



Saint Patrick Parish

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May 15, 2016 • Pentecost Sunday

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**Jesus said to his disciples:
“Whoever loves me will
keep my word, and my
Father will love him, and
we will come to him and
make our dwelling with
him.”**

John 14-23



HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

SUNDAY MASS

Saturday Vigil - 5:00 pm
Sunday - 9:00 am

HOLY DAYS

As Announced

WEEKDAY MASS

8:00 am Monday, Tuesday
6:00 pm Wednesday
8:00 am Thursday, Friday, Saturday

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Sundays: 8:00-8:45 am Saturdays: 4:00-4:45pm
6:00 pm Penance Service on the First Friday of every month
Also by appointment

9 HOUR ADORATION

First Friday of every month

New to the Parish? Welcome! To register as a parishioner of St. Patrick Church, please contact the Parish Office.

Are you Connected? If you would like to sign up for our phone tree, which offers updates on Mass changes etc., please contact the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Matrimony: Church law directs that Catholics receive marriage preparation and be married in the Church. Please contact the office at least four months prior to the wedding. Advent and Lent are Penitential Seasons; weddings are discouraged during these seasons.

Sacrament of Baptism: Baptism should take place A.S.A.P. following birth. Expectant parents should contact the office for baptismal preparation.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick: Anyone in danger of death from illness or old age should receive this sacrament. Please inform Father Mathew 615-739-7752 of any parishioners who are seriously ill.

Religious Education Classes (CCD):

Is available for Grades Pre-K - 8. 10:30 am on Sunday during the school year.

www.stpatrickmcewen.org

SAINT PATRICK, MCEWEN

CATECHETICAL FORMATION PROGRAM ONLINE COURSE SCHEDULE FOR SUMMER 2016 NOT COST TO PARTICIPATE:

An opportunity to catch-up on missed courses or quickly advance through the program. One course may be take in June and one course in July

Register at: <http://>

www.aquinascollegcatechetics.com/CFP/

June

All Six Courses Will Be Available

Enrollment: May 16—June, 2016

Begins: June 1, 2016 * Ends: June 30, 2016

July

All Six Courses Will Be Available

Enrollment: June 13—July 5, 2016

Begins: July, 1 2016 * Ends: July 31, 2016

PENTECOST SUNDAY-MAY 15

Pentecost marks the occasion of God's sending the Holy Spirit upon Jesus' disciples after his resurrection.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

We are in need of EMOHC to take communion to our parishioners who are sick or homebound and can not make it to Mass. Waverly is the area needed most. If you are already a EMOHC that is great or if you wish to become a EMOHC please call please call Vicki James (931)582-3493.

OPEN HOUSE

The Dominican Sisters at Bethany Retreat House (2002 Garners Creek Road, Dickson) are going to have an Open House on Saturday, May 21st beginning at 3 pm. There will be a Mass of Thanksgiving at 4 pm. All are invited.

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

Needs families during the summer to volunteer to help with the perishable route on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month to arrive at 11:15. Join your fellow parishioners to help with this ministry. The students at Waverly & McEwen have been helping during the school year, We appreciate their dedication to this cause and ministry. A special thank you to Lori and Tyler Dell.

CORPUS CHRISTI CELEBRATION SATURDAY, MAY 28TH

Please join us after the vigil Mass for our annual Corpus Christi procession through McEwen. Corpus Christi is a centuries old tradition celebrated every year in Rome and around the world. This is a really fun event to honor our Lord and Savior as well as bless our community. We need lots of help carrying a banner made by Rosanna Palk and the processional canopy made by Jodi Cesario. Questions or want to help? Call Michelle Minnis. Reception to follow. A special plenary indulgence is available for Corpus Christi. Normal requirements to receive indulgences apply.

ST. PATRICK'S YOUTH GROUP LIFT OFF

Calling all rising 7th-12 graders! Join us for our Youth Group "Lift Off" on Pentecost Sunday. May 15 from 6-8:30 pm! Celebrate the Feast of Pentecost with a Rosary Launch in the month, dedicated to Mary! Our prayers and hearts will be lifted to God with the release of a balloon Rosary. Following the launch, we will gather in the Teen Hall for activities and pizza.

SCHOOL EVENTS

- Monday, May 16th 6:00 pm** Pre-K celebration.
- Wednesday, May 18th 6:00 pm** Kindergarten Graduation.
- Sunday, May 22nd 2:00 pm** 8th grade graduation Mass followed by a reception in the activity center.
- Wednesday, May 25th** field day.
- Thursday, May 26th 8:00 am** Mass, Awards and 10:30 Dismissal.

THE EUCHARIST

“The Eucharist, as Christ's saving presence in the community of the faithful and its spiritual food, is the most precious possession which the Church can have in her journey through history.” #9 “For the most holy Eucharist contains the Church's entire spiritual wealth: Christ himself, our Passover and living bread. Through his own flesh, now made living and life-giving by the Holy Spirit, he offers life to men”.² Consequently the gaze of the Church is constantly turned to her Lord, present in the Sacrament of the Altar, in which she discovers the full manifestation of his boundless love”

St. Pope John Paul II

FATHER ARTHUR'S ANNIVERSARY

Monday, May 16th is Father Arthur's 46th Ordination Anniversary. Please keep him in your prayers.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

VINCENTIAN MEDITATION



Today as we celebrate Pentecost the Holy spirit wants to make us advocates of God's presence to bring new life to others, especially those who do not know the love of God in their lives.

Your gift in the St. Vincent De Paul Poor Box will help the poor to believe in the mystery of God's love for them.

Next meeting May 16th.

Food distribution is Tuesday the 24th.

