

ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH

AUG. 6TH, 2017
SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME

PEACE AND HAPPINESS IN THE PRESENCE OF THE LORD

When the Psalmist experienced the blessings and gracious love of God, he exclaimed, "I rejoiced when they said unto me, come let us go into the house of the Lord." He had that great joy because peace and blessings flow from God over His people who come into His presence to worship Him.

Peter, James and John had the opportunity to be with Jesus Christ, the Lord, on the Holy Mountain. There they saw His glory as they witnessed Moses and Elijah speaking with Him. The joy of Jesus' transfiguration caused Peter to exclaim "Lord it is good that we are here; let us build three tents, one for you, one for Moses and one for Elijah." By these words Peter indicated that it is a glorified moment to behold God's glory and to long to see it every day.

The glory of God is what we all long for in our struggle to be with Him. To see His glory in the days to come, we need to listen to His words and teachings and to keep His commandments given to us through Moses, the prophets, and finally through His beloved Son, Jesus Christ. The ability to abide by the teachings of Jesus Christ in our days will lead us to the everlasting kingdom of bliss and peace. Here we hope to see Jesus Christ upon the glorious throne of honor, dominion, and majesty. Before Him we shall be called blessed and drink from the everlasting cup of peace and happiness.

When we gather to worship and listen to the word of God, we experience the foreshadowed peace and happiness we will know when we stand before Him. Just remember there is always peace and joy in the house of God.

Father Henry

UPCOMING EVENTS

OCTOBER 14 FALL FESTIVAL

OUR LADY OF FATIMA 100TH ANNIVERSARY PILGRIMAGES



Pilgrimages
Saturday, Sept. 2
Saturday, Oct. 7
Call Rose for reservations
573-374-MARY

RAFFLE



1st Prize \$10,000
2nd Prize \$5,000
5 \$1,000 Prizes
TICKETS \$25 EACH OR
5 FOR \$100

Buy your winning ticket today!!!

DRAWING OCTOBER 14TH

Raffle tickets will be sold at all Masses. I will coordinate this year's sales again and will need your help in selling tickets.

**If you are available, please contact me
at 573-374-0662 or 573-286-7617.**

God Bless, Nancy Pate

STEWARDSHIP

WEEKEND COLLECTION St. Pat's \$4,557
July 30TH

***includes electronic funds**

Attendance church 458

Attendance, Mother's Shrine 838

Electronic fund transfer available for the 1st, 15th etc., available for weekly contribution, building and maintenance, Charitable Outreach, Christmas and Easter.

Visit our website at
www.shrineofstpatrick.org

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MASS INTENTIONS AUG. 7-13

MON.	9:00	HERB KOLB±
TUES.	9:00	DENNIS DEVINE ±
WED.	9:00	JULIA CURIALE SPC
THURS.	9:00	NANCY PATE SPC.
FRI.	9:00	MARY TRACY±
SAT.	5:00	ELIESE BROWN±
	8:00	MOTHERS ON THE WALL OF LIFE
SUN.	8:30	MOTHERS ON THE WALL OF LIFE
	10:00	PARISHIONERS

ST. PHILIP BENIZI MASSES

FRIDAY 10:30 A.M. SUNDAY 10:30 A.M.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

PARISHIONERS

Julia Curiale, Mike Kuse, Bill Shortino, Ceil Bish, Rosemary Stoltz, Adam Steffen, Bud Raeker, Tom McCann, Tom Costello, Lucy Macek, Carolyn Gentry, Jerry Petersen, Al Vasey, Ralph Baracz, Joy Groves, Bill Groves, Clarence Smith, Norma Emerick, Glenn Gebhardt, Jim Veulemans, Louise Carter, Howard & Rita Smelser, Steve Callahan, Jeanette Trogdon, Barbara Bogaro, Jean Dunn, Barb Miller, Joan Aubuchon.

