

Liturgical Roles

Mon. July 13 Servers: Adult Server	HR	8:00am	Mass
Tues. July 14 Servers: Adult Server	HR	8:00am	Mass
Wed. July 15 Server: Adult Server	HR	12:05pm	Mass
Thurs. July 16 Server: Adult Server	SP	8:00am	Mass
Fri. July 17 Servers: Adult Server	HR	8:00am	Mass
Sat. July 18 Servers: Adult Server	HR	8:00am	Mass
Sat. July 18 Servers: Adult Servers Lectors: Barb Hamberg, Brent Miller II Extraordinary Ministers of Communion: Volunteers	HR	4:30pm	Mass
Sun. July 19 Servers: Adult Servers Lectors: Andy Rammel, John Rammel Extraordinary Ministers of Communion: Volunteers	HR	8:00am	Mass
Sun. July 19 Servers: Adult Server Lector: Kent Schlegel Extraordinary Ministers of Communion: Volunteer Sacristan: Ellen Brown Ushers: Janet Ott, Mike Ott, Mark Ruppert	SP	9:30am	Mass
Sun. July 19 Servers: Adult Servers Lectors: Molly Schlosser, Mary Beth Mielke Extraordinary Ministers of Communion: Volunteers	HR	11:00am	Mass

OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

Our summer hours:
weekdays (M,T, TH, F) 7:30am - Noon,
Wednesday 10:00am –1:00pm.

Prayer Hotlines	Weekend Mass Attendance	
Holy Rosary:	4:30pm	170
Julie 305-7937	8:00am	156
St. Patrick	9:30am	110
Mary 657-2346	11:00am	205
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Mass Intentions

Mon. 07/13 8:00am	St. Henry <i>Is 1:10-17; Mt 10:34 —11:1</i> HR Catherine White
Tues. 07/14 8:00am	St. Kateri Tekawitha <i>Is 7:1-9; Mt 11:20-24</i> HR Jessica Alferio Clark
Wed. 07/15 12:05pm	St. Bonaventure <i>Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Mt 11:25-27</i> Behr Family, L & D
Thurs. 07/16 8:00am	Our Lady of Mount Carmel <i>Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Mt 11:28-30</i> SP Tom McEvoy Family, L&D
Fri. 07/17 8:00am	Weekday <i>Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Mt 12:1-8</i> HR Chuck Gregorovich
Sat. 07/18 8:00am 4:30pm	St. Camillus de Lellis <i>Mi 2:1-5; Mt 12:14-21</i> HR Latin Mass HR Rosemary Roettger
Sun. 07/19 8:00am 9:30am 11:00am	Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time <i>Wis 12:13, 16-19; Rom 8:26-27; Mt 13:24-30</i> HR Teresa E. Vint SP Bruce Saintignon HR Andy Makley

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Holy Rosary will continue **live streaming** on our website & on Facebook. You will find the link at holynosarychurch.us. Click on **StreamSpot**.

Live Stream this week:

Sunday, July 12 - 11:00am Mass

Missalettes Now Available

Missalettes are available at the entrances of the church. Take one home, put your name on it and bring it back each time. Any left behind will be disposed of after each Mass.

THANK YOU!

A special thank you to everyone for your well wishes, cards and gifts. I will continue to pray for you all and will count on your continued prayers for me.

God Bless,

Fr. Barry

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Calendar of Events

Sunday	July 12
8:00am	Mass at Holy Rosary
9:30am	Mass at St. Patrick
11:00am	Mass at Holy Rosary - Live Streamed
Monday	July 13
8:00am	Mass at Holy Rosary
Tuesday	July 14
8:00am	Mass at Holy Rosary
Wednesday	July 15
11:30 - 11:55am	Confessions at Holy Rosary
12:05pm	Mass at Holy Rosary
Following Mass	Legion of Mary - Upper Room
Thursday	July 16
8:00am	Mass at St. Patrick
6:00pm	Confessions at St. Patrick
6:30pm	Holy Hour & Benediction at St. Patrick
Friday	July 17
8:00am	Mass at Holy Rosary
Saturday	July 18
8:00am	Mass at Holy Rosary (Latin)
1:30pm	Wedding - Lee Ann Bertke & Nicholas Conrad
3:30 - 4:15pm	Confessions at Holy Rosary
4:30pm	Mass at Holy Rosary
Sunday	July 19
8:00am	Mass at Holy Rosary
9:30am	Mass at St. Patrick
11:00am	Mass at Holy Rosary - Live Streamed
4:00pm	SP Graduation /Pizza Party - Church Grounds

