



The Basilica of St. Patrick's Old Cathedral

The Corner of Mott & Prince Streets
New York City



Third Sunday of Lent ~ March 7, 2021

Basilica Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil	5:30pm	English
Sunday	9:00am	Spanish
	10:30am	English
	7:00pm	English
Monday-Friday	8:00am	Spanish
	12:10pm	English
Saturday	8:00am	Spanish
Confessions		
Saturday	4:30pm - 5:15pm	
Sunday	6:00pm - 6:45pm	

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Most Precious Blood
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Saturday/Sabado - March 6

8:00AM (Spa) Por el alma de Juan de Jesus Piraquive invita Nancy Piraquive

5:30PM (Eng) For: Bobby Proto
By: Connie & Jimmy DeCarluccio

Sunday/Domingo - March 7, Third Sunday of Lent

9:00AM (Spa) Por el alma de Charlie Fernandez invita su familia

10:30AM (Eng) For: The people of the parish
7:00PM (Eng) For: Jack Robert Montelbano & Salvatore Morale
By: The Montelbano Family

Monday/Lunes - March 8, St. John of God

8:00AM (Spa) En Acción de Gracias por la salud de Ramona Nuñez invita Agustina Rodriguez

12:10PM (Eng) For: Marta Waters
By: The Flatz Family

Tuesday/Martes - March 9, St. Frances of Rome

8:00AM (Spa) Por todos los miembros de nuestra parroquia

12:10PM (Eng) For: Dominik Babinski
By: Robert Campbell

Wednesday/Miercoles - March 10

8:00AM (Spa) Por el alma de Steven Diaz invita su madre

12:10PM (Eng) For: Francisco & Daniel Nuñez
By: Rosa Nuñez

Thursday/Jueves - March 11

8:00AM (Spa) Por las almas de Expedio & Maria Tomasina Vargas invita Ramona Vargas

12:10PM (Eng) For: Bill Horan
By: The Doyle Family

Friday/Viernes - March 12

8:00AM (Spa) Por las almas de Maria Filomena Nuñez y Floiran Collado invita Agustina Rodriguez

12:10PM (Eng) For: The Intention of Eleanor Rose Necklan
By: Alice & Hank Graebe

Saturday/Sabado - March 13

8:00AM (Spa) Por todos los miembros de nuestra parroquia

5:30PM (Eng) For: Marisa Sarubbi
By: Mom

Sunday's Collection

Basilica of St. Patrick's Old Cathedral: \$4,617.00
Shrine Church of the Most Precious Blood: \$195.00

Lent 2021

Rules of Fast and Abstinence

Fasting means eating only one full meal. Two smaller meals can be eaten to maintain physical strength but together they should not equal another full meal in quantity. Snacking between meals is not permitted.

Catholics ages 18-59 are obliged to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

Abstinence forbids the eating of meat or poultry. Those who have reached the age of 14 are obliged to abstain on Ash Wednesday and all Fridays of Lent and this continues to oblige throughout their life.

Stations of the Cross

Each Friday of Lent, please join us for Stations of the Cross at 7pm.

A New Catholic Podcast with Father Graebe

We're excited to announce the Break Fast podcast. Break Fast takes a lighthearted look into the Catholic faith through the lens of food and drink. Each week we explore Catholicism in a fun and unusual way to see how surprising, everyday things can help us deepen our faith. The topics will entertain, inform, and maybe even inspire!

You can find it on Apple Podcasts and, if you like what you hear, please share it with your friends and family.

Our social media accounts will provide weekly updates as we will be releasing episodes every Tuesday for the next eight weeks.

Twitter: [break_fast_show](#)

Instagram: [break_fast_podcast](#)

Facebook Group: [Break Fast Podcast](#)

Men's Group

An open invitation to all men of the parish:

The Men's Study Group is meant to nurture our identity as Catholic men through prayer, study, discussion, and fraternity. We seek to grow in faith and relationship with Jesus Christ, and lead one another to Heaven. As we begin Lent, a season of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving, we plan to read *Interior Freedom* by Fr. Jacques Phillipe. Weekly, we will begin with prayer, discuss select chapters, and end with prayer. We will meet for seven weeks, on Tuesdays at 7:30pm, with a hybrid Zoom/on-site model. We hope to see you throughout, though we'd still love to have you as you are available.

We look forward to meeting all of you! Please reach out to Christopher Malaban at (732) 476-7961 or email chrsm192@gmail.com if you have any questions.

First Reading

Ex 20:1-17

In those days, God delivered all these commandments: "I, the LORD, am your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, that place of slavery. You shall not have other gods besides me. You shall not carve idols for yourselves in the shape of anything in the sky above or on the earth below or in the waters beneath the earth; you shall not bow down before them or worship them. For I, the LORD, your God, am a jealous God, inflicting punishment for their fathers' wickedness on the children of those who hate me, down to the third and fourth generation; but bestowing mercy down to the thousandth generation on the children of those who love me and keep my commandments. "You shall not take the name of the LORD, your God, in vain. For the LORD will not leave unpunished the one who takes his name in vain. "Remember to keep holy the sabbath day. Six days you may labor and do all your work, but the seventh day is the sabbath of the LORD, your God. No work may be done then either by you, or your son or daughter, or your male or female slave, or your beast, or by the alien who lives with you. In six days the LORD made the heavens and the earth, the sea and all that is in them; but on the seventh day he rested. That is why the LORD has blessed the sabbath day and made it holy. "Honor your father and your mother, that you may have a long life in the land which the LORD, your God, is giving you. You shall not kill. You shall not commit adultery. You shall not steal. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor. You shall not covet your neighbor's house. You shall not covet your neighbor's wife, nor his male or female slave, nor his ox or ass, nor anything else that belongs to him."