DATE	5/14	05/15	05/21	05/22
LECTOR	Flo Petrie	Erin Ginter	Susan Eaton	Dan Cesario
EMOHC	Barbara Hooper	Kathy Brewster	Wade Garmon	Mary Chaney
		Vince Brewster		Marcella Moran
	Tom Powers	Dan Cesario	Tom Powers	Vicki James

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

MAY 8, 2016

ASCENSION OF THE LORD

At St. Patrick's we are called to stewardship as a way of life. We are blessed by our God. We desire to receive God's gifts gratefully, cherish and tend these gifts in a responsible manner, share our gifts in justice and love with others, and finally to return them with increase to the Lord. We encourage each other to use our time, talents and treasure in the manner of a steward. The four pillars of Stewardship are: Prayer, hospitality, formation, and service.

Last Sunday's Collection: \$3,954.00
 Needed Each Week: \$3,673.00
 For the week: Over \$281.00
 Year to date: Over Budget \$1,102.19
 Attendance 138

PRAYER INTENTIONS

***FOR THE HEALTH & RECOVERY OF OUR PARISH FAMILY:** Lisa Smith, Helen Nichols, Donna Zuercher, Joe Sheehy, Peggy Hooper, W.L. (Moe) Needham, Frances Grannis, Christopher Proctor, John Peeler, Nicole Moore, James Citro, Zoerita Proctor, Lester Collier, Tatum Wilson, Mary Tarpy, Tom Powers, Darlene Stroba, Judy Smith, Jane Sparks, Harley Grebner, Elvira Kindred, Donna Bradley, Vince Richardson, Barbara Copeskey, Joyce Work, Dennis Claude, Anthony Holland.

***FOR THOSE IN THE NURSING HOMES:** Humphreys County Nursing Home- Joyce Whitaker.

***FOR THOSE ON ACTIVE DUTY IN THE MILITARY:** Marc White, Buford Rachford, Miguel Martinez, Mitch Lagan, Jim Coleman, Jonathan Bourke, Brandt Strickland, Wiley Barnes, Raymond Schneider, Jesse B. James II, Collin Trout, Austin Hornick.

***SEMINARIANS:**
Rev. Mr. Joe Fessenden, Anh Tuan Phan, Rodolfo Rivera, Anthony Stewart.

***FOR ALL OF OUR OTHER PRAYER INTENTIONS:**
Kelly Lagan Spelman, Peggy Wallace, all who are served by the SVDP Society, Ray Masen, Jason Lagan, Katherine Perigo, Earl Wright, James Matlock, Cash Scholes, Gregg Spickard, Betsy Hickman, Michiko Eberle, Tina Cooley, Murphy Copeland, Eric Warden, Faye Walsh, Norma Ross Irene Tyler, Pauline Powers, Nancy Elliott. Mary Brewer Wills. Kenny Fleming, John Matlock, Austin O'Neil, Mary Garber, Jim Sharp.

MAY SACRISTAN: KAREN LAGAN, LISA BROWN, EVILIN CITRO, CAROLINE GILMORE, ELVIRA KINDRED, EILEEN MULLINICK, SUE MOTT, SUE PERRY

Calendar of Events

<p><u>Sunday, May 15:</u> <u>PENTECOST</u> Acts 2:1-11 Ps 104:1,24,29-31,34 Rom 8:8-17 Jn 14:15-16,23b-26</p>	<p>8:00 am Confession 8:30 am Rosary 9:00 am Mass for St. Patrick Parish 6-8:30 pm Youth Group</p>
<p><u>Monday, May 16:</u> Jas 3:13-18 Ps 19:8-10, 15 Mk 9:14-29</p>	<p>8:00 am Mass Monica Zuercher + 6:00 pm Pre-K celebration 6:30 St. Vincent De Paul Meeting</p>
<p><u>Tuesday, May 17:</u> Jas 4:1-10 Ps 55:7-11a, 23 Mk 9:30-37</p>	<p>8:00 am Mass for John Bernard Bradley +</p>
<p><u>Wednesday, May 18:</u> Jas 4:13-17 Ps 49:2-3,6-11 Mk 9:38-40</p>	<p>6:00 pm Mass Eleanor Muench + 6:30 pm Kindergarten Graduation</p>
<p><u>Thursday, May 19:</u> Jas 5:1-6 Ps 49:14-20 Mk 9:41-50</p>	<p>8:00 am Mass Special Intention</p>
<p><u>Friday, May 20:</u> Jas 5:9-12 Ps 103:1-4,8-9,11-12 Mk 10:1-12</p>	<p>8:00 am Mass for Gabrielle Kindred</p>
<p><u>Saturday, May 21:</u> <u>Jas 5:13-20</u> <u>Ps 141:1-3, 8</u> <u>Mk 10:13-16</u></p>	<p>8:00 am Mass I 4:00 pm Confession 4:30 Rosary 5:00 pm Vigil Mass for Peter Chickara +</p>
<p><u>Sunday, May 22:</u> <u>Most Holy Trinity</u> Prv 8:22-31 Ps 8:4-9 Rom 5:1-5 Jn 16:12-15</p>	<p>8:00 am Confession 8:30 am Rosary 9:00 am Mass for St. Patrick Parish 2:00 pm 8th grade graduation Mass and reception</p>

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE CLASS OF 2016!

8TH GRADE: CASSIE BREWSTER, CASSIE GARCIA, ALISON JACKSON, GRACIE KRONE, ALEXA LUCAS, STEVEN SANTOS.

SENIORS: REBECCA BOZMAN, BRENNA DAMPF, MAGGIE DANIEL, ANNA DERRICK, AUTUMN GILLIS, DAVID HOOPER, LEO JAMES, FAITH MARTIN, JADA PHY, DIANA SCHACHLE, TRISTAN THORNBERRY, TYLER ZELL