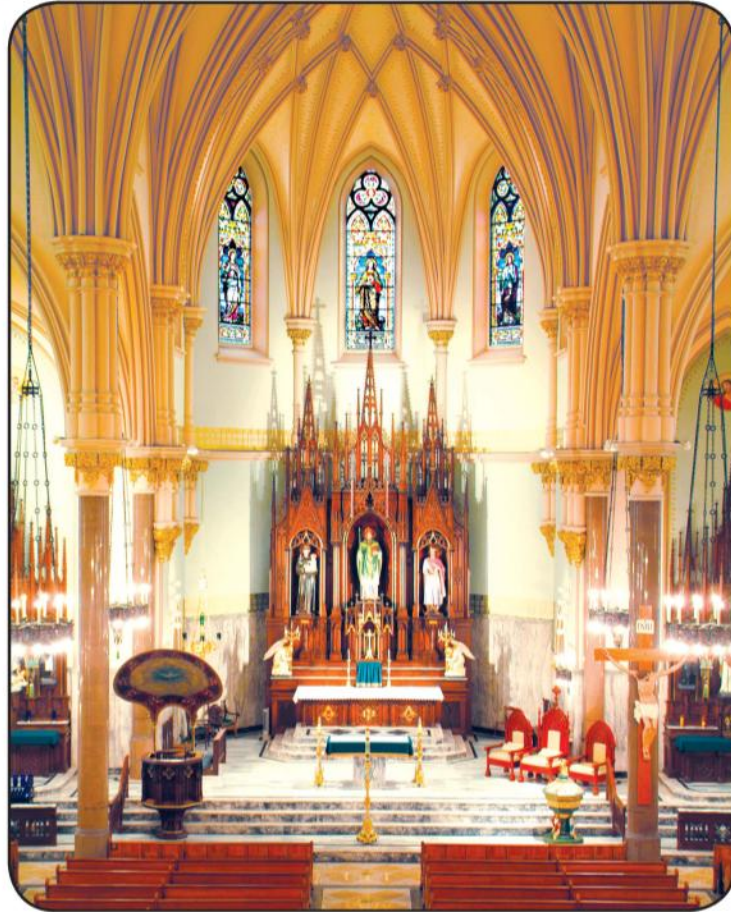


Christ The Good Shepherd

I am the good shepherd.
A good shepherd lays down
his life for the sheep.

John 10:11

The Historic Church of Saint Patrick



Dear People of God

As part of my responsibility to steward wisely the goods of the Church entrusted to my care as Pastor, I recently inspected the FORMED access records for the parishes of Immaculate Conception and the Historic Church of St. Patrick. There are weekly inserts and postings on the Facebook pages which describe some of the worthwhile programming and I was curious to find out how well parishioners are responding to the generous gift of an anonymous donor who underwrote membership. I was truly disappointed to discover that the investment made by a very generous supporter of the diocese so that everyone could have access to FORMED is being given very short shrift by the parishioners. Only 96 households have taken a look (and hopefully are making generous use of the gift they received from that donor by using FORMED regularly).

There are 219 households at Immaculate Conception and 560 at Historic for a total of 779. If I were to poll the parishioners asking whether they used Facebook, Disney Streaming, Netflix, ESPN App, HULU, Roku or any of many other streaming services, would I find these same dismal numbers? I rather doubt it. 96 households making use of the platform is a sad way to say thank you to someone who thought enough of the people of the parishes to make the subscription for FORMED available.

What is more disappointing is the lack of interest in enhancing knowledge of the Church, faith and Scripture. Some years ago the diocese was forced to close fifteen parishes and while no parish is currently slated for closing, we might ask why those parishes were no longer considered viable, especially since a couple of them were sitting on rather large bank deposits (which were passed on to the territorial parishes which took over the territory of the closed parish).

I recall what now seems like a thousand years ago sitting with the Planning Committee and the parish representatives of the Lima Deanery going over the criteria which would be considered in closing a parish. Viability was considered as a parish which was actively involved in the work of the Church (doing things other than going to Mass) and with a median age which promised longevity and growth.

Can we say we're involved in the larger sense of the Church's work if we fail to make use of the tools being provided by the diocese and its generous donors? FORMED invigorates the faith and opens the mind to the potential for new ways to spread the Good News. The platform broadens one's sense of the world in which the Church attempts to share the salvation won for us by Jesus on the Cross. FORMED provides knowledge which inspires us to become involved in the active life of the parish, leading to enhanced volunteerism and witness which then brings in new members to assure longevity. Exploring the varied programming available offers an exciting and satisfying way to feel part of the community.

If you have a smart phone, a tablet, a computer, a smart TV or a television equipped with a wifi adapter, you can get on FORMED. You can find the login information for FORMED as a bulletin insert and in the announcement section of the bulletin. Please say thank you to the donor who paid for your access by using the platform.

Msgr. 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.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults: 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 or fill out the registration forms in the back of church or on the web-site and return to the parish office.

