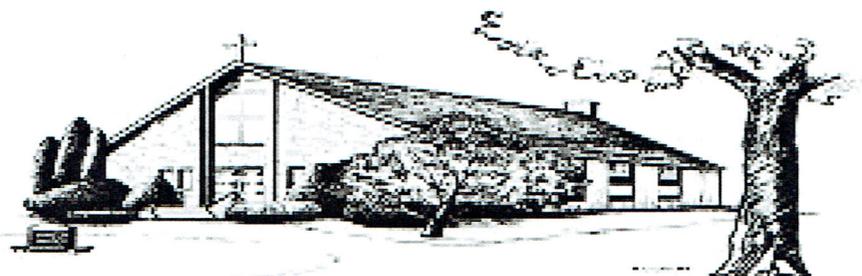


# St. Patrick Roman Catholic Church

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*Dorothy Benedict*

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*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

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## **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.

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## **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.

**APRIL 5, 2026**

## MASS INTENTIONS

### **SATURDAY, APRIL 4**

#### *Holy Saturday*

Blessing of Food – 12pm

8:00pm Easter Vigil Mass -

For the People of St. Patrick

### **SUNDAY, APRIL 5**

#### *Easter Sunday of the*

#### *Resurrection of the Lord*

8:00am For the People of St. Patrick

10:00am For the People of St. Patrick

### **MONDAY, APRIL 6**

#### *Monday within the Octave of Easter*

9:00am All Souls

### **TUESDAY, APRIL 7**

#### *Tuesday within the Octave of Easter*

9:00am Martha Cutler –

Tom Brennan

### **WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8**

#### *Wednesday within the Octave of Easter*

9:00am Rose Fedrizzi –

Marijane & Doug Milton

### **THURSDAY, APRIL 9**

#### *Thursday within the Octave of Easter*

### **FRIDAY, APRIL 10**

#### *Friday within the Octave of Easter*

### **SATURDAY, APRIL 11**

#### *Saturday within the Octave of Easter*

5:00pm Patrick McNeill –

Wednesday Morning Group

### **SUNDAY, APRIL 12**

#### *Divine Mercy Sunday*

#### *Second Sunday of Easter*

8:00am Louis Mrzywka –

Keith & Elise

10:00am John Palencar –

Mary Ann Whitton

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

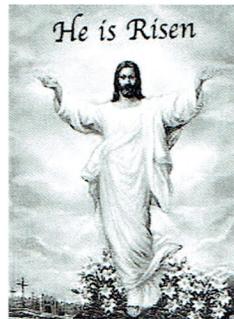
**Please pray** for the safe return of our soldiers who are stationed in areas of harm. Our hope is that they, as well as all our other young men and women, return home safely, and soon.

