



# St. Patrick

## CATHOLIC CHURCH

61 South Union Street, London, Ohio 43140

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A Parish of the Diocese of Columbus

Most Rev. Robert J. Brennan, Bishop

Fr. Michael J. Hinterschied, Pastor

### MASS & PENANCE SCHEDULE

#### Sunday Masses:

Saturday (Anticipatory): 5:00 p.m.;

Sunday: 7:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

#### Daily Mass

Tuesday-Friday: 8:00 a.m.

Wednesday at Church: 5:30 p.m.

First Friday: 5:30 p.m.; First Saturday: 9:00 a.m.

#### Holy Days:

See bulletin or go to [www.stpatricklondon.org](http://www.stpatricklondon.org).

#### Sacrament of Penance:

Saturday: 4:30 p.m., Sunday: 7:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.,

Thursday: 6:30 p.m., First Friday: 4:30 p.m., or by appointment

#### Eucharistic Adoration:

Holy Hour, Thursday: 6:30-7:30 p.m.

First Friday, 12:00-5:15 p.m.

#### Sunday Rosary:

9:50 a.m.

### PARISH STAFF

Fr. Michael J. Hinterschied, *Pastor*

Deacon Dan Hann

Anna Harpold, *Business Manager*

Elizabeth Finke, *Secretary*

Debbie Adamczak, *Parish School Principal*

Polly Forde-Johnston, *Director,*

*St. Patrick Early Learning Center*

Sandy Fryling, *Director of Music*

### PARISH/SCHOOL DIRECTORY

#### Rectory and Parish Office

Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. (740) 852-0942

#### St. Patrick School

226 Elm Street, London, Ohio 43140 (740) 852-0161

#### St. Patrick Early Learning Center

& Latchkey Program (740) 490-7429

### TO OUR VISITORS

Welcome! We pray your visit may be an opportunity to share in the Roman Catholic Faith. To receive more information about St. Patrick or if you desire to become a member of the Catholic Church, contact the parish office. All contributions to the parish are sincerely appreciated!

#### Baptisms

Call Parish Office to make arrangements.

#### Marriages

Marriage preparation is necessary before a date is set.

Call for an appointment at least six months in advance.

#### Confraternity of Catholic Doctrine

CCD is provided for K-8 students who do not attend St. Patrick School

Sunday morning at 8:45-10:15 a.m. during the school year.

#### Knights of Columbus

Second and Fourth Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m., in the Parish Center.

Summer meetings are the Second Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.

#### Altar & Rosary Society

Second Tuesday of the month at 6:30 p.m., in the Parish Center.

No meetings in January, June, July or August.

**Parish Membership** - Please register by calling the Parish Office.

**Bulletin Deadline** - Monday by 10:00 a.m. or earlier.

### PARISH MINISTRIES/ORGANIZATIONS DIRECTORY

#### Altar/Rosary Society

Peggy Beathard, President (740) 506-0278

#### Cemetery

Anna Harpold (740) 852-0942

#### Communion to the Sick

Call Parish Office (740) 852-0942

#### Knights of Columbus

Matt Grube, Grand Knight (740) 963-2563

[www.kofc1786.org](http://www.kofc1786.org)

#### Parish Hall Reservations

Call Parish Office (740) 852-0942

#### CCD

Call Parish Office (740) 852-0942

#### RCIA

Call Parish Office (740) 852-0942

#### School Advisory Board

Heather Feliks, President (740) 852-0161

#### Por Información en Español

Irma Arbogast (740) 852-2535

**MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday (June 26)  
Sunday (June 27)

5:00 p.m.  
7:30 a.m.  
10:30 a.m.

Monday  
Tuesday  
Wednesday

Thursday  
Friday First Friday  
Saturday (July 3) First Saturday

Sunday (July 4)

8:00 a.m.  
5:30 p.m.  
9:00 a.m.  
5:00 p.m.  
7:30 a.m.  
10:30 a.m.