Historic St. Patrick

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Jean Boeding
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Kathy Thompson
Karen Hallett
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CALENDAR April 24, 2021—May 2, 2021



<u>Sat</u>	4:00 pm	Immaculate Conception Mass/Fr. Rudi
<u>Sun</u>	<u>8:00 am</u>	<u>St. Patrick's Mass/for the Vulnerable (no music)/Msgr. Chris/ Jeff Gralak</u>
	9:30 am	St. Patrick's Rosary & Confessions
	10:00 am	St. Patrick's Sunday Mass/Fr. Rudi
	Intention	(also Streamed on Parish Facebook Page) Deceased Members of the Hugh & Anna Callahan Family
	10:30 am	Immaculate Conception Confessions
	11:00 am	Immaculate Conception Sunday Mass/ Msgr. Chris
<u>Tues</u>	9:00 am	Immaculate Conception Mass
<u>Wed</u>	5:30 pm	St. Patrick's Mass/Msgr. Chris
	Intention	(Also Streamed on Parish Facebook Page) St. Patrick's Parishioners
	7:00—8:30 pm	Bible Study via Zoom

<u>Sat</u>	9:30 am	Yoga @ St. Patrick's
	4:00 pm	Immaculate Conception Mass/Msgr. Chris
<u>Sun</u>		Food Pantry Sunday
	<u>8:00 am</u>	<u>St. Patrick's Mass/for the Vulnerable (no music)/Msgr. Chris/ Jeff Gralak</u>
	9:30 am	St. Patrick's Rosary & Confessions
	10:00 am	St. Patrick's Sunday Mass/Msgr. Chris
	Intention	(Also Streamed on Parish Facebook Page) Florence Minor Barbara Rudnicki Jodi Jordan Allen
	During Mass	Baptism/Lennox Reno-Schreuder/ Mgr. Chris
	After Mass	May Crowning Rehearsal
	After Mass	Flower Urn Planting (weather permit.)
	10:30 am	Immaculate Conception Confessions
	11:00 am	Immaculate Conception Sunday Mass/ Fr. Rudi



(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 _____



WELCOME TO HISTORIC CHURCH OF ST. PATRICK



HAPPY BIRTHDAY—HSP

Apr 25 Carmen Hicks-Boyd
 Apr 25 Jennifer Cromly
 Apr 25 Andrew Smith
 Apr 26 Patrick Pacella
 Apr 26 Kathleen Taylor
 Apr 26 Susan Kolinski
 Apr 26 Erin Momeniee
 Apr 26 Natalie Morgan
 Apr 27 Ann Figmaka
 Apr 27 Tami Gilmore
 Apr 27 Greg Bensch
 Apr 27 Kristen Marciniak
 Apr 28 Matthew Alexander
 Apr 28 Jon Henderson
 Apr 28 Jon Marker
 Apr 29 Tom Hogrefe
 Apr 29 Ava Dustin
 Apr 29 Pam Mohler
 Apr 29 Jacquelyn Little
 Apr 29 Jacob Businger
 Apr 30 Luann Fell
 Apr 30 Nanette Kochan
 Apr 30 Jacob Walsh
 Apr 30 Gwendolyn Brassell
 May 1 Mark Glenn



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY—HSP

Apr 25 Robert & Mary Ann Michel 29 yrs
 Apr 26 Douglas & Cathleen Leaser 53 yrs
 Apr 28 Rick & Mary Jazwiecki 43 yrs
 Apr 28 Rick & Susan O'Connor 26 yrs
 Apr 30 Ron & Sarah Liwo 16 yrs
 May 1 Brett & Gale Mentzer 39 yrs
 May 1 Tim & Debbie Bohland 22 yrs



PRAYER IS ANSWERED—HSP

Pat Tansey, Rod McCarthy, Pat Cheney, Kelly Mitchell, Rose Mary Fleitz, Carol Erford, Sr.
 Janelle Brittain, John Best, Charlotte Best, Jim Jensen, 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, Peggy, Beth, Carol Sheets,
 Lupe Garcia, Kitty Burns, Liam Stacey, Cheryl Harwick, Angela Lemble, Madison
 Sims, David Hufford, Richard Helsenbeck, Jace Stockwell, Joan Wiley, 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 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

April 18, 2021

	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
Goal	\$ 5,769.23	\$ 242,307.66
Actual	\$ 3,371.62	\$ 230,179.26
Elect. Fund Transfer	\$ 95.00	\$ 12,140.00
Over/(Under)	(\$ 2,302.61)	\$ 11.60
Preservation	\$ 185.00	\$ 2,985.00
Candles	\$ 52.50	
Altar Flowers	\$ 20.00	
Mother's Day Flowers	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00
Easter	\$ 170.00	\$ 5,977.06
Door Campaign	\$ 25.00	\$ 6,702.00

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!

<u>Outreach Income:</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
	\$ 78.00	\$ 11,493.50

Thank You!



