

Saint Patrick Catholic Church

December 10th & 11th

THIRD SUNDAY OF
ADVENT



Mass Times:

Saturdays at 5:30pm

Sundays at 10:45am

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

Holy Hour ~

St. Patrick: After mass on the
3rd Sunday of each month

From the Pastor's Desk:

Dear People of God,
As we enter the third week of
Advent, the theme for the week
is **Rejoice (Gaudete)**,
for the savior's coming is drawing
near. It can be easily
remembered as follows:

R: Raise your heart,
soul and voice to God

E: Enter God's
presence with joy

J: Just trust God

O: Obey the
Lord's commands

I: Invite him into your family
and home, and into
your heart

C: Continue to be glad in him

E: Expect and enjoy the arrival
of Jesus,
the Savior at Christmas.

Fr. Maxwell.

**NATIVITY OF THE LORD
(CHRISTMAS)**

Christmas Eve

Saturday, December 24:

**4:00 p.m. and
12:00 Midnight**

Christmas Day

Sunday, December 25:

10:45 a.m.

Confessions:

10:00 a.m. at St. Peter

SOLEMNITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Saturday, December 31st

And January 1st, 2023

Normal Schedule

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



*Saint Patrick depends upon your generosity.
These walls, built by generations past, now
need you to nurture them. Give what you can.
No amount is too small. E-Giving makes it easy.
Visit www.saintpatrickchurchhill.org
and click on the logo.*

News & Announcements:

Saint Patrick's Job Opening:

We are still looking for a **maintenance worker** to help maintain our beautiful church here at Saint Patrick. It's a part time position with flexible hours. We would prefer to hire a parishioner from this parish, someone who loves this church and wants to take care of it (and make a few bucks in the meantime). Please email us if you are interested at office@saintpatrickchurchhill.org. Thanks! Fr. Maxwell

Annual Envelope for Commonwealth

Catholic Charities Each Christmas Season, you can use your envelope for CCC. Catholic Charities is always responding to those most in need, providing groceries to families without food, ensuring mothers and their babies have a safe place to live, and beyond. CCC now needs your help in supporting these critical ministries. Please use your CCC Collection envelope or make your donations through E-Giving. Thank you!

Volunteers Needed:

Many hands make light work! Please come to help decorate our beautiful church on Tuesday, **December 20th, at 5:00 p.m.** Pizza supper will be provided. Let Jane Murphy know if you plan to come - 804-441-4075.

SAVE THE DATE

Installation Mass of our Pastor Fr. Maxwell, on Saturday, December 17, at 5:30 PM at St. John's. Celebrated by Bishop Knestout. Please come and join our pastor for this wonderful celebration. Everyone is welcome. After the Mass, there will be a celebration in the social hall. R.S.V.P for the reception by 12/12 at 804-737-8028 or email us.

Christmas Flowers Envelope

Don't forget to use your Christmas Flowers Envelope in memory or honor of a loved one. They are included in your envelope box for the year or available in the back of the church.

COLLECTION ENVELOPES 2023

Attention parishioners, we are ordering offering envelopes for 2023. Let us know if you are not interested in receiving a set of envelopes this year. Remember an easy way to make your donations without having to remember to write a check. Use e-giving, it is easy, secure and convenient. Just visit our webpage at stjohnscatholicchurch.org, click the e-giving logo and follow the prompts or call the office.



Santa Breakfast:

This Sunday after mass! Come enjoy breakfast & a visit from a special guest!

WEEKLY COLLECTION – 12/3 & 4th

	<u>Weekly</u>
Actual	\$4,140.55
Budget	<u>\$4,139.00</u> (\$1.55)
	<u>Year to date</u>
Actual	\$75,242.07
Budget	<u>\$95,197.00</u> (\$19,954.93)

Note: Actual totals include weekly collection and E-giving

MASS ATTENDANCE: 12/3: 41 12/4: 111

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SPC Emergency # 804-402-1221:
If someone is dying or has died & You would like to talk to a Priest, please call.

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