

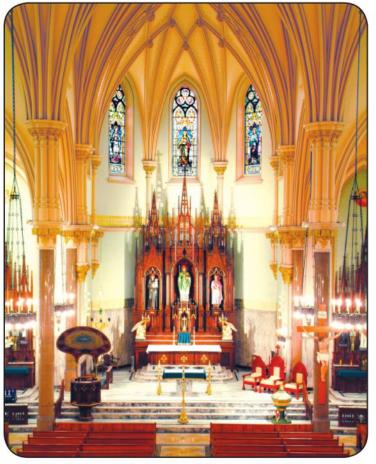
6TH SUNDAY IN

ORDINARY TIME

A leper came to him and kneeling down begged him and said, "If you wish, you can make me clean."

Mk 1:40

The Historic Church of Saint Patrick



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EUCHARISTIC LITURGIES

Saturday4:00 pm @ ICSunday10:00 am @ HSPSunday11:00 am @ ICTuesday5:00 pm @ HSP (Rosary Prayer Service)Tuesday9:00 am @ ICWednesday5:30 pm @ HSPALL ARE WELCOME!A MEMBER OF SAINT TERESA OF CALCUTTA DEANERY

PARISH STAFF FOR HSP

Business Manager:	Trish Shaffer
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	Dave Meegan

Dear People of God,

Ah, love is in the air, or perhaps Cupid attempting to make the most of St. Valentine's Day with his quiver of arrows! On the other hand, this Wednesday is Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent. We might not think of Lent as a loving season or make a connection to the festivities more normally associated with St. Valentine. I saw him once on a trip to Europe: he's a skeleton but one with each bone tenderly wrapped in gold foil. Of course I took a photo, but with electronic storage of pictures these days, who knows where it is. Picture location aside, let's return to considering Lent as a time for honing our skills at love.

The Great Command, first promulgated by God in the Old Testament's Pentateuch, reminds us to "love God with all your heart, all your soul, all your mind and with all your strength, and love your neighbor as you love yourself." The forty days of Lent, which lead to the great celebration of God's love for us, can be a period useful for sharpening the love we have for ourselves, our neighbors and God. If we genuinely make use of the so-called "Lenten practices" to look interiorly and find the areas of our life which need to be developed as either loving or lovable, we can make these days highly productive. Let's look at the practice of good works. What good do we need to do for ourselves so that we can improve our self-esteem and a healthy sense of worth. The Church provides any number of Ministries which can lend a hand in that area, from volunteering at the food pantry to lectoring to sitting at the phone to keep in touch with those who are fearful of coming to Church because of the pandemic. Our personal physician has probably given all of us some good ideas for improving our physical health and which then do wonders for our self image to say nothing of our stamina, appearance and overall goodness. Most of us could profit in the lovability department by taking time to take time. We live in such a fast-paced culture that we often find ourselves wishing we could slow down so slow down, don't just wish. Find a quiet corner and tune in to FORMED, join one of the sessions being sponsored by St. Pat's or some other parish, read a good biography of one of the more recent saints.

Improving our own outlook on life will do wonders for the way we treat and think of others, enhancing our capacity to actually live the Great Command. Give it a try and make Lent a season of love and wonder rather than a dour time of recrimination. It'll make what comes next even more glorious when the bells of Easter ring out.

Fr. Chris



The Celebration of Sacraments

Infant Baptism: The Sacrament of Baptism is regularly celebrated on Sunday during or after the Eucharistic Liturgy. Registered parishioners are asked to arrange for the Baptismal Preparation Class and the Liturgical Celebration by calling the Parish Office.

<u>Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults</u>: RCIA is the process of growing in your faith and love of God. Weekly gatherings take place from September until Easter. If you are interested in learning about Catholicism and joining us please call Deacon Tom at the rectory.

Penance: The Sacrament of Penance is celebrated at 3:30 p.m. on Saturday at IC, 9:30 a.m. at HSP and 10:30 a.m. IC every Sunday or by appointment.

Matrimony: Anyone planning to be married must contact the parish at least six months in advance. The exact date and time of your wedding should not be determined until after consultation with a priest or deacon. If either party has previously been civilly or religiously married, the Presider is not permitted to set a date for the wedding without resolving the previous marriage.

