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31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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"As for you, do not be called 'Rabbi.' You have but one teacher, and you are all brothers. Call no one on earth your father; you have but one Father in heaven. Do not be called 'Master'; you have but one master, the Christ. The greatest among you must be your servant." - Mt 23:8-11

Mass Schedule/ Horario de Misas

Mon, Tues, Thurs 6:30 am Wed, Fri (Mie, Vier) 12:15 pm Saturday/Sábado 8 am, 5 pm

Sundays/Domingo:

English 7:30 am, 9:15 am, 11 am

Español 12:45 pm Burmese 2:30 pm

Confessions/Confesiones

3:30 pm Saturdays 5:30 pm Tuesdays or by appointment Español- Martes a las 5:30 pm Sabados a las 3:30 pm

Baptisms/Bautismos

By appointment only Por cita solamente

Marriages/Matrimonios

Please notify pastor 8-10 months prior to wedding. Favor de notificar a la parroquia 8-10 meses antes.

Adoration

Tuesdays, 7 am to 7 pm; Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena 6:30 pm

RCIA Classes (Adults)

Sundays 6:30 pm, Oct—Easter

School of Religion K-8; Catecismo K-8

Wednesdays/Miercoles 6:30 pm

Rosary

Saturdays 4:30 pm; Sundays 7 am; Tuesdays 6:30 pm

From Father Timothy Skoch, Parochial Vicar:

Thirty-First Sunday in O.T—Today's Responsorial Psalm is one of my personal favorites. The Psalmist states: "O Lord, my heart is not proud, my eyes are not raised too high; I am not busy with great things, nor with things too marvelous for me. But I have calmed and quieted my soul, like a weaned child on its mother's lap; like a child that is quieted is my soul." Throughout my young life, I have been encouraged to memorize some psalms and with this being a short one, I have equipped it in my spiritual tool belt.

It's important to me because it encapsulates part of Jesus' Gospel message: "truly, I say to you, unless you turn and become like children, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven." So, in gratitude I can be at rest for all the blessings in my life, those both seen and unseen. My heart and soul can be content and instead of grasping for anything, I can with peaceful confidence "do the will of my heavenly Father." What is the will of God? "For this is the will of my Father, that everyone who sees the Son and believes in Him should have eternal life." We must then have faith in Jesus.

This is exactly the point which is addressed in today's Gospel. Jesus is calling out religious leaders who are unfaithful to their calling. This calling is to take on the yoke of Christ, for He says, "my yoke is easy and my burden is light." Religious practices ought to be freeing, while making us children of God.

Finally, "those who are called Father, Teacher or Doctor, must not love those expressions of honor or let them cause us to forget that our fundamental relationship to other Christians is that of fellow disciple, brother, or sister." (Mitch and Sri) Priests then "will share in the mission of the Father and the Son through their commission to teach the gospel (28:19-20), but theirs will be a derivative participation in something divine." (Mitch and Sri)

Eucharistic Amazement: "Worship and Veneration" Reflection #22

Do we worship saints? Isn't that idolatry? If we worshipped saints, that would indeed be idolatry! Worship is for God alone. We venerate or honor the saints. They are our spiritual role models. Just as we would ask other Christians to pray for a special intention, we ask the saints to pray for us. You may have a treasured picture or belonging of a deceased loved one but you don't worship it. Worship is reserved for the Lord. Once consecrated, Jesus is really, truly present in Holy Communion so it's proper we adore God in the Eucharist. Before consecration, hosts are kept in a drawer!

