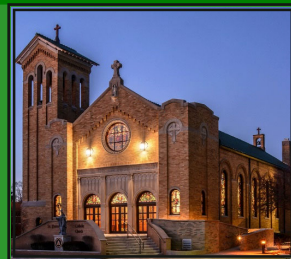




SAINT PATRICK ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

3500 Washington Street · McHenry, IL 60050
www.stpatrickmchenry.org



"Choose... whom you will serve... as for me and my house, we will serve the LORD."

January 16, 2022

Second SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



[Jesus' mother said to the servers,]
"Do whatever he tells you."

JOHN 2:5

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St. Patrick Mission Statement

A welcoming parish called in FAITH to know, LOVE and serve God and neighbor in the HOPE of heaven.



Dear Friends in Christ,

The Gospel message this weekend talks about marriage. Please pray that all elected officials in our country, regardless of political affiliation, may hold to the definition of marriage that God intended from the beginning when He made them male and female. Jesus also alluded to this in Matthew 19 when He referred His questioners to God's intended purpose for marriage. This weekend's Gospel reading from John Chapter 2 reemphasizes the creative, communitive purpose of marriage.

This week (Saturday January 22nd) marks the 49th year since the Supreme Court decided on a case that would end the lives of 10s of millions of unborn babies through the Roe v. Wade decision. We pray that our country will one day respect all life from womb to tomb. We pray for the victims of abortion: the unborn, mothers, fathers, families and our nation. Without condemning anyone, we want to turn to God's mercy so God will heal our land.

The ImaBridge Team left on Friday, and I am now spending some time with my family. I'm looking forward to seeing you at the end of the month.

In Christ,

Father Godwin

Due to a scheduling conflict, we will be having a Communion Service instead of a Mass on Monday January 17th at 8:00am



St. Patrick Catholic Church Parish Registration - Do You Need to Register?

ARE YOU: (1) New to the parish; (2) Moving back; (3) Just Married; (4) Attending mass but never officially registered? (5) Even if you grew up in St. Patrick, you (as an adult—18+) need to register independent from your parents.

Please do not take your church registration for granted. Attending Mass is not enough; there must be an official record of your membership in the Parish. **Parish registration is essential for many reasons.** It becomes important when you or your family members are receiving the Sacraments - First Communion, Baptism, Confirmation and Marriage. Registration is also required for those wishing to become a Baptism or Confirmation sponsor. In addition, becoming a member of a parish gives one the identity of belonging to a family—the parish family of St. Patrick Catholic Church.

If you are not officially registered with the parish, please do so as soon as possible. All you have to do is contact the parish office at 815-385-0025 or stop in during office hours and request a registration packet. Registration packets are also available on the parish website at www.stpatrickmchenry.org—just click on Registration at the top of the home page.

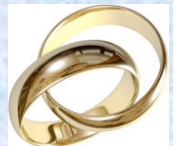
St. Patrick Parish Theme and Prayer

Theme: "Choose ... whom you will serve ... as for me and my house, we will serve the LORD." Joshua 24:15

Prayer: We will use this prayer at the conclusion of the Prayers of the Faithful at all Masses this liturgical year.

Lord God, there are many competing choices before us. Please grant us your wisdom and fortitude to make the right choice so that, like Joshua, we may be content to say, "as for me and my house, we will serve the LORD."

Do You Celebrate Your Marriage Anniversary in January



Then Let us Know! There will be a blessing for **January Anniversary** couples, including widows and widowers, at the end of each mass on the 29th and 30th of January.

The Marriage, Family & Life Ministry would like to extend congratulations in the church bulletin. Please provide your anniversary date and number of years of marriage via e-mail to either parishoffice@stpatrickmchenry.org or cmurphy@stpatrickmchenry.org or call the parish office at 815-385-0025 ext. 211 by **Monday, January 24th.**



St. Patrick Bereavement Ministry Offers

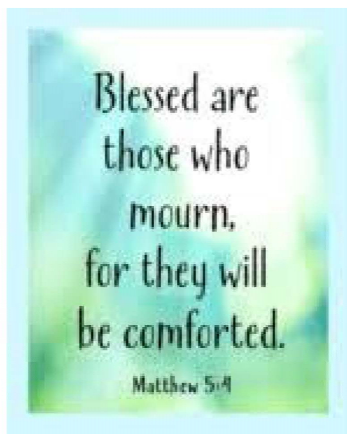


Seasons of Hope

Bereavement Support Group



After the death of a loved one, our parish continues to be a place of comfort and support for grieving parishioners. For those in need of consolation after losing a loved one, **no matter how long ago**, this Christ-centered faith sharing group is for you. Join other parishioners who have experienced a similar loss - time with scripture, prayer, faith sharing and hospitality at no cost. One can join at anytime, no matter what season.



