



Holy Smokes Bourben Tasting

Thursday, September 22 | 6pm

The Historic Church of St. Patrick 130 Avondale Ave. Toledo

Cigars on the deck & heavy appetizers \$40 per person

Call 419-243-6452 | RSVP limit 30 guests



Date: Friday,September 23, 2022 Time: Doors open at 6 pm

Big 6 Wheel will be running!

Race starts at 7 pm

Place: American Legion

206 S. Byrne Road Toledo, OH 43615

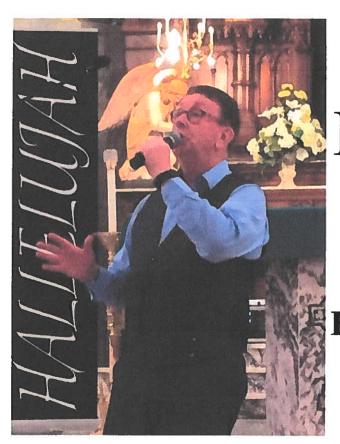
Cost: \$35, includes food & drinks

*Additional cost to bet on a horse

GET YOUR TICKETS TODAY!

See the ticket seller at the back of the Church after Mass or contact the office (419)243-1829.





September 25, 2022

Father Ray Kelly
The Irish Singing
Priest
Live Concert at the
Historic Church of St. Patrick
130 Avondale Toledo, Ohio

Tickets are \$15

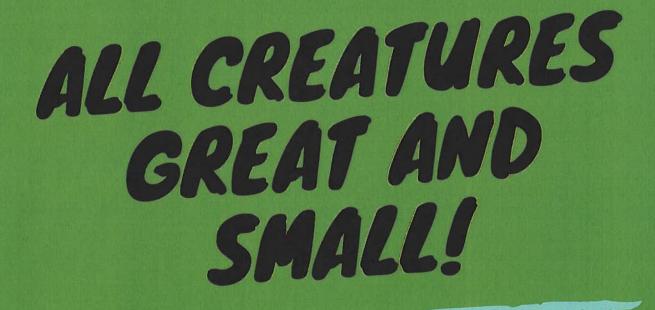
Make your check out to St. Patrick's Historic Church

Mail to:

or

Maury Collins 2847 Nash Road Toledo, Ohio 43613 419 699-6710 St. Patrick's Historic 130 Avondale Toledo, Ohio 43604 419 243-6452

Benefit to Deacon Tom's Outreach program



BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS
OCTOBER 2 AT 2:00
HISTORIC CHURCH OF ST. PATRICK
130 AVONDALE

Please be sure pets are leashed or in carriers,

The Evangelization Committee Presents

Historic Church of Saint Patrick

PARISH PICNIC

Sunday
October 9th
After Mass - 2:00PM

Rain or shine, please join us for food and fellowship at

MIDDLEGROUNDS METRO PARK

111 Ottawa Street, Toledo, OH 43604

Hot dogs, paper products, and water provided.
BYOB and a dish to share by last name.

A-I: Side Dish

J-R: Salad

S-Z: Dessert

Please sign up at the back of church.

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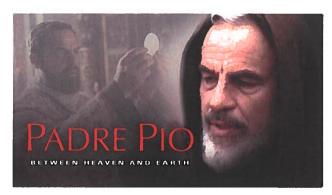
PICK OF THE WEEK

Sept 18, 2022

WATCH

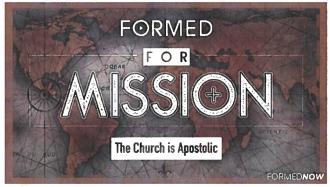
PADRE PIO: BETWEEN HEAVEN AND EARTH

Based on the historical records and the personal testimony of his fellow friars, this is the amazing true story of the life of the famous stigmatic monk, St. Padre Pio, a contemporary saint who died in 1968. Filmed on location in Italy, starring Michele Placido in a moving performance, this film tells the whole story of the beloved monk from San Giovanni Rotondo, a place where millions of pilgrims now annually visit Padre Pio's grave.



