

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 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

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 and sisters: The cup of blessing that we bless, is it not a participation in the blood of Christ? The bread that we break, is it not a participation in the body of Christ? Because the loaf of bread is one we, though many, are one body, for we all partake of the one loaf.”

The simple questions St. Paul asked his Christian community at Corinth are directed to us on this great day for our Catholic community. The danger of routinely approaching the altar and receiving the Eucharist is shaken as we read his important questions.

People wait hours to catch a glimpse of a hero, a star or idol. Many thousands gather in St. Peter’s square weekly to see the Holy Father, hear his message and receive his blessing. But every time we meet for mass, Jesus is present in the gift of the Eucharist. He is present for adoration in the tabernacle, waiting for our praise and thanksgiving. Jesus is truly present in this sacrament for He wanted to remain with us, and this is the way He chose to be here.

May we be reminded of this great gift of His presence as we enter our church. May we teach our children the need for respect and reverence as we celebrate each mass.

HAPPY FATHER’S DAY

The Lord bless you and keep you!

The Lord let his face shine upon you, and be gracious to you!

The Lord look upon you kindly and give you peace!

Numbers 6:24-26

And may the souls of our deceased fathers rest in peace.



This weekend’s Masses (Saturday Vigil at 5:30 p.m., 10 a.m. and 12 noon) will be said for your living and deceased fathers or someone who was like a father to you. We placed your Mass intentions in front of the paschal candle. The red flower represents our living fathers. The white flower remembers our deceased fathers.

Celebrants for

Saturday, June 24 & Sunday, June 25

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

Next Weekend’s Second Collection will be the **Peter’s Pence Collection for the Holy Father.** Thank you for your support.



Did you know that June 21 - the first day of

summer - is National eGiving Day?

St. Patrick in the City can take particular joy in this celebration, as the response to eGiving in our church has been wonderful.

To build on this success, I am setting a National eGiving Day Challenge. My goal is for **St. Patrick in the City** families to put envelopes on a permanent summer vacation and make the switch to eGiving. This is especially important in the summer months, when many families may be out of town some weekends and St. Patrick in the City does not receive their envelopes. It’s easy for people to forget to catch up once they’re back, and our weekly offertory can fluctuate as a result – making it harder to predict how much we will have to sustain our year-round ministries.

The more families who welcome the beginning of summer by taking this National eGiving Day Challenge, the more consistent and predictable our offertory will be month after month – and this will help us do even more to spread Christ’s love throughout the community.

Being part of this challenge is simple: Visit www.faithdirect.net and use our church code: **DC90.**

Thank you for your continued support of our parish family with your time and talents as well as treasure!

God Bless, Msgr. Sal

**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.

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 stpatsfellowshipdc@gmail.com.

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.

Franciscan Monastery Photo Contest

Capture your experience of the beautiful Franciscan Monastery of the Holy Land in America - its church, shrines and gardens - in photography and enter them in their annual photo contest. Details are online at myfranciscan.org/photo-contest, and entries are **due by Friday, June 30**.

Registration is now open for **TenniStar and SportStar camps** taking place at Georgetown Visitation this summer. Camps are offered in tennis, soccer, girls' basketball, girls' lacrosse, and field hockey for boys and girls, ages 5-17. An exceptional group of area coaches will lead the one-week programs. Mitch Henkin directs the TenniStar Sports camps. Visit www.tennistar.com to register, or call 301-530-5472 or email office@tennistar.com with questions or for additional information.

Our Lady of Fatima: 100th Anniversary

To mark the 100th anniversary of the apparitions of the Blessed Virgin Mary in Fatima, Portugal, the *Catholic Standard* is sponsoring a pilgrimage to the holy site on the exact date of the famous "miracle of the sun." The Marian shrines pilgrimage **from October 11-20** also includes visits to Lourdes, Guadalupe, Zaragoza, and Madrid. Call 1-800-777-7432 for details.

**Mass Intentions & Readings
June 17, 2017 – June 24, 2017**



Saturday Vigil, June 17

5:30 p.m. Joseph Rha

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (Corpus Christi)

Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a / 1 Cor 10:16-17 / Jn 6:51-58

8 am. Parishioners and Benefactors

10 a.m. Nicholas Jerome Ruhland †

12 noon Zenaida David †

Monday

Saint Romuald

2 Cor 6:1-10 / Mt 5:38-42

12:10 p.m. Robert Hinger

Tuesday

2 Cor 8:1-9 / Mt 5:43-48

12:10 p.m. Luke Shanahan

Wednesday

Saint Aloysius Gonzaga

2 Cor 9:6-11 / Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

12:10 p.m. C. D. Varghese †

Thursday

Saints Paulinus of Nola, John Fisher & Thomas More

2 Cor 11:1-11 / Mt 6:7-15

12:10 p.m. Jamie Roemer

Friday, THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS

Dt 7:6-11 / 1 Jn 4:7-16 / Mt 11:25-30

12:10 p.m. Donald H. McLaughlin †

Saturday, THE NATIVITY OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST

Is 49:1-6 / Acts 13:22-26 / Lk 1:57-66, 80

12:10 p.m. Elizabeth Rha †

Mass & Prayer for Persons Living with Mental Illness & Their Families

The Friday Night Prayer Group of St Anselm's Abbey wishes to welcome persons living with mental illness and their families to Mass and prayer **on the Fridays in June, from 7:15-9pm**. The Abbey is located at 4501 South Dakota Ave., NE in Washington, D.C. For more information, please contact Judy Barr at 301-779-3150 or new3heart@gmail.com.

Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for June

That national leaders may firmly commit themselves to ending the arms trade, which victimizes so many innocent people.