ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH



Sunday Masses Saturday: 4:0 4:00pm and 5:30pm Sunday: 7:00am, 9:00am, 11:00am

Weekday Masses 7:00am: Mond Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday Wednesday Communion Service

7:00am:

Holy days

5:30pm

Holy Days: 7:00am and 5:30pm

Sacrament of Baptism
First Sunday of each month at 12:00 noon. Parents are asked to contact the rectory to schedule their child's Baptism.

<u>Sacrament of Reconciliation</u> Fr. James 413-213-6635 Fridays at 5-7pm or call for a more convenient time.

Sacrament of the Sick Fr. James 413-213-6635 Third Sunday of each month following the 11am Mass or call if in néed.

Sacrament of Marriage Engaged couples are invited to contact the Rectory as soon as the decision to marry has been made. Please consider a visit with us before making additional arrangements, at least 9 months in advance of the wedding date desired.

Home and Hospital Visits Deacon David - 413-213-6625

Please notify us if anyone is ill, in the hospital, or at home and if anyone is unable to come to church because of illness, handicap, or age.

St. Patrick's Prayer Line
If you or somebody you know needs our prayers, please feel free to call or text THE PRAYER LINE, so that we can pray for your intention. Call or Text 532-PRAY (7729) or Email: st532pray@gmail.com.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults - 413-532-2850

Bulletin Deadline- The deadline for copy material is ten days before the Sunday it will appear.

Religious Education Program - 413-213-6624

stpatdre@outlook.com

Classes held in the Social Center:

9:00am - 10:30 am.....Grades 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 Saturday: Sunday: 9:00am - 11:00 am......Grades preK, K,1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6

(9:00am Family Mass, followed by class)

Spiritual Life Program- Deepens appreciation of Sacraments. Sacred Scripture, Church Life and Prayer with programs and outreach to all families of the parish.

Eucharistic Prayer and Adoration - St. Patrick's Church will be open from 8:00am to 3:00pm weekdays. You may enter through the side door nearest the rectory. Eucharistic Adoration and Exposition takes place on Friday's from 3-4:30pm.

Parish Membership

We welcome all newcomers to our parish community and we hope that you will take an active part in the life of the parish. Kindly register at the rectory.

E-Giving- If you'd like to participate in our E-Giving program, please complete the form found on the rectory porch and return to the collection basket or rectory. This service is without cost to you or the parish and your entire gift goes to the parish. If you have any questions, please contact the rectory.

St. Patrick's Pastoral Council

Deacon David Bergeron, Anne Blaney-Perez, Diane Godek, Linda Komer, Rochelle Langevin, Kara Mercier, Art Monfette, Cathy Monfette, Nina Nedrebo, Fr. James Nolte, Kelly O'Connor, Nicole Percy, Steve Werenski



Saturday, July 13

4:00 PM— James "Jimmy" Mungall

By his Sisters

5:30 PM— Sandy O'Connell

By Tom and Bonnie Mullahy

Sunday, July 14

7:00 AM—The Roy and Van Belle Family By Family

9:00AM—Clement Blanchet

By his Wife and Children

11:00 AM—Frank Jesionowski

By Family

Monday, July 15

7:00 AM— "Brud" Riley

By Barbara Riley Ripa

Tuesday, July 16

7:00 AM— Brad Winfield

By Family

Wednesday, July 17

7:00 AM— Service

Thursday, July 18

7:00 AM - Richard Fulton

By his wife Barbara

Friday, July 19

7:00 AM— Parishioners

Saturday, July 20

4:00 PM— Stella Padykula

By Mr. & Mrs. Bernie Gay

5:30 PM— Kathryne Van Handle

By Family

Sunday, July 21

7:00 AM—Edwidge and Francis Johnson

By Peg Johnson

9:00AM—Eugenie Cote

By Cindy, Melanie, Tanya and Mario

11:00 AM—Arthur Gauthier

By his Wife



Our Tabernacle Lamp burns this week for the intention of

Gerard Blanchette By Denise and Dianne

Please call the Rectory to reserve the lamp



June 29th & 30th \$6956.00 July 6th & 7th \$10,239.20

FROM OUR PASTOR'S DESK

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Once I asked a fallen-away Catholic friend of mine what he remembered about the parish priest from his youth. He said, "He was a gentle, nice guy. Kind of vanilla. Kept to himself." It struck me that he, perhaps like many, perceive Catholic priests as the following: lonely, harmless, and self-sufficient. As a challenge both to this perception (accurate or not) and to us priests who perhaps feel a pull in that uninspiring direction, stands the mighty image of what we see in the Gospel this Sunday.

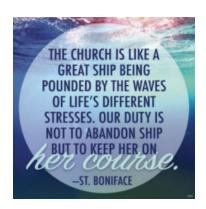
Jesus sent out his apostles, "two-by-two, with power over demons, and without money belts." Two-by-two: they enjoyed deep fellowship and brotherhood. Power over demons: they were anything but harmless. These men wielded enormous power against evil. Without money belts: they were not self-sufficient. They needed others to help them. Not lonely, but in community. Not harmless but armed with massive spiritual energy. Not self-sufficient, but poor and in need of help.

