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PLEASE PRAY FOR WORLD PEACE

MASSES:

Saturday 4:00 St. Patrick's
Saturday 5:15 St. Brigid's
Sunday 8:30 St. Patrick's
Sunday 11:00 St. Brigid's
M,W,F. noon—St. Patrick's

T & Th: 9:00 a.m. St. Brigid's/St. Joseph's

BAPTISM: Usually scheduled for Sunday during or after Mass. Parents should first contact the pastor for an appointment and also plan on attending one session of our Baptismal Preparation Program, which explains the significance of the sacrament and each part of the Baptismal rite. Many parents may find it more convenient to attend this session during pregnancy rather than after the birth of their child. We rejoice with joy in your happiness!



St. Brigid & St. Joseph

318 Herkimer Street, Syracuse, NY 13204

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MARRIAGE: Congratulations! We want to do everything we can to make this day special for you. Couples should be members of the parish and make an appointment with the pastor at least six months before the desired date of the wedding. Participation in some form of Pre -Cana conference is necessary.

HOSPITAL: Please notify us if you or a member of your family enters the hospital so that they will be able to receive the healing Sacraments of Anointing of the Sick and the Eucharist.

HOMEBOUND: There may be times when you may not be able to get to Mass because of illness or the weather. If this is the case, please let us know so that we will be able to bring you Communion. Also, if you know of anyone who is permanently homebound, please let us know so that we will be able to schedule frequent Communion visitations.

NEW PARISHIONERS: Welcome to our community!
Please register at the rectory as soon as possible

Parish Mission Statement

Saint Patrick Parish is a welcoming community dedicated to spreading the Word of the Lord through worship, education, outreach and service.

We strive to meet the spiritual and human needs of our parish family and lovingly reach out to all people by sharing our faith, talents, blessings and heritage.

We welcome you to St. Patrick's and thank you for celebrating the liturgy with us today.

Monday, May 22

12:00 Bob Farrington - Gertrude

12:00 Mass for the Unborn - Theresa Cacchione

Tuesday May 23

9:00 Mass at St. Brigid's/St. Joseph's

Wednesday, May 24

12:00 Eleanor Wasko – Art Wafer & Family

12:00 John/Tom Trait – Jack/ Gerry Barrett

Thursday May 25

9:00 Mass at St. Brigid's/St. Joseph's

Friday, May 26

12:00 Jack Bataglia – Pete/Mary DeCarlo

12:00 Mass for the Unborn – Theresa Cacchione

Saturday, May 27

4:00 Elizabeth Seeley – Family

4:00 Jeffery Cox – Maryellen Seeley

5:15 Mass at St. Brigid's/St. Joseph's

Sunday, May 8

8:30 Joan Jufko – Family

8:30 Thelma Sullivan – Michael Quinn

11:00 Mass at St. Brigid's/St. Joseph's

SANCTUARY LIGHTS will burn in memory of Declan Michael Lantry Deceased

Please remember in your prayers

Richie Allen, Rita Baker, Irene Bertolini, Marie Doran, Gert Fatcheric, Rose Fumich, Dylan Patrick Healy, Mark Henson, Stephen Hoefler, Moun Keo, Christine Kleberg, Gert McGuire, Patrick O'Neil, Bob Spafford, Dorothy Stempinski

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We appreciate your generosity

St. Brigid's /St. Joseph's

There are several pastors and parish Priests that will be retiring on June 30, 2017. This will require many changes in pastor and Priest assignments and some church closings that will impact St. Brigid's parish community. Part of the diocesan plan is the linking of St. Patrick's and St. Charles's/St. Ann's and would mean the closing of St. Brigid's/St. Joseph's church. This could happen as soon as July 1, 2017. We won't know until the Bishop begins the process of replacing the retirees. Currently St. Brigid's and St. Patrick's are linked (2 parishes operating independently with one Pastor). We are continuing the process of merging with St. Patrick's, which means we will become a single parish with one set of buildings based at St. Patrick's.

The St. Brigid's Parish Council met on Monday, April 24th and the majority voted to set the date of January 2, 2018 as a final closing date in an attempt to take control of our situation. This is not an easy situation by any means and a very difficult decision to make. In the weeks and months ahead, may we prayerfully listen and be there for our brothers and sisters at St. Brigid's and help them in any way that we can as they make this transition.

Hope Appeal – You should be receiving an envelope this week from the Bishop regarding the Hope Appeal. Our assessment for this year is \$28,503. If we do not raise that amount we have to make up the difference through our church funds. I know this was only supposed to be for one year and it is a good thing that it wasn't because due to our economic conditions and so many people struggling we need the Hope Appeal now more than ever before so please take the time to reflect on what you are able to give and all the good that the Hope Appeal does for people.

2017 IRISH SWEEPSTAKES tickets are available at the rectory if you are interested in purchasing one we will be happy to mail it to you. They are sixty dollars and the prizes are

1st prize \$10,000
 2nd prize 5,000
 4 prizes of 2,500
 3 prizes of 1,000
 8 prizes of 500

FESTIVAL – it is close to summer when we start talking about the Irish Festival – July 21st and 22nd – this is our 26th year for the festival. If you are interested in placing an ad in our festival booklet please call Maura Kisselstein at 422-5841 or Tim Gaughan at 440-5091 or if you would like to volunteer give Tim a call. We need many volunteers to work a couple of hours so people don't have to work all afternoon or evening so if possible please give us some help – we would really appreciate it. Plan on joining us for our festival mass at 4:00. Hope to see you there.

Want to do something EASY for the Festival?

You can help by donating a gift card for our raffle basket. You can drop off a restaurant card to the Rectory or B.J. Hayes. For more information you can call B.J. at (315)440-5748.

ALTAR SERVERS

May 27: Aiden Glennon, Emma, Hannah Ortiz
 May 28: John, Luke, and Marie Markoske

Coffee and Donuts following Mass this morning in Sammons Hall

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

SATURDAY MAY 27

Paul Regin 1
 Adam Wright 2
 Don McNamara 3
 Sandy Bernozzi 1A
 B.J. Hayes 3A

SUNDAY MAY 28

Sarah Moynihan 1
 Angela McCarthy 2
 Maribeth Elia 3
 Christine Chiappone 1A
 Colleen Costello 3A

ASCENSION THURSDAY MAY 25

Mass at St. Brigid's 9:00am
 Mass at St. Patrick's 12:00pm

No Mass Monday May 29th

Please say a decade of the rosary each day for world peace.

Mass Greeters – As our parish grows in population we would like to create a welcoming and friendly parish environment. We are looking for volunteers to greet parishioners and hand out bulletins before each weekend mass. We will need at least 3 volunteers for each mass, you would need arrive at least 15 minutes prior to mass. If you are interested in volunteering please contact the rectory @ 315-475-2185 or stpats@stpatrickssyr.org

*Life is not about waiting for the storm to pass...
 It's about learning to Dance in the rain
 Vivian Greene*

Have a great weekend-stay safe and we will see you next weekend.

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