

# St. Patrick in the City

**Founded 1794**

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## **Sunday Masses**

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 P.M.

Sunday: 8:00 A.M., 10:00 A.M. and 12 noon

## **Daily Mass**

Monday–Saturday: 12:10 P.M.

## **Confessions**

Saturday: 4:30–5:15 P.M.

Monday–Saturday: 11:30 A.M. to  
12 noon and by appointment

## **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament**

First Friday at 11:00 a.m.

## **Novenas**

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Wednesday after 12:10 P.M. Mass

Holy Name of Jesus

Thursday after 12:10 P.M. Mass

## **Rosary**

Following 12:10 P.M. Mass Monday–Friday

## **Baptism**

Sundays by appointment.

## **Matrimony**

Registered parishioners preparing for matrimony must contact the rectory at least six months before a proposed wedding date. Please do not set a marriage date before you consult a priest.

## **New Parishioners**

We welcome new parishioners. A registration form is available from the ushers or the rectory.

**Complimentary valet parking** is available in the parking garage adjacent to the church on 10<sup>th</sup> Street for those people attending the Saturday Vigil or Sunday Masses. Your ticket must be validated in the sacristy. The hours of operation are as follows: On Saturday the garage closes at 7:00 p.m. and on Sunday the garage closes at 1:30 p.m.



## **Pastor and**

## **Chaplain, D.C. First Responders**

Rev. Msgr. Salvatore A. Criscuolo

## **Residents**

Rev. Frederick H. MacIntyre

Rev. Roderick McKee

Rev. John McNerney

## **Director of Music & Organist**

Mr. Ronald Stolk

## **RCIA Director**

Mr. Robert Quinlan

## **Sacristan & Facilities Coordinator**

Mr. Donald Holloman

## **Sacristan**

Mr. Peter Ceesay

## **Office Manager**

Mrs. Marie Y. Valcourt

HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly

**“Brothers, select from among you seven reputable men, filled with the Holy Spirit and wisdom, whom we shall appoint to this task, whereas we shall devote ourselves to prayer and to the ministry of the word... They presented these men to the apostles who prayed and laid hands on them.”**

The needs of the early church were not different from those of our day. The text from the Acts of the Apostles informs us of the call by the apostles and the acceptance of the deacons to respond and serve at table.

In many parts of our country men will be ordained to the diaconate and the priesthood as they are called to Holy Orders. The mission is the same, to serve and preach the word. The mandate is no different, but in the words of Pope Francis they are to go out to the marginalized and bring the word of Jesus to others.

How many of us just accept our ordained ministers, but how few of us promote vocations to the service of the church. How many of us affirm those who are in ministry and how few consider the call of the Lord, whether in ordained or ministry of service. Jesus, the way, and the truth and the life calls us as His disciples to minister and serve. What is He asking me to do?

### Celebrants for

**Saturday, May 20 & Sunday, May 21**

5:30 p.m. Vigil:	Father McKee
8:00 a.m.:	Msgr. Criscuolo
10:00 a.m.:	Father MacIntyre
Noon:	Father McKee

**This Weekend’s Second Collection** is for the completion of the Trinity Dome. Learn more at #TrinityDome.org. Thank you for your support.



*This weekend’s Masses (5:30 p.m., 10 a.m. and noon) will be celebrated for our living and deceased mothers. We placed your Mass intentions in front of the paschal candle. The red carnation represents living mothers and the white carnation remembers deceased mothers. In thanksgiving and remembrance of our mothers, expectant mothers, and for those who are like mothers to us, May God bless you and may our deceased mothers’ souls rest in peace.*

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### Pope Francis’ Prayer Intentions for May

That Christians in Africa, in imitation of the Merciful Jesus, may give prophetic witness to reconciliation, justice, and peace.

Do you have plans for Memorial Day? Are you booking your summer vacations? Consider enrolling in eGiving through Faith Direct to make sure that your gift can reach **St. Patrick in the City** even when you cannot. Visit [www.faithdirect.net](http://www.faithdirect.net) and use our church code: **DC90**.

Thank you for your continued support of our parish family!

*God Bless, Msgr. Sal*

Are you interested in growing your faith with Christ in 2017? Join the **St. Patrick’s Fellowship Group every Wednesday** as we read and discuss the word of God. The meeting time is from 7:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. and is held in the meeting room to the left of the Church. Please send inquiries to [stpatfellowshipdc@gmail.com](mailto:stpatfellowshipdc@gmail.com).

