



ST. PATRICK PARISH

October 27, 2024 | 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
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St. Pat's Mission: We make Jesus first in every area of our lives by awakening the deepest desire of the heart, so that we can go out and bless the world around us.

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New Here?

Welcome to the St. Pat's community! We are so happy that you are considering making St. Pat's your parish home! To register in the parish, please email Jenny at jhansen@stpatrickparish.org. One of our welcome ministers will give you a call to answer any questions about the parish and to see if we can assist you in any way.

The doors are usually open early before Mass starts. Feel free to introduce yourself to any of our volunteers. We have a wide range of ministries available in the Parish, so please don't hesitate to ask about ways to get connected.

At St Pat's, we strive to love God, to love one another, and to make Jesus first in all we do. We're glad you're here.

You're home here.

You're welcome here.

You belong here.



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From the Pastor

MSGR. DAN DEUTSCH

Hi Parishioners,

As we approach the upcoming election, I encourage you to reflect on how our Catholic faith calls us to engage thoughtfully and prayerfully in the political process. Voting is not just a civic duty; it is a moral responsibility that requires careful discernment. The decisions we make at the ballot box should be rooted in a well-formed conscience, guided by the teachings of our faith.

The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB), in their document *Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship*, reminds us that our role as Catholics is not to align ourselves with a particular political party but to be faithful witnesses to the Gospel in the public square. We must allow our faith to inform how we approach issues such as life, justice, peace, and the common good.

The Bishops encourage us to consider the following principles as we form our voting consciences:

- 1. Human Life & Dignity** – Respect for human life is paramount. Issues such as abortion, euthanasia, and the death penalty are direct attacks on innocent life, and the Church teaches that these must be opposed.
- 2. The Common Good** – We are called to care for the most vulnerable in society, including the poor, immigrants, and marginalized communities.
- 3. Subsidiarity & Solidarity** – Catholics are called to support structures that help individuals and families thrive, while also ensuring that government and other institutions are just and fair.
- 4. Care for Creation** – As stewards of God’s creation, we must promote environmental sustainability and protect the natural world for future generations.
- 5. Promotion of Peace** – Catholics should advocate for policies that promote peace, resolve conflicts, and prevent war, while also addressing issues like systemic racism and social inequality.

These broader concepts should be considered alongside the 5 Catholic non-negotiables that I shared last week. These are issues that directly violate fundamental aspects of Catholic teaching.

- 1. Abortion** – The intentional termination of unborn life is intrinsically evil and must be opposed.
- 2. Euthanasia** – The act of deliberately ending the life of someone who is sick, elderly, or disabled is contrary to the respect for human dignity.
- 3. Embryonic Stem Cell Research** – The destruction of human embryos for research is gravely immoral.
- 4. Human Cloning** – Any form of human cloning, which manipulates the gift of life, violates human dignity.
- 5. Same-Sex Marriage** – The Church teaches that marriage is a sacred union between one man and one woman, and it cannot condone alternative definitions of marriage.

These five issues are serious concerns because they involve direct attacks on life, the family, and the natural moral order. Catholics are called to prioritize these issues when forming their consciences.

As you prepare to cast your vote, I encourage you to approach this decision with prayer and a desire to seek the common good. Take time to educate yourself about the candidates and the issues, and ask God to guide you in making a choice that reflects the values of our faith.

Let us remember that, no matter the outcome of the election, our ultimate hope lies not in political parties or human leaders but in Christ, who is the true King of the world. May our votes, our actions, and our lives be a reflection of His love and justice.

Peace,
Msgr



Giving

Current Week

October 19-20 \$59,077

4 Week Average

Sept 29 - Oct 20 \$56,450

Weekly Goal

through October 2024 \$57,500

2024 Diocesan Stewardship Appeal

Amount raised \$322,304

DSA Goal \$330,000

Mass Times & Intentions

Monday, October 28

7 AM DT	† Mary Barlow Smith	DD
8 AM CR	† Sharon Rivera	GC

Tuesday, October 29

7 AM DT	† Julia Barlow	GC
8 AM CR	† Robert & Dolly Brejcha	AR

Wednesday, October 30

7 AM DT	† David Dowat	AR
8 AM CR	† David Dowat	DD

Thursday, October 31

7 AM DT	† Joanne Walter	AR
8 AM CR	† Ronald and Claire Jolly	GC
6 PM DT	Spanish Mass	LC
7 PM CR	† Edmund Balcer	GC

Friday, Nov 1 – All Saints Day

7 AM DT	† Eric Malaker	DD
8 AM CR	† Michael Kimmer	AR
12:15 AM DT	For the People of St Patrick	DD
5 PM DT	Spanish Mass	LC
7 PM CR	† Arch Dillow	AR

