



# Saint Patrick Catholic Church

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## *Fourth Sunday of Easter*



### **Celebration of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass**

*Saturday, 4:00 pm ❖ Sunday, 10:00 am*

Wednesday and Thursday, 9:00 am

First Friday, 10:00am

Holy Days of Obligation, 12:00 Noon and 6:30 pm

### **The Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday, 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm or by appointment

**Fifth Sunday of Easter**

**FIRST READING:** (Acts of the Apostles 6:1-7) **2<sup>nd</sup> Reading** (1 Peter 2:4-9) **Gospel** (John 14:1-12)

**PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS IN THE HOSPITAL OR ON HOSPICE:** Please keep all the sick and their caregivers in your prayers.

**OUT OF RESPECT** for the privacy of our parishioners, names of those who are in the hospital are not listed in the bulletin without prior approval by the individual or an immediate family member if the individual is unable to speak for themselves.



**PRAYER BOOK:** The prayer book in the narthex is available for all prayer requests. Please pray daily for these requests.

**PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS:** Especially our families, friends and loved ones who are currently in active military service: Carlos Aguirre (Stateside) Darren Armentrout (Stateside), Darryl Balcom (Stateside), Jeremy Barton (Stateside), Joseph Byrd (Stateside), Matthew Cavender (Stateside), Melissa Dooley (England) Andy Easter (Afghanistan) Jaren Garton (Deployed) Brian Gibson (Iraq), Heath Gober (Iraq), Michael Anthony Grinston (Stateside), Andrew Hays (At Sea) Samantha Higgins (Stateside), Scott Jones (Stateside), Daniel Jordan (Stateside), Brett King (Stateside), Jenny Malone (Stateside), David Miller (Stateside), Richard Parvin (Qatar), Joey Serio (Iraq), Ben Perry (Qatar), and John Toombs (Afghanistan) . Please keep all of our brave men and women in your prayers. **If you know of any parishioner who should be added to or removed from this list, please contact the office.**

**PLEASE JOIN OUR PARISH!** We would love to have you as a registered member of St. Patrick. If you would like to join our parish, please pick up a Census Card in the narthex, fill it out and put it in the collection basket.

**PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS WHO ARE UNABLE TO LEAVE THEIR HOMES** Mickey Davidson. Please keep these, all the homebound, and their caregivers in your prayers. If you know of any parishioner who should be added to or removed from this list, please contact the office.

**MASS SUSPENSION UPDATE:** Mass suspension is now extended without a target date for re-opening. **The Diocese will, at the proper time, release Diocesan guidelines for the return to public celebrations of the Mass. For updates, please visit [www.bhmdiocese.org](http://www.bhmdiocese.org).**

**WEEKLY FINANCE REPORT**

**Please continue to send your tithes to the church during this time that public Mass has been suspended. The financial needs of the church are the same. You can mail them in, use your banks Bill Pay program or donated via the Website.**

**SPRING FOR A SHAMROCK!** We still have the following numbers available: 56,58,61,65-67,69-72,74,77,80-84,87-90,92-96,103,106-109, 113, 115, 117-123,126-129,131,134,135,137-139,142,144-149, 151-166,169,171-187,189-197,211-215,218,219,221-223,226-236,238-240,242-249,251-262,264-266, 268-277, 280-296,298,299.

How to play.

**1.** Pick a number(s) and pay that amount. You will be given a receipt for your taxes and a Shamrock will be placed over the number(s) **2.** Receive 1 Ca\$h drawing entry for each \$5.00 spent. We will round up, so if you spend \$25 Dollars you will get 5 entries, but spend 26 and get 6 entries. **3.** Receive 1 parking spot entry for each \$200.00 spent. **4.** We accept cash, checks and credit/debit cards. **5.** Wondering what happens if someone has already purchased the number you want? We can split your amount into two or three numbers or you can join with someone else **6.** Drawings will be held on May 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020. 1<sup>st</sup> place \$1,500; 2<sup>nd</sup> place \$750.00; 3<sup>rd</sup> place \$500.00; 4<sup>th</sup> place \$300.00; 5<sup>th</sup> Place \$300.00. Winner of the Parking Spot drawing will have the Springfest Special parking lot with a sign that it is designated for them for a year. Let's play and fill up the board.

**DRIVE IN MASS 10:00 am SUNDAY May 03** at St. Patrick! Please park every other parking space and stay in your vehicle in order to comply with social distancing rules. Tune to 100.7.

