Then the Lord put out his hand and touched my mouth; and the Lord said to me, "Now I have put my words in your mouth. See, today I appoint you over nations and over kingdoms, to pluck up and to pull down, to destroy and to overthrow, to build and to plant."

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people. People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 71:1-6

1 In you, O Lord, have I taken refuge; * let me never be ashamed.

2 In your righteousness, deliver me and set me free; * incline your ear to me and save me.

- 3 Be my strong rock, a castle to keep me safe; * you are my crag and my stronghold.
- 4 Deliver me, my God, from the hand of the wicked, * from the clutches of the evildoer and the oppressor.
- 5 For you are my hope, O Lord God, * my confidence since I was young.
- 6 I have been sustained by you ever since I was born; from my mother's womb you have been my strength; * my praise shall be always of you.

A reading from Paul's letter to the Hebrews 12:18-29

You have not come to something that can be touched, a blazing fire, and darkness, and gloom, and a tempest, and the sound of a trumpet, and a voice whose words made the hearers beg that not another word be spoken to them. (For they could not endure the order that was given, "If even an animal touches the mountain, it shall be stoned to death." Indeed, so terrifying was the sight that Moses said, "I tremble with fear.") But you have come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to innumerable angels in festal gathering, and to the assembly of the firstborn who are enrolled in heaven, and to God the judge of all, and to the spirits of the righteous made perfect, and to Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel.

See that you do not refuse the one who is speaking; for if they did not escape when they refused the one who warned them on earth, how much less will we escape if we reject the one who warns from heaven! At that time his voice shook the earth; but now he has promised, "Yet once more I will shake not only the earth but also the heaven." This phrase, "Yet once more," indicates the removal of what is shaken-- that is, created things-- so that what cannot be shaken may remain. Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, let us give thanks, by which we offer to God an acceptable worship with reverence and awe; for indeed our God is a consuming fire.

The Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn 523, vs. 1, 4 Glorious things of thee are spoken

The Gospel Luke 13:10-17 (All stand.)

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Now Jesus was teaching in one of the synagogues on the sabbath. And just then there appeared a woman with a spirit that had crippled her for eighteen years. She was bent over and was quite unable to stand up straight. When Jesus saw her, he called her over and said, "Woman, you are set free from your ailment." When he laid his hands on her, immediately she stood up straight and began praising God. But the leader of the synagogue, indignant because Jesus had cured on the sabbath, kept saying to the crowd, "There are six days on which work ought to be done; come on those days and be cured, and not on the sabbath day." But the Lord answered him and said, "You hypocrites! Does not each of you on the sabbath untie his ox or his donkey from the manger, and lead it away to give it water? And ought not this woman, a daughter of Abraham whom Satan bound for eighteen long years, be set free from this bondage on the sabbath day?" When he said this, all his opponents were put to shame; and the entire crowd was rejoicing at all the wonderful things that he was doing.

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon

The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven. was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;

he ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father.

who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the People, Form III

The Leader and People pray responsively.

Father, we pray for your holy catholic church and in our diocesan cycle of prayer today we especially pray for Christ Church, Ironton. *That we all may be one.*

Grant that every member of the church may truly and humbly serve you;

That your Name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests and deacons;

That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacrament.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake; *That our works may find favor in your sight.*

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble; *That they may be delivered from their distress.*

Give to all the departed eternal rest, especially... *Let light perpetual shine upon them.*

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy; May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others, especially... who are celebrating birthdays or anniversaries this week.

Silence (during the silence the people may add their own petitions)

The Presider adds a concluding collect.

Confession

Deacon or Presider

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Presider and People

Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Absolution

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. *Amen*.

The Peace

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

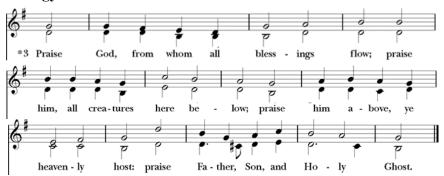
The Ministers and People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

Announcements

The Offertory Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing arr. Craig Courtney Alex and Becci Bell, soloists

The people's gifts of bread and wine, along with the collection, are brought to the Altar. (Please stand.)