Scripture Readings for Week of November 6-12

Mon/Lun: Romans 11:29-36; Luke 14:12-14 Tue/Mar: Romans 12:5-16ab; Luke 14:15-24 Wed/Mie: Romans 13:8-10; Luke 14:25-33

Thur/Jue: Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12;

1 Corinthians 3:9c-11, 16-17;

John 2:13-22

Fri/Vie: Romans 15:14-21; Luke 16:1-8 Sat/Sab: Romans 16:3-9, 16, 22-27;

Luke 16:9-15

Sun/Dom: Wisdom 6:12-16;

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18:

Matthew 25:1-13

Desde Padre Timothy Skoch:

El Salmo de hoy, personalmente es uno de mis favoritos. El salmista afirma: "Señor, mi corazón no es soberbio, ni mis ojos altivos; No ando tras las grandezas, Ni en cosas demasiado difíciles para mí; Sino que he calmado y acallado mi alma; Como un niño destetado en el regazo de su madre, Como un niño destetado está mi alma dentro de mí". A lo largo de mi vida, me animaron a memorizar algunos salmos y, como este es breve, lo he equipado en mi cinturón de herramientas espirituales.

Es importante para mí porque resume parte del mensaje del Evangelio de Jesús: "En verdad os digo que, si no os volvéis y os hacéis como niños, no entraréis en el reino de los cielos". Entonces, en gratitud puedo descansar por todas las bendiciones de mi vida, tanto las que se ven como las que no se ven. Mi corazón y mi alma pueden estar contentos y en lugar de aferrarse a cualquier cosa, puedo con pacífica confianza "hacer la voluntad de mi Padre celestial". ¿Cuál es la voluntad de Dios? "Porque esta es la voluntad de mi Padre: que todo el que ve al Hijo y cree en Él, tenga vida eterna". Entonces debemos tener fe en Jesús.

Este es exactamente el punto que se aborda en el Evangelio de hoy. Jesús está llamando a los líderes religiosos que son infieles a su llamado. Este llamado es a tomar el yugo de Cristo, porque Él dice: "mi yugo es fácil y mi carga ligera". Las prácticas religiosas deben ser liberadoras y al mismo tiempo hacernos hijos de Dios.

Finalmente, "quienes se llaman Padre, Maestro o Doctor, no deben amar esas expresiones de honor ni permitir que nos hagan olvidar que nuestra relación fundamental con los demás cristianos es la de condiscípulo, hermano o hermana". (Mitch y Sri) Los sacerdotes entonces "compartirán la misión del Padre y del Hijo a través de su comisión de ens eñar el evangelio (28:19-20), pero la suya será una participación derivada en algo divino". (Mitch y Sri)

Ministerios: SI usted desea inscribirse o informamrase sobre los ministerios de Lector, Ministro Extraordinario de la Comunion, Hospitalidad, limpieza de los viernes, Coro, o Monaguillo, por favor de mandar un correo electronico a adrath@stpatrickkck.org. Su parroquia los necesita.

Grupo de formación: Todos los Viernes en el Centro Parroquial; Para más información llame a Manuel Soto al 913-272-8370

Limpieza de la Iglesia: La limpieza de la iglesia habrá el primer sábado de mes a las 9:00 AM. Para más información le llame Norma a 913-940-4613.



Upcoming Events:

Saturday, November 11 - Dinner and Enter-tainment sponsored by Burmese Community!

Grief and the Holidays Workshop

St. Patrick Church Thursday, November 9 7-8 pm

Presentation will include a brief overview of the physical and emotional aspects of grief, a spiritual view of loss, and practical tips for facing the holidays without a loved one. Contact Theresa Smith, 913-299-3370 or tsmith@archkckcs.org for more details.

Catholic Social Teaching in Action! Listening Session

Learn more about advancing human dignity, solidarity, subsidiarity, and the common good in Wyandotte County. Tim Rives, trives@archkck.org and Brett Eisenhauer, brett@thedartcenter.org invite you to St. Patrick Listening Session on November 11th, 9-11am in the Catherine of Siena Room (Early Education Center). Breakfast snacks will be provided! See you there!

Shamrocks for Scholarships: Thank You!

