

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 parking is available in the parking garage adjacent to the church on 10th 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

Director of Music & Organist

Mr. Ronald Stolk

RCIA Director

Mr. Robert Quinlan

Sacristan & Facilities Coordinator

Mr. Warren Sturdivant

Sacristan

Mr. Peter Ceesay

Office Manager

Mrs. Marie Valcourt

HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly

“As the day was drawing to a close, the twelve approached him and said: ‘Dismiss the crowd so they can go to the surrounding villages and farms and find lodging and provisions, for we are in a deserted place here.’ He said to them, ‘Give them some food yourselves.’ They replied, ‘Five loaves and two fish are all we have, unless we ourselves go and buy food for all these people.’ They all ate and were satisfied.”

The celebration today sets us apart as Catholics. We do not only recall how Jesus fed the multitude but Luke offers us a glimpse of the action which takes place at every mass. He tells us 1. Jesus took the loaves and fish, 2. Looked up, raising His eyes in prayer, 3. Said the blessing, 4. Broke the bread, a sign of sharing, and 5. Gave it to the disciples for them to share. Not just for them to eat but for all.

Imagine the wonder and awe, as people saw what was happening and then were fed. Surely it made a great impact.

We come to Eucharist and the same Christ, in the person of the priest, consecrates elements of bread and wine, because we need to satisfy our hunger. I must ask myself, if the gift of Eucharist produces the same effect in me? Do I recognize the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist? Do I hunger to receive the gift the Lord has provided for me? Does my encounter with Christ in the Eucharist produce a unity, a oneness, which is what communion means?

On this special feast I pray that my devotion to Christ in the Eucharist may be revived. May I connect it with my First Holy Communion. I recall a small sign in my church which told the priest ‘Celebrate this Mass as if it were your first Mass.’ Celebrate it as if it were your last Mass.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

On *Friday, June 3 at 11:00 a.m.* there will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until Benediction at *12 noon.*

Celebrants for

Saturday, June 4 & Sunday, June 5

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

Next Weekend’s Second Collection will be to support the upkeep and maintenance of our historic church. Thank you for your support.

Please join **St. Patrick’s weekly Prayer and Study Group every Tuesday from 7:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.** in the church’s vestibule. Enjoy lively and thoughtful discussions of the previous Sunday’s readings as well as time for group and private prayer. For any inquiries, please email us at stpatfellowshipdc@gmail.com.

On Friday, Saturday and Sunday, June 10, 11, and 12, St. Patrick will be collecting non-perishable food items for people in need. If you would like to donate food, please leave your donations at the Blessed Mother’s altar. Thank you.

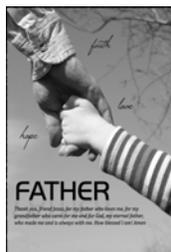
Are you starting to plan your summer vacations?

Consider enrolling in eGiving through Faith Direct so that your gift



can reach us even when you cannot. Visit www.faithdirect.net and use our church code: **DC90**.

Your gifts through Faith Direct will help stabilize our parish finances through the busy (but beautiful) summer months. **Thank you** for your continued support of our parish family with your time and talents as well as treasure! **God Bless, Msgr. Sal**



Mass intentions for the remembrance of fathers living and deceased will be offered at the 5:30 p.m. Vigil Mass on **Saturday, June 11 and at the 10 a.m. and 12 noon Masses on Sunday, June 12.** If you would like your father or someone special to be remembered in

these Masses, please use the Father’s Day envelopes in the pews.

June Poor Box

Capitol Hill Pregnancy Center

The Center offers pro-life counseling, emotional support, friendship and material, medical and financial assistance to those in crisis pregnancies. Thank you for your donations.

Holy Hour for Vocations

"The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few; so ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest." Mt 9:37-38

Join your fellow parishioners in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament at the "**Holy Hour for the intentions of the Ordinandi**" on *Friday June 3 at 11 a.m.*

Unite with parishes throughout the Archdiocese of Washington as we anticipate the Ordination of our Priests **on June 25!**

Every vocation, every path to which Christ calls us, ultimately leads to fulfillment and happiness, because it leads to God, to sharing in God's own life." – Pope John Paul II

Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for June

General Intention: That the aged, marginalized, and those who have no one may find—even within the huge cities of the world—opportunities for encounter and solidarity. *Missionary Intention:* That seminarians and men and women entering religious life may have mentors who live the joy of the Gospel and prepare them wisely for their mission.

Faith Foundations

Would you like to know more about the faith we profess in a God who loves you beyond all telling? Have you ever felt at a loss to describe the mysteries of our faith? *Faith Foundations*, adult formation courses for the Archdiocese of Washington, provide you with the opportunity to deepen your relationship with Christ and his Church. If you don't think you have the time to attend meetings, the courses are available online. If you would you like to enjoy the company of others as you explore the riches of our faith, then the in-parish course option is for you. To learn more or to sign-up for these programs, visit the Archdiocese of Washington adult formation page at www.adw.org/adult-faith-formation.

Volunteer Opportunities: Little Sisters of the Poor

is a long-term care facility for the elderly poor. We are looking for some loving volunteers that can help with transportation or clerical work. We are located at 4200 Harewood Road NE, Washington, DC 20017. Please visit our website at www.littlesistersofthepoorwashingtondc.org or call Martinique at 202 269-1831 for more information.

Mass Intentions & Readings

May 28– June 4, 2016

Saturday Vigil, May 28

5:30 p.m. Alma Frank †

Sunday, CORPUS CHRISTI

Gn 14:18-20 / 1 Cor 11:23-26 / Lk 9:11b-17

8 a.m. Parishioners and Benefactors

10 a.m. Francis & Mary McGonagle †

12 noon Annie Louise Bayly Berman †

Monday

2 Pt 1:2-7 / Mk 12:1-12

12:10 p.m. Eliseo Paulino †

Tuesday, THE VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16 / Lk 1:39-56

12:10 p.m. Patricia Rojas †

Wednesday

Saint Justin

2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12 / Mk 12:18-27

12:10 p.m. Adnan Jalil

Thursday

Saint Marcellinus & Saint Peter

2 Tm 2:8-15 / Mk 12:28-34

12:10 p.m. Bates & Greffenstette Families †

Friday, THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS

Ez 34:11-16 / Rom 5:5b-11 / Lk 15:3-7

12:10 p.m. Marge Petrucci †

Saturday

The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Is 61:9-11 / Lk 2:41-51

12:10 p.m. Joseph E. Henehan & Michael Riley †

Catholic Singles of Greater Washington" (CSGW)

"Singles Sunday" **June 5** at National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. Tour at 1:30pm, Mass at 2:30pm in the Immaculate Heart of Mary chapel, and dinner at 4pm at nearby Catholic University. \$17 cost for dinner. For single Catholics 21 and older. Visit <http://CatholicSinglesOfGreaterWashington.org> or call Tricia at 301-460-9195.

The Franciscan Monastery's Annual Photo:

Now through June 30, you can submit your best photos of the beautiful Franciscan Monastery. Participants may submit up to three photos. One grand prize will be awarded to the winner. Send your submissions to communications@myfranciscan.org.