Second Reading

1 Cor 1:22-25

Brothers and sisters: Jews demand signs and Greeks look for wisdom, but we proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, but to those who are called, Jews and Greeks alike, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. For the foolishness of God is wiser than human wisdom, and the weakness of God is stronger than human strength.

Gospel

Jn 2:13-25

Since the Passover of the Jews was near, Jesus went up to Jerusalem. He found in the temple area those who sold oxen, sheep, and doves, as well as the money changers seated there. He made a whip out of cords and drove them all out of the temple area, with the sheep and oxen, and spilled the coins of the money changers and overturned their tables, and to those who sold doves he said, "Take these out of here, and stop making my Father's house a marketplace." His disciples recalled the words of Scripture, Zeal for your house will consume me. At this the Jews answered and said to him, "What sign can you show us for doing this?" Jesus answered and said to them, "Destroy this temple and in three days I will raise it up." The Jews said, "This temple has been under construction for forty-six years, and you will raise it up in three days?" But he was speaking about the temple of his body. Therefore, when he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this, and they came to believe the Scripture and the word Jesus had spoken. While he was in Jerusalem for the feast of Passover, many began to believe in his name when they saw the signs he was doing. But Jesus would not trust himself to them because he knew them all, and did not need anyone to testify about human nature. He himself understood it well.

Welcome to the Basilica!

Some reminders and updates for when you visit:

- Attendance at Masses and other liturgies may not exceed half of the basilica's capacity (about 300 persons).
- Please bear in mind that the Sunday obligation remains suspended. Those at higher risk of infection may consider delaying their return to public Mass.
- Sanitizer dispensers are available at the entrance.
- Face masks are required to enter the basilica.
- Pews have been roped off to facilitate distancing.
- Please maintain at least six feet of distance from other parties.
- At this time, bathrooms are not in use.
- The basilica is open every day from 8am to 6pm (on Sundays until after the last Mass).
- Our parish office is open Monday-Friday from 9-5.
- Baptisms, funerals, and weddings may take place.
- Most parish groups and events remain suspended until further notice.

The Shrine Church of the Most Precious Blood

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MASS SCHEDULE

Wednesday	12:10pm
Sunday	11:30am
	2:00pm
	(Vietnamese)



Mass Celebrants at Most Precious Blood

Rev. Robert Campagna, OFM
Rev. Patrick Boyle, OFM
Rev. Philip Phan (Vietnamese Apostolate)

Sunday, March 7

11:30AM For: The people of the parish

Wednesday, March 10

12:10PM For: The people of the parish

The church is open every Sunday (11-3) and Wednesday (11-2).

A Message from Cardinal Dolan

As we embark on this new decade, together in faith, I invite us to remember the mission to which we are all called. It is the task of every generation to take the faith that we've received and share it with others. This is what the Lord calls us to do: to teach, to serve, and to sanctify the world, by proclaiming the truth and making disciples of all nations. This work is most effectively accomplished through the ministry of the Church – in our parishes, our schools, our religious orders, our seminaries, and the many charitable services that are designed to respond to the evolving needs of our communities. This is the work that the Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal makes possible through your generous donations.



The works that are represented in the Cardinal's Appeal make tangible the mission of the Church in our communities at a time when – some might say – the world is most in need of such a witness.

Please visit cardinalsappeal.org to make your gift.

I thank you for your continued support of the Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal.

BURIAL SERVICES AT THE BASILICA

Want to secure your place in our history? We've revived the tradition of Christian Burial here at Old St. Pat's. We are the only operating Catholic graveyard and catacombs in Manhattan. We have a limited number of niches available. Call (212) 226-8075 or email Frank Alfieri at frank@oldcathedral.org to learn more.

TOUR OUR CATACOMBS

Take a tour of our catacombs. Would you like to learn about our Old Cathedral's rich history?

Join one of our Catacombs by Candlelight Tours. In just 90 minutes you will walk through two centuries of history experiencing exclusive treasures, not open to the public.

Visit www.oldcathedral.org and click on the tours link.



OUR GIFT SHOP IS OPEN!

You can now give a gift that celebrates Old St. Patrick's rich history. Our basilica-affiliated gift shop is where you will find exclusive keepsakes that can be shipped directly to your home.



If you're in the neighborhood, visit us at 266 Mulberry Street, Monday thru Saturday 10am to 5pm or visit us online at www.oldcathedral.org click on the gift shop link.

FORMED

40 Days to Grace and Glory

This Lent, we invite you to journey with Dr. Tim Gray by signing up for Daily Lenten Reflections. Each day you will receive in your inbox a short video which features Dr. Gray commenting on the daily Mass readings, explaining the Scriptures, and providing you with concrete ideas on how to apply them to your Christian life. Available for free on **FORMED**.

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for Advent

