

The Church of Saint Patrick

August 18, 2019

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

I have come to



set the earth on fire

REMINDER! *August 24/24 Mass Schedule*
August 24 5:00 PM Mass
August 25 7:00 AM and 10:00 AM Mass
Picnic following the 10:00 AM Mass on August 25

Annual Parish Picnic—Sunday, August 25

10:00 AM Mass—Special Mass of Thanksgiving in the Main Church Celebrating Our Unity In the Lord
 Most Rev. Alberto Rojas, Vicar of Vicariate I—Presider and Preacher
 Blessing of children and young people for the beginning of the new school year
 Recognition and Thanksgiving of Mrs. Bernie Oberdick as she retires after 27 years of dedicated service to St. Pats as Director of Music

After Mass, we will gather to share a bounty of food and fellowship with fun activities for our children. On this special weekend, Mass will be celebrated Saturday, August 24 at 5:00 PM and Sunday, August 25 at 7:00 AM and 10:00 AM—Special Mass.

Please sign up in the Narthex after all Masses for the Parish Picnic or you can sign up on line at <http://www.stpatrickwadsworth.org> or stpatpicnic2019.eventbrite.com

The Church will supply chicken, roasted pig, hot dogs, corn on the cob and beverages. We are asking families to bring a dish to pass (enough for ten) according to the first letter of your last name.

- A-G Salad
- H-M Dessert
- N-Z Appetizer or Side Dish



Thank you

At the heart of every parish faith community is the sacrificial giving of its people. As the people of God here at St. Pat's, you share with us a generous giving of your time, your talent, and your treasure. For this we are most grateful. Our people contribute in so many different and varied ways so that the Kingdom of God may become a truly effective presence in the lives of everyone—both in the parish and beyond the scope of our membership. Many of you use our parish giving envelopes to contribute. Others avail themselves of the Give Central program which assures us of your giving on a consistent basis. If you haven't signed up for the Give Central program, we encourage you to consider it. The process is simple to initiate.

- Go to www.GiveCentral.org and click on the 'Donate Now' button
- Begin typing the name of <<St. Patrick Church Wadsworth>>. Click on the parish icon when it appears. (It is sensitive; please copy the name exactly as above.)
- Decide on the funds you would like to contribute to, and the amounts and select 'Add to Gift Basket'
- Click on Checkout at the top right of the screen
- Create a profile or continue as a guest
- Click 'Submit'



You can return to GiveCentral at any time to make changes to your donations or personal information. Click on the 'Login' button on the homepage; enter your username and password to access your profile.

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Thinking about becoming a Catholic? Do you know someone who might like to become Catholic? Here is an invitation to join our RCIA program and discern if this is what you might like (or need) to do. Who might attend our weekly sessions?

- Anyone who has never been Baptized
- Anyone Baptized in another denomination
- A Baptized Catholic who has never been raised in the Catholic Faith

A good first step is to call the Parish Office or talk to Fr. Merold or one of our Deacons or speak with someone who has been a previous participant in RCIA. We would love to share our faith with you.



SRE Registration for 2019-2020 School Year

Registration is available for SRE on line at www.stpatrickwadsworth.org (under the Education tab) or in the Parish Office or at the Welcome Desk in the Main Church.

Please be sure to fill out the registration form as well as the medical authorization form.

SRE is for children in Kindergarten through Eighth Grade. We also have a special program for children in grades 3-8 who need to make First Penance, First Communion or Confirmation.

If you have any questions, please call Fr. Merold or Polly at the Parish Office at 847-244-4161.



Our Prayer List

Each week in our Parish Bulletin we list the names of those who are sick and need our prayers. We urge you to remember them by name each day in your Masses and prayers. To add a name to this prayer list, please contact the Parish Office at 847-244-4161. We do ask that only close relatives call to place a name on this list. This is to insure and respect the privacy of all family members.

"I will restore you to health and heal your wounds, declares the Lord" Jeremiah 30:17



Please join us **every Sunday at 10:30 AM** in the Main Church to pray the Rosary.



The SON shines on a new day!