Message from the Pastor

This past Saturday, we did something that's never been done in our church at Holy Rosary before. It's been done at St. Patrick's, it was done in the old Holy Rosary...but never in the current building. We celebrated the Traditional Latin Mass.

I wanted to celebrate this Mass on Saturdays (except the First Saturday of the month, which will remain as a regular, English, new-rite Mass that it always has been) for a couple of reasons. Firstly, we haven't been having a morning Mass those days. Whether it's a special feast day or just a simple votive Mass to the Blessed Mother, I want to offer the Mass, so why not open it up to anyone else who wants to come? But the second reason is a lot more personal.

I grew up in a typical Catholic family that went to a typical Catholic parish. It was the sort of parish that you showed up to on Sundays, sang the same hymns that you would expect to find at most parishes, received Communion, and left. For me, the faith was something I practiced, but it was kind of boring. When I went to college, I tried to keep up my religious practices: praying (secretly) before meals, trying to pray whenever I had a test or something, and going to Mass on Sunday...but I could feel my heart drifting away. Intellectually, I was Catholic: I could see the truths of the faith, but my heart was far from it.

All around me, friends were drifting from the faith in college. That could have been me! But by the grace of God I decided one night that I was going to double down! I started going to adoration, I went back to Confession for the first time in a long time, I prayed the Rosary, and even started to go to daily Mass with a group of friends once or twice a week. One day, on my way to adoration, I stopped in at the Catholic Center and discovered that a group of guys were going to Mass that evening. I asked if I could come, but they told me, "You might not like it...it's going to be in Latin." Despite the ominous warning, I decided to go...and what I saw changed my life forever.

I had a lot of questions after that Mass. But between the ancient language that I didn't understand, the priest turning to face God, the beautiful vestments, and kneeling to receive Holy Communion on the tongue, I left that Mass with one thing clearly in mind: the Mass is not about me and what I'm comfortable with. The Mass is about the worship of God.

That was the day I fell in love with God. That was the day that I began to really want the Lord and a relationship with Him. And that's why I'm going to offer it here, and I hope that it will be something that will help many others deepen their relationship with God as well. If you're not interested, I won't be taking attendance nor will I take offense...but that Mass changed my life and it has continued to nourish me even as a priest to dive deeper in my love for God. If anybody in the parish wants to come to experience that, I look forward to seeing them!

Know of my prayers for all of you every day,

Fr. Witt

Holy Rosary Collection

Weekly Collection	\$ 4,836.05
Online Giving	\$ 7,073.85
Mailed in Donations	\$ 40.00
Total Collected for the Week	\$ 11,949.90
Total Collected for July - June	\$ 498,123.76
Budgeted for Months of July - June	\$ 542,000.00
Budget Short/Over	\$ (43,876.24)

St. Patrick Collection

Weekly Collection	\$ 982.00
Mailed in Donations	\$ 0.00
Total Collected for the Week	\$ 982.00
Total Collected for July - June	\$ 83,532.63
Budgeted for Months of July - June	\$ 80,000.00
Budget Short/Over	\$ 3,532.63

WeShare - Online Giving

If you would like to sign up for online giving, go to our website at www.holyrosarychurch.us. Your support is greatly appreciated during this difficult time!

Lucky 10 Tickets 2020-2021

Lucky 10 tickets are available for pickup after weekend Masses on the SCRIP table and in the parish office entrance during the week. Each ticket is \$20. There are 10 drawings. If your ticket is drawn, it goes back in for the other drawings! If you need more tickets, they are available in the parish office or at the SCRIP table after weekend Masses.

ST. PATRICK CCD NEWS

St. Patrick is looking for a 7th/8th grade CCD teacher beginning this fall.

Teaching is not only a great way to help our children learn but it is also a way for you to support your parish.

