



# St. Patrick Church

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Pentecost Sunday

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## PRE-BAPTISMAL CLASSES

Pre-register, 432-2626

## WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday, 5:30 pm Sunday, 9:00 am

## TELEVISED MASS

Thursday, 6:00 pm, Channel 2, Cable

## SACRAMENT of RECONCILIATION

Saturday, 4:00 pm or by appointment (For Changes In  
Regular Schedule, See Inside Bulletin)

## WHEN TRAVELING

Find Mass times around the country at:  
[www.MassTimes.org](http://www.MassTimes.org)

# PENTECOST

*dwell within us*



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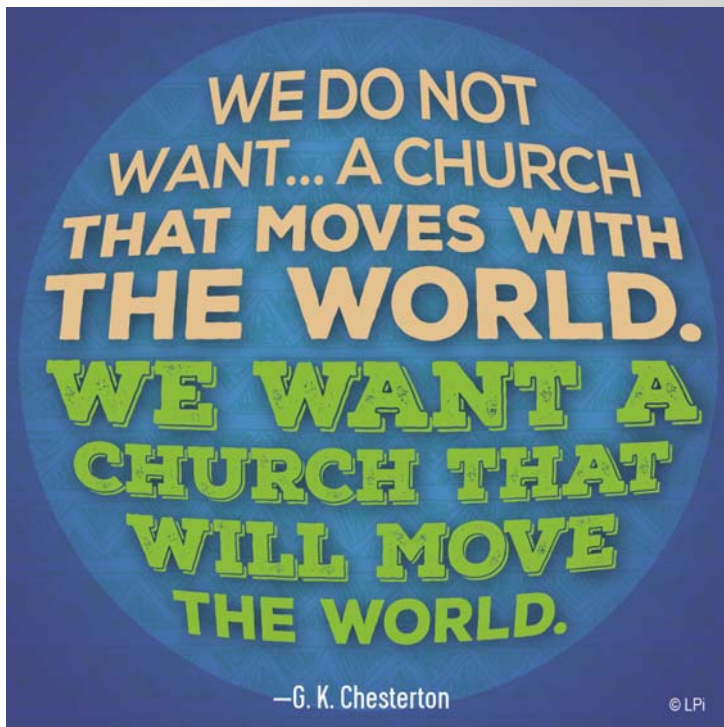
**WELCOME**—We extend a warm welcome to you whether long term residents or newly arrived in the Parish. If you are not registered, we invite you to register by calling or stopping in the parish office.


*Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained."*  
-Jn 20:21-23

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## THIS WEEK

- Sun** 9:00 AM—Graduation Mass [Class of 2016] Special offering is for the Seminary  
10:15 AM—Parish Council meets after Mass  
1:00 PM—Knights of Columbus Highway Cleanup, meet at the Arena  
6:00 PM—Knights of Columbus meeting
- Mon** No Mass  
8:00 PM – AA (closed), in the parish center
- Tue** 5:30 PM—Mass [+LeRoy & +Vivian Linden]
- Wed** 7:30 AM—Mass [+Kenneth Engel]
- Thu** 7:30 AM—Mass [+Chuck Cogdill]  
8:00 PM—AA (open), in the parish center
- Fri** 10:00 AM—Mass at Prairie Pines [Parish Staff]
- Sat** 4-4:30 PM—Reconciliation  
5:30 PM— Mass [Parishioners]  
8:00 PM—AA (open), in the parish center
- Sun** 9:00 AM—Mass [Zeimens Family]



**ARMED FORCES DAY**  Armed Forces Day, the third Saturday of May, is a time to remember and appreciate people who have served or who are now serving in the military.

Today, service members are volunteers who willingly leave their families and homes to serve as protectors, defenders and servants of our beloved country. Their roles often involve great danger, perilous missions and harm to their bodies, minds and spirits.

Let those in military service know that you appreciate their service and sacrifice on behalf of America. Pray for them, speak appreciatively to them and let them know of your support.

## Next Sunday's Readings

*Trinity Sunday, May 21, 2016* ~ Proverbs 8:22-31 (God's Wisdom); Romans 5:1-5 (Justification by Faith); John 16:12-15 (The Spirit of Truth)

## Prayer Line

If you have a prayer request, please call Darlene Yantzi, 432-5432; Mary Baehler, 432-4994.

## Words of Life

"[A] reflection of God's own reality shines out in the human person, in every person, whatever the stage or condition of his life."

—Pope Benedict XVI, Address of February 27, 2006 ([www.goo.gl/4Bj3ss](http://www.goo.gl/4Bj3ss)) © Libreria Editrice Vaticana. Used with permission.

## Vocations

*Families Grow Vocations. Speak of Christ:* Parents, speak often of Christ in terms that endear your children to Him. Let His name be part of the family vocabulary. Talk about how your faith in Christ has impacted your life and led you to where you are today.