*Watch this space for more information!
You won't want to miss coming to Mass on the weekends of September!!
Come join us on a new adventure of self discovery!*



The Hornet Hustle Run for Health, Run for Fun, Run for St. Patrick School

Date: Saturday, September 7, 2019
Race Time: 9:00 AM—1 Mile —\$20.00
9:20 AM—5K —\$30.00
Location: Van Patten Woods, Lake County Forest Preserve, 15838 West Route 173, Wadsworth

All ages are welcome! Join us for a community race that will take place in Van Patten Woods Forest Preserve. All proceeds to benefit the students, staff and families of St. Patrick School. Donations/Sponsors are welcome!

To register visit www.spswadsworth.org under the Support SPS tab/find us on **FACEBOOK** St. Patrick School-Wadsworth
OR <https://raceroster.com/events/2019/23624/2019-hornet-hustle>



Attention Parents



If your child needs to use the washroom during Mass, we ask that a parent accompany him/her. Our Church is located on a very busy road, and our building is accessible to anyone during our scheduled Mass. We all need to make sure our children are safe at all times.

Dear Reverend Merold,

I want to introduce myself. I am Fr. Armand Ramirez. I am from Mexico. I was appointed as the Pastor of Immaculate Conception—St. Michael Parish. Both parishes merged as a result of the Renew my Church initiative.

On behalf of this community, I would like to thank your community and you for your generous donation of \$3,154.

We really appreciate your continued support and generosity. It makes a big difference in our community.

Please keep us in your prayers. You are in ours.

Rev. Armand Ramirez Ruiz



Welcome Guests and Visitors!

We're so glad you are here and invite you to walk the path to faith with us. The community of St. Patrick's strives to grow closer to Christ in all that we do. We care for one another and together with Christ, we make a difference. As a Faith Community, we are the hands and feet of Christ, reaching out as He did.

If you would like to become a registered parishioner, please fill out the information below and drop it in the collection basket at any Mass. You may also pick up a form at the Welcome Desk or call the Parish Office at 847-244-4161.

Family Last Name _____

Family Member Name(s) _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone _____

E-Mail _____



Tabernacle Flowers or Sanctuary Lamp Donation Form

If you or your family would like to be the designated donor for "Flowers of the Week" or "Sanctuary Lamp" just fill out this form, put it in an envelope marked "Tabernacle Flowers" (\$40) or "Sanctuary Lamp" (\$25) and drop it in the collection basket. Your name will be printed in the bulletin the week your gift purchases flowers or the candle.

Specific weeks cannot be guaranteed, but we will try if possible. Week of _____

Donor's Name _____

Telephone Number _____

E-Mail _____

Parish Envelope Number _____

Amount \$ _____ Check # _____

Flowers _____ or Sanctuary Lamp _____

What would you like the acknowledgement to read?

In Honor Of

*Or
In Memory Of*



Grace Notes

Change. Nobody likes it. We resist it. Being rooted is one thing, but being stagnant is quite another. Deep roots nourish that which is living. The plant may look still, but the roots keep moving deeper into the soil seeking nourishment and water. Plants without roots wither and die. Water that doesn't move grows algae. A still pond is soon covered in slime so that nothing good can grow there. The algae takes over, feeding on the death and waste of other plants. This doesn't happen with moving, running, rushing water.



We humans need movement and change to survive. The old saying, "use it or lose it" is so true, especially as we get older. And as we get older, we sometimes have to modify our routines in order to be safe and healthy. Some change is a given in our lives. At some point, we will be on our own and will not have our parents anymore. For some people, they willingly change from a single life to a married life or from a secular life to a religious vocation. We plan to change our dwelling at times, moving from apartment to house or downsizing to a smaller home once our children are grown. We leave our first jobs to go to the career for which we studied. We might leave our job to stay home with our children.

But unplanned change happens as well. The storm that levels our home; the sudden loss of our spouse or a child; the sudden illness that incapacitates us; these are things we do not want and things for which we do not plan.

