

# 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 10<sup>th</sup> 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. Roderick McKee

Rev. John McNerney

Rev. George Palliparambil

## 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

**“Remain faithful to what you have learned and believed, because you know from whom you have learned it, and from infancy you have known the sacred scriptures, which are capable of giving you wisdom for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. All scripture is inspired by God and is useful for teaching, for refutation, for correction and for training in righteousness, so that those who belong to Jesus may be competent, equipped for every good work.”**

When is the last time you opened your bible at home, or listened with great attention as the scriptures were proclaimed at mass? When did you reflect on God’s word, during the week after hearing it at liturgy, or heard a text which was familiar to you? When did you think it might be helpful to attend a bible study?

The words above which Paul wrote to Timothy are invitations to us, so we can grow in our faith. The teaching reminds us of growing after first communion, confirmation or our marriage. We continue to grow older, are we growing in holiness? Pope Francis’ exhortation offers us the beatitudes as the path for holiness. The bible in your living room has allergies. It is allergic to dust. Please open it read it and heed it!

**Celebrants for**

**Saturday, October 26 & Sunday, October 27**

5:30 p.m. Vigil: Father Palliparambil  
 8:00 a.m.: Father McNerney  
 10:00 a.m.: Father Palliparambil  
 Noon: Father McKee



**Solemnity of ALL SAINTS**

The Masses for the Solemnity of All Saints will be on Thursday

**October 31 at 5:30 p.m.**

Friday, **November 1 at**

**7:30 a.m., 11 a.m., 12:10 p.m. & 5:30 p.m.**



**Commemoration of ALL SOULS**

Mass will be on Saturday,  
**November 2 at 12:10 p.m.**

**Masses for the Poor Souls**

Beginning **November 1** and continuing through the month of November, Mass is being said each day for the intention of the Souls in Purgatory. If you would like your deceased loved ones remembered in these Masses, please use the white envelopes in the pews.

**Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)** will meet *Tuesdays from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.* We invite all those considering becoming Catholics, those who wish to complete the Sacraments, and those who would like to be a support to catechumens. The next class meets on **October 22**. For more information, please contact Bob Quinlan at [bbquinlan@gmail.com](mailto:bbquinlan@gmail.com) or call 347-2713.

Thank you for all the gracious gifts that you provided to our parish so far this year. Your prayers, support, and monetary gifts allow **St. Patrick in the City** to spread the Gospel and share God’s message of love and peace with others.

This fall, I prayerfully ask that you consider using our secure and easy-to-use electronic giving program, **Faith Direct**. **Faith Direct** will automatically process any offertory or second collections donation of your choosing. To enroll in online giving, visit [faith.direct/DC90](http://faith.direct/DC90)

Thank you for your continued support of our parish family!  
*God Bless, Msgr. Sal*



**St. Patrick’s Catholic Church** along with **St. Patrick’s Fellowship Group** would like to

invite everyone to donuts and coffee after the **10:00 AM Mass on Sunday, October 27**. We look forward to meeting you, discussing faith and fellowship ideas and munching on donuts together. Please forward any questions to [stpatsfellowshipdc@gmail.com](mailto:stpatsfellowshipdc@gmail.com).

Please join **St. Patrick’s Fellowship Group every Wednesday at 7:00pm** for an hour of prayer and Bible Study! 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 in the church. There will be group prayer and time for private reflection. Please send inquiries to [stpatsfellowshipdc@gmail.com](mailto:stpatsfellowshipdc@gmail.com).



## October Poor Box Relief for the Bahamas

The devastation of the **Bahamas** caused by **Hurricane Dorian** is beyond heartbreaking. Homes, schools and businesses that stood there a month ago now simply no longer exist. Its people are now in dire need of medical care, shelter, food, water, clothing, and other supplies, as well as the materials to rebuild. Your donation will help people rebuild their lives, homes and restore hope. *Thank you!*

**Recognizing the Body of Christ: A Theological Engagement on Disability:** Join the Institute for Human Ecology at The Catholic University of America and the National Catholic Partnership on Disability for a symposium on **Saturday, November 9<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 am – 3:30 pm** at The Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C. This symposium will provide an introduction to the distinctively Catholic approach to disability. Hear from speakers such as Dr. Miguel Romero, who spoke at the Vatican about disability in 2017, Dr. Dave Byers, the principal author of the *Pastoral Statement of U.S. Catholic Bishops on Persons with Disabilities*, and Dr. Marie Hilliard, a canon lawyer and the Senior Fellow of the National Catholic Bioethics Center. This event is FREE and open to the public. Please call us at 781-951-4553 or email us at [40thanniversary@ncpd.org](mailto:40thanniversary@ncpd.org).

**The annual Turkey Dinner** held at the Pope Francis Center is an opportunity for the Deaf community and all those supported by the Department of Special Needs Ministries of the Archdiocese of Washington to gather together in fellowship, food, and fun! All are welcome to this dinner on **November 17<sup>th</sup> from 11:30 – 4 pm**. For more information contact 301-853-4560, 301-200-5430 VP, or [deafcatholic@adw.org](mailto:deafcatholic@adw.org)

**Calling all physicians and healthcare professionals!** Save the date to join the Washington DC Catholic Medical Association for our annual half-day retreat on **Saturday, November 23rd, 2019**. The CMA is a group of Catholic physicians, nurses, and other healthcare professionals who are committed to living the Catholic faith in the science and practice of medicine. To learn more, join our mailing list by sending a message to [dc.cma.guild@gmail.com](mailto:dc.cma.guild@gmail.com).

## Mass Intentions & Readings October 19–October 26, 2019



**Saturday Vigil, October 19**  
5:30 p.m. Tim McNerney

### TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Ex 17:8-13 / 2 Tm 3:14---4:2 / Lk 18:1-8

8 a.m. Parishioners and Benefactors  
10 a.m. Helene Mooney †  
12 noon Nicole Charles Miller

### Monday

Rom 4:20-25 / Lk 12:13-21

12:10 p.m. Fortunato Mijaris †

### Tuesday

*Saint John Paul II*

Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21 / Lk 12:35-38

12:10 p.m. Bridget Behling

### Wednesday

*Saint John of Capistrano*

Rom 6:12-18 / Lk 12:39-48

12:10 p.m. Kevin B. Mannion †

### Thursday

*Saint Anthony Mary Claret*

Rom 6:19-23 / Lk 12:49-53

12:10 p.m. Kevin Nunnaly

### Friday

*Anniversary of the Dedication of the Church*

Rom 7:18-25a / Lk 12:54-59

12:10 p.m. Aideyn Boone

### Saturday

Rom 8:1-11 / Lk 13:1-9

12:10 p.m. Colleen Margaret Davey †

### A Year of Music at the Cathedral!

**St. Matthew's Great Organ 2019-2020** Inaugural Concert Series includes Wednesday Lunchtime Recitals at 12:45pm and Sunday Afternoon Recitals at 3:30pm, as well as an evening performance by the CUA Symphony Orchestra featuring Simeone Tartaglione, Conductor and Ronald Stolk, Organist. The series celebrates the completion of the Cathedral Great Organ following its public performance debut earlier this year. The Cathedral of St. Matthew is located at 1725 Rhode Island Avenue, NW, for **information, visit [www.stmatthewscathedral.org](http://www.stmatthewscathedral.org)**.

### Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for October

That the breath of the Holy Spirit engender a new missionary "spring" in the church.