


  
**Mass Intentions**

**MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday (January 28)  
 Sunday (January 29)

Monday  
 Tuesday  
 Wednesday (February 1-School)  
 Thursday  
 Friday (First Friday)  
 Saturday (February 4)  
 Sunday (February 5)

5:00 p.m.  
 7:30 a.m.  
 10:30 a.m.  
 9:00 a.m.  
 8:00 a.m.  
 8:45 a.m.  
 9:00 a.m.  
 9:00 a.m.  
 5:00 p.m.  
 7:30 a.m.  
 10:30 a.m.

**INTENTIONS**

Bob Olszewski  
 Rhoda & Peter Lanigan  
 People of the Parish  
 Paul Weiner  
 Tom McNamara  
 Members of the Higgins Family  
**NO MASS**  
 Darla Jackson  
 Lisa Guthrie  
 Paul Holland  
 People of the Parish

**OFFERED BY**

Tony & Lynne Mans  
 Patty Evans  
 Fr. Mark V. Ghiloni  
 Joe Weiner Family  
 Patty Colwell  
 Bill Higgins  
 Bessie Jackson  
 Chris & Doug Eakins  
 Roger & Karen Summers  
 Fr. Mark V. Ghiloni

**Liturgical Roles**

**8:45 a.m. Wednesday, February 1 - School**

**Extraordinary Ministers of HC:** Dr. Froning, Maria Berryhill, Beth Kerechanin, Hugo Quint, Christen Rinehart

**12:00 p.m. Friday, February 3 – First Friday Benediction**

**Lector:** Charles Krumel

**Servers:** Emily Gaston, Gabriel White

**5:00 p.m. Saturday, February 4**

**Lectors:** 1. Jim Price 2. Tony Weyrich

**Cantor:** Mary Young

**Organist:** Valerie Tanner

**Extraordinary Ministers of HC:** Ruth Roddy – Captain Lisa Dulin, Charles Fordyce, Beth Fordyce, John Orban, Carol White

**Sacristan:** Jeff Topper

**Servers:** Joshua Dulin, Stuart Weyrich, Nick Weyrich

**Ushers:** Jim Cooper, Steve Rader

**Greeter:** Brad Gummere

**7:30 a.m. Sunday, February 5**

**Lectors:** 1. Linda Wheatley 2. Monica Leimeister

**Cantor:** Mike Koesters

**Organist:** Valerie Tanner

**Extraordinary Ministers of HC:** Anne Carter – Captain Kathy Husek, Dave Husek, Erin Morris, Joanna Sadler, Sissy Wiseman

**Sacristan:** Roberta Cwiekalo

**Servers:** Victoria Cavallaro, Conner Hamms, Elanna Kotsko

**Ushers:** Gary Finchum, Ben Yoder

**Greeters:** Steve & Donna Saltsman

**10:30 a.m. Sunday, February 5**

**Lectors:** 1. Kelly Snyder 2. Adam Smith

**Cantor:** FROG Squad

**Organist:** Valerie Tanner

**Extraordinary Ministers of HC:** Mike Lynch – Captain Theresia Chin, Therese Davenport, Mary Davis, Shirley Greene, Paula Hann, Denise Zimmerman

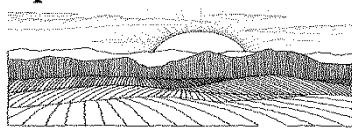
**Sacristan:** Julie Walker

**Servers:** Dominic Davis, Mitchell Davis, Joseph Davis

**Ushers:** Bob Higgins, Gary Swierz

**Greeters:** Mike & Mary Brennan

**Blessed  
 are the  
 peacemakers**



**OFFERTORY**

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION:** January 21 & 22

Regular Collection	\$ 6,082.75
Loose Offering	196.60
Maintenance	118.00
Solemnity of Mary	10.00
<b>St. Patrick Total Offering</b>	<b>\$ 6,407.35</b>

**SECOND COLLECTIONS:**

Propagation of the Faith	\$ 42.00
School Tuition Assistance Fund	45.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 87.00</b>

*Thank You!*

**February Collection Counters:** (Begin Monday, February 6)  
 Shirley Witwer, Mary Brennan, and Jane Finchum

**Eucharistic Adoration**

1<sup>st</sup> Fridays

Exposition - 9:30 a.m.

