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We are in Communion with the Charismatic Episcopal Church

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Love God ♦ Love Neighbor ♦ Make Disciples

Saint Patrick's is a welcoming Catholic Community.
The church is accessible to wheel chairs with assistance.

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – November 18, 2018

Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil Mass **5:00 pm**
Sunday Masses **8:30 and 10:30 am**
coffee hour follows both Sunday Masses
Wednesday evenings at **6:30**
Holy Day Mass **7:00 pm** or as announced

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Sacramental Information

Baptism

Congratulations! At the family's convenience after consultation with the Pastor usually during a weekend Mass

Marriage

Congratulations! Celebrated at the couple's convenience after consultation with the Pastor

First Communion / Confirmation

Celebrated annually following appropriate instruction

Anointing and Pastoral Care of the Sick

Home, hospital, nursing home visits gladly made upon notification by the family

Parish Membership

We welcome you to join our growing parish family!
Registration Cards available at church entrance
Offering envelopes available as desired

Celiac Disease

We gladly provide Gluten Free (99%)
Host for Communion if needed
Please speak with the Pastor before Mass

Cry Area

We welcome all children, but should a child become difficult, feel free to take the child to the baptistery area.

Text Message Feedback Line

(401) 499-1076

We want your feedback – Good and Bad

YOU ARE WELCOMED No matter what your church status, your current family or marital situation, no matter what your personal history, age, background, race, and regardless of personal worthiness; YOU are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved and respected here.

Thank you today for joining us!

Please look to the "Hymn Board" to the front left.

The Upper left number on the board refers to the Mass Readings from the *Red Worship Book*

Hymns numbered on RED refer to the same *Worship Book*

Hymns on TAN refer to the tan *We Celebrate Book*

Reflections on the weekend Scripture

1 Kings 17:10–16; Psalm 146; Hebrews 9:24–28; Mark 12:38–44

- When and how can we find justice? Is justice only achieved after death and through the judgment of God? Or can we find justice here and now, in ethical decisions and moral victories? In describing his apocalyptic vision, Daniel closes by saying, “those who lead the many to justice shall be like the stars forever” (Daniel 12:3). Those who work for justice may not achieve it, but they will remain forever a beacon for those who follow. Justice may not be found here and now, but working for it and leading others to it are rewarded in Daniel’s revelation.
- Amid the darkness and distress at the end of time, both Jesus and Daniel promise reward for those whom God has chosen. Daniel says that those who are “written in the book” shall escape. Jesus tells the disciples that the “elect” will be gathered by the angels. As destructive as the end times will be, God remains stronger than any force overcoming the earth, able to rescue all those who have been found worthy.
- We cannot know when the world will end, just as we do not know when our own worldly end will arrive. Therefore, we must always be ready. But we can be consoled in the redemptive sacrifice that Jesus made on the cross. As we heard in Hebrews, those who are made holy are made perfect forever. Jesus has enabled us to be worthy of being gathered by God at the end of time.

Question of the Week

How does not knowing when the end will come change the way I live my life?

Next Week’s Sunday’s Readings

Daniel 7:13–14; Psalm 93; Revelation 1:5–8; John 18:33b–37

Announced Masses

Sanctuary Light Memorial – For Dotty Dias for her recovery

11/17	5:00	Souls of Robert Zoglio, Jr and Ronald Tetreault (10 th Anniv)	By Marie Barchi
11/18	8:30	Souls Memorialized on All Souls Day	
	10:30	Souls Memorialized on All Souls Day	
11/21	6:30	Souls Memorialized on All Souls Day	
11/24	5:00	Souls Memorialized on All Souls Day	
11/25	8:30	Souls Memorialized on All Souls Day	
	10:30	Souls Memorialized on All Souls Day	
11/28	6:30	Souls Memorialized on All Souls Day	

Parish Activities and Announcements

Ending as we began. Since this is the last Sunday of Ordinary Time, we are returning to a topic we saw the very first Sunday of our year with St. Mark....*prepare*. The good news for each of us is that we remain disciples for another year and of course, the bad news is that we are one year closer to either our end or the end of time. The important consideration at this point is how much progress we have made over the past year in our development as better disciples and in particular, since it is timely, how have we come to love God and to love neighbor, that is, to love God through our adherence to his word and through regular worship and then love of neighbor through acts of practical charity, such as we see in this parish at Thanksgiving time. God remains steadfast in our lives and through the example of his son gives us all an example of unselfish love and devotion with the hope that we, going through our daily living, will also rise to the occasion and both love God and our neighbor with the ultimate hope that in witness to this,

new disciples will emerge and we will have fulfilled the six word mission statement of this parish: Love God, Love Neighbor and Make Disciples. God bless Fr. Roger

Holiday Cheer Raffle The return of a favorite parish raffle. We are raffling off three liquor baskets, valued at \$150, \$100 and \$50 at the Christmas Party on December 2nd. Tickets are 6/\$5.00. Please make returns quickly, many tickets available at the door. Thank you for your support.



Parish Christmas Party Join us for our annual Christmas Party at the Rosario Club in Silver Lake on Sunday December 2nd, 2-5 in the afternoon. There we will enjoy appetizers, roast port dinner and live music. All for only \$17/\$13.00 for the event. Always a great time.....tickets are available right now at each Mass.



Thanksgiving Mass We will offer Mass for Thanksgiving on Wednesday, November 21st at 7pm. Please join us.

Parish Council The parish council meets in the office today at 9:20. Meetings are open and all are invited.

