

St. Patrick Parish

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December 22, 2019

Fourth Sunday of Advent



TO REGISTER IN THE PARISH

Visit our website and
register online or come to
the Parish Office

St. Patrick's Thrift Shop

457 Magnolia Avenue
Larkspur CA 94939
Phone: 415-924-5393

Hours:

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday:
10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Thursday: 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Saturday: Noon - 4:00 p.m.

Mass Schedule

Weekdays: 8:00 a.m., Tuesday through Friday

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.

Last Sunday of the Month: 10:00 a.m. Family Mass

Parish Staff

Monsignor Michael Padazinski
Pastor

Reverend Andrew Ginter
In Residence

Angela Hadsell

School Principal

Lisa Gramlich

*Director of Religious Education
& Evangelization*

Agata Konopka

Parish Office

Cathy Plocki

Liturgical Coordinator

Phyllis Rybensky

Helping Hands Coordinator

Barbara Cavalier

Hospitality Coordinator

Deborah Benedict

Adult Choir Director

Daniel Savio

Pianist

Parish Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. (Monday—Friday)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday

4:15 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

or another time

by appointment.

St. Patrick

K-8 School

415-924-0501

St. Patrick

School of Religion

415-924-0600 x15

Christmas Schedule 2019

Christmas Masses

Christmas Eve

Tuesday, December 24

Vigil of the Nativity of Our Lord

4:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Family Mass

6:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Mass

8:15 p.m. Christmas Concert by the Parish Choir

9:00 p.m. Vigil Mass of the Nativity of Our Lord

Christmas Day

Wednesday, December 25

8:00 a.m. Christmas Mass

9:40 a.m. Carols led by the Parish Choir

10:00 a.m. Christmas Mass with Parish Choir

11:30 a.m. Christmas Mass

Christmas Pageant



All St. Patrick parish children in grades 2 and up, are invited to participate in this year's Christmas Pageant at St. Patrick Church. **The pageant will take place at the 4p.m. Mass on December 24th.**

Pageant Rehearsal Schedule:
(in Healy Hall)

Sunday, December 22nd: 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.

Monday, December 23rd: 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.

For more details or to sign-up please contact: Lisa Gramlich at l_gramlich@stpatricksmarin.org.



St Vincent de Paul Society
good works

On the weekend of December 28/29, we are invited to extend our Christmas giving to the ongoing charitable works coming directly from our parish. This will be the 5th Sunday collection benefitting the St. Patrick's Conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

This past year, thanks solely to our parishioners' generosity, we helped neighbors in widely diverse situations:

Several people have suffered injuries and one a stroke that caused them to go through their entire savings just to stay housed. Others are selling everything they own (family furniture, etc.) to keep a roof over their heads. Regularly increasing rents contribute greatly to their problems

A nanny supporting her family lost her charge when he began school.

A woman with a spinal cord injury preventing her use of one of her arms needed food. Walking a great distance to a grocery store with the use of only one arm is nearly impossible.

Your contributions made a significant change in all of their lives. You would love to hear their expressions of gratitude. Many comment that they cannot believe that there are "people out there that do this."

And you do. And we are very grateful for whatever you can give. Each dollar is as important as every house call our active members make. Thank you very much.

We welcome into our faith community

Kaia Serena Shin,

*daughter of
Dennis Shin & Lindsey Whitmer*

who was baptized on Saturday,
December 21, 2019
at St. Patrick's.



We pray for blessings on her
and her family.



*All parishioners and friends are
invited to St. Patrick's annual
Christmas Concert
presented by
our Parish Choir
at 8:15 p.m. on Christmas Eve,
in the church.*

Christmas Eve Mass begins at 9:00 p.m.

St. Patrick's Thrift Shop

The shop will be closed for the Holidays
Sunday, December 22nd
through Monday, January 6th, and
will reopen on Tuesday, January 7th at 10am.

We wish you a very Merry Christmas
and a Happy New Year!

Special thanks to our donors, our customers,
and our wonderful volunteers
for your amazing generosity
and support during 2019!