In our first reading today, Jeremiah was thrown into a pit. He didn't want that. He didn't plan on that. That was a change he didn't expect, but still that change was a movement in his life. It caused some growth for him and for others around him. Because of Jeremiah's situation, Ebed-melech stepped up and spoke up directly to the king about the injustice of this. Ebed's change caused a change of heart in the king, which then caused Jeremiah's situation to be changed. Each person in this story is moving to change. What appeared at first to be a bad change of circumstance, led to good changes in others.

Sometimes, when bad stuff happens to us, we need to "wait for the Lord", as our psalmist tells us today. But this is not a stagnant wait time. Rather it is a time to cry out to the Lord and to pray with an expectant faith. It is a time to actively trust the Lord in all his goodness and in all of our circumstances. He will hear you and pull you from your "pit" at exactly the right time. He will make your footing firm and put new words in your mouth to speak and to sing. Others will be amazed by what has happened and they will learn to trust the Lord. You will become a living example of trust and faith in the Lord to those around you.

This week, think of the times in your life when you were faced with challenges. Think of your unwilling days in "the pit". What did you do while you were there? Were you actively seeking God for help? When your circumstances changed did you rise up stronger? Did you lift your heart and voice in gratitude to God? How were you changed? What happened to those around you? Did your situation give others an opportunity to rise up and effect any change?

Reflect on these past challenges and resolve not to fear changes coming in the future. Know that the Lord is with you and vow not to become a stagnant pond, but rather a living, growing example of one who is rooted in the faith and love of Christ Jesus, our savior and brother.

**Have a blessed week,
Bernie**

Please Pray for the recently Deceased



**Mary Berry
Michael Leptich**



Seasons of Hope Grief Support Group

If you are in need of consolation after losing a loved one, this adult, Christ-centered faith sharing support group is here for you. **Seasons of Hope** is offered on most Monday evenings from April through mid-November. Prayer, scripture, faith sharing and fellowship begin at 6:45 PM in the Narthex of the Main Church. For more details and to register, please call Nancy Bensinger at 847-662-5944 or Joan Morris at 847-362-5788.



Brochures are available in the Narthex at the Welcome Center.

Why Volunteer as a Bereavement Minister at St. Pat's?

As a Bereavement Minister, compassionate and empathetic men and women offer care and listening to those that are going through troubled times. This Ministry provides **presence, hope, and strength** to the bereaved after the death of their beloved family member. This Ministry helps families to prepare the funeral Mass and also assist during the Funeral Masses.



We are members of the Body of Christ, **We** serve God, **We** serve the grieving family by being the hands and feet of Christ and **We** serve each other.

Fran Balistreri, St. Pat's Bereavement Coordinator: oofran@aol.com or 847-732-2149 cell

Please pray for the following children who were welcomed into the family of God and the faith community of St. Pat's.

Addelyne Celis Ruiz

Daughter of Oscar Jesus Celis
and Tatti Josselin Ruiz



Amira Etta Cera

Daughter of Nicholas Charles Cera
and Jessica Ruth David

Arabella Ava Ayala

Daughter of Lily Nicole Rodriguez

Alice Virginia Banick
Daughter of David Thomas Banick
And Karen Virginia Bleck

Romeo Armani Ayala

Son of Lily Nicole Rodriguez

Thursday Morning Bible Study

Thursday Morning Bible Study Begins on Thursday, September 5. We will begin our year with "Unlocking the Mysteries of the Bible—A Quick Journey Through the Bible" by Jeff Cavins. Have you ever wanted to read the Bible but didn't know how to get started, or thought it would be too complicated? This is the study for you! "Unlocking the Mysteries of the Bible" is an eight week study that will help you to get the 'big picture' by showing how fourteen narrative books of the Bible tell the complete story from Adam and Eve to Christ and the Church. Aided by a unique Bible Timeline chart that puts the people, places, and events of Scripture in chronological order, "Unlocking the Mysteries of the Bible" will help you to more fully understand the story of salvation history.



Thursday Morning Bible Study meets most weeks in Fr. Slattery Hall in the Historic Church from 9am to 11am. If you want to sign up for this study please call or email Carla Benzschawel at benzscm@yahoo.com or 847-265-7628, before August 26 so that a study guide can be ordered for you.

