

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. Have no anxiety at all, but in everything by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, make your requests known to God. Then the peace of God that surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.”... “What more was there to do for my vineyard that I had not done?”

The two verses of scripture today provide a prescription for our prayer life, as our response for all that the Lord has done for us. What more could He have done? Out of love and concern God sent Jesus to restore a broken world, like the sour grapes, to a loving relationship with the Father. He has done everything. Now our response.

Our prayer life begins with thanksgiving because of what He has and continues to do. Our prayer life consists of an ‘attitude of gratitude.’ As we discover His abiding presence with us. We need not go searching; the Lord is here, and now. The Lord wants us to ask, our petition, as we express both our need and dependence. When we approach God in prayer with joy and confidence, the fruit will be His peace. When we read what was written before, remember the words ACTS –

Adoration, Contrition, Thanksgiving, Supplication

Lord, I am aware of your goodness to me and offer myself to you.

On Monday, October 9, the rectory will be closed in observance of Columbus Day.

Celebrants for

Saturday, October 14 & Sunday, October 15

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

World Mission Sunday

Next Weekend October 14-15, the Archdiocese of Washington will celebrate World Mission Sunday, which reminds us of Our Lord's Great Commission to the Church to go into the whole world to proclaim the faith (Matthew 28:19). **The World Mission Sunday collection** is unique in that it is a global effort for the entire Church. It is a moment each year to provide for the building up of over one thousand local churches in Asia and Africa, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, an area that covers more than half the territory of the globe. Through the work of these churches, and their witness to Christ, the poor receive practical help and experience God’s love and mercy that renews hope and peace. Thank you for your generosity!

Pope Francis’ Prayer Intentions for October

That all workers may receive respect and protection of their rights, and that the unemployed may receive the opportunity to contribute to the common good.

With the arrival of autumn, I’d like to invite you to join **Faith Direct**, our parish’s electronic giving program. Our to-do lists can get lengthy during this season, but Faith Direct’s eGiving program will give you one less thing to remember each week--no more envelopes to find before you go to Mass. Visit www.faithdirect.net and use our church code: **DC90**.

Thank you for your continued support of our parish family!

God Bless, Msgr. Sal

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

will meet *Tuesdays from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.* We invite all those considering becoming Catholics, those who wish to complete the Sacraments, and those who would like to be a support to catechumens. The next class meets on **October 10**. For information contact Bob Quinlan at bbquinlan@gmail.com or call 202-347-2713.

15th Annual Worldwide Children’s Eucharistic Holy Hour: On Friday, October 13 at 10am, the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception invites you to join Catholic school children from around the world as they gather before the Eucharistic Lord to pray the Rosary for peace in our communities and in our families. Families with children are highly encouraged to attend. For more information, please visit www.nationalshrine.org or call 202-526-8300.

Please join **St. Patrick's Fellowship Group** every **Wednesday at 7:00pm** for an hour of prayer and Bible Study! We review the previous Sunday Mass' readings, listen to Bishop Barron's homily and discuss how to apply God's Word into our daily lives. On the last Wednesday of each month, the Fellowship Group will hold a group Evening Prayer Hour in place of the usual Bible Study from 7-8pm in the church. There will be group prayer and time for private reflection. **The first Evening Prayer Hour will be held on 10/25.** Please enter through the door to the left of the main church doors and note that we will lock the doors promptly at 7:10pm.

Fatima 100th Anniversary Candlelight Procession and Rosary: On Friday, October 13 at 7pm, the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception invites you to join Cardinal Donald Wuerl, Archbishop of Washington, for a Candlelight Procession, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, and Praying of the Rosary in commemoration the 100th Anniversary of Our Lady of Fatima. For more information please visit www.nationalshrine.org or call 202-526-8300.

Young Adult Retreat: Want to go deeper in your faith? All young adults (college-age through 30s) are invited to participate in the "Into the Deep" young adult retreat **Friday night, October 13 and Saturday, October 14.** "Into the Deep" provides practical lessons on daily prayer, discernment, and how to listen to the voice of God. Join other young adults at the Archdiocese of Washington Pastoral Center featuring talks by Fr. Mark Ivany and Msgr. Robert Panke. Total cost is \$20! Please register at DCCatholic.eventbrite.com or for any questions email DCCatholic@adw.org.

Fall 2017 Workshop for Lectors

A workshop for lectors, open to all, will be offered **on Saturday, October 21** at the Shrine of the Sacred Heart in Washington, DC (16th St. & Park Rd.) from 9am-12pm and also on Saturday, November 18, at the ADW Pastoral Center in Hyattsville, MD (5001 Eastern Ave.) from 9am-12pm. This workshop will instruct lectors on how to be effective proclaimers of the Word in a liturgical setting, and it will also explain the Lectionary and the structure of the Catholic biblical tradition. A \$5 registration fee can be paid at the door. Please RSVP by contacting the Office of Worship at liturgy@adw.org or 301-853-4594.

Mass Intentions & Readings October 7 – October 14, 2017



Saturday Vigil, October 7

5:30 p.m. Carmen Perez †

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Is 5:1-7 / Phil 4:6-9 / Mt 21:33-43

8 am. Parishioners and Benefactors

10 a.m. Peter Njoya

12 noon Stela Bae

Monday

Saint Denis and Saint John Leonardi

Jon 1:1—2:2, 11 / Lk 10:25-37

12:10 p.m. Thomas Beardsley †

Tuesday

Jon 3:1-10 / Lk 10:38-42

12:10 p.m. James J. White III †

Wednesday

Saint John XXIII

Jon 4:1-11 / Lk 11:1-4

12:10 p.m. Charles Cooper †

Thursday

Mal 3:13-20b / Lk 11:5-13

12:10 p.m. Luke Shanahan

Friday

Jl 1:13-15, 2:1-2 / Lk 11:15-26

12:10 p.m. Camille Vrigneau †

Saturday

Saint Callistus I

Jl 4:12-21 / Lk 11:27-28

12:10 p.m. Jerome E. Miller †

October Poor Box



For the month of October our poor box will be dedicated to the hurricanes which have caused widespread, catastrophic flooding and damage in our country. Your donation will provide relief to

survivors in the form of emergency supplies like food and water in addition to longer-term recovery assistance to help residents recover and rebuild.

Thank you for your donation.

On Friday, Saturday and Sunday, October 13, 14, and 15, 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.