

The Historic Church of Saint Patrick

Paróiste Ceann Scribe Toledo
Irish Destination Parish in Toledo



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“Pastoral Emergencies Only 419-243-6031”

EUCCHARISTIC LITURGIES

Saturday 4:00 pm @ IC
Sunday 8:00 am @ HSP
Sunday 10:00 am @ HSP (Live Streamed)
Sunday 11:00 am @ IC
Tuesday 9:00 am @ IC
Wednesday 5:30 pm @ HSP (Live Streamed)

ALL ARE WELCOME!

A MEMBER OF SAINT TERESA OF CALCUTTA DEANERY

PARISH STAFF FOR HSP

Business Manager Trish Shaffer
Administrative Assistant/Wedding Coordinator:
..... Sherri Gaudet
Parish Musician: Eric Hite
Choir Director: Jeff Weiser
Maintenance: Rusty Belcher
Custodian: John Williams
..... Charlene Leestma
DeSales Outreach Center: Sherri Gaudet
Sacristan: Rosalie Mills
Usher Captains: Bob Wuest
..... Dave Meegan

Dear People of God,

As I've been working on the topic of low Mass attendance, someone who read the letters asked me to justify my remarks about entitlement. I've suggested that as Christ's people, all of us owe one another in the parish and Church some of our time, our talent and our treasure (which I'll get to eventually). I then opined that it is my belief that many Christians and Catholics have fallen prey to an entitlement mentality.

Let me first define entitlement from a couple different angles. There are government programs targeted at assisting particular groups of people and if you're in that group, you are the beneficiary of the program. We're all familiar with the two biggest of these programs: Social Security and Medicare. Please note that somebody or some group paid the government a fee (FICA for example) to earn the payout so these are not technically "entitlements" but rather an obligation of the government to return the investment made by the participants. Other programs, for example the Child Credit or the Free Cafeteria Meal program, are true entitlements. The recipients of the payouts did not make an investment for which there is an obligation to make a payment. Please note that these are legislative acts which define a group which requires, in the estimation of the legislature, some assistance. These are clearly defined.

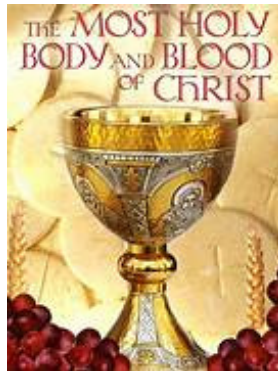
Beyond that there are very few genuine entitlements i.e. those things to which some one or some group has a right without first making some form of investment. Please note that most things we presume are entitlements are in fact obligations because we paid for them. For example, I'm entitled to watch HULU because I pay a regular fee to do so.

I'm entitled to walk into Progressive Field to see a Guardians game because I paid the price of a ticket and woe betide anyone who sits in the wrong seat! (I used to take in the Tribe at Municipal Stadium when there were few people in attendance who cared where anyone sat, but the ushers were pretty convinced I wasn't entitled to those empty box seats)

An entitlement mentality has become the norm – many expect more than what they invest in – and has enlarged the meaning to a presumed right to all sorts of things. For example, why not go down and sit on the fifty-yard line at a Lions game? The mentality is far different than the reality and leads to people expecting something to which they have no real right. This crowd is vocal about their supposed preeminent position in the world and will lay claim quite loudly at the store, the gym, the movie theater, the soccer match, the hockey tournament and elsewhere, including church.

Entitled people believe that the Church is only for getting some personal reward at no cost. They fail to grasp that everyone there is only entitled to the same reward: Jesus Christ truly present in Word and Sacrament. That entitlement comes from the investment Jesus made on the Cross, not on what most people invest in their parish in terms of time, talent and treasure. Those are obligations we take on ourselves. While Jesus does not expect a *quid pro quo* regarding the benefits of the sacraments (Simony remains not only illegal but a sin), he does expect that all of us do our part to make the community function well. Too many people expecting to be waited upon weakens the fabric of the parish and when expectations aren't met, why bother to come?