**INTENTIONS**

Leah Ann Raub †  
Alice McCallum †  
People of the Parish  
NO MASS  
NO MASS  
NO MASS  
Ann F. Hackett †  
Thomas Williams †  
Ray and Carilyn Miller ††  
Bob and Ellie Martin ††  
Jasson Cwiekalo †  
People of the Parish

**OFFERED BY**

Carma and Mike Young  
Alex and Roberta Cwiekalo and Families  
Father Hinterschied  
  
Tom Hackett  
Linda Henry  
Debbie Bartkowiak  
Young Family  
Santo and Carmela Armeli  
Father Hinterschied

**OFFERTORY****OFFERTORY COLLECTION: June 20**

Regular Collection	\$ 3,937.00
Maintenance	\$ 90.00
<b>St. Patrick Total Offering</b>	<b>\$ 4,027.00</b>

**SPECIAL COLLECTIONS**

Peter's Pence	\$ 5.00
<b>Total Special Collections</b>	<b>\$ 5.00</b>

*Thank You!*

**About the Cover** – pictured on the bulletin cover is the Paschal Candle. It burned brightly in a prominent place by the ambo for the 50 days of Easter. It is one of the pre-eminent symbols of Christ who is our light and our Salvation with its own hymn of praise sung at the Easter Vigil. The Paschal Candle is traditionally made of at least 51% beeswax. During the Easter Vigil before being lit by the new fire, a Cross is carved in it on which five nails (with incense) are placed representing the five wounds of Christ. The alpha and the omega (the first and last letters of the Greek alphabet) are incised above and below the Cross. Christ said of himself "I am the alpha and the omega, the beginning and the end..." The numerals of the current year are also added. After the Easter Season, the Paschal Candle is stored in the baptistery. Lit again for Baptisms, the neophyte receives their own candle lit from the Paschal Candle with the words "Receive the Light of Christ..." During a funeral, the deceased lies near the lit candle, a reminder of the great dignity we have through our Baptism into Christ's life, death, and Resurrection. Our candle this year has a Eucharistic motif and is entitled "Adoro Te Devote," a Latin hymn we may know better as "Humbly, We Adore Thee." Take a close look at the candle and you'll see entwining tendrils of grapes with the Cross reminiscent of a monstrance. (That'll be another article.) Also, you can find on it a pelican feeding its young. (That'll be another article too.) But in the meantime, look for the image of a pelican and her young in the stained-glass windows of our church.

**LITURGICAL ROLES:****5:00 p.m., Saturday, July 3:**

**Lectors:** 1. Tony Weyrich, 2. Mark Valentino  
**Ushers:** Dave Husek, Rob Shepherd

**7:30 a.m., Sunday, July 4:**

**Lectors:** 1. Alex Cwiekalo, 2. Elizabeth Finke  
**Ushers:** Bill Hackett, Jim Wiseman

**10:30 a.m., Sunday, July 4:**

**Lectors:** 1. Brendan Shea, 2. Phil Chin  
**Ushers:** Jeff Harpold, Volunteer  
**Greeter:** Theresia Chin  
**Rosary Leader:** Jackie Weiner (9:50 a.m.)

**FROGS are BACK** – We are growing and changing. Join in the fun every Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. in the St. Nicholas Room. Come ready to sing, pray, make art and learn about saints. Best of all, learn the music for Mass and sing as the newly formed St. Patrick Children's Choir. All children Pre-K and up, come sing to the Lord!

**Message from Fr. Hinterschied**

This week, Holy Mother Church venerates her two greatest Apostles, Peter and Paul. These men are the solid rock on which the Church is built. They are at the origin of her faith and will forever remain her protectors and her guides. To them Rome owes her own greatness, for it was under God's providential guidance that they were led to make the capital of the Empire, sanctified by their martyrdom, the center of the Christian world from which should radiate the preaching of the Gospel. St. Peter suffered martyrdom under Nero, in A.D. 66 or 67. He was buried on the hill of the Vatican where excavations have revealed his tomb on the very site of the Basilica of St. Peter's. St. Paul was beheaded in the Via Ostia on the spot where now stands the basilica bearing his name. Down the centuries, Christians have gone on pilgrimage to the tombs of these Apostles.

*O God, whose right hand raised up blessed Peter, when he walked upon the water and began to sink, and thrice delivered his fellow-Apostle Paul from the depths of the sea, when he suffered shipwreck: graciously hear us and grant, by the merits of them both, that we also may attain unto everlasting glory: Who livest and reignest, world without end. Amen.*

Rev. Fr. Michael Hinterschied, Pastor, Saint Patrick Church

**TOTUS TUUS** – Please sign up your child entering 1-6th grade for our summer youth program. Lunch is provided, and each child will receive a t-shirt. For those entering grades 7-12, an in-depth program is offered from 7:00-9:00 p.m. To register and pay online, visit our website. Registration forms can also be found in the hallway.

