Parish Mission Statement: St. Patrick's Church is a Catholic, multicultural parish within a collegiate, agricultural, and industrial community. The parish’s mission is to worship and work together so our community will grow more in love and acceptance of one another and be apostles as Christ teaches us. We accept that we have differences and will use them to unite us as one in Christ. We shall pursue this mission faithfully through the power of the Holy Spirit and the gifts and talents of our members.

Declaración de la Misión: La Iglesia San Patricio es una Parroquia Católica multi-cultural dentro de una comunidad colegial, agrícola e industrial. La misión parroquial es dar culto y trabajar juntos para que nuestra comunidad crezca en amor y aceptación del uno y otro y ser apóstoles como Cristo nos enseña. Estamos de acuerdo que tenemos diferencias y las usaremos para hacernos uno en Cristo. Seguiremos esta misión fielmente por medio del poder del Espíritu Santo y los dones y talentos de nuestros miembros.
September 2, 2018: 22nd Sunday in Ordinary time

ALL CHURCH PICNIC
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

Bilingual Mass at 10 AM
Picnic following Mass

If your last name begins with A thru M, please bring a salad or a vegetable dish // Si su apellido comienza con A a M, por favor traiga una ensalada o un plato de verdura.

If your last name begins with N thru Z, please bring a dessert. // Si tu apellido comienza con N thru Z, por favor trae un postre.

Sign-up to help with setting up before Mass or to help with cleaning up. // Inscribese para ayudar con la configuración antes de la Misa o para ayudar con la limpieza.

¡COMPARE TU FE! ¡CONVIÉRTETE EN UN CATEQUISTA!
Para obtener más información sobre cómo convertirse en un maestro de formación de fe, contáctese con Cynthia Cisneros (503-939-3163) o Padre Kiko.

SHARE YOUR FAITH! BECOME A CATECHIST!
For more information on becoming a Faith Formation teacher, please contact Cynthia Cisneros (503-939-3163) or Father Kiko.

VOLUNTEER POSITIONS AVAILABLE // POSICIONES VOLUNTARIAS DISPONIBLES en la PARROQUIA

- Coordinator for Ushers at English Masses // Coordinador de Ushers en Misa en inglés
- Musician(s) for Saturday Vigil Mass // Músico(s) para la Misa del Vigilia
- Cleaning Crew Members // Miembros de la tripulación de limpieza
- Homebound Ministry Team Members // Miembros del equipo de ministerio en el hogar

- Altar Servers Coordinator (bilingual) // Coordinador de Servidores de Altar (bilingual)

Contact Father Kiko for more information // Póngase en contacto con el padre Kiko para más información (503-838-5801)

SAINT OF THE WEEK:
ST TERESA OF CALCUTTA
SEPTEMBER 5TH

Born in 1910 to Albanian parents, St Teresa entered the Loreto Sisters Order at age 18, having a strong interest in foreign missions. She was sent to India and assigned to teaching at a high school in Calcutta. She was moved by the poverty and suffering of overwhelming numbers of destitute people. She received God’s call to leave the convent and serve Christ in the slums among the poorest of the poor. She opened a school for poor children, visiting the destitute. Soon local volunteers joined her. She founded the Sisters of Charity in 1950. The city donated a hostel to the sisters which became a home for the dying and destitute. As the order expanded, so did the donated items and services to orphans and street people. Until her death in 1997, she worked tirelessly, pleading for support of their mission and inviting people to see the face of Jesus in the poorest of the poor.

“Peace begins with a smile.”

JUST $10 FOR A TICKET TO WIN!

¡APENAS $10 PARA UN BOLETO PARA GANAR!