Saturday, November 2 – All Souls Day

8:30 AM DT	For the People of St Patrick	AR
12 PM DT	Spanish Mass	LC
4 PM CR	For the People of St Patrick	GC
4:30 PM DT	† Don McCue	DD

Sunday, November 3

7:30 AM DT	Thomas & Traycee Simon (S.I.)	AR
8 AM CR	† John Steadman	DD
9 AM DT	The Szwarc Family (S.I.)	AR
9:30 AM CR	† Julie Loftus	GC
10:30 AM DT	† Don McCue	DD
11 AM CR	For the People of St Patrick	GC
5 PM CR	† Dorothy Graves	DD
5 PM DT	Spanish Mass	LC

Flame of Faith

DT	† Ronald Swanson
CR	† Dr. Arcadio Dumpit

As a Parish, We Pray for:

For the Recently Deceased

Please pray for the repose of the souls of:

Ernesto Ladron de Guevara | Casey O'Brien | Laura Murowski | Jacqueline Nootens | Mary Patricia Quintin | Robert F. Hernandez | Cecilio Rivera | Ruth Brzeski | Dale Tillman | Michele Yohanna | Debbie's Husband | Richard Janci

May they be greeted in heaven with celebration & joy. Our prayers go out to their families.

For the Sick of Our Community

Please pray for the healing of:

Patty Deutsch | Theresa Wiener | Andrew Kloc | Katheryn & Louie Monteleone | James Higgins | Mary Lou Mondri | David Haskell | Steve Gorshek | Enrique | Ed | Cindy | Russ Nebbia | Patrick Lauf | Kathryn | Erin & Dale | Peter | Jason | Yvonne | Peggy's mother | Scott's mother | Wendy | Joyce Sanders | Carm | Elaine | Joe | Debbie Manoni | Vince Biondi | Ron Vena

May they be restored to health & comforted in this time.

Community News

Baptisms

Savannah Blake Wojkowski, daughter of Michael & Michelle Wojkowski

Ezekiel Clement Macaluso, son of Dante & Allison Macaluso

Weddings

Mr. & Mrs. Kevin & Sylwia Henryson Jr.

Funerals

Dale Tillman

Confession Times

Monday, Thursday, Friday | 8:30 AM Crane Rd

Tuesday | 7:30 AM Downtown
6–6:30 PM Crane Rd

Wednesday | 7:30 AM Downtown

Saturday | 9–9:30 AM Downtown
3–3:30 PM Crane Rd

K of C 300 Winners



St. Charles Knights of Columbus thank all who purchased one of our "K of C 300" Charity raffle tickets. The raffle sold 300 tickets at \$100 ea. Following are 52 weekly winning drawings of \$150. Winners will be posted here weekly.

October 20 Winner - #0006

From the Desk of:

MIKE ZAK



As many of you are aware, I've been here at the parish for the past 24 years in a variety of positions. First as Director of Youth Ministry for 20 years and then the last four years as Director of Events. Recently, I made the decision to drop my hours down to 1-2 days a week so that I could enjoy my retirement years with some travel and time with family. Mary Gorski, who was recently brought on board as kitchen and food coordinator, and I will be working together to make this transition as seamless as possible. Not to worry, I am still going to be actively involved with VIP Seniors and other events like the picnic, etc. We are committed to building the best team possible here at St. Pat's!

Last month VIP Seniors kicked off a new luncheon season of faith, food and fun with over 100 people attending. For those of you who are unaware of the Who, What, Where, and When about this ministry, let me give you a brief description. Who – Those 55 and up are encouraged to join us; What – Once a month during the school year we gather for a cooked from scratch homemade meal at lunchtime; Where – St Pat's Crane Road Campus in Dempsey Hall; When – 2nd Tuesday of the month from Noon – 2 pm. Each month we have a different theme. In the upcoming months of November and December we pull out all of the stops as we celebrate both Thanksgiving and Christmas with traditional holiday meals.