**Bishop's Annual Appeal** – St. Patrick Church has met our goal! The amount currently pledged is \$74,405.00 with 85 envelopes received. Please consider a gift of \$250.00. Any amount raised over our goal is returned to our parish. Thank you for your donations.

**Job Opening** – St. Patrick Preschool & SAC is looking for Part-time Teacher Assistants and Latchkey staff for this coming school year. Must be 18 years old with a high school diploma to apply. Employment/training starts in July. Please contact Mrs. Polly at 740-490-7429 or by email at [pforde-johnston@stpatricklondon.org](mailto:pforde-johnston@stpatricklondon.org).

**Job Opening** – Job opening is for Custodian for the parish and school. Basic knowledge of electrical, plumbing and general building maintenance is necessary. Must pass BCI/FBI background check and obtain Protecting God's Children certification. For more information, call the Parish Office Monday-Friday, 9:00-4:00 p.m.

**Blessing of the Animals** – The Blessing of the Animals at the 2021 Madison County Fair will take place Saturday, July 10 at 7:00 p.m. in the Music Pavilion (formally the Poultry Barn). Dcn. Dan Hann and Dcn. Joe Knapke will preside.

*No Daily Mass  
Tuesday, June 29 or Wednesday, June 30.  
NO HOLY HOUR Thursday, July 1*





## WEEKLY SCRIPTURE

### Sunday, June 27

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24

Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11, 12, 13

2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15

Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43

### Monday, June 28

St. Irenaeus, Bishop and Martyr

Gn 18:16-33

Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 8-9, 10-11

Mt 8:18-22

### Tuesday, June 29

Ss. Peter and Paul, Apostles

Acts 12:1-11

Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9

2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18

Mt 16:13-19

### Wednesday, June 30

Weekday

Gn 21:5, 8-20a

Ps 34:7-8, 10-11, 12-13

Mt 8:28-34

### Thursday, July 1

Weekday

Gn 22:1b-19

Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9

Mt 9:1-8

### Friday, July 2

Weekday

Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67

Ps 106:1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5

Mt 9:9-13

### Saturday, July 3

St. Thomas, Apostle

Eph 2:19-22

Ps 117:1bc, 2

Jn 20:24-29

Access Daily Readings from  
the New American Bible, Revised Edition  
(NABRE) online at <https://bible.usccb.org>

## LIFE-GIVING TOUCH

Reflection on Mark 5:21-43

I am a hugger. Adjusting to the practice of social-distancing in this post-pandemic world was not easy for me. Touch conveys so much more than affection. There is a healing, loving, merciful power in human touch, which is why our sacramental rituals use human touch to convey so much meaningful truth of God's presence to us.

In reaching out to touch the cloak of Jesus, the woman afflicted with hemorrhages certainly displays the human desire for connection and love we all have. But she also is courageous in her faith, as Jesus acknowledges. It is interesting that Jesus does not know who touched Him, and we must not conclude from this that He is some kind of vending machine dispensing healing at the touch of a button. Rather, Jesus uses this encounter to seek this woman out and to call her, "daughter." How marvelous, how intimate this designation of belonging must have sounded in her ears! To be a "son" or a "daughter" is to be in a generative relationship with our "father" and "mother." Not only is this woman cured of her 12-year physical affliction, but she is also healed of her isolation and drawn more deeply into that relationship with Jesus that gives life, and always changes the direction of our lives.

~ Fr. Jay



## ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE

Feast Day: July 3 • Patron Saint of Doubt, Builders and Architects

Thomas, also called the Twin or the Apostle of India, was a beloved friend of Jesus; however, he is more widely remembered for his strong doubt that Jesus would rise from the dead. He needed proof of Jesus' resurrection and was allowed to touch the wounds of the Lord after the crucifixion. Thomas traveled all over Persia and India spreading the Word of Christ. His symbol is the builder's square because of the parishes and churches he erected in the areas that he passed through. His life was taken around the year 72 while he was in India.

Dear St. Thomas,

As you doubted, I find heavy thoughts in my own heart.

Please take these doubts away in a single breath

And give me unending faith so that I may believe in those around me,

In my own skills and, most importantly, in God's love.

I pray to be steadfast in my faith.

Give me the vision that you embraced

So that my faith remains constant.

Amen

Philip Lief Group, Inc. (2004). *Saintly Advice: A Prayer for Every Problem.*  
Capodanno, J. (Ed.). Kansas City, MO: Barnes and Noble

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