

St. Patrick's Parish

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October 7, 2018 - Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Year B

Sunday Mass Times

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am & 11:00 am

Weekday Mass Times

Tuesday 7:00 pm

Wednesday - Friday 8:15am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:30 pm, and by appointment

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday 8:45 - 9:30 am

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Parish Office Hours: Monday - Friday 8:30 am - 4:00 pm

Closed on Weekends & Statutory Holidays

Christ before me, Christ behind me, Christ within me

Welcome to St. Patrick's!

We offer you a warm welcome here in God's house. If you are visiting you are very welcome; we hope you make yourself at home. If you are new to our parish and would like to register, please fill out a census form located at the back of the church and leave it in the collection plate, or contact the Parish Office.

To our visitors, enjoy your visit with our parish family. To our new parishioners, Welcome Home!

Parish Finances

DATE: September 24-30, 2018

COLLECTION	\$	7,795
WKLY BUDGET EXPENSES	\$	8,592
EXCEED/(SHORTFALL)	\$	(798)
YEAR TO DATE OVER/(UNDER)	\$	(36,222)

Thank you for your generosity!

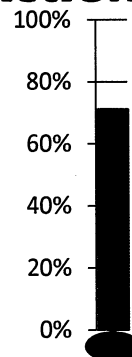
*United in Faith,
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2018 Annual Bishop's Appeal

2018 Goal: \$36,489

Collected Last Week: \$ 212

Still to Collect: \$10,701



Office Closed Wednesday Oct. 10th

Masses & Celebrations at St. Patrick's This Week

SATURDAY OCT 6

3:30 pm Reconciliation

5:00 pm Mass - Intention: George & Rose Steinkey †

SUNDAY OCT 7

9:00 am Mass - Intention: Aldo Dal Molin †

11:00 am Mass - Intention: Jan Valastin †

TUESDAY OCT 9

7:00 pm Mass - Intention: Jean Ressler †

WEDNESDAY OCT 10

8:15 am Mass - Intention: Barbara Bonogofski

THURSDAY OCT 11

8:15 am Mass - Intention: Erin Pelletier

8:45 am Adoration

FRIDAY OCT 12

8:15 am Mass - Intention: Kevin Fisher

Senior Home Masses This Week

SUNDAY OCT 7

7:25 am Mass at St. Joseph's - Intention: Maureen Lesko

MONDAY OCT 8 - NO MASS

TUESDAY OCT 9

8:30 am Mass at St. Joseph's - Intention: Donna Gilham

2:00 pm Mass at Teeoda

WEDNESDAY OCT 10

8:30 am Mass at St. Joseph's - Intention: Pam Hurst

2:00 pm Mass at Riverview

THURSDAY OCT 11

8:30 am Mass at St. Joseph's - Intention: Deborah Healey

10:00 am Mass at Valleyview

FRIDAY OCT 12

8:30 am Mass at St. Joseph's - Intention: Cabrini Hurst

10:00 am Mass at Wellington

IN MEMORIAM

Albert Sept

Grant eternal rest unto them, O Lord, and let your perpetual light shine upon them.

Ministerial Association Prayer

"Seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you... and pray to the Lord on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare."

(Jer 29.7)

Let us pray for:

Robert Wanner, MLA

Pastor Murray Kumm, Hope Street Church

Parish Events this week:

MONDAY OCT 8

>7:00pm Young Men's Club

TUESDAY OCT 9

>9:00am Quilting Club

>1:00pm Knitting Club

>7:30pm RCIA Topics: The Holy Trinity; Who is Jesus

>7:00pm K of C meeting

WEDNESDAY OCT 10 - OFFICE CLOSED TODAY

>1:00pm Bereavement Meeting

>6:30pm Unchained (gr. 9-12) in Youth Room

>7:00pm Choir practice

>7:00pm PPC Meeting

THURSDAY OCT 11

>9:30am Mom's Group

FRIDAY OCT 12

>6:00pm Praesidium Function Legion of Mary

>8:00pm Latin Rosary being said in Church

SATURDAY OCT 13

>8:30am TMIY (That Man Is You) in the hall

>9:30am Benedictine Group

>4:45pm Sacramental Prep (Reconciliation) in Hall

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Fall Supper on Oct 29th - Seatings at 4:30 & 6:00pm



Let Us Pray:

For the Sick of our Parish

May the Lord's healing and life-giving touch be upon those whose cross is heavy to bear.

Especially:

Jerome Herle

Al Hittle

Edith Garrecht

Mary Simpson

Theresa Perrault

Veronica Swan

Cleora Schafer

Ryken Covino

Nola Orich

Margaret Shaw

Elmer Jacober

Lucille Anton

Leo Sellinger

June Wiersma

Yvonne Exner

Dwight Luscombe

Adam Marshall

Mike Morrice

Leonard Heisler

Albert Ibach

George Macauley

Doug Marshall

Maria Garcia

Ed Yarzau

AMEN

If you or a loved one are unable to attend Mass due to hospitalization, illness, or infirmity, and wish to receive Holy Communion, or a visit please contact the Parish Office at 403-526-2265.



The St. Patrick's Parish Annual Fall Supper will be held on Sunday, October 28, 2018.

There will be two sittings, at 4:30 pm & 6:00 pm.

Tickets will be on sale before and after all masses starting Saturday, October 6 and continuing until Sunday, October 21.

Tickets can also be picked up at the office.

Children 6 & under – Free

7 to 12 - \$6

13 & over - \$15

Seating is limited - get your tickets early!



