

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

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We, the St. Patrick's Parish Family, are a Roman Catholic community of sons and daughters of God the Father who are empowered by the Holy Spirit to commit our lives to worship, prayer, compassion, service, education and sharing our Faith in our Lord Jesus Christ and His Gospel with all others.

The Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

✕ **October 11, 2015**

CLERGY

Rev. Joseph F. Bisignano
Pastor

Rev. Thomas E. Kreiser
Parochial Vicar

Rev. Jeffrey M. Pomeisl
Parochial Vicar

Rev. Msgr. Dermot R. Brennan
Pastor Emeritus

Rev. John P. McDonagh
Retired Priest in Residence

Deacon Richard R. Scheibe

PARISH STAFF

School Principal
Darlene DelVecchio.....962-2211

Religious Education Director
Kelly Vardakas.....962-5586

**Minister to Homebound
& Hospitalized**
Sr. Sheila Kelly, RGS.....962-5050

Parenting Education
Nan Gollogly.....962-5050

Music Ministry
Kathy Lewis, *Director*962-5050
Barbara Castrataro, *Organist*

Parish Secretary
Ann-Marie Treanor962-5050

Youth Group
Chris & Megan Genn.....962-5050

CREDO-Young Adult Group
Fr. Jeffrey Pomeisl.....962-5050

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday:
9:00 am to 12:00 noon,
1:00 pm to 9:00 pm
Saturday: 9:00 am to 9:00 pm
Sunday: 9:00 am to 9:00 pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Monday - Friday immediately after the 6:55AM Mass and 8:30 to 8:55AM.
Saturdays immediately after 9:00AM Mass, and 4:00 to 5:00PM.

BAPTISM PREPARATION

Parents should come to the Rectory to pick up a Baptism Preparation Package to begin the process for Baptism.

MATRIMONY

Since Catholic marriage requires a time of preparation, arrangements should begin at least six months before the proposed date of the wedding. Parishioners who are registered can make arrangements of date and time only after speaking with the Pastor.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please contact the Rectory.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

We welcome adults considering membership in the Catholic Church and those Catholics desiring to complete their initiation to inquire into the RCIA process.



SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE †

Main Church

Saturday 5:15 pm
Sunday 7:45, 9:15, 11:00 am,
12:30 & 5:00 pm

Stone Church

Sunday 9:00 & 10:30 am

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE †

Monday - Friday 6:55 & 9:00 am
Advent & Christmas 12:00 Noon
Lent & Easter 12:00 Noon
Saturday 9:00 am

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. October 12 - Columbus Day
 6:55am Frances Brophy
 9:00am Rosa & Francesco Bucciero

Tues. October 13
 6:55 Lauro Dimaranan
 9:00am Charles "Chuck" S. Kerr

Wed. October 14 - St. Callistus I, Pope & Martyr
 6:55am John Pesce
 9:00am John Curreri

Thurs. October 15 - St. Theresa of Jesus, Virgin & Doctor of the Church
 6:55am Maryanne Barranco-Byrne
 9:00am Clement & Helen Adams

Fri. October 16 - St. Hedwig, Religious & St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin
 6:55am Robert T. Sullivan
 9:00am Laurence "Harvey" Foster

Sat. October 17 - St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop & Martyr
 9:00am Joseph Taibi (Stone Church)
 5:15pm Ralph F. Lewis, Jr.

Sun. October 18 - World Mission Sunday
 7:45am Jason Papa
 9:00am Mary & Michael Healy
 9:15am Dorothy Matero
 10:30am Eugene D'Alessandro
 11:00am For the People of St. Patrick's
 12:30pm Francesco Morgante
 5:00pm Dennis S. Lota

Collection - October 4, 2015	
Weekly Collection Last Year	\$22,281.00
Weekly Collection This Year	\$22,172.00
Weekly Children's Collection Last Year	\$ 388.00
Weekly Children's Collection This Year	\$ 261.00
September Parish Pay Last Year	\$23,137.73
September Parish Pay This Year	\$25,335.73