Benediction - 12:00 Noon



**Respect Life Rosary** - Please join us on the first Saturday of every month at 11:00 a.m. for "Respect Life Rosary." Through the privilege and power of prayer, let us intercede to protect the weak and vulnerable, born and unborn.

**St. Vincent de Paul Society** meets on the First Sunday of the month in the parish center immediately following the 7:30 a.m. Mass. This organization serves the poor and assists those in need in our community. All are welcome to attend.

**About the Cover** – Pictured on the bulletin cover is a familiar image. It is the emblem of the Holy Spirit within the stained glass window over the altar in the sanctuary. It seems so appropriate to see the Holy Spirit over the altar as it helps to recall the words of the Mass called the Epiclesis, which calls upon the Spirit: "Make holy, therefore, these gifts, we pray, by sending down your Spirit upon them like the dewfall, so that they may become for us the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ." (*Eucharistic Prayer II*) Former pastor, Fr. William P. Clark wrote a book entitled, "Brief History of St. Patrick Parish" in 1937. He wrote that the window, a gift of James Looney for \$70, was added at the time of the addition to the church in 1910-11. It's interesting to note that the colors of the sky/background reverse themselves in the side panel windows. Was this an artistic device to dramatically show the reversal of direction that occurs when we allow the Holy Spirit to enter into our lives? Over the course of time, as an outgrowth of our 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary year, we hope to feature other artistic and devotional works within the church that give us a foretaste of Heaven.

## PARISH NEWS

**This Week's Mass Schedule** – Please note, there will be NO MASS on Thursday of this week. Please see the previous page for this week's complete Mass schedule.

**Diocese of Mandeville, Jamaica** – Father Gary Weisman will be present next weekend to share with the parish what has been accomplished as a result of our collections, as well as sharing the needs of the people in the Diocese of Mandeville, Jamaica. Envelopes will be available in the pews for a collection during this weekend. Thank you for your generosity and support. Please see this week's bulletin insert for insightful information on the Diocese of Mandeville, Jamaica.



**Eucharistic Adoration On First Friday** – Would you consider spending some quiet time on the First Friday of the month in adoration of Our Lord? The next Eucharistic Adoration will begin after the 9:00 a.m. Mass and conclude with Benediction at noon on Friday, February 3.



**The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults** will continue on Monday, January 30 from 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. in the rectory (from the side door). The Inquiry process has begun! Parishioners are asked to keep the Seekers, their Sponsors and the RCIA team in prayer.

RCIA is a process that moves with the prompting of the Holy Spirit. Because the Spirit may invite someone to inquire at any time of the year, it is necessary for our RCIA program to be available whenever new Inquirers contact us. For this reason, the RCIA at St. Patrick is moving to a year-round program. For this to work, the RCIA team must grow. If you have a desire to grow in your faith, feel called to help others learn of our Church or desire to participate in the evangelization of those who are seeking to join us in faith, please contact Maria Berryhill. Training is available. "Make disciples...and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you." (Matthew 28:19-20)



**Madison County Food Pantry** - February is our parish's month to help at the Madison County Food Pantry, 136 Maple St., to assist every Wednesday and Saturday from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. We need people who can pack boxes, fill shelves, and take food to client's cars. Please sign up in the connecting hallway.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

There are many upcoming events where help is needed. Please review the list of events and contact Maria Berryhill at [mberryhill@stpatricklondon.org](mailto:mberryhill@stpatricklondon.org) or call (740) 852-0942 for more information. All volunteers over the age of 18 must have requirements for Protecting God's Children. To register for a Protecting God's Children class, please visit [www.virtus.org](http://www.virtus.org).