Happy Thanksgiving

Sacramental Preparation

Reconciliation

Classes for October:

St. Patrick's Church hall – Saturday Oct. 13 at 4:45pm or

Holy Family Faith Room – Sunday Oct. 14 at 10:15am

St. Patrick's Church hall – Saturday Oct. 20 at 4:45pm or

Holy Family Faith Room – Sunday Oct. 21 at 10:15am

Confirmation

Parent Meeting – Thursday Oct. 11 at 7:00pm Holy Family Faith Room

Classes for October

Holy Family Faith Room – Saturday Oct. 13 at 3:30pm to 4:50pm or

St. Patrick's Church hall – Sunday Oct. 14 at 3:30pm to 4:50pm

Holy Family Faith Room – Saturday Oct. 20 at 3:30pm to 4:50pm or

St. Patrick's Church hall – Sunday Oct. 21 at 3:30pm to 4:50pm

All Active and Auxiliary Legion of Mary members, and anyone interested in learning more about the Legion of Mary, please join us for our annual Praesidium Function. Due to renovations in the kitchen we were not able to hold our function near the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, however we will still celebrate Mary's birthday on Friday, October 12th from 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm in St. Patrick's Church Hall. Light refreshments will be served including birthday cake to honour Mary. For more information, please contact Karen-Anne at (403) 952-8991.

(RCIA) The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

We have found that there are many reasons why individuals feel they are being called to the Catholic faith or to know it better. Maybe it's through their friends, or their spouse is Catholic; or they may not have a faith and they like the ritual practices of the Catholic Church. There are many reasons for the pull of their hearts and so they come to learn more about their journey of faith.

We as Catholics believe that each individual has a separate spiritual journey of faith with the Lord and need to make their own decisions in their relationship with God. We also believe as Catholics it's our responsibility to help each person to seek and find their relationship with God.

If you would like to know more about RCIA please contact the Church Office

I AM thankful



St. Vincent De Paul Society

The St. Vincent de Paul Society in Medicine Hat is actively seeking more volunteers to help us assist the needy right here in our community. Our group consists of about a dozen regular members and meets once a week at Holy Family Parish and St. Patrick's Parish (alternating months). This commitment takes about 2 – 3 hours of your time over each week but also allows for you to be away if you have other commitments. The work is very rewarding and spiritually gratifying. Please pray to consider whether or not you may be hearing the call to join us – we would welcome you to be part of our group. Please call Holy Family Parish at 403-527-6933 or St. Patrick's Church at 403-526-2265 if you would like more information.

That Man Is You

Saturday Oct 13, 2018

8:30 am-9:30 am St. Patrick's Parish Hall

Theme: Freedom to Choose the Good

For more information or to register, contact Deacon Robert

Benedictine Oblates of Mount Angel Abbey

will be meeting Saturdays @ 9:30am in the Office Meeting Room at St. Patrick's. Contact Lorraine Prince: 403-866-9338 Gordon Rice 403-527-7423 or Carol Kimenius: 403-526-0415

We are pleased to announce that Angela Elle is now our Head Sacristan!

Mom's Group

Fall season meeting dates:

Oct 11 & 25, Nov 8 & 22

Please contact Cathleen Roy at 403-880-3621 if you plan to attend.

Babysitting is provided



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THE WORD THIS WEEK

"What God has united, man must not divide."

Readings:

1st Reading: Genesis 2: 7ab,15,18-24 [Man's Companion]
The two become one flesh.

Psalm: Ps 128

**J.R. "May the Lord bless us all the days of our lives."
(BB pg.124)**

2nd Reading: Hebrews 2: 9-11 [Christ our Brother]
For the one who sanctifies and those who are sanctified all have one Father.

Gospel: Mark 10: 2-16 [Love one Another]
What God has joined together, let no man separate.

Today we tackle the issue of marriage and divorce; Jesus is asked an awkward question about the legality of divorce. He lays down very clearly that what God intends for marriage is what is found in Genesis (where the "two become one" for all time) rather than the dispensation granted through Moses (permitting a writ of divorce) which was an exception, not the rule. Here it is clear that Jesus abrogates this Old Testament procedure - a point emphasised when the disciples press him further on this issue on getting back home. While it is important for us to be sensitive and understanding towards those whose marriages have gone awry, we must be careful to let the teachings of the Lord speak for themselves.

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Youth

UNCHAINED (Gr.9-12)

We meet on Wednesdays
from
6:30-8:30pm
at St. Patrick's Parish

GENERATION GAP (GR.6-12)

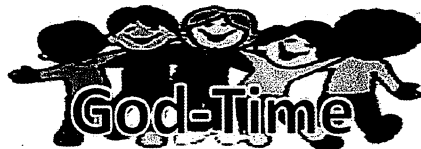
Friday Oct. 19 from
3:30-7:30pm at St. Patrick's
(please RSVP so we know how
much food to make!)

EQUIP (Gr. 6-8)

We meet on Fridays
from
6:30-8:30pm at Holy Family
Parish
(except the 3rd Friday)

**ALL SAINTS "TRUNK OR
TREAT"**

Oct 31 from 6 - 8:30pm at Holy
Family



God-Time is every Sunday during the
11 am Mass. Children will be
dismissed during Offertory.
This week's theme is:
Jesus is our Friend.



"It'll take my husband a while to
get here. He won't ask directions."

The Rosary in Latin

A new group is starting up! There will
be a Latin Rosary said in the Church
every Friday at 8pm. If you are
interested, please come. All are
welcome.



FOOD BANK

Thank you to Keith
Cockerill, who
delivered the food
in September.
George Ibach will
be delivering the
food in October.



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