LEARN

FORMED FOR MISSION EPISODE 20: AN APOSTOLIC SPIRITUALITY

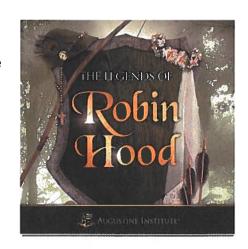


Dr. Ben Akers and Taylor Kemp sit down for a weekly show on evangelization and mission. "Evangelizing is in fact the grace and vocation proper to the Church, her deepest identity. She exists in order to evangelize" (EN, 14). We pray that these discussions may help all the faithful be further conformed to Christ and become powerful evangelists in the world today.

LISTEN

THE LEGENDS OF ROBIN HOOD AUDIO DRAMA

The child of a reputable family and a faithful son of the Church, Robert of Locksley had no intention of becoming an outlaw. But the relentless cruelty and tyranny by the elite nobility of England demanded that someone rise up to give answer. And so Robert of Locksley became Robin Hood — a man thrown into a fierce struggle to balance his deep faith with a call to action in a violent age.



Diocese of Toledo 2022 Perpetuate The Gift Appeal Frequently Asked Questions

What is "Perpetuate The Gift"?

Perpetuate The Gift is simply the annual appeal that supports our Diocesan Priests' Retirement Fund. It signifies the beautifully unending and total commitment of our priests to our spiritual salvation, and our contribution to their retirement.

How many retired Priests do we currently have?

All diocesan priests who are eligible to receive retirement benefits in accordance with the Priest Retirement Plan. We currently have over 60 retired priests and 80 active priests whose average age is 50 years old. There are many priests who are either retired or approaching retirement age than those who are in the first half of their careers.

Who oversees the Priests' Retirement Fund?

The fund is overseen by the Priests' Retirement Fund Board, which is a subcommittee of the Finance Council of the Diocese of Toledo. The Board is composed of priest representatives, both active and retired, professionals in the actuarial fields and plan administration. The plan administration and actuarial professionals are present at all board meetings.

How are the funds invested?

The funds are invested with professional fund managers in socially responsible investments, as defined by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB). Oversight is provided by the custodian, Priests' Retirement Board, Diocesan Investment Committee and Diocesan Finance Council.

Don't we already support the retired priests through the Collection for Retired Religious?

No, the *National Collection for Retired Religious* does not benefit our diocesan priests. The funds for the *National Collection for Retired Religious* support priests, brothers and sisters of the various religious orders and communities throughout the United States.

Doesn't the parish already make a contribution to the Priests' Retirement Fund?

Yes, each parish has always provided support for the Priest Retirement Fund. But please remember, all contributions to the *Perpetuate the Gift* appeal between September 17, 2022 and December 31, 2022 will reduce—dollar-for-dollar—the amount the parish needs to contribute to the fund via the annual Priest Retirement Assessment.

What are the typical living expenses for a retired priest?

When a priest retires, his living expenses actually increase. A retired priest is responsible for his personal expense such as food, clothing, car, housing and utility costs, and medical expenses. While a priest is active, his housing and food expenses are paid by the parish, school, or diocesan institution to which he is assigned. When he retires, he must provide for his own housing needs.

It is important to know that many of our priests designate the Priests' Retirement Fund as a beneficiary of their estate.

What is a typical retirement income for a retired priest?

The income for a retired priest is generally derived from three sources: Priests' Retirement Fund pension, Social Security payments, and personal savings. While most individuals split their FICA tax with their employer 50/50, diocesan priests are considered self-employed by the IRS, so each priest pays the entire 15.3% FICA tax out of his own salary.

How can I make a gift?

A gift of cash or check can be placed in your parish collection or sent to:

Perpetuate The Gift PO Box 954 Toledo, OH 43697

Online gifts by credit card or direct debit can be made at <u>www.toledodiocese.org</u>. Click on *Give* and select *Perpetuate the Gift* in the drop down box.

To make a gift of stock, please contact the Office of Mission Advancement at 419.244.6711.

If you are interested in designating a bequest to the *Perpetuate the Gift*, please contact the Office of Mission Advancement at 419.244.6711.