

The Church of Saint Patrick

October 27, 2019

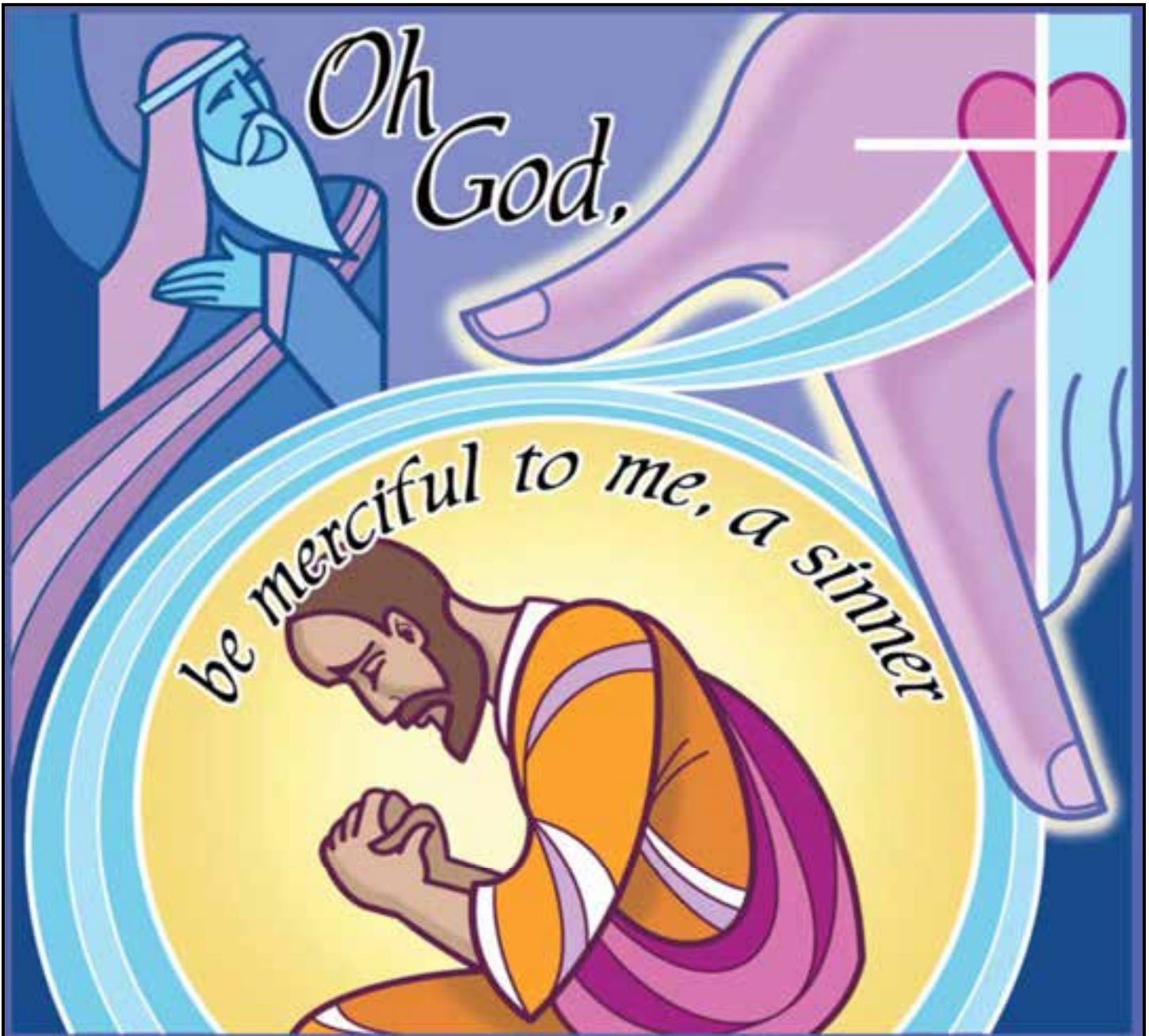
Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

PARISH MISSION:

*AS A FAITH COMMUNITY, WE ARE THE HANDS
AND FEET OF CHRIST, REACHING OUT
AS HE DID.*

SCHOOL MISSION:

*ST. PATRICK SCHOOL IS A CATHOLIC, CHILD-CENTERED,
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL WHERE THE STAFF, PARENTS AND
PARISH COMMUNITY EDUCATE THE WHOLE CHILD
SPIRITUALLY AND ACADEMICALLY TO LIVE AS AN ACTIVE
CATHOLIC IN A RAPIDLY CHANGING SOCIETY.*



This For You (and me)

“Do you want to grow in faith? You, who are here today, do you want to grow in faith? Then take care of a distant brother, a faraway sister...and this is the most important thing in life: to embrace the Lord of life.”

