Please note: Mass times are subject to change as circumstances change.

MASS INTENTIONS: June 6th - June 14th

Sun 6am Mary McMillan (Family)
Sun 7:30am The People of St. Patrick Parish
Sun 8am Charlene Taylor (Marjorie Troy)
10:30am Brown Family (Mary Brown)
Mon 8:00am Richard C Johnsen (Richard & Darlene)
Tue 5:30pm Raymond Johnsen (Richard & Darlene)
Wed 8am Mary Lou Beachner (Vincent & Mary Schibi)
Thu 8am Brucie Bradbury (John & Sonja Schibi)
Friday 8am John "Jack" George (George Family)

NEXT WEEKEND'S INTENTIONS
Sat 6:00am St. Patrick's Class of 1970
Sun 7:30am The People of St. Patrick Parish
8am Steve Bradbury (Kristen Bradbury)
10:30am St. Patricks First Communicants

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT ST. PATRICK'S THIS WEEK:
Mon June 8 *Rosary in the Church 7:30am
*Mass 8:00am
Tue June 9 *Mass 5:30pm
Wed June 10 *Rosary in the Church 7:30am
*Mass 8:00am
Thu June 11 *Mass 8:00am
Fri June 12 *Day of Penance; abstinence from meat, prayer and works of mercy, reading of Sacred 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
*Mass 8:00am
Sat June 13 *Rosary in the Church 6:30am
*Confessions 7:00am
*Church Cleaning 8:00am
*Confessions 3:30pm
Mass 5:00pm
Sun June 14 *Mass 7:30am
*Mass 9:00am
*1st Communion Mass 10:30am

Thank You
To all who give their time and talents beautifying our church and church grounds, designing altar flowers, planting, watering, mowing, weeding and cleaning. We are blessed...

Pray for the Living and the Departed

Please Pray for: Peace and Unity
Eternal Rest Grant Unto Him or Her
Eternal Rest Grant Unto Him or Her Lord
Eternal Rest Grant Unto Him or Her Lord Eddie Edson of Regina Edson
Let Perpetual Light Shine Upon Him, may He Rest in Peace.
Eternal Rest Grant Unto Her or Lord, Cecilia "Shesta" Leon, sister to Vicki, Paula, John, Marjorie, Jack, and Helen. Let Perpetual Light Shine Upon Her, may She Rest in Peace.

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

Stewardship Bulletin Reflection
June 7, 2020

Today we celebrate the feast of the Most Holy Trinity. The Catechism of the Catholic Church tells us that the Holy Trinity is the "central mystery of the Christian faith" (261). The concept of the Triune God — Three Persons in one God — is truly a mystery, almost too lofty for us ordinary people to even begin to grasp. Can the truth of the Holy Trinity teach us anything as everyday Christian stewards? Absolutely, yes!

St. John Paul II described the Holy Trinity as a "Divine Family," a community of Persons Who give themselves completely to each other and Who wishes to share itself, its life, with us. These concepts are at the very heart of the stewardship way of life. As stewards, we too, are called to share ourselves and our lives with others.

Our Gospel passage from John reminds us that the stewardship way of life is nothing more and nothing less than the imitation of our Most Holy Trinity. "God loved the world that he gave his only Son so that everyone who believes might not perish but might have eternal life." He gave himself in person of His Son, for love of us. We must love this God back now by giving our-selves, our lives, to Him.

Amazingly, the more we give of ourselves to God in love, the more we will find the "grace of the Lord, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit" within us. The God of the universe — this mysterious, Triune God — invites us to an ever-deepening intimacy with Him when we make our lives a loving gift to Him and to others through the stewardship way of life.

Wanting to know more about your Catholic Faith? Find Out How to Learn More: FORMED.org
Our online resource with a lot of different Catholic programs, movies, books, and talks, designed to be accessible anywhere and anytime on smartphones, tablets and computers. This tool is open to ALL parishioners of St. Patrick Catholic Church in Parsons. All you have to do is sign up and you'll be equipped to learn, experience, or even teach your Catholic faith (in ways like never before. Start a group or a bible study, and watch any number of catechetical videos provided through this website. It's that easy. All there. And it's all free.