HISTORIC CHURCH OF ST. PATRICK

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



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

LITURGICAL MUSIC FOR TODAY'S MASS



We will be distributing music sheets each week



ALTAR FLOWERS

Apr	25	Available
May	2	Available
May	9	Available
May	16	Available



SANCTUARY LAMP

Apr	25	Available
May	2	Available
May	9	Available
May	16	Available



St. Patrick's Food Pantry

We could use:

TOOTHPASTE, SHAMPOO, TOILET PAPER, BAR SOAP, CEREAL, AND CANNED FRUIT

Canned Meals, Tuna, Noodles, Mac and Cheese, Cream Soups, Ramen Noodles, Peanut Butter. Food may be dropped off at anytime. Thank you!



The HSP Soup Kitchen

Our Soup Kitchen is located at the LMHA Building at the foot of the hill in front of church. We provide meals and clothing to our community in need every Sunday from 11:00 am—1:00 pm. If you are interested in helping serve meals or hand out clothing please call the parish office.



The Historic Church of St. Patrick's

Happenings at the Parish!



12th Annual Blue Mass

Our Twelfth Annual
Blue Mass honoring
Law Enforcement Officers

Sunday, May 16, 2021

Historic Church of Saint Patrick
at 10:00 am.

All are Welcome!



We hope you've been enjoying the thousands of Catholic studies, movies, cartoons, audio dramas, ebooks, and talks on Formed.org.

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"Cinco De Mayo on the Deck" with Monsignor

Come and join the fun!
Pints with the Pastor is staying home
on the deck in May

We will be gathering at the rectory
after 5:30 mass on May 5th

Food is being provided
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Space is limited

Make your reservation today!

Reserve your place by contacting

Jeanne Kanary

after 10:00 mass, by email:

jmkanary@hotmail.com

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leave a message.



Sunday Mass @ St. Pat's

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

Sundays – 8:00 a.m.
(no music)

All are welcome to join us!

We will continue to
Live-stream Mass on our
Facebook page.

Every Sunday at 10:00 a.m.
and Wednesday at 5:30 pm



Kroger Rewards Program

It is time to Re-enroll in Kroger Community rewards for the coming year. Parish/family members may re-enroll at

www.krogercommunityrewards.com
starting May 1. **Select Historic St. Patrick or #84246.**

Your re-enrollment will help ensure Historic St. Patrick's receives the greatest rewards possible. Kroger reward dollars go to the HSP Outreach.

Central Catholic High School Open House

Central Catholic will hold an Open House on Thursday, May 6 from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. in the Sullivan Center. We invite families with 7th and 8th grade students to visit and see firsthand the many great things that make Central Catholic the best high school choice!

In order to safely accommodate visitors, we ask that you please sign up for the Open House by visiting www.centralcatholic.org and clicking on the Open House sign-up link. Call 419-255-2280 for more information.

Food Pantry Sunday

Sunday, May 2



The large brown bins will be in back of church for your convenience.



Mark your Calendar!

Parish Potluck

at the
Gralak's Farm
Sunday, May 23
More information to come!

The Historic Church of St. Patrick's

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 NEED*** a PayPal account to make your contribution. Thank you!

How are Passover and the Eucharist linked?

Notes from Presence: The Mystery of the Eucharist on Formed.Org



- Jesus is the Lamb of God who is sacrificed so that we may be freed from slavery to sin.
- The flesh of the Passover lamb was to be eaten as a part of the Passover sacrifice.
- The Flesh and Blood of Jesus is to be eaten in the Eucharistic sacrifice.
- The Passover sacrifice involved the sprinkling of the blood of the Passover lamb on the wood of the mantle.
- The Blood of Jesus is shed on the wood of the cross.
- God commanded that the Passover be perpetually celebrated as a memorial of Israel's deliverance from slavery as the center of the Old Covenant.
- Jesus commanded that the New Passover be perpetually celebrated in the sacrifice of the Mass as the center of the New Covenant.



MAY 1

YOGA OF GIVING

9:00 A.M.

HISTORIC CHURCH OF ST. PATRICK
(OUTSIDE-WEATHER PERMITTING)

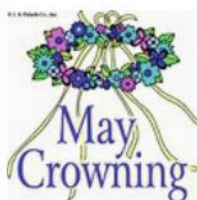
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May Crowning



May Crowning will be held on Mother's Day, Sunday, May 9th. All girls ages 5-10 are welcome to participate in the honor guard.

Please meet with Michelle Zuelke and Jen Czyzewski in front of the Blessed Virgin's altar for a short practice after Mass on Sunday, May 2.

Planting of the Flower Urns here at HSP!



Are you interested in sponsoring one of the flower urns in front of church? This means that you would be able to create and pot your own flowers. HSP will provide the pots and soil. If you are interested please **sign-up in the back of church starting Sunday, April 11.**

This year we would like to invite those of you who sign up to come on **Sunday, May 9th after Mass to do the planting together in one day (weather permitting).**

Diocese of Toledo Prayer for Vocations

Almighty God, make me an instrument to encourage others to give of themselves and challenge me to do the same. Inspire men and women to respond generously to your call to service and leadership in your church as priests, consecrated religious and deacons. Amen
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