These are the words of Pope Francis in the Homily of the Mass on October 13 that made John Henry Newman a saint in the Roman Catholic Church. Newman, a convert to our Church in the 1880's from the Church of England, has inspired countless thousands of people to grow daily in their faith. That daily growth in our faith is essential in order for the Church of Jesus Christ to be able to step out in faith to draw the world to Him. And the question to you (and me) is: How are you doing with that commitment?” There are so many people today who think that as a Church we are failing to do that. Church attendance is down in every Christian denomination. The faith we hold dear is being questioned by so many believers. In our own Roman Catholic Church only 39% of members believe that Jesus is really and truly present in the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist. How much do you really want to grow in faith?

I ask this question of each of you (and me). I do so as our annual financial report is presented in the following pages of this bulletin for your understanding of our response to the faith of the Church that we belong to and support. In this report you will observe that our response to the Church is not as well and vibrant as it might be. Both weekly attendance and financial giving is not as good and healthy as it might be. I don't find a lot of comfort in the fact that this reality is true in much of our society and culture as well. Daily growing in faith requires a dedication and a commitment that often requires sacrifice. Sacrifice is usually difficult and irksome—only love can make it possible, and our perfect love for the Lord can make it an absolute joy. Personally, I often feel that I am not as committed to Christ and His Church as I need to be. Perhaps, you may feel the same way. Is there a certain palpable sense and feeling of joy as you live out your life each day as a Christian? I remember a sermon that Bishop Goedert preached at my Parish in North Chicago for a Confirmation. He said that JOY means Jesus Oh Yes! That is the real joy of a believer who wants to grow daily in faith. May it be so for you (and me) each day.

All Saints and All Souls Mass Schedule

Friday, November 1—All Saints Day—A Holy Day of Obligation

6:30 AM—Main Church

8:30 AM—Main Church

7:00 PM—Main Church

Saturday, November 2—All Souls Day

10:00 AM—Historic Church

Welcome Val Walker, Director of Faith Formation

The first time I came to check out the Church of St. Patrick, I needed a map to find Wadsworth, and on that sunny Sunday morning, I found a small white country Church with a throng of people standing outside the doors...and I kept on driving. I came back a few years later to discover that a huge new Church had been built, and it too was filled with people. This time we stayed, and my husband Mike and I have called St. Pat's our parish home ever since. We live in Gurnee, our son Ryan attended SRE, and over the years I was drawn deeper and deeper into my own faith life and the ministries of the parish.

At some point a call was awakened within me, and I found myself wanting to have a more active role in parish life, similar to what I had experienced growing up on the northwest side of Chicago, where the spirit of Vatican II and lay involvement in parish life was very collaborative and strong. This led to classes at St. Mary of the Lake (Mundelein Seminary) where I received a certificate in Lay Leadership, and then continued to pursue my Master's degree in Pastoral Studies. I gladly transitioned out of “corporate life” with one of those large Lake County employers, and for the last 4 years have worked at St. Joan of Arc Parish in Evanston as Pastoral Associate.



As St. Pat's wraps up the focus of the recent weeks on a call to ministry, I'm happy for this chance to share my story, and grateful for the opportunity to be here to serve this community. The Son does shine His light on our path, even when we may not know the destination. As I join the St. Pat's staff as Director of Faith Formation, I look forward to exploring the road forward with all of you as we continue to seek a closer relationship with God and with one another. I think it has been said before, “There's no place like home!”

