

St. Patrick's Catholic Church

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Presentation of the Lord February 2, 2020

MASS SCHEDULE

Sat. Feb. 1	7:00 pm	St. Patrick's	All Living and Deceased Souls
Sun. Feb. 2	10:00 am	St. Patrick's	Our Parish
Mon. Feb. 3	8:00 am	MPB	
Tue. Feb. 4	8:00 am	MPB	
Wed. Feb. 5	8:00 am	MPB	
Thu. Feb. 6	8:30 am	MPB	
Fri. Feb. 7	8:00 am	MPB	
Sat. Feb. 8	7:00 pm	St. Patrick's	Ralph Tenuta
Sun. Feb. 9	10:00 am	St. Patrick's	Don Crain

Gift Presenters This Weekend

Sat. Volunteers
Sun. Volunteers

Reconciliation Offered:

Sat. St. Patrick's 6:30-6:50PM
Sun. St. Patrick's 9:30-9:50AM
Sat. MPB 4:00-4:45PM

Rosary:

Sat. 6:30-6:50PM, Silent Prayer 6:50-7:00PM
Sun. 9:30-9:50AM, Silent Prayer 9:50-10:00AM

Ministry Schedule Feb 8 & 9, 2020

LECTORS

Sat. Janet Petznick
Sun. Richard Murphy

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sat. Pat Gorman
Sun. John Neely

USHERS

Sat. Robert Gorman & Volunteer
Sun. Bill Burdick & Volunteer

SERVERS

Sat.
Sun. Griffin & Ira

Your Contributions January 25 & 26: Envelopes: \$870.00, Offertory: \$165.75, Maintenance: \$100.00, Mass Stipends: \$180.00.

Blessing of Throats- February 3, is the Feast of Saint Blaise, Bishop and Martyr. St. Blaise has been associated with the healing of maladies of the throat and other illnesses. The traditional blessing of throats will be given after each of the Masses this weekend.

Bishop Appeal Kickoff

We are in the first week of the 2020 Bishop's Appeal. Each family will receive a letter from our Bishop, Bishop David Ricken, requesting a pledge or donation to the **Bishop's Appeal 2020.** The goal set for St. Patrick's is \$12,671.00. Please prayerfully consider a pledge of \$100.00
Week 1: Catholic Charities- By reaching out to those in need, as the Lord tells us to do in the first reading, we too can feel the light and warmth of God in our hearts. It is important to set the example and inspire disciples to do the same. The troubled need our love and support now more than ever.

Maybe you know somebody who needs help working through a problem. Catholic Charities is a great place to refer people. The counseling services available through Catholic Charities provide people in darkness the inspiration they need to turn things around. Mental health issues, poverty, debt management, bankruptcy, drug or gambling addiction, family conflict, pregnancy, adoption and parenting support are all ways Catholic Charities helps people resolve problems and directs them on a path to a better life. Care ministers are trained to go out and share the Gospel with the homebound and sick. Children and families are able to attend lively, interactive education programs learning the Word of God. A young woman in an abusive relationship is able, through counseling with Catholic Charities, to stand on her own feet. Families seeking to adopt are connected with newborn babies. Your gift to the Bishop's Appeal makes happy endings possible.

91% of every dollar raised goes to Diocesan ministries and services right here in northeastern Wisconsin.

Your gift to the Bishop's Appeal makes a tremendous difference to those served by Catholic Charities. They are in a position to change, or even save people's lives. To make a gift contact our parish office, use the letter and pledge you will receive at home or visit the Bishop's Appeal website at www.catholicfoundationgb.org/give.

Free Delicious Donuts: Plan to join fellow parishioners after next Sunday's mass, 2/9/20. Thank you to St. Agnes Society for hosting the little coffee and sweets get together.

It's never too early to "Think Spring" and it's never too early (or too late) to experience a Marriage Encounter Weekend with your spouse! A Marriage Encounter Weekend provides a great opportunity for married couples to spend a weekend together focusing on communication in their marital relationship, enabling them to discover together "how their good marriage can be even better" or to discover "new pathways to get their marriage back on track". Join Green Bay Marriage Encounter from March 27-29, 2020 at the Norbertine Center for Spirituality at St. Norbert Abbey in De Pere, for an enriching experience you will treasure for a lifetime. Call 920-544-5166 or visit www.gbme.org for more information or to register. (Are you looking for a special Valentine's Day gift your spouse will appreciate? This is it!!)

Save the Date for our Annual St. Patrick's Day Parish Celebration - Sunday, March 22, following the 10:00 am Mass. We are having it one week later than usual as a courtesy to Most Precious Blood, who have begun to host their own Irish week event.

Maintenance Fund -Please place donations in the Maintenance Fund envelope or in an envelope marked 'Restoration Fund.' The fund has been very successful raising over \$5000 this current fiscal year that began on July 1 2019. Thank you for your generosity and contribution towards the overall beautification of the church.

The Annual Contribution Statements for our members and donors have been mailed. While the tax laws have changed making charitable donations more difficult to claim as a tax deduction, our Parish Community continues to generously support our little Parish in Lebanon. If there is an error, please contact the Parish, email preferred, so that it can be remedied.

Most Precious Blood School's March Madness Fundraising event. Tickets will be available at St. Pat's after Mass 2/8 & 2/9. They did a similar football fundraiser and had 25 winners! One lucky New Londoner won \$1000! If you like March Madness, this is for you!