Faithful Fun Children's Choir....Ready to Begin Again!

Calling all singers in 1st through 8th grade from St. Pat's and other surrounding public schools! It's time for kid's choir to start again! We want to welcome back all the singers from past years as well as welcome in new singers for the coming season!

Registration packets were sent to last year's members by email. New members can find registration packets on the welcome desk. Packets are due at the first rehearsal.

First Rehearsal: Thursday September 5 from 5-6:15 PM

First Mass: Sunday September 8 at 9 AM (arrive at 8:40 AM)

For more information, please see Mr. Dale Janetka after Mass or contact by email djanetka@stpatrickwadsworth.org

Lost and Found

Lost and Found can be found at the Welcome Desk in the Main Church Narthex.





Knights of Columbus Council #12639 20th Annual Golf Outing & Dinner / Fundraiser

Where:	Brae Loch Golf Club -- 33600 US 45, Grayslake, IL	
When:	Saturday, September 14, 2019 Sign in starts: 10:00 am Putting Contest & Tee Off: 11:30 am Dinner: Approximately 4:30 pm <i>(Dinner catered by our friends at The Shanty)</i>	
Fees:	Golf, Lunch and Dinner: \$110 Dinner* Only: \$40 <i>*If you can't golf, just come for the dinner & the auction – Lot's of Fun!</i>	
Format:	Four person scrambled mess – Infamous yellow ball play. <i>Both MEN & WOMEN golfers welcomed!</i>	
Contact:	Rick Grum -- (847) 778-8799 or rgrum@comcast.net	

**The Knights of Columbus will have registration forms in the Narthex after Masses on:
Aug. 24 & 25; Aug. 31 & Sep. 1; Sep. 7 & 8.**

Golfer / Dinner Name(s)	Phone number	Email Address	Golf	Dinner
1 _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2 _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3 _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4 _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

If you would like to be a HOLE SPONSOR, please fill out this information
Individual or business → \$100

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone No.: _____

Make all Checks payable & mailed to: St Patrick's Knights of Columbus Council #12639
15000 Wadsworth Road, Wadsworth, IL, 60083

Need prayer?

To request prayer, see our link on the home page of the Parish website or email us at stpatricksword@gmail.com.

Do you have a story about how our prayer ministry has affected your life or how your own prayer life has been affected? please email us and let us know. We would like to give God praise!



Dear Fr. Merold,

Thank you again for welcoming the Little Sisters of the Poor to St. Patrick on the weekend of July 28. We are grateful of course for the financial support, but also (and most especially) for the opportunity to meet your parishioners, and share with them about our mission. We are also very grateful for your prayers!

You parishioners were very welcoming, and many had questions or wanted more information on volunteering. We will confide your intentions to the intercession of St. Jeanne Jugan (her feast day is coming August 30) and St. Joseph—you can be assured of our grateful prayers!

God Bless you!

Gratefully in Christ,
St. Amy Marie



Children's Liturgy of the Word Leader Needed

Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLW) is an important Ministry offered to the young children of St. Patrick Parish to encourage prayer and worship and to invoke excitement in Mass participation. CLW is offered weekly throughout the year at the 9 AM Mass to children in kindergarten through second grade. Children are "collected" after the Opening Blessing and brought to rooms upstairs in the church to receive the Gospel and Gospel message in terms that young children can understand. They work on a craft after learning about the message for the week and are returned to Mass after the Prayer of Intentions.

Job Requirements:

- Love of children
- Ability to work with children in grades Kindergarten-2nd grade
- Ability to be a Disciple of Jesus and share His Word with children

Job Duties:

- Organize a small group of adult and student volunteers
- Maintain schedule for volunteers (monthly)
- Email volunteers weekly with session information (Gospel reading, handouts and craft information)
- Copy weekly handouts for CLW sessions (from provided materials)
- Determine and create weekly crafts to go with CLW weekly sessions



This is a position open to any adult of our Parish. Perhaps two or more could lead this and take turns for various months. Currently, there is no one to run this program. **If no one steps up to take over this Ministry, it will be omitted.** Please pray over this and let your heart lead you!

