

The Historic Church of Saint Patrick

Paróiste Ceann Scribe Toledo
Irish Destination Parish in Toledo



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EUCCHARISTIC LITURGIES

Saturday 4:00 pm @ Immaculate Conception
Sunday 8:00 am @ Historic St. Patrick
Sunday 10:00 am @ Historic St. Patrick (Live Streamed)
Sunday 11:00 am @ Immaculate Conception
Tuesday 9:00 am @ Immaculate Conception
Wednesday 5:30 pm @ Historic St. Patrick (Live Streamed)

ALL ARE WELCOME!

A MEMBER OF SAINT TERESA OF CALCUTTA DEANERY

PARISH STAFF FOR ST. PATRICK

Business Manager Rusty Belcher
Administrative Assistant/Wedding Coordinator:
..... Sherri Gaudet
Parish Musician: Eric Hite
Choir Director: Jeff Weiser
Maintenance: John Williams
..... Donnie Belcher
Custodian: Charlene Leestma
DeSales Outreach Center: Sherri Gaudet
Sacristan: Rosalie Mills
Usher Captains: Bob Wuest
..... Dave Meegan

Dear People of God,

Today we will continue with some Irish history. As I mentioned last week, Brendan and Columba were monks and Bridget of Kildare was a nun. All three were founders of religious houses in an era when printing was unknown. If you wanted a copy of the Bible or the works of Aristotle or perhaps the writings of the early Church Fathers, you had to find one and make a copy. You may recall these works as Illuminated Manuscripts which were meticulously hand-made with magnificent illustrations. Everyone likely knows the most famous of these, the Book of Kells, is held by the library of Trinity University in Dublin. There are others and they play a vital role in today's understanding and practice of Christianity.

During the so-called Dark Ages many of the original works on the mainland copied by the Irish monks and nuns disappeared as various conquerors stole everything of value, including written manuscripts. All of that going back and forth led to many of the written works being destroyed, lost or divided into various pieces. None of that occurred in Ireland where copies remained intact until the English reductions. Because copying those works had been a major project, if one copy got lost, there were others of equal beauty and originality. Much of what we have today has been handed down from those Irish originals.

As for the practice of our faith, the Irish monks, especially those who hit the road to spread the Good News, wanted to make things easy for their audiences, most of whom were unlettered [they could neither read nor write]. Rather than produce a written Bible, copiers made sure to illustrate many of the stories, psalms and other books of the Bible so people who couldn't read would still be able to get the idea if they managed to get to a church which had a copy. Considered important teaching devices, many of those illustrations were translated into the windows; many of today's magnificent art glass windows are a direct result of that Irish idea.

Because those early evangelizers also wanted to make the celebration of the sacraments simpler, they began to develop rituals which were easier to understand and to administer. Perhaps the most powerful of these was the introduction of private, auricular confession [the way we do it today]. In much of southern Europe, it was still the custom to go to the cathedral and confess in front of the crowd, an embarrassing event which led to the rule about confessing serious sin at least once a year during Lent. Irish monks invited sinners of every stripe to simply come to a priest, confess only to him and celebrate God's love in the words of absolution. As with anything, though, it didn't take long for people to wonder if their penance was adequate for the sin so the monks came up with a unique solution: the Penitential, a book which listed every possible sin and an appropriate recompense for having committed it. Steal a dime from Mom's purse? The Penitential could be opened to the chapter on stealing and the list could be read by the monk who then knew that a penance of one hour of hard work done without payment was adequate to make up for what Mom had lost. Note that the penance was an act, not a prayer, and could be done without a big sign announcing somebody was doing penance. Private auricular penance was immensely popular.

Irish history enables us to not only learn about the 4 major patronal saints but also to see how the passage of time influenced our understanding and practice of Christianity.



Msgr. Chris

The Celebration of Sacraments

Infant Baptism: The Sacrament of Baptism is regularly celebrated on Sunday during or after the Eucharistic Liturgy. Registered parishioners are asked to arrange for the Baptismal Preparation Class and the Liturgical Celebration by calling the Parish Office.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults: RCIA is the process of growing in your faith and love of God. Weekly gatherings take place from September until Easter. If you are interested in learning about Catholicism and joining us please call Deacon Tom at the rectory.

