

# Saint Patrick Catholic Church

December 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup>

FOURTH SUNDAY OF  
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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 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month

St. Patrick Catholic Church - Scan &  
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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.*

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## From the Pastor's Desk:

Dearly beloved,

Exactly a week from now will be Christmas, the awaited time of the birth of Jesus our Savior celebrated throughout the whole world. During this time, be grateful to God for the great gift of His only begotten Son and appreciate what you have.

Be kind to others by treating them with respect and dignity. Keep smiling by thinking positively and believing in yourself, as you stay strong by overcoming life's lumps and bumps. Be constant in prayer and abound in love for your family and friends

On this note, I would like to thank you all for your prayers and presence at my installation officially as your Pastor by Bishop Barry Knestout. Together let's continue to arise and build God's church. (Neh. 2:20). May He richly bless you and your families.

Fr. Maxwell.

### **Mass Schedule for 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 31<sup>st</sup>**

**And January 1st, 2023**

**Normal Schedule**

# 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@saintparickchurchhill.org](mailto:office@saintparickchurchhill.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.

Church Cleaning Ministry: It is that time of the year again to sign up for the Church Cleaning Ministry. This is a ministry for a team or couple to volunteer to help keep the church cleaned for services. It involves only about one hour each week any time after weekend services that fits your schedule. The job is light dusting and sweeping, checking the holy water & votive candles and general cleaning up. Please see signup sheet in the basement near the kitchen. Thank you.

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.

## SPC WEEKLY COLLECTION – December 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup>

### Weekly

Actual	\$5,790.55
Budget	<u>\$4,139.00</u>
	\$1,651.55

### Year to date

Actual	\$81,032.62
Budget	<u>\$98,336.00</u>
	(\$18,303.38)

Note: Actual totals include weekly collection and E-giving

**MASS ATTENDANCE: 12/10: 27 12/11: 154**

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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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