The Shamrocks for Scholarships committee would like to thank all parishioners for your donations and prayers to this year's event. With your support, we raised over \$80,000 that will go towards tuition assistance for all of our school families. We are so grateful for the relationship that the parish shares with our school and the entire community. We are so blessed to have found such an involved, generous group of guardian angels in you. God bless your support and may it be returned to you one-hundred fold. Congratulations to our Raffle Ticket Winners! Ngun Thlia \$1,000, Anne Butters \$750, Marcia Wrona \$500, San Ling \$250.

Veterans Day observance, Resurrection Cemetery, Lenexa

Veterans, family members and friends are invited to attend the Veterans Day observance on Saturday, Nov. 11, 2 p.m., in the Prince of Peace Mausoleum Chapel at Resurrection Cemetery, 83rd and Quivira, Lenexa. The American Legion Band will provide patriotic musical prelude at 1:30 p.m. Rev. Michael Hermes will give the invocation followed by presentation of colors, national anthem and service songs, guest speaker, prayer and playing of Taps. Call Catholic Cemeteries, 913-371-4040; email information@cathcemks.org; or visit www.cathcemks.org for information.

Mass Intentions (Intenciones)

Sunday, November 5—31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. Mass Int: Janice Kaminski † 9:15 a.m. Mass Int: Gilder Serrano † 11:00 a.m. Mass Int: Jim Garvey †

12:45 p.m. Spanish: Francisco Flores Chavez †

2:30 p.m. Burmese Int: Available

Monday, November 6

6:30 a.m. Mass Int: In Thanksgiving for Blessings Received

Tuesday, November 7

6:30 a.m. Mass Int: Lawrence Meikel †

Wednesday, November 8

8:10 a.m. Mass Int: Bob Timmons, Sr. †

12:15 p.m. Mass Int: Jim Koenig †

Thursday, November 9—Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

6:30 a.m. Mass Int: Kenny Hamilton † Friday, November 10—St. Leo the Great

8:10 a.m. Mass Int: Randy Putnam † 12:15 p.m. Mass Int: Elizabeth Thomas †

Saturday, November 11—St. Martin of Tours 8:00 a.m. Mass Int: Sr. Frances Hraback †

5:00 p.m. Mass Int: Anthony & Loretta Globoke † Sunday, November 12—32nd Sunday in Ordi-

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7:30 a.m. Mass Int: People of the Parish 9:15 a.m. Mass Int: Josie Serrano † 11:00 a.m. Mass Int: Diane Kane †

12:45 p.m. Spanish: Emilio Pompa †, Lino Pedro Hernandez †, Felipe Mejia †, Gustavo Hernandez

Juarez †, Intentions of Jorge Polido 2:30 p.m. Burmese Int: *Available*

Confession Schedule: Tuesdays, 5:30—6:30

pm; Saturdays, 3:30—4:30 pm

EVENTS

Sunday, Nov 5 Adult Classes (RCIA) 6:30 pm St. Patrick Room

Monday, Nov 6 Stitches of Love Group 1:00 pm St. Patrick Room

Monday, Nov 6 Green Club (Men's Group) 6:00 pm St. Patrick Room

Wednesday, Nov 8 School of Religion Classes 6:30 pm St. Patrick School

Thursday, Nov 9 Grief and the Holidays 7:00 pm Church

Saturday, Nov 11 Listening Session

St. Catherine of Signa Boom

9-11 am St. Catherine of Siena Room

Saturday, Nov 11 Anniversary Dinner (Chin) 6-10 pm Parish Center

*--- ST. PATRICK ---

All you can eat Chili Dinner & Bingo

Saturday, November 25th 6PM

Parish Center at St. Patricks Church 94th and State Ave. KCK

Chili
Hot dogs
Corn bread
Dessert
Tea
Lemonade

Adults \$10.00 • Kids \$5.00 (Bingo will be extra)

For more info call Fritz at 913-515-0621



NOVEMBER 4TH - DECEMBER 3RD

Please put in the collection basket or drop by the parish office.

Need assistance this Christmas?

To apply to receive assistance, please visit the School, School of Religion, or Parish office. Please return your form by November 20!