This is a challenge to me, and perhaps to all of us, living in a rich, secularized, and individualized culture. Do I embrace my priestly ministry in deep fellowship with other priests? Do I speak and act boldly to drive out evil where it is found? Do I live poorly and simply, trusting in the help of those around me even for basic needs? The fruitfulness of priestly ministry largely depends on these three traits. Let's pray for all priests — and, by extension, all of us Christians — to live more like Jesus' communal, poor, and powerful apostles.

— Father John Muir ©LPi

Today's Prayer

The prophet hears what God proclaims (Ps) and is called to speak in God's name (1). The Twelve hear the message of Jesus and are sent forth to preach the good news (3). In him have we been chosen to be full of love (2).



Parish Events

- July 14: Baptism noon Church
- July 16: St. Monica Service after 7am Mass
- July 16: Hatha Yoga 5:30pm Social Center
- July 17: Parish Office closed
- July 17: Knitting Group 10am Chapel
- July 17: Adult Choir Rehearsal 6:30pm Chapel
- July 18: Toddler Playgroup 9:30am Social Center
- July 18: K of C Meeting 6:30pm
- July 19: Adoration 3-4:30pm Church
- July 19: Confessions 5-7pm Church
- July 21: Sacrament of the Sick after 11am Mass
- July 21: Book Club Event 6pm St. Catherine Class
- Aug 18: Parish Picnic 12-3pm, Summit View, Holyoke



Live Stream Mass Schedule

Live Stream—YouTube St Patrick South Hadley Monday-Friday 7:00am Daily Mass Sunday 9:00am Sunday Mass



Please Note:

Lectio Divina bible sharing sessions will not be held at St. Patrick's during the summer-June through August. Please

check the bulletin at end of August for a re-start date in September. Thank you.



Toddler Playgroup St. Patrick's Social Center

Please use School Street entrance, Thursday mornings from 9:30-11:30am, come 'n go as you please, but not a drop off daycare service. All are welcome (ages 0-5 recommended) Snack time provided. Free event, donations appreciated. Any questions, contact the rectory 413-532-2850

Yoga Classes Tuesday Evenings

St. Patrick's will be hosting traditional Hatha Yoga classes on Tuesday evenings throughout July and August led by Michaela Driscoll of Total Body Yoga and Pilates Fitness Studio (TBYP). Classes will be from 5:30-6:30 in the St. Catherine classroom. Please use the back entrance to the Social Center closest to Main St. Price for each class is a free will donation with a suggested price of \$5-\$10. Classes are open to those 15 years and older. Classes are on a drop in basis, no pre-registration is required. You will need to bring your own yoga mat and a light blanket. Yoga blocks and strap can be used if desired.

Readings for the Week

July 13: Is 6:1-8/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Mt 10:24-33

July 14: Am 7:12-15/Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14 (8)

Eph 1:3-14 or 1:3-10/Mk 6:7-13

July 15: Is 1:10-17/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23 Mt 10:34—11:1

July 16: Is 7:1-9/Ps 48:2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6, 7-8 Mt 11:20-24

July 17: Is 10:5-7, 13b-16/Ps 94:5-6, 7-8, 9-10,14-15 Mt 11:25-27

July 18: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19/Ps 102:13-14ab and 15, 16-18, 19-21/Mt 11:28-30

July 19: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8/Is 38:10,11,12abcd, 16 Mt 12:1-8

July 20: Mi 2:1-5/Ps 10:1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14/Mt 12:14-21

July 21: Jer 23:1-6/Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6 (1) Eph 2:13-18/Mk 6:30-34

Parish Picnic – Mark Your Calendars

This year's St. Patrick Parish Picnic will be held on Sunday, August 18th at the Summit View Pavilion, 555 Northampton St. Holyoke from noon-3pm. Tickets will be available end of July. \$15 for adults, children under 12 are free but still need a ticket.

Mass Donation Change

Beginning July 2024 the offering for a Mass request will go from \$10.00 to \$15.00 per Mass. This is set by the diocese of Springfield and should be consistent at all Springfield diocese parishes. Tabernacle lamp requests are also \$15.00.

Book Cases Needed

Deacon Dave is looking for 2 new or like-new book cases each approx. 4ft- 5ft height by 3ft wide that you are willing to donate. Contact Deacon Dave at the rectory if you're able to help. Thank you!

Vocations to the Priesthood

"He began to send them out two by two." Just as Jesus was sending out His disciples in pairs, perhaps you too are being called to discipleship for this shared mission as a priest or religious brother or sister. Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at 413-248-7034 or via email: vocations@diospringfield.org.