Thanksgiving Outreach Our Thanksgiving Food Baskets were collected and this year, as a parish we assembled 55 baskets and for that I offer both thanks to you all and also appreciation on behalf of those receiving them from us. Each was accompanied by a pan and gift card to purchase a turkey. Practical charity at its best! Thank you!

Christmas Caroling Join us on **December 9th at 1pm** at the Eleanor Slater Hospital, Reagan Building. Meet for 1PM. Hot Chocolate and cookies at the Corley's after the signing. Any questions please call Michelle Corley, 742-2216



Special Collection The special collection taken up during the month of November will be used to assist with the foreign missions of the church. Please be generous.

Wine Club Our next wine club meeting will be in November and will be hosted by Steve and Lesley McDonnell on Friday November 30th.

Annual Christmas Party Our Annual Christmas Party will take place on Sunday, December 2nd at the Rosario Club in Silver Lake, 2-5 in the afternoon. Tickets are available at \$17.00 / \$13.00. Dinner is a traditional Roasted Pork, with appetizers and live entertainment. Tickets are available now at each Mass.



Amos House Ministry There is an opportunity to provide practical aid in the preparation of lunch at Amos house each 4th Sunday of the month (Nov 25th), in conjunction with others. For information, please speak with Deacon Noel or with Michelle Corley 401-742-2216. Thank you!

Wednesday Evenings at Saint Patrick's

Religious Education at 5:45 & Mass at 6:30

Bible Study at 7:00

Studying Church History – Materials will be supplied

2018-19 Religious Ed Schedule at this link:

Schedule for First Communion Students

<http://freepdfhosting.com/f3eaf7034f.pdf>

Schedule for Continuing Education Students

<http://freepdfhosting.com/4ebbb2b26f.pdf>

2019 Diocesan Mission Trip Next year, Deacon Noel is spearheading a mission trip to El Salvador. The trip, open those aged 15 and above will lead to an understanding of conditions in Central America and will involve labor repairing residential housing. Dates for the trip are July 12 through July 22nd. Please speak with Deacon Noel.

Council Elections Elections for Parish Council are come up in January, if any member is interested in helping guide St

Patrick's, contact Parish Council Pres. Adrien Mercure (adrien.mercure@gmail.com) or Fr Roger. The Parish Council consists of up to nine members; current members are Geri Bergeen, Michelle & Tim Corley, Marilyn Graf, Ron Labonte, Barbara & Russ Landy, and Adrien Mercure. Parish Council members serve for a two-year term.

Christmas Cookies and Meat Pies We are now accepting orders for homemade Christmas Cookies and for Holiday Meat Pies. Orders are due by November 16th with pick up just before Christmas on Dec 22/23rd. Please order early. Thank you for your support.

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Recycle Cans/water bottles We collect all sorts of cans and bottles for redemption in Maine. IF the soda can/beer can/water or juice bottle is so marked, please just bag it and leave it a church over the weekend. Thanks

Ministry Volunteers Saint Patrick is reaching out to our parishioners for volunteers who would like to read at Mass (**Lector**), serve at Mass (**Acolyte**) or enjoy singing at Mass (**choir**). Our service honors God. Join us!

Dunkin Donuts Gift Cards are now on sale
For face value of \$10.00. Sales benefit the parish

Parish Memorial Garden As our 20th anniversary approaches, Saint Patrick Catholic Church invites you to become a permanent part of our Memorial Garden and Pavilion by purchasing a commemorative tile or granite bench. The commemorative tiles will be installed on the face of raised garden beds and the granite benches will be distributed around the gardens and pavilion. This beautification and memorial project is presently underway!

Anointing of the Sick / Holy Hour of Adoration
December 9th following the 10:30 Mass
Anointing is available at any other time by request

Parish Prayer and Birthday List

Please keep this partial list in your prayers

Beth Hayes and Anne Hayes, Armand Lefebvre, Bernie Blumenthal, Deb Buco, Dotty Diaz, Dino Galiano, Jinny Van Haelen, Maureen Mazika, Patti Jo Sriner, Dan Barchie, John McGarrahan, Gina Mazika, Rose Pagano, Alaina Dieffenbach, Christopher Reynolds, Marilyn, Jake Williams, Lou Pagano, Raheem Onibudo, Sean Ryan, Felicia Petrone, Jeanne Chatelle, Elizabeth Reis, Yamilet, Sharon Pittmen, John Trudeau, Kathy Wikstrom, Mark H. Collins, Diana Marrocco .

Join me in prayer for their recovery

Birthdays during October: (9) Vin Bruni, (9) Armand Lefebvre, (14) Lesley McDonnell, (17) Alissa Labonte. (18) Isabella Labonte, (19) Kathy Bruni, (20) Stephen Faccenda, (21) Michelle Corley and (24) Craig Norcliffe.

May God bless you now and in the year ahead!

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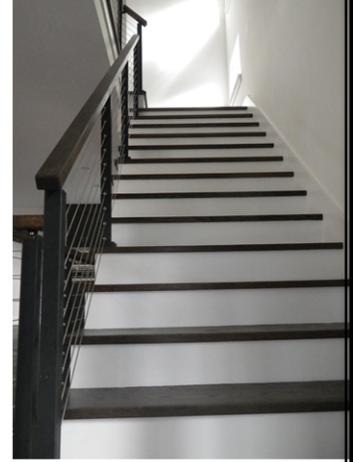
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