Season 1

Thursday Evening

6:00PM-7:00PM

January 20, 27; February 3, 10, 17, 24

Parish Library

If you need more information, have questions or to **RSVP**, please contact:

Patti Hartmann, Facilitator, at pbail1@aol.com

2021 Tax Statements

Like last year, the parish office will **automatically generate Tax Statements for all parishioners who contributed \$250 or more during 2021**. We will either **mail or email** tax statements as soon as they are ready (you don't need to call the parish office to request yours). Please contact Steve Doherty (Ext x204) in the office if you have any questions.

Important Note – Our parish statements won't include any Diocesan Appeal donations. Donors will receive a separate statement from The Diocese of Rockford. The Diocese will generate tax statements for all parishioners who made contributions to ADA, National, International and Mission Appeals in 2021. They are to be mailed by January 31, 2022. Your donations to the Diocese and to St. Patrick Church are greatly appreciated. If you need to follow up with the Diocese about your tax statement after the first week of February, the phone number is (815) 399-4300.

If you contributed less than \$250 in 2021 and would like a Tax Statement: Please call us or e-mail us at parishoffice@stpatrickmchenry.org / (815) 385-0025 and we will mail (or e-mail) one to you. We appreciate everybody's generosity and commitment to St. Patrick Church. Thank you.

NEXT WEEK'S

MARIAN CENTRAL ATHLETIC SCHEDULE

Mon, 1/17	1:00pm	Girls JV Basketball v. Marist
Mon, 1/17	2:30pm	Girls V Basketball v. Marist
Wed, 1/19	5:30pm	Girls JV Basketball v. St. Viator
Wed, 1/19	7:00pm	Girls V Basketball v. St. Viator
Thurs, 1/20	5:30pm	Girls JV Basketball v. Nazareth
Thurs, 1/20	7:00pm	Girls V Basketball v. Nazareth
Sat, 1/22	7:00am	Fencing JV Tournament

Visit il.8to18.com/MarianCC/home for our full away game schedule

**LET'S PACK THE STANDS!
GO CANES!**

Scan this QR code and get a free activity pass for all home games for grades K-8!



February Hot Breakfast

In an abundance of caution due to the transmissibility of the Omicron variant, we will be canceling our February Hot Breakfast. We look forward to seeing everybody in March!

"WE SAW THE
STAR IN THE EAST,
AND WE CAME TO
WORSHIP HIM."

CF. MATTHEW 2:2

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR
CHRISTIAN UNITY 2022



Eternal Father,
we praise you for sending your Son
to be one of us and to save us.
Look upon your people with mercy,
for we are divided in so many ways,
and give us the Spirit of Jesus to make us one in love.

We ask this gift, loving Father,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

HELP WANTED!



We are looking for a
**PART-TIME
CUSTODIAN**
20 hours per week,
Monday-Friday mornings.

If interested or have questions, please
contact Megan at
parishoffice@stpatrickmchenry.org
or (815)385-0025



We ♥ love
having you as part of our Flock

Keep in touch with us
via email and text!



Text
STPATRICK
to 84576

Connect with us online at:



stpatrickmchenry.flocknote.com

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**Closing Information for St. Patrick due to
Inclement Weather will be available
at the following:**

Tune in to:



Online:

Go to the website of any of the radio or TV stations above, or go to

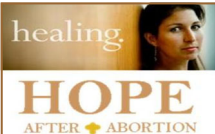
www.emergencyclosings.com

to search for your facility by name and city or by phone number

E-mail:

Sign up for personalized E-mail notification of your facility's status at

www.emergencyclosings.com



Healing After Abortion

Project Rachel provides a supportive
and confidential environment where
you can begin the process of healing.

For more information **call (815) 387-3379** or
Email - ProjectRachelRockford@gmail.com.

Visit our website: www.hopeafterabortion.org
All inquires are confidential. Peace starts here.

**A Day of Prayer for the
Legal Protection of the Unborn Child
Saturday, January 22, 2022**



The over 60 million abortions since the 1973 decisions of *Roe v. Wade* and *Doe v. Bolton* reflect with heartbreaking magnitude what Pope Francis means by a “throwaway culture.” However, we have great trust in God’s providence. We are reminded time and again in Scripture to seek the Lord’s help, and as people of faith, we believe that our prayers are heard.