Couple of added things to know. It's important for all of us to have social interaction, so if you have a parent, grandparent, friend or neighbor who needs assistance please feel free to bring them and be our guest as well. Also, our team is made up of volunteers who assist with the food prep and cooking. We are always looking for more help and for those under 55, consider this a personal invite to come join our team. Whether it's one time only or on a more regular basis, you are welcome. For more information please contact me at mzak@stpatrickparish.org

— Mike Zak

Discipleship Pathway

FIND YOUR PLACE AT ST. PAT'S

1

BELONG

Our Belonging ministries focus on connecting you with other people at the Parish. Regardless of past experiences or current questions, everyone who enters our church can find a place to belong.

EXAMPLES:

Alpha
Parish Small Groups
Youth + Young Adult Ministries
Bereavement Ministry
Mental Health Ministry
Divorce Ministry
VIP Seniors

2

BELIEVE

St. Pat's has a variety of programs to help you grow in knowledge of our faith. Whether you're looking for deeper biblical studies or catechetical lectures we have various opportunities to help you broaden your understanding of Catholicism.

EXAMPLES:

Formation Courses
Book Studies
Bible Studies
Lecture Series & Talks
OCIA
Religious Education

3

BUILD

As you grow and are blessed through the Parish, we hope that you will seek to pass these blessings along to others. You can do this through volunteering, helping run a ministry, or through spreading the faith through evangelization.

EXAMPLES:

Volunteering/Service
Liturgical Ministries
Evangelization
Prayer Ministries

Events & Fundraisers



Pies By The Guys Fundraiser

Looking for a festive treat to enjoy at Thanksgiving, Christmas, or a family dinner? Knights of Columbus Council 12497 is selling premium apple pies as its annual fundraiser to assist its charity work throughout the year. All pies will be made fresh on Nov 2. To order, visit tinyurl.com/piesbytheguys.

ORDER: online through Oct 27

PICK UP: Nov 2, 10 AM-5 PM or Nov 3, 9 AM-12:30 PM, St. Pat's Crane Rd

#Fundraiser



40 Days for Life Prayer Vigil

St. Pat's will be participating in this year's 40 Days for Life campaign by praying at the Aurora Planned Parenthood. When there is a prayerful presence, God answers prayers! This is a time for quiet prayer for all those impacted by the effects of abortion. To register or to learn about the effects of 40 Days for Life, visit stpatrickparish.org/40days.

JOIN US: Nov 2, 7 AM-7 PM, Aurora Planned Parenthood

#Believe

#ForAdults



SVDP Food Pantry Collection

Food donations are collected before all Saturday vigil and Sunday morning masses on the weekend that includes the first Sunday of the month. Please drop off any toilet paper, laundry detergent, or any non-perishable food items. We thank you for your generosity!

DROP OFF: Nov 2 Vigil Masses & Nov 3 AM Masses

#ForTheWholeCommunity



Patriotic Rosary

Come ease your mind and lift your heart through a Rosary ahead of election day. This nonpolitical event is about calling upon Our Lady's intercession and praying the blood of Jesus over each state for protection and conversion. Woven into the Patriotic Rosary will be prayers for service members, short readings from American leaders, and stanzas from our favorite American hymns and songs.

JOIN US: Nov 4, 7:15 PM, St. Pat's Downtown

#Believe

#ForAdults



Christmas Children's Choir

Do you love to sing? What better way to praise God than through music. Come join your friends, have fun, and sing your favorite Christmas carols at this year's 4 PM Christmas Eve Mass. Grades 4-8 are welcome to join. For more info, please email Nicole at nhoke@stpatrickparish.org.

PRACTICES: Tuesdays, 6:30-7:15 PM, Nov 5, 12, 19, & Dec 3, 10, 17, St. Pat's Crane Rd

#ForChildren



VIP Seniors Thanksgiving Lunch

All those 55 and up are invited to join us on Tuesday Nov 12th for our annual Thanksgiving luncheon. This luncheon will include turkey, all traditional fixins' and probably a few surprises as well. Invite a friend, and let's celebrate all that we have to be thankful for. Please RSVP to Mike Zak at mzak@stpatrickparish.org.