Doxology



The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer B

Expansive-language version, for trial use.

PresiderGod be with you.PeopleAnd also with you.PresiderLift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People It is right to give God thanks and praise.

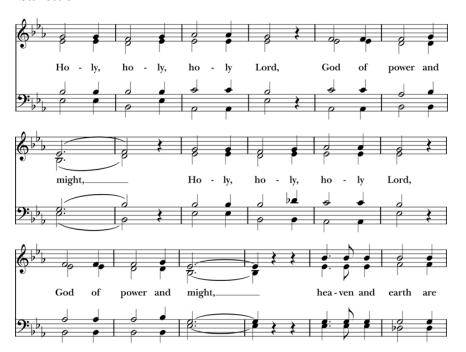
Presider

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Almighty God, Creator of heaven and earth.

For by water and the Holy Spirit you have made us a new people in Jesus Christ our Lord, to show forth your glory in all the world.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus





Music: From *Deutsche Messe*, Franz Peter Schubert (1797-1828); arr. Richard Proulx (b. 1937). Copyright © 1985 GIA Publications, Inc.

Presider

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in Jesus Christ, the Word made flesh. For in these last days you sent Jesus to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In Christ, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In Christ, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Savior Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper Jesus took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

People

We remember Christ's death, We proclaim Christ's resurrection, We await Christ's coming in glory;

Presider

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Savior of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine. We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant.

Unite us in the sacrifice of Jesus Christ, through whom we are acceptable to you, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your children; through Jesus Christ our Savior, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation. By Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty God, now and forever. *Amen.*

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

People and Presider

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins,
as we forgive those
who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and for ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. Silence may be kept.

Fraction Hymn





Music: From Deutsche Messe; Franz Peter Schubert (1797-1828); arr. Richard Proulx (b. 1937). Adaptation: Copyright © 1985 GIA Publications, Inc.

The Invitation

Facing the people, the Celebrant says the following Invitation

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

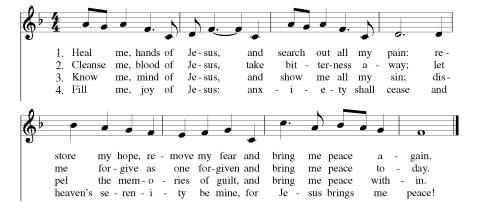
All persons are invited to the Altar.

If you choose to receive communion,

you may do so in one of the following ways:

- Consume the bread first and then sip from the cup.
- Intinction is strongly discouraged however if you choose to intinct, please simply leave the wafer in your hands.
- The chalice bearer will dip the wafer, then hand it back to you.
- Communion in one kind, or both, is acceptable.
- If you prefer to not receive the wine, you may proceed to your seat after receiving the bread.
- If you would like to receive a blessing only, please cross your hands over your chest as a signal to the ministers.
- If you want a gluten free wafer, please place your palms down when you approach the ministers.

Communion Hymn WLP 773 Heal me, hands of Jesus



Post Communion Prayer

After Communion, the Presider says

Let us pray.

Presider and People

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Eucharistic Visitor Sending (If needed.)

Presider

We send you out in the Name of God to those who can't be here today bearing the body of Christ so they may be the body of Christ. *People* Thanks be to God.

The Blessing

Closing Hymn 493 O for a thousand tongues to sing

Dismissal

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. People Thanks be to God.

Postlude

To God On High Be Praise

Zachau/Vetter

Thank you for worshipping with us this morning! We invite you to continue your Sunday morning experience in the Parish Hall, by joining us for our Ministry Fair!

Ministry Fair + Sunday, August 24th after both services! Join us as we showcase all our ministry and small group offerings at St. Patrick's and for possible prizes! Come to the parish hall after the morning services to learn more. Plan to stay after the 9:30am Service for Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Popcorn and a Photobooth! Come and learn more about St. Pat's! All are welcome!

