

Saint Patrick Parish

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July 10, 2016 • Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Monday-Friday, 7:30am-3:30pm

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Irish & More Store

Will reopen July 29-30 Appointments, call (931) 528-3633 or (615) 337-5189

St. Vincent de Paul Society:

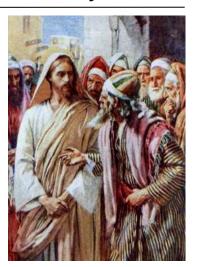
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Prayer Intentions:

Marcella Moran (931) 296-4399

"You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your being, with all your strength, and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself." -Luke 10:27



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 7:00 pm Penance Service on the First Friday of every month Also by appointment

EUCHARISTIC 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 Michael 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

PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

All parents of children Pre-K and up are invited to register their children for the Parish Religious Education sessions. The Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Communion are celebrated in second grade; Confirmation in 8th grade. Sunday classes following 9am Mass will begin August 14. Contact Alyssa Ginter to register.

WANTED: CATECHISTS

REWARD: STORING UP TREASURES IN HEAVEN!

Children, youth and adults will be signing up soon for classes for faith formation. You can help by passing on your faith and experiences as a catechist for them. As you nurture their faith, you will learn and grow as well. There is a variety of dates and times for the classes. Not sure what being a catechist is all about? Call Alyssa Ginter for more information. Want to help but don't want to teach? There are other roles to fill on the team as well!

WHY DO CATHOLICS DO THAT?

Are you interested in learning more about the Catholic Church? Please join us for refreshments on Wednesday, July 13 at 7pm for a question-and -answer session. We'll meet in the parish office, and all are welcome. If you'd like more information, e-mail or call Alyssa Ginter.

CYO GAME NIGHT

Sunday, July 17 at 6 p.m. All rising 7th-12th graders are invited—bring a friend! Join us for a fun night of fellowship & pizza!

"WEAR THE SCAPULAR DEVOUTLY AND PERSEVERINGLY. IT IS MY GARMENT. TO BE CLOTHED IN IT MEANS YOU ARE CONTINUALLY THINKING OF ME, AND I IN TURN, AM ALWAYS THINKING OF YOU AND HELPING YOU TO SECURE ETERNAL LIFE."

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL TO ST. SIMON STOCK. FEAST DAY JULY 16



DIOCESAN EVENTS

MERCY RALLY, JULY 22-23

Dr. Scott Hahn, an internationally renowned speaker and author, will be the featured speaker at the Mercy Rally sponsored by the Catholic Charismatic Renewal, July 22-23, 2016, at St. Ignatius



of Antioch Catholic Church, 601 Bell Rd., Antioch, TN. The theme is "Open Your Hearts to the Mercy of God." Dr. Hahn will be delivering three talks on July 23. Catechists may earn hours toward their certification. The Friday night session will emphasize music, praise, and worship. Cost for the rally is \$40.00 for an individual and \$70.00 for a family. You may register online at www.msrcc.org. If you have any questions, please contact Teresa Seibert, Associate Liaison at 615-430-9343.

SUMMER MOVIE NIGHTS, sponsored by the Office of Adult Formation (July 14: The Bells of St. Mary's; August 11: I Confess), 7 p.m., Catholic Pastoral Center auditorium, 2800 McGavock Pike, Entrance #4, Nashville. Donations will be accepted to defray costs. Info/RSVP: joan.watson@dioceseofnashville.com or 615-783-0263.

THE SANCTITY OF HUMAN LIFE:

END OF LIFE ISSUES (August 27), 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m., Catholic Pastoral Center, 2800 McGavock Pike, Nashville. Info/registration: www.convergingroads.com. The Converging Road's Conference offers continuing education for health care professionals that equips them to practice the highest ethical and medical standards of their profession. This conference in Nashville is a collaboration between The St. John Paul II Foundation, The Diocese of Nashville, St. Thomas Health and Aquinas College.

CURSILLO is a weekend retreat experience of spiritual growth that helps develop an understanding of what it means to fully live a Christian life in your everyday situation. Info: www.nashvillecursillo.org/

Upcoming Cursillo Weekends: (Sept. 15-18) Men's English Cursillo, (Sept. 29- Oct. 2) Women's English Cursillo, (Oct. 6-9) Men's Spanish Cursillo, (Oct. 13-16) Women's Spanish Cursillo.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

VINCENTIAN MEDITATION

When Jesus asks, "Which of these three, in your opinion, was neighbor to the robbers' victim?" The scholar of the law answered, "The one who treated him with Mercy."



This week you can also "treat the poor with mercy" by putting a gift in the St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box.

PERISHABLE FOOD DRIVE VOLUNTEERS

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is asking for volunteers to help pass out food during the summer months. Every 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month we have a perishable food route at St. Patrick's. This past school year, the students from Waverly & McEwen have been assisting on those days and we appreciate their dedication to this cause and ministry. Please arrive at 11:15 AM & join your fellow parishioners to help with this ministry. Thank you! There will be a Food drive on the 12th of July only.

