



Mass Intentions

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday (June 24)	5:00 p.m.	Janet Clouse & Pitstick Family
Sunday (June 25)	7:30 a.m.	Chris Carter
	10:30 a.m.	People of the Parish
Monday	8:00 a.m.	Bea McNamara
Tuesday	8:00 a.m.	Roger High
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	Tom McNamara
Thursday	8:00 a.m.	Carol Daniels
Friday	8:00 a.m.	NO MASS
Saturday (July 1)	5:00 p.m.	People of the Parish
Sunday (July 2)	7:30 a.m.	Mary & Bill Evans
	10:30 a.m.	Margaret Ortlieb

INTENTIONS

OFFERED BY

Icle & Jean Davis
 Bill & Anne Carter
 Fr. Mark V. Ghiloni
 Dan & Kelly Snyder
 Joe & Annie Hicks & Family
 Jane Gallagher & Family
 Jerry Daniels

Fr. Mark V. Ghiloni
 Patty Evans
 Eric & Mary Jo Dust

Liturgical Roles*

5:00 p.m. Saturday, July 1

Lectors: 1. Julie Walker 2. Nicole Rogerson
Cantor: Ruth Roddy
Extraordinary Ministers of HC: Charles Krumel – Captain Jim Cooper, Lisa Dulin, Charles Fordyce, Beth Fordyce, Shirley Greene
Sacristan: Jeff Topper
Servers: George Barnett, Brianna Calloway, Volunteer
Ushers: Jim Cooper, Steve Rader
Greeter: Brad Gummere

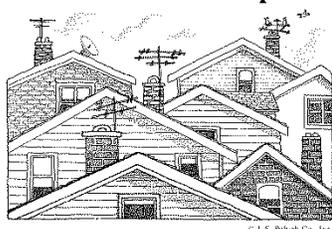
7:30 a.m. Sunday, July 2

Lectors: 1. Linda Wheatley 2. Jacob Froning
Cantor: Mike Koesters
Organist: Valerie Tanner
Extraordinary Ministers of HC: Anne Carter – Captain Roberta Cwiekalo, Dorothy Henry, Kathy Husek, Barbara Moore, Jackie Weiner
Sacristan: Joanna Sadler
Servers: Conner Hamms, Noah Hopkins, Maureen Treynor
Ushers: Bill Duffy, Ben Yoder
Greeters: Steve & Donna Saltsman

10:30 a.m. Sunday, July 2

Lectors: 1. Deborah Haddad 2. Lynn Baker
Cantors: Sue Brown, FROG Squad
Organist: Valerie Tanner
Extraordinary Ministers of HC: Therese Davenport – Captain Debbie Bartkowiak, Mary Davis, Paula Hann, Mike Lynch, Haley Meyer, Terri Swierz
Sacristan: Fr. Ghiloni
Servers: Kayla Baker, Macy Baker, Cain Grider
Ushers: Phil Chin, Steve Ernst
Greeters: Theresia Chin, Linda Mark

What you hear
 whispered, proclaim
 on the rooftops



OFFERTORY

OFFERTORY COLLECTION: June 17 & 18

Regular Collection	\$ 5,573.60
Loose Offering	188.00
Maintenance	40.00
St. Patrick Total Offering	\$ 5,801.60
SECOND COLLECTION:	
Holy Father (Peter's Pence)	\$ 30.00
Catholic Home Missions	100.00
Missionary Collection	100.00
Total	\$ 230.00

Thank You!

Second Collection: June 24/25–Holy Father/Peter's Pence

This weekend, a collection will be taken up for Peter's Pence, which provides Pope Francis with the funds carry out his charitable works around the world. The proceeds benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters.

About the Cover

– Pictured on the cover is the baptistery area of St. Patrick Church which was part of the 2004 renovation. Baptisteries are generally located close to the entrance of the church (in ancient days they formed a separate building) which reinforces the symbolism of a person's entrance into New Life. Our baptismal font is an octagonal shape and its wood is of the same design as the ambo and confessional. The eight sides of the font are of ancient tradition remarked upon by St. Ambrose and St. Augustine who each wrote of Christ rising on the eighth day, breaking the bondage of death and raising the dead into New Life. The interior bowl is of black corian with a marble cap of Verde Green marble. The water of the font may be heated and is filtered with a pump to provide flowing waters, symbolic of the gift of life received in baptism. Accent lighting on the base was a gift of David Leach who crafted the font. The baptistery reredos (background) incorporates wood from an older confessional. The metallic peacock, a symbol of resurrection, was originally part of a gate and fenced enclosure that once defined the baptistery in the rear of the church. The circular floor tile work that surrounds the font today serves a similar purpose in defining the sacred space of where Christians are born. Two icons, "The Baptism of Christ" and "Pentecost" were added in 2007. The placement of the confessional opposite the baptistery provides a balance of design and sacramental meaning. Over the course of time, as an outgrowth of our 150th anniversary year, we hope to feature other sacred, artistic, and devotional works within the church that give us a foretaste of heaven.

ST. PATRICK CHURCH NEWS

2017 Bishop's Annual Appeal

Living the Gospel in Faith, Hope and Charity



We would like to thank all the parishioners who have already pledged their gift to the 2017 Bishop's Annual Appeal. The amount pledged to date is \$76,492.00 from 162 envelopes received. If you have not yet made your commitment, pledge envelopes are available in the pews. We hope to realize our parish goal with 100% participation. Fr. Ghiloni asks that each household consider a gift of at least \$50 a month for the next 10 months or a one-time donation if that is your preference. Checks can be made out to St. Patrick Church – BAA. No gift is too small. Our parish goal is \$38,204.00 and each dollar raised over this amount comes back to us (diocesan tax free) for the remaining debt of the Parish Activity and Recreation Center (PARC).

