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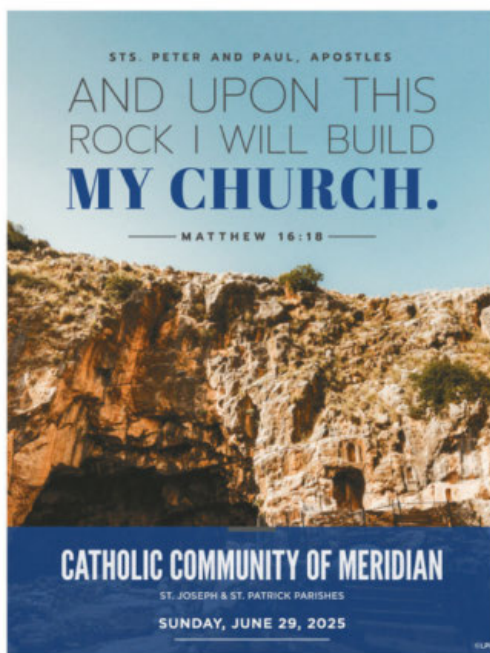
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#### From The Archives

On June 1, 1911, Mount St. Joseph School held its first end of year closing exercise. Fr. Ten Brink delivered the first address and an account of the ceremony was published in the Meridian Star. In one short year, the enrollment in the school grew to 120 and five teachers were on the staff. The school & mission continue to grow. By the end of 1913, the mission membership had grown to 68 and the first wedding was celebrated.



#### Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday	(St. Patrick):	5:00 p.m.
Sunday	(St. Joseph):	8:30 a.m.
Sunday	(St. Patrick):	11:00 a.m.
Sunday	(St. Patrick):	3:00 p.m.

#### Weekday Schedule

Tuesday	(St. Joseph):	5:30 p.m.
Wednesday	(St. Patrick):	12:05 p.m.
Thursday	(St. Patrick):	11:30 a.m.
*Friday	(St. Patrick):	9:00 a.m.

**\*Independence Day, First Friday and the Healing Mass.**

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Every Friday 1130A-12N/Every Saturday 4P-430P or by appointment.

#### Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament

Every Thursday 12N —6P —St. Aloysius

Chapel/Parish Center

Chaplet of Divine Mercy 3:00 p.m. (M-F)

Vespers/Rosary 4:45 p.m. (M-F)

Dial-In Phone Number is 769-206-1927

#### **Mass Schedule, Intentions, and Readings for June 30<sup>th</sup> - July 6<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

Monday	No Mass	Gn 18:16-33; Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 8-9, 10-11; Mt 8:18-22
Tuesday	5:30 p.m.	<b>Justo (Mario) Roman Scott/</b> Offered by Daisy Scott <b>Honor of Darrell Phillips Jr./</b> Offered by Darrell Phillips Gn 19:15-29; Ps 26:2-3, 9-10, 11-12; Mt 8:23-27
Wednesday	12:05 p.m.	<b>Donna Frealdenhoven/</b> Offered by Chris Frealdenhoven <b>Dr. Mones Thomas/</b> Offered by Richard & Aileen Semmes Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Ps 34:7-8, 10-11, 12-13; Mt 8:28-34
Thursday	11:30 a.m.	<b>Jerry Rutledge/</b> Offered by Daisy Scott <b>Wayne Hall/</b> Offered by Bob & Rosie Connor Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 20:24-29
<b>Independence Day</b>	9:00 a.m.	<b>Ginny Buchanan/</b> Offered by Gay Williams <b>Anna Trang Do/</b> Offered by Anh Tuyet Le Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67; Ps 106:1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5; Mt 9:9-13
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	<b>John Maloney/</b> Offered by KC Council 802 Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Ps 135:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mt 9:14-17
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	<b>Mary Graham/</b> Offered by Barbara Rogers Is 66:10-14c; Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20 (1); Gal 6:14-18;
	11:00 a.m.	<b>Connie Bullock Royal/</b> Offered by Kim & Todd Gibson Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9
	3:00 p.m.	Catholic Community

### Saint Peter & Saint Paul

Today we celebrate the principal apostles of the early church. Saints Peter & Paul took completely different routes to their vocation. Peter was called personally by Jesus, traveled with him during his entire ministry and became the preeminent disciple among the Twelve. Paul, on the other hand, persecuted the early church until he was called and converted by the Risen Lord on his way to arrest Christians in Damascus. May these two saints remind us that God calls us all at different times in our lives and in different ways.