HOW TO SIGN-UP:
1. Follow the link to formed.org
2. Use the Parish Access Code: N4XHFG
3. Follow the instructions and register
4. Explore, Learn, or Teach;

St. John Paul II, Pope of the Church and Doctor of the Church, wrote: "A proper understanding of the concept of the Trinity is the key to understanding the Church herself. The Church is the visible sign and instrument of this communion of the Holy Trinity in the world..." He described the Church as "the mystical Body of Christ" or the "ecclesia" which is Latin for "assembly" or "congregation," and jointed to Christ by faith, sacraments, and mission.

The Mystery of man created by a mysterious Triune God
How complex and mind-boggling is our physical construction! Chemically, the body is unequalled for complexity. Each one of its 30 trillion cells is a mini chemical factory that performs about 10,000 chemical functions. With its 206 bones, 639 muscles, 4 million pain sensors. In the skin, 750 million air sacs in the lungs, 16 million nerve cells and 30 trillion cells in total, the human body is remarkably designed for life. And the brain! The human brain and nervous system is the most complex arrangement of matter anywhere in the universe. One scientist estimated that our brain, on the average, processes over 10,000 thoughts and concepts each day. Three billion DNA pairs in a fertilized egg control all human activities, 30, 000 genes making 90, 000 proteins in the body. Bill Bryson in his book, A Short History of Nearly Everything, says it is a miracle that we even exist. Trillions of atoms come together for approximately 650,000 hours (74 years calculated as the average span of human life), and then begin to silently disassemble and go off to other things. There never was something like it before and there never will be something like it again. But for 650,000 hours the miracle or mystery that is uniquely us, exists. One could spend many years just dealing with the marvelous intricacies and majesty of God's creation. We are, as the Psalmist states "fearfully and wonderfully made." No wonder we cannot understand the mystery of a Triune God!

Month of the Sacred Heart
The Month of June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart. The Church celebrates the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus on the Friday following the second Sunday after Pentecost. In addition to the liturgical celebration, many devotional exercises are connected with the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Of all devotions, devotion to the Sacred Heart was, and remains, one of the most widespread and popular in the Church. Understood in the light of the Scriptures, the term "Sacred Heart of Jesus" denotes the entire mystery of Christ, the totality of his being, and his person considered in its most intimate essential: Son of God, uncreated wisdom; infinite charity, principal of the salvation and sanctification of mankind. The "Sacred Heart" is Christ, the Word Incarnate, Saviour, intrinsically containing, in the Spirit, an infinite divine-human love for the Father and for his brothers.

Thank you
We would like to Thank, Fr. Robertson for the beautiful funereal mass for Byron. Thanks to Joe Stringer for making the livestream possible and Fr. Labenz for coming over to our home, and for all the prayers, cards, masses, flowers and remembrances to Byron's memorial. God Bless. The Byron Carter Family

Free Online Prayer Resources:
Word Among Us: https://wau.org/meditations/
Magnificant: https://us.magnificat.net/free
Eucharistic Adoration: https://www.ewtn.co.uk/live/adoration

God, grant me the serenity to accept
the things I cannot change,
courage to change the things I can,
wisdom to know the difference.

June - 2020 Prayer List

Please Pray for: Don Hudson, Matt Rogers, Lorene Kneidgen,
Charlotte Fries, Janelle Carson, Carl Yockey, Carl Johnson, April
Stanton, Caleb Thaddeus Fent, Lorrie Nutter, Howard and Barbara
Westhoff, Jennifer Hanson, Judy Cupp, Gage Cupp, Kerri Heiskell,
Jack Finnerty, John Joseph Finttney, Donna Keller, Esther Ponce,
Martha Davenport, Tim & Chris Hurley, Jim & Janie Schibi, JoAnn
O’Brien Grace, Joe Heppler, Jack Watson, Micah Martin,
Donna George, Liz Turner, Dave Turk, Julie
George Laforge, Kristen Bradbury, (Kristen Bradbury)

Pray for Families

†Steve Bradbury     (Kristen Bradbury)
†Richard C Johnsen  (Richard & Darlene)
†Mary Lou Beachner. (Vince & Mary Schibi)
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