The General Instruction of the Roman Missal (GIRM), no. 373, designates **January 22 as a particular day of prayer and penance, called the “Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children”**: “In all the **Dioceses of the United States of America**, January 22 (or January 23, when January 22 falls on a Sunday) shall be observed as a particular day of prayer for the full restoration of the legal guarantee of the right to life and of penance for violations to the dignity of the human person committed through acts of abortion.”

As individuals, we are called to observe this day through the penitential practices of [prayer](#), fasting and/or giving alms. Another way to take part is through participating in special events to observe the anniversary of *Roe v. Wade*. Call your local diocese or parish to find out what events might be taking place in your area.

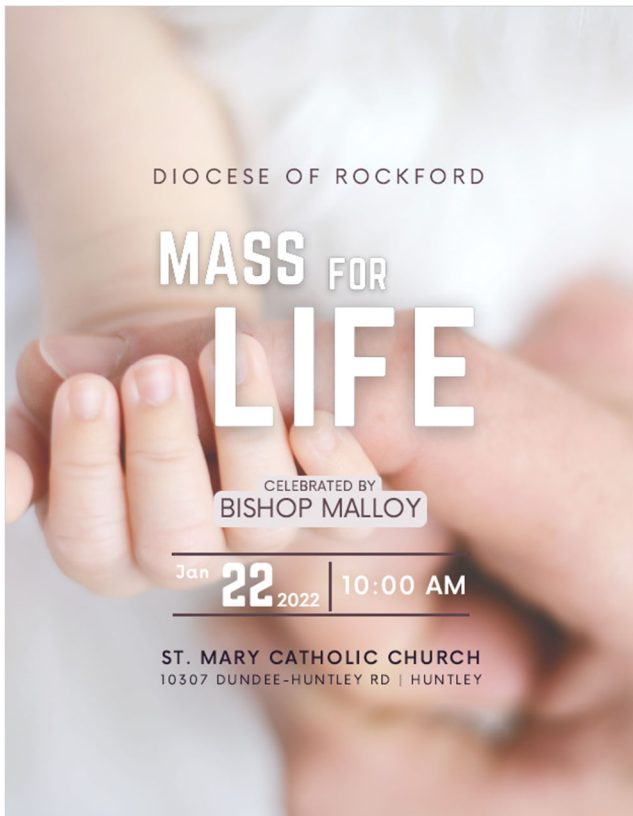
At noon, St. Patrick’s bells will toll, joining others through out the nation; one minute for each million children lost since the legalization of abortion in 1973 (*Roe V. Wade*)



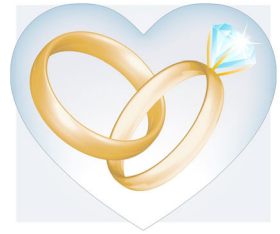
JANUARY 19-27, 2022

9 Days for Life is a novena for the protection of human life. Each day’s intention is accompanied by a short reflection and suggested actions to help build a culture of life.

Join today at www.9daysforlife.com!



Church Teaching on Marriage and Family



Marriage and family are sacred gifts from God and are vital for society and the Church.

Sacred Scripture

Sacred Scripture begins with the creation of man and woman in the image and likeness of God and concludes with a vision of "the wedding-feast of the Lamb" as a symbol of God's reign about to begin.

"The LORD God said: It is not good for the man to be alone. I will make a helper suited to him. ...That is why a man leaves his father and his mother and clings to his wife, and the two of them become one body." Genesis 2:18,24.

"Let us rejoice and be glad and give him glory. For the wedding day of the Lamb has come, his bride has made herself ready" Revelation 19:7.

U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB)

For Your Marriage

"Marriage is a vocation to holiness. From their first days as husband and wife through their golden years, married couples have the awesome task of witnessing to God's faithful love to each other, their children, and society. No couple does this perfectly, and everyone needs help when love feels strained and the going gets tough. All marriages can grow in knowledge, faith, joy, and love."

Marriage: Love and Life in the Divine Plan

"Among the many blessings that God has showered upon us in Christ is the blessing of marriage, a gift bestowed by the Creator from the creation of the human race. His hand has inscribed the vocation to marriage in the very nature of man and woman (see Gn 1:27-28, 2:21-24)" Introduction

Marriage Unique for a Reason

"Like breathing depends upon oxygen, love and freedom ... and marriage ... depend upon truth. Crucial questions cry out to be answered: Does love have anything to do with the human body, with being a man or a woman? Is there anything unique about married love? What is marriage?"

