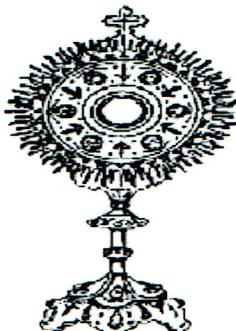


# St. Patrick Roman Catholic Church

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## Parish Staff

### **Pastor – Ext 114**

*Rev. John DeLorenzo*

### **Parish Secretary – Ext 111**

*Joyce Dragone*

*jdragone@syrdio.org*

### **Director of Music Ministry**

*(Open)*

### **Trustees**

*Ken Scott*

*Marie Heck*

### **Cemetery Sexton**

*Allen O'Neil*

### **Finance Committee**

*Ken Scott*

### **Historian**

*Dorothy Benedict*

### **Pastoral Ministries Council**

*Ken Scott*

### **Food Pantry – Ext 115**

*Joan Scott*

### **Religious Education**

### **DRE & RCIA – Ext 113**

*Mary Badger*

### **Baptism**

*Joan Scott*

### **Confirmation**

*(Open)*

### **Marriage Preparation**

*Ken & Joan Scott*

*Please contact the Parish Office for all Sacraments.*

## Weekend Mass Schedules in our Area

### St. Francis, Marcellus

673-2531

Confessions Saturday 3:30-4pm

Saturday – 4:30pm

Sunday – 8:30 & 10:45am

### St. Mary, Skaneateles

685-5083

Confessions Saturday 3:30-4pm

Saturday – 4:30pm

Sunday – 8 & 10:15am

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

### **At St. Patrick Church**

Saturday – 4-4:30pm

Other times by appointment

## Parish Office Hours

The Parish Office will be open and available  
Monday thru Wednesday from 8:30am to 2:30pm.

All parish business should be conducted during  
those hours. Thank you.

## **Mission Statement**

The mission of St. Patrick's Parish is to continually offer in the Roman Catholic Tradition the hope of salvation by living the Gospel Truths. To accomplish our mission, we dedicate ourselves to strengthening individual, family and community life through prayer, worship, education and service.

## MASS INTENTIONS

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 14**

*St. Cyril, Monk; and  
Methodius, Bishop*

5:00pm Dan Laing –  
Dan & Brenda Barbaglia

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 15**

*Sixth Sunday in  
Ordinary Time*

8:00am Linda Burton –  
Joanne Rowan  
10:00am Kathleen Sluzar –  
Altar & Rosary Society

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16**

*Presidents Day*

9:00am Margaret Smolenski –  
Dick & Judy Strauss

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17**

*The Seven Holy Founders of the  
Servite Order*

9:00am Jack O'Neil –  
Tom & Donna LaPrairie

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18**

*Ash Wednesday*

9:00am Alan Badger –  
The Dristle Family  
5:30pm Penny Barber –  
Dick & Judy Strauss

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19**

*Thursday after Ash Wednesday*

NO MASS

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20**

*Friday after Ash Wednesday*

NO MASS

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21**

*Saturday after Ash Wednesday  
St. Peter Damian, Bishop and  
Doctor of the Church*

5:00pm Maureen Hanley &  
Theresa Sanders –  
Kayley Brim

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 22**

*First Sunday of Lent*

8:00am Angela DeLorenzo  
(Birthday) – Family  
10:00am Pearl Simmons –  
Marcia Crim

*In your kindness, please pray for  
all deceased members  
of our Parish Family*

**Please pray for the safe return of our  
soldiers who are stationed in areas of  
harm. Our hope is that they, as well as all  
our other young men and women, return  
home safely, and soon.**

*\*Marcus Bolen\**

*\*Jennifer Gillian\* \*Jason Green\**

*\*Stephen Paul\**

*The Month of February  
is devoted to  
The Holy Family*



**Liturgies – Feb. 7 & 8**

Budget.....\$4,500  
Collection .....\$2,872  
Deficit/Surplus.....\$- 1,628

**Readings – Feb. 8 - 15**

Sun. Sir 15:15-20 / 1 Cor 2:6-10 / Mt  
5:17-37  
Mon. Jas 1:1-11 / Mk 8:11-13  
Tues. Jas 1:12-18 / Mk 8:14-21  
Wed. Jl 2:12-18 / Mt a6:1-6, 16-18  
Thur. Dt 30:15-20 / Lk 9:22-25  
Fri. Is 58:1-9a / Mt 9:14-15  
Sat. Is 58:9b-14 / Lk 5:27-32  
Sun. Gn 2:7-9, 3:1-7 / Rom 5:12-19

**You may request to light the Infant of Prague Candle or the Sanctuary Candle by calling the Parish Office. Each candle burns for 2 weeks. Donation \$10.00. OR Flowers for the Altar.** The donation is \$30.00 per week.