Please consider volunteering to help our children continue to learn their Catholic faith.

If interested please contact Sara Ott at 567-356-6747 or Shannon Schwartz at 419-905-5511

"Train the young in the way they should go; even when old, they will not swerve from it" Proverbs 22:6

St. Patrick's Graduation/Pizza Party

The annual Graduation Breakfast and Pizza Party have been combined into one event this year due to the COVID-19 restrictions. The combination event will take place in the yard between the rectory and church on Sunday, July 19th, beginning at 4:00pm with pizza arriving around 4:45pm. Keep the date open with more details to follow next week.

Knights of Columbus Hall Rental

The St. Marys K of C Hall is open for hall rentals. If you wish to rent the hall, contact Nick Kiel at 419-953-0799.

Traveling?

Visit Masstimes.org or Google "churches near me" for locations and Mass times to thousands of parishes throughout the world to help you locate a church near where you will be staying.

Buy Your Tickets Now!

Reverse Raffle September 12, 2020 Top Prize \$15,000

480 tickets still available

Each ticket is \$100.



This raffle will be in place of our festival this year.

Each person who purchases a ticket will receive one chicken dinner, compliments of Father Barry. Additional chicken dinner tickets will be available for purchase.

Tickets can be purchased at the parish office, weekdays (M,T, TH, F) 7:30am - Noon, Wednesday 10:00am -1:00pm.

You can also send a check to the office: 511 E. Spring St., St. Marys, OH 45885

KNIGHTS HOSTING CARRYOUT CHICKEN DINNERS SUNDAY, JULY 19

The Father James O. Byrne Knights of Columbus Council 1592 will be selling carry-out chicken dinners Sunday, July 19, from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. in the K of C Hall. The hall is located at 427 E. Spring St., St. Marys.

Cost for the dinner, which includes four-pieces of chicken with two sides, is \$8. Also, offered will be a 12-piece bucket with two sides for \$20. Buckets can be ordered in advance by contacting Ben Brown at 419-733-4552. Sides will be cole slaw and macaroni & cheese.

Those picking up dinners can enter the Spring Street door and exit the Pine Street door. Social distancing will be used when picking up the dinners.

YEAR ROUND MINISTRY & OTHER NEWS

Don't forget the newest ministry - helping Agape with their toilet tissue distribution. They distribute 300 rolls a month to clients. We would like everyone to make a monetary monthly contribution month so that we may order toilet paper and have it delivered to Agape each month. The latest shipment from our parishes: 180 rolls - which they appreciated very much! Drop off your donation to the school or parish office or in the collection baskets.

**** Agape is in need of the following food items – boxes of pasta, spaghetti, pasta sauce, peanut butter, cans of fruit and pasta, cans of soup, instant potatoes, cake mixes, pie fillings, breakfast items such as pancake mix, syrup, oatmeal, pop-tarts. **Please drop these items off at Agape.

PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES OF JULY 6, 2020

Present: Father Alexander Witt, Dave Dwenger, Ellen Brown, Nick Brackman, Kevin Ott, Melissa Knapke & Finance Committee: Dave Steinke, LuAnna Scott & Maintenance: Ed Poeppleman. Absent: Vern Yahl

The meeting was called to order and opened with a prayer led by Nick Brackman. Melissa Knapke made a motion to accept the minutes of June 8, 2020 as emailed. Nick Brackman seconded the motion.

Finance Report:

Council reviewed the finances of the parish as of July 1 and found we are in good standing.

Council: Since the resignation of Chris Knatz, council nominated Nick Brackman as council president and Ellen Brown to remain as secretary for one year. Kevin Ott made the motion with Melissa Knapke second. The motion was passed by council.

Old Business:

Council reviewed with Father Witt items which the parish is working on now and for the future:

Parking lot work will begin when contractor has time on his schedule.

Father Witt will be checking out a possible organ replacement.

St. Patrick Facebook page is now administered by Jessica Rammel. Everyone should contact Jessica of any event the parish needs to be aware of.

Council approved a Pizza/Graduation Party for Sunday, July 19th. Organizers were asked to follow guidelines for Covid-19 as much as possible. Watch the bulletin for details.