## Parish Health Notes

Autism affects 1 in 68 children and is one of the fastest-growing developmental disorders in the U.S. costing families an average of \$60,000 a year. There is no medical detection or cure for autism, and boys are nearly five times more likely than girls to be diagnosed with autism. *Early intervention* (before school age) can have a significant impact on a child's ability to learn new skills, as well as reduce the need for costly interventions over time. *One of the most important things you can do as a parent or caregiver is to learn the early signs of autism.*

*The following "red flags" may indicate a child is at risk for an autism spectrum disorder:*

- \*No big smiles or other joyful expressions by six months of age
- \*No back-and-forth sharing of sounds or other facial expressions by nine months of age
- \*No babbling or back-and-forth gestures such as pointing, reaching or waving by 12 months of age
- \*No words by 16 months or meaningful, two-word phrases by 24 months of age
- \*Loss of speech, babbling or decreased social skills at any age

*If your child exhibits any of these signs please don't delay in asking your family doctor for an evaluation.*  
[www.autismspeaks.org](http://www.autismspeaks.org)



### FROM THE DESK OF FR. TIM

This week we celebrate Pentecost, the ending of the Easter Season.

Congratulations to our CHS Senior Class of 2016. May your future be bright and open new doors to many opportunities. Please continue to learn and grow through the years. May God continue to bless you and the Holy Spirit guide you.

As I announced last weekend at the Masses, I am leaving at the end of June to begin my new assignment in Alliance and Hemingford. Thank you for all your love and support in my ministry these past 8 years. You are family in every way and will always be!

**BUT** you still have me for 5 more weeks!!

Have a great week!

*Fr. Tim*

### Liturgical Ministers for May 21-22, 2016

**Sat, 5:30 pm**

**Servers** - K Boeselager, A Kennedy

**Sacristan** - B Reading

**Proclaimer** - R Bauer

**Leader** - C Sutera

**Euch Min** - B Enos, M Baehler,

A Baehler, C Marchant, B Reading

**Greeters** - D Rasmussen, T Menke,

M Menke, R Menke

**Music** - P Chasek, D Kuskie

**Sun, 9:00 am**

**Servers** - Z Wordekemper, A Dressel

**Sacristan** - L Mathis

**Proclaimer** - L Detwiler

**Leader** - T Detwiler

**Euch Min** - K Heiting, J Songco,

R Horse, S Pelton, J Rissler

**Greeters** - N Wordekemper, D Worde-

kemper, N Dressel, S Dressel

**Crest View** - C Baehler

**Hosp/Prairie Pines** - G Fickel

**Music** - P Chasek, D Kuskie

### Cleaning Schedules

*Church Cleaning for Main Sanctuary,*

*Saturday, May 21 (or whenever convenient*

*during the week):* K of C—Rick Koza,

Joe Rischling

### Church Window Cleaning for the

**Month of May:** Frances Gonzalez

### Sunday Offering



*Contributions needed  
weekly to meet budget:*

*\$6,000 (5-1) Reg:*

*\$5,181.36; Online: \$10.00;*

*Bldg: \$3.00; Children: \$2.00; Dioc*

*Appl: \$1,350.00*

***Thank you for  
your generosity!***

### Gone for the weekend?

If you are going to be gone over a weekend and would like a bulletin mailed to you, please call the office, 432-2626, or you can find it online.

### Knights of Columbus News

- Sunday, May 15—4th Degree Members, Graduation Mass at 9 am  
Regular meeting at 6 pm

Knights of Columbus Highway Cleanup rescheduled—Due to the recent rains, we were unable to complete the highway cleanup on its original date. Highway cleanup has been rescheduled for Sunday, May 15 at 1:00 pm. We will meet at the Assumption Arena and then carpool to our designated area. We need your help, please plan on assisting with this valuable community project.



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### *How do we know when we receive the Holy Spirit?*

My brothers and I discovered something as we got older. There's a little bit of dad in us. Each time we catch ourselves using one of his gestures, expressions, or comments about a meal, we say, "I'm getting more like Dad!" Many laughs and good-natured kidding have come out of it. Mom loves it, and so does Dad, although I doubt he'd admit it!

# A

When we are confirmed, we receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit. There is no radical change in us that makes us seem suddenly different. Over a period of time we come to see that there is a little bit of the Spirit in us. We catch ourselves using the gifts, and often end up wondering where a bit of wisdom came from, or why we were so patient or feel an intensity in our prayer. Perhaps we felt drawn to deepen our spiritual life and found courage in witnessing to our faith. That's when we know we have received the Holy Spirit. We take

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his image. Yes, we grow in age, grace and wisdom, but we also grow in our awareness and understanding of the working of God in our life. We become more godlike, realizing we're getting more and more like God. Our thoughts, words and actions carry that quality and others too, see it in us. You might call it holiness. But be confident! There's a little bit of him in all of us.