*The Infant of Prague Candle  
Burns for  
Ellen McNeill  
Given by the Brim Family*

**THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**

**Saturday, Feb. 14**

4:00pm – Confessions

**Sunday, Feb. 15- Coffee Hour**

**Monday, Feb. 16**

**Tuesday, Feb. 17**

9:45am – Bible Study – Center

10:00am to 3:00pm – Adoration - Chapel

7:00pm - AA Mtg – Center

**Wednesday, Feb. 18**

**Thursday, Feb. 19**

6:00pm – Food Pantry – JUMC

**Friday, Feb. 20**

6:00am to 6:00pm – Adoration – Chapel

**Saturday, Feb. 21**

4:00 – Confessions

**Sunday – Feb. 22 - Coffee Hour**

10:45 – Religious Education – Center

**WINTER WEATHER REMINDER**

For your safety, please be reminded that if the Jordan-Elbridge Schools are delayed or closed, DAILY Mass will be cancelled. Please listen to your favorite weather source for this information.

## FOOD PANTRY

The pantry is stocked quite well from donations in December. Thank you! The only items needed now are canned fruit, chunky soups, canned pasta meals, tuna fish, spaghetti (1 lb. or 2 lb. box), rice, and toilet paper.



## PRAYER REQUESTS

Peter Ilacqua, Dorothy Benedict, Jared Skellington, Debbie Marrero, Dawn Maldonado, Maddie Maldonado Michele McDonald, Kathy S., Michael Kelly, James Mapley, Rick Mazzone, James Emley, Bronwyn Roberts, Mary Ann Whitton, Mick McCusker, Lori Heath, Marijane Milton, John Michael O'Connor IV, Richard Ranieri, Diana Ware, Georgianna Speck, Lynn Dwyer, William J. Smart, Kevin Brown, Eileen Derevenko, Christopher Metelsky, Matthew Metelsky, William Scullion, Martha (Badger) Markey, Michelle Waterman, Marty Toomey, John Netti, Wilma Moore, Ian Phillips, William Cheney, Nico Petrocci, Ken & Doreen Maute, Vivian Wilson, Lynn Smith, Kathryn Brown, Reese Hathaway, Bailey Higgins, Jane Maitland, Marianne Strauss. (*Prayer Shawls are available upon request.*)

## Lector & Communion Minister

February 14-15

5p P. Shinal & D. Barber  
8a Di. Rynkiewicz & B. Dristle  
10a R. Henderson & L. Flanigan

February 18 (Ash Wednesday)

9a D. Strauss & A. Speck  
5:30p D. Barber & B. Dristle

February 21-22

5p P. Shinal & J. Ketterer  
8a Di. Rynkiewicz & S. McDonald  
10a R. Henderson & L. Flanigan

## NOTE:

*Sign-up sheet for Palm Sunday & the Paschal Triduum (excluding Easter Sunday) will be in the sacristy from February 21-March 1.*

## LENT BEGINS THIS WEEK

The holy season of Lent begins this week on **Ash Wednesday**, February 18, 2026. Masses will be at **9 am and 5:30 pm** in the church. May the ashes we receive show our willingness to turn away from sin and seek greater fidelity to Jesus and the Gospel.

## PRAYER ON ASH WEDNESDAY

May this cross of ash so light, so easily borne, remind us of the harsher burden You carried on Calvary. May this mark, easily washed away, remind us of those scars You bear to this day. Each day this Lent, as we struggle to submit our will to You, remind us of Your perfect obedience, even to death on the cross. May Your example be the light that shines on the path of this Lenten journey.

## LENTEN REGULATIONS

Ash Wednesday, February 18 marks the beginning of the Season of Lent.

**ABSTINENCE:** All Catholics who have reached their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday are bound to abstain totally from meat on the following days: Ash Wednesday, all Fridays of Lent and Good Friday.

**FASTING:** All Catholics between their 18<sup>th</sup> and 59<sup>th</sup> birthday are also bound to observe the Laws of Fast on the following days: Ash Wednesday, and Good Friday. Light sustenance may be taken on two other occasions in the course of the day.

## LENTEN EVENING OF REFLECTION

On Monday, February 23 from 7-8:00 pm in the church, Fr. Paul Angelicchio will offer an evening reflection for Lent entitled, "In the Presence of the Lord." Please mark your calendars and plan to be with us as we spiritually enter this holy season.

## START LENT WITH A CLEAN HEART

This Lent as we step onto the blessed 40 day path, let us each examine our hearts, rooting out the sins of selfishness, apathy and discord which fill so many lives. Let us sweep out the evil that we find within and clean the temple of our hearts, preparing for Jesus' great sacrifice at Easter. May this space of purity, this clean beginning allow godliness and virtue to flourish. As St. John Eudes said: "Let us therefore give ourselves to God with a great desire to begin to live thus and beg Him to destroy in us the life of the world of sin, and to establish His life within us." May this be our Lenten prayer.



**The Adoration Chapel in  
the Parish Center  
at St. Patrick Church is  
open Tuesdays (10am to 3pm)  
& Fridays (6am to 6 pm)**

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

During Lent, Stations of the Cross will be prayed on **Friday evenings at 6 pm** beginning February 20. Altar servers are asked to arrive in the sacristy by 5:45pm. Additionally, Stations will be prayed on **Good Friday, April 3 at 12 noon**. Let us come together to meditate on our Lord's Passion and death with our families in this powerful devotion.

