

ST. PATRICK'S PARISH

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November 4, 2018 - The Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

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.

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.

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

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

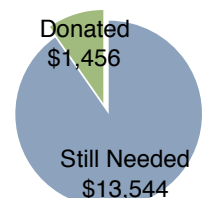
Have you ever thought about ministering to and mentoring the youth of our parish? If you're on fire with the faith and want to evangelize our youth, join our youth ministry core team! Contact Paige Christensen.

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

Holy Father's November's Intention

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

Parish Directory 2019

It's time once again for a new Parish Directory! Many members and families have joined our parish since our last directory was published some years ago. A new directory will be a great help in getting to know our fellow parishioners. Once again 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 new Parish Directory!

Bulletin Inserts Online

November Parish Calendar & Climate Change Info Sheet

Lumen Christi Open House is On Us!

You are cordially invited to Lumen Christi High School's Fall Open House and Family Dinner Night this Thursday, November 8th, from 6:00PM -8:00PM! Bring the family, enjoy dinner on us, and learn more about the exciting opportunities our school program has to offer for students in grades 7-12. Meet students, parents, and faculty members and tour our campus. Enter to win a \$50.00 Amazon gift card! If attending, please RSVP at 907-245-9231 or lchs@lumenchristiak.com by Nov 5th. We look forward to welcoming you to our school!

Going into the Grey: Spirituality of Aging

Join us on Friday, November 16, from 7-9pm, here at St. Patrick's church for two talks - "What to Give Up", "What to Hold Onto", presented by Fr. Michael Shields. (Only grey haired allowed) further info - 302-8781.

Baptism Class

Is it time for your baby or young child to be baptized? Come to the Baptism Class on Thursday, November 15th, at 7pm in the Tara Lounge. For more information, please contact the parish office at 337-1538.

The Anointing of the Sick

Our next scheduled Mass with the Anointing of the Sick will be Sunday, November 18th, at the 5pm Mass.

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.

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 the sacristy after Mass and pick up your copy of the new lector workbook. Thank you for serving our parish community!

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

Our Common Home

The issue of climate change continues to be a most urgent matter for all of us. A committee of concerned parishioners has put together an information sheet regarding this issue. If you have not yet done so, please pick up a copy from the bulletin table in the gathering area after Mass today. Also, Catholic Climate Covenant educates and equips Catholics to take action on climate change. Visit their website at www.catholicclimatecovenant.org

Security Alert

Please be sure there are no valuables left in your vehicle when you are here at the parish, and be sure to lock your vehicle. Please notify the parish office if you experience any vandalism of your vehicle when it is here on our parking lot. Thank you for your help!

Parish 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!

Truth in Love

Did you know that Archbishop Etienne has his own blog? Keep up on all of Archbishop's adventures around the Archdiocese of Anchorage by subscribing to his blog, Truth in Love, at www.archbishopetienne.com.

Kitchen Towel Round Up

Kitchen Towel Round Up: Have you helped with an event in the Deacons Hall lately and kindly taken home some dirt towels to launder? If so, Thank You! And, please bring the clean towels back -- we are running short. Please drop the towels off at the hall or at the parish office between 9am and 5pm, Tuesday through Friday. Thank you!

Lost and Found

Have you lost any key's lately? We have found several sets of keys and a few key fobs over the last several months here in the church and in other parish buildings. Please contact the parish office if you have lost any keys recently. They may have been found!

WEEKLY COLLECTION

Goal for the Month of October:
\$53,000.00

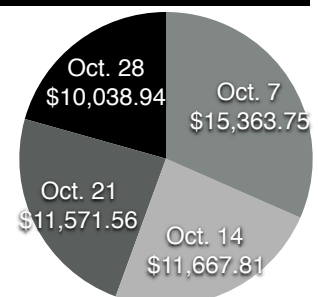
Total Collected:
\$48,642.06

Short of Goal :
\$4,357.94

Special Collection Schedule:

This Weekend: Parish Building Fund

Next Weekend: Spare Change for Thanksgiving Blessings



READINGS & INTENTIONS

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time, 2018

Sunday - November 4, 2018

Deuteronomy 6:2-6

Psalms 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51

Hebrews 7:23-28

Mark 12:28-34

Mass Intentions:

Sat. 5:00pm - Dave Carey, R.O.S.

Mary & Antoni Zych, R.O.S.

Sun. 8:30pm - Barbara Huck, R.O.S.

Sun. 11:30am - People of the Parish

Sun. 5:00pm - Dennis Riski, R.O.S.

Sunday Birthday: Madeline Miller

Monday - 11/05/18

Mass Intention: David Carey, R.O.S.