United States Catholic Catechism for Adults (USCCA)

Chapter 6 Man and Woman in the Beginning

Chapter 21 The Sacrament of Marriage

Chapter 28 The Fourth Commandment:
Strengthen Your Family

"The Catholic family as a domestic church is the fundamental community or cell of the parish, the diocese, and the universal Church. Christ has called all family members to union with God through Baptism and the other Sacraments and to share in the mission of the whole Church. Family members carry out the Church's mission by fostering mutual love in the home and, through that love, by building up the community of the Church and society" USCCA p 376.

Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC)

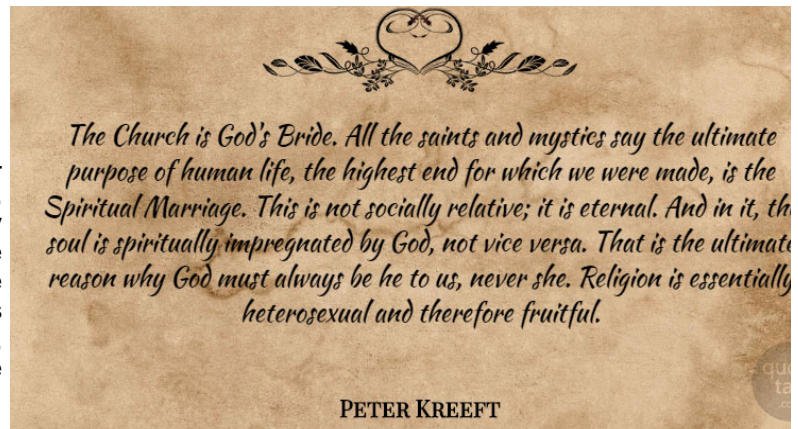
The Sacrament of Holy Matrimony, paragraphs 1601-1666

"The marriage covenant, by which a man and a woman form with each other an intimate communion of life and love, has been founded and endowed with its own special laws by the Creator. By its very nature it is ordered to the good of the couple, as well as to the generation and education of children. Christ the Lord raised marriage between the baptized to the dignity of a sacrament." CCC 1660

Amoris Laetitia

The Joy of Love in the Family Pope Francis, 2016

"In addition to the small circle of the couple and their children, there is the larger family, which cannot be overlooked. Indeed, 'the love between husband and wife and, in a derivative and broader way, the love between members of the same family – between parents and children, brothers and sisters and relatives and members of the household – is given life and substance by an unceasing inner dynamism leading the family to ever deeper and more intense communion, which is the foundation and soul of the community of marriage and the family. Friends and other families are part of this larger family, as well as communities of families who support one another in their difficulties, their social commitments and their faith" Amoris Laetitia n. 19.





St. Patrick Catholic Church

Adult Faith Formation - Monday Evening Bible Study

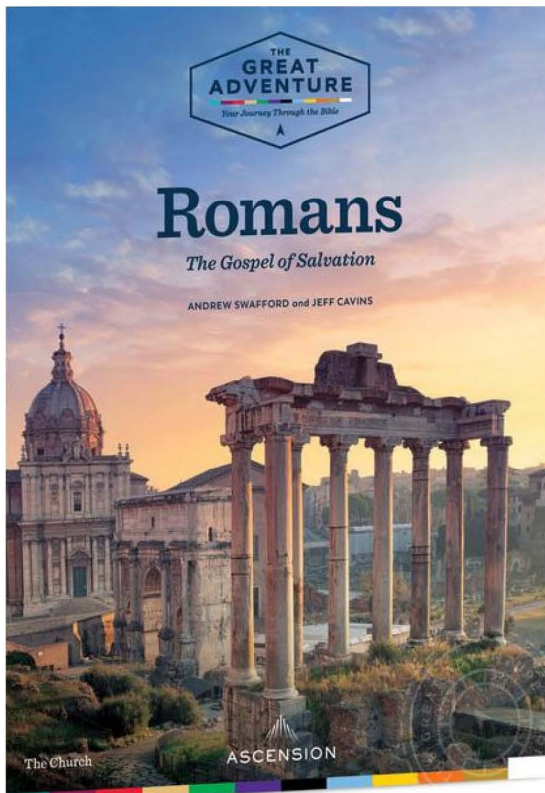
Romans: The Gospel of Salvation

8 weeks beginning Monday, February 14, 2022

(Meeting February 14, 21; March 7, 14, 21, 28; April 4, 11)