The **United Thank Offering (UTO)** is a ministry of The Episcopal Church for the mission of the whole church. Through UTO, individuals are invited to embrace and deepen a personal daily spiritual discipline of gratitude. UTO encourages people to notice the good things that happen each day, give thanks to God for those blessings and make an offering for each blessing using a **UTO Blue Box**. Pick up one, or more, blue boxes today! We will collect them on Sundays through Sept 7th!

Kairos Cookies: A gift of hope for a place with little hope. It is hard for me to express the gratitude of the men inside as they receive gifts of cookies made in the special way you have over the years. It is again an opportunity to share those gifts with the men. Cookies, one dozen per bag, can be dropped off at the church between now and September 7th for delivery to the prison. Any kind of cookie will be warmly received. Thank you for your going inside through these gifts. *Bill Fairweather*

Retreat in Daily Life: The 19th Annotation of the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola. Registration is open for the September 2025-April 2026 season. For over 450 years the *Spiritual Exercises* have served as a model for spiritual growth, moving people towards a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ. It is intended to open the retreatant to the lively and life-giving experience of God's tremendous love. The *Retreat in Daily Life* will have weekly individual spiritual direction sessions for about thirty weeks, and daily prayers, readings, and journaling practices. Please speak with Kimberly Nelson or email her at kimberly.j.nelson@gmail.com if you are interested.

Way of Love Dinners: The Parables of Jesus
Wednesday, September 3rd + Parish Hall + 6:30–8:00 p.m.
Join us for an evening of fellowship, food, and spiritual growth as we kick off our program year with a study of the Parables of Jesus.
Dinner is provided starting at 6:30 p.m. Engaging discussion and reflection to follow. Come hungry for both good food and deeper understanding. We can't wait to see you there!
Use the QR code to register for your spot with us! If you

aren't too tech savvy, there is a paper sign-up sheet in the narthex. All are welcome—bring a friend or neighbor!

Program Year Kick-off + Sunday, September 7th

St. Patrick's will kick off the Program Year on Sunday, September 7th with a full schedule of Sunday services at 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., and 4:00 p.m. The 9:30 a.m. service will include the return of Children's Chapel, offering a special worship experience for our youngest members. We invite everyone to join us as we begin a new season of worship, learning, and community. For more details about upcoming events and opportunities to get involved, please visit our website or follow us on Facebook. All are welcome!

Children's Chapel Returns + Sunday, September 7th We hope everyone has had a wonderful Summer! We can't wait to welcome everyone back to Children's Chapel beginning Sunday, September 7th during the 9:30 service. As a reminder, come directly to the children's chapel room • when you arrive for a lesson, craft, and fun with friends then we will return to the service for communion. Children's chapel is open to our pre-K and elementary aged kiddos. We will host a welcome/kickoff immediately following the service on September 7th in the Parish Hall by the stage. We will answer any questions you may have about Children's Chapel and share information for interested parent/youth volunteers! Children's Chapel is possible thanks to our volunteers! To volunteer this year, use the QR code. Or email Jessica Randolph (Jessica.L.Chambers@gmail.com). Volunteers help welcome the kids, guide crafts and discussions and share our love for Jesus! We need one adult each week, but also welcome rising youth volunteers.

Acolyte Training + Sunday, September 7th

We are looking for youth entering 5th through 12th grade and adults to help assist our worship services as a Torchbearer or Crucifer. If you are currently serving in one of these roles and would like a refresher or to "train up" to the next position, please join us on **Sunday, September 7th at 11am** in the sanctuary. If you have never been an acolyte and would like to try it out, please join us as well. Many volunteers make for a full roster of help for the fall. See Matt Lewis for more info!

Organ Concert at St. Patrick's + Sunday, September 7 at 6:00 p.m. As part of our 25th Anniversary celebration, St. Patrick's is delighted to host a special organ concert. Join us for an evening of beautiful music featuring Jennifer Bell and guest organist Jeff McConnaughey. The program will include a selection of their personal favorites, ranging from contemporary hymn-based compositions to works of J. S. Bach.

