

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), 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
485 Old Post Road, Bedford, NY 10506
Mailing address: PO Box 303, Bedford, NY 10506
914-234-3344, Fax: 914-234-0493
Email: patrick485@optonline.net
Website: www.stpatricksbedford.org

Rectory:

7 Pound Ridge Road, Bedford, NY 10506
914-234-3668

St. Patrick's Religious Education:

Karen Schmidt, Coordinator Grades 1-4
Theresa Dolan, Coordinator Grades 5-8
914-234-3775, Fax: 914-234-0579
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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.

Sacrament of Marriage:

Please contact the Office at least 6 months in advance of your intended Wedding date. Attendance at a Marriage Preparation course is required.

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time—August 8, 2021

Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 7

- 9:00 am Evaristo & Olga Gonzalez req. by Antonia Caley
5:30 pm Cornelius Mahoney req. by The Hughes Family

Sunday, August 8

- 9:00 am The living & deceased members of St. Patrick's parish
10:30 am Cecilia Rohan req. by Sr. Kathleen
12:00 pm Hugo Vial & Richard Geoghean req. by Gladys Cardenas

Monday, August 9

- 9:00 am Caryl-Lyn Slane req. by Joanne & John Timmel

Tuesday, August 10

- 9:00 am Francis Kearns req. by The Kearns Family

Wednesday, August 11

- 9:00 am Deceased Members of Timmel Family req. by Joanne & John Timmel

Thursday August 12

- 9:00 am Daniel DiBenedetto req. by The Cale-Zizic Family

Friday, August 13

- 9:00 am -

Saturday, August 14

- 9:00 am Kevin Joseph Fay req. by Kathleen, Tell, Brian & Jennifer Fay Rice
5:30 pm The living & deceased members of St. Patrick's parish

Sunday, August 15

- 9:00 am Nora & Frank Magarahan req. by Sr. Kathleen Fitzgerald
10:30 am Beth Zumbach Llanos req. by Mary Ann & Bill Riley
12:00 pm Caroline Luccarelli req. by Family



Pray for our Beloved Dead

Marylin Leslie & Donald Rakow

(Funeral 8/14 at 10 am)

Pray for the Sick

Ann Kearns, Mia Trehan

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
John Lund/Navy
Jacqueline M. Penichet/Navy
Luis F Penichet/Marines
Steven Scully/Marines
Thomas M. Stevenson/Army



2021 St. Patrick's Carnival

Tuesday, 10/12 through Sunday, 10/17

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Contact Biagio & Kathy at

bkmignone.carnival@gmail.com

From the Pastor's Desk:

Dear Parishioners,

We often refer to our life, in both the physical and spiritual sense, as a journey. Both of these journeys have a beginning and a desired destination. Neither journey is possible to reach without the necessary provisions.

Elijah's journey lasted but a day when he found himself praying for death. An angel intercedes for him and provides him with a cake and water. The angel then orders him to continue on his journey. He walks for 40 days and nights and then reaches his destination of Mount Horeb, the mountain of God.

Our Gospel this Sunday continues the "Bread of Life" discourse. In this section of St. John's Gospel, Jesus again identifies Himself as the "Bread of Life" and tells us that whoever eats this bread will live forever. The destination we hope to reach at the end of our life is eternal life in heaven. Our spiritual journey needs sustenance and nourishment to help us reach our goal. Jesus gives us His very self in the Eucharist to sustain us on our journey.

May we reflect on the gift of the Eucharist and pray that we will always recognize and appreciate this special way that Jesus comes to us and accompanies us as we continue our journey to Him.

As we now have reached the month of August, we continue to pray that life will soon get back to normal. It seemed that things were getting better, but there have been some bumps in the road. Let's pray for everyone who can, will get vaccinated, and that we can soon put this all behind us. Please pray for all who are still sick that they will be quickly returned to health.

In Christ,

Msgr. Ferry



A Baby Shower for our cantor,

Alison McConekey Widlake!

Alison is expecting a little girl, Vivien Paige!

We invite our entire St. Patrick's family (the men and children are definitely included!)

to join us after the 12 pm mass on

Sunday, August 29th

for refreshments and celebration

in the Church Meeting Room.

No gifts are necessary but if you would like to bring a gift, Alison has a baby register, the link is:

www.babylist.com/baby-alison-mcconekey-widlake

If you would like to give a monetary gift, it will go towards Vivien's college fund and would

be greatly appreciated as well!

This is a wonderful way to show Alison how much we appreciate her—please come!

If you are unable to come to the shower, you may drop off a gift or a card at the Parish Office or mail to:

*Alison McConekey, St. Patrick's Parish, P.O. Box 303,
Bedford, NY 10506.*

We will give these items to her at the Shower.

Thank you!

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Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time—August 8, 2021

The 18th Annual Kennedy Catholic Golf Classic will be held in honor of our dear lost friend Robert Arminio.

Robert was a 1982 graduate of Kennedy Catholic. He was a 1986 graduate of North Carolina State University and a proud member of Alpha Sigma Phi. Robert was most at home on the golf course. He was a past member of Manchester Country Club, in Manchester, VT, Sleepy Hollow Country Club in Scarborough, NY, and current Honorary Member at Knollwood Country Club in Elmsford, NY.

Robert was a lifetime communicant at St. Ann's Parish in Ossining and St. Theresa's in Briarcliff Manor. He was an active member of the Ossining Historical Society Museum.

Robert had an over 30 year career in Real Estate Management that began in New York City, and culminated with PME Realty in Rockland County, NY. Robert will be remembered forever in the hearts of those who love him.

The Mahopac Golf and Beach Club

Thursday, September 30, 2021

10:00 AM– Check-In

11:00 AM– Shotgun Start

11:00 AM– Buffet Lunch, on the Course

4:00 PM– Cocktail Reception

5:00 PM– Dinner / Auction / Raffles

Please visit our [Golf Registration Page](#) to learn more about this great event. In the meantime, please mark your calendars for what will truly be a great golfing experience! ACT NOW! We expect to sell out again this year!!

Christian Leadership Institute August 18-22, 2021

Sponsored by Pallottine Teenage Federation (PTAF)

This 5-day retreat/workshop (begins Wednesday evening and ends Sunday afternoon) will give you all the tools you need to be a leader not only in your youth group but in all aspects of your life.

Basic Topics:

What makes a good leader?

Team Building

Running a meeting

Public Speaking

Communication Skills

Planning Skills

Problem Solving

You will also learn how to be a Christian Leader - How to proclaim the word, How to plan a Prayer Service, How to prepare the altar for Mass, and The basics of Church teachings.

Please plan on joining us for this life changing weekend.

Cost: \$150 for entire program

Where: The Vincent Pallotti Retreat Center

28 Resident Rd, Monroe NY

For more information Call: Cathy Rauschendofer (845)421-3499

The Vincent Pallotti Center maintains all Archdiocesan COVID guidelines such as distancing, sanitation, and mask wearing (as needed and directed) on every weekend or activity.

Employment Opportunity: The RDC Center for Counseling & Human Development has an opening for a **Spanish-Speaking Marriage and Family Therapist (Fee for service)**. Must have NYS License in Social Work, Psychology, or Mental Health Counseling, at least 3 years experience, Certification in Marriage and Family Therapy and fluent in Spanish. Send resume to psheridan@divinecompassion.org