7:00PM-8:30PM in Parish Library

Participant Packet - \$30



Discover What It Means to "Be Saved"

Paul's letter to the Romans has been at the center of reflection, conversion, and controversy from the time it was written. Presented by Andrew Swafford and Jeff Cavins, *Romans: The Gospel of Salvation* provides an authentically Catholic, comprehensive, and simple way to understand the overarching theme of Romans—salvation. This fascinating book reveals that salvation is not merely the removal of a guilty verdict; it is about entering into Christ's life, death, and resurrection and sharing in his divine life.

In Jesus Christ, all the hopes and expectations of Israel are fulfilled, leading to the universal ("catholic") family of God. *Romans: The Gospel of Salvation* will help you to make sense of the difficult passages regarding faith, works of the law, and justification. Above all, it will help you to enter into a more meaningful relationship with Christ.

The Participant Packet includes:

- **The Full-Color *Romans - The Gospel of Salvation* Workbook** – Provides session overviews, home reading assignments, engaging study questions, responses, and talk notes for the video presentations.
- **Online Access for One Year** – Immediate access to the eight study videos

Romans: The Gospel of Salvation - Registration Form - Return to the Parish Office by **Monday, February 1st**

Please order the following for me:

Title/Price	Quantity	Cost
Participant Packet (\$30)		\$
	TOTAL	\$

Name: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

Payment Options:

___ Payment Enclosed

___ Pay at First Class

___ Pay Online (GiveCentral)

Questions? Contact Carleen Murphy, Adult Faith Coordinator:
cmurphy@stpatrikmchenry.org or 815-385-0025 ext. 211



**THIS WEEK OUR TABERNACLE CANDLE
BURNS FOR:**

Eileen McInerney

May this light which reminds us of Jesus' presence in the Tabernacle welcome her into His eternal presence.

Saturday, January 15 - Ordinary Weekday

4:00PM Mass - † Clarence & Lillian Anglese

Sunday, January 16 - Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 AM Mass - † Sabrina Cavanaugh

9:00 AM Mass - † Anna Fellingner

11:00 AM Mass - † Raymond Jablonski

Monday, January 17 - Memorial of St. Anthony, Abbot

8:00 AM Mass - † Thomas Connery

Tuesday, January 18 - Ordinary Weekday

8:00 AM Mass - † Kay Duff

Wednesday, January 19 - Ordinary Weekday

8:00 AM Mass - † Marjorie Boesen

Thursday, January 20 - Ordinary Weekday; Memorial of St. Fabian, Pope and Martyr; Memorial of St. Sebastian, Martyr

8:00 AM Mass - † Janice Brown

9:00 AM Mass - The People of St. Patrick

Friday, January 21 - Memorial of St. Agnes, Virgin and Martyr

8:00 AM Mass - † Vivian Godzicki

Saturday, January 22 - Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

4:00PM Mass - † The Walsh & Smith Families

Sunday, January 23 - Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 AM Mass - † Tom Flatley

9:00 AM Mass - † Bruce Johnson

11:00 AM Mass - † Wally Schultz

We pray for those who have recently died

Mary Lou Cholewinski, Loretta Stachura and Steve Link

We pray for those who passed away one year ago

Kay "Kathleen" Godina

We remember those serving our country

Pvt. Jordan Booker, U.S. Army, Japan
Tech Sgt. Timothy Davis, USAF Bagram AFB Afghanistan
Airman Amanda Duese, U.S. Navy, Whidbey Island, WA State
PFC Kala Kessler-Taylor, JBER, Alaska
Corpsman Ean Reid, U.S. Navy, Camp Pendleton
SSG Melissa Snow, U.S. Army, South Korea
LTC Thomas Snow, U.S. Army, Fort Knox, Kentucky
Sgt. Kennon Speciale, USMC, Yuma, AZ
Pvt. Ben Zeller, USMC, Camp Pendleton

The following have been given a share in the Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ. Please remember them in your prayers.

Bolded names have recently been added to the prayer list.