FRIENDS AND FAMILY

Natalie Staffieri, Cheryl Kerfeld, Oleta Jones, Jennifer McKinney, Carrie Sheeley, Rilie Johnson, Luke Brooks, Ron Larrington, Brianna and Brody Decker, Darren Bozich, Arianna Cooper, Tony Marie Rinella, Ann Reilly, Abby Kunneman, Michael Switalwski, Hal Trokey, Jr., Kathy Egan, Sue Dunn, Addison Nichols, Irma Webster, Sandra Poates, Haley Browning, Collette Moscato, Laura Keal, Anne Erola, Amy Schmitz, Elizabeth Gilreath, Ryllie Foust, Chris Kuse, Christopher Bonick, Alma Thompson, Jacob and Crystal Miller, Ann Reilly, Janet Lloyd, Bill Sonner, Kolton Melcher, Jackie Sinovic, Glen Noyes, Wyatt Newman, Barbara Ott, Mary Groves, Kim Hamilton, Connie Hope, Leroy Berden, Marcella Hope, Anne Conolle, Ruth Ellis, Mike Waeckerle, Brady Noyes, Curt Mather, Wanda Wilde, Eddie Taylor, Baby James Simpson, Mark Walls, Rachael Curiale, Rob Clarke, Sally Mack, Hanna & Jake Hoge, Ike Lynch, Christine Gaul, Brad Bradfield and Kevin Adams, Frances Lueck, Billie Fryer, Tom Brown, Jill Dawson, Judy Carlson, Lana Aumer, Ann Schott, Don Stanzi, Tim Hutton, Anna Smith, Ron Larrington, Rylie Johnson, Christina Troyer, Patty Walkenhorst, Dale Evans, James Sparks, Barbara Miller, Father Mike Rice, Father Pat Shortt, James Morton.

SCRIPTURE READINGS AUG. 7-13

Mon. Saints Sixtus II & Cajetan

Nm 11:4b-15/Mt 14:13-21

Tue. Saint Dominic

Nm 12:1-13/Mt 14:22-36

Wed. Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross

Nm 13:1-2, 25-14:1, 26-29a, 34-35/Mt 15:21-28

Thu. Saint Lawrence

2 Cor 9:6-10/Jn 12:24-26

Fri. Saint Clare

Dt 4:32-40/Mt 16:24-28

Sat. Saint Jane Frances de Chantal

Dt 6:4-13/Mt 17:14-20

Sun. NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a/Rom 9:1-5/Mt 14:22-33

THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



TUESDAY, AUG. 15TH
MASSES 9:00 and 5:30
St. Philip 6:30
Holy day of obligation.
Parish Office closed.

SAINT OF THE WEEK



St. Clare of Assisi- August 11 (1194-1253)

St. Clare was born in Italy in 1194 into a wealthy family. As young girl, Clare dedicated herself to prayer. At 18, she heard St. Francis of Assisi preach. She asked him to help her live according to the Gospel. On Palm Sunday in 1212, Clare left her father's home, cut her hair, and exchanged her rich gown for a plain robe and veil. She joined the convent of the Benedictine nuns of San Paulo. Her father tried to force her back home, but she refused and professed that she would have no other husband than Jesus Christ. Soon others joined with Clare and they became known as the Poor Clares. They lived a simple life of poverty, austerity, and seclusion. The nuns's life consisted of manual labor and prayer. They went barefoot, slept on the ground, ate no meat, and observed almost complete silence. Clare sought to imitate St. Francis's virtues and way of life. She saw him as a spiritual father and took care of him during his final illness. Clare's 41 years of religious life were dedicated to living a simple life dedicated to the Gospel.

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



THE DOOR IS OPEN - Knights are Catholic men, 18 years of age and older, who are committed to making their community a better place while supporting their Church and protecting and enhancing their family life.

Aug. 26-27 – Shootout

Sept. 15, 16 & 17 – Diocesan Boy Scouts Retreat
23 – Air Show, Camdenton

Oct. 01 - Knights of Columbus State Pilgrimage at Shrine

WHY DO CATHOLICS DO THAT?



WHY DO CATHOLICS RING BELLS DURING THE MASS?