Philippians 2:1-4

Psalms 131:1bcde, 2, 3

Luke 14:12-14

Birthdays: Dai Ascencion-Manzur, Kathryn Gould, Witten

Hamey, Ji Ji Steenburgh, Lucas Weatherby

Tuesday - 11/06/18

Mass Intention: Joe Pearson, R.O.S.

Philippians 2:5-11

Psalms 22:26b-27, 28-30ab, 30e, 31-32

Luke 14:15-24

Birthdays: Angel Harrigan, Leioa Liua

Wednesday - 11/07/18

Mass Intention: John A. Ostrom III, R.O.S.

Philippians 2:12-18

Psalms 27:1, 4, 13-14

Luke 14:25-33

Birthdays: Joan Faletagoai, Killian Keller,

Christia Ranon-Bacod, Vanessa Veilleux

Thursday - 11/08/18

Philippians 3:3-8a

Psalms 112:1b-2, 5-6, 8a, & 9

Luke 15:1-10

Mass Intention: Natt Nicholson, R.O.S.

Birthdays: Ashley Bobbitt, Yadira Garcia, Kaelin Moody,

Margaret Moriarty, Mirai Moore, Hyatt Ruhl

Friday - 11/09/18 - Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome

Mass Intention: Inge Boyden, Special Intentions

Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12

Psalms 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9

Luke 16:9-15

Birthday: Koby Herrell

Saturday - 11/10/18 - Memorial of Saint Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church

Mass Intention: Kathy Rabinovitch

Philippians 4:10-19

Psalms 42:2, 3, 5

Luke 14:1, 7-11

Birthday: Elyas Badillo

Next Sunday - 11/11/2018

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 Kings 17:10-16

Psalms 146:7, 8-9, 9-10

Hebrews 9:24-28

Mark 12:38-44

November 4, - November 10, 2018

Sunday - November 4

Daylight Saving Time Ends

Directory Photos

8am - 11:15am, Gath. Area

CGS - Level 1

10am - Atrium

Traditional Choir Rehearsal

10:45am - Church

Abaze Potluck

12:30pm - Dcns. Hall

Directory Photos

12:30pm - Church

Men's ACTS Retreat Return Reception

12:30pm - Dcns. Hall

Abaze - Parent/Catechist Formation

Dcns Hall, Church

CGS - Level II

3pm - JP II West

Praise Choir Rehearsal

3pm - Church

Youth Ministry (Middle School & HS)

3pm - Dcns Hall, JP II All

Directory Photos

6:15pm - Gath Area

Monday - November 5

Parish Office Closed

Rosary

5pm - Chapel

Mass

5:30pm - Chapel

SPRED Community

6:15pm - Chapel, Hosp Rm

Pastoral Council

7pm - Tara

Young Adult Gathering

7pm - JP II LvRm

Tuesday - November 6

General Election

7am-8pm - Dcns. Hall

Directory Photos

4pm - Gath. Area

Rosary

5pm - Chapel

Mass

5:30pm - Chapel

Legion of Mary

6:15pm - JP II Dn Rm

RCIA

6:30pm - Tara

Praise Choir Rehearsal

7:30pm - Church

College Women's Bible Study

8pm - JP II LvRm

SCHEDULE

Wednesday - November 7

Scripture Study

10am - JP II Dn Rm, JP II Lv Rm

Directory Photos

4pm - Gath. Area

Rosary

5pm - Chapel

Mass

5:30pm - Chapel

M-ACTS Team Return Meeting

6:15pm - JP II DnRm, Lv Rm

Folk Choir Rehearsal

6:30pm - Church

Knights of Columbus

7pm - Dcns. Hall

Thursday - November 8

Adult Faith Study Group

10am - JP II Dn Rm

Directory Photos

4pm - Gath. Area

Rosary

5pm - Chapel

Mass

5pm - Chapel

Adoration for Vocations & Proj. Rachel

6pm - Chapel

YM Core Team Meeting

6:30pm - Tara

Traditional Choir Rehearsal

7pm - Church

Friday - November 9

Rosary

5pm - Chapel

Mass

5:30pm - Church

Samoan Choir Rehearsal

7:30pm - Church

Saturday - November 10

SoulCore Group II

8am - Cenacle

Women's ACTS Penecost Event

9am - Chapel, Dcns. Hall

SoulCore Exercise Group

9:30am - Cenacle

Directory Photos

3pm - Gath. Area

Contemporary Choir Rehearsal

3:45pm - Church

Confessions

4pm - Recon Rm

K of C Rosary

4:30pm - Chapel

Directory

6:15pm - Gath. Area

Samoan Choir Rehearsal

7:30pm - Church

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8pm - Tara