JOIN US: Nov 12, 12-2 PM, St. Pat's Crane Rd, Dempsey Hall

#Belong

#ForSeniors55+



Altar Server Training

Altar serving is an exceptional way to grow in the practice of the faith by attentively and reverently assisting the priest during Mass. If you're ready to take on this responsibility, mark your calendar to join us for training on November 6th or 13th. All boys and girls, Grade 5 and up, are welcome.

JOIN US: Nov 9, 10:30-12 AM, or Nov 16, 10:30-12 AM, St. Pat's Crane Rd

#Build

#ForGrades5+



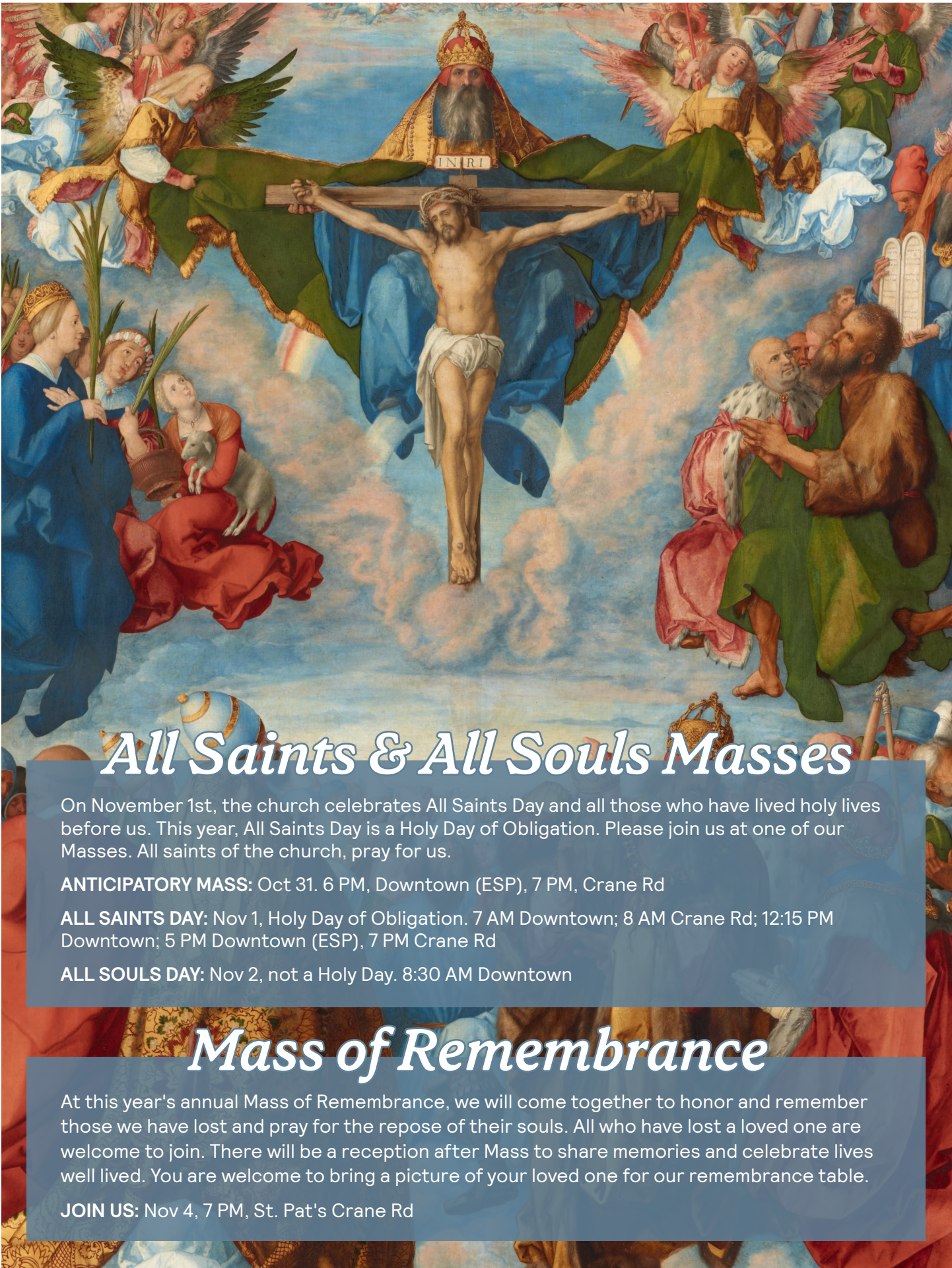
Great Lakes Catholic Men's Conference

Join hundreds of like-minded men at this year's Great Lakes Men's Conference to learn, praise, pray and join in the celebration of the Mass together. To register, visit www.thetalk.org. Register by Oct 22 for early bird prices.

JOIN US: Nov 23, 2024, 8:50 AM - 4 PM, Holmes Student Center at NIU

#Believe

#ForMen



All Saints & All Souls Masses

On November 1st, the church celebrates All Saints Day and all those who have lived holy lives before us. This year, All Saints Day is a Holy Day of Obligation. Please join us at one of our Masses. All saints of the church, pray for us.

ANTICIPATORY MASS: Oct 31. 6 PM, Downtown (ESP), 7 PM, Crane Rd

ALL SAINTS DAY: Nov 1, Holy Day of Obligation. 7 AM Downtown; 8 AM Crane Rd; 12:15 PM Downtown; 5 PM Downtown (ESP), 7 PM Crane Rd

ALL SOULS DAY: Nov 2, not a Holy Day. 8:30 AM Downtown

Mass of Remembrance

At this year's annual Mass of Remembrance, we will come together to honor and remember those we have lost and pray for the repose of their souls. All who have lost a loved one are welcome to join. There will be a reception after Mass to share memories and celebrate lives well lived. You are welcome to bring a picture of your loved one for our remembrance table.

JOIN US: Nov 4, 7 PM, St. Pat's Crane Rd



St. Patrick Parish Thanksgiving Blessing

It is that time of year again where we would like to help families in need by blessing a family with all the Thanksgiving fixings they need to prepare their meal. We are looking for families to bless a family and for families that would like to be blessed this year with a Thanksgiving meal.