“Corpus Christi” Thank You - During the course of our Celebration of Corpus Christi, we honored the Lord Jesus who is our Food and our Drink. Unknown to most of us who were there, the Lord Jesus in the guise of a poor man came to us for food and drink. We fed Him – as He feeds us. Thank you to all on behalf of the West Side Deanery for this 20th Celebration of Corpus Christi: Valerie Tanner and the Chancel Choir, St. Patrick Altar & Rosary Society, Knights of Columbus, Rick Snyder (canopy restoration), Jane Brock (floral), Michelle Horn and Phil Chin (photography), canopy bearers, greeters, banner carriers, servers, clergy of the deanery, and the London Police. A special thanks goes to all who kept a prayerful watch throughout the afternoon and those who served in quiet anonymity.



Community Supper – Desserts Needed – The next Community Supper will be held on Wednesday, June 28 from 4:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. in the parish center. The menu is

meatloaf, mashed potatoes, green beans and dessert. The Madison Senior Living Community and St. Patrick Church have partnered together to provide a warm, nutritious meal as a service to the community. There is a sign-up sheet in the connecting hallway if you would like to donate a dessert. Carry out is also available. You may call Melissa Watson at The Madison Senior Living Community at (740) 845-0145 by 2 p.m. on that day to place an order to go.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) – Sessions will continue on Monday, June 26 in the parish parlor from 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.



Blessing of the Animals

Everyone who has show animals at the Madison County Fair is encouraged to meet in Poultry Barn on Saturday, July 8 at 8:00 p.m. for an animal blessing. Participants and their animals will receive a blessing from Deacon Dan Hann and Deacon Joe Knapke, who serves at Ss. Simon & Jude Church in West Jefferson. The Madison County Fair is July 8 – 15.

Mass Etiquette - Please take a few moments to read this week's bulletin insert. It is always good to refresh ourselves on why we are here and the importance of the Mass.



Online Giving – Another easy way to manage your church giving is with Online Giving. You can manage your giving or give a one-time gift right from your phone. Search the App Stores

for Online Giving or go to OLGapp.com and register with our parish. Your support during summer months helps sustain our parish.

‘Protecting God’s Children’ Class - St. Patrick School, 226 Elm St., London will be offering a *Protecting God’s Children* Class on Saturday, August 12 starting promptly at 8:30 a.m. and ending at 11:30 a.m. Please pre-register online at www.virtus.org. There is no charge for the program. This is a diocesan requirement for all parish/school staff and all volunteers.

Welcome Table – The next Welcome Table dinner will be on Thursday, July 6 at St. Paul AME Church, 11 W. Center St. in London. There is a sign up sheet in the connecting hallway if you would like to make a food donation. Sloppy Joes will be provided and donations are requested for buns, green beans and desserts for 60 servings. Please take your donation to St. Paul AME Church between 4:45 pm and 5:00 pm. The dinner is served between 5 pm and 7 pm.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

PSR Catechists Needed – Our Parish School of Religion Program is in need of catechists for the next school year. Training is provided, as well as a teacher manual for weekly lessons. Please prayerfully consider helping our young students learn and live out their faith. Contact Maria Berryhill, DRE, by calling the parish office at (740) 852-0942.

ST. PATRICK SCHOOL NEWS

St. Patrick Early Learning Center is now enrolling for the 2017-2018 school year. Please call Polly Forde-Johnston at (740) 490-7429 for more information.

Cross Country Runners Needed - Boys & Girls in Grades 4 – 8 are needed for the Cross Country team. There is an opening for an assistant coach, as well. Contact Coach John Hackett at jphackett1975@aol.com for more information.

American Red Cross Blood Drive - Friday, July 14, 2:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. at St. Patrick School. To schedule an appointment, call (800) RED CROSS, or visit redcrossblood.org, sponsor code: StPat. Give the gift of life by donating blood to the American Red Cross.

COLUMBUS DIOCESE NEWS

Walking with Purpose Presents “Retreat & Refresh – A Day of Renewal for a Woman’s Soul” at Sts. Peter & Paul Retreat Center in Newark on Sunday, July 16 – Monday, July 17. Featured speaker is Elizabeth Ficocelli, author of “A Journey in Grace: My Conversion Story” and “St. Therese of Lisieux: Master of Love.” Options are \$75 overnight, semi-private room including breakfast and lunch, \$95 overnight private room including breakfast and lunch or \$50 Day Retreat including breakfast and lunch. Please RSVP by July 3 to Glenda Reynolds (740) 974-7568 or email g.reynolds15@yahoo.com.

ENTHUSIASM AND GRAMMAR

There is a good reason that the writings of St. Paul don't show up as examples in grammar textbooks. Today's reading is a case in point. It begins with one of those long Pauline run-on sentences that leave lecturers gasping for breath. So what? Take a closer look at how Paul's fervor for his subject matter details the grammar. There is something admirable about being so caught up in his convictions that the words cannot come fast enough to express them, much less in an orderly fashion. Scripture scholars usually take this grammatical ineptness as a sign of a passage's early importance in the Christian community, something they were so ardent about that their language never got refined. What leaves us in this condition? Re-telling the plot line of an action movie or the play-by-play of a sporting event? When was the last time any of us were so excited by our faith in Christ that we were left grasping for words, stumbling over our own errors in speech? It may be bad grammar, but it is an excellent way to inspire others with the message of Christ!