

Mass Intentions This Week

Saturday, February 29, 2020

4:00 PM Bill O'Connor—K.C.

Sunday, March 1, 2020

10:00 AM Saint Patrick Parishioners (Pro Populo)

Tuesday, March 3, 2020

8:00 AM Pat & Bill Coate-Reagan & Julie Kennedy

Thursday, March 5, 2020

6:10 PM Instructions for Latin Mass

6:15 PM Latin Mass-Wally Mathews-K.C.

Adoration and Confession

Friday, March 6, 2020

5:00 PM Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 7, 2020

3:00 PM Confession

4:00 PM Saint Patrick Parishioners (Pro Populo)

Sunday, March 8, 2020

10:00 AM Scott J. Liles-Vicki Stratton

SUNDAY, MARCH 8, 2020, 4:00 PM

LENTEN TALK (WINNER BARN) Fr Shawn

Upcoming Dates:

CONFESSIONS: during Lent—beginning at 3:00 PM

7 March, 14 March, 21 March, 28 March, 4 April—

This is before the 4:00 PM Mass on Saturday.

March 6, 2020, 5:00 PM Way of the Cross

March 6, 2020, 5:00 PM Lenten Fish Fry

Mar 9, 2020 (RCIA Rm) Bible Study, 2020, 7:00 PM

Mar 14, 2020, 7:00 AM (RCIA Rm) TMIY: The 6th

Day: The Home at Nazareth

Weekend Mass Attendance—Feb 22 & 23, 2020

Sunday Offering	\$ 6,173.34
Improvement Fund	\$ 45.00
Assessment	\$ 6.00
Cost of Envelopes	\$ 25.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$ 20.00
Ash Wed.	\$ 70.00
Total Collections	\$ 6,339.34

Our Gifts to GOD—Many contribute generously. We all need to share the burden of parish support. May God bless your sacrifice for Him!

March Ministry –See insert

Sat Mar 7, 4pm

Servs: Mason & Trent Marcinko, Lucy Johns

Lectors: Rose Lyons, Lisa Brandel

Minists: John Vicario, Deb Baker

Sun Mar 8, 10:00 am

Lect: Montana & Utah Coleman, Olivia Dearwester

Minists: Wendy Miller, Linda Tromblay

Lectors: Mary Giannola, Becky Meyer

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

March 6, 2020

5:00 PM

LENTEN FISH FRY

Sponsored by Knights of Columbus

FRIDAYS 5:00-7:00 pm

3/6, 3/13, 3/20, 3/27 & 4/3

ADULTS \$8.00 CHILDREN 12 AND UNDER \$6.00

SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL KNIGHTS

Join us at Makley Hall

Serving Baked, Batter Fried,

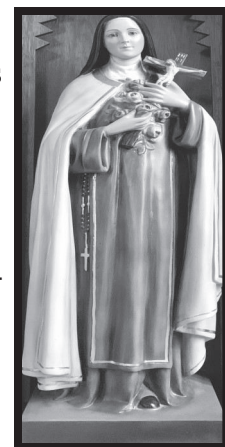
Southern Breaded, and Spicy Breaded

Alaskan Pollock

Statue of

St. Thérèse of Lisieux

The statue of St. Thérèse is located on the right side altar. St. Thérèse was born in Lisieux, France on January 2, 1873 and she died from tuberculosis on September 30, 1897. Her feast day is on October 1st. St. Thérèse was a Carmelite sister who entered the Carmel at the age of 15 in the year 1888. St. Thérèse had a great love for God and showed us the “little way.” The “little way” is doing small things with great love for our Lord. St. Thérèse said that the little way is the surest way to God. She described it as like taking an elevator to Himself. St. Thérèse wanted to pray for others and love others in her “little way” that she said “when I die, I will send down a shower of roses from the heavens. I will spend my heaven by doing good on earth.” On the evening of the death of St. Thérèse, she was very ill and she suddenly sat up, and had a gaze that the other sisters would never forget and she spoke her last words. “Oh, how I love You!...My God...How I love You!



Novena Prayer to St. Thérèse: Saint Therese, the Little Flower of Jesus, please pick a rose from the heavenly garden, and send it to me with a message of love. I ask you to obtain for me the favors that I seek (here mention your request). Recommend my request to Mary, Queen of Heaven, so that she may intercede for me, with you, before her Son, Jesus Christ. If this favor is granted, I will love you more and more, and be better prepared to spend eternal happiness with you in heaven. Saint Therese of the Little Flower, pray for me.

