

ALL EVENTS CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

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–Friday: 7:30 A.M. and 12:10 P.M.

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

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HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly

“I will put my spirit in you that you may live, and I will settle you in your own land, thus you shall know that I am the Lord. I have promised, and I will do it, says the Lord... If the Spirit of the one who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, the One who raised Christ from the dead, will give life to your mortal bodies also, through the spirit dwelling in you.”

Jesus told us He came that we might have life, and have it in its fullness. The pending celebration of Holy Week and the Paschal Mystery are the steps He took to restore us to that life. As He brought Lazarus from death, He wishes us to be renewed. His promises never fail and He wishes to give life to our mortal bodies. What is this life? It is the life of grace, the very life of God, given as a gift, and accepted.

Is the spirit of God dwelling in you? Do you want Him to restore you to life in abundance? Perhaps the Sacrament of Reconciliation, confession, are the steps we can take to be sure that His gift is in us.

We never learned how Lazarus felt when Jesus touched him. How will you feel?

How Do I Make a Spiritual Communion?

Below are recommendations for how to make a ‘spiritual communion’ when unable to participate in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. The recommendations can be adapted based upon personal and family needs.

- Gather with others in your household and begin a time of prayer with the sign of the cross.
- Take time to read and reflect upon the readings from Sunday Mass. You can find the readings at uscgb.org and a Sunday Gospel reflection on our [YouTube channel](#). Additionally, a weekly televised Sunday Mass is available to watch at adw.org/tvmass.
- Share prayer intentions quietly or aloud.
- Pray the Lord’s Prayer.
- Pray one of the following prayers of spiritual communion (see below).
- Close with the sign of the cross.

Pope Francis’ Prayer Intention for April

We pray that those suffering from addiction may be helped and accompanied.



Thank you for your support of our parish’s many ministries. I’d like to ask you to consider joining many of your

fellow parishioners at **St. Patrick** in making your generous gifts through *Faith Direct*.

This request is critical as churches nationwide are temporarily closing due to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic. To keep the work of our church going, we are currently depending on the incoming monies from those using eGiving. **Faith Direct** is a convenient and secure electronic giving (eGiving) program that will enable you to continue giving to St. Patrick from your home.

This is a great way to simplify your giving – and it’s the most cost-effective, environmentally-friendly way for us to receive your gifts. Getting started is easy! Visit faith.direct/DC90.

For more information, you can also visit the *Faith Direct* website, email info@faithdirect.net, or call their toll-free number, 866-507-8757, to speak with someone directly.

Thank you so much for considering eGiving to support our parish, and may God bless you and your loved ones!

God Bless, Msgr. Antonicelli



Stations of the Cross

The Stations of the Cross began as the practice of pious pilgrims to Jerusalem who would retrace the final journey of Jesus Christ to Calvary.

Later, for the many who wanted to pass along the same route, but could not make the trip to Jerusalem, a practice developed that eventually took the form of the fourteen stations currently found in almost every church.

This devotion can be practiced at home. The USCCB provides an [audio version](#) of the Stations of the Cross, as well as [several different versions](#) of the devotion that can be read in both English in Spanish.

National Telephone Rosary

A National Telephone Rosary in recognition of Fatima is held on the 13th of each month at 8pm by the National Council of Catholic Women. Call 515-739-1261 and insert code 703993#. Questions? Contact Province Director Cindy Perry at cindy.perry@hotmail.com.

The Sunday TV Mass

Do you know someone who can't get to Mass? Since 1952, the Archdiocese of Washington has produced a weekly televised Mass for those who are homebound, broadcast from the Crypt Church of the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. It is a wonderful ministry for those members of our Catholic family who are unable to be physically present with a local worshipping community for the Sunday Eucharistic Liturgy.

The Mass airs every Sunday at 10:30am on WDCW-50:

- No cable; Dish or DIRECTV subscribers: Ch. 50
- Comcast: Ch. 23 in Washington, DC and Montgomery County; Ch. 3 in Prince George's County and Southern Maryland
- RCN: Ch 15
- Verizon: Ch. 3



Mass Intentions & Readings

March 28 – April 4, 2020



Saturday Vigil, March 28

5:30 p.m. Alicia and Lisa Rarick †

Sunday, March 29

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Ez 37:12-14 / Rom 8:8-11 / Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45

8 a.m. Parishioners and Benefactors
 10 a.m. Odette C. E. Madacsi †
 12 noon Michael Drager †

Monday, March 30

Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62 / Jn 8:1-11

7:30 a.m. Ellen Gerard & Raymond Gregan †
 12:10 p.m. Arnulfo Olmeda †

Tuesday, March 31

Nm 21:4-9 / Jn 8:21-30

7:30 a.m. Dennis O'Rourke †
 12:30 p.m. Rev. Wm. D. Mannion †

Wednesday, April 1

Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95 / Jn 8:31-42

7:30 a.m. Edwin N. Varias †
 12:30 p.m. Dom and Julie

Thursday, April 2

Saint Francis of Paola

Gn 17:3-9 / Jn 8:51-59

7:30 a.m. Douglas Reaume †
 12:10 p.m. Deceased Family Members †

Friday, April 3

Jer 20:10-13 / Jn 10:31-42

7:30 a.m. Seth H.
 12:10 p.m. Joyce Bermudez

Saturday, April 4

Saint Isidore

Ez 37:21-28 / Jn 11:45-56

12:10 p.m. Karma Kenny †

April Poor Box

Parish Partners is a Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Washington program. All funds donated to Parish Partners will go towards meeting documented emergency needs of individuals referred by Catholic Charities in the diocese. *Thank you.*