Pastoral Care of the Sick: When a parishioner is admitted to the hospital, nursing home, or confined to home because of age or infirmity, please call the Parish Office. Parishioners are ready to visit and to bring Holy Communion. When one is seriously ill, the healing Presence of the Lord should be requested in the Sacrament of the Sick.

In the event that you are in need of a priest or deacon and there is no one in the office: Please try the emergency number at 419-243-6031 or call Deacon Tom on his cell phone at 419-984-0082 and leave a message with your phone number and he will return your call as soon as possible.

Welcome Visitors



We would like to welcome our visitors to Historic St. Patrick. If you are interested in becoming a parishioner, please call the parish office at 419-243-6452 <u>or fill out the</u> <u>registration forms in the back of church or</u> <u>on the web-site and return to the parish</u> <u>office</u>.

Historic St. Patrick

Finance Council Doug Bohl Jim Shrader Jeff Stephens Bill Malone Linda Jennings John Bachey

Pastoral Council Elaine Hoffman Pat Thompson Martha Farrell John Adler Amy Coronado Jean Boeding Nancy Rank Kathy Thompson Karen Hallett Joe Pinciotti



_(Tear Line) _

We continue to update/add to our parish e-mail list to help keep parishioners updated on parish events. Several of the e-mails we have are no longer valid. If you are not receiving parish e-mails and would like to, fill in the information below and put it in the offering basket or you can e-mail it to sherri@stpatshistoric.org.

Name

E-mail



<u>WELCOME TO</u>

HISTORIC CHURCH OF ST. PATRICK



HAPPY BIRTHDAY—HSP

- Feb 14 Cheryl Stevens
- Feb 14 Steve Skiver Feb 14 Michelle Portteus
- Feb 14 Michelle Portlet Feb 14 Patricia Tavlor
- Feb 14 Patricia Taylor Feb 15 Sandra Kalosis
- Feb 15 Sandra Kalosis Feb 15 Kathleen Bohl-Clifford
- Feb 15 Katnieen Boni-Clifford
- Feb 16 Lynne Philibin
- Feb 16 Brent Rice
- Feb 16 Elizabeth Desmond
- Feb 16 Paige Kelley
- Feb 17 Deacon Tom Carone
- Feb 17 James Croak
- Feb 17 Elissa Duck
- Feb 17 Elissa Duck
- Feb 17 Marlene Meyers
- Feb 17 Mallory Gilmore
- Feb 18 JoAnn Degnan
- Feb 18 Carol Clark
- Feb 18 Marshall Desmond
- Feb 18 Ben Albert
- Feb 19 John Malkoski
- Feb 19 Kathy Striggow
- Feb 19 Maureen Johnson
- Feb 19 Erinn Riley
- Feb 19 Isabella Mazur
- Feb 20 Jason Wampler



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY—HSPFeb 15 Timothy & Debra Kitzmiller41 yrsFeb 15 Roger & Marie Kerner30 yrs



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PRAYER IS ANSWERED-HSP

Rose Mary Fleitz, Kristme Grenda, Carol Erford, Sr. Janelle Brittain, Sue Fix, John Best, Charlotte Best, Zoellen Murphy, Jim Jensen, Carolyn Meehan, Emily Miller, Helen Alice Jackson, Lee Ann Urbach, Brett Urbach, Deacon Dave Smith, Shelby, Nancy Miller-Semetko, James Mack III, Msgr. Chris, Betty Sherman, Cathy Price, Madonna Pauken, Ralph Smith, Marty J. Brogan, Tom & Teri Wagner, Don Czerniak, Tim Dotson, Bob & Betty Hutson, Andrew Weiser, Shauna & Grace, Jan Jackson, Colleen McGuire, Doug Leestma, Raymond Rolak, Sherry Wilcox, Noah Ashner, Josephine Gartee, Susan Cairl, James Mitchell, Scott Cousino, Steve Woods, Jerome LaScola, Patty Cunningham, Barbara King, Sue Smith, Sara & Family, Josephine Gartee, Chris Hensien, John, Andrew Vallejo, Nicholas Clover, Melissa Meyers, Patricia Grondin, Anne Fahle, Jerome Williams, Wyatt Shepherd, Angela Myers, Liz Weizer, Sam & Rose Fleitz, James Kovach, Michael Moran, Sam Marsico, Jessica Straube, Maurice "Moose" Boeding, Linda Panyuscsik, Judy Henry, Christopher Powell, Mark Mackowiak, Zachary Davidson/D. Dave's Grandson, Charles Swoboda, Estella Nino, Ellie Ziegler, Renee Robinson, Betty Frey, Laurie St. John, Steve Kwiatkowski, Kathy Eschenburg, Thelma Lanz, Marian Lowe, Steven Czerniak, Kristin Salazar, Rita Winand, Mary Lou Batanian, Gary Lilje, Ken & Emily, Lindsay, Carol Isabell, Megan Batanian, Matt Rohrs, James Smith, Susan Ludlum, Evie Day, Julie, Nathan Koontz, Lori (Borgerson) Zaro, Frank Ankney, Joann Degnan, Sarah Rodgers, Bob Zoski, Linda, Pegy, Beth, Carol Sheets, Lupe Garcia, Kitty Burns, Liam Stacey, Cheryl Harwick, Angela Lemble, Madison Sims,

