

St. Patrick's Parish

Served By:

Rev. Msgr. John T. Ferry, Pastor
Rev. Joseph Domfeh Boateng, Parochial Vicar

Schedule of Masses:

Sunday: 9:00 am, 10:30 am, 12 noon
Monday to Friday: 9:00 am
Saturday: 9 am, 5:30 pm (Vigil Mass of Sunday)

Holy Days of Obligation: 5:30 pm (Vigil), 7:00 am, 9:00 am,
7:00 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturdays 4:30 to 5:00 pm
Anytime in the Rectory by appointment.



Parish Office at the Cenacle:

Office Hours: Monday 9:00am—4:00pm
Tuesday through Friday 9:30am-2:30pm
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St. Patrick's Religious Education:

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Parish Registration:

Our parish family invites all of its members to participate fully in our spiritual and social life. Please register as a parishioner. If you have a change of address, please notify the Parish Office.

Baptisms:

First and third Saturday of the month by appointment. Prior Baptismal Catechesis is required when baptizing the first child. Call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

Communion to the Homebound:

Call the Parish Office to make arrangements. A Eucharistic Minister will bring Communion to the ill or infirm who cannot attend mass.

Chapel of Eucharistic Adoration:

The Chapel is located in the Cenacle Building (at 485 Old Post Road, Bedford). Hours are 10 am to 2:30pm, Monday through Friday. Signup times are available.

Anointing of the Sick:

Call the Parish Office to make arrangements. If the Parish Office is closed, please call the Rectory.

Palm Sunday—March 28, 2021

Mass Intentions

Saturday, March 27

9:00 am Carmela Albanese req. by Grace, Fran Antonella Albanese

5:30 pm Edward Hayes, Sr. req. by The Hayes Family

Sunday, March 28

9:00 am Joseph Paul req. by His loving parents Andrew & Jessie & Family

10:30 am Jose Cal Vetin req. by Family

12:00 pm Margherita Luccarelli req. by Family

Monday, March 29

9:00 am Nina Sullivan req. by Claire Grimes

Tuesday, March 30

9:00 am -

Wednesday, March 31

9:00 am John Fitzgerald Whitting req. by The Hayes Family

Thursday April 1

9:00 am Solemn Morning Prayer

7:30 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper

Good Friday, April 2

9:00 am Tenebrae

3:00 pm Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

7:00 pm Stations of the Cross

Holy Saturday, April 3

9:00 am Tenebrae

8:00 pm Kathleen Conneely req. by John & Gail Conneely
(The Easter Vigil)

Easter Sunday, April 4

8:30 am Catechists & Volunteers req. by The Religious Education Program

10:30 am Vincent J. & Vincent D. Luccarelli req. by Family

12 noon Teresa & Joseph Vitelli req. by the Family

1:30 pm Sr. Barbara Heil & Sr. Janet Meehan req. by Christina Fuhrman



Pray for the Sick

We need your help in order to keep our Prayer List up to date! Please remember to let the Parish Office know when you'd like to add or remove a name.

Thank you!

Service Personnel Prayer List

The names listed below are service personnel serving in our nation's armed forces who are relatives of our parishioners. Please keep them in your prayers.

Darren Adler/Marines

Charlie Carr/Air Force

Richard Hughes/Marines

Steven Scully/Marines

Thomas M. Stevenson/Army

Jacqueline M. Penichet/Navy

Luis F Penichet/Marines

John Lund/Navy

Hosanna



Blessed is Jesus



March 2021 Baptisms

Zachary Howard Wong

Palm Sunday—March 28, 2021

From the Pastor's Desk:

Dear Parishioners,

I hope all are safe and well. It has been a long year and with Spring, we hope to see better and brighter days ahead of us. As we celebrate Palm Sunday, we enter into Holy Week during which we recall the last days of Our Lord's earthly life. We recall during the Sacred Triduum, the Last Supper on Holy Thursday, the Passion and Death of Jesus on Good Friday and the Resurrection. All of these events lead us to the glory of Easter.

Due to the Covid virus there will be some changes in the ways that our Holy Week liturgies are observed this year. Please be patient and by next year with the help of God, we should be back to normal.