60-inch 4K Ultra HD LED Television (by LG Electronics)

Proceeds go towards the Classroom Expansion Project // Los ingresos van hacia el proyecto de expansión del aula

Drawing will be at the Parish Picnic // El sorteo será en el picnic parroquial

HEALING MASS
Friday, September 7
9:00 AM

![Saint Teresa of Calcutta](https://via.placeholder.com/150)

**LG UHD TV 4K**
### SEPTEMBER 2 Sunday/Domingo
- **9:00 am** — Mass (English), in the Church
- **10:00 am** — Muffin Sunday, in the Hall
- **10:30 am** — Ladies Guild Meeting, in the Hall
- **11:30 am** — Misa (en Español), en el Riverview Park
- **12:30 pm** — Ceja Baptism, in the Church

#### Readings
- Deuteronomy 4: 1-2, 6-8
- Psalm 15
- James 1: 17-18, 21-22, 27
- Mark 7: 1-8, 14-15, 21-23

### SEPTEMBER 3 Monday/Lunes St. Gregory the Great
- Parish Office will be closed for Labor Day Holiday

#### Readings
- 1 Corinthians 2: 1

### SEPTEMBER 4 Tuesday/Martes St. Rosalia
- **9:00 am** — Misa, en la Iglesia
- **9:30 am** — Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, in the Church

#### Readings
- 1 Corinthians 2: 10-16

### SEPTEMBER 5 Wednesday/Miercoles St. Teresa of Calcutta
- **9:00 am** — Mass, in the Church
- **7:00 pm** — Neo-Catechumenal Way, in the Annex & Upstairs

#### Readings
- 1 Corinthians 3: 1-9
- Luke 4: 38-44

### SEPTEMBER 6 Thursday/Jueves St. Eleutherius
- **9:00 am** — Misa, en la Iglesia
- **7:00 pm** — Altar Society Meeting, in the Hall
- **7:00 pm** — Knights of Columbus Meeting, Upstairs
- **7:00 pm** — Grupo de San Juan Diego (Mujeres), en el Salon
- **7:00 pm** — Grupo Carismatico, en el Iglesia

#### Readings
- 1 Corinthians 3: 18-23
- Lucas 5, 1-11

### SEPTEMBER 7 Friday/Viernes St. Cloud
- **9:00 am** — Healing Mass, in the Church
- **7:00 pm** — Grupo de San Juan Diego (Hombres), en el Anexo
- **7:00 pm** — Crecimiento Espiritual, en la Iglesia

#### Readings
- 1 Corinthians 4: 1-5
- Lucas 5, 33-39

### SEPTEMBER 8 Saturday/Sábado St. Adrian
- **1:00 pm** — Garibay Negrete Quinceañera, in the Church
- **3:30 pm** — Confessions, in the Church
- **4:00—5 pm** — Registration for Faith Formation, in the Hall
- **5:00 pm** — Vigil Mass (English), in the Church
- **6:00—7:00 pm** — Registro para la Formacion de la Fe, en el Salon
- **7:00 pm** — Misa de Vigilia (en Español), en la Iglesia
- **8:00 pm** — Registro para la Formacion de la Fe, en el Salon

#### Readings
- Micah 5: 1-4
- Matthew 1: 1-23
- Miqueas 5, 1-4
- Mateo 1, 1-23

### SEPTEMBER 9 Sunday / Domingo
- **10:00 am** — Bilingual Mass
- **10:00—11:00 am** — Registration for Faith Formation, in the Hall
- **11:30 am** — Parish Picnic, on the Lawn
- **12:30—1:30 pm** — Registro para la Formacion de la Fe, en el Salon

#### Readings
- Isaiah 35: 4-7
- Psalm 146
- James 2: 1-5
- Mark 7: 31-37
- Isaías 35, 4-7
- Salmo 145
- Santiago 2, 1-5
- Marcos 7, 31-37

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*I used to believe that prayer changes things, but now I know that prayer changes us, and we change things.*  
*Mother Teresa*
In today’s world, the Liturgy of the Word has a special and applicable value to the followers of Christ. We are told by some in society that “Truth is not Truth” and we should believe only that what some individuals say. Our social media is woven with lies, half-truths (if there is such a thing), opinions and propaganda. It makes it difficult to discern what is true and what is right. It makes it even more difficult to follow Christ when nothing but “distractions” bombard our senses, in an effort to lead us astray. It is only through astute listening to the Word of God, today, that we can navigate the turbulent currents of our world.

