

St. Patrick in the City

Founded 1794

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Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 P.M.

Sunday: 8:00 A.M., 10:00 A.M. and 12 noon

Daily Mass

Monday–Saturday: 12:10 P.M.

Confessions

Saturday: 4:30–5:15 P.M.

Monday–Saturday: 11:30 A.M. to
12 noon and by appointment

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

First Friday at 11:00 A.M.

Novenas

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Wednesday after 12:10 P.M. Mass

Holy Name of Jesus

Thursday after 12:10 P.M. Mass

Rosary

Following 12:10 P.M. Mass Monday–Friday

Baptism

Sundays by appointment.

Matrimony

Registered parishioners preparing for
matrimony must contact the rectory at least
six months before a proposed wedding date.
Please do not set a marriage date before you
consult a priest.

New Parishioners

We welcome new parishioners. A registration
form is available from the ushers or the rectory.

Complimentary parking is available in the
parking garage adjacent to the church on 10th
Street for those people attending the Saturday
Vigil or Sunday Masses. Your ticket must be
validated in the sacristy. The hours of operation
are as follows: On Saturday the garage closes
at 7:00 P.M. and on Sunday the garage closes
at 1:30 P.M.



Pastor and

Chaplain, D.C. First Responders

Rev. Msgr. Salvatore A. Criscuolo

Residents

Rev. Frederick H. MacIntyre

Rev. Roderick McKee

Rev. John McNerney

Director of Music & Organist

Mr. Ronald Stolk

RCIA Director

Mr. Robert Quinlan

Sacristan & Facilities Coordinator

Mr. Donald Holloman

Sacristan

Mr. Peter Ceesay

Office Manager

Mrs. Marie Y. Valcourt

HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly

“Since many have undertaken to compile a narrative of the events that have been fulfilled among us, just as those who were eye witnesses from the beginning and ministers of the word have handed them down to us, I too have decided, after investigating everything accurately anew, to write it down in orderly sequence for you, most excellent Theophilus, so that you may realize the certainty of the teachings you have received.”

Our weekly reflections are entitled ‘His Word Today.’ Week after week we hear the gospel proclaimed, we spend time reading the daily meditations, and today we are reminded where this good news originates. St. Luke addresses a Lover of God, as his name is translated and he writes to him and for us. He informs us with the what and why, what he intends to do and why. The church then jumps to chapter four introducing us to the mission of Jesus as He proclaimed it in His own town of Nazareth.

As He unrolls the prophet of Isaiah telling of liberty for captives, recovery from blindness, freeing the oppressed and announcing the good news, He says in our words ‘this is happening today.’ The mission of Jesus is the mission of the church today, calling all to carry out what Pope St. John Paul II says ‘is still far from completion.’ As Jesus was sent, so are we as Missionary Disciples.



Please join St. Patrick’s Catholic Church along with the St. Patrick’s Fellowship Group for coffee and donuts following the 10:00 a.m. Mass today, January 27th in the meeting

room to the left of the Church. We look forward to chatting with you over a hot cup of joe!

As the New Year begins, we feel renewed with new promises. Now is a great time to enroll in the **Faith Direct eGiving program**. It will not only save you and our parish staff time, but will help you ensure your support of our parish is there even when you can't be.

You can sign up online at www.faithdirect.net using our church code: **DC90**, or by mailing a paper enrollment form available in back of the church.

Thank you for your continued support of our parish family!

God Bless, Msgr. Sal

Celebrants for

Saturday, February 2 & Sunday, February 3

5:30 p.m. Vigil:	Msgr. Criscuolo
8:00 a.m.:	Father McNerney
10:00 a.m.:	Father MacIntyre
Noon:	Father McKee

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

On Friday, February 1 at 11:00 a.m. there will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until Benediction at **12 noon**.

Next Weekend’s Second Collection will be to support the upkeep and maintenance of our historic church. Thank you for your support

Pope Francis’ Prayer Intentions for January

That young people, especially in Latin America, follow the example of Mary and respond to the call of the Lord to communicate the joy of the Gospel to the world.