Vinnie Baldocchi + Alivia Bartlett + Josephine Beninato + Margaret Bedulski + Ron Bergsma + Susan Bjork + Irene Bole + Kathleen Bonagura + Kale Brenner + Helen Brooks + Edward Broughton + Mark Brown + Martessa Brownlow + Jake Brzovich + Don Burke + Louise Callaghan + William Champaine + Bridget Clarke + Susan (Brefeld) Coston + Joe Cromer + Jeanette Dentre + Marya Dixon + Antoinette Donahue + Geri Dryer + Heather Dufthiemer + Richard Dunther + Marie Farley + Annette Feller + Charlotte Fournier + James B. Foster + Joann Garrelts + Christopher Goerd + Robert Gorniak + Jackson Gundlach + Cynthia Hagstrom + George Haegler + Carolyn Hackney/Pollock + Gary Hackney + James Hansen + Stephanie Hansen + Bill Hartmann + Greg Haze + George Haze Jr. + Meredith Haze + Jeanette Heinisch + Lance Heinz + Andy Helma + David Henderson + Harry Hettermann + Georgean Holt + Emil Houda + James Houda + Joanne Houghton + Liam Howen + Ann Hurley + Msgr. Joseph Jarmoluk + Steven Jaszka + Jessica Johnson + Shane Johnson + Mary Fran Jones + Mark Jozefik + Kathy Kane + Maureen Keller + Maura Kirchner + William Kirchner + Chelsey Kivland + Henry Koehl + Elaine Kolner + Dan Kowelec + Connie Lambert + Alan Latz + Debbie LeBlanc + Beverly Linsner + T.J. Kessell + Kenneth Ludwig + Brian Lundquist + Lauriel Luther + Kathleen Mackie + Michael Major + Joanne Maloney + Frederick Marsh + John & Nancy McGee + Heriberto & Elisama Medina + Been Meek + Anthony P. Melone + Allen Miller + Barb Miller + Miller Infant + Alice Mirro + Sheila Murphy + Arianna Nelson + Margaret Ann Neumann + Kim Niehaus + Chrissie Noble + Christine Nylander + Bill Oberwise + Laura Oberwise + Mary Jo O'Brien + Eddie O'Connor + Tom O'Conner + Jacqueline O'Laughlin + Levi O'Leary + William Olson + John Payne + Candy Picard + Renata Pokorski + Matthew Pruessing + Ann Pugliese + Deborah Rannie + Chuck Riemma + Richard Robinson + Danelle & Mike Rockwell + Lydia Rother + Larry Rother + Nona Rother + Lincoln Scatena + Bitsy Schaefer + Helen Schaefer + Terry Scheff + Andy Schwarz + J.L. Shade + Ken Sien + Marianne Simon + Sherie & Ruth Snyder + Nick Stevens + Cathy Sullivan + Terri Swanson + Collin Swedberg + Kathleen Swedberg + Frank & Linda Sweeney + Nancy Siemon Sweeney + Audrey Teller + Jeanette Teller + Michael Teta + Rodney Tessler + Marie Thonn + Gary Vancleave + Janis Warner + Michael Walsh + Jim Wegener + Kevin Wellington + Paul Wember + Rene Wenc + Michael Werner + Katy Wieczorek + Mary Wieczorek + Brynlee Wold + Bob Zavacki + Robert Zeller + Jennifer Zielinski

Please review the prayer list to the right. If you and/or your relative is on the list and have recovered and are no longer in need of our prayers, please contact the parish office to have name removed. Thank you.



The Music Ministry invites you to join them every **Tuesday evening at 6:30PM in the church to pray the rosary** for all the sick of our parish family. They will be praying for those whose names are listed in the bulletin as well as any special prayer intention which you wish to include.

Week At A Glance

Monday January 17		Tuesday January 18	Wednesday January 19	Thursday January 20	Friday January 21	Saturday January 22	Sunday January 23												
7:45AM Morning Prayer		7:45AM Morning Prayer	7:45AM Morning Prayer	7:45AM Morning Prayer	7:45AM Morning Prayer	6:30AM TMIY (That Man Is You)	6:30AM Rosary												
8:00AM Communion Service		8:00AM Daily Mass	8:00AM Daily Mass	8:00AM Daily Mass	8:00AM Daily Mass	7:30AM St. Peter SCC	7:00AM Sunday Mass												
5:30PM Rosary/ Exposition		9:00AM St. Mark SCC	8:30AM Rosary/Chaplet of Divine Mercy	9:00AM Montini Mass		8:00AM Legion of Mary	8:30AM Rosary												
7:00PM Bible Study: Unlock Mystery		5:30PM Rosary/ Exposition	2:00PM Girl Scouts	5:30PM Rosary/ Exposition		3:00PM Holy Hour	9:00AM Sunday Mass												
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					5:30PM PRFF Eucharist Adoration														

Welcome

If you are new to the area or visiting from another parish, welcome to our faith community! Please visit our website www.stpatrickmchenry.org to find out more about St. Patrick parish. We invite you to become a member of our parish. If you'd like a registration form please contact the St. Patrick parish office at 815-385-0025, email us at parishoffice@stpatrickmchenry.org or you may print a form from the parish website.