**4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter: World Day of Prayer for Vocations:** Whose voice will you follow - The Good Shepherd's or a stranger's? Pray for a listening heart. (John 10:1-10). Let us pray for this faith community, That He may lead and guide us as we live out our Christian vocation. (**Vocation View is sponsored by Serra Club**)

## *Growing in Faith*

**FAITH FORMATION: No Classes until further notice.**

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD No classes until further notice.**

**RCIA:** Considering joining the Catholic Church? Catholic but never confirmed? Need to make your First Communion? Want to be baptized? Let us help you! Check out our RCIA classes for adults considering joining the Catholic Church. Come and Learn. For more information, please call the church office. Classes are Tuesdays, at 6:00 pm. **NOTE:** No classes until further notice.



**SHAWL MINISTRY:** The Prayer Shawl Ministry will not meet this Monday. If you know of someone who is sick or in the hospital in need of comfort and prayers please let us know. Interested in joining? Call Mary Evans. **NOTE: No meetings until further notice.**



**MUSIC MATTERS:** Choir rehearsals will be suspended until the time that public Mass resumes.

## **KNIGHT'S CORNER**



**SVDP MEETING:** While we will still be ministering to those in need we will not have a formal meeting until we are given the all clear by the Bishop.

**SHOP AT AMAZONSMILE:** Amazon will donate a portion of any online purchase to SVdP. Simply click the icon on the SVdP page on St. Patrick website to place your order. Donations will be computed by AMAZON and automatically transferred to our account.

## **PLEASE HELP THE SVdP PANTRY**

Cooking Oil

Flour

Jellies

Mayo

Corn Meal



See Brown Bag for a list of additional items needed

**Fourth Sunday of Easter:** Today, we celebrate "Good Shepherd Sunday" where we reflect on Jesus' care and love of us and hear his words, "I came so that they may have life and have it more abundantly." **By your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul you will reveal the love of the "Good Shepherd" to your suffering brothers and sisters.**

**CAMP ST. BERNARD**

At this time, we have not cancelled summer camp for 2020, but will announce our decision around the first of May. While I remain hopeful, I do not foresee camp happening this year. At this point, I do not recommend signing up for camp, but will be waiting until our announcement to begin processing any cancellations and refunds. Go to <https://www.campstbernard.com/> for updates. As always, feel free to email me if you have any questions. John Arndt Camp Director

**IAHS RAFFLE:**

The society is sponsoring a trip for 2 to Rome, Florence, Bologna and Venice! Trip includes air fare, hotels, transportation-train tickets/cabs to and from airport, breakfasts and fees to all historic landmarks. Museum tours included will be to the Vatican Museum in Rome and the Accademia Gallery in Florence which houses the Statue of David. A gondola ride in Venice will be included. Chances are \$50 and has a value close to \$8000. Drawing held June 14<sup>th</sup>. For more information go IAHSBHAM.com or contact Leon Chiarella . All board members and many of the society have tickets available to purchase. (Raffle tickets were printed compliments of Brooklere Pharmacy.)


**SCHOLARSHIP ANNOUNCEMENT**

The IAHS is again announcing the opportunity for a \$1000 Scholarship based on the winning essay, "What My Italian Heritage Means to Me." To be eligible to participate, the applicant must have a relative who is a society member in good standing. Also, the person submitting the essay must be currently enrolled at the college level or a high school senior who has been accepted at a college. The \$1000 award will be paid directly to the college. The deadline for submitting the essay is Friday, May 31st, 2020. Go to our website [www.iahsbham.com](http://www.iahsbham.com) for scholarship guidelines.

**Understanding the Mass Next ?: The Introductory Rites continued.** This section will be suspended until the Mass suspension has been lifted

**2<sup>nd</sup> Collection**

**Weekly Mass Schedule**

Capital		Saturday	05/02	No Mass
Improvements		Sunday	05/03	10:00 am Drive In
		Monday	05/04	No Mass
		Tuesday	05/05	No Mass
		Wednesday	05/06	No Mass
		Thursday	05/07	No Mass
		Friday	05/08	No Mass
St. John Vianney		Saturday	05/09	No Mass
Home for Priests		Sunday	05/10	10:00 am Drive – In Mass Tune to 100.7 from the parking lot.

Father Vernon will say Private Mass during this time for the intention of the Parishioners and for some of the Mass intentions previously requested.

The Church office will remain open Monday and Thursday 8:00 am Noon. Please call if you have any questions or concerns.

Please go to [bhmdiocese.org](http://bhmdiocese.org) to read the full decree by Bishop Baker on the suspension of Mass and activities in the Diocese.

**MASS SUSPENSION UPDATE:** Mass is now suspended without a target date to reopen.

**Weekly Events and Meetings**

No activities are scheduled at the church until the public Mass suspension has been lifted.

The church will be open for private visits by the faithful during office hours.

**Temporary office hours are Monday 8:00 am – Noon and Thursday 8:00 am - Noon**

PLEASE SHARE THIS INFORMATION WITH THOSE YOU KNOW WHO DO NOT HAVE ACCESS TO A COMPUTER.