YARD SALE

The third annual St. Vincent de Paul yard sale will be held on September 30th. We have two storage units to hold items. Please give the office a call if you have anything to contribute. We will not be taking clothing. We always appreciate your generosity. All monies are used to purchase food for our neighbors in need.

A calling to be a SVDP Vincentian is a true vocation. Please pray to the Holy Spirit for the grace to offer your hand and heart to our Lord through service to our neighbors in need. Our ministry is growing and needs volunteers. You will be most pleased with the experience.

The St. Vincent de Paul Society thanks St. Patrick Parish for all of your generosity! Please join us after Mass on Saturday and Sunday for refreshments as a token of our Appreciation!

IRISH PICNIC NEWS

Please save the date of July 15th to make and bottle sauce. Sauce will be made on each day at 5:00 am and bottled at 3:00 pm.

Workdays are scheduled for July 16th, and the 23rd. Please bring pressure washers, rakes, etc. to make the grounds look great.

DATE	7/09	7/10	7/16	7/17
LECTOR	William Minnis	Kathy Brewster	Barbara Hooper	Susan Eaton
ЕМОНС	Cathy Abou-	Vince Brewster	Wade Garmon Tom Powers	Mary Chaney
	Sakher Lou Lomber	Dan Cesario		Vicki James
		Jennifer Koski		Jennifer Koski

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION (EMOHC)

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 an EMoHC or if you wish to become one, please contact Vicki James (931) 582-3493.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

JULY 10, 2016 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Jesus said to him, 'Go and do likewise.'" (Luke 10:37)

This was Jesus' command at the end of the Good Samaritan story. But did you know that the Samaritans and Jews despised each other? The moral of the story is to love our neighbor, who may be someone you don't know, someone that looks different than you or someone you don't like, without expecting anything in return.

Last Sunday's Collection: \$4,434.25 Needed Each Week: \$3,700.00 For the week: Over Budget \$734.25 Year to date: Over Budget \$734.25 Last Sunday's Attendance: 123

PRAYER INTENTIONS

*FOR THE HEALTH & RECOVERY OF PARISH FAMILY: Lisa Smith, Helen Nichols, Donna Zuercher, Joe Sheehy, Peggy Hooper, W.L. (Moe) Needham, Frances Grannis, Christopher Proctor, Nicole Moore, James Citro, Zoerita Proctor, Lester Collier, Tatum Wilson, Mary Tarpy, Tom Powers, Judy Smith, Jane Sparks, Harley Grebner, Donna Bradley, Vince Richardson, Barbara Copeskey, Dennis Claude, Anthony Holland, Robin Collier, Walter 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, 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, Mary Brewer Wills, Kenny Fleming, John Matlock, Austin O'Neil, Mary Garber, Jim Sharp, Leigh Ann Brassfield, Wilburn Forrester, Cheryl Brooks, Kennedy Porch, Winston Rafael Plaza.

IRISH & MORE

The Irish & More store is currently closed for renovations. We will reopen July 29-30, Picnic Weekend.



Weekly Calendar of Events

JULY SACRISTANS: Bridget Ross, Barbara Hooper, Sue Needham, Judy Totty

Bulletin announcements must be submitted by Noon on Wednesday to be in the upcoming Sunday publication.

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Sunday, July 10: Dt 30:10-14 Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37 Col 1:15-20 Lk 10:25-37	8:00 am Confession 8:30 am Rosary 9:00 am Mass for John Peeler +
Monday, July 11: Is 1:10-17 Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23 Mt 10:34-11:1	8:00 am Mass for John Peeler +
<u>Tuesday, July 12:</u> ls 7:1-9 Ps 48:2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6, 7-8 Mt 11:20-24	8:00 am Mass for Father Joe Kuchar
Wednesday, July 13: Is 10:5-7, 13b-16 Ps 94:5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 14-15 Mt 11:25-27	6:00 pm Mass for John Peeler + 7:00 pm Catholic Inquiry
Thursday, July 14: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19 Ps 102:13-14ab and 15, 16-18, 19-21 Mt 11:28-30	8:00 am Mass for Ray Zuercher Jr
Friday, July 15: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8 Is 38:10, 11, 12abcd, 16 Mt 12:1-8	5:00 am Make BBQ Sauce 8:00 am Mass for John Peeler + 3:00 pm Bottle BBQ Sauce
Saturday, July 16: Mic 2:1-5 Ps 10:1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14 Mt 12:14-21	8:00 am Mass for Special Intentions Irish Picnic Workday 4:00 pm Confession 4:30 pm Rosary 5:00 pm Vigil Mass for Rose Fitzgerald
Sunday, July 17: Gn 18:1-10a Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 5 Col 1:24-28 Lk 10:38-42	8:00 am Confession 8:30 am Rosary 9:00 am Mass for Lucy Peeler