



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

**From FR. C.P.**

Los Angeles has been burning. Unlike in recent years, it's not a natural wildfire, but an unnatural human-made fire. As I am typing this note, the protests that began in Los Angeles, against ICE and its seemingly unjust strategies, have spread to other cities such as Chicago, Manhattan, Dallas etc. Let us pray that all people including migrants be treated with dignity and respect especially by those who are in authoritative positions. Let us also pray that while it is the right and even duty of citizens in a democratic system to take out peaceful protests against unjust systems, people keep their calm and restraint and not take law in their hands. At this time, we are also aware that in more than 1500 towns across this country there are going to be 'No Kings Day' protests this Saturday (June 14). Let the law and order prevail in all these places and let peace be everyone's goal. Let us intensify our prayers that amidst protests, pains, sufferings, and hurts which are increasing day by day, the executive, judiciary, and legislative branches of government may function without bias, prejudice, or ulterior motives or hidden agendas of any sort. Let the wellbeing of individuals and communities be uppermost in the minds and hearts of all.

**Eucharistic Gem**

To induce us to receive him frequently in Holy Communion, he promises eternal life--that is, the kingdom of Heaven--to those who eat his flesh.  
---St. Alphonsus Liguori



Congratulations to Paul and Nicole Bailey on the Blessing of their marriage on Saturday June 7th, 2025.

May God bless them with many happy years together!

**The Lord's Portion  
June 14/15- \$3,674.00**

**Communion to Extended Care/Home Bound  
June 21/22**

Clem Schumacher/ Dianne Dorwart

**Rummage House News**

Open Friday & Saturday 9:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.  
June 20/21  
Team #4 Henrietta Pelster

**Mass Schedule for the Week**

Monday, June 16	5:00 p.m.	Marva Wieser
Tuesday, June 17	5:15 p.m.	Dan Oliverius
Wednesday, June 18	7:15 a.m.	Lyle Johnson
Thursday, June 19		
	Pole Creek Estates 9:30 a.m.	Dan Wolff
	12:15 p.m.	Rich Rolls
Friday, June 20	10:30 a.m.	Funeral Mass for John Beyer
Saturday, June 21		
	Sloan Estates 9:30 a.m.	Charlotte Lavalleur
	5:00 p.m.	Int. Sally Harris and Family
Sunday, June 22	10:00 a.m.	Int. People of St. Pat's Eucharistic Procession following

**Children's Liturgy of the Word:**

We are working to bring this wonderful program back to our Parish in July 2025. This program is a great way for the young children in the Parish to learn more about the readings and Homily that are being proclaimed so they will have a better understanding. If your family is interested in participating in this program please reach out to Joan Falcon at (308) 254-2828 for more information. A meeting will be scheduled before the program begins to run through everything with the children so they know what to expect. We hope to see you there!

**Kidney Donor Needed**

Father Arul Innaiah, who is the pastor of the Catholic parishes in Crawford and Harrison, Nebraska, has End Stage Renal Disease and needs a kidney transplant. He has been going to dialysis three times a week for more than three years. Father Arul has not been able to travel home to visit his mother since he started dialysis. If you are interested in learning more about donating a kidney to help Father, please call 308-665-5175, or go to [NKR.org/MAE825](http://NKR.org/MAE825)

**St. Patrick's Community News**

June 19 Mass at Pole Creek Estates  
June 19 Rosary for John Beyer 6:00 p.m.  
June 19 Parish Council at 7:00 p.m.  
June 22 Corpus Christi Procession with Benediction  
June 22-27 Totus Tuus  
June 23-26 Reconciliation at 11:00 a.m. & Mass at 11:30 a.m.  
June 24-25 Reconciliations at 8:15 p.m.  
June 26 All day Adoration  
June 27 No Mass or Reconciliation  
June 28-29 Cookies and Coffee  
June 29 Youth Mass, please volunteer if available  
July 5-6 Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction before Mass  
July 26 Fr. William Dorwart 45th Celebration  
July 27 Youth Mass, please volunteer if available  
July 26-27 Cookies and Coffee

**Ministries for June 21/22**

	Sat. 5:00 p.m.	Sun. 10:00 am
<b>Greeters:</b>	Don Douglas Caiden Gloor Lynelle Hughes	Juli Kalinowski Ron Stein Teri Wolff
<b>Leader:</b>	Scott Rolls	Deb Gartner
<b>Lector:</b>	Clinton Dorwart	Cindi Egging
<b>Min. of Bread:</b>	Nicole Bailey	Makenzie Brower
<b>Min. of Cup:</b>	Jim Cabela Diane Cabela Charlotte Dorwart Jean Holly	Don Egging Joe Hruska Carrie Nesbitt Jeremy Nesbitt
<b>Altar Servers:</b>	Zach Schumacher Zander Schumacher Zaden Schumacher	Dabreya Egging Reagan Nesbitt Daniel Nesbitt
<b>Ushers:</b>	Duane Peetz Larry Peetz	Jim Brown Charles Gartner
<b>Music:</b>	Heather/Nyla/ Jim/ Kathy/ Cole/ Dennis	Guitars/ Jamie

**Catholic Living  
Catholic Social Living**

The Catechism of the Catholic Church instructs, "The more prosperous nations are obliged, to the extent they are able, to welcome the foreigner in search of the security and the means of livelihood which he cannot find in his country of origin." ... mass deportation plan appear[s] to run afoul of the church's teaching at the highest level. St. John Paul II's 1993 encyclical "Veritatis Splendor" ("Splendor of Truth") and 1995 encyclical "Evangelium Vitae" ("The Gospel of Life") — both quote the Second Vatican Council's teaching in "Gaudium et Spes," the Pastoral Constitution on the Church in the Modern World, which names "deportation" among various specific acts "offensive to human dignity" that "are a disgrace, and so long as they infect human civilization they contaminate those who inflict them more than those who suffer injustice, and they are a negation of the honor due to the Creator." The late pontiff underscored their moral severity in "Veritatis Splendor" by calling them examples of "intrinsic evil," explaining that, no matter the motives, these acts are "not capable of being ordered to God and to the good of the person." "What really matters to us is that we see human beings in every single person — seeking refuge, asylum; seeking to keep their families together for a better life," said John Herrera, director of Immigration Legal Services for Catholic Charities of Oregon. "We obviously understand that every country and every state has the right to secure their own borders. They have the right to protect their own citizens," he said. "But what we always align with the Catholic social teaching is (that) we just do it in a way that is humane. That's all we ask."  
- Maryknoll Magazine, Oct. 31, 2024

**Book Club News:**

Book Club has started their new book and meet on Thursdays from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. in the Parish Center central meeting room.  
\*We hope to see you there\*

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