## THE CHAIR OF ST. PETER THE APOSTLE

"One man, Peter, was chosen out from the whole world to preside over the calling of all nations, over all the apostles and all the fathers of the Church. So, although in the people of God there are many priests and many pastors, Peter was to rule by his own authority over all, and over them also Christ is the principal ruler. Brethren, by this appointment, God conferred on this man a great and wonderful share in his power, and where he willed that the rest of the leaders of the Church should have a gift like Peter's, it was only through Peter that he gave whatever he did not refuse to others."

- Pope St. Leo the Great

This feast is celebrated on February 22.

## YEAR END DONATIONS

As the New Year approaches, please consider a donation of stock or cash to St. Patrick's Church. By gifting appreciated stock or cash to a charitable organization you can avoid paying capital gains. Please remember your parish in your year-end tax planning. If you are interested in making a donation of stock or cash, please contact Ken Scott at 673-1722. Please consult your tax advisor on the benefits of year-end donations. Tax time will soon be upon us. If you would like a tax statement, please contact the parish office.

## LeMoyne College Scholarship

Applications can be picked up in the sacristy. Deadline for submission is February 23, 2026.

## REMINDER: SAFE ENVIRONMENT

**TRAINING** is now required for all liturgical ministers. Initial training is for those who have never attended the Diocesan program, and Recertification is for those who have been trained but certification has lapsed. Both are being offered at St. Joseph Church in Camillus. **Initial training:** **Monday**, February 16, 5:30 to 7:30pm; and **Recertification Tuesday**, February 17, 5:30 to 7:30pm. Registration is required at: [syracusediocese.org](http://syracusediocese.org). (Under "Ministries" select "Safe Environment" for dates, places and registration, OR call 315-470-1421). **SEE BULLETIN BOARD FOR "TRAIN BY" DATES.**

## BIBLE STUDY

Bible study takes place on Tuesdays at 9:45am in the Parish Center. We are using various resources. All are welcome!

## IN-HOME BOOK GROUP

In-home book group began Thursday, January 22 and meets from 1pm to 3:30pm. Book available is "The Holy Name of Jesus". Phone 315-253-8969.

## FAITH FORMATION

The Faith Formation Program for parents and children (grades Pre-K through 12) meets in the Parish Center following the 10am Sunday Mass from 10:45 to 12:15pm. New families are always welcome. Contact Mary Badger at 315-689-6240, ext. 113. Please consider joining us. Call 315-689-6240 x 113 for details. Next classes: February 22, and March 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29.

## RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY

Our parish Respect Life Group meets in the Adoration Chapel every Tuesday at 3pm to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet. Weather permitting, we also hold pro-life signs at various locations locally. Promoting the truth about the precious God-given gift of life from conception to natural death is an essential mission for all Christians.

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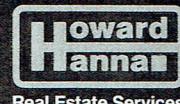
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## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Meetings: 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. For information, please contact Rocco Lupo, Grand Knight, at (315) 237-9228.

**HOMEBOUND?** Legion of Mary can help with spiritual needs. Call 315-689-9386 for information.

**NOTE: Legion of Mary will not meet: February 10, 17, 24, March 3.**

**SANDWICH MINISTRY**  
Betty Ryan – 315-922-3125.

## THE WISDOM OF FULTON SHEEN



"God has given different gifts for different people. There is no basis for feeling inferior to another who has a different gift. Once it is realized that we shall be judged by the gift we have received, rather than the gift we have not, one is completely delivered from a false sense of inferiority."

## CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

If you wish a contribution statement of your church donations for 2025 taxes, please contact Joyce at the parish office at 689-6240, EXT. 111.

## ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY

As Catholic women, we are strengthened when we gather in faith, lifting one another in prayer, friendship, and shared purpose. Your presence truly enriches our fellowship and deepens our devotion.

We will be collecting items for the Jordan Elbridge High School **Comfort Care Closet**. The items needed for teens are:

Clear deodorant, shampoo, conditioner, chapstick, black or white ankle socks, thin sanitary napkins, black elastic hair ties, snacks such as fruit gummies and granola bars.

If you are able to contribute, there will be a box in the front vestibule January 31–February 17, 2026. Please contact **Heather Dristle** at 315-413-1459 with any questions.

Looking ahead, please stay tuned for our **Saint Patrick's Celebration**, co-hosted by the Knights of Columbus and Altar & Rosary. If you have musical talent and would like to share your gifts by playing an instrument at this joyful March celebration, we would love to hear from you. Together, let us continue to support, encourage, and inspire one another in Christ.

With Christian love,  
Darcy Barber  
315-283-2084

## CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE

The 2026 Ignite Catholic Men's Conference will take place on Saturday, March 21<sup>st</sup> at Bishop Ludden-Grimes Jr/Sr High School, 9am to 3:30pm. "Inspiring men, by the Gifts and Fruits of the Holy Spirit, to IGNITE their Catholic faith in everyday life.". Featured speakers will be Fr. Larry Richards and Brandon Powell.

**For information and registration:**  
[www.ignitecatholicmen.org](http://www.ignitecatholicmen.org)

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