Blessings,
Val

Annual Report for Fiscal Year July 1, 2018 - June 30, 2019

Income/Expense Statement

Income

	<u>2018-2019</u>	<u>2017-2018</u>	<u>2016-2017</u>
Sunday and Holy Day Collections	\$ 868,329.00	\$ 923,034.00	\$ 910,332.00
Christmas Collection	\$ 54,459.00	\$ 60,609.00	\$ 60,995.00
Easter Collection	\$ 36,624.00	\$ 41,547.00	\$ 46,230.00
Other Collections (Holiday Flowers)	\$ 7,380.00	\$ 6,252.00	\$ 21,237.00
School & SRE Tuition	\$ 1,502,178.00	\$ 1,574,206.00	\$ 1,533,501.00
Fees (mainly School)	\$ 237,154.00	\$ 239,399.00	\$ 231,476.00
Bookstore Income (School)	\$ 6,032.00	\$ 7,292.00	\$ 15,818.00
Outside Funding Sources	\$ 62,636.00	\$ 25,029.00	\$ 13,328.00
School Fund Raising Net Income (includes Raffle)	\$ 178,496.00	\$ 173,732.00	\$ 179,496.00
Interest & Investment Income	\$ 18,887.00	\$ 66,160.00	\$ 79,343.00
Auxiliary Groups	\$ 19,175.00	\$ (2,570.00)	\$ 13,932.00
Miscellaneous Income (see page 6)	\$ 304,051.00	\$ 307,236.00	\$ 144,257.00
Total Income	\$ 3,295,401.00	\$ 3,421,926.00	\$ 3,249,945.00

Expenses

Salaries (Church \$315,981 and School \$1,422,939)	\$ 1,738,920.00	\$ 1,732,531.00	\$ 1,613,069.00
Health Insurance Employer Paid	\$ 276,320.00	\$ 249,870.00	\$ 245,180.00
Employer FICA	\$ 121,402.00	\$ 120,797.00	\$ 111,895.00
Fringe Benefits	\$ 115,108.00	\$ 110,445.00	\$ 109,549.00
Prof Growth/Ministerial/Other	\$ 13,851.00	\$ 23,412.00	\$ 22,752.00
Books & Supplies, NonLiturgical	\$ 147,947.00	\$ 112,507.00	\$ 96,659.00
Administrative Expenses	\$ 95,077.00	\$ 116,186.00	\$ 106,737.00
Transportation	\$ 576.00	\$ 1,308.00	\$ 2,038.00
Food Service & Meals	\$ 18,887.00	\$ 29,471.00	\$ 19,671.00
Telephone	\$ 8,754.00	\$ 6,425.00	\$ 6,071.00
Heating Fuel	\$ 33,026.00	\$ 33,347.00	\$ 29,700.00
Electricity	\$ 75,638.00	\$ 71,422.00	\$ 72,101.00
Other Utilities	\$ 19,284.00	\$ 10,766.00	\$ 10,478.00
Maintenance & Building Repairs	\$ 138,971.00	\$ 122,923.00	\$ 132,212.00
Altar & Liturgical Supplies	\$ 67,871.00	\$ 66,729.00	\$ 50,058.00
Furnishings & Equipment	\$ 19,897.00	\$ 45,739.00	\$ 44,188.00
Archdiocesan Assessment	\$ 112,716.00	\$ 108,612.00	\$ 117,354.00
PRMAA Assessment	\$ 39,456.00	\$ 38,016.00	\$ 41,076.00
Office of Catholic Schools Assessment	\$ 13,166.00	\$ 12,933.00	\$ 13,041.00
P&C Insurance Premium - Liability & Bldgs.	\$ 64,934.00	\$ 62,796.00	\$ 67,909.00
Auto Insurance Priest Owned Vehicle	\$ -	\$ 805.00	\$ 575.00
Miscellaneous Expense (see page 6)	\$ 280,416.00	\$ 295,728.00	\$ 125,910.00
Total Expense	\$ 3,402,217.00	\$ 3,372,768.00	\$ 3,038,223.00

Net Operating Income **\$ (106,816.00)** **\$ 49,158.00** **\$ 211,722.00**

	<u>2018-2019</u>	<u>2017-2018</u>	<u>2016-2017</u>
Other Income			
Sharing Parish Collection (Immaculate Conception)	\$ 21,563.00	\$ 21,011.00	\$ 24,638.00
Archdiocesan Required Collections	\$ 26,956.00	\$ 37,730.00	\$ 37,779.00
Estates, Bequests & Memorials	\$ 35,175.00	\$ 25,025.00	\$ 420.00
Other Income	\$ 19,702.00	\$ 19,869.00	\$ 17,350.00
Fund Collections	\$ 156,778.00	\$ 208,245.00	\$ 261,881.00
Total Other Income	\$ 260,174.00	\$ 311,880.00	\$ 342,068.00
Other Expense			
Sharing Parish Collection (Immaculate Conception)	\$ 21,563.00	\$ 21,011.00	\$ 24,638.00
Payments for Archdiocesan Required Collections	\$ 26,956.00	\$ 32,327.00	\$ 37,779.00
Other Extraordinary Expenses	\$ 11,643.00	\$ 19,582.00	\$ 14,604.00
Capital Improvements	\$ 436,524.00	\$ 89,482.00	\$ 123,291.00
Total Other Expense	\$ 496,686.00	\$ 162,402.00	\$ 200,312.00
Other Income/Expenses	\$ (236,512.00)	\$ 149,478.00	\$ 141,756.00
Year End Excess/Deficit	\$ (343,328.00)	\$ 198,636.00	\$ 353,478.00