Penance: The Sacrament of Penance is celebrated at 3:30 p.m. on Saturday at IC, 9:30 a.m. at HSP and 10:30 a.m. IC every Sunday or by appointment.

Matrimony: Anyone planning to be married must contact the parish at least six months in advance. The exact date and time of your wedding should not be determined until after consultation with a priest or deacon. If either party has previously been civilly or religiously married, the Presider is not permitted to set a date for the wedding without resolving the previous marriage.

Pastoral Care of the Sick: When a parishioner is admitted to the hospital, nursing home, or confined to home because of age or infirmity, please call the Parish Office. Parishioners are ready to visit and to bring Holy Communion. When one is seriously ill, the healing Presence of the Lord should be requested in the Sacrament of the Sick.

In the event that you are in need of a priest or deacon and there is no one in the office: Please try the emergency number at 419-243-6031 and leave a message with your phone number and your call will be returned as soon as possible.

Welcome Visitors



We would like to welcome our visitors to Historic St. Patrick. If you are interested in becoming a parishioner, please call the parish office at 419-243-6452, ext. 3 **or fill out the registration forms in the back of church or on the web-site and return to the parish office.**

Historic St. Patrick

Finance Council

Jim Shrader
Jeff Stephens
Bill Malone
Linda Jennings
John Bachey
Jim Kline

Pastoral Council

Amy Coronado
Elaine Hoffman
Jean Boeding
Jen Czyzewski
Joe Pinciotti
Kathy Thompson
Kristine Waslar
Martha Farrell
Marty Lahey
Mary Kay Belcher
Michelle Zuelke
Nancy Rank
Pat Hickey
Pat Thompson

CALENDAR

June 1, 2024—June 9, 2024



<u>Sat</u>	3:00 pm	St. Patrick's Wedding/ Zanville & Barber/Fr. Eric Schild
	4:00 pm	Immaculate Conception Mass/Msgr. Chris
<u>Sun</u>	8:00 am	Food Pantry Sunday St. Patrick's Mass (no music) Msgr. Chris/Jeff Gralak
	Intention	Parishioners of Historic St. Patrick
	9:30 am	St. Patrick's Rosary & Confessions
	10:00 am	St. Patrick's Sunday Mass/ Fr. Rudi/Deacon Dave
	Intention	<i>(Also Streamed on Parish Facebook Page)</i> Pam Kreft Jacob Schmitz
	During Mass	Children's Liturgy
	After Mass	Blood Pressure Checks
	12:00 pm—3:00 pm	Community Days (Parking Lot)
	10:30 am	Immaculate Conception Confessions
	11:00 am	Immaculate Conception Sunday Mass/ Msgr. Chris/Deacon Tom
<u>Tues</u>	9:10 am	Canceled for Summer/ Immaculate Conception Weekday Mass
<u>Wed</u>	5:30 pm	St. Patrick's Weekday Mass <i>(Also Streamed on Parish Facebook Page)</i>
	Intention	Parishioners of Historic St. Patrick

<u>Thurs</u>		Staff Retreat/Parish Offices Closed
<u>Fri</u>	5:00 pm	St. Patrick's Wedding Rehearsal/ Irmen & Connolly/Msgr. Singler
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	Intention	<i>(also Streamed on Parish Facebook Page)</i> Eleanor & Stanley Stolarski Pam Kreft
	During Mass	Baptism/Brecken Pitcock/Msgr. Chris
	10:30 am	Immaculate Conception Confessions
	11:00 am	Immaculate Conception Sunday Mass/ Fr. Rudi/Deacon Tom



----- (Tear Line) -----



We continue to update/add to our parish data base and e-mail list to help keep parishioners updated on parish events. Several of the e-mails and phone numbers we have are no longer valid. If you would please fill in the information below and put it in the offering basket or e-mail it to sherri@stpatshistoric.org. Thank you!