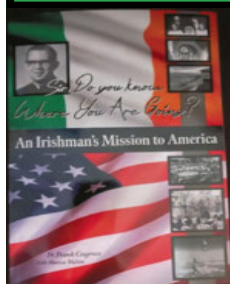
### Adult Bible Study

A new "Roundtable Discussion" will kick off Thursday, July 10<sup>th</sup> at 10A in the Father Vally Room. These interactive sessions will cover 4 specific Catholic teachings starting with the Doctrine of Original Sin, continuing with the Doctrine of Purgatory (July 17<sup>th</sup>) followed Marian Dogmas (July 24<sup>th</sup>) and concluding with Church Authority (July 31<sup>st</sup>). There is no cost for these sessions.



**If you are a practicing Catholic and a parishioner of St. Joseph or St. Patrick parish, please do not let cost affect your decision to send your child to St. Patrick School.** Scholarships are available for parents to help offset the cost if financial hardship is an issue. Please contact the Father Augustine for more information. We want every Catholic child to have the opportunity to receive a Catholic education.

**Registration is now open for students** Pre-K3 through 7th Grade. Come see why your child should be a student at St. Patrick School!



Father Cosgrove's new book "Sir, Do you know Where You Are Going; An Irishman's Mission to America" is now on sale in the Parish Office or in

Our Lady's Corner Store. They are \$20 each (Cash or Checks made out to Dogwood Press). Each book is signed by Father Cosgrove.



As the United States of America celebrates her 249th Birthday, the Parish Staff wishes all of you a Blessed and Happy Independence Day. There will be a special Holiday Mass, Friday, July 4th at 9:00 a.m. in St. Patrick Church. As this is the first Friday of the month, this will also be a Healing Mass as well. In observance of the Holiday, the Parish Office will be closed July 4th. May God always Bless America!

### **Catholic Community Health Ministry**

**CPR & AED training will be offered Saturday, July 19th in the Father Vally Room in the St. Patrick Parish Center.**

**There will be two sessions (8:00A—11:00A & 12:00N—3:00P).**

**Instructors will be Dr. Rosalyn Gambrell, Pam Tvarkunas and Carmel Crain.**

**Cost of the class will be \$35 per person. Basic Life Support (BLS) cards will be issued from the American Heart Association. To register, please call Edna Blanks (601) 938-1337. Sessions are limited to 9 persons each and registration is on a first come, first served basis.**

**FORMED is available at no cost to all. Simply go FORMED.org, enter St. Patrick Church or our zip code 39301. Enter your email address and boom that is it. No password needed. Enjoy great Catholic Faith programming such as Foretold, Brother Francis, new programming about Pope Leo XIV, bible studies, kids programs and more!**

# Happy Birthday

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Sean Partridge  
Thomas Baker  
Brenda Wilson  
Amy Le Christopher  
Mosley  
Pam Deitz  
Alan Hart  
Stephanie Dial

Hannah Grant  
Guadalupe Garcia  
Angela Odom  
Michelle Knowles  
Erica Heggie  
Elisa Hughes  
Jacquelyn Ray  
Anna Kate Pritchard  
Robert Weir  
Malou Harris



## What's Happening

**June 28th—CWO of St. Patrick meets at 6P in the Father Vally Room.**

**July 4th—Flag Raising Ceremony—8A—St. Patrick Cemetery—10<sup>th</sup> St & 39<sup>th</sup> Ave**

**July 4th—Special Independence Day Mass—9A—St. Joseph.**

**July 6th—OCIA—2nd Summer Session—9A—Father Vally Room.**

**July 10th—New Adult Bible Study kicks off in the Father Vally Room at 10A.**

**July 19th—CPR/AED training in the Father Vally Room (8A-11A & 12N-3P). Advance Registration is required.**

**July 26th—CYO Retreat—9A-4P Pine Lake Fellowship Camp. Retreat is for all youth (5th—12th grades).**

### OCIA News (2025-2026)

The next Summer Session will be Sunday, July 6<sup>th</sup> in the Fr. Vally Room (9A—1030A). If you know of anyone interested in the Catholic Faith, please share this information with them. Additional class dates will be July 20th and August 3rd. Please contact Ken in the office or more information.







There will be a Youth Retreat July 26th (9A-4P) at Pine Lake Fellowship Camp. *Please note that this retreat is for all YOUTH (5th –12th grades).* There will be games, food, fellowship and boating! Click the following link to register:

<https://forms.gle/kGC8CLqhMdX7NzBVA>

Additionally you may contact Kristen Augustine (850) 305-1771 or by email [kaugustine@stpatrickcatholicschool.org](mailto:kaugustine@stpatrickcatholicschool.org) or Scott & Kasey Owen (601) 692-6360 or by email [kowen@stpatrickcatholicschool.org](mailto:kowen@stpatrickcatholicschool.org).