The first reading comes from the Book of Deuteronomy that urges God’s People to follow the Torah, the Law. Obedience to the Law by His people would reflect highly to the other nations of the world. Following the prescribed laws and customs allows the Divine favor God has for His own to be seen by all. The closeness and caring that Yahweh exhibits for His own brings all closer to the fruition of the Divine Salvific Plan. By careful observance of the Divine Will, order is restored to the fallen and God walks, once again, with His People.

In the Letter of Saint James, Christians are reminded that God, the true Light, has chosen them to be “first fruits” through a new birth through the Word. As in the first reading, James reminds all that they must follow the Word they heard with action. This action requires all to care for neighbors, especially widows and orphans. Through following the example of the Light, Christ, Christians will be a Light to the nations and reveal the love God has for His creation. Faith and Works are the essence of the Spirit that imbues the converted.

This same message culminates in today’s Gospel by Mark as Jesus refers to a passage in Isaiah as he chastises the scribes and Pharisees. Christ elucidates the purpose of law and customs. The Lord reveals that the leaders are too concerned with outward indicators that hide the true root of sin. The Messiah reveals that true corruption comes not from the outside world; rather, sin comes from the interior of each being. Jesus teaches that they have taken human traditions and made them more important than the Will of God. Christ highlights that the origin of all sin is found in the heart of individuals. It is through this inner perversion that man has separated himself from the Divine.

Holy Mother the Church desires all to heed this teaching. By careful examination of our society, we can see this truth clearly. Religious, politicians, corporations and individuals need to set aside their “traditions” and look closely within their hearts. Through introspection, the grave sins and greed that permeate our world can find their origin within the hearts of many. Only through a conversion of hearts by the Spirit in the Word, will order and justice be found in the world. Before “jumping on the band wagon” of those who are socially accepted, modern Christians are asked to set the world aside and look deep within their hearts. Then, after careful reflection upon the Word, allow the Spirit of the Risen One to move us to the Truth as we successfully navigate the currents of our turbulent world.
REGISTRATION FOR FAITH FORMATION //
REGISTRO PARA LA FORMACIÓN DE LA FE

in Cornish Hall // en el Sala de Cornish
❖ Saturday/Sábado, Sept. 8: 4-5 pm, 6-7 pm, 8-9 pm
❖ Sunday/Domingo, Sept. 9: 10-11 am, 12:30-1:30 pm
❖ Saturday/Sábado, Sept. 15: 4—5 pm, 6—7 pm, 8—9 pm
❖ Sunday/Domingo, Sept. 16: 10 - 11 am, 12:30—1:30 pm
❖ Monday/Lunes, Sept. 17: 6:30—8:30 pm
❖ Tuesday/Martes, Sept. 18: 6:30—8:30 pm

Grades/Grados 1–8:

First Communion—1st Year (Must have Baptismal Certificate to register); Cost: $50 // Primera Comunión-1er Año (Debe tener certificados de bautismo para registrarse); $50
First Communion—2nd Year; Cost: $50 // Primera Comunión-2do Año; $50
Perseverance Classes (Free) // Clases de Perserverity (gratis)

Grades/Grados 9-12:

Confirmation-1st Year (Must have Baptismal & Communion Certificates to register); Cost: $50 // Confirmación-1er Año (Debe tener certificados de bautismo y comunión para registrarse); $50
Confirmation-2nd Year; Cost: $60 // Confirmación-2do Año; $60

Can you find the word “experience” in today’s bulletin? Circle it and bring it to Fr.Kiko on Tuesday. First person to arrive will win a prize! (Just one win per family, please.)

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REMINDER

Time to Sign Up for Your Parish Directory Photography Sessions

Sign up in the vestibule TODAY!

¡Es Hora de Inscríbese para Su Sesión de Fotografía Familiar para el Directorio Parroquial!

¡Regístrate en el vestíbulo HOY!
Questions? Ask our parish coordinator: Esmeralda Amezcua 503-480-4480

Mass Intentions

Friday, Sept. 7: Ed Salgado 🙏
(❖ indicates deceased persons)

Please contact the parish office to request Mass intentions for daily and Sunday Masses.

Comuníquese con la oficina parroquial para solicitar intenciones masivas para misas diarias y dominicales.

Our Weekly Offering ❖

La Ofrenda Semanal
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