Beacon of Faith

Beacon of Faith is raising funds towards various important needs of our diocese which include: Support to our retired priests, Development & training of church leaders and

seminarians, Religious Education, Parish-based evangelization, Camp Holy Cross, 2024 Annual Appeal, and also a young adult minister for St. Patrick's parish. As of July 8th, 182 families have pledged \$691,973.33. If you have not given your gift or pledge, you may put it in the collection basket or send it to the Diocese directly. If you have misplaced your pledge envelope, they are available at the church entrances. Thank you.

St. Joan of Arc Teachers Needed

St. Joan of Arc School has some positions open for the coming school year: One full time third grade teacher and one full or part time computer teacher. If you know someone who may be interested please share this information.

Call Mr. Bill McDonald, principal, at 533-1475 for more information.

Exorcism: An Apostolate of Mercy

Presentation by Sean O'Mannion, Exorcist for the Diocese of Springfield, MA. Date: Monday, July 15th Time: 6:00 pm, Adoration, 7:00 pm, Presentation, Social in the Parish Center Place: St. Catherine of Siena Church – 1023 Parker Street, Springfield, MA Cost: \$20.00 donation to the Disciples of Mary. For more information call: 413-452-0511 or email disciplesofmary@diospringfield.org

Sinday, July 21 at 6 a.m.
Saturday, July 27 at 7 p.m.
Saturday, August 3 at 7 p.m.
Saturday, August 10 at 7 p.m.

You can also find the Mass on the
Diocese of Springfield's YouTube channel!



July Cursillo Mass and Social

Wednesday, July 17th 6:30pm

St. Francis of Assisi Parish, 24 Jabish St., Belchertown

The Cursillo Community of St. Francis parish, along with the greater Cursillo Community of Diocese of Springfield, invite you to join them for mass followed by fellowship and refreshments.

All are welcome: bring along the family, a friend, or just yourself...

Fr. David Darcy will be celebrating

For more information on Cursillo go to cursillowmass.net



Volunteers for Kate's Kitchen Needed

We are looking for volunteers to take over shopping for, preparing and delivering a meal to Kate's Kitchen on the **second Monday of each month**. Duties include shopping and purchasing necessary ingredients for the meal, (you will be reimbursed) Preparing the meal on the second Monday of each month (start time is 8:30am) Delivering the meal to Kate's Kitchen

Please note that these responsibilities could be handled by a few volunteers but will need to be coordinated so things go smoothly.

Our current volunteers are staying on through the September meal prep day (Monday September 9th) If interested in volunteering, please contact Deacon Dave at the rectory. Thank you!

St. Patrick's Church South Hadley Prayer Service and Rosary for Addiction Recovery



Addiction is not only a physical or psychological disease,

but a Spíritual disease

Join us on Tuesday July 30th

At 6pm in the church

as we pray for those who struggle with the disease of addiction

and those who love them.

Know that you're not alone

All are welcome



Please note the day and time change for the summer months. Tuesday July 30th at 6pm in the church.

6 Week Book Club Event Sundays 6:00pm - 7:30pm



CONSECRATION ST. JOSEPH

The Wonders of Our Spiritual Father by Donald H. Calloway, MIC

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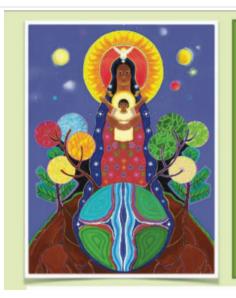
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if you don't already have the book. Books will be passed out at the First Meeting.

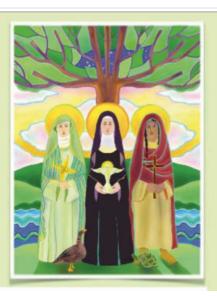
Registration is required.

Please contact Kelly at

phone: (413)231-6624 or by email: stpatdre@outlook.com



The
Earth
is
Our
Mother



Great mystics and saints from across the ages and cultures remind us that the Earth is our Mother and that Gardens are some of the best places to discover hope, beauty, and connectedness. In these stormy times of climate change and pollution, join artist and story-teller Brother Mickey McGrath as he shares his paintings and stories of saints who remind us that our hearts are gardens and Christ is the Gardener!

Brother Mickey will also share his sketches and stories from his life-changing CRS and MARYKNOLL sponsored trips to Guatemala, Kenya, and South Dakota! Together, we will explore our desperate need to be better nurturers of creation and leave Mother Earth a better place for future generations. Creative prayer activity will be included.

Saturday September 14th 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Mary Mother of Hope Parish Center 804 Page Blvd. Springfield \$25.00 preregistered by Sept. 1st or \$30.00 at the door.

Preregister: mission.marykn

Fundraiser to benefit Maryknoll Fathers and Brothers and Catholic Relief Services

Bring: your own bag lunch. Coffee, tea, and snacks will be provided.

Questions? Contact Kevin McCarthy Nino at 914-559-2651 or kmccarthy@mary

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