If you have any questions, please contact Lori at icdubl@yahoo.com or (847) 871-7135.



**LOTW Returning to Our Lady of Humility Parish
in Collaboration with St. Patrick Parish Church**

SAVE THE DATE:

October 11TH – 14TH, 2019

The *Light of the World Retreat* is returning to Our Lady Humility Parish beginning Friday night October 11th and is being held throughout the weekend, concluding with a few short hours Monday evening, October 14th. This is a great way to begin your spiritual journey for this coming Fall. All adults are welcome & encouraged to attend. Please pray and consider attending. *Stay Tuned for more details...*

Financial Peace University

Are you ready to take control of your money? **Financial Peace University (FPU)** is a nine-lesson course designed to help you build a budget, dump debt, grow your wealth, and leave money stress behind! Each lesson, taught by Dave Ramsey and his team of financial experts, is based on biblical wisdom and common sense. In your FPU group, you'll be motivated and encouraged by others just like you! When you sign up for FPU, you'll get your member workbook and one year of Financial Peace Membership, with access to exclusive online tools to help you on your journey. *Please note that individual income and debt amounts are never discussed in class.*



For more information on the Financial Peace University class beginning Wednesday, September 18th here at St. Patrick's please visit <https://www.fpu.com/1094551> or contact Lindsay Finlay at (224)430-3861.

URGENT! Third Grade and First Grade Co-Teacher needed for SRE!



The SRE program is in need of a Third Grade teacher and first grade co-teacher. WE TEACH YOU ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW TO BE A FABULOUS CATECHIST! SRE meets on most Sundays during the School year from 10:15-11:30. We would love to have you join our team! What better way to be the hands and feet of Christ than to teach the youth of our parish. Please, please, please pray on this. If you would like more information or are interested in helping us for the 2019-2020 school year, please contact Fr. Merold or Polly at 847-244-4161

or bulletin@stpatrickwadsworth.org.

Food Pantry News

Our Parish family continues to support the Food Pantry with weekly donations of grocery items. During the five months starting February 1, 2019 we provided food boxes to 425 families, including 40 Easter boxes—an average of 85 boxes per month. Through your generosity we provided assistance to 1324 people. Additionally, cash donations allowed us to make shopping trips to Woodman's to supplement donations with needed items **and** order over 2000 pounds of food at discounted rates from the Northern Illinois Food Bank.

While this is not a complete list of items we provided to our client families, you should note that since February 1 we distributed (at minimum) the following quantities of food:

- 1700 cans of vegetables
- 850 cans or packages each of soup, pork and beans and, Mac and cheese dinners
- 425 cans of fruit and jars or cans of spaghetti sauce
- 1275 boxes of pasta
- 425 cans of tuna and boxes of cereal, Hamburger Helper, boxes of Jell-O, and boxes of Jiffy Corn Bread mix
- 425 boxes of instant potatoes **and** packages of rice



Our Parish plays a vital role in being the hands and feet of Christ, reaching out to the less fortunate. Thank you for your donations, support and prayers.

Please pray for the following couple who were recently married at St. Patrick's



James Stanislowski and Maria Frank

St. Patrick's Parish Picnic 2019

Gathering as One Family Celebrating Our Faith in Christ



Sunday, August 25, 2019

North Side of Main Church
15000 W. Wadsworth Rd
Wadsworth, IL 60083



Time	Event	Notes
Sunday – 10 AM – PICNIC MASS	NOTE: Sunday's 9am and 11am masses will be combined into the Picnic Mass at 10am. <u>There will be no 9am and 11am masses.</u>	
11:30 AM (after 10 AM Mass)	Picnic/Lunch (lunch to begin after the Picnic Mass – approximately 11:30 am)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Roast pig, corn, hotdogs, chicken, beer and soda provided Please bring a large (enough for 10 or more) dish to pass based on the first letter of your lastname: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A – G Salad H – M Dessert N – Z Appetizer or Side Dish Picnic Checklist <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Friends and Family registration (see instructions below) ✓ Eating utensils (forks / plates / napkins) ✓ Blankets or chairs and table ✓ Non-perishable food for Food Pantry
1 PM	Games * (times at right) * Contact zoch@alumni.nd.edu to help with kid games!	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 pm – Kid Games (ages 2 – 13) Meet at the northwest end of picnic area 1:30pm – Teen Games (ages 14 – 19) Meet at the northwest end of picnic area 2 pm – Egg Toss (for everyone) Meet at the northwest end of picnic area

PLEASE LET US KNOW YOU AND YOUR FAMILY ARE COMING!