I am grateful to all who have continued to support our parish in person, by mail and through WeShare. Many parishes are not doing well financially, but thankfully we are holding our own. We do rely heavily on the Easter collection so I ask you to please be generous. By now you have received letters regarding the *Annual Cardinal's Appeal*. The Appeal supports many of the programs of the Archdiocese in addition to the formation and retirement needs of our priests. It also provides crucial help to parishes that are struggling. Please help us reach our goal.

May Holy Week bring many blessings to each of us as we journey to Easter!

God bless you,

Msgr. Ferry, Pastor

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE 2021

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

Saturday, March 27: 5:30 PM
Sunday, March 28, 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM,
12 noon

Monday of Holy Week

Reconciliation from 4:00 PM until 8:00 PM

Holy Thursday, April 1

Solemn Morning Prayer - 9:00 AM
Mass of the Lord's Supper - 7:30 PM

Good Friday, April 2

Tenebrae - 9:00 AM
Liturgy of the Lord's Passion - 3:00 PM
Stations of the Cross - 7:00 PM

Holy Saturday, April 3

Tenebrae - 9:00 AM The Easter Vigil - 8:00 PM

Easter Sunday, April 4

8:30 AM, 10:30 AM, 12 noon & 1:30 PM
No 5:30 PM Mass

Betrayed & Abandoned...

What can we do compared to Jesus, who served us even to the point of being betrayed and abandoned? We can refuse to betray him and not abandon what really matters in our lives. We were put in this world to love him and our neighbors. Life is of no use if not used to serve others. For life is measured by love. So, in these holy days, let us fix our gaze on the Crucified One to see the fullest measure of God's love for us, and let us ask for the grace to live in order to serve. May we reach out to those who are suffering and those most in need. May we not be concerned about what we lack, but what good we can do for others.

- Pope Francis

Community Center of Northern Westchester News...

Thank you for your incredible and overwhelming generosity. On Tuesday, our 3 volunteer food donation deliverers brought 93 bags of groceries to the Community Center of Northern Westchester. An additional delivery by an anonymous donor brought our total food donation to 1,652.7 lbs. of food. The St. Patrick's Day food drive was an outstanding success due to your efforts. The Community Center is not only grateful for our food donations but relieved that we continue to recognize that there is a significant food insecurity problem in our community. Fortunately, for both the Community Center and our neighbors-in-need we have addressed the food insecurity problem with our ongoing monthly food drives. Furthermore, our neighbors-in-need know that they are blessed to live in such a generous community. Especially during this year of the pandemic, families, single parents, students, seniors and individuals have been able to depend on our food donations which have kept them healthy. Let's pray and hope that our community is able to fully reopen and start to thrive again. Our next monthly food drive is scheduled for May 1st and 2nd with delivery on May 4th. Thank you again.

Have a blessed Easter.

Diane Bamford diane.r.bamford@gmail.com

St. Patrick's Emergency Shelter

Thank you...

I would like to thank the members of the **S.P.E.S. Planning Committee**: Gina Shea, Dave Kulowiec, - ESP Board Liaisons- Gerald Delaney, Maria Lonczak, Susan Leighton, Nancy Ralphs, Alessandra Rose and Donna Marino who worked so hard to make our efforts in serving the homeless in February so successful in spite of the challenges caused by the pandemic. Thanks also to all those who cooked and delivered meals and all who donated monetary gifts, toiletries and clothing items.

God Bless You!

Msgr. Ferry

Thank you...

During the Lenten season we are tasked with renewing and enhancing our relationship with Jesus as we prepare for the Pascal Tridium and Easter. Your participation in the St. Patrick's Emergency Shelter is a shining example of the pillars of Lent, praying, fasting and giving alms.

Thank you for working with the planning committee to deliver the most necessary human needs, food, personal items to the most needed in our midst. Your generous donations provided more than comfort, it provided hope and reassurance that our parish stands ready to expand the Kingdom of God through good works .

The SPES planning committee thanks you for your support and generous donations.

Yours in Christ,

Donna Marino