



## ***St. Patrick and St. Brigid***

216 N. Lowell Avenue, Syracuse, NY 13204

### ***Parish Mission Statement***

Saint Patrick and Saint Brigid's 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 St Brigid's and thank you for celebrating the liturgy with us today.*

**PLEASE PRAY FOR WORLD PEACE**

### **MASS SCHEDULE**

#### **Weekend Schedule**

**Saturday Vigil Mass**  
 4:00 PM St. Patrick's  
 5:15 PM St. Charles

**Sunday Morning Mass**  
 8:00 AM St. Ann's  
 9:00 AM St. Patrick's  
 10:30 AM St. Charles

#### **Week days Masses**

**M** 8:00 AM St. Ann's  
**T** 8:00 AM St. Charles  
**TH** 8:00 AM St. Charles  
**W, F** 12:00 PM St. Patrick's  
**Confessions Saturday 3:30 PM St. Patrick's**

### **PHONES**

Rectory/Parish Office .....475-2185  
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### **WEBSITE**

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### ST. PATRICK & ST. BRIGID PARISH STAFF

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Deacon Tony Paratore  
Sarah Fisher, Bookkeeper  
Michael Goodnough, Office Administrator/Sacristan  
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Michael Foody, Facilities Manager

### *Please remember in your prayers*

Lee Ackerman, Donna Adams, Richie Allen, Scott Becksted, Phyllis Behan, Irene Bertonlini, Eileen Boutin, Nona Brockway, Cristen Brophy, Don Boyle, Amelie Callahan, Margaret Cheevers, Anna Ciccarelli, Marian Ciciriello, Chester Clapper, Mary Courcy, Kathy McCabe-Crouse, Sylvester Conte, Tom Corbett, Joan Darby, Ronald & Sally Doughton, John Drury, Gert Fatcheric, Fr. John Fetcho, Rose Fumich, Teresa Gelormini, Michael Goodyear, Dorothy Graser, Grace Guild, Chris H., Dylan Patrick Healy, Mark Henson, Cathy Hubert, Chris Jones, Connor Karlovitz, Christine Kleberg, Ted Kocienski, Nancy Kreis, Siobhan Leonard, Kathleen Mayhew, Cherie McCauley, Antonette Milazzo, Beverly Morgan, Mary Murphy, Donna Marie Pirro, Rocco Pirro, Bea Reed, Bill Rezak, Christine Ryan, Jenien Seib, Pat Sheehan, Laurie Smiley, James Spinoso Jr., Patricia Stripe, Brandon Thomas, Jean Tupper, McKenna Turner, Jess Venditti, Angela Weeks, Gerald Wickert, Carmella White, John P. White, Robert Zacholl

### *Christmas and New Years*

#### *Mass Schedule*

##### *Christmas Eve*

*4:00 St. Patrick's*

*4:00 St. Charles*

*5:30 St. Ann's (Children's Mass)*

##### *Christmas Morning*

*9:00 St. Patrick's*

*10:30 St. Charles*

##### *New Years Eve Vigil*

*5:30 St. Charles*

##### *New Years Morning*

*9:00 St. Ann's*



*SANCTUARY LIGHTS* This week the  
*Sanctuary Lights will burn in memory*  
*of James & Connie Gelormini - Family*  
*Deceased & Living members of the Kate and*  
*Bill Collins Family*

### *Christmas Eve*

#### *No Morning Mass*

#### *Office is Closed*

*SP 4:00 Robert & Hazel Hayes & Family - Family*

*SC 4:00 Skahen/Paratore Family -*

*Dc Tony & Marylou*

*SA 5:30 Maraget Sauda - Bob & Ellen Flynn*

### *Christmas Day*

*SP 9:00 Past & Present Volunteers of our Parish*

*SC 10:30 Patricia Corbett 1st Ann- Parishioners*

### *Wednesday, December 26*

#### *No Mass No Office*

### *Thursday, December 27 St. Charles*

*8:00 Richard Morley - Mary Morley*

*8:00 William Schoeneck 1st Ann - Parishioners*

### *Friday, Decemebr 28 at St. Patrick's*

*12:00 Joseph Scott - Family*

*12:00 Anne Quinn - Family*

### *Saturday, December 29*

*SP 4:00 Margaret Seeley - Maryellen*

*SP 4:00 Peg Leogue - Goodnough Family*

*SC 5:15 Ed Kearney - Rosemary Kearney*

### *Sunday, December 30*

*SA 8:00 Rose Bronzetti 1yr Ann - Family*

*SP 9:00 Brian Davis - Rosary Golfers*

*SP 9:00 Rosemary Koppel - Paulette Schillo*

*SC 10:30 Lorenzo DiPaolo - Family*

### *Contributions*

*12/9/18- \$6,039.00*

*Thank you for your Generosity*  
*"Pray Like A Champion"*

## Fourth Sunday of Advent

### A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar

#### Fourth Sunday of Advent

*Mary was excited about her first pregnancy and rushed to tell her cousin. Sadly children are often seen as a liability, "another mouth to feed" or an "obstacle to my career." It is said "Christmas is for children." It is more accurate to say "Christmas is for adults to appreciate the gift of children!"*