Join your fellow parishioners in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament at the **“Holy Hour for Vocations” at 11.a.m, on Friday, June 2.**

### May Poor Box:

#### Catholic Charities Legal Network

**Catholic Charities Legal Network** was founded in 1989 by the late James Cardinal Hickey. The program provides access to pro bono legal services to low-income and homeless individuals throughout the Archdiocese of Washington. The program receives no government funding and charges no fees for its services. Donations are greatly appreciated to keep our program operating to nearly 4,000 individuals on an annual basis.

## 2017 Archdiocesan Women's Conference

Are you wondering how you can encounter God's grace in your day-to-day life? Are you seeking ways to bring grace into your family life? Join women from across the Archdiocese of Washington for the 5th Annual Women's Conference on **Saturday, May 20 from 8:30am-4pm** at the Pryzbyla Center of The Catholic University of America (620 Michigan Ave., NE). Keynote speaker: Valimar Jansen; Mass celebrated by Bishop Barry Knestout; ASL interpretation provided upon request. Breakout sessions include Fr. William Byrne: *Encountering Grace in the Realities of Life*; Christina Lamas (en español): *Encountering Grace in the Heart of Family Life*; and Michael Carotta: *Unexpected Occasions of Grace*. For more information, contact Debbie McDonald at 301-853-4466 or [mcdonald@adw.org](mailto:mcdonald@adw.org).

## Memorial Mass for the Military Services

**On Sunday, May 21**, the 23rd Annual Memorial Mass will be held to honor those who have served and are serving in our nation's armed forces. The Mass will take place at 4:30pm at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception (400 Michigan Ave., NE). The principal celebrant and homilist will be Archbishop Timothy Broglio of the Archdiocese for the Military Services. Military personnel are encouraged to be in uniform, and civilians should wear business attire. For more information, contact Jo Ann Redmond at [administration@milarch.org](mailto:administration@milarch.org) or 202-719-3600.

## Make a Difference for Christians in Syria

The Franciscan Monastery of the Holy Land in Washington, DC is part of the Franciscan Custody (province) that has served the people and shrines in the Holy Land for 800 years. Please keep the Franciscan friars and parishioners in Syria in your prayers as they struggle to keep our Catholic faith alive in the midst of the war that has engulfed this second cradle of Christianity, the place of St. Paul's conversion. Learn more at [myfranciscan.org/Syria](http://myfranciscan.org/Syria) or call 202-526-6800, x895.

## 2017 Jubilarian Mass for Married Couples

The annual Jubilarian Celebration of marriage, honoring couples married 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, and 51+ years, will be **held Sunday, June 25 at 2pm** at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. Cardinal Donald Wuerl will preside at the Mass.

## Mass Intentions & Readings

May 13, 2017 – May 20, 2017



### Saturday Vigil, May 13

5:30 p.m. Richard Barbour †

### FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Acts 6:1-7 / 1 Pt 2:4-9 / Jn 14:1-12

8 am. Parishioners and Benefactors

10 a.m. Ken & Nan Eggleston

12 noon Lynette Morisette

### Monday

*Saint Isidore the Farmer*

Acts 14:5-18 / Jn 14:21-26

12:10 p.m. Jimenez & Gallardo Families †

### Tuesday

Acts 14:19-28 / Jn 14:27-31a

12:10 p.m. C. D. Varghese †

### Wednesday

Acts 15:1-6 / Jn 15:1-8

12:10 p.m. Karen Dutt-Doner †

### Thursday

*Saint John I*

Acts 15:7-21 / Jn 15:9-11

12:10 p.m. Patrick Attridge †

### Friday

Acts 15:22-31 / Jn 15:12-17

12:10 p.m. Anna May Murtagh †

### Saturday

*Saint Bernardine of Siena*

Acts 16:1-10 / Jn 15:18-21

12:10 p.m. Russo, Zuzzolo, Triano & Amoruso Families †



## World Youth Day UNITE

All young adults and families are invited to World Youth Day UNITE taking place on **Saturday, July 22**. It will feature artists Audrey Assad and Tony Melendez, TED-style talks by dynamic Catholic bishops, and opportunities for Confession and Adoration. A Vigil Mass will be celebrated by Cardinal Donald Wuerl, Archbishop of Washington. The festival theme this year, chosen by Pope Francis, is "The Mighty One Has Done Great Things for Me and Holy is His Name." The event will take place at the Saint John Paul II National Shrine in Washington, DC (3900 Harewood Rd., NE) from 11:30am-10pm. Register online at [www.wydunite.com/register](http://www.wydunite.com/register).