



Community Blessing of Fr. Bryan and Dcn. Dennis

"Running the race that lies before us while keeping our eyes fixed on Jesus, the leader and perfecter of faith."

Dear Sisters and Brothers In Christ,

I want to thank everyone for the wonderful blessings bestowed on us at the end of Mass last weekend. Father Bryan and I were so touched by the love we felt from this beautiful community and are grateful for the generous gifts given to us by all. We will never forget the lessons learned and the friendships forged at St. Patrick. This is the best gift of all. We are the "cloud of witnesses" referenced in the Letter to the Hebrews this weekend. We are "running the race that lies before us while keeping our eyes fixed on Jesus, the leader and perfecter of faith." Of that I am sure. As we move forward into a brave new world and disperse to new communities, let us all cherish the gift of St. Patrick's community and carry it in our hearts forever.

Peace...

Dcn. Dennis Kelly
Pastoral Coordinator

View all of Deacon Dennis homilies by [clicking here](#)

Sunday Online Mass Schedule

Mass will be hosted LIVE at 10:30 AM online via Facebook:

Private Facebook page:

If you have a Facebook account, use this link:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/stpatrickseattle/>

Public Facebook page:

If you do not have a Facebook account, use this link:

<https://www.facebook.com/stpatsseattle/>

Or find the Mass via [YouTube](#)

(Masses posted within 24 hrs.)

The scripture readings for the upcoming Mass can be found [HERE](#)

First reading Jer 38:4-6, 8-10; Psalm Ps 40:2, 3, 4, 18; Second Reading: Heb 12:1-4; Gospel: Luke 12:49-53

Parish Picnic on Sunday, August 14th after Mass

We will be having a catered lunch with a choice of roast beef, turkey and veggie sandwiches, Mediterranean pasta salad, cookies and ice tea/lemonade/cranberry punch/water. Plan to bring lawn chairs or picnic blankets, if you are able. The caterer will provide compostable dishes, but bringing your own washable ones is one small step for the planet! We will have some games and you are welcome to bring any that others might enjoy. Also bring your best singing voice, as we intend to have a giant song circle at some point.



We need a few strong helpers around 10 AM on Sunday, August 14th to move serving tables and garbage cans to the park. Please let me know if you can help (barbara@ivesters.net). - Barbara Ivester

All Parish Photo

Bring your smile this Sunday, August 14th, for our All Parish Photo! Come to church steps and front walkway as soon as possible after the liturgy concludes! Photo shoot will happen as soon as the wedding vow renewal ritual has concluded.



If you are unable to join the group photo, you are invited to share a digital photo of yourself/family with the community. Email your photo to Elaine Clark at eclarkpt2@gmail.com, and Elaine will upload it to our St. Pat's google drive folder. Group photo will be sent to parishioners digitally at the end of August.

For printed copy of All Parish Photo, sign up on the vestibule door no later than August 21. Printed copies will be distributed on August 28.

Following closure, you will be able to access the All Parish Digital Photo (plus any other digital photos submitted by parishioners) through a Google Drive folder that you will be able to access on our legacy St. Patrick Connection Board.

Connection Board and Facebook

Stay connected through the connection board! If you are used to getting to the connection board through the St. Pat's website take a moment to save the direct link below.



<https://breastplate.wixsite.com/stpatrickseattle/forum>

If you are on Facebook, but not a member of the private Facebook group, send a request to become a member and bookmark this link in order to stay in touch after our closure.

www.facebook.com/groups/stpatrickseattle/

The connection board and private Facebook page will remain up after closure for people to keep in touch.

SAINT PATRICK CHURCH

August & September 2022 Calendar



**Please join us in celebrating our parish family!
See back for a calendar of planned events for our
beloved parish community (some events are in
partnership with St. Joseph Parish).**

All are welcome!

Summer Calendar

A printer friendly version of the calendar is available [HERE](#)

Aug 14 – Renewal of Wedding Vows for couples. Victoria Ries will be present and will preside at the vow renewal immediately following Mass. Parish photo on the front porch and picnic at Roanoke Park.

Aug 21 – Procession around St. Pat's nave/sanctuary honoring the physical space then a procession to St. Joe's. Picnic for Fr. Chris at St. Joe's at 1 PM.

Aug 27 - St. Pat's **Men's Night Out** to benefit our Sister Parish will be held at 6 PM at Michael Olmstead's home, North Seattle. Suggested donation of \$25. RSVP to [Chris Covert-Bowlds](#). The St. Pat's sister parish committee is excited to announce that in addition to the Men's Night Out, that a **Women's Night Out** will also occur on Saturday, Aug 27 from 6-8pm

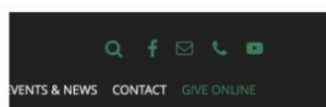
hosted by Lisa Dennison. Any donation for Nueva Trinidad will be gratefully accepted and all women who would like to attend for heavy appetizers and beverages are encouraged to RSVP to Lisa at lisa2karl@aol.com.

Aug 28 – Last Mass at St. Pat's inviting previous pastors & parishioners to join us. Opening and closing special procession. Blessing of the community. Small reception after Mass. Betsey leads Movement ministry.

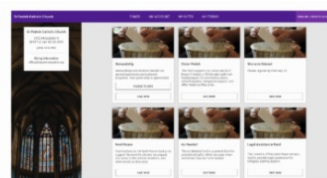
Sep 3-4 – St. Patrick's parishioners welcomed at every Mass at St. Joe's with special focus at Sunday's 9:30 AM Mass, which will be ASL interpreted. Fr. Chris presides/preaches. Bob/Laura will lead joint choir.

Sep 11 – ASL interpretation starts at St. Joe's at 11 AM Mass. Also live-streamed.

Oct 2 - Annual Sister Parish Walk-a-long more information to come.



Give Online, using our secure site. [OSV hub](#)



[Discontinue Online Giving At St. Pat's](#)

A number of parishioners have asked recently asked how to discontinue financial offerings online. To do so please follow the steps below.

- Go to our [St. Patrick Church website](#)
- Hit the heading called "Online Giving" on the top right.
- This takes you to our Online Giving landing page. Hit either of the two pictures to go to the [OSV hub for our giving page](#).
- Log into that page with your password, then hit the "My Gifts" words in the top bar. This will take you to the area that schedules recurring donations.
- Hit the stack of the three dots to the right of your monthly donation. There, you can update, pause or stop the gift.
- If you encounter any problems with this, please contact **OSV technical support for help: 800-348-2886, press 2 for technical support**.

[Kathleen Wagner's Funeral](#)

We will celebrate Kath Wagner's many contributions to our parish community and her life at St Patrick's on Saturday, August 20th at 1PM.

If you would like to send cards of condolence to Mike here is his address: **PO Box 15272, Seattle, WA 98115**.



[A Comedian Among Us](#)

Who knew Harvey Harb was a stand up comedian? Thank you to

Harvey who had us in stitches and all who shared their stories last week after Mass.



Continuing Engagement Opportunities

Join a **virtual small Women's group**, [Encountering God](#), gathering online on **Thursday's at 11 AM**. This is a sixty-minute women's reflection group led by Lisa Dennison.

Saturday Works Party from 9 AM to Noon weekly! Are you available to volunteer? Please email [Mike Wagner](#). This weekend the Celebration Committee is putting on a special appreciate brunch for the team.

To help with **Sacred Encounters** visit our [Meal Train link](#) or email [Liza Neal](#) to see how you can help.

[Visit our website](#)

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