You are a stranger here, but once.

Readings for the Week Divine Office: Week II

Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mk 2:18-22
Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13; Ps 89:20-22, 27-28; Mk 2:23-28
Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Mk 3:1-6
Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Ps 56:2-3, 9-13; Mk 3:7-12
Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21; Ps 57:2-4, 6, 11; Mk 3:13-19
Saturday: 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27; Ps 80:2-3, 5-7; Mk 3:20-21
Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10; Ps 19:8-10, 15; 1 Cor 12:12-30 [12-14, 27]; Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

"People don't come to Mass in order to be entertained. They come to Mass to adore God, to thank Him, to ask pardon for sins, and to ask for other things that they need."

Francis Cardinal Arinze
2005

"When a child is given to his parents, a crown is made for that child in Heaven, and woe to the parents who raise a child without consciousness of that eternal crown!"

Fulton J. Sheen

Offering Report for the Week Ending January 2, 2022

Number of Registered Families: 911

"... as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord."

Sunday Envelopes (Includes Give Central)	141	15%	\$10,333
Loose			\$283
Children's Envelopes			\$14
TOTAL			\$10,630
FY 2021—Budget for Week			\$12,000
Excess (Shortage)			(\$1,370)

Offering Report for the Week Ending January 9, 2022

Number of Registered Families: 911

"... as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord."

Sunday Envelopes (Includes Give Central)	181	20%	\$10,958
Loose			\$324
Children's Envelopes			\$39
TOTAL			\$11,321
FY 2021—Budget for Week			\$12,000
Excess (Shortage)			(\$679)



ONE IN CHRIST
NATIONAL APPEAL

January 15-16, 2022

The National Appeal reflects the varied ways we seek to communicate Christ's message. Pope Francis has called upon us to dedicate ourselves to spreading the Gospel Message to everyone we meet.

One of the ways we could do this is by participating on the weekend of January 15 and 16 in our annual collection for the National Appeal.

Simply offer what you can to help promote the Gospel through these worthy causes:

- Retirement Fund for Religious
- Catholic Campaign for Human Development
- Catholic Communication Campaign
- Catholic University of America
- Rockford Diocesan Priests' Pension
- Catholic Elementary School Financial Support for the Diocese of Rockford

Please bring the National Appeal envelope to Mass, or donate online at www.rockforddiocese.org/donate

Thank you for your generous gift.

thank you!

Thank You Letters Received Corporal Works of Mercy Disbursements

FISH of McHenry Food Pantry

Dear Congregation,

Thank you for your \$1,000 donation to FISH of McHenry Food Pantry. Hunger lives in our community and can impact people that we know, each day. With the help of kind supporters like you, we are able to continue to provide nutritious food, fresh dairy and produce, paper goods and personal care products, as well as a holiday meal to each household that needs our help.

During this giving season, we thank you for your partnership with us in giving back to our community, and wish you a wonderful holiday season!

Warm regards,
Sue Kapraun
Director

Home of the Sparrow

Dear Friends,

Home of the Sparrow's Mission is: To provide Hope, Opportunity, and Support that empowers women and children as they journey from homelessness to self-sufficiency. Home of the Sparrow is doing its best to move through the pandemic. We still have a long way to go to become stable again as a country and an organization. ... We have reduced expenses as far as we can, however, services to clients have not been impacted.

Each day Home of the Sparrow helps someone take a step from homelessness toward self-sufficiency and permanent housing, and it is your support that makes this possible. Thank you for your financial gift (\$300) that will provide the assistance that women and children need to build stable lives. Please know that Home of the Sparrow is fiscally responsible and has clean audits yearly over 90% of contributions goes directly to programs and services that change lives.

