

St. Patrick Catholic Church

December 31, 2017

17 St. Patrick Lane
Rolla, MO 65401
<http://church.stpatsrolla.org>

Office Hours:
Monday - Friday
9:00 am - 5:00 p.m.

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(to reach a priest at the rectory
- outside parish office hours)



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New to the Parish

Welcome to St. Patrick! Please register by completing a form available in the parish office or by asking a priest or deacon.

St. Patrick School

Our parish school educates children from pre-3 through 8th grade. If you are interested in enrolling your child, please contact the school office at (573) 364-1162.

Parish School of Religion

Religious education is offered on Sunday mornings for children in grades K-8 who do not attend our parish school. Please contact the parish office for more information.

Youth Ministry

Catechesis and social events are offered for teens in grades 9 - 12. Please call the parish office for information.

Campus Ministry

Students attending Missouri S&T and other area colleges and universities are invited to participate. Please call (573) 364-2133 or stop by the Newman Center located at 1607 N. Rolla St. - along the walkway between TJ Hall and campus.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Adults seeking information on joining the Catholic Church or those looking to receive the sacraments of Eucharist or Confirmation, please contact the parish office.

Sunday Mass Schedule

Saturday
5:00 p.m.

Sunday

8:00 a.m.
10:30 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday 4:45 - 5:45 p.m.

Saturday 3:30 - 4:40 p.m.

First Sunday of each month 9:15 - 10:15 a.m.

Contact a priest for an appointment outside of the scheduled times.

Eucharistic Adoration and Vespers

Adoration - Each Wednesday

9:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

First Friday of each month

7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Solemn Vespers - First Fridays at 6:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Baptism

Parental preparation is required for a child to be baptized. Please plan to attend the required class prior to your child's birth. Classes are held quarterly on the third Sunday of February, May, August, and November at 1:00 p.m. in the church office.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Marriage preparation requires several months. Please contact the parish office as soon as possible to make the necessary arrangements.

Anointing of the Sick

Parishioners facing surgery or serious illness may request the Sacrament at any time by calling the parish office.

Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph, December 31, 2017

1st Reading: 2 SM 7: 1-5, 8B-12, 14A, 16
 Responsorial Psalm: PS 89: 2-3, 4-5, 27, 29
 2nd Reading: ROM 16: 25-27
 Gospel: LK 1: 26-38

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday, December 30th
 5:00 p.m. Bob Cruse†

Sunday, December 31st, Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph
 8:00 a.m. Parishioners
 10:30 a.m. Mary Jane Veit

Monday, January 1st, Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary the Mother of God
 9:00 a.m. Florence Vandevent†

Tuesday, January 2nd, Memorial of Saints Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops and Doctors of the Church
 6:00 p.m. Kathleen Roberson†

Wednesday, January 3rd, Christmas Weekday
 8:15 a.m. Carl Prewett†

Thursday, January 4th, Memorial of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, Religious
 7:00 a.m. Thomas C. Munro†
 8:15 a.m. Harold Bennish†

Friday, January 5th, Memorial of Saint John Neumann, Bishop
 8:15 a.m. Benedict Joseph Benito†

Saturday, January 6th, Christmas Weekday
 8:15 a.m. Rex Bohm†
 5:00 p.m. Rick Cremer†

Sunday, January 7th, The Epiphany of the Lord
 8:00 a.m. Florence Vandevent†
 10:30 a.m. Joseph Oboh†

Financial Information for December 23, 24, 2017

Offertory Income:	\$ 13,048.93
Seminarian/Priest Retirement	\$ 415.00
Electronic Contributions	
Weekly	\$ 740.00

Financial Information for December 25, 2017

Offertory	\$ 6,480.00
Seminarian/Priest Retirement	\$ 6,821.09

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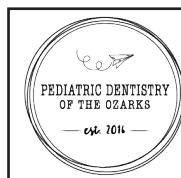
Tuesday, January 2nd
 Reconciliation 4:45 - 5:45 p.m. - Church
 Rosary 5:00 p.m. - Chapel
 Theology on Tap 7:00 p.m. - Public House - Rolla

