



# Saint Patrick Parish

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May 01, 2016 • Sixth Sunday Of Easter

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**Irish & More Store**  
Open Wed. from 9-12,  
after Mass Saturday & Sunday  
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(615) 337-5189

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**Prayer Intentions:**  
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**Jesus said to his disciples:**  
“The advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you.”  
**John 14:26-27a**



## 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](http://www.stpatrickmcewen.org)

## **CROWNING OF MARY**

Saturday, May 7, at the 5pm Mass.

The Catholic church has a special devotion to the Blessed Mother of Jesus. Mary is recognized as “one of us,” a human person, and a model of faith and discipleship for all Christians to imitate. When Jesus, from the cross, entrusted the Apostle, St. John, with the care of His mother, Catholics believe that Mary became our mother as well. During the month of May it is a tradition in the church to honor Mary, our mother, in a very special way, by placing a crown of flowers on the head of a statue that depicts her image. Cassie Brewster, will have the honor of crowning our Blessed Mother, escorted by Steven Santos.

**All children are invited to participate in the procession and bring flowers to place in the vases to honor Mary next Saturday.**

## **CATECHETICAL FORMATION PROGRAM ONLINE COURSE SCHEDULE FOR SUMMER 2016 NO 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://](http://www.aquinascollegocatechetics.com/CFP/)

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### 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

## **7TH ANNUAL SEMINARIAN EDUCATION DINNER AND AUCTION**

This event will be held on Tuesday, May 24, 2016 at Holy Family in Brentwood, at 6:00 pm. Bishop Choby has ask that we give you a letter which explains the event, and a reception form. For more information contact Sandra Jordan at (615) 783-0267 or [sadra.jordan@diocesofnashville.com](mailto:sadra.jordan@diocesofnashville.com). The Bishop’s letter and response form are in the vestibule, or you may pick one up at the church office.

## **OUTSTANDING ACADEMICS AT FATHER RYAN**

Father Ryan has announced the students who have made the honor roll for academic dean’s list for third quarter. We are proud of the accomplishment of former St. Patrick student, Christian Kindred who made the 3rd quarter honor roll.

## **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.

## **FIRST COMMUNION**

You are invited to join in the celebration of First Communion of Allie Smith, Carver Smith, Hayley Cunningham , and Blake Hogan, today Sunday, May 1st at the 9:00 am Mass. Please join us following Mass for a breakfast reception provided by the Knights of Columbus in the Activity Center.

**PHONE TREE:**

Thank you all who returned the phone tree slips. We will now start to edit and correct the numbers. We will do a test call sometime in May. I will give you the date when it becomes available.

**FATHER MICHAEL:**

May 6th is Father Michael's birthday. If you wish to send him birthday wishes his address is: Rev. Michael Baltrus  
7625 North High Street  
Columbus, OH 43235

**MAY ADORATION**

The hours for May 6th Adoration will be from 9 am 4 pm followed by Benediction and confession. The sign up sheet is in the vestibule. A wedding rehearsal is scheduled at 5:00 pm Friday for a wedding on Saturday.

**SCHOOL EVENTS**

**Friday, May 13th 3-6 pm & Saturday, May 14 8am-5 pm Yard Sale & Bake Sale** St. Patrick's Activity Center. Donations can be dropped off @ the gym during school hours. Contact Caroline Garcia 615-879-0143 orf School Office all proceeds goes toward **NEW CROSS COUNTRY UNIFORMS**

**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.

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**

**VINCENTIAN MEDITATION**

Today, Jesus says to us: "Peace I leave with you; peace I give to you."



**By your gift to the Society of St. Vincent De Paul you also say to those who are poor: Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you."**

Next meeting May 16th.

May food distributions Tuesday the 10th and 24th.

DATE	4/30	05/01	05/07	05/08
LECTOR	Lou Lomber	Laura Ross	Lynn Frost	Kathy Brewster
EMOHC	Barbara Hooper	Mary Chaney	Wade Garmon	Vince Brewster
		Marcella Moran		William Minnis
	Tom Powers	Vicki James	Tom Powres	Vicki James

**STEWARDSHIP REPORT**

**APRIL 24, 2016**

**SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

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: \$3,412.00  
 Needed Each Week: \$3,673.00  
 For the week: Under (\$261.00)  
 Year to date: Over Budget \$378.19  
 Attendance 122

# **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.

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

## **Calendar of Events**

<p><b><u>Sunday, May 1:</u></b> Acts 15:1-2,22-29 Ps 67:2-3, 5-6,8 Rv 21:10-14, 22-23 Jn 14:23-29</p>	<p>8:00 am Confession 8:30 am Rosary 9:00 am Mass for St. Patrick Parish First Communion with reception to follow</p>
<p><b><u>Monday, May 2:</u></b> Acts 16:11-15 Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b Jn 15:26-16:4a</p>	<p>8:00 am Mass</p>
<p><b><u>Tuesday, May 3:</u></b> 1Cor 15:1-8 Ps 19:2-5 Jn 14:6-14</p>	<p>8:00 am Mass for Deborah Legg</p>
<p><b><u>Wednesday, May 4:</u></b> Acts 17:15,22—18:1 Ps 148:1-2,11-14 Jn 16:12-15</p>	<p>6:00 pm Mass</p>
<p><b><u>Thursday, May 5:</u></b> Acts 18:1-8 Ps 98:1-4 Jn 16:16-20</p>	<p>8:00 am Mass</p>
<p><b><u>Friday, May 6:</u></b> Acts 18:9-18 Ps 47:2-7 Jn 16:20-23</p>	<p>8:00 am Mass for Father Michael <b><u>Adoration</u></b></p>
<p><b><u>Saturday, May 7:</u></b> Acts 18:23-28 Ps 47:2-3, 8-10 Jn 16:23b-28</p>	<p>8:00 am Mass for 4:00 pm Confession 4:30 Rosary 5:00 pm Vigil Mass for Neil Wilson + May Crowning</p>
<p><b><u>Sunday, May 8:</u></b> <b><u>Ascension of the Lord</u></b> Acts 1-1-11 Ps 47:2-3,6-9 Eph 1:17-23</p>	<p>8:00 am Confession 8:30 am Rosary 9:00 am Mass for St. Patrick Parish  Happy Mother's Day</p>

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FIRST COMMUNION, MOTHER'S  
DAY, GRADUATION ARE FAST  
APPROACHING. STOP BY AND SEE  
ALL THE GIFT OPPORTUNITIES WE  
HAVE TO OFFER.  
FOR SPECIAL ORDERS, PLEASE  
CALL JAMIE EPLEY***