

ST. PATRICK'S PARISH

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November 25, 2018 - Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

The central mission of our parish is evangelization - proclaiming the Kingdom of God and seeking it before all else.

Please contact us if you have any questions about our parish, Catholic faith, personal spirituality, or parish involvement. If you are new to our parish, please contact us; we would love to meet with you! To become a registered parishioner here, please complete a parish registration form, which can be found on the bulletin table in the Gathering Area.

MASS SCHEDULE & HOURS



Mass

Saturday Vigil
5:00 p.m.

Sunday

8:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 5:00 p.m.

Monday-Friday

5:30 p.m.



Adoration

Alternate Mondays
6:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m.

Thursdays

6:00 p.m.- 9:00 p.m.

First Fridays

6:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m.



Reconciliation

Saturday
4:00 p.m. (or by appointment)



Office Hours

Tuesday- Friday
9 a.m.- 5 p.m.

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GROW IN FAITH

Baptism

In the waters of baptism we are washed clean, freed from sin, and reborn as sons and daughters of God. Please contact Deacon Mick to sign up for a baptismal preparation class.

Marriage Preparation

To prepare for marriage, you and your fiancé will meet with one of our priests or deacons for minimum of six months. If you are journeying toward marriage, please contact Deacon Mick.

Children's Faith Formation

Our children's faith formation is for Pre-K - 5th grade. We meet every Sunday morning from 10-11:15am, October - May. Contact John Barrientes.

Middle School Youth Ministry

Every Sunday from 3-5 p.m., our middle school youth come together to have fun and praise God. Contact Paige Christensen.

High School Youth Ministry

We challenge St. Patrick's Parish Youth to desire Christ in a deep and meaningful way. Join us every Sunday from 3-5 pm! Contact Paige Christensen.

Young Adult Ministry

Whether we are hiking, camping, singing music, sharing a meal, or on our knees in Adoration, Christ is our focus. We meet every Monday at 7 pm in the JPll House. Contact John Barrientes.

Young Families Adoration

Every second Thursday of the month, from 6-7pm, Adoration in the Chapel will be a welcoming space specific for those babies and toddlers with the wiggles and giggles.

Bible Studies

There are four parish opportunities to study the Bible. Catholic Scripture Study groups meet on Monday evenings, and Tuesday and Wednesday mornings. Our Thursday morning group meets to study the coming Sunday's readings. Contact LouAnn or Tom at 337-3506 for more information.

ACTS Retreats

Encounter Christ on this powerful 3-night, 3-day retreat. For more information email acts@st.patsak.org.

RCIA

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is designed to deepen the personal relationship one has with Christ while learning more about the Catholic Faith. The RCIA year begins in September and ends at Easter. Contact John Barrientes.

Men's & Women's Small Groups

As brothers and sisters united in Christ, we support one another on our spiritual journey. In small groups of 6 to 12 people, men and women meet weekly with one another to deepen their faith together. Contact John Barrientes.

S.P.R.E.D.

SPRED is religious education for our friends with special needs. We meet on Monday nights in the church. For more information contact the parish office.

Legion of Mary

We are a World Wide Service Apostolate dedicated to Mary, serving our parish and community. We meet every Tuesday, 6:15pm in the JPll House. Contact Pat Ford through the parish office.

SERVE OTHERS

Knights of Columbus

St. Patrick's Council meets on the first Wednesday of each month (Member's Only), with the social meeting on the third Wednesday (Open to All). Meeting begins at 7pm. Meetings take place in the Deacons Hall.

Brother Francis Foot Care Clinic

St. Patrick's volunteers provide service twice monthly in the Brother Francis Shelter Foot Care Ministry. Please contact the office or talk with Judy Everard, ministry coordinator, if you would like to help with this important service to our neighbors in need.

Parish Nurses

Help our parishioners stay healthy by serving as a parish nurse. Parish nurses serve our parishioners by taking blood pressures and other health screenings. Please contact the parish office for more information.