*\*Marcus Bolen\**

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

*\*Stephen Paul\**

HE IS RISEN  
*alleluia*



### Readings – April 5 - 12

Sun. Acts 10:34a, 37-43/ Col 3:1-4 /  
Jn 20:1-9

Mon. Acts 2:13, 22-33 / Mt 28:8-15

Tues. Acts 2:36-41 / Jn 20:11-18

Wed. Acts 3:1-10 / Lk 24:13-35

Thur. Acts 3:11-26 / Lk 24:35-48

Fri. Acts 4:1-12 / Jn 21:1-14

Sat. Acts 4:13-21 / Mk 16:9-15

Sun. Acts 2:42-47 / 1 Pt. 1:3-9 /  
Jn 20:19-31

### Liturgies – March 28 & 29

Budget.....\$4,500

Collection .....\$3,794

Deficit/Surplus.....\$ -706

**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.

### THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

#### **Saturday, April 4**

4:00pm – Confessions

**Sunday – April 5-** Coffee Hour

#### **Monday, April 6**

#### **Tuesday, April 7**

9:45am – Bible Study – Center

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

9:45am – Legion of Mary Mtg. - Center

7:00pm - AA Mtg – Center

#### **Wednesday, April 8**

7:00pm – K of C Mtg. - Center

#### **Thursday, April 9**

6:00pm – Food Pantry – JUMC

#### **Friday, April 10**

6:00am to 6:00pm – Adoration - Chapel

#### **Saturday, April 11**

4:00pm – Confessions

6:30pm – Chowderfest – JE Comm. Center

#### **Sunday, April 12 -** Coffee Hour

## FOOD PANTRY:

Thank you to all who donated food, money, and time to the pantry during the Easter season. Forty-eight families received Easter food on Monday. May you all be blessed for your generosity!



## PRAYER REQUESTS

Michelle Deemer, Lyman Cornell, Frank D, Evelyn Valentine, Peter Ilacqua, Dorothy Benedict, Jared Skellington, Debbie Marrero, Dawn Maldonado, Maddie Maldonado, 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, 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

#### April 4 (Easter Vigil)

**Reader I(1), II(3), III(5), Lector & Communion Minister:**

8:00p D. LaPrairie, D. Zingaro, R. Dygert, P. Shinal & L. Flanigan

#### April 5 (Easter Sunday)

8a Da. Rynkiewicz & A. Speck  
10a R. Dygert & K. Scott

#### April 11-12

5p D. Zingaro & P. Shinal  
8a Da. Rynkiewicz & A. Speck  
10a R. Henderson & M. Heck

#### April 18-19

5p P. Shinal & J. Ketterer  
8a Da. Rynkiewicz & A. Speck  
10a R. Henderson & K. Scott

## EASTER 2026

“Death has been swallowed up in victory. Where, O death is your victory? Where, O death is your sting?” (1 Cor. 15: 54-55) Jesus Christ has risen today, Alleluia! Death has no power over us, Alleluia! Jesus Christ the risen One means that guilt, loneliness, hunger, poverty, war and devastation no longer have the last word. Death and all its symptoms in our lives are not the final reality anymore. Jesus was dead in the tomb and is alive again. So, Jesus doesn't leave us alone with life's challenges. He is with us, guiding, leading, and loving us. He helps us step apart, to become holy and whole as His beloved children. Today we rejoice that death could not hold him. “They saw the cloths lying there...and they believed!” Let us rejoice and be glad, for our Lord has conquered death, He is truly risen, and we have been saved! Alleluia!

### MARIAN PRAYER FOR THE EASTER SEASON

V. Queen of Heaven, rejoice, Alleluia.

R. For He whom you were worthy to bear, Alleluia.

V. Has risen as he foretold, Alleluia.

R. Pray God for us, Alleluia.

V. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, Alleluia.

R. For the Lord has indeed risen, Alleluia.

Let us pray. God our Father, you give joy to the world by the resurrection of your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ.

Through the prayers of his Mother, the Virgin Mary, bring us to the happiness of eternal life. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

### THE LEGEND OF THE DOGWOOD

At the time of the crucifixion, the dogwood had reached the size of the oak. So strong and firm was the wood, that it was the wood chosen as the timber for the cross. To be used for such a cruel purpose greatly distressed the tree. While nailed upon it, Jesus sensed this, and in His compassion said, “Because of your pity for my suffering, never again shall the dogwood tree grow large enough to be used for a cross. Henceforth, it shall be slender, bent, and twisted, and its blossoms shall be in the form of a cross – two long and two short pedals. In the center of the outer edge of each petal will be nail prints. In the center of the flower, stained with blood, will be a crown of thorns, so that all who see it will remember.



We joyfully welcome into the fullness of our Catholic Faith

**Sophia Rinaldo**

**Sheila Hierholzer**

who received all three Sacraments of Initiation at the Vigil Service on Holy Saturday!

Please pray for

**Grace Rusyniak**

**Kathleen Ferrare**

who will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation on April 12 from Bishop Lucia at St. Joseph Church in Camillus.