Choose one of the following registration options:

- (Preferred) Register online by going to:
<http://www.stpatrickwadsworth.org/> OR stpatpicnic2019.eventbrite.com
- Complete and tear off the form below and return to the Parish Office or Welcome Desk or drop in the offertory basket

Yes – we will attend the Parish Picnic on August 25

Last Name: _____
Adults: _____ # Children: _____
Email: _____

Readings for August 19-25



Monday

JGS 2: 11-19
Psalms 106: 34-37, 39-40, 43, 44
Matthew 19: 16-22

Tuesday

JGS 6: 11-24
Psalms 85: 9, 11-14
Matthew 19: 23-30

Wednesday

JGS 9: 6-15
Psalms 21: 2-7
Matthew 20: 1-16

Thursday

JGS 11: 29-39
Psalms 40: 5, 7-10
Matthew 22: 1-14

Friday

RU 1: 1, 3-6, 1-16, 22
Psalms 146: 5-10
Matthew 22: 34-40

Saturday

RV 21: 9-14
Psalms 145: 10-13, 17-18
John 1: 45-51

Sunday

WIS 18: 6-9
Psalms 33: 1, 12, 18-22
Hebrew 11: 1-2, 8-19
Luke 12: 32-48

Please join us **every Sunday at 10:30 AM** in the Main Church to pray the Rosary.





Sandra Barbosa	Cheri Grimaldi
Denise Biarnesen	Sue Hamlet
Gene Boyle	Mike Hartzheim
Genevieve Butler	Edmund Jakaitis
SB	Louvella Koch
Tammy Cavanaugh	WAK
Reuben Cuison	Phyllis Lansu
Patricia Cutrano	Kelly McLaughlin
RC	Chuck Pallardy
Al and Maryanne Gilbert	Daniel Schulist
Mary Lou Simmet Goodman	RZ



Call the Parish Office at 847-244-4161 or email at bulletin@stpatrickwadsworth.org to submit or resubmit a name for the parish to remember in their prayers. Names will appear in the bulletin for that month that you called only.

Mass intentions for the week

Saturday, August 17

5:00 pm MC Elaine Brouillard, Remembrance, by The Family
 Janet Artac, Helen and A. Ternovec, Remembrance, by Dave and Sons
 Shirley A. Graham, Birthday Remembrance, by Doreen Graham
 Harry Mitchell Jr., Birthday Remembrance, by Nancy Bensingher
 Mary Rose Walsh, Anniversary of Death, by The Cazzini Family

Sunday, August 18—Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 am MC Marie Kowalski, Remembrance, by The Family
 Peggy Gupton, Remembrance, by Dan and Mary Gust
 Veronica Gust, Remembrance, by Dan and Mary Gust
 Camden Frisby, Remembrance, by Jeff and Carolyn Brugioni
 Lenore Iwan, Remembrance, by Al and Sara Hancock

9:00 am MC Howard Donohue, Remembrance, by Linda Schueneman
 Eileen Beshel, Remembrance, by Linda Schueneman
 Bill Drennan, Remembrance, by John and Linda Schueneman
 Dcn. Phil Fragassi, Birthday Remembrance, by The Family
 Barbara Furlan, Remembrance, by The Family

11:00 am MC James Prochaska, Birthday Remembrance, by The Family
 Richard Prochaska, Birthday Remembrance, by The Family
 Larry DuBois, Remembrance, by Ramona Zalapi