Parish Subsidy to School	\$ 180,300.00	\$ 185,100.00	\$ -
(Included in Misc. Income and Misc. Expenses)			

<u>St. Patrick Parish Accounts at Archdiocese</u>	<u>2018-2019</u>	<u>2017-2018</u>	<u>2016-2017</u>
Balance - July 1st	\$ 2,641,772.62	\$ 2,389,444.14	\$ 2,033,513.36
Deposits	\$ 143,793.03	\$ 188,659.72	\$ 333,198.04
Interest	\$ 18,646.03	\$ 65,818.76	\$ 79,024.01
Withdrawals	\$ (419,360.59)	\$ (1,032.61)	\$ (62,110.00)
Stock Transactions	\$ -	\$ 1,032.61	\$ 3,668.73
Funds in Transit (Angel Fund Deposit)	\$ -	\$ (2,150.00)	\$ 2,150.00
Balance - June 30th	\$ 2,384,851.09	\$ 2,641,772.62	\$ 2,389,444.14

<u>Saint Patrick Parish Statistics</u>	<u>2018-2019</u>	<u>2017-2018</u>	<u>2016-2017</u>
Number of Families Receiving Envelopes	1,329*	2,026	2,707
Contributing Families	1,052	1,196	1,314
Baptisms	96	88	93
First Communion	87	67	89
Confirmation	87	90	108
Weddings	21	12	18
Funerals	55	25	41

*This number is lower because the Parish data base was updated to remove the names of persons who have moved, died or have become inactive.

St. Patrick Parish Checking/Savings as of June 30, 2019

Operating Checking Accounts

Church	\$227,580.49
School	\$137,530.21
Total Operating Accounts	\$365,110.70

Auxiliary Accounts (Spring Raffle, Good Samaritan Fund, Shamrocks, Etc.)

Total Auxiliary Accounts	\$108,195.06
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Savings Accounts at Archdiocese

Regular Savings	\$362,521.36
To Teach Who Christ Is	\$137,762.05
Building Fund	\$5,282.95
Scholarship Fund	\$73,449.12
Parish Education Endowment Fund	\$564,521.08
Total Archdiocesan Savings Accounts	\$1,143,536.56

Certificates of Deposit (CDs)

(All CDs scheduled to renew every 12 months)

	<u>Renewal date</u>	
	Jan. 18	\$260,513.77
	Mar. 26	\$141,805.44
	July 1	\$140,233.52
	Sep. 26	\$218,370.40
	Nov. 22	\$205,526.14
	Dec. 11	\$274,865.26
Total Certificates of Deposit		\$1,241,314.53

Total of Archdiocesan Accounts	\$2,384,851.09
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Total All Accounts	\$2,858,156.85
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<u>To Teach Who Christ Is Campaign</u>	<u>2018-2019</u>	<u>2017-2018</u>	<u>2016-2017</u>
Amount Pledged	\$ 1,582,621.00	\$ 1,582,541.00	\$ 1,579,396.00
To-date Paid to Archdiocese of Chicago	\$ 366,865.00	\$ 271,003.00	\$ 146,663.00
To-date Paid to St. Patrick Church	\$ 550,297.00	\$ 406,504.00	\$ 219,994.00

Summary of Net Results

The past fiscal year, that ended June 30, 2019, had a Net Deficit in Ordinary Income of (\$343,328). It is important to note that this deficit included \$143,793 of funds collected and (\$419,361) spent for the To Teach Who Christ Is (TTWCI) capital campaign. Excluding TTWCI, the deficit was (\$70,658). Labor costs comprised about 67% of the operating expenses. This was consistent with the prior year. Facility costs, assessments from the diocese and school books/supplies made up most of the other costs.