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, ext. 3 **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

Finance Council

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

Pastoral Council

Amy Coronado	Kathy Thompson
Elaine Hoffman	Kristine Waslar
Jean Boeding	Martha Farrell
Jeanne Kanary	Marty Lahey
Jen Czyzewski	Mary Kay Belcher
Joe Pinciotti	Michelle Zuelke
John Adler	Nancy Rank
John Kanary	Pat Hickey
Karen Hallett	Pat Thompson

CALENDAR

June 10, 2023—June 18, 2023



Sat 4:00 pm Immaculate Conception Mass/Msgr. Chris

Sun 8:00 am **The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ**
St. Patrick's Mass (no music)
Msgr. Chris/Jeff Gralak
9:30 am St. Patrick's Rosary & Confessions
10:00 am St. Patrick's Sunday Mass/
Fr. Ron Olszewski, OSFS/Deacon Dave
(also Streamed on Parish Facebook Page)
Intention Dorothy Mazzei McBride
Eleanor & Stanley Stolarski
Jordan Shrewsbury
Robert Lanz
After Mass Liturgy Meeting

10:30 am Immaculate Conception Confessions
11:00 am Immaculate Conception Sunday Mass/
Msgr. Chris and Deacon Tom

Tues 9:10 am Immaculate Conception Weekday Mass

Wed 5:30 pm St. Patrick's Weekday Mass
(Also Streamed on Parish Facebook Page)
Intention Parishioners of Historic St. Patrick

Thur Parish Offices Closed/Staff Retreat

Fri 5:00 pm St. Patrick's Rehearsal/
Porter & Armstrong/Fr. Rudi Schwarzkopf

Sat 3:00 pm St. Patrick's Wedding
Porter & Armstrong/Fr. Rudi Schwarzkopf
4:00 pm Immaculate Conception Mass/Msgr. Chris

Sun **Father's Day**
Msgr. Chris Vasko's 40th
Anniversary Celebration
8:00 am St. Patrick's Mass (no music)
Msgr. Chris/Jeff Gralak
9:30 am St. Patrick's Rosary & Confessions
10:00 am St. Patrick's Sunday Mass/Msgr. Chris/
Deacon Tom
(Also Streamed on Parish Facebook Page)
Intention Madonna Pauken
Marty Williams
John Connor
Jack Williams
Donald D. King
Gerald T. Carter
After Mass Msgr. Chris's 40th Celebration in
back of church

10:30 am Immaculate Conception Confessions
11:00 am Immaculate Conception Sunday Mass/
Fr. Rudi/Deacon Dave



----- (Tear Line) -----



We continue to update/add to our parish data base and e-mail list to help keep parishioners updated on parish events. Several of the e-mails and phone numbers we have are no longer valid. If you would please fill in the information below and put it in the offering basket or e-mail it to sherri@stpatshistoric.org. Thank you!

Name _____

Phone # _____

Address _____

E-mail _____



WELCOME TO
HISTORIC CHURCH OF ST. PATRICK



HAPPY BIRTHDAY—HSP

- June 11 Doug Bohl
- June 11 Mary Desmond
- June 12 Nancy Oswald
- June 12 Nora Pulhuj
- June 13 Anne Malone
- June 13 Chris Szymanski
- June 13 Carissa Kwiatkowski
- June 13 Jonathan Rove
- June 14 Shirley Fischer
- June 14 Catherine Skiver
- June 14 Joseph Lahey
- June 15 Lynn Keogh
- June 15 Debra Ferrara
- June 15 Lindsay Fisher
- June 16 Jane Gralak
- June 16 Sheila Campbell
- June 16 Robert Wilson
- June 16 Judith Miller
- June 16 Lesley Krouse
- June 16 Michael Glenn
- June 16 John Willett
- June 17 Craig Schneiderbauer
- June 17 Luke Ragan
- June 17 Eric Anderson



