

The Historic Church of Saint Patrick

Paróiste Ceann Scribe Toledo
Irish Destination Parish in Toledo



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EUCCHARISTIC LITURGIES

Saturday	4:00 pm @ Immaculate Conception
Sunday	8:00 am @ Historic St. Patrick
Sunday	10:00 am @ Historic St. Patrick (Live Streamed)
Sunday	11:00 am @ Immaculate Conception
Tuesday	9:00 am @ Immaculate Conception
Wednesday	5:30 pm @ Historic St. Patrick (Live Streamed)

ALL ARE WELCOME!

A MEMBER OF SAINT TERESA OF CALCUTTA DEANERY

PARISH STAFF FOR ST. PATRICK

Business Manager	Rusty Belcher
Administrative Assistant/Compliance Officer/	
Wedding Coordinator:	Sherri Gaudet
Accountant:	Trish Shaffer
Bookkeeper	Helen Yensz
Parish Musician:	Eric Hite
Choir Director:	Jeff Weiser
Maintenance:	John Williams
.....	Michael Perry Jr.
Custodian:	Charlene Leestma
DeSales Outreach Center:	Sherri Gaudet
Sacristan:	Rosalie Mills
Usher Captains:	Dave Meegan

Dear People of God,

Yesterday was the feast of St. Francis of Assisi; the recent Queen of Apostles pilgrimage to Italy started with their first stop the ancient walled city of Assisi where Francis was born, raised and ministered. Francis is buried with several of his brother monks beneath the Basilica of St. Francis where we were privileged to celebrate Mass in the tomb chapel. I am in awe of the way our young people dove into participation in the masses, offering to be lectors and assistants. As often happened, English speaking visitors shared the Mass with us which allowed the students to meet people from all across the globe making the same spiritual journey they were on.

While in Assisi, the pilgrims visited other important sites, including the Basilica of St. Clare and the church of San Damiano with its familiar cross now closely associated with St. Francis. In fact, it was in this chapel (picture) that Francis, while kneeling at prayer, saw Jesus come off the cross to tell him "my church is in disrepair, rebuild it."

Francis at first thought God meant repair a tumble down structure in the lower city (now encased in the Basilica of Mary of the Angels) but came to realize that it was the spiritual decline that needed repair.

He dedicated his life to urging the spiritual renewal of the Church; I pray that our young people also heard that gentle whisper to repair the contemporary Church from which so many have fallen away.

If we who truly believe in the True Presence live that belief openly, perhaps all of us could become modern-day disciples proclaiming Emmanuel, *God is with us!* Give it a try.

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 and leave a message with your phone number and your call will be returned 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

Jeff Stephens
Bill Malone
Linda Jennings
John Bachey
Jim Kline
Jeff Kelley
Tom Varga

Pastoral Council

Amy Coronado
Jean Boeding
Jen Czyzewski
Kathy Thompson
Kristine Waslar
Martha Farrell
Marty Lahey
Mary Kay Belcher
Michelle Zuelke
Nancy Rank
Pat Hickey
Pat Thompson



CALENDAR

October 11, 2025—October 19, 2025



Sat	3:00 pm	St. Patrick's Wedding LaMantia & Skowronski/Fr. Lukas
	4:00 pm	Immaculate Conception Mass/Msgr. Chris
	6:00—10:00 pm	Bensch's Hobo Dinner
Sun	8:00 am	St. Patrick's Mass (no music) Msgr. Chris/ Jeff Galak
	Intention	Rosemary Koch
	9:30 am	St. Patrick's Rosary & Confessions
	10:00 am	St. Patrick's Sunday Mass/Fr. Steinbauer (also Streamed on Parish Facebook Page)
	Intention	Joshua Michael Mielcarek Karen Bates Richard Holland Barbara Heck
	After Mass	St. Patrick's Baptism/ Winslow Kwiatkowski/Fr. Steinbauer
	After Mass	Padre Pio Prayer Group
	After Mass	Clergy Appreciation Collection
	After Mass	Sign-up Sunday
	After Mass	Religious Education
	10:30 am	Immaculate Conception Confessions
	11:00 am	Immaculate Conception Sunday Mass/ Msgr. Chris/Deacon Paul
Tues	9:00 am	Immaculate Conception Weekday Mass/ Msgr. Chris
Wed	5:30 pm	St. Patrick's Weekday Mass/Msgr. Chris (Also Streamed on Parish Facebook Page)
	Intention	Parishioners of St. Patrick's
	6:00 pm	Prayer and Meditation
	6:30 -8:00 pm	St. Patrick's Bible Study