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Sunday:	Wis 7:7-11; Heb 4:12-13; Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27
Monday:	Rom 1:1-7; Lk 11:29-32
Tuesday:	Rom 1:16-25; Lk 11:37-41
Wednesday:	Rom 2:1-11; Lk 11:42-46
Thursday:	Rom 3:21-30; Lk 11:47-54
Friday:	Rom 4:1-8; Lk 12:1-7
Saturday:	Rom 4:13, 16-18; Lk 12:8-12
Sunday:	Is 53:10-11; Heb 4:14-16; Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45

Monday, October 12 - Columbus Day	
7:00am	AA (LC)
9:45am	Parentcare (PCH) CLOSED
4:15pm	Choristers Grds. 5-8 (EC 109/110) CLOSED
4:30pm	Basketball (Gym)
4:30pm	Rel. Ed. (100, 117, 107/108) CLOSED
7:00pm	Bible Study (PCH, PCM, Lib) CLOSED
7:30pm	Baptism Preparation Class (101)
7:30pm	Boy Scouts (Gym)
Tuesday, October 13	
7:00am	AA (LC)
9:45am	Film (PCM)
1:00pm	St. Patrick's PARISH Senior Meeting (PCM)
4:30pm	Basketball (CLOSED)
4:30pm	Rel. Ed. (EC 100,117,107/108/ 109/110)
6:00pm	Bereavement (PCM)
6:30pm	Confession Grp. A & B (MC)
7:00pm	W/W Pot Luck Dinner (PCH)
7:00pm	Pastoral Council Board Meeting (Rect)
7:30pm	Adult Choir (MC)
Wednesday, October 14	
7:00am	AA (LC)
9:45am	Parentcare Blessing of Little Children (PCH)
12:00pm	SPS Senior Citizen's Tea (Gym)
1:00pm	Problems With Food - OA (LC)
2:30pm	Girl Scout Trp 1493 (107/108)
4:30pm	Rel. Ed. (Blding A & B)
4:30pm	Basketball (Gym)
6:30pm	Confirmation Rehearsal (MC)
7:00pm	Girl Scout Leader Meeting EC 107/108)
7:00pm	AA (LC)
7:30pm	RCIA (Rect)
7:30pm	Teen Choir (MC)
7:30pm	Al-Anon (EC 109/110)
Thursday, October 15	
7:00am	AA (LC)
9:45am	Bible Study (PCH,PCM, Lib)
4:30pm	Rel. Ed. (Bldg. A & B)
4:30pm	Choristers Grds. 3-4 (109/110)
4:30pm	Basketball (Gym)
4:30pm	Rel. Ed. (Building A & B)
6:30pm	Confirmation Rehearsal (MC)
7:00pm	Bible Study (107/108/109/110)
7:30pm	Adult Choir (MC)
8:00pm	Prayer Meeting (PCM)
Friday, October 16	
7:00am	AA (LC)
4:30pm	Basketball (Gym) CLOSED
7:00pm	SPA Halloween Party (Gym)
7:00pm	AA (LC)
Saturday, October 17	
7:00am	AA (LC)
7:00am	Emmaus Men's Ministry (EC 107/108)
10:00am	Confirmation (MC)
1:30pm	Confirmation (MC)
6:30pm	Basketball (Gym)
Sunday, October 18	
8:00am	AA (LC)
10:15am	Hospitality (PCH)
10:15am	Library Open
2:00pm	Basketball (Gym)
3:00pm	Pastoral Council Town Hall Meeting (PCH)
3:00pm	Boy Scout Pope Pius XII (PCM)
8:00pm	AA (LC)

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Wedding

Robert Komorowski & Carolyn Garcia
Sunday, October 11, 2015, 3:00pm, Main Church
Gerald Manley, Jr. & Laura Mammato
Saturday, October 17, 2015, 4:00pm, Stone Church

Seniors - You're Invited! The St. Patrick's School 5th grade students will host their Annual Senior Citizens' Tea on **Wednesday, October 14th** from 12:00 to 1:30PM (doors open at 11:45AM) in the School Auditorium. Tea, coffee and a variety of baked goods will be served. Please call 962-2211.