At the most holy moment of the Mass, the Consecration, the bells are rung. The bells are an appropriate symbol of reverent rejoicing. When the priest elevates the Body of Christ, the bells are rung three times. Once more, as the priest elevates the chalice of Christ's blood, the bells are rung again. The ringing of the bells began in the Middle Ages. The people in the back of a Gothic cathedral couldn't hear anything the priest was saying, so the bells would signal that the consecration was happening and allow the congregation to show proper reverence.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL UPDATE

The last few weeks have been my favorite part of the summer. There is nothing more rewarding than to see how our young people have grown and flourished with the grace of our God! A few weeks ago those in our Youth Group with the help and direction of Nicole De-ter's niece, Alyssa, transformed St. Leo's Hall into the "Maker's Fun Factory". Beginning on Monday, July 17 we started VBS with a record number of children in attendance. We had 62 Crew Members that ranged from just starting Kindergarten to starting Fifth Grade. Our Crew Helpers ranging from beginning Sixth Grade through Senior year of high school numbered 28. There were 36 adult volunteers that helped with Registration, led Crews, managed various Stations, and performed at the Opening and Closing session each day. This wonderful week was possible through the dedicated efforts of various men and women from Kent Memorial Church, Westlake Christian Church and St. Patrick Church. Many thanks to all who worked so hard to make this experience so positive for so many children! Questions/Comments... – Michele Haggerty (573) 372-8594 or cell (816) 210-8223.

CHARITABLE ASSISTANCE

Donations to Charitable Assistance are used to assist needy families, with utilities, rent, water, propane, etc. We work together with Community for Christ to help families in certain cases. If a check is written to the Food Pantry, the donation will go to Community for Christ. Thank you for your donations to both.

COMMUNITY FOR CHRIST



Food Pantry Needs

St. Pat's partners with Community for Christ to assist with providing for their food pantry.

They are in need of **CANNED FRUITS AND VEGETABLES, PANCAKE MIX, SYRUP, TUNA, TUNA HELPER.** Donations welcome made payable to **Community for Christ.** There have been very little brought in recently!

Please help stock their shelves.

Announcements will be made and containers both inside and outside to collect items for the food pantry.

Please help stock their shelves to make a difference for the many in our community in need.
Thanks

CHRIST RENEWS HIS PARISH

I have a busy schedule. I hear you have to make a long on-going commitment to CRHP?



BAPTISM BLESSING



GOD BLESS

RAYE LEIGH BECKER

BAPTIZED JULY 30TH

Daughter of Clay and Micah Becker
Sister of William and Mitchell

CONGRATULATIONS

GOD BLESS ANNE ELISE

Born July 25-in Naples, Fla.



Parents Anthony and Rebecca Memmo
Grandparents Bob and Margaret Klein

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RCIA

Jesus sent his disciples out to spread the Good News! We are also asked to give His message to others. One way we do this is through the R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults). You can share the Good News by telling those you may know who are interested in our faith and encouraging them to join the inquiry group this fall. For questions, call Michele Haggerty (573) 372-8594.

“Let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice” (Psalm 105:3).

R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is the process in which adults study the Catholic faith, and if they desire, they become full, active, participating members of the Catholic Church. Weekly meetings are held to discuss scripture, our relationship with God, and much, much more.

R.C.I.A. begins Wednesday, September 20 at 6:30 p.m. at the Religious Education Center.

RESPECT FOR LIFE

Last week we talked about having calm discussions with those who are pro-choice and by being prepared with talking points. Sometimes people argue the pro-choice agenda by asking “How are we going to feed additional children when millions are starving?” or “What will be done with the single mother who can’t afford another child?”. These are important topics of discussion for those in the Pro-Life movement. Remember, both of these questions put forth incorrect assumptions. First, with all the government welfare programs in this country, virtually nobody needs to go without enough food. The second question incorrectly implies that young pregnant women cannot receive the help they need. This overlooks the fact that there are many Pro-Life organizations that do indeed provide assistance to pregnant girls. While no system is perfect and there are probably women who are truly struggling, another overlooked fact is that there are about a million couples waiting to adopt these babies that are being killed in their mother’s womb. In summary, no child should be killed because of a food shortage or inconvenience to the mother. More to follow next week.

Remember, it is not WHO you are but WHOSE you are.

VISITORS

WELCOME

We are happy you decided to worship with us today. If you would like information about registering as a new parish member or part-time parishioner, please call the parish office at, (573) 374-7855 or email me at parishsecretary@shrineofstppatrick.com

CHRIST RENEWS HIS PARISH

There is no time commitment beyond the 36 hours of the weekend. If you feel the calling to help others enjoy a similar CRHP weekend you can join the team of a future retreat. Most of the teams continue to meet after the CRHP weekend, because of the close bond they formed during the weekend and in the follow up meetings.