Our Finance Council's goal is to provide our parish community with complete transparency of our finances. Below is a series of FAQs to help you understand the Financial Statements presented in this report. These financial statements represent the Operating and Capital expenses of the Parish. This includes all Church, School, SRE, and all other Ministerial income and expenses.

INCOME AND EXPENSE STATEMENT:

Q.1: Are there any differences in this year's annual report from last year?

A.1: As last year, we are showing a three (3) year summary of our Income and Expenses. Our Finance Council believes that this provides our parishioners with detailed information on the financial stability of St. Patrick Parish.

Q.2: What is included in the income item: Miscellaneous Income?

A.2: Miscellaneous income includes receipts from such items as: Baptisms, Funerals, Weddings, Stipends for Masses, Votive & Vigil Candles, Matching gifts, Alumni donations, Booster club donations & other miscellaneous income. The School Subsidy is also part of this amount. None of this income goes to the Pastor, e.g. Funeral Income goes directly to the Parish.

Q.3: What is included in the expense item: Miscellaneous Expenses?

A.3: Miscellaneous expenses includes expenditures from such items as: Ministry Formation & Education, Hospitality & Entertainment, Advertising, Gifts & Donations, Subscriptions, Traffic Control and other miscellaneous expenses. The School Subsidy is also part of this amount.

Q.4: What is included in the expense item: "Archdiocesan Assessment", "PRMAA Assessment", and "Office of Catholic Schools Assessment"?

A.4: In order to fund Archdiocesan business, the Archdiocese receives an amount from each parish of approximately 10% of the parishes previous year's regular collections. (Regular collections include: Weekly collections, Christmas, Easter, Holy Days, and other miscellaneous parish income). This assessment is not applied to any School revenue or fundraising through the School. PRMMA stands for the Priest Retirement and Mutual Aid Association and is used to help fund Priest retirement income and health care. It is assessed to each parish as 3.5% of Total Church Operating Incomes less Archdiocesan Interest paid to parish. The Office of Catholic Schools assessment is from the Archdiocese to assist in funding the staff and related expenses for the Office of Catholic schools. This office supports all Catholic schools in the Archdiocese with consultation, standard testing and curriculum development. The assessment is based on the average number of students enrolled in our K-8 elementary school.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS:

Q.5: Why doesn't the Parish make investments in financial instruments other than Certificates of Deposit (CD's)?

A.5: By Archdiocesan financial policy, Parishes are limited in their investment of Parish funds. Although this is a conservative investment approach, this policy prevents parishes from taking unnecessary risks with our Parishioners contributions. In line with Archdiocesan guideline, our Finance Council has developed over the last several years a policy to maximize our investment income, within Archdiocesan guidelines. Therefore, we have constructed a series of CDs with 12-month maturities; each currently earning a 1.7% annual rate of return. The CDs maturity dates are staggered to allow us to access funds quarterly funds if they are needed for operational or capital expenses.

All information submitted by the St. Patrick Parish Finance Council for 2018/19

Chris Colaizzi – Chairperson

Members: Fred Schroeder and Julie Hehn

Pastor: Rev. James Merold



ST. PATRICK SCHOOL

ANNUAL Fall Auction

Saturday, Nov. 9th 2019
6:00 pm - 10:30 pm

ULINE Conference Center
12575 Uline Dr Pleasant Prairie, WI 53158
Party Attire

9-Course Meal
(8 Passed Hors d'Oeuvres + Micro Desserts)
Open Bar

Catering By: *the Shanty*

Live & Online Auctions
Featuring:

- Classroom Projects
- Lake House Vacation
- Awesome Wine Cellar
- Cubs & Blackhawks Tickets
- 7 Night Stay at Disney Springs, Orlando & More!!!

\$75 Per Person
Buy Tickets Here: events.org/e/SPSAuction19

It is my hope that you prayerfully consider attending this evening to help support our Ministry of St. Patrick School. It was 60 years ago last June that I graduated from our school in the first graduating class! The Catholic foundation that I received at St. Pat's prepared me to seek ordination to the priesthood as well as equipping me to receive both undergraduate and graduate degrees later on. I credit our school for preparing me for my life's work. The sisters of the Holy Child who taught me here made my educational experiences one of the great highlights of my life. Please join me on November 9.