Thurs	7:00—9:00 pm	OCIA @ Immaculate/Deacon Paul
Fri	5:00 pm	St. Patrick's Wedding Rehearsal Knepp & Ervin/Fr. Steinbauer
Sat	3:00 pm	St. Patrick's Wedding Knepp & Ervin/Fr. Steinbauer
	4:00 pm	Immaculate Conception Mass/Msgr. Chris/ Deacon Paul
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	Intention	Rosemary & Bernard Koch
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	10:00 am	St. Patrick's Sunday Mass/Msgr. Chris/ Deacon Paul
	Intention	(Also Streamed on Parish Facebook Page) Felix & Frances Czyzewski Linda Varga
	After Mass	Clergy Appreciation Collection
	After Mass	St. Patrick's Baptism/ Collins Kujawa/Deacon Paul
	10:30 am	Immaculate Conception Confessions
	11:00 am	Immaculate Conception Sunday Mass/ Fr. Rudi



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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

Oct 12 Marcia Komives
Oct 12 Michael Sullivan
Oct 12 Elizabeth Donaghue
Oct 12 Marty Ball
Oct 12 Melissa Meyers
Oct 12 Molly Ball
Oct 13 Jill Miller
Oct 14 Patricia Ziolkowski
Oct 14 James Jones
Oct 14 Robert Motz
Oct 14 Richard Rudnicki
Oct 14 Michael Klear
Oct 14 Lori Langenderfer
Oct 14 Stephanie Lemble
Oct 14 Owen Krouse
Oct 14 Mason Krouse
Oct 15 Mary Connolly
Oct 15 Elizabeth McHugh
Oct 15 Debra Kienzie
Oct 15 Lauren Martin
Oct 16 Lyndsey Albright
Oct 16 Caitlin Schaefer
Oct 17 Jillian Jones
Oct 17 Adam Canterbury
Oct 18 Michael Kosinski
Oct 18 Peter Gorman
Oct 18 Thomas Smith
Oct 18 Taylor Kuron



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY—HSP

Oct 12 William & Angelia Donofrio 23 yrs
Oct 13 Angelo & Kathryn Citiro 15 yrs
Oct 14 Charles & Jill Magrum 47 yrs
Oct 14 Mark & Shannon Canterbury 30 yrs
Oct 15 Robert & Marjorie Ronau 70 yrs
Oct 17 Carl & Amy Re 27 yrs
Oct 17 Keith & Lindsay Fisher 10 yrs
Oct 18 Bob & Marcia Thorpe 67 yrs
Oct 18 John & Sue Matthews 51 yrs
Oct 18 Stephen & Theresa Zugo 28 yrs



PRAYER IS ANSWERED-HSP



Mary Sue Timar, Delany and Gary, Raeanne Williams, Cathleen Leaser, Charlene Leestma, Donald Cousino, Doug Breno, Marie Matuszak, Dawn Hitts, Kathy Hakeos, Rene Cassidy, Andy Irwin, Carole Nemeth, Mary Ann Kline, Deacon Tom Carone, Ashley Miller, Jeff Gralak, Ken Kropp, Mike Kosinski, John Mohr, Sam Cole, Shanna Crumby, Dona Crumby, Sonny Moore, Perry Moore, Jeff Knight, Dwight Knight, Mike Chiles, 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, Msgr. Chris, Betty Sherman, Ralph Smith, Teri Wagner, Tim Dotson, Bob & Betty Hutson, Andrew Weiser, Colleen McGuire, Raymond Rolak, Sherry Wilcox, Susan Cairl, 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, 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

October 5, 2025



	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
Goal	\$ 5,576.93	\$ 78,077.02
Actual	\$ 3,960.00	\$ 87,877.89
Elect. Fund Transfer	\$ 295.00	\$ 3,255.00
Over/(Under)	(\$ 1,321.93)	\$ 13,055.87
Candles	\$ 54.01	\$ 903.13
Altar Flowers	\$ 17.00	\$ 219.00
Hospitality	\$ 13.00	\$ 71.35
Initial Offering	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00
Mass Intentions	\$ 20.00	\$ 490.00
Memorials	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00
Preservation/Restoration	\$ 62.00	\$ 966.00
Gift Shop/Tours	\$ 46.00	\$ 548.15



ST. PATRICK'S OUTREACH

July 1, 2025—June 30, 2026

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

Soup Kitchen—Continuing to serve meals to the community every Sunday!