Monday, August 19—St. John Eudes

6:30 am MC Communion Service

Tuesday, August 20—St. Bernard

6:30 am MC Petra Molina, Anniversary of Death, by The Bereavement Ministry

Wednesday, August 21—St. Pius X

6:30 am MC Mary Armour, Anniversary of Death, by The Family

Thursday, August 22—The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

6:30 am MC Wendy Jaworek, Anniversary of Death, by David Jaworek
 Adrienne Nichols, Anniversary of Death, by The Bereavement Ministry
 Ronald Decker, Remembrance, by The Family

Friday, August 23—St. Rose of Lima

6:30 am MC Communion Service

Saturday, August 24—St. Bartholomew

5:00 pm MC Elaine Brouillard, Remembrance, by The Family
 Jack Flessner, Birthday Remembrance, by Mary Flessner
 Robert Lemmon, Anniversary of Death, by The Bereavement Ministry
 Bill Drennan, Remembrance, by Liz Marsh
 Vincent Guccione, Remembrance, by Doreen Graham

Sunday, August 25—Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 am MC Chris and Haylie Winiewicz, Remembrance by Al and Sara Hancock
 Bob Buholzer, Remembrance, by Bill Buholzer

10:00 am MC Eva Stuck Szostak, Anniversary of Death, by Mr. and Mrs. Ron Stuck
 Janet, Hilda, John Sr., and Jay Artac, Remembrance, by Dave and Sons
 Barbara Furlan, Remembrance, by The Family
 Marcella Vitulli, Remembrance, by St. Pat's Parish Staff
 Irene Woscik, Remembrance, by Peter and Bernie Oberdick



A Record of our Stewardship

Jesus said, "Where your Heart is, There will your Treasure Be."

Our Stewardship of Time

Worship attendance for August 10/11

Attendance for August 10/11

Saturday, 5:00 PM	245
Sunday, 7:00 AM	178
9:00 AM	289
11:00 AM	<u>273</u>
Total:	985



Attendance for August 3/4

Saturday 5:00 PM	310
Sunday 7:00 AM	161
9:00 AM	218
11:00 AM	<u>292</u>
Total:	981

Our Stewardship of Treasure

Offertory Collection:	\$12,142
Sharing Parish:	\$352
Good Samaritan:	\$820
Children	\$4
Stole Fees:	<u>\$2320</u>
Total:	\$15,638

Offertory Online Giving (June) \$12,887

I am happy to announce that \$555,600 has already been received from our To Teach Who Christ Is donations and was placed in a special savings account. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

Our Stewardship of Talent

Music Ministry: Faithful Fun Children's Choir

The Children's Choir has been a part of St. Patrick Church for a very long time. It began under Debby Ramsey and then continued under Bernie Oberdick when Mrs. Ramsey retired from her leadership with the group. In this choir singers in grades 1-8, from both St. Patrick School and the area public schools, gather once a week for just over an hour to learn about music and liturgy. Those who wish to learn to become cantors are trained to lead as a soloist and all the children learn music for the Sunday Mass. They also sing for 1st Communion! Children ministering to other children! They rehearse Thursdays from 5-6:15 PM and sing for 9 AM mass on Sundays. Membership is by semester, from end of August through Christmas Eve and then again from 1st Sunday of Lent through Pentecost. If you have a young singer interested in joining, please contact Bernie Oberdick at Boberdick@stpatrickwadsworth.org or call the parish office 827-244-4161



For the weekend beginning Saturday, August 17 to Sunday August 18

The beautiful flowers adoring the Sanctuary are in Memory of Jack Flessner By Mary Flessner

The Sanctuary Lamp is lit in Memory of All Deceased Members of St. Patrick Church

We hope you are taking some time to enjoy videos, movies and audio messages on **Formed.org**. As a reminder, our parish code is **f4e371**.

Aaron, Erin, Michael and Maeve Krudwig

Kathryn DeLozier and Payton Burris

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Mass Schedule

Weekday Mass: 6:30 AM

Tuesday-Thursday

Main Church

Saturday Evening: 5:00 PM

Main Church

Sunday: 7:00, 9:00 and 11:00 AM

Main Church

Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:00-4:30 PM Main Church

Adoration

Wednesday: 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM

Historic Church