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Welcome Visitors and New Parishioners!

We are blessed with your presence and your participation in the Mass. If you are a new parishioner, we ask that you fill out a registration card and return it to the parish office (drop box), in person or by mail. Thank you!

¡Bienvenidos Visitantes y Nuevos Parroquianos!

Somos bendecidos con su presencia y su participación en la Misa. Si usted es un nuevo feligrés, le pedimos que llene una tarjeta de registro y la devuelva a la oficina parroquial (caja de la gota), en persona o por correo. ¡Gracias!

Mass & Service Times/ Horario del Misas

Monday / Lunes
(no services)
Tuesday / Martes
9:00 AM—Misa en Español
9:30 AM—Holy Hour / Hora Santa
Wednesday / Miercoles
9:00 AM—Mass in English
Thursday / Jueves
9:00 AM—Misa en Español
Friday / Viernes
9:00 AM—Mass in English
Saturday / Sabado
5:00 PM—Mass in English
7:00 PM—Misa en Español
Sunday / Domingo
9:00 AM—Mass is English
11:30 AM—Misa en Español

Confessions/Confesiones

Saturday / Sabado
3:30 PM - 4:30PM
Any other time by appointment, Cualquier otra hora con cita previa.

Have a feast at the KNIGHTS BREAKFAST SUNDAY, 9/16
8:00—11:00 AM
In Cornish Hall
Suggested donation: $8/adult

September 16:
CATECHETICAL SUNDAY
Please pray for all our present and future catechists.

16 de Septiembre:
DOMINGO DE CATEQUESIS
Por favor oren por todos nuestros presentes y futuros catequistas.

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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.

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Monday — Thursday
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9:00 AM — 5:00 PM
(Closed/Cerrado: 12 noon - 1pm)
**PART-TIME BOOKKEEPER NEEDED ASAP**

This is a paid position. Approximately 19 hours per week. Experience with payroll a plus. Perfect position for someone who is semi-retired or who is looking for work experience. Staff will train you on arch-diocesan financial programs.

If you are interested, contact Father Kiko at the parish office (503-838-5801).

If you know someone who might be interested, please refer them to Father Kiko (frfranciscobringuela@yahoo.com)

**Position must be filled by September 21.**

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**REGISTRATION FOR FAITH FORMATION REGISTRO PARA LA FORMACIÓN DE LA FE**

in Cornish Hall // en el Sala de Cornish

❖ 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

More information is posted in the vestibule

Más información se publica en el vestíbulo

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**CLASSES BEGIN the week of SEPTEMBER 24 LAS CLASES EMPIEZAN la semana del 24 de SEPTIEMBRE**

Are you an adult who has not been baptized? Are you baptized, but not Catholic Christian? A person who has been attending our services, but not a member?

If you are, the RCIA is a pressure-free opportunity to ask questions, reflect on scripture and learn more about our Catholic story of faith. The program will begin later in September. Please contact Father Kiko if you are interested (503-838-5801 or frfranciscobringuela@yahoo)

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**¡ NECESITAMOS MÁS GENTE PARA CONVERTIRSE EN CATEQUISTAS!**

Para obtener más información sobre cómo convertirse en un maestro de formación de fe, contáctese con Cynthia Cisneros (503-939-3163) o Padre Kiko (503-838-5801).

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**WE NEED MORE PEOPLE TO BECOME CATECHISTS!**

For more information on becoming a Faith Formation teacher, please contact Cynthia Cisneros (503-939-3163)