Thanks to all your kind donations last year, St. Patrick Parish was able to bless and connect the community for 38 families! We would love to exceed that number this year by registering more families to bless and finding more families willing to bless another family this Thanksgiving.

How can you be blessed or bless a family?

If you would like to be blessed with all the fixings to make a Thanksgiving dinner for your family, know a family/individual in need, or would like to bless a family, please contact Olivia at 630.338.8010 or oayon@stpatrickparish.org or register by visiting stpatrickparish.org/thanksgivingblessing.

Please register by November 11.



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Celebrating the Holidays with Grit & Grace

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All adults are invited to learn ways to “navigate the challenges we face during the holidays” following a loss—of a loved one, of emotional health, of a relationship or physical health. Catholic counselor, Nancy Kuhn, will share ideas that “may help you thrive and not just survive the holiday season.” Also, Registered dietitian, Marge Connor, will demonstrate the preparation of a simple tasty treat. Light snacks will be provided. To RSVP, please visit stpatrickparish.org/gritandgrace.

JOIN US: Nov 14, 6:30-8 PM, St. Pat's Crane Rd, Dempsey Hall

Commemoration of the Faithful Departed

During the month of November, we pray for all those who have died. We pray in particular for those parishioners who have died during this past year listed below (October 23, 2023 through October 22, 2024). Please keep these parishioners in your prayers.

Alice Hans
Alice Sury
Alyssa Davidson
Ann Werth
Anthony Savarese
Anthony Scantlen
Bernard Deutsch
Betty Lisowski
Betty McMahan
Blake Ronald Griffiths
Bonnie Pribyl
Carole Comperda
Casey O'Brien
Charlee Rose Slavens
Charles Robert McArdle
Dr. Cheryl Paradis-Fiedler
Chester Cichon
Christian Cano
Christine Valles
Connie Kinzler
Cosmo Vivirito
Dale Tillman
Dan Cosgrove
Dana Filippello
Edward Gleamza
Edward Zahner
Francis Clesen
Frank Colletti
Frank Kowalski
Frederick Ginsburg
George Hornbeck
Gerald Brady
Gloria Barraza
Grace Mary Rotelli
Helen Hoge
Jacqueline Nootens
James Isacson
James McLaughlin
Dr. Jerome Bettag
Joanne Fitzgerald
John Capone
Joseph Cascio-Mariana
Dr. Kenneth Liesen
Laura Murowski
Loc Linh Tang
Margaret Smith

