



**Saint Patrick's Catholic Parish Community**  
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**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](http://www.gidiocese.org/Parishes.aspx)

**Nationwide Mass Times:** [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org)

**From FR. C.P.**  
August 15th is when we celebrate the Solemnity of the Assumption of Our Blessed Mother Mary into Heaven. It is a day of obligation for us. The mass timings will be as usual on the days of obligation, namely, 7 am and 6 pm. Kindly make it a point to participate in one of those masses on Friday, August 15, 2025 and pray for all your needs through the intercession of Mary, our Mother. Next weekend masses (August 16 & 17, 2025) will be presided over and preached by a Cross Catholic Outreach Priest whose name is Fr. James Martin Nobles O.P. I believe that he will be describing in his homily how the activities of this organization are geared towards the wellbeing of the most underprivileged and marginalized of our world. Please respond generously to his plea and collaborate with their mission, and noble cause.

St. Patrick's Community News	
Aug 14	No Mass
Aug 15	the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mass at 7:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.
Aug 15	No Divine Mercy Chaplet & Benediction
Aug 16	No Mass at Sloan Estates
Aug 18-19	No Mass or Reconciliation
Aug 21	Mass at Pole Creek at 9:30 a.m.
Aug 27	Catechists/KOC Security In-Service 6:00 p.m. Parish Center
Aug 30-31	Cookies and Coffee after Mass

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARY TO ALL CELEBRATING DURING THE MONTH OF AUGUST.**

**Fr Noble– Cross Catholic Outreach Priest**  
Fr. Nobles will be visiting our parish next weekend (Aug 16th & 17th) to speak at all the Masses on behalf of Cross Catholic Outreach, which was founded to forge a stronger and more supportive link between parishes in America and the priests and nuns serving the poor in the Caribbean, Africa, Southeast Asia, and Central and South America.

**Eucharistic Gem**  
"Holy Communion and offering the Holy Sacrifice are the two most powerful means of intercession for others' conversion."  
--St. John Vianney

Mass Schedule for the Week			
Monday, Aug 11	5:15 p.m.	Fr. Marty Egging	
Tuesday, Aug 12	5:15 p.m.	Int Rollie & Pat Beran	
Wednesday, Aug 13	7:15 a.m.	Bil Hughes	
Thursday, Aug 14	12:15 p.m.	NO MASS	
Friday, Aug 15	7:00 a.m.	Int. Ed Koester	
Saturday, Aug 16	6:00 p.m.	Int. Mr. & Mrs. Bailey & Cascity	
	Sloan Estates 9:30 a.m.	NO MASS	
Sunday, Aug 17	5:00 p.m.	Bill Hughes	
	10:00 a.m.	Int. People of St. Patrick's	

Ministries for Aug 16/17		
	Sat. 5:00 p.m.	Sun. 10:00 am
<b>Greeters:</b>	Don Douglas Lynelle Hughes	Julie Kalinowski Ron Stein Teri Wolff
<b>Leader:</b>	Clinton Dorwart	Dan Murphy
<b>Lector:</b>	Deanna Gaston	Mary Bailey
<b>Min. of Bread:</b>	Jim Cabela	Phyllis Tuzicka
<b>Min. of Cup:</b>	Diane Cabela Charlotte Dorwart Jean Holly Scott Rolls	Joe Hruska Rick Spearow Dennis Tuzicka Makenzie Brower
<b>Altar Servers:</b>	Zach Schumacher Dylan Elston	Grant Beyer Luke Beyer Mateusz Murphy
<b>Ushers:</b>	Mike Leininger Tino Lopez	Jim Brown Kevin Thomas
<b>Music:</b>	Jack/ Dennis/ Kathy/ Nyla/ Cole	Guitars/ Jamie

Ministries for Aug 15		
	7:00 a.m.	6:00 p.m.
<b>Greeters:</b>	Julie Kalinowski Teri Wolff	Cindy Von Seggern Tom Von Seggern
<b>Leader:</b>	Deb Gartner	Rich Phillips
<b>Lector:</b>	Julie Gehrig	Nicole Radcliffe
<b>Min. of Bread:</b>	Jeremy Nesbitt	Walter Egging
<b>Min. of Cup:</b>	Carrie Nesbitt Rick Spearow	Nicole Bailey Don Egging Makenzie Brower VOLUNTEER
<b>Altar Servers:</b>	Reagan Nesbitt Daniel Nesbitt	Dabreya Egging Aaliyah Torres
<b>Ushers:</b>	Chris Curtis Charles Gartner	Stan Belieu Keith Nienhueser
<b>Music:</b>	No Music	Guitars/Jamie

**Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Peach Shrine, Pine bluffs, WY**  
On Friday Aug 15th from 8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. St. Patrick's Council of Catholic Women is planning a pilgrimage to Our Lady of Peace Shrine in Pine Bluffs, WY. We will leave from the church parking lot following the 7:00 a.m. Mass and will return to the church parking lot by 1:00 p.m. Transportation will be provided by CCW members. Please dress as needed for the weather. Closed– toe shoes are recommended. Bottles of water will be provided. We will be praying the Stations of the Cross and the Rosary at the Shrine. All are welcome to attend. RSVP to Julie Gehrig 250-2536 by Wednesday August 11th, 2025.

Children's Liturgy of the Word:	Rummage House News
Aug 10 Mencho & Joan Falcon	Open Friday & Saturday 9:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.
Aug 17 Carrie Nesbitt	<b>Aug 15/16</b> Team #2 Pat Dorwart

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Office Hours:	Monday-Thursday	8:00 a.m.—	3:00 p.m.	Friday	8:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

**Catholic Living**  
Creation Care  
When we contemplate creation rather than manipulating it, we are able to see nature as a gift of God to be cherished and cared for. When we receive in our hearts with gratitude and awe what God has created, we see nature as it truly is - a transcendent reality that asks for reverence and respect. Then it becomes transparent, and life starts to speak a new language, revealing to us the goodness and beauty of God. The plants and animals with whom we live teach us about birth, growth, maturation, and death, about the need for gentle care, and especially about the importance of patience and hope. *"In the beginning you laid the foundations of the earth , and the heavens are the work of your hands." Ps. 102.25 - Nouwen Meditation*  
During the warm summer nights a great family opportunity to experience wonder and awe is in stargazing.. There are a number of free apps that help you navigate the night sky.

**++ FAITH FORMATION & EVENTS ++**  
Your family is invited to register your children/youth in our Faith Formation program. We are accepting registrations for grades Pre-K-12th.  
To register visit our website at [www.sidneystpats.com](http://www.sidneystpats.com) or pick up a paper form at the parish office.  
Faith Formation Open House will be Sept 3rd at 6:00 p.m. for all Pre-K-12th grades with first class starting Sept 10th 2025.  
Contact Joan Falcon at (308) 254-2828 with any questions.

**The Lord's Portion**  
**Aug 2/3: \$2,774.00**

Communion to Extended Care/Home Bound
<b>August 16/17</b> Nyla Hobson/ Deanna Gaston