Name _____

Phone # _____

Address _____

E-mail _____



WELCOME TO
HISTORIC CHURCH OF ST. PATRICK



HAPPY BIRTHDAY—HSP

- Jun 2 Angela Fine
- Jun 2 Jenny Bensch
- Jun 2 Zachary Lopez
- Jun 2 Jacob DeLeo
- Jun 3 Jim Sciarini
- Jun 3 David Swartz
- Jun 3 Brandon Holmes
- Jun 3 Kelly Miller
- Jun 3 John Roberts III
- Jun 3 Kate Smola
- Jun 4 Toni Moore
- Jun 4 Joe Taylor
- Jun 4 Julia Steingass
- Jun 4 Montana Sharp
- Jun 5 Scott Shook
- Jun 5 Renea Hickey
- Jun 5 Kathryn Grajczyk
- Jun 5 Nick Morgan
- Jun 5 Jay Schmakel
- Jun 5 Margie Hicks
- Jun 5 Marianne (Brassell) McClure
- Jun 6 Lila Kalman
- Jun 7 Ken Perry
- Jun 8 Jim Shrader
- Jun 8 Angela Rove
- Jun 8 Angela Grajczyk
- Jun 8 Daniel Martinez



PRAYER IS ANSWERED-HSP



Mike Kosinski, John Mohr, Sr. Josepha Feeney, Charles Rainey, Sam Cole, Shanna Crumby, Dona Crumby, Sonny Moore, Perry Moore, Jeff Knight, Dwight Knight, Mike Chiles, Nancy Miller-Semetko, Chuck Williams, Joseph Weiser, Don Brighton, Tammy Allen, Jimmie Bias, Terrie Moore, Pat Tansey, Rod McCarthy, Kelly Mitchell, Carol Erford, Sr. Janelle Brittain, Charlotte Best, Jim Jensen, Emily Miller, Helen Alice Jackson, Lee Ann Urbach, Brett Urbach, Deacon Dave Smith, Shelby, James Mack III, Msgr. Chris, Betty Sherman, Ralph Smith, Teri Wagner, Tim Dotson, Bob & Betty Hutson, Andrew Weiser, Colleen McGuire, Raymond Rolak, Sherry Wilcox, Susan Cairl, Patty Cunningham, Sue Smith, Sara & Family, John, Nicholas Clover, Melissa Meyers, Anne Fahle, Jerome Williams, Wyatt Shepherd, Angela Myers, Liz Weiser, Sam & Rose Fleitz, James Kovach, Michael Moran, Sam Marsico, Jessica Straube, Maurice "Moose" Boeding, Judy Henry, Christopher Powell, Zachary Davidson/D. Dave's Grandson, Charles Swoboda, Estella Nino, Ellie Ziegler, Renee Robinson, Betty Frey, Laurie St. John, Steve Kwiatkowski, Kathy Eschenburg, Marian Lowe, Steven Czerniak, Kristin Salazar, Mary Lou Batanian, Gary Lilje, Carol Isabell, Megan Batanian, Matt Rohrs, James Smith, Susan Ludlum, Evie Day, Julie, Frank Ankney, Joann Degnan, Sarah Rodgers, Bob Zoski, Lupe Garcia, Kitty Burns, Liam Stacey, Cheryl Harwick, Angela Lemble, Madison Sims, Richard Helsenbeck, Jace Stockwell, Joan Wiley, Chuck Hall, Christine Ludlum, Molly Bergin, Laurie Yeager

Please inform the pastoral staff of those in our parish family needing our prayers. Our Hospital Ministry Team is available to visit and distribute communion.

Please pray for the men and women in military service.



Due to a potential threat to families of those in military service resulting from the members' names being publicized through the Internet, we no longer publish the names of men and women in military service. We encourage you to continue to pray for them and to remember all our troops in a special way on Fridays by praying a Rosary for those serving in the military.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT—HSP

May 26, 2024

	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
Goal	\$ 6,250.00	\$ 300,000.00
Actual	\$ 3,435.00	\$ 229,152.67
Elect. Fund Transfer	\$ 445.00	\$ 12,335.00
Over/(Under)	(\$ 2,370.00)	(\$ 58,512.33)
 Candles	 \$ 62.00	

Thank You!

