

Saint Patrick Catholic Church

September 3^d & 4th



Mass Times: Saturdays at 5:30pm
Sundays at 10:45am

Join us after 10:45 mass for refreshments & fellowship.

Holy Hour ~ St. Patrick
Hosted at SPC on the 3rd Sunday
of each month after mass.



St. Patrick Catholic Church Scan and Give. Thank you for your Generosity.



Parochial Vicar Point of View:

Dear Wonderful Parishioners and Visitors,

I hope you are enjoying this Labor Day Weekend! I know how hard so many of you work – work to provide for your families and loved ones. God blesses such work when done for the good of others and when united to the supreme work of Christ on the Cross.

There is a question connected to work that I think is worthy of pondering: Do I live to work, or do I work to live? In other words, what is the higher value: work or life? Of course, life is the higher value, so we should work to live, not the other way around. Work should serve our living, it should serve the lives of those we love. It should serve the Lord, who is our Life. We should work hard, yes, but working should be about living... living should not be about working and nothing more.

So on this Labor Day, I invite you to reflect on the role of work in your life, and whether those priorities are well-ordered to Christ, who is our Life, and who worked – who died – so that we might live.

God bless all of you!
Fr. Redmond



WEEKLY COLLECTION – August 27th & 28th 2022

<u>Weekly</u>	
Actual	\$3,024.55
Budget	<u>\$4,139.00</u>
	(\$1,114.45)

<u>Year to date</u>	
Actual	\$28,477.45
Budget	<u>\$37,251.00</u>
	(\$8,773.55)

Note: Actual totals include weekly collection and E-giving

MASS ATTENDANCE:
8/27: NR 8/28: 90

News & Announcements:

UPDATE ON RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Religious Education is beginning this weekend on 9/4/2022 however it isn't too late to sign up for your child to be in classes. Classes for Kindergarten through 8th Grade children will be held on Sunday mornings at St. Patrick's from 9:30 to 10:30 AM. **Please see Donna Baird after Sunday mass or send her an email at [donna**h**baird@gmail.com](mailto:donnahbaird@gmail.com).**

If your child is preparing for First Reconciliation/First Eucharist, full participation in St. Patrick's Religious Education is required including attendance at all scheduled classes and as well as weekly mass.

THANK YOU

The Knights of Columbus would like to especially thank all of those who participated in bringing in school supplies during our school supply drive for our neighborhood kids at the boys and girls club!

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA):

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a journey for Welcoming Adult newcomers (inquires) into the Roman Catholic Church. RCIA is for adults who, after having their hearts opened to conversion and faith by the Holy Spirit, seek to become fully initiated members of the Catholic Church. The RCIA process assists them in becoming full, conscious, active, and ongoing participants in a life with Christ and His Church. RCIA welcomes those who are not baptized, those who are baptized in another Christian tradition and those who are baptized Catholic but never received the Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation.

An RCIA class will be starting at SPC on September 11th. *Anyone interested is welcome to join the class. Adults wishing to learn more should contact Fred Powell or Ryland Paxton before September 11th.*

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If someone is dying or has died & You would like to talk to a Priest, please call.

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