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY—HSP

- June 11 Daniel & Sarah Martinez 7 yrs
- June 12 William & Carol Grady 24 yrs
- June 13 Steve & Karen Bowen 36 yrs
- June 13 Richard & Charlotte Lauer 31 yrs
- June 14 Terry & Robin McLoughlin 20 yrs
- June 15 Tom & Carol Connolly 38 yrs
- June 16 John & Katherine Castillo 39 yrs
- June 16 Phil & Sue Cervantes 33 yrs
- June 16 Peter & Rebecca Gorman 28 yrs
- June 16 Jon & Christine Marker 11 yrs
- June 16 Darrell & Kayla McDonald 11 yrs
- June 16 Robert & Allison Carpenter 5 yrs
- June 17 Lawrence & Susan Fanelly 45 yrs
- June 17 Larry & Marcie Tscherne 45 yrs
- June 17 John & Karri Adler 28 yrs



PRAYER IS ANSWERED—HSP

Sam Cole, Shanna Crumby, Dona Crumby, Sonny Moore, Perry Moore, Jeff Knight, Dwight Knight, Mike Chiles, Nancy Miller-Semetko, Chuck Williams, Joseph Weiser, Don Brighton, Tammy Allen, Jimmie Bias, Terrie Moore, Pat Tansey, Rod McCarthy, Kelly Mitchell, Carol Erford, Sr. Janelle Brittain, Charlotte Best, Jim Jensen, Emily Miller, Helen Alice Jackson, Lee Ann Urbach, Brett Urbach, Deacon Dave Smith, Shelby, James Mack III, Msgr. Chris, Betty Sherman, Ralph Smith, Teri Wagner, Tim Dotson, Bob & Betty Hutson, Andrew Weiser, Colleen McGuire, Raymond Rolak, Sherry Wilcox, Noah Ashner, Susan Cairl, Steve Woods, Patty Cunningham, Sue Smith, Sara & Family, John, Nicholas Clover, Melissa Meyers, Anne Fahle, Jerome Williams, Wyatt Shepherd, Angela Myers, Liz Weiser, Sam & Rose Fleitz, James Kovach, Michael Moran, Sam Marsico, Jessica Straube, Maurice "Moose" Boeding, Judy Henry, Christopher Powell, Zachary Davidson/D. Dave's Grandson, Charles Swoboda, Estella Nino, Ellie Ziegler, Renee Robinson, Betty Frey, Laurie St. John, Steve Kwiatkowski, Kathy Eschenburg, Marian Lowe, Steven Czerniak, Kristin Salazar, Mary Lou Batanian, Gary Lilje, Carol Isabell, Megan Batanian, Matt Rohrs, James Smith, Susan Ludlum, Evie Day, Julie, Lori (Borgerson) Zaro, Frank Ankney, Joann Degnan, Sarah Rodgers, Bob Zoski, Lupe Garcia, Kitty Burns, Liam Stacey, Cheryl Harwick, Angela Lemble, Madison Sims, 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

June 4, 2023

	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
Goal	\$ 5,769.23	\$ 271,153.81
Actual	\$ 3,444.00	\$ 305,547.67
Elect. Fund Transfer	\$ 95.00	\$ 13,525.00
Over/(Under)	(\$ 2,230.23)	\$ 47,918.86
Preservation	\$ 5.00	\$ 3,634.50
Candles	\$ 97.00	
Altar Flowers	\$ 15.00	
Father's Day Flowers	\$ 40.00	\$ 90.00



OUTREACH FAMILIES—HSP

July 1, 2022—June 30, 2023



Food Pantry—We continue to serve those in need in the community 3 days a week (Monday-Wednesday-Friday).

Soup Kitchen—Number of Plates Served—Continuing to serve meals to the community every Sunday!

<u>Outreach Income:</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
	\$ 27.00	\$ 20,296.00

Thank You!



HISTORIC CHURCH OF ST. PATRICK

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ



JUNE 11 - MINISTER SCHEDULE

Scripture Reading #945

Acolytes:	Chris Bates, Gary Johnson
Communion:	Dennis Bensch, Diane Pacella, Jeanne Kanary, Judy Schneiderbauer, Lisa Kelley, Mary Ellen Williams, Mary Kay Belcher, Maureen Mohny, Melanie Parton
Gifts:	Carolyn Harrington, Jeff Kelley, Ken Harrington, Lisa Kelley
Greeters:	Ann Figmaka, Jeanne Kanary, Jeff Figmaka, John Kanary
Hospitality:	Summer Break/Start up after Labor Day
Readers:	Elise Erard, Susan Fix
Ushers:	Albert Geha, Cookie Westmeyer, Gary Johnson, John Kanary, Larry Minor, Mary Kay Belcher, Melanie Parton, Pat Tansey
Children's Liturgy:	Summer Break/Start up after Labor Day