Wednesday, January 3rd
 Eucharistic Adoration 9:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m. - Chapel
 Youth Group 6:45-8:15 p.m. - The Cave - Parish Center

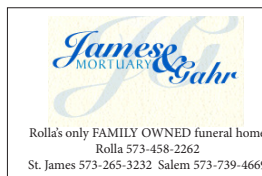
Friday, January 5th
 Eucharistic Adoration 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. - Chapel

Saturday, January 6th
 Reconciliation 3:30-4:40 p.m. - Church

Sunday, January 7th
 Reconciliation 9:15 - 10:15 a.m. - Church



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Liturgical Ministers - January 6th, 7th

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Communion Ministers: Mike Woessner, Linda Woessner, Chris Samson, Ray Samson, Linda Meyer, Diane Curtis
Greeter: Barbara Grimm
Lector 1st Reading: Doris Backes-Delp
Lector 2nd Reading: Terry Cremer
Sacristan: Ted Roth
Servers: Emma Hobbs, Abby Hobbs, Olivia Robertson
Ushers: Collette Walker, Calvin Meyer

Sunday 8:00 a.m.

Communion Ministers: Chris Vierrether, Andrea Chacko, Long Hoang, Alisa Arthur, Mery Elsensohn, Connie Shanks
Greeters: Vita French, Cathy Passini
Lector 1st Reading: Linda Virant
Lector 2nd Reading: Carolyn Buschjost
Sacristan: Diane Classen
Servers: Carolyn Cahill, Colin Cahill, Patrick Cahill
Ushers: Larry French, Mitch Passini

Sunday 10:30 a.m.

Communion Ministers: Diane Copeland, Tom Boeding, Pat Leaders, Julie Schmidt, Lynn Lutzen. Klaus Woelk
Greeters: Marilyn Greenway, Jerry Greenway
Lector 1st Reading: Fran Clifton
Lector 2nd Reading: Dick Young
Sacristan: Sandi Smith
Servers: Johannes Woelk, Julia McCarthy, Adam McCarthy
Ushers: Richard Weber, Dave Clifton

Theology on Tap

An invitation for all Young Adults (ages 18-30) of the Parish - Please join me Tuesday evening, January 2nd at 7:00 p.m. at the Public House Brewing Company in downtown Rolla for Theology on Tap.

Peace...frdave

Are you interested in joining the Catholic Church?

Wednesday Evenings from 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.

please join us - it's not too late!

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) meetings are being held on Wednesday evenings from 6:00-7:00 p.m. in the Parish Center. The next meeting will be January 17th. Please contact Fr. Veit for more information about the RCIA program.

Confirmation Meetings to Begin January 2018

Confirmation preparation meetings for unconfirmed high school sophomores or juniors will be held on the first and third Sundays from 5:00 - 6:45 p.m. beginning in January 2018. Any parents and/or students who missed the orientation meeting for confirmation preparation in October need to contact Father Dave as soon as possible.

A Taste of Italy: A Food for the Poor Fundraising Event

sponsored by Knights of Columbus Council 2627

Saturday, January 20, 2018

6:00 - 11:00 p.m.

St. Patrick Parish Hall

The meal price is: \$20/person or \$150/table for 8

A table can be sponsored for \$150

A table sponsorship and meals for 8 is also available for \$250

This will be a 70's themed Italian dinner with music/dancing to follow. The menu will feature: cannelloni and manicotti, appetizers, salad, garlic bread, a vegetable and dessert. A Cash Bar will be available. There will also be 50/50 raffles and a silent auction.

For information or reservations, contact:

Bob Woodley

573-647-9302

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Catholic Stewardship Appeal Update

As of 12/21/2017, eighty-four parishioners have pledged \$28,761 of our \$50,000 goal (57.52%). Overall, \$1,811,904.75 has been pledged towards the diocesan goal of \$2,040,000.00 (88.82%). Thank you to all that have made a contribution! To make a pledge, return the appeal mailed to your home or go to <https://diojeffcity.org> and click on the Catholic Stewardship Appeal link on the bottom right of the home page.

