ST. PATRICK'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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October 11, 2020



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Mass Times

Saturday @ 5:30 PM Sunday @ 9:00 AM

Reconciliation

Saturday @ 4:00 PM or by appointment

Office Hours

M-Th. 8AM-Noon/1PM-4PM Friday 8AM-Noon

Day Chapel

South entrance of the Church Open during office hours

Website
www.chadronstpatricks.org
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Readings for the week of Oct. 11

Sunday: Is 25:6-10a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-6 /Phil 4:12-14, 19-20/Mt 22:1-14

Monday: Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31—5:1/Ps 113:1b-2, 3-7/Lk 11:29-32

Tuesday: Gal 5:1-6/Ps 119:41, 43, 44, 45, 47, 48 [41a]/Lk 11:37-41

Wednesday: Gal 5:18-25/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [cf. Jn 8:12]/Lk 11:42-46

Thursday: Eph 1:1-10/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6 [2a]/Lk 11:47-54

Friday: Eph 1:11-14/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 12-13 [12]/Lk 12:1-7

Saturday: Eph 1:15-23/Ps 8:2-3ab, 4-

5, 6-7 [7]/Lk 12:8-12

Next Sunday: Is 45:1, 4-6/Ps 96:1, 3, 4-5, 7-10/1 Thes 1:1-5b/Mt 22:15-21

WELCOME

We extend a warm welcome to you whether long term residents or newly arrived in the parish. If you are not registered, we invite you to register by calling or stopping by the parish office.

Calendar

This Week: October 11, 2020

Sun 9:00 AM — Mass [St. Patrick's Parishioners] 10:00 AM-- Catholic Daughters Meeting-Media Room 2:00 PM—Rosary

6:00 PM -- Knights of Columbus Meeting

Mon No Mass

8:00 PM — AA (closed), in the Parish Center

Tue No Mass Wed No Mass

5:30 PM - Faith Formation PreK-6th Prayer Circle Night in the Church

7;00 PM - Faith Formation 7th-11th Grades

Thu 5:45 AM - Women's Morning Group—Church

10:00 AM -- Mass [+Judy Ryan] Coffee Group after Mass

8:00 PM — AA (open), in the Parish Center

Fri 10:00 AM -- Mass at Prairie Pines

[+Mike Shald]

Sat 4-4:30 PM — Reconciliation [Cry Room] 5:30 PM — Mass [+Gary Hoffman]

8:00 PM — AA (open) in the Parish Center

Sun 9:00 AM — Mass [St. Patrick's Parishioners]

2:00 PM — Rosary

Mass is live streamed Sundays at 9:00 a.m. and most weekdays at 10:00 a.m.

Visit www.chadronstpatricks.org and click on the Mass Videos tab to view.

Please wear a mask in and around the Church!!!

Weekly Collection

October 3/4, 2020

Contributions needed to make weekly budget: \$6,000.00 Regular Giving: \$5,069.00/ Building Fund \$53.00/ World Mission Sunday: \$50.00/ Online: \$819.00

We are Baptized and Sent!

Next week is World Mission Sunday, in a special Extraordinary Missionary Month. We are called through our baptism to be part of the Church's missionary efforts, through prayer, self-sacrifice and support of missionary



PRAY AND GIVE

vocations through material aid. Remembering that we are baptized and sent as a Universal Church of Christ on mission in the world, we can...PRAY for the Church's worldwide missionary work. We can also OFFER financial HELP and CHARITY through The Society for the Propagation of the Faith for vulnerable communities throughout Asia, Africa, Latin America and the Pacific Islands.

Ministries

Saturday Oct. 17, 2020

Lector/Proclaimer: N Haag Greeters: G Dusek, L Hollibaugh Music: Volunteers

Sunday, Oct. 18, 2020

Lector/Proclaimer: K Swinney **Greeters**: The D Huls Family

Eucharist Minister to Prairie Pines: M Wess

Music: McLain/ Men's Choir

Church Cleaning Main Sanctuary:

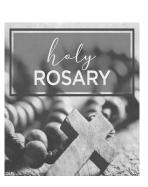
Saturday, Oct. 17: B Rhembrandt, M McClaren

Windows for October:

B Kahl

The Bishops' Pro-life Virtual Conference

"Redeeming the Time" will be held on Saturday, October 24 from 9:00AM - 1:00PM. Please visit necatholic.org to register or for more information.



