



ST. PATRICK PARISH

YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO

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MASSES

Sunday, 11:00 a.m.
Monday - 8:30 a.m.

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

Mondays, 8:30 a.m.

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**SAINT PATRICK PARISH PRAYER**

Loving God, as a parish community, nourished by your Word and Eucharist, we ask you to grant us wisdom, courage and generosity so that we might:

- welcome others without prejudice;
- embrace works of charity and justice;
- lift the burdens of the needy;
- and show reverence for one another and for all creation.

Make our parish a beacon of hope and a sign of peace in our valley as we continue to praise you with our voices and the witness of our lives. To you, O God, be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

ST. PATRICK, PRAY FOR US.

MISSION STATEMENT

As a multi-cultural parish family, Saint Patrick's is dedicated to enriching the spiritual life of our community through faith in Christ and the Eucharist. We are a welcoming sign of permanence amidst a neighborhood of change, striving to provide love, trust and support to all.

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

2024 Retirement Fund for Religious

Women and men religious have spent their lives serving others in prayer, ministry, education and care for those in need; usually for little or no pay, and that little to no income went to support their religious community. The Ursuline Sisters, the Sisters of the Humility of Mary, the Sisters of Notre Dame, the Oblate Sister who taught in our Catholic Schools and ministered in our parishes were supporting all the sisters in their community with what income they may have received.

Did you know that religious communities are financially responsible for the support and care of all their members? The income, earnings, and expenses are managed separately from the parish and diocesan structures of the Catholic Church and only 6% of religious communities are adequately funded for retirement. Some of the smaller communities struggle to

care for elder members due to lack of financial resources and personnel. 46% have 25 or fewer members. Rising healthcare costs and decreased income compound the challenge to meet day-to-day needs for medications, nursing assistance, and other necessities.

The collection for the Retirement Fund for Religious is the weekend of November 23-24. Our donations will help support the day-to-day care of elderly sisters, brothers, and religious order priests. This will help in their financial need as well as allowing them to continue important ministries in their retirement. Please consider contributing what you are able. Also please pray for God's continued blessings on all our women and men religious, who keep you in their prayers as well. Together, let us support the many religious women and men who have made enormous contributions to our Church and to the world.

SVDP DINING HALL

St. Pat's will be staffing the Saint Vincent de Paul Dining Hall Monday, November 25 - Wednesday, November 27. If you would like to volunteer, please call Jackie Lucarell at 330-545-1110.

ADVENT MUSIC

For the past several years, we have been blessed with benefactors who have underwritten guest musicians during the Advent season. The memorial contribution is \$100, and your memorial will be acknowledged in the bulletin. Please call the rectory if you are interested.

FIRST FRIDAY

The next First Friday Club Luncheon & Speaker Series will be held on Thursday, December 5 from 11:30am - 1:00pm at Avion on the Water Banquet Center. R. J. Mangan, Director of Peace and Justice, Diocese of Youngstown, will be the speaker. His program is "Building a Beloved Community: Catholic Perspectives on Social Structures and Their Impact." The cost to attend is \$15. Please call the rectory at 330-743-1109 to reserve your seat.

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday, November 17

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:00am Al Cervello

Monday, November 18

8:30am Jeremy Rothman

Wednesday, November 20

8:30am *Mass at St. Angela Merici*

Friday, November 22

St. Cecilia

8:00am *Mass at Christ the Good Shepherd*

Sunday, November 24

Christ the King

11:00am Patsy & Theresa Mastramico

Monday, November 25

8:30am Steve J. & Angeline M. Mayer

The Sanctuary Candle

burns

November 16 thru November 22

in memory of

Val Eicher

from Ed & Mary Lou Palguta.

November 17, 2024



Religious Education

FAITH FORMATION

Our Faith Formation year is getting off to a great start with 23 children in attendance this past Sunday. There is plenty of room for more, so if you have not registered your child, contact Beth Jones for information. If this is a sacramental year for your child (2nd and 8th grades) make sure your child is registered and attending! First Reconciliation, First Eucharist, and Confirmation are vital parts of your child's Faith Formation.

Students received a Weekly Family Catechesis Sheet at class on Sunday. This is intended to be one way for your whole family to learn and grow in faith together. If your child did not come home with this sheet or if you are just curious about what we are doing, you can find the information on your parish website or Facebook page. Join us in growing your faith!

Beth Jones

Director of Faith Formation

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THANKSGIVING MASS

Join us on Thursday, November 28 at 10am for our Thanksgiving Mass!

CHRISTMAS IN PARIS

Due to an overwhelming response, tickets to the Christmas in Paris Tea are sold out.

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

1st Reading: Daniel 7:13-14

2nd Reading: Revelation 1:5-8

Gospel: John 18:33b-37

Stewardship at St. Patrick

Regular (56 envelopes)	\$3,686.00
Visitor	92.00
Electronic Giving (28)	1,229.00
Weekly Budget Amount	8,700.00
Difference	- 3,693.00
Novena	54.00
Preservation	165.00

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Attendance at Mass: 144

ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL

With the celebration of Thanksgiving and the season of Advent fast approaching, we would like to take this opportunity to thank the many people who have made a prayerful gift to the 2024 Annual Diocesan Appeal: One in Hope, One in Mission. Here at St. Patrick's, we have received gifts and pledges totaling \$42,218 toward our goal of \$40,700. That is 103% of our goal. **We are so thankful for your support!**

Thank you also to the Reverse Raffle Committee who made a donation to cover our deficit. If you would like to support the Reverse Raffle, tickets are \$70 and available by calling the rectory at 330-743-1109.

ADVENT BREAKFAST

The Parish Life Committee is sponsoring an Advent Breakfast on Saturday, December 7 at 10am in the social hall.

Our Advent with the Saints will be presented by Fr. William Wainio. Music will be provided by Jim Johnston. Tickets are \$10 and available after Mass or in the rectory.

HOLIDAY PARADE

The parishes of St. Patrick, St. Angela Merici and Christ the Good Shepherd will be participating in the Holiday Parade on Friday, December 6. The parade will begin at 6:00 p.m. with the Christmas Tree lighting immediately following the parade. If you're interested in joining us, please call the rectory.

INTERCHURCH BIBLE STUDY

The Interchurch Bible Study will meet on Thursday, November 21 from 6-7:30 PM in the social hall. The topic is Galatians 5:15-26.

FLIGHT INTO EGYPT STATUE RAFFLE

The Parish Life Committee is selling tickets for a statue made by Anthony Borsato from Milan, Italy called "Flight into Egypt." The raffle will be held on Sunday, December 8. Tickets are \$5 or a book of 5 for \$20. The statue will be on display in the All Saints Chapel.