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**Can you find the word “divine” 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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<th>Date</th>
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| **SEPTEMBER 16** | Knight's Breakfast, in the Hall | Isaiah 50: 4-9  
Psalm 116  
James 2: 14-18  
Mark 8: 27-35  |
| 8:00 am    | Knights Breakfast, in the Hall | Isaias 50, 5-9  
Salmo 114  
Santiago 2, 14-18  
Marcos 8, 27-35  |
| 9:00 am    | Mass, in the Church |  |
| 10:00—11:00 am | Registration for Faith Formation, in the Hall |  |
| 11:30 am   | Missa, en la Iglesia |  |
| 12:30—1:30 pm | Registo para la Formacion de la Fe, en el Salon |  |
| **SEPTEMBER 17** | St. Robert Bellarmine |  |
| 6:30 pm    | Registration for Faith Formation classes, in the Hall | 1 Corinthians 11; 17-26, 33  
Luke 7: 1-10  |
| **SEPTEMBER 18** | St. Joseph of Cupertino | 1 Corinthians 12; 12-14, 27-31  
Luke 7: 11-17  |
| 9:00 am    | Misa, en la Iglesia | 1 Corinthians 12; 12-14, 27-31  
Luke 7: 11-17  |
| 9:30 am    | Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, in the Church |  |
| 6:30 pm    | Registration for Faith Formation classes, in the Hall |  |
| **SEPTEMBER 19** | St. Januarius | 1 Corinthians 12; 31—13: 13  
Luke 7: 31-35  |
| 9:00 am    | Mass, in the Church | 1 Corinthians 12; 31—13: 13  
Luke 7: 31-35  |
| 7:00 pm    | Junta Accommodores, en el Salon |  |
| 7:00 pm    | Neo-Catechumenal Way, in the Annex & Upstairs |  |
| **SEPTEMBER 20** | St. Andrew Kim Tae-gon | 1 Corinthians 15; 1-11  
Luke 7: 36-50  |
| 9:00 am    | Misa, en la Iglesia | 1 Corinthians 15; 1-11  
Luke 7: 36-50  |
| 7:00 pm    | Grupo de San Juan Diego (Mujeres), en el Salon |  |
| 7:00 pm    | Grupo Carismatico, en el Iglesia |  |
| **SEPTEMBER 21** | St. Matthew | Ephesians 4: 1-7, 11-13  
Matthew 9: 9-13  |
| 9:00 am    | Mass, in the Church | Efesios 4, 1-7, 11-13  
Mareo 9, 8-13  |
| 7:00 pm    | Grupo de San Juan Diego (Hombres), en el Anexo |  |
| 7:00 pm    | Crecimiento Espiritual, en la Iglesia |  |
| **SEPTEMBER 22** | 1st Day of Autumn | 1 Corinthians 15; 35-37, 42-49  
Luke 8: 4-15  |
| 11:30 am   | Julian Baptism, in the Church | 1 Corinthians 15; 35-37, 42-49  
Luke 8: 4-15  |
| 1:00 pm    | Alvarado Quinceanera, 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 |  |
| **SEPTEMBER 23** | Sunday / Domingo | Wisdom 2: 12, 17-20  
Psalm 54  
James 3: 16- 4: 3  
Mark 9: 30-37  |
| 9:00 am    | Mass (in English), in the Church | Sabiduría 2, 12, 17-20  
Salmo 53  
Santiago 3, 16—4, 3  
Marco 9, 30-37  |
| 10:15 am   | Liturgy Team Meeting (English), in the Hall |  |
| 11:30 am   | Missa (en español), en la Iglesia |  |
Expectations could be a theme for today’s Liturgy of the Word. In any relationship, there exists a variety of anticipated actions that enhance and constantly engage individuals. Often times, the communication between individuals or institutions become obscured or clouded by opinions not meeting the intentions of the other. In order for the proper growth and maturation of the relationship to take place, precise and lucid revelation is required. Today’s message reveals the expectations God has for His “Chosen One”.

From the prophet Isaiah, the first reading is often considered a prophetic reference to the “Suffering Servant” to be revealed in Christ. As in most Divine Revelation, there is a multi-reference of past, present and future. The Christological reference is valid but there is more. Today’s first reference can be directed to ancient (pre-Messianic) Israel. Here, God reveals the expectation that His “Chosen People” must be willing to accept sufferings in obedience to the Divine Will. In acceptance, their faith in God will not waver; rather, their fortitude will only strengthen them and result in final victory. These sufferings strengthen rather than weaken. They bring victory not defeat!

In the Letter from Saint James, the expectation from Christians in being the new “Chosen People” is succinctly and lucidly expressed. In this passage, James furthers Paul’s message of faith and adherence to Jesus. James divulges to the Christians the necessity to accompany works with their faith in Christ. This expectation, James preaches, reveals the faith to those they encounter with their actions. Without this action, their faith is powerless and empty of the Divine riches. Thus, through their sufferings and their actions the Christian faith will prosper and be victorious.