Council reviewed the cost and requirements for an egress window in the rectory so we can use the basement for CCD and other activities. After discussion, council approved the window and fixing up the basement. Work will begin on the egress window and updating the basement will be done as time allows.

Doors on the west side of the church will be painted. The door on the east side of the garage also could use a coat of paint.

Because of the requirement of Covid-19, council decided to hold off having an auction of the rectory furnishings at this time.

Council discussed the use of the church and rectory by non-parishioners. It was decided guidelines will be set up for everyone to follow and a fee for those who are not parishioners.

New Business:

We are looking for a volunteer(s) who would like to take care of the flowerbeds around the church and rectory for next year. If interested, contact Mary Cogan and she will help with the transition.

Council discussed a fund raiser for the parish. If the Covid-19 restrictions are still in effect, council was thinking of a raffle ticket and some type of carryout food. If anyone has any ideas, please share with a council member.

Father Witt and Council discussed the rules for Covid-19. Eucharistic Ministers and Ushers are asked to wear masks since they are in close contact with people. Contact the parish office if you need to be taken off the schedule until the rules change. Since people are asking: priests/deacons do not wear masks because theologically it is inappropriate. Fr. Witt will address this in a future bulletin.

A "welcome" Father Witt will be held after the 9:30 Mass on July 26th, donut Sunday.

The meeting ended with a prayer. Next meeting will be September 14th, at 7:00pm, at St. Patrick rectory.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Ellen Brown

St. Patrick Pastoral Council Members

Nick Brackman (President)	419-657-2199
Ellen Brown (Secretary)	419-300-8855
David Dwenger	937-489-9372
Melissa Knapke	419-733-6271
Kevin Ott	567-356-1355

GUIDELINES FOR RETURNING MASS

Please remember that the faithful have been dispensed from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass. Thus, those who wish to participate in Mass and receive Holy Communion can do so by attending a Mass any day of the week. Those who are at risk or fearful that they or their family might become sick are encouraged to join us for a Mass that is live-streamed online each weekend.

Appropriate social distancing and the regulations put forth by public health authorities must be observed. Here are the guidelines for Holy Rosary & St. Patrick.

- Entry doors will be open for you to have a *touch-free* entry into church.
- Hand sanitizer will be available as you enter. *Please use it.*
- You may wear a mask.
- Use all available (every other row will be marked for usage) space in the church. Families who have been in contact with each other may sit together. All others must be spaced at least 6 feet apart. Please start sitting in the middle of the pew so that others can fill in the outside later.
- No physical contact at the Our Father and there will be no Sign of Peace, similar to Advent & Lent.
- No Holy Communion will be given from cups by the faithful. You will stay 6 feet apart from every individual as you approach for Communion, ushers will release you from pews. (A family with small children can approach together, keeping 6 feet from other parishioners.) There will be properly spaced Eucharistic ministers per section. Eucharistic ministers will do their best to drop the host into your hand without touching. (Eucharistic ministers will sanitize their hands & be wearing masks prior to distribution of communion and will have a hand wet wipe in their hand in case of contact when distributing.)
- There will be no missalettes or hymnals in the pews. Missalettes are available at the entrances of the church. Take one home, put your name on it and bring it back each time. Any left behind will be disposed of.
- The cry room will be available during Mass with proper social distancing.
- Collection baskets will not be passed during Mass. As you enter or exit Mass, please drop your envelopes into the basket in the entrances. We appreciate your gifts so much during this difficult time!
- Bulletins will be distributed as you leave and are also available online.
- The church will be sanitized after each Mass.

Please DO NOT congregate in the Vestibule or entrance ways in order to keep social distancing for all arriving & leaving

Remember, the responsibility to keep others healthy is one that we all share. If you are sick or have been exposed to someone who is sick, please do not join us for Mass.

Most importantly, always be kind and patient. We are in a confusing and sometimes overwhelming situation. Your parish is doing its absolute best to help you, protect you and share our love for Christ with you. Please show your love of Christ by being Christ to others!

Questions? Please contact Fr. Witt, Deacon Marty, Jess Rammel at 419-394-5050 or email the office at holyrosary@bright.net.