### Twelve Days of Christmas

*The twelve days of Christmas is a period in Christian theology that marks the span from the birth of Christ to the coming of the Magi, the three wise men. It begins on the December 25 Christmas day and runs through January 6 the Epiphany. A popular theory was that the Christmas Carol was used as a coded message that would allow Christians to pass along their faith with out the risk of persecution. The version that we sing today was written*

*by Fredrick Austin in England in 1909, he set the melody and lyrics. According to the legend the meaning behind the lyric is as follows:*

- 1- Partridge in a pear tree represents Jesus Christ*
- 2- Turtle Dove - the Old and New Testament*
- 3- French Hens - Faith, Hope and Charity*
- 4- Calling Birds - The four Gospels , Matthew, Mark , Luke and John*
- 5- Golden Rings - 1st five books of the Old testament*
- 6- Geese a laying - The six days of creation*
- 7- Swans a swimming- The 7 Sacraments*
- 8- Maids a milking - the Eight Beatitudes*
- 9- Ladies Dancing-The nine fruits of the Holy Spirit*
- 10-Lords lords a leaping- The 10 Commandments*
- 11-Pipers Piping - 11 faithful apostles*
- 12- Drummers Drumming- The 12 points of doctrine in the Apostles Creed*



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

**Go SU !!!**

### ALTAR SERVERS

#### Saturday December 29 4pm

Brigid, Nora and Shamus Burns

#### Sunday December 30 9am

Daniel Cacchione, Luke and Marie Malkowski

### LECTORS

#### Saturday December 29

A Miles Bottrill

B Gary Spath

#### Sunday December 30

A John Murphy

B Mark Barnell

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

#### Saturday December 29

Adam Wright	1
Deacon Bob	2
Marianne Masterpole	3
Sandy Bernozzi	1A
Rosemary DeGennaro	3A

#### Sunday December 30

Bev Murphy	1
Deacon Bob	2
Nancy DeMichelle	3
Delores Bottrill	1A
John Murphy	3A

### GREETERS

#### Saturday December 29

Rita Collins, Tim Gaughan, Shelia Gaughan

#### Sunday December 30

Arlene Hayes, Anne Scobell, Chuck Palmiere

**"Lord, make us turn to you; let us see your face and we shall be saved."**

**Psalm 80**

*Please say a decade of the Rosary  
each day for World Peace*

**December 23, 2018**

**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!

**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

**What is the proper way to carry the Holy Eucharist**

*If you are bringing Communion to the homebound or to a loved one, you need to use sacred vessel known as a pyx. A pyx is the small round metal case (usually gold-plated) used to carry a few hosts. Other containers such as cloth or tissue paper should not be used. You can borrow a pyx from Church at anytime. Please see either Fr. Kevin or Michael before or after Mass. If you have borrowed a pyx in the past and are no longer in need of it's use, please return it so others will be able to use it.*

*As you know, it is a great privilege to serve as a minister in the church. We always welcome new ministers. If you would like to be trained to serve as an altar server, lector, or Eucharistic Minister, we welcome and encourage you to do so. Please contact the rectory for more information*

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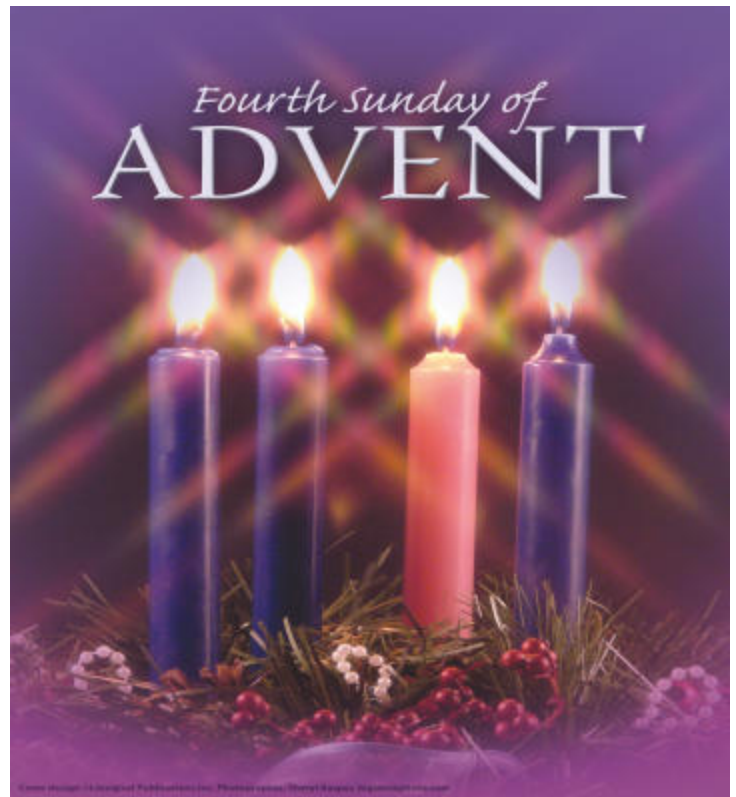
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eternal Word took flesh on our  
earth when the Virgin Mary  
placed her life at the service of  
your plan. Lift our minds in  
watchful hope to hear the voice  
which announces his glory and  
open our minds to receive the  
Spirit who prepares us for his  
coming. We ask this through  
Christ our Lord  
Amen*







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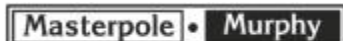
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