

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. Daniel Carson

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

BAPTISM OF THE LORD

JANUARY 12, 2020

HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly

“You know the word that he sent to the Israelites, as he proclaimed peace through Jesus Christ, who is the Lord of all, what has happened all over Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John preached, how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and power. He went about doing good and healing all those oppressed by the devil, for God was with him.”

The sights and sounds at the Jordan river are so familiar. The conversation of Jesus with His cousin, His desire to show full unity with humankind, the dripping water, the peace dove, the voice from the cloud. But the baptism did not end there. Jesus climbed up the bank and began His ministry.

One day when we were baptized, we began our missionary journey. Baptism for us is not an event, but our own first encounter with Jesus Christ. We were anointed with holy chrism, Christened, with power became dwelling places of the Holy Spirit and we move from the baptismal font to do the same work as Jesus ‘to go about doing good.’ Unfortunately, like a battery that is not used, it loses its power if not used, but like Jesus, God is with us to restore and enable that latent power.

May we renew our lives and our baptismal call.



***Greetings to
Archbishop Cushley
of St Andrews & Edinburgh
in Scotland***

***Msgr. Vaghi
& the John Carroll Society
at today's
10:00 a.m. Mass***

Celebrants for

Saturday, January 18 & Sunday, January 19

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

This Weekend's Second Collection is to benefit **the Archdiocese of Military Service**. Please prayerfully consider a contribution to this special collection to support active-duty military men and women, and their families. **Thank you!**



Retirement Reception

You are invited to a reception on **Sunday, January 26, 2020 after the Noon mass** in honor of **Msgr. Sal** who is Retiring.

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 the parish office.

Thank you for your continued support of our parish family!

God Bless, Msgr. Sal

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.

Marriage Preparation Sessions

Marriage preparation is a unique opportunity for couples to be formed in the teachings of the Church in a language that addresses their moral, spiritual, and practical needs. The next marriage preparation session will be held **on January 18** at St. Elizabeth's in Rockville. For registrations or more information, please contact 301-853-4546 or visiblesign@adw.org.



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.*

Mother Teresa Vocation Society Annual Day of Recollection: Saturday, January 18, 2020, from 9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Annunciation Catholic Church (3810 Massachusetts Ave., N.W.). Fr. Mark Ivany, Director of Priest Vocations for the Archdiocese of Washington, will lead a Day of Recollection and Susan Conroy will be the keynote speaker. The day will include Mass, Adoration, Confessions, a reflection, and presentation by Susan Conroy. Lunch will be served and donations are welcome. It is not required to be an MTSV member to attend this event! For more information, please visit www.dcpriest.org, or contact Maris Moriarty at moriarty@adw.org or 202-636-9020.



Youth Rally and Mass for Life: The Youth Rally and Mass for Life will be held on **Friday, January 24 at Capital One Arena**, previously known as the Verizon Center (located at 601 F Street) The Rally will begin at 6:45am, and Confessions will begin as soon as there are priests available. All ticket holders are to be inside or in line no later than 7:00 a.m.

Men's Discernment Retreat

Fr. Mark Ivany invites men in their 20's – 40's, who are interested in learning more about the priesthood, to attend a discernment retreat on **January 31-February 2, 2020** St. John Paul II Seminary and the Washington Retreat House led by priests and seminarians of the Archdiocese of Washington. The weekend will be an opportunity to pray and reflect on God's call, meet priests and seminarians, hear their stories, and learn more about the seminary and priesthood. Registration is now open at www.DCPriest.org. For information contact Fr. Mark Ivany at 202-636-9020, vocations@adw.org

Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday
Monday, January 20 is a federal holiday. The rectory will be closed.

Mass Intentions & Readings **January 11 – January 18, 2020**



Saturday Vigil, January 11

5:30 p.m. Lolita Salarda †

Sunday, BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Is 42:1-4, 6-7 / Acts 10:34-38 / Mt 3:13-17

8 am. Parishioners and Benefactors

10 a.m. Marifel Bermudez

12 noon Irene C. Emm †

Monday

Saint Hilary

1 Sm 1:1-8 / Mk 1:14-20

12:10 p.m. Felix & Cristina Roca †

Tuesday

1 Sm 1:9-20 / Mk 1:21-28

12:10 p.m. Blanco Razon-Wy Family

Wednesday

1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20 / Mk 1:29-39

12:10 p.m. Helene

Thursday

1 Sm 4:1-11 / Mk 1:40-45

12:10 p.m. Eric Johnson †

Friday

Saint Anthony

1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a / Mk 2:1-12

12:10 p.m. Jim Young, CSP †

Saturday

1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a / Mk 2:13-17

12:10 p.m. Warren Sturdivant †

Quo Vadis Shadow Day

February 7, 2020 7:15 a.m. – 7:30 p.m., St. John Paul II Seminary and the Catholic University of America Juniors and seniors in high school are invited to join us for a special Quo Vadis "Shadow Day" at Saint John Paul II Seminary and the Catholic University of America. The day will allow the young men to experience a "day in the life" of a seminarian by joining them for Mass, Adoration, meals, class, sports and just hanging out. It is also a great opportunity to meet other high school students who are considering seminary. Please register at www.dcpriest.org. Email vocations@adw.org.

Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for January

We pray that Christians, followers of other religions, and all people of goodwill may promote peace and justice in the world.