please note: No Saturday 06/06/2020 4pm Mass... Mass times are subject to change as circumstances change. 

mass intentions: May 30th - June 7th

Sat 4pm  *Tom Mansfield (Mary Munoz)
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Sun 7:30am  *Ron Perez (John & Sonja Schibi)
Sun 8am  *Byron Carter (Carl & Donna Treiber)
10:30am  Helen O’Bryan (Bill & Joan Pearson)

Mon, No Mass  * Rosy “Rosie” M. Smith (Mary Munoz)
* While away Fr. Curtis will offer his daily Mass for this intention.

Tue 5:30pm  Leo Bogner Family
Wed 8am  Jason & Mary Sharp
Thu 8am  Prudencia & Sara Munoz (Mary Munoz)
First Friday 8am  Urban Freiss (Paul & Diane Kraus)

Next weekend’s intentions

Sat 5:00pm  Mary McMillan (Family)
Sun 7:30am  The People of St. Patrick Parish
10:30am  *Charlene Taylor (Marjorie Troy)
Brown Family (Mary Brown)

What’s happening at St. Patrick’s this week:

Mon June 1  *Rosary in the Church 7:30am
* No Mass today 8:00am
Tue June 2  *Mass 5:30pm
Wed June 3  *Rosary in the Church 7:30am
*Mass 8:00am
Thu June 4  *Mass 8:00am
Fri June 5  *Day of Penance: abstention from meat, prayer and works of mercy, reading of Scripture for an outpouring of God’s mercy and the Holy Spirit’s gifts of holiness and strength upon the Church.
* Rosary in the Church 7:30am
* First Friday Mass 8:00am
Sat June 6  *Rosary in the Church 6:30am
* Cursillo 7:00am
* First Saturday Confessions 7:30am
* First Saturday Mass 8:00am
* Confessions 3:30pm
* Mass 5:00pm
Sun June 7  *Mass 7:30am
* Mass 9:00am
* Mass 10:30am

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Please Pray for:
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St. Patrick Parishioners, you may still mail, or please use the mail slot as well, at the rectory, for your church contributions and your candle donations. Thank you.

Stewardship Bulletin Reflection
May 31, 2020
Pentecost Sunday

Throughout our readings today, we see the amazing truth that the Holy Spirit gives us gifts and guidance in a very personal way. We are meant to use these gifts to build up the Body of Christ in a way that is unique to each one of us.

Our first reading, from the Acts of the Apostles, recalls the dramatic moment when the Holy Spirit was poured out upon the apostles. Suddenly there came from the sky a noise like a strong driving wind, and it filled the entire house in which they were. Then there appeared to them tongues as of fire, which parted and came to rest on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in different tongues, as the Spirit enabled them to proclaim.

Notice how personal and individual this outpouring of the Spirit. This personalized way of “gifting” the apostles allowed them each to reach different people, sharing with them the “mighty acts of God.”

Embracing the stewardship way of life means that we allow the Holy Spirit to guide us in the best use of the unique gifts He has given to each of us, to accomplish the particular mission entrusted to us. Jesus gives us this mission in our Gospel passage from John. “As the Father has sent me, so I send you.” But we must not let this responsibility overwhelm us. Jesus Himself, tells us so — “Peace be with you.”

As this Easter season comes to a close, let us be at peace. And let us resolve to lean on the Holy Spirit more and more as our guide through the stewardship way of life.

June - 2020 Prayer List

Please Pray for:

Treasure Within
An old beggar lay on his deathbed. His last words were to his youngest son who had been his constant companion during his begging trips. “Dear son,” he said, “I have nothing to give you except a cotton bag and a dirty bronze bowl which I got in my younger days from the junk yard of a rich lady.” After his death, the boy continued begging, using the bowl his father had given him. One day a gold merchant dropped a coin in the boy’s bowl, and he was surprised to hear a familiar clinking sound. “Let me check your bowl,” the merchant said. To his great surprise, he found that the beggar’s bowl was made of pure gold. “My dear young man,” he said, “why do you waste your time begging? You are a rich man. That bowl of yours is worth at least thirty thousand dollars.” We Christians are often like this beggar boy who failed to recognize and appreciate the value of his bowl. We fail to appreciate the infinite worth of the Holy Spirit living within each one of us, sharing His gifts and fruits and charisms with us. On this major feast day, we are invited to experience and appreciate the transforming, sanctifying and strengthening presence of the Holy Spirit within us. This is also a day for us to renew the promises made to God during our Baptism and Confirmation, to renew our profession of Faith, and to begin anew practice it faithfully, every day.

“Every cross we have brings us closer to the Lord, because it detaches us. It’s easy to have faith when times are good. It’s in the cross that our faith is proven.”

Mother Angelica

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St. Vincent dePaul will open: June 1st, 2020

With the following Guidelines:

1. ADULTS ONLY
2. NO CHILDREN IN STORE AT THIS TIME
3. ALL SHOPPERS MUST WEAR A MASK (bring your own)

Thank you for your Patience and Understanding.

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