St. Patrick's Widows' and Widowers' Support Club will meet **Tuesday, October 13** at 7:00pm in the Parish Center Hall. (845) 628-4279.

High School Open Houses:

Kennedy Catholic High School
Sunday, October 18, 1:00 - 4:00pm
Wednesday, October 21, 7:00 - 9:00pm
(914) 232-5061; kennedycatholic.org

The Ursuline High School
Saturday, October 31, 12:30 - 3:30pm
914 500-6212; Ursulinenewrochelle.org

Iona Preparatory
Saturday, October 24, 12:00 - 3:00pm
Wednesday, October 28, 6:30 - 8:00pm
(914) 600-6154, brobertson@ionaprep.org

Save the Date: Irish American Social Club Dance, **November 6, 7:00 - 11:00pm, Parish Center Hall.** Contact: Mary Murray, 245-7211

Pack 173 is having their Annual Christmas Wreath Sale the weekend October 24/25. NEW ITEMS for sale and delivery will be earlier (week of 11/16). Contact: Regina, 245-2288.

The Altar Bread & Wine used in the **Main Church** this week were donated by Robert & MaryLou Whalen in loving memory of:

Don Winant

The Sanctuary Lamp burning in the **Main Church** this week was donated by The Papa & Calbi Families in loving memory of:

Mary Tirico

The Sanctuary Lamp burning in the **Main Church Chapel** this week was donated by Danielle Fennesy in loving memory of:

Michael F. Colombo

The Altar Bread & Wine used in the **Stone Church** this week were donated by Peter & Marie Tortora in loving memory of:

Carmen Licitra

UNANNOUNCED MASS INTENTIONS:

Deceased: Keith O'Neill(2), Mary Maguire, Monica Burns, Lillian Bruno, Balvino Cruz, Frank Sprovieri, Dorothy Tetro(2), Margaret Keaney(2), Dorothy Tetro

Special Intentions: Mary & Michael Flaherty

Important: *Saturday, October 17 & October 24, 9:00AM* Mass will be held in the **Stone Church**. This change has been made due to the heavy flow of traffic expected for Confirmation Masses. In addition, confessions will **NOT** be heard on these Saturday *morning*s.

If you are seriously ill at home or in the hospital or are having major surgery and would like a visit please notify Sr. Sheila Kelly @ 962-5050.

Adult Faith Formation. Presentation: *The Crisis of Human Trafficking* given by Sr. Mary Ellen O'Boyle, S.C., **Wednesday, October 14th**, at Elizabeth Ann Seton Church, Memorial Chapel, 10:00 - 11:30AM.

St. Joseph's Corner: The Ministry for Families hosted the first St. Joseph's Workshop last week. We invite all of our parishioners to come to our next Workshop on Friday, November 13th at 7:00 pm. We want all of our families to grow closer to Jesus each day. In that spirit, we will have each week in the bulletin some ways that your family can grow in holiness. *One of the best ways to grow in holiness is to make Sunday the Lord's Day.* You can begin by attending Mass together as a family. Then for the rest of the day, try to spend time enjoying each other and relaxing together. Six days is enough time to get your work done. Try to avoid doing even laundry if you can. The more you can respect the Lord's Day, the more you will be able to count and enjoy God's blessings to your family.

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Attention parents of infants, toddlers and pre-schoolers: You and your children are invited to a special **Blessing of Little Children** that will take place on Wednesday, **October 14th** at 10:00am in the Parish Center Hall. This child-friendly ceremony offers parents a grace-filled opportunity to pray with and for their children as each child receives a special blessing and a medal from one of our Parish priests. Please plan to join us for this simple but meaningful ceremony – you’ll enjoy it and so will the children!