We Remember, We Celebrate, We Believe

Each year we gather on the Commemoration of All Souls Day to pray for those who are dear to us and have gone ahead to the Lord. We remain connected to those who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith. We should pray for them in the hope that one day we might live in communion with them. And also to come together as a community of faith with the hope that our joined presence and prayers will be a source of consolation and peace.



This year the **All Saints Mass & The Candlelight All Soul's Mass of Remembrance will be held on Friday, November 1, 2019 at 7:00 PM in the Main Church.** For all those carrying the burden of grief and loss, we invite you to join us and sit in prayer and quiet reflection during the choral preludes which will precede the Mass at 6:45 PM.

During the liturgy, all of our parishioners are invited to come forward to offer the name of your loved one and light a candle in remembrance of his or her life. At the conclusion of the Mass the candles may be taken home. Thousands of names of former parishioners and family members have been inscribed into our beautiful "Book of Life" and will be displayed in the Sanctuary during the month of November.

Hospitality & Fellowship will follow Mass in the Narthex.

All Saints and All Souls Mass Schedule

Friday, November 1—All Saints Day

6:30 AM—Main Church

8:30 AM—Main Church

7:00 PM—Main Church

Saturday, November 2—All Souls Day

10:00 AM—Historic Church

There is a special All Souls tithing envelope in your monthly packet to inscribe the names of your beloved dead in our Purgatorial Society to be prayed for throughout the year.



Pablito Abasolo	Mike Hartzheim
Denise Biarnesen	MH
Genevieve Butler	Edmond Jakaitis
Patricia Cutrano	Daniel Schulist
	RZ

Readings for October 28- November 3



Monday

EPH 2: 19-22
Psalms 19: 2-5
Luke 6: 12-16

Tuesday

ROM 8: 18-25
Psalms 126: 1-6
Luke 13: 18-21

Wednesday

ROM 8: 26-30
Psalms 13: 4-6
Luke 13: 22-30

Thursday

ROM 8: 31-39
Psalms 109: 21-22, 26-27, 30-31
Luke 13: 31-35

Friday

ROM 7: 2-4, 9-14
Psalms 24: 1-6
1 John 3: 1-3
Matthew 5: 1-12

Saturday

Wisdom 3: 1-9
Psalms 23: 1-6
ROM 5: 5-11
John 6: 37-40

Sunday

WIS 11: 22-12: 2
Psalms 145: 1-2, 8-11, 13-14
2 THES 1: 11- 2: 2
Luke 19: 1-10

Mass intentions for the week

Saturday, October 26

5:00 pm MC Howard Donohue, Remembrance, by Therese Donohue
Elaine Brouillard, Remembrance, by The Family
Bill Drennan, Remembrance, by Dorothy Bodner and Kim Aiken
Frankie Lucas, Remembrance, by Michael Lucas
Bob Buholzer, Remembrance, by Ray and Darlene Maar

Sunday, October 27—Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 am MC Walter and Shirley Graham, Wedding Anniversary Remembrance, by Doreen Graham
Frank J. Chamernik, Remembrance, by The Family
9:00 am MC Bill Drennan, Remembrance, by Ann and Ron Golec
Bob Buholzer, Remembrance, by Bill Buholzer
Barbara Furlan, Remembrance, by The Family
Joseph Arbanaas, Anniversary of Death, by Marybeth Shearron
Wilma Hammerle, Remembrance, by The Hach Family
11:00 am MC Penny Petitclair, Remembrance, by John Petitclair
Fr. Chris Christensen, Special Intention, by Lisa Filip
Janet Artac, Helen and A. Ternovec, Remembrance, by Dave and Sons
Catherine Palmer, Remembrance, by Ty and Denise Bonds

Monday, October 28-Ss. Simon and Jude

6:30 am MC Communion Service

Tuesday, October 29

6:30 am MC For the People of St. Patrick, Living and Deceased

Wednesday, October 30

6:30 am MC William Atkins, Remembrance, by Marilyn Caringella

Thursday, October 31

6:30 am MC For the People of St. Patrick, Living and Deceased

Friday, November 1—All Saints—A Holy Day of Obligation

6:30 am MC Mass
8:30 am MC Mass
7:00 pm MC For all Deceased Parishioners of St. Patrick's Church

Saturday, November 2— All Soul's Day

10:00 am MC All our Departed Family and Friends
5:00 pm MC Dick White, Birthday Remembrance, by Ann White and Family
Elaine Brouillard, Remembrance, by The Family
Peter D. Flament, Remembrance, by Mary Jane Flament-Garcia
Blanche and Joseph Potocek, Wedding Anniversary Remembrance, by The Family
Marie and Tony Bruno, Remembrance, by The Bruno Family