Liturgy

Join our Liturgy Teams and become a Sacristan, a Children's Liturgy of The Word Leader, an Extraordinary Minister of Communion, Lector, or Greeter! Contact the parish office if you are interested.

Music Ministry

We are always looking for parishioners to join our music ministers who lead us in song during Mass. To join one of our choirs, please approach one of our music ministers after Mass.

Children's Formation

We are always looking for adults to teach our children the faith by being strong witnesses! If you love working with children and are living out the faith joyously, contact John Barrientes to get involved.

Youth Ministry Core Team

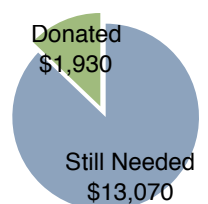
Have you ever thought about ministering to and mentoring the youth of our parish? If you're on fire with the faith and want to evangelize our youth, join our youth ministry core team! Contact Paige Christensen.

Bereavement Ministry

The Church ministers to the sorrowing and consoles them in the funeral rites with the comforting Word of God and the Sacrament of the Eucharist. Bereavement Ministry is a wonderful way to share in our parish family. Contact Bill Groom at stpatsbcak@gmail.com for more information.

Parish Missionaries

Pledge to support a St. Patrick's Parish Missionary who is volunteering a year of service in ministry to college students at UAA and APU. Donation envelopes are available in the pews.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thanksgiving Blessings 2018

Thank you to all who helped with this year's Thanksgiving Blessing Project! This past Monday we served 1,330 families here at St. Patrick's with food for their Thanksgiving dinner! Thank you to the leaders, the volunteers, and the donors who made this wonderful community outreach possible!

Parish Directory 2019

Have you made your appointment to have your picture taken to be included in our new parish photo directory? A new directory will be a great help in getting to know our fellow parishioners. Ron Kuczek of Alaska Photo Network will take the pictures and produce the directory. Ron will be in the gathering area before and after all the Masses this weekend taking appointments for photography sessions and taking pictures.. Please plan to be a part of our Parish Directory 2019!

Bulletin Inserts Online

November Parish Calendar/Climate Change Info Sheet/ Archbishop's CCHD Collection Letter/Music Ministry News

Advent Candles and Wreaths

Advent candles and wreaths will be available for purchase in the gathering area after all Masses this weekend. The proceeds from this sale will be used to purchase votive candles for the Marian Shrine through the year. Help us care for our Marian Shrine by preparing your home for Advent. Have a blessed Advent Season!

Catholic Campaign for Human Development

Thank you for your generous donations last weekend to the collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development! As a parish we raised \$3,092.30 to support those on the margins who are living in poverty in the United States. If you missed the collection, it's not too late to give. Please place your donation in this weekend's regular collection and mark it "CCHD", or visit www.usccb.org/nationalcollections and click on "How to Give" on the left. Thank you!

Brother Francis Shelter Foot Care

Our parish's next service in the Brother Francis Foot Care Ministry will be this Tuesday, November 27th, at 5pm, at the Shelter. Please contact the office or talk with Judy Everard, ministry coordinator, if you would like to help with this important service to our neighbors in need.

Solemnity of The Immaculate Conception

Saturday, December 8th, is the Solemnity of The Immaculate Conception, a Holy Day of Obligation. We will celebrate two Masses for the Solemnity, a Vigil Mass on Friday, December 7, at 5:30pm, and Mass on the Solemnity on Saturday, December 8, at 6am. Please note, the Saturday 5pm Mass on December 8 is for the Second Sunday of Advent, and will not fulfill the obligation for The Immaculate Conception. Please plan to join us for the celebration of Mass for the Solemnity on Friday evening or Saturday morning.

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish Mission

When: December 3, 4, 5 (Mon. - Wed.) 7 pm to 9 pm
Where: The Church at 2901 Huffman Road
Presented by: Fr Michael Shields. Come and find a deeper faith, a lasting hope and an eternal love in Christ. Bring a family member or friend who hasn't been in church for awhile. They will enjoy this Mission!