JUNE 18 - MINISTER SCHEDULE

Scripture Reading #978

Acolytes:	Jeff Kelley, Logan Hickey, Pat Hickey
Communion:	Carol Shrader, Ellen Melroy, Jim Shrader, Marie Arter, Kris Waslar, Michelle Zuelke, Nancy Rank, Rosalie Mills, Susan Fix, Therese King
Gifts:	Mary Ellen Williams, Mary Kay Belcher, Melanie Parton, Rosalie Mills
Greeters:	Char Lauer, Cookie Westmeyer, Pat Tansey
Hospitality:	Join us for a special hospitality for Msgr. Chris's 40th Anniversary
Readers:	Marie Arter, Pat Thompson
Ushers:	Albert Geha, Cookie Westmeyer, Dave Meegan, Debbie Sadlier, Gary Johnson, Jeff Figmaka, Larry Minor, Tim McHugh
Children's Liturgy:	Summer Break/Start up after Labor Day



The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
(Corpus Christi)



TO BE ANNOUNCED

ALTAR FLOWERS

June	11	Available
June	18	Available
June	25	Available
July	2	Available



SANCTUARY LAMP

June	11	Available
June	18	Available
June	25	Available
July	2	Available



St. Patrick's Food Pantry

We could use:

**JUICE, TOOTHPASTE, SHAMPOO
WITH COCOA BUTTER, TOILET
PAPER, BAR SOAP, TOOTH-
BRUSHES, AND CANNED FRUIT**



Other needs are tuna, Cream Soups, and Ramen Noodles. Food may be dropped off at anytime at parish office. Thank you!

The HSP Soup Kitchen



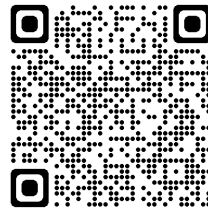
Our Soup Kitchen is located at the LMHA Building at the foot of the hill in front of church. We provide meals and clothing to our community in need every Sunday from 11:00 am—1:00 pm. If you are interested in helping serve meals or hand out clothing please call the parish office.

The Historic Church of St. Patrick's

Happenings at the Parish!

QR Code – an easier way to donate

Looking for a simple way to make a donation to the parish? Scan this QR code and go right to the donation page for The Historic Church of Saint Patrick. Open up the camera app on your smartphone. When you focus the camera on the QR Code, your phone will ask if you want to go to our site. Touch the instruction bar at the top/bottom of the photo and it will take you right to the donation page where you will see a yellow donate button. Thank you for supporting our parish and helping us share the Good News!



We Congratulate

Liam Armstrong and Sarah Porter

who will be married
June 17, 2023
at the
Historic Church of
Saint Patrick



Parish Offices Closed!



St. Patrick's and Immaculate Conception Parish Offices are closed on **Thursday, June 15** for a staff retreat!

Join us for our Why Switch to STRITCH?

Information Night on Tuesday, June 13th from 6 - 7:00 p.m. on the campus of Cardinal Stritch!

We will show you the many reasons why the time to make the switch to STRITCH is NOW. Learn about our financial offerings, our exclusive Mercy College CCP program, faith, service, athletics, and fine arts! Find out more about how our graduates are accepted into colleges and universities such as The Ohio State University, Baldwin Wallace Universities, and Xavier University.



St. Patrick's Mud Hens Night Play Ball!
Get your Mud Hens Tickets!

St. Pat's Night at 5th Third Field Thursday June 22nd

**Dinner @ 5:30
Game Time 7:05**

**Game tickets = \$12
Game ticket + dinner @ the rectory = \$20**

B.Y.O.B. = Beverage!

Tickets can be purchased in back of church after Mass.

Reminder Today!



St. Patrick's Liturgy Meeting **after Mass today**, Sunday, June 11th in the Children's Liturgy Room.

The latest issue of Graceful Living Magazine is out now!