## Weekly Collections

### St. Joseph Parish

Needed Income (Weekly): \$4,428.00  
June 15<sup>th</sup>: \$1,820.00  
Online: \$380.00

### St. Patrick Parish

Needed Income (Weekly): \$15,869.00  
June 15<sup>th</sup>: \$7,714.00  
Online: \$2,487.00

### Spanish Mass

June 15<sup>th</sup>: \$384.00

There will be a second collection for Peter's Pence this weekend.

Catholic Service Appeal Report:  
St. Joseph—Goal-\$9,320—  
Amount received to date-\$3,546.  
St. Patrick—Goal-\$31,650  
Amount received to date-\$17,345.  
CSA donations may be made online at <https://www.givecentral.org/appeals-form-registration/acp66ed1de07cc78/user/guest>



### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS COUNCIL 802 /ASSEMBLY 1251

*There will be a Flag Raising this Friday, July 4th at 8:00 a.m. in St. Patrick Cemetery (10th Street & 39th Avenue) in observance of Independence Day. All are welcome!!!*

*Did you know that the Knights have Bingo every Thursday evening at the KC Hall (2217 Highway 19 North)? Doors open at 515P, Early Bird starts at 6P and the Regular Session at 730P. Patrons age 14 and up welcome (14-17 must be with a parent or guardian).*

### Travel With Father Carlisle in the Fall of 2025

Dates: October 4—15, 2025  
Details: Pilgrimage will take you to Rome, Assisi, Florence, Tuscany, Venice and then continuing to Lisbon where the trip will end in Fatima. Trip is all inclusive with exception of lunch each day. Cost: \$5,799.00 per person (includes airfare from anywhere in the U.S.) Contact Information: Pat Nause 601-604-0412, Proximo Travel (855) 842 8001 or [proximotravel.com](http://proximotravel.com). Trip #1181. This trip coincides with the Jubilee Year which only occurs every 25 years. The theme this year is "Pilgrims of Hope" a period of grace, forgiveness and reconciliation. You still have time to make reservations for this once in a lifetime trip.



### Knights of Peter Claver Council 208 News

**The KPC are selling raffle tickets to benefit their National Scholarship program. Tickets are \$2 each and there are 13 chances to win with a grand prize of \$3,000, 2nd-\$2,000, 3rd-\$1,000 and 10-\$150 winners. Contact any KPC member for tickets Drawing will be July 22nd in Rockville, MD but you do not have to be present to win.**

## OUR LADY'S CORNER

Our Lady's Corner Store will be open Sunday June 29th, July 13th & 27th, August 10th & 31st (10A-1045A and after the 11A Mass). To shop by appointment, please contact Pat (601) 479-0920 or John in the Parish Office.



**Family & Friends:** Please pray for the repose of the soul of Murlene Riccitelli (mother of Mary Fries).

**Parishioners:** Please pray for Debbie Perry, Bob Connor, Scarlett Cayer, Bliss Green, Helen Reynolds, Patricia James, Joe Mosby, Linda Jenkins, Stephanie Coffman, Rory Santiago, Tom Zettler, Frank Washington, Martha Haarala, Janet Bunker, JoAnn Mack, Dr. David Newell, Rosie Leflore, Barbara Holscher, Billy Mitts, Mel Brumfield, Teresa LaBiche, Martha & Larry Mazingo, and Dianne Hall.

**Family & Friends:** Please pray for Barbara Hastings and Jimmy Garrett (mother & brother of Robby Garrett), Tyler Reynolds (friend of Patty Harris), Sharon Romano (former parishioner), Susie DeGeneres (mother of Sam DeGeneres), Henry Gilson (friend of Cena Moss), Kenny Watts (brother of Grace Mitts), Peggy Ryan (sister of Pat Maloney), Betty Koca (former parishioner), Arthur Hardin (BIL of Sarah Pogue), Marijoy Howell (daughter of Rory Santiago), Jimmy Michaud & Michael Moulitis (nephews of Sue Blier), Lee Feldman (friend of Bridget & John Harwell), Erin Lewis (daughter of Mary Harrington), Dalton Kyle (friend of Pam Walston), Mary Urbeck (SIL of Pat Risch), Paula Ramagos (cousin of Les Pogue), Marie Conway (cousin of Rose Schultz), Leo Kushnir (great nephew of Rose Schultz), Bill Watson (friend of Rose Schultz), Samson Beck and John Eugene Morgan (son & grandson of Helen Beck) and Sylvia Jackson.

If you, a family member or friend are in need of a visit from a priest or lay minister, please contact the Parish Office.

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