Mass of Remembrance

St. Patrick's Bereavement Ministry will be sponsoring the Mass of Remembrance here at St. Patrick's Parish on the 5th of December at 7pm. We have a display in the gathering area to share photos of your loved ones who have passed away. On the day of the Mass of Remembrance the photos will be placed at the front of the church for the Mass. We are requesting that photos are no larger than 5 by 7. Join us as we pray for our deceased loved ones.

Christmas Masses

The Christmas schedule will be on the St. Patrick's web page, MyParish.org, and Facebook (like us on Facebook!). Questions? Talk to any choir director or email Margaret Simmons, St. Patrick's Music Coordinator, at queenowrits@arcctc.net. Midnight Mass Rehearsals begin soon! Talk to Stephanie Williams, Traditional Choir director, for more information.

Music Ministry News

It's time to mark your calendars and warm up your voices! There are many opportunities for you to enrich your spiritual life through music. There are the Feast Days Choirs and Christmas choirs. Instrumentalists are welcome too! Simply sign up, show up for rehearsals, and sing. We regret to announce that this year's Advent Benefit Concert has been cancelled. We are planning the return of the Benefit Concert in Advent of 2019.

Seekers Group

Do you have questions about the Catholic Faith? Know someone who does, and may not yet be ready for the RCIA process? Our parish Seekers Group may be just right for you! The Seekers Group is an informal gathering for discussion of what it means to be Catholic. Please call the parish office at 337-1538 for more information. Please join us and invite a friend!

SEEK Conference 2019

The Parish Missionaries are taking St. Pat's college students to SEEK2019 in Indianapolis, Indiana, to encounter Christ and learn to joyfully live out the Gospel of the Lord! Please consider joining us on this mission by sponsoring one of our students through airline mile and monetary donations. Contact Vyvian Lucio if you feel called to join us in this mission, and if you have any questions. luciovyvian@gmail.com

Lector Workbooks for 2019

The lector workbooks for the new liturgical year beginning on December 2nd are now available on the table in the main sacristy. All lectors are invited to stop in to the sacristy after Mass and pick up your copy of the new lector workbook. Thank you for serving our parish community!

#Giving Tuesday

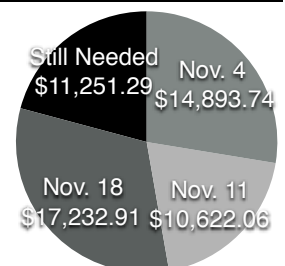
The Archdiocese of Anchorage has joined #GivingTuesday, a global day of giving that harnesses the collective power of individuals, communities and organizations to encourage philanthropy and to celebrate generosity worldwide. This year, #GivingTuesday falls on November 27. Be sure to follow the Archdiocese of Anchorage on Facebook and Instagram to learn more about #GivingTuesday.

WEEKLY COLLECTION

Goal for the Month of November:
\$54,000.00

Total Thus Far Collected:
\$42,748.71

Still Needed :**\$11,251.29**



Special Collection Schedule:

Next Weekend: Parish Building Fund

READINGS & INTENTIONS

Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Sunday - November 25, 2018

Daniel 7:13-14
Psalm 93:1, 1-2,5
Revelation 1:5-8
John 18:33b-37

Mass Intentions:

Sat. 5:00pm - Tom Nicholson, Zayle & Troy Leithead, Birthday Blessings
Sun. 8:30pm - People of the Parish
Sun. 11:30am - Rosito Corbila, R.O.S., Juan & Fely Cardano, R.O.S. Marivic Cardano & Nely Cardao, R.O.S.
Sun. 5:00pm - Christian Prado, R.O.S.