It features Sr. Mary Bethany, (St. Michael the Archangel, Findlay), Fr. Jeremy Miller (Corpus Christi, Toledo), Spangler Candy Company (Bryan), Holy Family Radio (Glandorf), and many more of the fantastic people and places across the Diocese of Toledo.

Parishioners have already begun receiving copies in the mail. Parishes will receive supplemental copies in the near future. If a parishioner would like to receive future issues, send their First and Last Name and Mailing Address to email glmagazine@toledodiocese.org or call (419) 214-4944.

County Kilt Day!

Please join Msgr. Chris and wear your Kilt to Mass on Sunday, July 9.



See bulletin insert for more information!

St. Patrick's Maintenance **HELP** Crew needs your help!

We have a few large projects coming up around the grounds and are in need of volunteers.

Please call the parish office at 419-243-6452 ext. 3, Sherri

The Historic Church of St. Patrick's

Parish/Community Activities!

Please keep in prayer the First Responders who have given their lives to keep us safe, and their grieving families and departments.

ROLL CALL OF FALLEN FIREFIGHTERS, May 28-June 3, 2023

James Muller	Irmo Fire District, SC
Kyle Osgood	Farmland VFD, IN

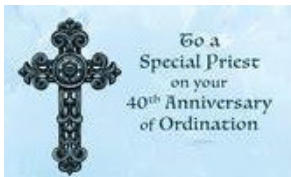
ROLL CALL OF FALLEN LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS, May 28-June 3, 2023

Horren Tyler	Madison PD, MS
Shawn Kelly	Denham Springs PD, LA
Marcus Zeigler	Hamilton County Sheriff's Office, OH
Cory Maynard	West Virginia State Police



We, as a parish family, would like to express our deepest sympathy to the family and friends Emmeline Ann "Emmy" Saad. Our thoughts and prayers are with you as you go through this tough time! We pray for Emmeline as she enters into eternal life with our loving and merciful God.

Monsignor Chris Celebrates 40 years of Priestly Ministry



On Sunday, June 18th we will be honoring Monsignor Chris as he celebrates his 40th anniversary of ordination to the priesthood.

We are so grateful for his vocation and the innumerable gifts he brings to the Church. Join us for hospitality after the 10:00 a.m. Mass.

In lieu of any gifts, St. Patrick's is accepting any donations toward the purchase of an Irish Saint statue. And/or consider giving a card to Monsignor with any special memories that you have of him or any words of thanks.

Christ Child Society of Toledo Seeks Members



**CHRIST CHILD SOCIETY
OF TOLEDO**
WHERE LOVE LEADS TO ACTION

Want to make a difference in the lives of Toledo-area children? Consider joining Christ Child Society of Toledo.

Christ Child volunteers teach newborn classes; tutor school children; staff school libraries and much more. The group purchases and distributes over 2,000 new coats, hats, gloves and books each year for children birth through eighth grade. They also distribute more than 1,200 baby layettes to underserved new moms. For more information on joining Christ Child, visit their website, christchildsocietyoftoledo.org. or email christchildoftoledo@gmail.com.



The Historic Church of Saint Patrick 160th Anniversary Celebration 2023

- **Golf Outing Information**—Don't forget to submit your golf outing registration and/or sponsorship forms.
- **St. Patrick's School**—In celebration of our 160th Anniversary, we'd like to recognize any surviving attendees of the Saint Patrick school that once stood nearby. Please contact the parish office at 419-243-6452, ext. 3 (Sherri).

Baby Bottle Campaign!

St. Patrick's is hosting a Baby Bottle Drive to benefit Heartbeat of Toledo. Participation is easy. **You may take a baby bottle home with you today, fill it with your spare change, cash or checks and then return to the church by June 11.**

Your donation will help support hundreds of women, children and families in the coming year. Your donation will help Heartbeat continue to provide free pregnancy tests, ultrasounds, and options counseling to expectant women, helping turn fear into confidence. Heartbeat also offers pre-natal and parenting classes where new and expectant moms and dads can learn valuable parenting skills while earning much-needed baby items. Help with making an adoption plan is also available. For more information on Heartbeat call 419-241-9131 or visit www.heartbeatoftoledo.org. Your support matters!

