

St. Patrick Parish

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21 December, 2025

Fourth Sunday of Advent



TO REGISTER IN THE PARISH

Visit our website and
register online or come to
the Parish Office

St. Patrick's Thrift Shop

457 Magnolia Avenue
Larkspur CA 94939
Phone: 415-924-5393

Hours:

Tuesday - Friday: 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Saturday: Noon - 4:00 p.m.

Mass Schedule

Weekdays: 8:00 a.m., Tuesday through Friday
Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

Parish Staff

Monsignor Michael Padazinski, *Pastor*

Mark Scafidi
Deacon
Michael Waters
School Principal
Francesca Previtali
Director of Religious Education
Barbara Santana Cronin
Thrift Shop Manager
Agata Konopka
Parish Office

Deborah Jackson
Adult Choir Director
Alice Kubo
Pianist
Cyndi Niven
Cantor
Barbara Cavalier
Hospitality Coordinator
Phyllis Rybensky
Helping Hands Coordinator

Parish Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. (Monday—Friday)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday

4:15 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

or another time
by appointment.

St. Patrick
K-8 School

415-924-0501

St. Patrick
School of Religion

415-924-0600 x15

Christmas Schedule 2025

Christmas Masses

Christmas Eve 
Wednesday, December 24
Vigil of the Nativity of Our Lord
 4:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Family Mass
 6:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Mass
 9:00 p.m. Vigil Mass

Christmas Day 
Thursday, December 25
 8:00 a.m. Christmas Mass
 10:00 a.m. Christmas Mass
 11:30 a.m. Christmas Mass



*An Invitation for You
and Your Family*

*St. Patrick Choir invites
you and your family to
our annual Christmas
Concert at 8:30 p.m. on
Christmas Eve,
immediately preceding
the 9:00 p.m. Christmas
Mass.*



St. Patrick's Thrift Shop

The shop will be closed for the Holidays
 Tuesday, December 23rd
 through Saturday, January 3rd and
 will reopen on Tuesday, January 6th at 10:00am.

We wish you a very Merry Christmas
 and a Happy New Year!

Special thanks to our donors, our customers,
 and our wonderful volunteers for your amazing
 generosity and support during 2025!

**Mass Intentions
December 20 — 28**

Saturday December 20	5:00 pm	Susan Catinella †
Sunday December 21	8:00 am 10:00 am	People Michael McCullagh †
Monday December 22		No Mass
Tuesday December 23	8:00 am	Osvaldo Dell'Angelica †
Christmas Eve Wednesday December 24	4:00 pm 6:00 pm 9:00 pm	Sue Chapot † Jim Murray † Linda Scafidi †
Christmas Day Thursday December 25	8:00 am 10:00 am 11:30 am	Marty Bautista † People Susan Catinella †
Friday December 26	8:00 am	Eloise Rosenblatt †
Saturday December 27	5:00 pm	Sal Catinella †
Sunday December 28	8:00 am 10:00 am	People Juan Fiorentini †

**Children's
Christmas
Pageant**



St. Patrick's **Children's Faith Formation (CFF)** program warmly invites you to this year's **Christmas Pageant**, which will take place during the **4 p.m. Mass** on **December 24th**.

All members of our community, both young and old, will delight in this joyful retelling of the Nativity of the Lord.

If you are home this Christmas, please join us!



Dear friends,

The celebration of Christmas comes as a special blessing this year in the midst of wars abroad and increased violence at home. The celebration of Christmas is a reminder that this is the same world in which God gave His Son to be born among us, to show us the way, to die and to rise again to new life. (Jh. 3:16) The feast of Christmas gives us hope when we are tempted to despair. My Christmas prayer for you is that you may grow in hope in the midst of today's grim reality. Pope Leo XIV reminds us to pray always that the peace which Jesus came to bring, may be realized in our day.

Part of our task at Christmas and in the new year is to capture the signs of hope all around us. Sometimes hope springs from people willing to make life-long commitments especially when times get tough. Sometimes hope comes from steadfastness in a struggle for justice and peace. And there are many other signs of hope all around. I'll leave it to you to see and focus on the many positive signs that surround you, reminding you that God is alive and well among us. Look for signs and you will see just as the shepherds and wise men followed the sign to Christ himself. If you look and remain open, you will find the light of life which is hope itself, who is Christ the Lord.

May this Christmas season and the year to come fill your hearts and minds with hope -- a hope that will not disappoint!

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!

Monsignor Michael Padazinski