Marguerite Frascona
Marimae Joan Kane
Mark Ubelhart
Martha Euker
Mary Burr
Mary Gleason
Mary Hofmann
Mary Murphy
Mary Rose Vincolese
Michael Trimarco
Michelle Scribano
Myron Cannell
Nancy Grossklag
Oscar Garcia
Patricia Altepeter
Pauline Comeau
Philip Kalaf
Philip Klein
Randy Vacek
Rene' Ledezma
Richard Alan Pingel
Richard Cary Royston III
Richard Michael Bogus
Richard Murowski
Richard & Nancy Kohlhagen
Robert Gorecki Sr.
Ronald James Swanson
Rosemary Godek
Rosemary Macchia
Ruby Pryor
Rudolph Dallesasse
Rudolph Gaugel
Ruth Brzeski
Salvatore Andreacchi
Shirley Harrington
Shirley Hejl
Stephanie Rusnak
Steve Maxwell
Susan Dugan
Susan Rose Hamill
Therese Joan Cihlar
Truman Link
Virginia Wolak
Walter Kalaine
William Kay

Ministry Calendar

OCT 27 - NOV 23

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
27 After all Masses Pie By the Guys Orders 6-8 PM CR High School Youth Ministry	28 7:15 AM Chapel Liturgy of the Hours 9 AM 7:30 PM She Shall Be Called Woman	29 10 or 6:30 CR Women's Bible Study 7:15 PM DT Marian Prayer Group	30 7:15 AM Chapel Liturgy of the Hours 7:30 AM DT Adoration starts 6:30 PM CR Middle School Youth Ministry	31 6:45 AM DT Adoration ends 6:30 PM CR Men's Bible Study All Saints Vigil: 6 PM DT (ESP) 7 PM CR	1 8:30 AM CR Coffee Klatch All Saints Mass 7 AM DT 8 AM CR 12:15 PM DT 5 PM DT (ESP) 7 PM CR	2 6 AM CR That Man Is You 8:30 AM DT All Souls Mass & 1st Saturday Devotion 7 AM-7 PM Day of Prayer Vigil Masses Pantry Collection
3 Morning Masses Pantry Collection Pies by the Guys Orders Due 6-8 PM CR High School Youth Ministry	4 7:15 AM Chapel Liturgy of the Hours 9 AM 7:30 PM She Shall Be Called Woman 7 PM CR Mass of Remembrance 7:15 PM DT Patriotic Rosary	5 10 or 6:30 CR Women's Bible Study 6:30 PM CR Christmas Children's Choir Practice 7:15 PM DT Marian Prayer Group	6 7:15 AM Chapel Liturgy of the Hours 7:30 AM DT Adoration starts 6:30 PM CR Middle School Youth Ministry	7 6:45 AM DT Adoration ends 6:30 PM CR Men's Bible Study	8 8:30 AM CR Coffee Klatch	9 6 AM CR That Man Is You 10:30 AM CR Altar Server Training
10 6-8 PM CR High School Youth Ministry	11 7:15 AM Chapel Liturgy of the Hours 9 AM 7:30 PM She Shall Be Called Woman Thanksgiving Blessing Deadline	12 10 or 6:30 CR Women's Bible Study 12 PM CR VIP Seniors Luncheon 6:30 PM CR Christmas Children's Choir Practice 7:15 PM DT Marian Prayer Group	13 7:15 AM Chapel Liturgy of the Hours 7:30 AM DT Adoration starts 7 PM DT Rempe Prayer Shawl 6:30 PM CR Middle School Youth Ministry	14 6:45 AM DT Adoration ends 6:30 PM CR Men's Bible Study 6:30 PM CR Celebrating the Holidays w/ Grit & Grace	15 8:30 AM CR Coffee Klatch	16 6 AM CR That Man Is You 10:30 AM CR Altar Server Training
17 7:30, 8, 9, 9:30, & 10:30 Masses Donut Sunday 6-8 PM CR High School Youth Ministry	18 7:15 AM Chapel Liturgy of the Hours 9 AM 7:30 PM She Shall Be Called Woman 5-7 PM DT Loaves & Fishes College Care Package deadline	19 10 or 6:30 CR Women's Bible Study 6:30 PM CR Christmas Children's Choir 7:15 PM DT Marian Prayer Group	20 7:15 AM Chapel Liturgy of the Hours 7:30 AM DT Adoration starts 6:30 PM CR Middle School Youth Ministry	21 6:45 AM DT Adoration ends 6:30 PM CR Men's Bible Study	R 8:30 AM CR Coffee Klatch	23 6 AM CR That Man Is You All Day NIU Great Lakes Catholic Men's Conference

