



Saint Patrick's Catholic Parish
Community
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ALL ARE WELCOME!

Daily Masses are celebrated in the Eucharistic Chapel -Please use the southwest entrance.
When a funeral Mass is held, there will be no daily Mass. The Mass intention will be rescheduled.
Baptisms: Please contact Fr. C.P. Varghese.
Marriages: Please contact Fr. C.P. Varghese six months before scheduling (a four-month period of preparation is required).
Pastoral Home/Hospital Visitations: If a family member or friend is homebound or in the hospital and would like a pastoral visit, please contact the Parish Office.
Sacrament of Reconciliation: Tuesday at 4:30 p.m. & Saturday at 4:00 p.m.
Other times by appointment.
New Parishioners: Welcome! Please register at the Parish Office, 1039 14th Ave.
Diocesan Mass times: www.gidiocese.org/Parishes.aspx
Nationwide Mass Times: www.masstimes.org

From FR. C.P:

Every year, we begin the OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation), a time of intense preparation for those who would like to join the Catholic Church as well as for those who would like to come back to the Church if they have been away for sometime. It is a time also to do rectification/ convalidation of 'irregular' marriages. 'Irregular' is a canonical term used by the Catholic Church for those who have not been married in the Church and/or without the proper dispensation from the bishop, or those who are living together/cohabitation without a formal marriage, or those who have attempted marriage without an annulment from previous marital bond. All such irregular situations can be set right going through the proper channels in a process of convalidation or rectification. The Canon Law states that people who are in irregular situations cannot receive holy communion. Maybe, there are some of you who may not be aware that the mistakes done can be remedied through appropriate ways. Kindly be informed of this, and share it with those who would need help. Also invite individuals, couples, and families who might consider joining the OCIA program which we shall begin in the month of September, 2026.

Ministry Schedule News:

We are looking for interested Parishioners to join the ministry schedule to help out during Mass. **We are really looking for kids in 4th-8th grade who would like to start being an altar server.**
If you are interested please call the Parish Office at (308) 254-2828 and speak with Nicole Bailey. You also can email at stpatsidneyadm@gmail.com and let us know if you prefer Sat. night or Sun. morning and if you would be available for special days.

Children's Liturgy of the Word:

Aug 9: Lydia Lenzen
Aug 16: Carrie Nesbitt

The Lord's Portion

July 18-19: \$18,515.86
Esk-Omi: \$356.00



Divine Mercy Chaplet & Benediction
Friday's at 5:45 p.m.

Communion to Extended Care/Home Bound
Aug 1-2
Henrietta Pelster/ Nyla Hobson

Rummage House News
Open Friday & Saturday 9:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.
July 31st-Aug 1st
Team #2— Pat Dorwart

Mass Schedule for the Week

Monday, July 27	5:15 p.m.	Don Gehrig
Tuesday, July 28	5:15 p.m.	Mickie Calahan
Wednesday, July 29	7:15 a.m.	Charlotte Lavalley
Thursday, July 30	12:15 p.m.	John Hurt
Friday, July 31	7:15 a.m.	Int. Audrey Spichal
Saturday, Aug 1		
Sloan Estates	9:30 a.m.	Int. Chris Porzio
	5:00 p.m.	Int. People of St. Patrick's
Sunday, July 2	10:00 a.m.	Int. Fr Jim Heithoff

St. Patrick's Community News

Aug 1-2 Blessed Art will be at gathering area after Mass
Aug 1-2 2nd Collection: Diocesan Appeal
Aug 15-16 2nd Collection: Assumption
Aug 15-16 Rosaries before Mass
Aug 15 No Mass at Sloan Estates
Aug 17 All Day Adoration
Aug 17-21 No Mass or Reconciliation
Aug 24-26 No Mass or Reconciliation
Aug 29-30 Coffee and Cookies after Mass
Aug 29-30 2nd Collection: Harvest



OCIA:

If you or someone you know is interested in joining OCIA this year please reach out to the Parish Office at 308-254-2828. This program starts in September and meets on Tuesday's at 6:00 p.m.

Ministries for Aug 1-2nd

	Sat. 5:30 p.m.	Sun. 10:30 a.m.
Greeters:	Tom Von Seggern Cindy Von Seggern	Ron Stein Makenzie Brower
Leader:	Charlotte Dorwart	Nicole Radcliffe
Lector:	Paul Bailey Jr.	Mary Bailey
Min. of Bread:	Jim Cabela	Jeremy Nesbitt
Min. of Cup	Diane Cabela Nicole Bailey Caiden Gloor VOLUNTEER	Coleen Langdon Jerry Langdon Makenzie Brower VOLUNTEER
Altar Servers:	Zach Schumacher Hunter Elston	Grant Beyer Luke Beyer Grace Beyer
Ushers:	Mike Leininger Keither Nienhueser	Jim Brown Jeff Smith
Music:	Jack/ Kathy/ Dennis/ Jim/ Cole/ Patricia	Guitars/ Jamie

Young Adult Bible Study:

We joyfully invite you to join us for a special gathering to reflect on the newly released Encyclical Letter of His Holiness Pope Leo XIV, *Magnifica Humanitas*. This profound message calls us to embrace our shared dignity, listen to one another with open hearts, and work together in building a more compassionate and united world.

Date: Every Sunday until further notice

Time: 4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Location: St. Patrick's Catholic Church Parish Center (Double Classroom)

For ages: 20-39

Come and be inspired as we explore how this teaching speaks to our lives today and how we, as a parish, can live out its call in our community. Refreshments will be served!

Let us walk together in faith, hope, and love.

Contact Person: Luke Sullivan (308) 524-9804

David Brown (970)-571-5726

Joan Falcon (308) 254-2828

Catholic Living:

St Augustine's "great book"

St. Augustine viewed the natural world as a living book pointing to God, famously writing, "Creation is a great book. Look above you; look below you! Note it; read it! God...didn't write that book with ink. Instead, He set before your eyes the things He had made."

Two other quotes from St Augustine that call us to be more mindful in this season of being outside:

"Learn to love the Creator in His creatures and the maker in what He has made."

"Observe the beauty of the world, and praise the plan of the creator. Observe what he made, love the one who made it."



Knights of Columbus News:

Next KOC meeting is Thursday August 6th starting at 6:00 pm in the Knights Hall. If you are interested in joining the Knights please reach out to Jim Brown the Grand Knight.



Eucharistic Gem:

Every time people approach the sacred table, and especially those who prepare themselves most attentively to receive the Holy Sacrament, they are filled by God with countless gifts, they receive unheard of and inconceivable graces; they are sanctified, strengthened, and obtain the forgiveness of evil deeds and the promise of eternal life. ---St. Stanislaus Papczynski



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