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY—HSP

- Jun 2 Derek & Laura Ortega 17 yrs
- Jun 4 Mike & Kathy Huffman 53 yrs
- Jun 6 John & Melissa Herl 26 yrs
- Jun 6 Brian & Jill Rygalski 15 yrs
- Jun 7 Paul & Linda Hamel 49 yrs



ST. PATRICK'S OUTREACH

July 1, 2023—June 30, 2024

Food Pantry—We continue to serve those in need in the community 3 days a week (Monday-Wednesday-Friday).

Soup Kitchen—Continuing to serve meals to the community every Sunday!

<u>Outreach Income:</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
	\$ 32.00	\$ 6,822.00

Thank You!





HISTORIC CHURCH OF ST. PATRICK THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST



JUNE 2 - MINISTER SCHEDULE

Scripture Reading #946

Acolytes:	Pat Hickey, Logan Hickey, Gary Johnson
Communion:	Dennis Bensch, Diane Pacella, Jeanne Kanary, Judy Schneiderbauer, Kris Waslar, Lisa Kelley, Mary Kay Belcher, Maureen Mohney, Melanie Parton, Nancy Rank
Gifts:	Collette Erard, Mary Kay Belcher
Greeters:	Cookie Westmeyer, Lisa Kelley, Michelle Zuelke, Pat Tansey
Hospitality:	SUMMER BREAK
Readers:	Elise Erard, Susan Fix
Ushers:	Albert Geha, Cookie Westmeyer, Dave Meegan, Debbie Sadler, Gary Johnson, Jeff Figmaka, Larry Minor, Pat Tansey
Children's Liturgy:	Nancy Rank

JUNE 9 - MINISTER SCHEDULE

Scripture Reading #976

Acolytes:	Jeff Kelley, John Breidenbach, Zayne Garcia
Communion:	Carol Shrader, Ellen Melroy, Jim Shrader, Kris Waslar, Marie Arter, Michelle Zuelke, Nancy Rank, Rosalie Mills, Susan Fix, Therese King
Gifts:	Rosalie Mills, Melanie Parton
Greeters:	Carol Shrader, Jeanne Kanary, Jim Shrader, John Canary
Hospitality:	SUMMER BREAK
Readers:	Luke Mohler, Pam Mohler
Ushers:	Albert Geha, Cookie Westmeyer, Gary Johnson, John Canary, Larry Minor, Mary Kay Belcher, Melanie Parton, Pat Tansey
Children's Liturgy:	SUMMER BREAK



Music will be announced!



ALTAR FLOWERS

June	2	Available
June	9	Available
June	16	Available
June	23	Available



SANCTUARY LAMP

June	2	Available
June	9	Available
June	16	Available
June	23	Available



St. Patrick's Food Pantry

We could use:

JUICE, TOOTHPASTE, SHAMPOO WITH COCOA BUTTER, TOILET PAPER, BAR SOAP, TOOTHBRUSHES, AND CANNED FRUIT

Other needs are tuna, Cream Soups, and Ramen Noodles. Food may be dropped off at anytime at parish office. Thank you!



The HSP Soup Kitchen



Our Soup Kitchen is located at the LMHA Building at the foot of the hill in front of church. We provide meals and clothing to our community in need every Sunday from 11:00 am—1:00 pm. If you are interested in helping serve meals or hand out clothing please call the parish office.

The Historic Church of St. Patrick's

Happenings at the Parish!

Staff Retreat Day!

Parish Offices
are closed
Thursday, June 6



Cardinal Stritch Summer Athletic Camp registration is open and waiting for you! There are numerous camps for boys and girls in grades 1 through 12. Camp fees include a t-shirt and an incredible change to play a sport with Varsity Cardinal Coaches and their players. Visit <https://www.cardinalstritch.org/summercamp24/> !



Hospitality!

As a reminder Hospitality (after Sunday Mass) will be on hold over the summer months starting May 26 thru September 1.

Enjoy your Summer!

St. Patrick's Food Pantry Needs Your HELP!