Sunday, November 3—Thirty First Sunday of Ordinary Time

7:00 am MC Howard Donohue, Remembrance, by Chris and Allen Smith
A. G. Hancock, Remembrance, by The Family
Laura Ann Hutchinson, Birthday Remembrance, by Mel and Loretta Hutchinson
9:00 am MC Nora Cashin, Birthday Remembrance, by Maurice Cashin and Family
Sabina Powers, Remembrance, by Jim and Matthew
Bernice and Don Hagen, Remembrance, by The Hagen Family
Lee Pluta, Remembrance, by The Hagen Family
Denise Lienhardt, Remembrance, by John and Myrtle Briggs
11:00 am MC Barbara Furlan, Remembrance, by The Family
Fr. Pat Cecil, Remembrance, by Karen Wallis
Penny Petitclair, Remembrance, by John Petitclair
Regina Castillo, Special Intention, by Lisa Filip
Janet, Hilda, John Sr., and Jay Artac, Remembrance, by Dave and Sons

A Record of our Stewardship

Jesus said, "Where your Heart is, There will your Treasure Be."

Our Stewardship of Time

Worship attendance for October 19/20

Attendance for October 19/20

Saturday 5:00 PM	261
Sunday 7:00 AM	146
9:00 AM	415
11:00 AM	<u>312</u>
Total:	1134



Attendance for October 12/13

Saturday, 5:00 PM	238
Sunday, 7:00 AM	160
9:00 AM	249
11:00 AM	<u>306</u>
Total:	953

Our Stewardship of Treasure

Offertory Collection:	\$10,826	
Sharing Parish:	\$140	<i>World</i>
Good Samaritan:	\$425	<i>Mission</i>
Children	\$17	<i>Sunday to</i>
Stole Fees:	<u>\$1,980</u>	<i>date:</i>
Total:	\$13,388	\$2653.00
Offertory Online Giving (September)	\$14,299	

I am happy to announce that \$573,744 has already been received from our To Teach Who Christ Is donations and was placed in a special savings account. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

Our Stewardship of Talent School of Religious Education (SRE)

The primary purpose of our Religious Education Program is faith formation. Faith formation is an ongoing development of the whole person into the image and likeness of Jesus Christ, Discipleship. To use the image of St. Paul "we put on Christ" so that Christ is the center of our lives. All Catholics are on the journey of faith formation. We begin this life-long journey in the waters of Baptism. The end of this journey is eternal life with Jesus in heaven. Faith formation is a school of discipleship.

We are blessed to have a fine process of faith formation here at St. Pat's. Our Religious Education Program strives to provide a solid foundation in our faith, age-appropriate to the students in our program. Responsibility for this faith formation is shared by the entire parish community, the parish School of Religious Education, the parish school and the parents. Religious education is offered for children in pre-school through eighth grade. The catechetical program reflects a vision of our Catholic Faith grounded in Scripture and Tradition. It is designed to facilitate a developing relationship with God and the Catholic church in service to the world. There are numerous volunteer opportunities available to both high school teens and adults within the program.

Contact: Fr. Jim Merold or Polly Hergenreder
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*For the weekend
beginning
Saturday, October 26 to
Sunday, October 27*

*The beautiful flowers
adoring the Sanctuary are
in Memory of All
Deceased Members of
St. Patrick Church*

*The Sanctuary Lamp is lit
in Memory of
All Deceased Members of
St. Patrick Church*



**Please remember to
set your clocks back
one hour before you go
to bed on November 2.**



***John, Sarah, Niamh
and Aideen
Crawford***

***Mauricio, Martha,
Areli, Ezekiel and
Isaac Martinez***

***Jimmy, Kai-Lin and
Sophie Moshopoulos
and Alexandra
Garner***

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847-336-0630 fax

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School

Monday- Friday

7:30 AM to 4:00 PM

847-623-8446



Mass Schedule

Weekday Mass: 6:30 AM

Tuesday-Thursday

Monday and Friday Communion Service
Main Church

Saturday Evening: 5:00 PM

Main Church

Sunday: 7:00, 9:00 and 11:00 AM

Main Church

Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:00-4:30 PM Main Church

Adoration

Wednesday: 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM

Historic Church