Sincerely,
Debbie McGraw
Vice President Marketing & Development



Liturgical Ministry Schedule

Ministry	January 22 Saturday 4:00 PM	January 23 Sunday 7:00 AM	January 23 Sunday 9:00 AM	January 23 Sunday 11:00 AM	January 24-28 Mon.-Fri. 8AM
Lector	Sophie Zieba Christopher Zieba	Olivia Donevski	Kristin DePorter Christine Carrington	Allissa DeLozier Vince Sossong	Volunteers
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Altar Server	Hayden Hartmann Benjamin Schlottfeldt Joey Schneck	NONE	Lindsay Cone Molly DePorter Anna Szczepanik	Mac DeLozier Masson DeLozier Vinny Sossong	NONE
Ushers	Judy Smith Russ Wiedemann OPEN OPEN	Gary Hackney Vincent Jefferson Rick Quinn John Simon	John Huff Sam Huff Matthew Mate Lou Vernagallo	Keith Adams Lucas Adams Candace Marsh David Mulick	NONE
Gift Bearers	Judy Smith	NONE	OPEN	Kathy Schultz	NONE
Rosary	Billie Crotty	Mary Mattoon	Tim Madden	Maureen Montessor	NONE

Sacraments

Baptism: To schedule a Baptism, please begin by calling the parish office. Baptism is celebrated on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month immediately after the 11AM Mass. Consider scheduling your child's Baptism before your child is born to ensure an opening in the month of your choice. A Baptism preparation class, held on the 3rd Sunday of the month at 10:00AM, is required for the parents. You may take the class before your child is born. *You must be a registered parishioner of St. Patrick prior to scheduling a Baptism.*

Matrimony: Couples planning to marry need to meet with the Liturgy Director to begin the process before a wedding date can be finalized. Please contact the parish office to setup an initial meeting at least 6 months prior to any requested marriage date. This initial meeting will give you an overview of the requirements for marriage and the preparation required. **At least one of the couple, or their parents, must be registered parishioners for at least 6 months and be active participating members of St. Patrick Church in order to be married at the church.** Both individuals must be at least 19 years of age.

To begin the process of scheduling a Baptism or Marriage, please contact Carleen Murphy, Liturgy Director, at 815-385-0025 ext. 211 or cmurphy@stpatrickmchenry.org

Ministry Schedule

COLLECTION COUNTERS

January 17: Bobbie Girard, Ann Schweder, Maureen & Pete Keller

January 24: Annette Cuda, Carol Smith, Jim Perdue

ALTAR LINEN MINISTRY

January 17: Carla Odahowski

January 24: Carolyn Hackney

CHURCH CLEANING MINISTRY

January 17: Karla Newton, Marie Galan

January 24: Melaney Borland, Mary Jane Kittl

COMPASSIONATE CARE MINISTRY - MCHENRY VILLA

January 23: Carrie Sabatka

January 30: Michael Heidemann

CLOW MINISTRY:

January 23 - 9AM Mass - (L) Lisa Johnson

(A) Charlie Johnson, Kristi Bye

January 23 - 11AM Mass - (L) Pam Garrelts

(A) Amanda Garrelts, Morgan Beyer

January 30 - 9AM Mass - (L) Anna Gajdur

(A) Kayla Elliott, Holly Waters

January 30 - 11AM Mass - (L) Shannon Caruso

(A) Nate Caruso, Colin Caruso



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January 19th for January 30th

January 26th for February 6th

February 2nd for February 13th

Please send bulletin articles to:

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Parish Office

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Fax: 815-385-0861
RE Office: 815-385-2959

Office Hours

Monday-Thursday: 8:30AM-Noon; 1:00PM-4:30PM
Friday: 8:30AM-Noon

General Email

parishoffice@stpatrickmchenry.org

Church open for private prayer:

Monday-Friday: 8:30AM - 5:00PM
Saturday: 8:30AM - 3:00PM
Sunday 12:30PM - 6:00PM

Mass Times

Monday-Friday: 8:00AM
Thursday: 9:00AM w/Montini (Sept.-May)
Saturday: 8:00AM (First Saturday)
Saturday: 4:00PM
Sunday: 7:00AM, 9:00AM, 11:00AM

Rosary

Saturday: 3:20PM
Sunday: 6:30AM, 8:30AM, 10:30AM
Monday-Thursday: 5:30PM
Wednesday: 8:30AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:00PM-3:40PM
Monday—Wednesday: 7:30AM-7:55AM
By Appointment

Holy Hour with Benediction

Saturday: 3:00PM

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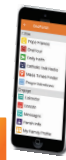


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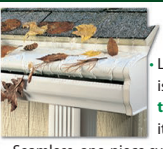
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