

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

THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

AUGUST 6, 2017

HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly

“Beloved: We did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of Our Lord Jesus Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of his majesty... We ourselves heard this voice come from heaven while we were with him on the holy mountain.”

Jesus selected the three apostles, allowing them to catch a glimpse of His divinity. The scene – a mountain, where God met Moses, where Jesus gave the beatitudes in His sermon, provides the backdrop for this special revelation.

The voice, echoing the words spoken at the Jordan at His baptism, reveals the special relationship of Jesus with the Father. Peter is witness to it all.

‘This is my Son, my beloved, with whom I am well pleased.’ May the words spoken on this occasion be a mantra for us, reflecting God’s care and love for us. We are His beloved and He is pleased as we strive to live our Christian lives. And like the three, may we open our eyes and see no one but Jesus.

Mission Appeal for the Archdiocese of Capiz

Our parish is having a collection for the Archdiocese of Capiz (Philippines) *this weekend*. Rev. Bernas, a missionary priest, will tell us about the experiences of the important mission work of Capiz. Please be generous. Thank you and God bless you!

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

Celebrants for

Saturday, August 12 & Sunday, August 13

5:30 p.m. Vigil: Father McNerney

8:00 a.m.: Msgr. Criscuolo

10:00 a.m.: Father McKee

Noon: Father MacIntyre

Next Weekend’s Second Collection will be for Catholic Communications and Human Development.



Food Collection

On Friday, Saturday and Sunday, August 11, 12 and 13, 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.

Pope Francis’ Prayer Intentions for August

That artists of our time, through their ingenuity, may help everyone discover the beauty of creation.

Thank you for being a part of our **St. Patrick in the City** family. I appreciate all that you do for our parish and community by sharing your God-given gifts of time, talent, and treasure. Your active participation in the life of our parish helps us to fulfill our vision and mission.

This summer, I pray that you will have some quiet and restful time that includes the love, joy, and peace of being with family and friends. Please consider that **St. Patrick in the City** continues to be open for Mass, numerous activities, and the Sacraments. During these summer months, your generosity through *Faith Direct* can help provide the consistent resources we need to operate our parish ministries.

Visit www.faithdirect.net and use our church code: **DC90**.

Thank you for your continued support of our parish family!
God Bless, Msgr. Sal



The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is a Holy Day of Obligation this year.

Masses will be celebrated at:

5:30 p.m. Monday (Vigil)

7:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 12:10 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

On Tuesday, August 15.

August Poor Box: March for Life Education and Defense Fund provides pro-life Americans with the opportunity to witness to the dignity of every human person, especially at the annual March for Life held in Washington, DC in January. **Thank you for your donation.**

Witness to Life Mass and Procession -

"A great prayer for life is urgently needed, a prayer which will rise up throughout the world." ~Pope St. John Paul II. A large Planned Parenthood abortion facility has opened in Northeast DC, and a great prayer for life is desperately needed in our nation's capital.

Mass will be held at **10:00 a.m. on Saturday, August 12th** at Holy Name Catholic Church (920 11th Street NE, DC). After Mass, we will process to the Planned Parenthood location while praying the rosary and pause at the site for additional prayers. Please join us in this witness to the dignity of life! Sponsored by the archdiocese's Department of Life Issues. Contact prolife@adw.org or 301-853-4555.

20th Anniversary of the Our Mother of Africa

Chapel: The Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception invites you to its Celebration of the 20th Anniversary of the Our Mother of Africa Chapel **on Sunday, September 17**. The 2pm Mass will be celebrated in the Upper Church with Bishop John H. Ricard, SSJ, Rector of St. Joseph Seminary in Washington, DC. Call the National Shrine at 202-526-8300 for information.

Burying Cremated Remains at Catholic

Cemeteries: Catholic Cemeteries seeks to assist families who are still holding the cremated remains of loved ones and are ready to inter them in sacred ground. The cemeteries of the archdiocese have prepared for the interment of cremated remains in ground burial sections, columbaria, or mausoleum niches, with respectful options for memorialization. Working with the pastor, charity burials also are available to families who desire interment, but cannot financially afford the full cost of burying their loved one. For information contact Gate of Heaven Cemetery (13801 Georgia Ave., Silver Spring, MD, 301-871-6500); Mt. Olivet Cemetery (1300 Bladensburg Rd., NE., Wash., DC, 202-399-3000)

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 August 5, 2017 – August 12, 2017



Saturday Vigil, August 5

5:30 p.m. Eugene F. McLaughlin †

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Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 / 2 Pt 1:16-19 / Mt 17:1-9

8 am. Parishioners and Benefactors

10 a.m. Dunston Michael Perera †

12 noon Nancy Janquish †

Monday

Saint Sixtus II & Companions

Saint Cajetan

Nm 11:4b-15 / Mt 14:13-21

12:10 p.m. Stella Bae

Tuesday

Saint Dominic

Nm 12:1-13 / Mt 14:22-36 or 15:1-2, 10-14

12:10 p.m. Mary K. Clements †

Wednesday

Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross

Nm 13:1-2, 25—14:1, 26-29a, 34-35 / Mt 15:21-28

12:10 p.m. Hildy Andriunas †

Thursday, SAINT LAWRENCE

2 Cor 9:6-10 / Jn 12:24-26

12:10 p.m. Judy Rousseau

Friday

Saint Clare

Dt 4:32-40 / Mt 16:24-28

12:10 p.m. Frank Getchel †

Saturday

Saint Jane Frances de Chantal

Dt 6:4-13 / Mt 17:14-20

12:10 p.m. Marie Hannan †

You Don't Deserve to Be Abused

Domestic violence refers to a pattern of violent and coercive behavior by one adult over another in an intimate relationship. It can consist of repeated severe beatings or subtle forms of abuse, including threats and control. If you experience any form of abuse, please know that there is help. Call the National Domestic Violence Hotline at 1-800-799-7233. To learn more about domestic violence, please visit: www.catholiccharitiesdc.org/familypeace.