David Hufford, Richard Helsenbeck, Jace Stockwell, Joan Wiley, Claire Sydlaske, Chuck Hall, Christine Ludlum, Molly Bergin, Laurie Yeager Please inform the pastoral staff of those in our parish family needing our prayers. Our Hospital Ministry Team

Please inform the pastoral staff of those in our parish family needing our prayers. Our Hospital Ministry Team is available to visit and distribute communion.

Please pray for the men and women in military service.

Due to a potential threat to families of those in military service resulting from the members' names being publicized through the Internet, we no longer publish the names of men and women in military service. We encourage you to continue to pray for them and to remember all our troops in a special way on Fridays by praying a Rosary for those serving in the military.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT—HSP February 7, 2021

		Last Week	Y	<u>ear to Date</u>
Goal	\$	5,769.23	\$	184,615.36
Actual	\$	4,597.27	\$	160,224.78
Elect. Fund Transfer	\$	95.00	\$	8,905.00
Over/(Under)	(\$	1,076.96)	(\$	15,485.82)
Preservation	\$	192.00	\$	2,131.00
Candles	\$	93.50		
Flowers	\$	2.00		
Initial Offering	\$	14.00	\$	35.00
Door Campaign	\$	12.00	\$	6,168.00

Thank You!

OUTREACH FAMILIES-HSP

This Week

This Month July 1, 2020— June 30, 2021

Food Pantry—We continue to serve those in need in the community!

Soup Kitchen—Number of Plates Served—Continuing to serve sandwiches to the community!

Outreach Income:	<u>Last Week</u> \$ 322.00	Year to Date \$ 4,038.00
	Thank You!	



HISTORIC CHURCH OF ST. PATRICK SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Liturgical Ministry Update With the changes required by the Diocese of Toledo, the role of Liturgical Ministers will be different at our Masses for a while. Eucharistic Ministers will not be utilized as Communion will only be the Body of Christ and distributed by the priest and deacon. We will not have a choir, there will be no acolytes and no hospitality after Mass. There are still ways to answer God's call to ministry, though. Please consider trying a new role at Mass. Once we have the names of the people willing to participate, a new schedule will be created and mailed. Look forward to seeing you! Msgr. Chris Liturgical Ministers during COVID-19 Lector - We still need proclaimers of the Word at both the 8 a.m. Mass and 10 a.m. Mass on Sunday mornings. We will happily train anyone interested in serving as lectors who have not read at Mass before. What to know: Lectors must be age 65 or younger to be on the altar, or willing to sign a waiver Lectors may read both readings and the stanzas of the psalm If there are two lectors for Mass, there will be six feet of separation between the seats for proper social distancing Lectors will receive Holy Communion on the altar Ushers - We need ushers to help dismiss parishioners at the end of Mass to receive Holy Communion before exiting the church. We will provide training for anyone new to the role of usher at HSP. What to know: All ushers must wear masks How to sign up - Call Sherri in the Parish Office at 419.243.6452, or talk to Pat Thompson, Mary Kay McPartlin or Martha Farrell after Mass



The Historic Church of St. Patrick's

Happenings at the Parish!