*This does not include all Parish events or functions. For series that last only a few weeks or involve a registration, this calendar will only include the kick off date. For more events & potential updates, please visit stpatrickparish.org/events.

In the Community



Corbella Clinic Annual Campaign

Join Corbella Clinic, our local pregnancy resource center, in raising \$200,000 during our Annual Campaign (Oct 1-Oct 31). Visit missionariesoflife.org to support our mission. A donation of any amount given during the month of October will be matched up to \$100,000!



St. Edward High School Admissions Events

St. Edward Central Catholic High School is offering several opportunities this fall for prospective students and their families to learn about their faith-based, collaborative learning environment. Learn more about curriculum, athletics, and student clubs/organizations at an Open House or by scheduling a personal, guided tour, or a student Shadow Day. For more details, please visit stpatrikparish.org/steds.



St. Peter Geneva is Hiring!

St. Peter Church in Geneva is seeking a Facilities Manager to coordinate with maintenance/custodial/security staff for all building and grounds maintenance to ensure a safe and functional campus! You can view a full job description here. If you are interested, please reach out to Lisa O'Leary Volk at database@stpetergeneva.org or by calling 630-232-0124, ext. 111.



Worldwide Marriage Encounter

"Go your way; your faith has saved you." Deepen your communication, strengthen your relationship, and renew your sacrament by attending the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experiences on November 16-17, at the Blanchette Center, Crest Hill IL or February 14-16, 2025 in Geneva, IL If you'd like to learn more, please call Juli & Tom Rasmussen at 630.781.1792 or tom.juli.rasmussen@wwme.org.

JOIN US: November 16-17, Blanchette Center, Crest Hill, IL



St. Ed's Pot of Gold Social

You're invited to take part in this year's Pot of Gold Social at St. Edward Catholic High School, to benefit a new St. Edward weight room. Your \$50 ticket includes a full dinner and 3 hours of open bar. Please visit bit.ly/PotOfGold1101 to purchase tickets or raffle squares. There are only 175 \$100 raffle squares available. You need not be present to win.

JOIN US: Nov 1, Moretti's Elgin, 6 PM

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Ask Msgr to Pray for You

Pastor's Prayer is an opportunity for you to sign up to be prayed for during one of Msgr's daily holy hours. Reserve your hour at calendly.com/stpatrickparish.

Intentions & Flame of Faith

If you'd like to schedule a Mass Intention, please visit stpatrickparish.org/prayer. Please note that intentions fill up fairly quickly each year. If there aren't any intentions available, please consider reserving a Flame of Faith.

Homebound Ministry

Our Sick & Homebound Ministry is here to help you. Contact the Office at 630.338.8000 or email Deacon Jim Mellin at jmellin@stpatrickparish.org for details.

Baptisms

Baptism is the sacrament of new life. We become a child of God through this sacrament and enter into God's family, the Church. Visit stpatrickparish.org/baptism

Weddings

We love marriage and want to support healthy families to be the bedrock of our community. If you're engaged, we invite you to visit stpatrickparish.org/marriage to help you prepare for a wedding at St. Pat's.

Funerals

Losing a loved one is challenging. We are here to help and walk with you in such times.

Visit stpatrickparish.org/funerals for information and assistance.

Adoration

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988 Crisis Lifeline

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National Alliance on Mental Illness

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