Donating to St. Patrick Church Online

The church relies on an increase in contributions to support special programs and basic operating expenses. Please be as generous as you can. For your convenience, we offer online giving through the church website. It's easy to donate! Simply go to our website, www.stpatricksparish.com. On the homepage click on 'Giving,' and you will be directed to VANCO.

Please call the parish office with any questions.

*Your donations to St. Patrick Parish
are always most appreciated!*

Mass Intentions December 21 — 29

Saturday December 21	5:00 pm	Ludvig and Leone Ribich †
Sunday December 22	8:00 am	John Cronin †
	10:00 am	John & Dorothy Aiello †
	11:30 am	People of the Parish
Monday December 23	No Mass	
Tuesday December 24	4:00 pm	Ray Hollister †
	6:00 pm	Bob Rybensky †
Christmas Eve	9:00 pm	Jerry Finley †
Wednesday December 25	8:00 am	Jerry Finley †
	10:00 am	Antonio & Maria Varges †
Christmas Day	11:30 am	People of the Parish
Thursday December 26	8:00 am	Barbara & Charlie Starrett 60th Wedding Anniversary
Friday December 27	8:00 am	Marge Stevens & Family
Saturday December 28	5:00 pm	Aldo & Anna Maria Obertello †
Sunday December 29	8:00 am	Giuliana Jump †
	10:00 am	People of the Parish
	11:30 am	Michael McCullagh †



San Francisco Mission District Toy Drive

Thank you for your generous donations to the Mission Neighborhood Health Clinic annual Christmas party. Because of you, children were able to receive a gift for Christmas.

Merry Christmas.

Erin and Patrick Loftus-Sweetland

PRAYER LIST

If you have someone you would like to include, please contact the Parish Office.

Bring in the New Year with Brunch with Catholic Charities Families

Help serve brunch and mingle with Catholic Charities families and seniors at our 10th and Mission Family Housing and Edith Witt Community on December 31st from 10 AM – 1 PM.

To volunteer and for more information, contact Carol Laughlin at CLaughlin@CatholicCharitiesSF.org or visit us at www.catholiccharitiessf.org

Catholic Charities Free Immigration Legal

**Consultations Available Through Dec. 31, 2019
Call at 415.972.1238 from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm**

Catholic Charities of San Francisco, San Mateo, and Marin offers free or reduced-cost immigration consultations and legal advice to those who qualify. Free consultation services are available through December 31, 2019.

Visit CatholicCharitiesSF.org/legalsupport to learn more.



Wintertime Priesthood Discernment Dinner Meetings

The archdiocesan Office of Vocations offers two monthly meetings for men interested in discovering more about the priesthood. The program each time is Eucharistic Adoration in the church, followed by dinner and discussion in the rectory. Upcoming dates:

Mondays: January 6, February 3,
6:15 – 8:30 pm St. Pius X Church, 1100 Woodside Rd.
Redwood City. For information or to RSVP:
Fr. Tom Martin, martin.thomas@sfarch.org

Thursdays: January 9, February 6 ,
5:45 – 8:30 pm Star of the Sea Church, 4420 Geary
Blvd., San Francisco. For information or to RSVP:
Fr. Cameron Faller faller.cameron@sfarch.org



Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

It is my sincere hope that you and your family will have a wonderful Christmas filled with joy, peace, happiness, and an abundance of grace from our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Our Christmas liturgies here at the parish promise to be prayerful and augmented beautifully by the angelic singing of our choir, cantors, and congregation.

As you know, this is my fourth Christmas at Saint Patrick serving as your pastor. I continue to feel your support and encouragement and this has truly become my home! I hope that you, too, feel my love and support as we continue our journey together worshipping the Lord who came among us once at Bethlehem and abides with us now through the presence of the Holy Spirit. Saint Patrick is truly a wonderful community and I feel so blessed to belong to such a vibrant and faith-filled parish community.

As 2020 prepares to dawn, may it be a wonderful year for each of you, for our parish community and for our world. May our Lord, born once at Bethlehem bless our many worthwhile endeavors as we seek to promote His message of peace, hope, joy, and love!

Again, a most heart-felt Merry Christmas!

Monsignor Michael Padazinski