2018 Contribution Statements

Year-end contribution statements for 2018 are now available in the rectory for our parishioners who use envelopes or the Faith Direct program. Please call the rectory or email myvalcourt@saintpatrickdc.org to have your statement mailed to you for tax purposes.

Please join **St. Patrick’s Fellowship Group every Wednesday at 7:00pm** for an hour of prayer and Bible Study! We review the previous Sunday’s Mass readings, listen to Bishop Barron’s homily and discuss how to apply God’s Word into our daily lives. On the last Wednesday of each month, the Fellowship Group will hold a group Evening Prayer Hour in place of the usual Bible Study from 7-8pm.

50th Anniversary of the Annual Appeal – A Time for Reflection

The theme of the 2019 Appeal is “**Our Faith. Our Hope. Our Mission.**” and is much different from a one-time special collection. It is a pledge campaign where you can make a gift, today, payable over ten months that will help support the ministries and mission of all our faith communities of the Church of Washington. Please find the Annual Appeal brochure and Frequently Asked Questions in your pew for your review.

A gift to the Annual Appeal will touch the lives of thousands of people in a very positive way. As you review the work enabled by your contribution, please reflect on God’s gifts to you. Our combined gifts not only signify our gratitude to God, they glorify Him by enabling the work of our archdiocese and give Him thanks for all He has given us.

This year, you can support the Annual Appeal many different ways. Many of you may have received a mailing in January that you can respond to. You can also support the Appeal online at adw.org or text “Give” to (301) 231-1816. We will also be providing the opportunity to support the Appeal at Mass over the next couple of weekends.

As in every year, 100% of your contribution to the Annual Appeal will be designated to the ministries and programs supported by the Appeal.

Thank you for your prayerful consideration and generous response.

January Poor Box: March for Life Education & Defense Fund provides pro-life Americans with the opportunity to witness to the dignity of every human person, especially at the annual March for Life held in Washington, DC in January. **Thank you for your donation.**

Food Collection: On Friday, Saturday & Sunday, February 8, 9 & 10, St. Patrick will be collecting non-perishable food items for people in need. If you would like to donate food, please leave your donations at the Blessed Mother’s altar. Thank you.

Mass Intentions & Readings January 26 – February 2, 2019



Saturday Vigil, January 26

5:30 p.m. Arno Dillenseger †

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10 / 1 Cor 12:12-30 / Lk 1:1-4, 4:14-21

8 a.m. Parishioners and Benefactors

10 a.m. The Fox Family

12 noon Jerome E. Miller †

Monday

Saint Thomas Aquinas

Heb 9:15, 24-28 / Mk 3:22-30

12:10 p.m. F. Hanson

Tuesday

Heb 10:1-10 / Mk 3:31-35

12:10 p.m. Justa and Francis Songco

Wednesday

Heb 10:11-18 / Mk 4:1-20

12:10 p.m. Parker Hill †

Thursday

Saint John Bosco

Heb 10:19-25 / Mk 4:21-25

12:10 p.m. Alexis Cleesen

Friday

Heb 10:32-39 / Mk 4:26-34

12:10 p.m. Adriana and Kulbir Singh

Saturday, THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

Mal 3:1-4 / Heb 2:14-18 / Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

12:10 p.m. Margaret Paul

Archdiocesan Men’s Retreat: On the weekend of February 8-10,

the archdiocesan Men’s Retreat will be held at Priestfield Pastoral Center in Kearneysville, WV. The theme of the retreat, directed by Fr. Dave Wells and Fr. Rick Kramer, is “Man’s Vocation: Priest, Prophet and King.” This retreat will provide you with time away to reconnect and recharge the most important relationship in your life - your relationship with the Lord. There will be Daily Mass, Confessions, and Adoration. The cost is \$235 for the weekend, covering a double occupancy room (two double beds and a private bath) and meals including dinner Friday night; breakfast, lunch, and dinner on Saturday; and breakfast and lunch on Sunday. Visit 2019adwmenretreat.eventbrite.com or call the archdiocesan Office for Family Life at 301-853-4546 for additional questions.