MASS INTENTIONS: Please, fill out the form below and drop in the collection basket or mail to the office. There is a \$5 stipend for each Mass requested. **PLEASE, PRINT!**

Intention: _____

Offered by: _____

Date requested: _____

Mass requested: _____

We will make every attempt to get them on the date you request, however, funerals, prior requests and other events may prevent this, a specified date needs a 3 week notice to meet publication deadlines.

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE READING:

Mon., Mar 1: Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7 Ps 51:3-6,12-13,17 Rom 5:12-19

Tues., Mar 2: Lv 19:1-211-18 Ps 19:8-10,15 Mt 25:31-46

Wed., Mar 3: Is 55:10-11 Ps 34:4-7, 16-19 Mt 6:7-15

Thurs., Mar 4: Jon 3:1-10 Ps 51:3-4,12-13,18-19 Lk 11:29-32

Fri., Mar 5: Est C:12,14-16,23-25 Ps 138:1-3,7c-8 Mt 7:7-12

Sat., Mar 6: Ez 18:21-28 Ps 130:1-8 Mt 5:20-26



Gn 12:1-4a
Ps 33:4-5,18-20,22
2 Tim 1:8b-10
Mt 17:1-9

Rosary will be recited: Sat at 3:30 pm & Sun at 9:15 am before the Mass. ALL ARE WELCOME!

Parish Prayer Line: Tammy Bauer, 937.441.0645

COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND: If you are a registered parishioner who is homebound and would like to receive Holy Communion, please contact the office.

ANGEL OF GOD, my guardian dear, to whom God's love commits me here, ever this day be at my side, to light and guard, to rule and guide, Amen.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY (937. 592.9455)

*Hours: 10:00 am-12:00 pm, Tuesday & Thursday;
5:00-7:00 pm, Wednesday. Dates: Feb 18,19,20, 2020
Money Spent: \$1500.00 Clients: 110 Need: detergent,
crackers, shampoo, dish soap*

THANK YOU!

Read bulletins & calendars on line: St Patrick Church-www.catholicbellefontaine.org and St Mary of the Woods: www.saintmaryofthewoods.com

LATIN MASS AT ST. PAT'S

The Parish Council has requested a Latin Mass here at St. Patrick Church. On **March 5th**, we will be celebrating a Low Mass. This is possibly the first Latin Mass celebrated at St. Patrick since the 1960's! A couple Q&A's:

Will you know what's going on? Yes! The Latin Mass follows the same basic structure as the English Mass (Greeting, Penitential, Opening Prayer, Readings, (opt. homily), preparation of the altar, Eucharistic Prayer, Communion, and the Closing Prayer). There are additional prayers at the beginning (Prayers at the Foot of the Altar) and at the End (an extra Gospel reading and the Leonine Prayers).

What about the Latin? There will be books available with side-by-side Latin and English. You can read along in English if you so choose. The readings will be in Latin and then in English.

Isn't Latin moving us backwards? No-Latin Masses across the country are filled with young people and families. The younger generation craves the tradition and beauty of the Latin Mass. In a secular world, the Latin Mass fills a void in peoples' hearts. Latin Masses are growing quickly.

Why would someone want to go to a Latin Mass? To experience the Mass that was passed on by our ancestors. This is the Mass that most of our favorite saints experienced. Connect to our Catholic heritage!

The Low Mass allows for a different type of prayer. There is more silence and time to reflect on the sacrifice of the Mass. Many people love the silence instantly, while others appreciate it more and more as they go to the Latin Mass more often.

Don't miss this opportunity! There will be some instructions at 6:10 PM with Mass starting at 6:15.

THANK YOU: The Archdiocesan Financial Services informed my office that St. Patrick Parish has contributed \$2,388.00 to the Retirement Fund for Religious. Thank you for promoting this appeal. The people of the Archdiocese continue to respond generously to this collation. They truly "give to those who have given a lifetime."

The infirmed and elderly serve all of us through their prayer and suffering. These members often show us how to live and how to die. In our society, there is real value to the witness of our care of the aged members.