Rosary held Sundays in October

The Knights of Columbus will be reciting the rosary every Sunday in October at 2:00 PM in the Church. **Prayer Line:** Prayer requests can be sent to Darlene at yantzi@gpcom.net, 432-5432 or Mary at 432-4994, cbaehler@gpcom.net.



Coffee Hour: The Coffee hour will be held this week on Thursday, October 15th at 10:30 a.m. in the Church Gathering Area after daily Mass. Everyone is invited to come chat. Please wear a mask, we social distance at the tables.

GRIEF SUPPORT

Grief group to begin October 27th

St. Patrick's is offering a grief group to support and walk with those at any stage of grief. This group will meet for 8 weeks for approximately one hour beginning

Tuesday, Oct. 27 at

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For more information or to sign up please email Cindy at office@chadronstpatricks.org or you can call her at the office 308.432.2626.



GOSPEL MEDITATION -God gives us an invitation to have an abundant life. The banquet is ready, and the tables are set. Come! There is so much to attend to in the everydayness of our lives. We have plans, after all. There is never enough time and so much that needs to be done. There is work, children, and grandchildren, paying the bills, planning for retirement, figuring out the details of our next vacation, making sure we are on top of our game with work, planning social engagements, answering emails, texts, and getting our latest pictures on Facebook. There is always something. What is this about some banquet?

I need another party and commitment like a hole in the head. I can't manage what I already have, and someone is asking me to do more! Seriously? I saw the invitation; I think it came in the mail the other day. Did I leave it on the table? Oh wait, it may have gotten thrown away. I can't remember. In any case, I'm managing things pretty well on my own, I think. Thanks for thinking of me, but no thanks. My life is only as good as I make it and I have to be sure that all is in order! Oh, another invitation came today! This guy's being persistent. Now, I'm getting angry. I wish he would just leave me alone and stop with this invitation nonsense.

I woke up feeling a bit unsettled this morning. The kids have left the house, the grandchildren are busy with their lives, my retirement fund is losing ground, I'm worried about my health, folks have moved away, and I find myself alone. I am unhappy. I remember getting an invitation some time ago to a banquet promising new life and life in abundance. Did I miss something? I think I may have. I am finally discovering that life is not about me and my world. I think I've ignored the God who made me and the God who is the reason for my life, my hope, and my joy. It's always been about me. I have not really discovered Eternal Love.

Is the invitation still open?

Can I come to the banquet? I think I'd like to come. ©LPi

From Fr. Todd

Hello,

These days are beautiful. Enjoy these days of summer gently opening the door to fall.



There's much in the Scriptures about the God who provides. There's much in the Scriptures about how servants react to the master. The message is a message of Stewardship. The Gospels these days can move us to ask--how are we taking care of what we have been given?

The Jesuits have a great tradition of Examen. We reflect on (examen) our recent interactions.

How have I built another up?
What am I avoiding?
Who am I avoiding?
How have I brought joy?
How have I brought disappointment?
Where is God in my life?
How am I sharing God with others?
Place yourself in today's Gospel.
Who do you relate to in today's Gospel?
What does the Gospel communicate to you?

May we engage the living word.

See the information on Dave and Doug's upcoming visit to our Parish. They will help us commemorate All Saints Day. It should good.

Peace,

Fr. Todd

Unity & Charity

is the motto of Catholic Daughters of America (CDA), "one of the oldest and largest organizations of Catholic women in the Americas." The local CDA chapter, Our Lady of Lourdes, meets the second Sunday of every month after Mass in the Media Room. New members are always welcome. Please consider joining! For more information, please contact Amy at 308.432.3673.

"I am Called" Sunday Nov 1st 6pm

It's time to gather as community, to laugh, to sing, to pray and to discover the saint that lies within each of us. Join national

Catholic Musicians, Humorists and Storytellers, Doug and Dave (Doug Brummel and Dave Wilson), as we join together as one body in Christ to give thanks to our God for our blessings and for each other. This will be an epic night so please invite your family and friends of all ages. You will be glad you did! We all need this! Be sure to follow Doug and Dave on Facebook and Instagram

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