We are in need of volunteers on Monday, Wednesday or Friday from 12:00 pm—2:00 pm



If you are interested in volunteering please call the parish office at 419-243-6452, ext. 3 (Sherri)

An easier way to donate

Looking for a simple way to make a donation to the parish? Scan this QR code and go right to the donation page for The Historic Church of Saint Patrick. Open up the camera app on your smartphone. When you focus the camera on the QR Code, your phone will ask if you want to go to our site. Touch the instruction bar at the top/bottom of the photo and it will take you right to the donation page where you will see a yellow donate button. Thank you for supporting our parish and helping us share the Good News!



Parish Registration

Register

Have you been wanting to become a member of our St. Patrick's family? Registration forms are available at each of our entrances. We'd love for you to join our parish family!

Children's Liturgy

will break for the Summer starting Sunday, June 9 and resume Sunday, September 1.

Have a great summer!



Health News for June 2, 2024

Recognizing Postural Orthostatic Tachycardia Syndrome (POTS). POTS is an abbreviation for Postural Orthostatic Tachycardia Syndrome. Postural means it's linked to your body's position. Orthostatic is related to standing. Tachycardia means rapid heart rate. And syndrome means it's a group of symptoms. A condition called POTS can have a huge impact on a person's life. POTS can affect anyone at any age. It is most common in women, ages 15 to 50; Its causes are unknown. Researchers suspect there can be different causes, and each might require different treatments.

Source: news in [health.nih.gov](https://www.health.nih.gov)
Parish Nurse Ministry of Central Toledo: Kathy Jeffery, RN, 419-242-1598

St. Catherine 4555 N. Haven ReSale Boutique

PreView Sale: June 19, 5-8pm,
\$5 entry.

Sale Days: June 20-21, 9a – 5p;
June 22, 9a – 12p \$5 bag, BOGO!

Thurs, June 20, award-winning Maybe Cheese Born With It (mac 'n cheese food truck) will be on-site. Questions? Call Mary, 419-280-1778.

Reminder! Sunday, June 2

Blood Pressure
Checks after Mass
near the Statue of
the Pieta



The Historic Church of St. Patrick's Parish/Community Activities!

We Congratulate



Ryan Connolly and Madeline Irmen

who will be married

June 8, 2024

at the

Historic Church of Saint Patrick

Please keep in prayer the First Responders who have given their lives to keep us safe, and their grieving families and departments.

**ROLL CALL OF FALLEN FIREFIGHTERS,
May 13-25, 2024**

No fatalities

**ROLL CALL OF FALLEN LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS,
May 13-25, 2024**

No fatalities



**St. Patrick's
Mud Hens Night
Play Ball!**



Get your
Mud Hens Tickets Today!

**St. Pat's Night at 5th Third Field
Thursday June 27th**

**Dinner @ 5:30
Game Time 7:05**

**Game tickets = \$12
Game ticket + dinner @ the
rectory = \$20**

B.Y.O.B. = Beverage!

**Tickets can be purchased in back
of church after Mass starting today,
Sunday, June 2**

Please pray for our Bishop and Priests

The priests of the Diocese of Toledo will gather with Bishop Daniel E. Thomas for their bi-annual Convocation from June 17-20, 2024. Once again, the convocation will be at Sawmill Creek Resort, Huron, Ohio. The bishop has the expectation that all active diocesan priests will be joining him for the full duration of the Convocation. Therefore, daily Mass schedules and priests' office hours throughout the diocese will be altered to accommodate the participation of all active priests in the convocation. The convocation provides our priests the opportunity to be together for spiritual nourishment, prayer, fellowship, and recreation. Please remember to pray for all of them, that their priestly fidelity, unity, and identity will continue to be renewed and deepened.



Community Days at Historic St. Patrick



Sunday, June 2, 2024
12:00 pm—3:00 pm
(Parking Lot)

Join us and several community agencies at our community day celebration!! Free face painting, popcorn, and cotton candy. See bulletin insert for more information.

We are in need of volunteers and your help would be greatly appreciated.

St. Patrick's Gift Shop is Open Every Sunday

Need the perfect gift for that special someone?

The St. Patrick's gift shop is now open every Sunday before and after Mass thanks to Mary Helen Williams volunteering her time.