Seminarian Formation and Priest Retirement Assessment

Thank you to all that contributed so generously to the Christmas collection for seminarian formation and priest retirement. To date, we have collected \$9,628.09 of our \$10,121 assessment.

Please keep Fr. Clark and the seven Newman students who are traveling to Chicago this week to participate in the Fellowship of Catholic University Students Leadership Summit in your prayers.



Are you interested in learning more about your faith? Would you like to discuss faith topics relevant to your experiences?

Do you like to meet other people who share these common interests?

Then Theology on Tap or Tap into Faith are for you!

THEOLOGY ON TAP—for young adults, ages 18-30 yrs.

The group meets on the 1st Tuesday of each month at the Public House Brewing Company in downtown Rolla.

Our Next Meeting is:

January 2nd (1st Tuesday of the month)

7:00 p.m.

TAP INTO FAITH, for vintage adults, ages 18-118 yrs.

The group meets on the 2nd Thursday of each month at the Public House in Rolla. Our Next Meeting is:

January 11th (2nd Thursday of the month)

7:00 p.m.

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From the Pastor:

As we continue to celebrate the joy of Christmas, please keep Bishop Emeritus John Gaydos, Bishop Elect Shawn McKnight, and our whole diocese, in your prayers as we prepare for the ordination and installation ceremonies on Tuesday, February 6, 2018.

Also in the midst of this Christmas Season, I take the opportunity to say that I love St. Patrick Parish and her members! Over the years, people have shared with me that they do not always hear that from their priests, so I happily, officially say it once again!

Thank you for your prayers, patience and faith as we journey together, and for your most kind prayers, cards, and generous gifts on the Occasion of Christ's Nativity. I am overwhelmed with gratitude, and look forward to our amazing journey in Faith together in 2018!

Peace.....frdave



St. Patrick High School Youth Group

Are you ready for some Franciscan love? Join the high school youth group on a journey to know the love of Christ better through the teachings and life of St. Francis. High school youth group is open to everyone in the community in 9th – 12th grade.

We meet on the following Wednesdays from 6:45 – 8:15 p.m. We start in the Cave and end in the chapel for Benediction unless otherwise noted. Upcoming Meeting Dates:

January 3rd, January 17th, January 31st (Lenten Prep)

February 28th

March 14th

April 4th, April 18th

May 2nd (End of Year Party / Senior Blessing @ Cave – No youth group Benediction)

Travel to England with Fr. Matthew Flatley

You are invited to join Fr. Matthew Flatley (pastor of Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary in Vienna) on a Christian Contemplative Heritage Tour. You will enjoy nine spectacular days in England from April 3-11, 2018. You'll visit: London, Amesbury, Stratford upon Avon, Glastonbury, Bath, Birmingham, Cambridge and Walsingham. To download a color brochure, or to register online, visit: <https://registernow.ittworld.com> Enter Tour Code: Flatley18 or call Fr. Matt @ 573-202-3590 for more information. Centering Prayer will also be an option.

Trivia Night 2018
St. Patrick Home and School Proudly Presents:



Saturday, February 10, 2018

It's trivia time! Break out your favorite rock star costume or concert t-shirt and join us for a Rockin' good time! This is a FUNdraiser with all proceeds benefiting St. Patrick Catholic School.

The Basics:

8 people per table

\$120 per table (must be paid in advance at the school)

Saturday, February 10, 2018

Doors open at 6 p.m. and trivia begins at 7 p.m.

Mulligans will be available for purchase

50/50 raffle

Table reservations can be made during normal school hours at St. Patrick's School office, please see Mrs. Backes-Delp or call 364-1162.

Deadline for reservations is noon on February 9th or until 35 tables are sold.

Bring your own beverages and food.

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