Please contact Theresa Smith, 913-299-3370 or tsmith@archkckcs.org to add or remove a name.

Please pray for the sick: Evelyn Adams, Ethan Allen, Brian Altenhofen, Vincent Anderjaska, Micah Babatunde, Kason Barger, Andrew Becker, Donna Bileck, Douglas Braman, Victor Braman, Marsha Brown, Mary Ann Bush, Hannah Buttaccio, Noah Callaway, Cindy Cigich, Owen Cigich, Raymond Cote, Margie Courtney, Toni Courtney, Vicky Daniels, Douglas Danko, Eileen Dechant, Delores Denk, Connie Engelbrecht, Diane Falgren, Charles Galladay, Peter Gallagher, Eva Garrett, Lydia Gates, Sue Goble, Cora Grant, Mary Hamm, Charlotte Hays, Blia Her, Randy Herrington, Bernadine Holland, Shirley Imhoff, Waylon Irons, Mike Kerns, Betty Kolenda, Luu Linh, Andrea McNeely, Laraun McNeely, Chad Messinger, Willetta Minters, Rodney Morris, Ryan Oswald, Mary Jo Prock, Judy Rodina, Russell Family, Liley Sanchez, Emily Segui, Dennis & Stephanie Seuferling, Regina Seuferling, Joseph Tayler, Ruth Ann Tayler, Ray Valverde, Tim Vaughan, Glenn Waltsak, Joe Wingerter, Ellie Worley, Jose Zarate, Jr.

Anointing of the Sick: Please call the office, 299-3370, to receive Anointing of the Sick. For a scheduled hospital stay or surgery, please schedule the sacrament with the priest before you are admitted to the hospital. If your condition worsens, you recover then become ill again or face new challenges due to aging, it's appropriate to be anointed again.

Homebound: If you are homebound and would like to receive Holy Communion and/or the Sacrament of Reconciliation, please call the office, 913-299-3370 to arrange for a priest to visit.

Scheduling Mass Intentions: A spiritual work of mercy is to pray for the souls of those who have died. To have a deceased loved one as the intention at a parish Mass, visit the office or email office@stpatrickkck.org or call 913-299-3370. Suggested donation is \$10.

Please pray daily for those who have died: Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Merry Meli**. Our prayers and sympathy are offered to her family and friends.



	September 23-29	September 30 -October 6	October 7-13	October 14-20	Year to Date Total
Budget/Presupuesto	\$23,000	\$23,000	\$23,000	\$23,000	\$368,000
Weekend Mass Collections	\$6,913	\$12,070	\$8,849	\$9,413	
Weekday Giving: Mail	\$1,332	\$6,197	\$2,930	\$9,921	
Weekly Online Giving	\$3,088	\$5,042	\$4,142	\$10,165	
School Support	\$90	\$446	\$216	\$45	
Maintenance		\$110	\$100	\$773	
Food Kitchen	\$134	\$390	\$272	\$508	
Total Collection	\$11,557	\$24,255	\$16,509	\$30,825	\$83,146
Over/Under Budget					(\$86,759)

Thank you to all who have submitted stewardship commitment cards! We are grateful for your generosity. If you have yet to submit your card, please do so this week!

St. Patrick Parish thanks you for your support by inviting you to this exciting lunch and learn event: "Year-End Tax Reducing Strategies"

Do you know that:

- You can sell highly appreciated assets and minimize Capital Gains taxes?
- You may be able to receive significant Tax Deductions today and possibly for another five years?
- You can protect your IRA from Double Taxation?
- You may be able to increase your income significantly?

Learn answers to these questions and enjoy a special luncheon and Mass by joining us on Wednesday.

November 15th!





WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15th
12:15 P.M. Mass (optional)
1:15 P.M. Luncheon and Presentation

Location: St. Patrick Parish

Parish Center (SW of the Church) 1086 North 94th Street Kansas City, KS

To RSVP email Jane Schmitt at <u>jschmitt@archkck.org</u> today or register online at: <u>https://cfnek.fcsuite.com/erp/donate/list/event?event_date_id=1014</u>

MEN'S MORNING OF REFLECTION

Saturday, November 18th 8:00am-10:30am Parish Center

ALL MEN OF THE PARISH ARE WELCOME!