### PRAYER FOR EASTER

‘Tis the spring of souls today;

Christ has burst his prison,

And from three days' sleep in death as a sun hath risen;

All the winter of our sins, long and dark, is flying

From his light, to whom we give laud and praise undying.

“Alleluia!” now we cry to our king immortal,

Who, triumphant, burst the bars of the tomb's dark portal;

“Alleluia!” with the Son, God the Father praising,

“Alleluia!” yet again to the Spirit raising.

*St. John Damascene*

### CHOWDERFEST – Saturday 4/11

(See back page)

### THE EASTER EGG

One day a poor peddler went to the marketplace to sell a basket of eggs. He came upon a crowd mocking a man who staggered with a heavy cross on which he was about to be crucified. The peddler ran to his aid leaving the basket by the roadside. When he returned, he found the eggs transformed into exquisite designs of bright colors. The man was Christ, the peddler Simon. And the eggs were to become the symbol of rebirth for all mankind. *A Ukrainian Folk Tale*

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

## DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

April 12th



**2:00pm-** Presentation on St. Faustina and the history of the feast

**2:30pm-** Devotions and veneration of the Image of the Divine Mercy.

**3:30pm** (close)

**Our Lord promises, on the Feast of Divine Mercy**, complete forgiveness of sins and of the punishment for sins will be granted. “The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment.” (Diary of Faustina #699).

**The conditions for receiving these extraordinary graces are:**

1. Confession within 20 days before or after the Feast.
2. Receive Holy Communion on the Feast Day or the day before or after.
3. Pray for the intentions of the Holy Father.
4. Take part in prayers and devotions held in honor of Divine Mercy, especially the Chaplet of Divine Mercy.

### 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 10:45am 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: April 19, & 26; May 3, 10, & 17.

### BIBLE STUDY

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

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## KEEP THOSE BANNERS FLYING!



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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.

### CHOWDERFEST – APR. 11

Be part of something special with  
the Knights of Columbus,  
Monsignor Meaney Council 9042,  
at our Annual Chowderfest! Join  
us on Saturday, April 11, at 6:30  
p.m. at the Jordan-Elbridge Com-  
munity Center, 1 Route 31,  
Jordan, NY. Tickets are only \$10  
each. Every ticket directly  
supports our seminarians and  
provides three vital scholarships.  
Bring your family and friends for  
an evening of delicious chowder,  
lively fun, and exciting games of  
chance. Your presence makes a  
difference—let's make this our  
best Chowderfest yet! We look  
forward to celebrating with you.

### SANDWICH MINISTRY

Betty Ryan – 315-922-3125

**REMINDER:**  
**SAFE ENVIRONMENT  
TRAINING** is now required for  
all liturgical ministers. Initial  
training is required for those who  
have never attended the Diocesan  
program, and Recertification is  
required for those who have been  
trained but certification has  
lapsed. 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.**

Today is a great day for the people  
of God, and a very bad day for the  
Forces of Evil. Some of you may  
have read C. S. Lewis' book,  
"Screwtape Letters." It is the story  
of a senior devil who writes to his  
nephew, a junior devil who has  
been sent to earth to harass  
Christians. One of Screwtape's  
pieces of advice is, "Never let  
those Christians see the banners  
flying." By this he meant the  
resurrection banners. In some  
ancient resurrection paintings,  
Christ is seen holding a banner as  
a sign of the victory. **Today is the  
day for flying banners. It is the  
celebration day for the  
Christian Community. God has  
raised Jesus Christ from the  
dead.**

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

### ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY

Thank you to all of the Easter  
bakers, volunteers, and supporters.  
We had our best event ever!

Our **next meeting is Monday,  
April 13, 2026** at 6:00. Bring your  
ideas for next year's calendar!  
Together, let us continue to  
support, en-courage, and inspire  
one another in Christ.

### IN-HOME BOOK GROUP

In-home book group meets  
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Book available is "The Holy Name  
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