Outreach Income:

Last Week
\$ N/A

Year to Date
\$ 14,849.00

Thank You!





HISTORIC CHURCH OF ST. PATRICK

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



OCTOBER 12 - MINISTER SCHEDULE

Scripture Reading #1031

Acolytes:	Chris Bates, Mary Kay Belcher
Communion:	Carol Shrader, Chris Bates, Dennis Bensch, Diane Pacella, Ellen Melroy, Jim Shrader, Marie Arter, Maureen Mohny, Pat Hickey, Renea Hickey
Gifts:	Roger Tharpe, Selena Green
Greeters:	Ann Figmaka, Char Lauer, Jeff Figmaka, Lisa Kelley
Hospitality:	Kris Waslar, Debbie Sadlier, Paula Nowicki, Robin Lanz
Readers:	Terry McLoughlin, Robin McLoughlin
Ushers:	Albert Geha, Cookie Westmeyer, Gary Johnson, John Kanary, Larry Minor, Mary Kay Belcher, Melanie Parton, Pat Tansey
Children's Liturgy:	Robin Lanz

OCTOBER 19 - MINISTER SCHEDULE

Scripture Reading #1034

Acolytes:	Pat Hickey, Logan Hickey, Gary Johnson
Communion:	Dennis Bensch, Diane Pacella, Jeanne Kanary, Judy Schneiderbauer, Kris Waslar, Lisa Kelley, Mary Kay Belcher, Maureen Mohny, Melanie Parton, Nancy Rank
Gifts:	Amy Coronado, Ellen Melroy
Greeters:	Cookie Westmeyer, Lisa Kelley, Michelle Zuelke, Pat Tansey
Hospitality:	Ann Figmaka, Debbie Sadlier, Jeff Figmaka, Therese King
Readers:	Pat Thompson, Susan Fix
Ushers:	Albert Geha, Cookie Westmeyer, Dave Meegan, Debbie Sadlier, Michael Ragan, Jeff Figmaka, Roger Tharpe, Pat Tansey
Children's Liturgy:	Jen Czyzewski

ALTAR FLOWERS

Oct	12	Available
Oct	19	Available
Oct	26	Available
Nov	2	Available



SANCTUARY LAMP

Oct	12	Available
Oct	19	Available
Oct	26	Available
Nov	2	Rod McCarthy



St. Patrick's Food Pantry

We could use:

DEODORANT, TOILET PAPER, BAR SOAP, JUICE, AND CANNED FRUIT

Other needs are tuna, canned meat, peanut butter, chicken noodle soup, 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.

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Happenings at the Parish!

Mass on Anniversaries of Marriage

Each year, the Diocese of Toledo celebrates the gift of marriage with the annual **Mass on Anniversaries of Marriage** for couples celebrating 25, 40, 50, 60, or 60+ years. This year, the celebration is on **Sunday, October 26, 2025, at 3:00pm** at Rosary Cathedral. Registered couples receive a commemorative certificate and are invited to a reception following Mass. Share the details with your parishioners: toledoanniversarymas

Congratulations on this Special Day

October 12, 2025



May it bring with it love, peace and joy as we celebrate this Holy occasion of Baptism.

Winslow Kwiatkowski

Sign-Up Sunday

Become an MVP (Most Valuable Parishioner) by joining one or more of our (many) committees/ministries. Meet the committee/ministry chairs on **Sunday, October 12** after 10:00 am Mass to find the perfect place for you.

If you are already on a committee/ministry there is no need to sign up again.

Prayer & Meditation

Please join us Wednesday, **October 15** after the 5:30 pm Mass for Prayer & Meditation.



All are Welcome!