Fr. Mark will lead the morning of reflection with two talks entitled:

 "Being a Father, Son, and Brother"

and

 "We All Need a Good Woman in our Life"

We are gathering as men of the parish to help get our families and each other to heaven!

Cost: your time

Hosted by Knights of Columbus and Green Club





Experience a night of food, wine, and fun for couples!

Enjoy free wine and hors d'oeuvres, learn the basics of wine and food pairings and meet other couples in our community.

Register for this special night out!

Friday,

November 18, 2023 6-8 PM in St. Patrick Parish Center





St. Patrick Catholic Church

Friday, November 17th 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Parish Center 1086 N. 94th Street

Appointments are preferred. Book your appointment today at savealifenow.org/group, enter Group Code: C8 or click on the QR code to the right. For additional details, please contact Gene Barragree at (913) 543-0525 or gsbarr1112@gmail.com.



Medical eligibility questions? Call 1.800.688.0900.

Appointments are preferred however walk-ins will be welcomed if space permits. Please remember to eat, drink, and bring your ID with your name and photo. Visit savealifenew.org/coronavirus for COVID-19 safety protocols.







150th Anniversary

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1873-2023

NOVEMBER 11TH

6:00PM -10:00PM

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Steam rice,Chicken tight. Green bean, 1Samaosa+dessert+ perfect for dinner.



ထမင်းကြော် Fried Rice

Shrimp fried rice. Green bean, 1Samaosa+dessert+ perfect for dinner.



ကြာဇံကြော် Fried Beehoon

Fried Beehoon with shrimp Green bean+ ¡Samaosa+dessert+ perfect for dinner.



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Pork+ fresh vegetables

Parish Staff/Personal

Pastor—Father Mark Mertes mmertes@archkck.org

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Father Michael Van Lian, mlian@archkck.org

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Directores de Formación en la Fe Católica Manuel y Susy Soto msoto@stpatrickkck.org

Parish Ministries/Ministerios

Altar Society President /
Presidente Sociedad del Altar: Jean Langkop

CYO Director: Ashley Calderon

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Bob Charbonneau, Lina Chavez, Joe Globoke,
Ambrose Kham-Thang, Tu Za Mang,
Tyler Saucedo, Ramiro Valenzuela

Knights of Columbus / Caballeros de Colon Gene Barragree

Marriage and Family Life (Communio)
Dawn and Leslie Reynoso
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School Council: Cathy Fithian, Principal

Prolife Ministry: Theresa Smith, 913-299-3370

PTO Chairperson
Mitzy Romero, pto@stpatrickkck.org

Social Concerns / Consejo de asuntos sociales Bob and Ann Timmons

Green Club Men's Group: Fritz Vertz 913-515-0621

Growing as Disciples of Jesus. Making Disciples for Jesus.

Parish Mission Statement/Misión

St. Patrick Parish is called to love and serve the Lord, to grow in knowledge, virtue and holiness and to spread the Gospel.

La parroquia de San Patricio esta llamada a amar y servir al Señor, a crecer en conocimiento, virtud y santidad y a compartir el evangelio.

Contact Information/Contacto

Parish Office/Oficinas parroquiales 299-3370 Office Hours/Horas de Oficina: Mondays-Thursdays, 8 am—4:30 pm; Fridays, 8—Noon (Office is closed 12:15-1:15)

School/Escuela	299-8131
Early Education Center/Preescholar	299-3051
Religious Ed/Ed. Religiosa(K-8)	299-3728
Parish Center Reservations	299-3370
Parish Center Kitchen/Cocina	299-2286



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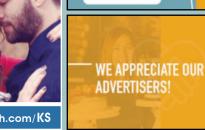


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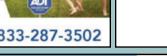




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