Dublin Food Pantry Drop items in the wagon in the breezeway of the church. The most needed items are: Jelly, Oatmeal, Ramen, Pancake Syrup, Cereal, Canned Fruit, Rice/Potato Side Dishes Pancake mix (regular size), Cooking Oil (regular size) and Condensed soup (not ready to eat). Or, you can contribute online www.dublinfoodpantry.org.

Welcome Class + Sunday, September 14th

The Newcomers Ministry Team invites those interested in learning more about *everything St. Patrick's* to join us in the Sanctuary following the 9:30 a.m. worship service on Sunday, September 14th. During this time we will share about the culture, ministry and missions of this special place! Bring your questions for us, too! All are welcome!



Blessing of the Animals + Sunday, September 28th

Bring your furry, or not so furry, animal friends to 4:00 p.m. worship to receive a blessing in honor of St. Francis of Assisi, patron saint and protector of the environment, especially animals. All are welcome!

Habitat for Humanity volunteer opportunities: Attention all Habitat enthusiasts! I have requested two Saturday build day for St. Patrick's volunteers: October 11 and November 8. To hold the dates we need 6 volunteers. And I checked to be sure OSU isn't playing those days! We will work from 8am – 3pm at the house located at 1152 Minnesota Ave. in the North Linden neighborhood. Please contact Brenda Eddy, bkleddy1@gmail.com, to sign up, so we can hold these dates.



Arts & Crafts Market + Nov. 7 & 8, 2025

Calling all creative parishioners: We invite you to participate in this fall's Arts & Crafts Market on Friday and Saturday, November 7 & 8 in the parish hall. We still need people willing to donate their creations (Donors), sell their

creations (Vendors), and volunteers to help this event go smoothly. We will have more info at the Parish Ministry Fair on August 24. **Please consider sharing your artistic gifts with our parish and neighborhood community.** We'd also like it if you'd help spread the word! Please contact: Julie Myers (juliemyers14@aol.com) Becky Stains (beckystains421@gmail.com) or John Mascazine (twineducation@yahoo.com). Use the QR code for more information.

On the Calendar:

TODAY Sunday, August 24

8:00 AM Holy Eucharist

9:00 AM Ministry Fair

9:30 AM Holy Eucharist

10:30 AM Ministry Fair

(4 pm Worship on Hiatus until Sept. 7)

Monday, August 25

6:00 PM AA Meeting

Tuesday, August 26

7:00 AM Men's Group 11:30 AM Dublin Area Clergy

Wednesday, August 27

10:00 AM Weds. Men's Group 10:00 AM St. Arbuck's 10:00 AM Staff Meeting 10:30 AM Spiritual Direction 12:00 PM Holy Eucharist

Thursday, August 28

10:00 AM LITDS

10:00 AM Purls of Wisdom

Today's Ministry Team:

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

Presider: The Rev. Dr. Jason Emerson Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Jason Emerson Deacon: The Rev. Vahagn Azizyan Readers: Tim Carty, Margaret Robinson

9:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist

Presider: The Rev. Catherine Duffy Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Jason Emerson Deacon: The Rev. Vahagn Azizyan Music Director: Jennifer Bell Lay Reader: Stephen Norris

Lectors: Susan Jones, Amy Collins

Crucifer: Evelina O'Neill

Acolytes: Abby Dufort, Lila Dufort Ushers: Jim Bratton, Peter O'Neill

Tom Jones, Steve Pearson

Greeters: Hal & Mary Bradley **Coffee Hour:** Erin Zelinski-Righter,

Ross Righter, Denise & Kevin Haney

LEV: Susan Jones, Brenda Eddy **Altar Guild:** Vicki Guinther,

Suzanne Holliday & Sandy Wilson Counters: Amy Collins, Lisa Mayo Hospitality Table: Lissa & Roy Barker

Birthdays & Anniversaries in the Parish this Week!

Birthdays this Week

Kathryn Allen Conley Emory Richard Gehman Kati Glover Everett Hoseus

Anniversaries this Week

Hal & Mary Bradley Wolf & Susan Lant

For pastoral emergencies, please call Father Jason at (402) 657-0867