YOUTH CANS



RECYCLE ALUMINUM CANS IN THE RECYCLE TRAILER LOCATED ON THE PARKING LOT. PROCEEDS GO TO OUR YOUTH. THANK YOU!



BLOOD DRIVE

GIVE BLOOD



St. Patrick Catholic Church

St. Leo's Hall

Friday, August 11, 2017
12:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Score LifePoints on Every Donation!

Photo identification required.
Please eat well and drink plenty of fluids prior to the blood drive.

MOTHER'S SHRINE

The National Shrine of Mary, Mother of the Church



UPCOMING PILGRIMAGES

**Commemorating the 100th Anniversary of Our Lady of Fatima
There is only two more opportunities to attend a Fatima Pilgrimage and obtain the Plenary Indulgence.**

September 2 - Donald Hartley, Catholic Defender, "Have I become your enemy for telling you the Truth?"

Oct. 7- Francis Slobodnik, Regional Director for America Needs Fatima, "Fatima Perspectives for 2017" You won't want to miss these great speakers! Registration 9 am, Closing Benediction 4 pm. Please call for lunch reservations. No Charge, but donations are welcomed.

We have some exquisite rosaries in our Gift Shop, along with tons to new items. Something for everyone.

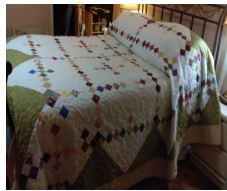
I also need volunteers to work the 3rd & 4th Saturday evening between the Masses. And the 1st Sunday morning after the Masses.



Please make your checks payable to:

The Mothers' Shrine To support the Shrine

Thanks



This beautiful KING size quilt was made by Cheryl Van Bebber as a fund raiser for the Mothers Shrine. Chances are \$5.00 each or 5 for \$20.00. The drawing will be at the Harvest Festival, October 14th. The quilt is valued at \$500. Tickets are in the vestibule, the office and the gift shop. Just put your money & tickets in an envelope and drop it in the collection basket or in the mail. Please make checks payable to The Mothers Shrine.

TOTES FOR TATAS

Please donate your gently used purses to raise funds for breast cancer patients. The money goes to Lake Regional Hospital to pay for things not covered by insurance, such as wigs, massages to relieve pain, rides to treatment, etc. The Sale will be October 13th.



Support the Mothers' Shrine with pre-tax dollars by becoming a member of the Heritage Fund. Call 573-374-MARY for a brochure or information.



A generous benefactor donated \$1,000 toward a slab of granite and is challenging others to match her \$1,000. Let's see how many matching \$1,000 checks we can receive?

GRANITE panels can be purchased for \$6,000, which entitles you to the top line. Please consider this special gift.

Responsorial Psalm: 8/6 The Lord is King, the Most High over all the Earth.

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LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR AUG. 12TH & 13TH

SATURDAY, August 12, 5:00pm**Lector:** Michele Haggerty**Greeters:** Donna Griffith**Communion Ministers:**Donna Kern, Jim Neff, Tom &
Norma Gibbons, Al & Marilyn Vasey**Directors of Worship:**

Jim Troia & Jim Klein

SUNDAY, August 13, 10:00am**Lectors:**

Mary Noyes, Hunter Deters

Greeters:Dan & Mary Noyes,
Marge Van Evercooren**Communion Ministers:**Norma Lovell, John Pilla,
Rick & Jeanie Colby, Joyce
Szemplenski, Rick Purdon**Directors of Worship:**

Paul Van Evercooren & Jerry Unrein

SATURDAY, August 12 8:00pm**Lector:** John Akscin**SUNDAY, August 13 8:30am****Lector:** Eric Tichy**Pew Angel -** Norma Lovell

Each of the ministries you are involved with is important to the vitality, prayerfulness and beauty of our liturgical celebrations. We are always looking for dedicated people to fill these roles. Think about, pray over, consider the ministry that is calling you. Contact:

*Eucharistic Ministers—Deacon Dave Lovell,
Lectors—Ellen Lovell, Liturgical Scheduler—Michele Haggerty*

OFFERTORY GIFT BEARER

It is an honor to be a offertory Gift Bearer. If you are interested, please let the Director of Worship know when you arrive at Mass. Three people are needed to carry the bread, the wine, and the offertory collection. If you have a special event and would like you or your family to be Gift Bearers, please call the Parish Office.