All Parishioners are Invited to a Town Hall style meeting sponsored by St. Patrick’s Pastoral Council. This meeting will be take place on **Sunday, October 18** in the Parish Center Hall from 3:00 to 4:30pm. Parishioners are invited to ask questions, make comments, and offer recommendations. Parishioners unable to attend the meeting are encouraged to place comments and questions in the suggestion box located in the Main Church lobby.

The Centering Prayer Group will be attending a retreat day at Mariandale on **October 17**. The next Saturday, October 24 we will meet in the basement of the Stone Church at the conclusion of the 9:00am Mass due to the Confirmation schedule. Additionally, all parishioners are invited to attend a movie showing of *The Rising Tide of Silence* on **Friday, October 30**, at 7:00pm in the Parish Center Hall.

Columbus Day Mass in Italian
Saturday, October 10 at 11:00am

Church of the Holy Spirit, Cortlandt Manor, NY
Booklets will be available for those who need to follow the Mass in English.

Espresso and pastries to follow the Mass.

Bonanza


Tickets \$50 each
\$100 Awarded Each Day
October 22nd to October 30th
\$500 Awarded on October 31st
\$100 Awarded Each Day
November 1st to
November 9th
\$500 Awarded on November 10th
20 Changes to Win. Winning names
returned to hopper and may be drawn
again - and again!



St. Patrick’s Library will show the inspiring conclusion of the video **The Gift of Love** on **Tuesday, October 13** after the 9:00am Mass and Rosary. Teenager Daniel Huff has worked hard at football, and believes he has a good chance to make a top-ranked college team. Now Daniel faces a heart-wrenching choice that could force him to give up his dream.

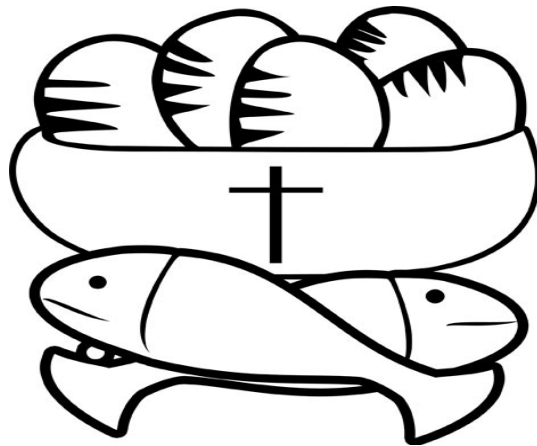
A Cluster Prayer Meeting will be held on **Thursday, October 29** at 7:45pm in the Parish Hall. Our guest speaker, Fr. Anthony Sorgie, will speak on **“Ransomed, Healed, Restored, Forgiven. The Truth About Reconciliation”**. Join us to praise God in song, hear His word in Scripture and share what God is doing in our lives. This prayer meeting is sponsored by the Catholic Charismatic Prayer Groups of Northern Westchester and Putnam. All are welcome. Information: Joan at 526-6538.



Gifts from Bethlehem, Olivewood Handcrafted from the Holy Land. A representative will be here this weekend. In recent years, the holy crafts trade, as well as Christians, has suffered many hardships due to social and economic pressures. Sixty five years ago the Christians represented more than 28% of the total population of the Holy Land, today they are less than 1.5%. The loss of Christians in the land of Christianity’s birth will represent a tragedy of immeasurable proportions for the billions of Christians worldwide. Thank you for your vital support.

St. Patrick’s PARISH Senior Club will meet **Tuesday, October 13** at 1:00pm in the Parish Center Meeting room. Guest speaker: 1:30pm, Cardiologist, Dr. Craig D. Hametz - Hudson Valley Medical Group. New Members Welcome.

“Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!” Find out how to have more joy in your marriage on a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend**. Contact: www.wwme.org or call 877-NYS-WWME, ext. 3.



We are blessed to have a faithful parish community where we are able to witness the Word of the Lord each week.

Part of the *Sharing Our Gifts* campaign is to encourage stewardship. Let us share the gifts that we are blessed with.

Please consider sacrificially increasing your weekly offering.

To enroll in electronic giving,

visit www.parishpay.com

or call

1-866-727-4741 ext.1