Monday - 11/26/18 - Parish Office Closed

Mass Intention: Dolly Walter, Return to Health
Revelation 18:1-3, 4b-5
Psalm 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6
Luke 21:1-4
Birthday: Princeton Sila-Lolesio

Tuesday - 11/27/18

Mass Intention: Kim Crummitt, Special Intentions
Revelation 14:14_19
Psalm 96:10, 11-12,13
Luke 21:5-11
Birthdays: Grace Callahan, Savanna Dun, Tyler Graeber

Wednesday - 11/28/18

Mass Intention: Edward & Mary Corack, Wedding Anniversary
Revelation 15:1-4
Psalm: 98:1, 2-3AB, 7-8, 9
Luke 21:12-19
Birthdays: Allysa Mae Wesierski, Scott Wesierski

Thursday - 11/29/18

Mass Intention: Shane Anderson, Birthday Blessings
Revelation 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9A
Psalm 100:1B-2, 3, 4, 5
Luke 21:20-28
Birthdays: John Braeden, Gavin Sanchez, Eros Sotelo

Friday - 11/30/18 - Feast of Saint Andrew, Apostle

Romans 10:9-18
Psalm: 19:8 9, 10, 11
Matthew 4:18-22
Birthday: Stephen Polontan

Saturday - 12/01/18

Revelation 11:4-12
Ps 144:1, 2, 9-10
Luke 20:27-40
Birthdays: Ray Anastacio, Desean King

Next Sunday - 12/02/2018

First Sunday of Advent

Jeremiah 33:14-16
Psalm 25:4-5, 8-9, 10, 14
1 Thessalonians 3:12-4:2
Luke 21:25-28, 34-36

Holy Father's November Intention:

In the Service of Peace. That the language of love and dialogue may always prevail over the language of conflict.

November 24- December 1, 2018

Sunday - November 25

Directory Photos	8am - Gath Area
Traditional Choir Rehearsal	10:45am - Church
Directory Photos	12:30pm - Church
Praise Choir Rehearsal	3pm - Church

Monday - November 26

Parish Office Closed

Catholic Scripture Study Group	6:15pm - Tara
SPRED Community	6:15pm - Hosp Rm
Young Adult Gathering	7pm - JPll LvRm

Tuesday - November 27

Brother Francis Foot Washing	5pm - Brother Francis Shelter
Rosary	5pm - Chapel
Mass	5:30pm - Chapel
Legion of Mary	6:15pm - JPll Dn Rm
RCIA	6:30pm - Tara
Praise Choir Rehearsal	7:30pm - Church
College Women's Bible Study	8pm - JPll LvRm

Wednesday - November 28

Scripture Study	10am - JPll Dn Rm
Directory Photos	4pm - 8pm - Gath Area
Rosary	5pm - Chapel
Mass	5:30pm - Chapel
CGS - Level II	6pm - JPll West
Folk Choir Rehearsal	6:30pm - Church

SCHEDULE

Thursday - November 29

Adult Faith Study Group	10am - JPll Dn Rm
Rosary	5pm - Chapel
Mass	5:30pm - Chapel
Adoration for Vocations & Proj. Rachel	6pm - Chapel
YM Core Team Meeting	6:30pm - JPll LvRm
Traditional Choir Rehearsal	7pm - Church

Friday - November 30

Rosary	5pm - Chapel
Mass	5:30pm - Chapel
YM - Archdiocese HS Dodgeball	6pm - Lumen Christi HS
Samoan Choir Rehearsal	7:30pm - Church

Saturday - December 1

SoulCore Group II	8am - Cenacle
Women's Morning of Reflection	9am - Chapel, Gath Area
SoulCore Exercise Group	9:30am - Cenacle
Youth Ministry - Service Day	11:30am - TBD
Directory Photos	3pm - Directory Photos
Contemporary Choir Rehearsal	3:45pm - Church
Confessions	4pm - Recon Rm
K of C Rosary	4:30pm - Chapel
Directory Photos	6:15pm - Directory Photos
Samonan Choir Rehearsal	6:30pm - Church
AA	8pm - Tara