Whenever a county/City within the Diocese of Toledo is placed under a *Level 3 Snow Emergency*

during which all roadways are closed to non-emergency personnel, the Catholic Churches within that geographic region will cancel the scheduled Saturday Vigil, Sunday, or Holy Day Masses. Roman Catholics in that region, therefore, are dispensed from the obligation to attend Mass. If Masses are cancelled, Catholics are encouraged to participate in Holy Mass via television, radio, or internet, making a spiritual Communion. When Mass is cancelled, all other diocesan, parish, or

school events in that geographic region are also cancelled.



Sunday Mass @ St. Pat's

We have added a Mass at Historic St. Patrick's for the vulnerable.



<u>Sundays – 8:00 a.m.</u> (no music)

All are welcome to join us!

<u>We will continue to</u> <u>Live-stream Mass on our</u> <u>Facebook page.</u>

<u>Every Sunday at 10:00 a.m.</u> and Wednesday at 5:30 pm



Ash Wednesday Services

February 17

7:00 am Prayer Service w/ Distribution of Ashes @ St. Pats

9:00 am Mass w/ Distribution of Ashes @ Immaculate

12 Noon Prayer Service w/ Distribution of Ashes @ St. Pats

5:30 pm Mass w/Distribution of Ashes @ Immaculate

5:30 pm Mass w/Distribution of Ashes @ St. Pats

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Today is World Marriage Day Sunday, February 14

The observances of National Marriage Week (Feb. 7-14) and World Marriage Day (Sunday, Feb. 14) are an opportunity to focus on building a culture of life and love that begins with supporting and promoting marriage and the family.

The theme for 2021 is "To Have, To Hold, To Honor."

Fr. Rudi will have all married couples stand for a prayer. In celebration you will be given a carnation as you exit. Health News from the Parish Nurse for February 14, 2021 My Mental Health - Do I have severe symptoms that have lasted 2 weeks or more?

- Difficulty sleeping
- Appetite changes that result in unwanted weight changes
- Struggling to get out of bed in the morning because of mood
- Difficulty concentrating
- Loss of interest in things you usually find enjoyable
- Unable to perform usual daily functions and responsibilities
- Thoughts of death or self-harm

If so, seek professional help.

- Psychotherapy (talk therapy) virtual of in person; individual, group, or family
- Medications
- Brain stimulation therapies
- For help finding treatment, visit

www.nimh.nih.gov/find help.

Kathy Jeffery, RN, 419-242-1598

Join us for a Lenten Study through Zoom

When: Wednesdays, 7:00-8:30 Place: Zoom Dates: February 17-



March 17, 2021 Contact: Martha at <u>mar-</u>

tha.farrell15@gmail.com

This is the same study we started last Lent but discontinued due to the pandemic. We will start our study from the beginning.

Workbook Cost: \$6.00

Stations of the Cross Every Friday (during Lent/starting Friday February 19)

> <u>12:00 pm @ HSP</u> Stations of the Cross <u>2:30 pm @ IC</u> Stations of the Cross

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Parish/Community Activities!



To the Parishioners of St. Patrick's

Just a reminder if you are continuing to join us for Mass on Face-book live streaming on Sundays and Wednesdays *you can drop off your offering envelope at the Parish Office or mail it to St. Patrick's, 130 Avondale, Toledo, OH 43604*.

You can also access **on-line donations on the front page of our web-site** by clicking the "DONATE" button and you will be directed to the safe, secure, online

PayPal portal where you can make your contribution via credit card or PayPal account.

You **DO NOT NÉED** a PayPal account to make your contribution. Thank you!



ImmaCulate Conception has

postponed the Reverse Raffle that is normally held in March. In the meantime, we are happy to announce our latest fundraising event. <u>We will hold a</u>

raffle with the grand prize of an Element®50" Smart TV with a second prize of \$250 cash! Tickets will be \$5.00 each or 5 for \$20. The drawing will be held on Thursday March 11, 2021. There will be tickets available after the 8am mass and before and after the 10 am mass on Sunday,

February 14 or you can call the IC office at 419-243-1829.



Thank you for your support!

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Muffins with Monsignor

Join us as we discuss the book, <u>The Search</u>, our HSP Christmas gift!



When: Sunday, February 28 after 10:00 am MassWhere: In the pews of The Historic Church of St. Patrick

Enjoy a great discussion on <u>The Search</u> with Monsignor in a socially distant, but warm and friendly format. Muffins will be available for munching!

Little Black Books



Lent is here!

Please pick up your "Little Black Book" in the back of church today. This is a great way to provide time for your Lenten reflection.

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