### **First Reconciliation Retreat**

Saturday, April 1 from 10 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Parish Center

Welcome Host/Hostess, Snack Coordinator, Craft Leader

### **Jesus Day – First Communion Retreat**

Saturday, April 22 from 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Parish Center

Welcome Host/Hostess, Craft Room, Drama Room, Scavenger Hunt, Activity Room

### **Confirmation Retreat – Net Ministries**

Sunday, April 30

Families are needed to host two or more Net Ministries team members for two nights.

### **Vacation Bible School**

June 12 – 16

Several key positions will need to be filled, including a volunteer Assistant Director.

## ST. PATRICK SCHOOL NEWS



**11<sup>th</sup> Annual Dinner Auction** – Mark your calendar for Saturday, February 25 beginning at 5 pm at the PARC for a Mardi Gras Party! Time to jazz it up with The Dixieland Band while enjoying American Fare and Bourbon Street Cuisine. Tickets are \$30 each and available at the school office.

## YOUTH GROUP NEWS



**Bosco Bash** - The Diocesan Middle School Youth Rally (grades 6-8) will be Saturday, February 11 at St. Timothy Catholic Church, 1088 Thomas Lane in Columbus from 2:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. There will be music by Station 14, skits, games, dinner, evening Mass and speaker Paul J. Kim. He has a growing international reputation as a dynamic speaker and musician with a powerful message of faith, hope, and love! The cost is \$25 per teen. Contact Tim Magree at [tmagree@stpatricklondon.org](mailto:tmagree@stpatricklondon.org) to register.

## COLUMBUS DIOCESE NEWS

**2017 Catholic Women's & Men's Conferences** – Save the date and attend the upcoming Columbus Catholic Women's & Men's Conferences. The Women's Conference is Saturday, February 18 from 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. The Men's Conference is the following Saturday, February 25 from 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. For more information or to register, please visit [www.columbuscatholicwomen.com](http://www.columbuscatholicwomen.com) or [www.columbuscatholicmensministry.com](http://www.columbuscatholicmensministry.com). Both conferences will take place at the Ohio Expo Center, in the new Cardinal Hall.

**Women's Silent Retreat** - Disconnect from the cyber world, and connect with God by coming to a SILENT retreat for women March 3-5 at St. Therese's Retreat Center, 5277 E. Broad St. in Columbus. Sponsored by the Catholic Laywomen's Retreat League, this retreat begins Friday evening and ends Sunday at noon. Fr. Al Naseman, CPPS, is the retreat master. A member of the Cincinnati Province of the Precious Blood order, Fr. Naseman has been leading retreats for 25 years. Prior to that, he taught in three Precious Blood seminaries. He will give four conferences on "Reflections on Lent from the Book of Ecclesiastes." The fee is \$140 for six meals and a private room. For more information, e-mail [retreatleague@gmail.com](mailto:retreatleague@gmail.com) or call Sharon Gehrich, CLRL Secretary at (614) 882-1946. Deadline is February 20, 2017. Space is limited.

## HUMILITY

During the Revolutionary War, a group of colonial soldiers was assigned to fell some trees to build a bridge. The job was going slowly; there were not enough men to complete the task in any suitable time. Suddenly, a man dressed like an officer appeared on horseback. "Not enough men to do the work?" he asked the soldier in charge. "Why don't you get off your horse and help?" "Oh, I couldn't do that," the other man responded. "I am the officer in charge." The first man then dismounted and worked with the soldiers until the job was completed. Then he said to the one in charge: "The next time your troop has a difficult task, just send for the commander-in-chief and I will be glad to come." That man was George Washington.

Today's readings present a similar theme of setting aside all worldly airs and pretensions and surrendering oneself to God. Nothing can be accomplished without God. It is those who humble themselves, those whom the world views as common and contemptible, who are the ones that God will bless abundantly.

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