Parish Spirit Wear

As promised, the St. Patrick Spirit Wear **on-line store is now open.**

The high quality items will be provided by JudMode and make great gifts for Christmas giving.

Please note this is the only time our online store will be opened this year, and the parish will not order extras. *New this year is a hunter green golf shirt with long or short sleeves, a 3/4 zipped sweatshirt, and a tote bag.*

Shop at this link: <https://judmode.chipply.com/HCSPPF25>

Store will be opened until midnight on Sunday, Oct 26. Items will be delivered around Thanksgiving.



"Coming Soon" Padre Pio Prayer Group @ Historic St. Patrick



Kickoff on **Sunday, October 12, 2025, 11 AM**, at the St. Joseph altar side pews, as St. Padre Pio's Italian-carved statue has been waiting for our arrival for numerous years.

Itinerary for each monthly meeting to be held EACH 2ND SUNDAY, 11:00 AM;

- 1) Confessions 9:30 am
- 2) Rosary 9:30 am
- 3) Mass 10:00-11:00 am
- 4) Meeting 11:00 am

For any question please contact Magdalena Skiles at 419-356-4208.

Alice Training

is being offered for your safety in the event of an active shooter in our church.

ALICE – stands for

Alert, Lockdown, Inform, Counter, Evacuate

Our very own Sgt. Dan

is offering emergency training to all parishioner's on **Saturday, November 1st from 9:00-1:00 pm** at Historic St. Patrick.

Everyone is welcome to this very informative training.

This training will also be **"live streamed"** for anyone wishing to watch from home.

We Congratulate



Cameron Ervin
&
Sarah Knepp

who will be married
October 18, 2025
at the Historic Church of Saint Patrick

The Historic Church of St. Patrick's

Parish/Community Activities!

Religious Education

Class starts October 12, 2025

Now is the time to register your child(ren) for Religious Education and Sacramental Preparation classes.

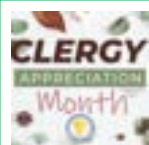
We are excited to offer a class for every grade level K-8 (and higher for Confirmation). Registration forms can be found in the narthex.

Please complete the form and return it to the Parish Office or place it in the collection basket to register your child(ren) for this year's classes.



Food Pantry Volunteer Spotlight

Thank you for all you do on Wednesdays!



October Is Clergy Appreciation Month

1 Timothy 5:17: *Let the elders who rule well be considered worthy of double honor, especially those who labor in preaching and teaching;*

At St. Paul's suggestion we honor our clergy for their dedication to their vocation and service to their congregations. *Please join us during the month of October as we celebrate Monsignor Chris, Father Rudi, Deacons Tom, Dave, and Paul. Collections of financial gifts or notes of appreciation will be taken on October 12 and 19.*

Fall Bible Study

JOIN US as we delve into The Bible and the Early Church Fathers. Learn about our history, the source of our traditions, and how the Bible was shaped by these early men. (See the bulletin insert for more details.)

When: **Wednesdays, October 15-November 19;** 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Contact: Martha at martha.farrell15@gmail.com for more information.

Please pray for the Mass intentions this week:



Rosemary Koch
Joshua Michael Mielcarek
Karen Bates
Richard Holland
Barbara Heck

HEALTH CARE WORKERS MASS

Join us on **Sunday, October 26** at 10:00 as we celebrate and pray for our health care workers. All are welcome!



Meijer Simply Give—Rossford Store

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**Sunday, September 28 —
Saturday, December 27, 2025**

Each Meijer *Simply Give* campaign feeds hungry families by replenishing the shelves of more than 270 food pantries in Michigan, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Kentucky and Wisconsin. The program encourages customers to add a \$10 *Simply Give* donation card to their cart, which is then converted into a Meijer food-only gift card and given to a local food pantry in the store's community. Cards are located in back of church. **Deacon Tom's Food Pantry** will benefit from donation cards at the **Rossford Meijer** store only. In addition, Meijer will double match all customer cards on **Saturday, December 13**, effectively tripling contributions made on both days. Meijer customers shopping online using Meijer Pickup or Home Delivery can also include *Simply Give* donation cards as an add-on to their orders. Please see Jean Boeding or call the parish office at 419-243-6452, ext. 3, Sherri.