Finally, in today’s Gospel by Mark, God’s expectations of Jesus are revealed to the Lord’s apostles. Jesus’ role as the “Suffering Servant” is clarified and shown not to be what most Jews were expecting – a Messianic redeemer who would free all from the Roman yoke. It is noteworthy that Christ inquires as to who the people think he is. The answers are clear and reveal a total misconception of reality. Then, the Lord inquires and seeks a response from his own apostles. Peter responds with a firm conviction that Jesus is the “Christ”. It is at this point that a significant fact is emphasized. Jesus explains that he must suffer through crucifixion, die and be raised from the dead. In response, Peter rebukes him because this does not fix the common expectation for the Messiah. This exchange forces Christ to rebuke his apostle with the words, “Get behind me, Satan”. Jesus does not have to accept the Cross; however, the expectation is that he will. The passage ends with the explanation of the paradox of life and the Cross. The Prince of Peace reveals that only through his suffering and death can the Will of the Father bring eternal life to those who would embrace it. Thus, God’s expectation of the Messiah differs from man’s.

Today’s celebration brings to light God’s expectations for those who would be part of His family. Continuing the same theme found in Isaiah’s passage, the New Israel formed by Christ must embrace and willingly endure the sufferings it experiences in today’s world. Only through rejection of worldly mammon and manners will the Divine expectations for mankind be honed and perfected. Only through faith in Christ and the performance of works will the reign of God continue to grow and perfect itself. Just as Christ was expected to endure, suffer, love and give hope to all, so too, are we.

Between demanding schedules, traveling, and just trying to get out the door on time for Mass, it can be challenging to contribute on a regular basis as God calls us to do. Plus, for many families, the parish is one of the last places where you still have to use a checkbook or cash.

Not anymore.

We are excited to announce that we now accept one-time and recurring donations through our website! You can make your secure donation via electronic check or debit/credit card by following these easy steps:

1. Go to www.stpatrickindependence.org using any device. Click on Collections tab . This will bring you to the First Collections page.

2. Choose One-Time or Recurring donation

3. Enter your payment information

4. Click on Make Payment button when finished

5. Follow the same procedures for 2nd Collections or special donations.

It’s that easy!

Note that we also have a separate web page for 2nd collections. Your 2nd collection donation will be applied to the ministry being supported that week. We have also included a calendar showing the purpose of each 2nd collection.

Thanks in advance for your generous support as we launch this new and convenient way to provide for our growing and thriving parish community! If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the parish office at 503-838-1242.

God bless you. Father Kiko
Entre horarios exigentes, viajar, y sólo tratar de salir de la puerta a tiempo para la Misa, puede ser un reto para contribuir de manera regular como Dios nos llama a hacer. Además, para muchas familias, la parroquia es uno de los últimos lugares donde usted todavía tiene que usar una chequera o dinero en efectivo.

Ya no.

Estamos muy contentos de anunciar que ahora Aceptamos donaciones de una sola vez y recurrentes a través de nuestro sitio web! Usted puede hacer su donación segura vía cheque electrónico o tarjeta de débito/crédito siguiendo estos sencillos pasos:
2. Escoja una sola vez o una donación recurrente
3. Ingrese su información de pago
4. Haga clic en hacer el botón de pago cuando termine
5. Siga los mismos procedimientos para las segundas colectas o donaciones especiales.
¡es así de fácil!

Tenga en cuenta que también tenemos una página web separada para las segundas colecciones. Su segunda donación de colecta será aplicada al Ministerio apoyado esa semana. También hemos incluido un calendario que muestra el propósito de cada 2ª colección.

Gracias de antemano por su generoso apoyo a medida que lanzamos esta nueva y conveniente manera de proveer para nuestra comunidad parroquial creciente y próspera! Si usted tiene cualquier pregunta, sienta por favor libre de entrar en contacto con la oficina de la parroquia en 503-838-1242 Dios los bendiga. Padre Kiko

The St. Patrick Ladies Guild would like to thank all those who helped complete the first phase of the parish’s outdoor Stations of the Cross. We especially thank Mary Huether for creating the beautiful images. And we thank Father Kiko for his support and for blessing the Stations after the all-parish Mass.

They are located in the wooded area, on the east side of the back field.

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**MASS INTENTIONS**
Friday, Sept. 19: Eldon Silbernagel
 Spiele ( amacı 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**
For September 8 & 9, 2018

| Envelopes | $ 1,754.00 |
| Loose     | $ 418.26  |
| Youth Ministry | $ 425.80  |
Total       | $ 2,598.06 |
2nd Collection for Sept.15-16: Faith Formation

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

Manuela Reyna
Adan Campos
Nena Barba
Bob Brainard

Pilar Gonzalez
Edie Vanderzanden
Sue Salvo
Margaret Wilson