

# Saint Patrick Catholic Church

January 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> 2023

Third Sunday in  
Ordinary Time



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

Holy Hour ~ St. Patrick: After  
mass on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each  
month

Remember ~  
Next Sharing Sunday is  
February 5<sup>th</sup>.

## Message from our Pastor

Dear People of God,  
Once again, Happy New year.  
I just want to remind you that apart from the Clergy who has the duty of bringing communion to the sick and the homebound, the Eucharistic ministers are as well permitted by the priest to do same after undergoing some form of training for that. Therefore, if communion has to be brought to the sick or homebound, first inform the office and the clergy will be notified. However, in case someone is not trained for that, but there is the urgent need to take communion after mass in a pyx to a person sick at home who could not be present in church, inform the clergy to let you know what to do (at least you need a simple altar to put the pyx on) before giving communion to the sick person at home. Let us continue to give maximum reverence to the precious species.

Praised be Jesus Christ!

Father Maxwell

St. Patrick Catholic  
Church ~  
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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.*

**Irish 🍀 Festival 2023**

**It is that time of year again!**

Irish Festival Planning time.  
Planning meetings have begun!  
We hope to see you all there!  
Your taking part in the planning  
and volunteering for the festival  
is what makes it a success.  
**See you Sunday after mass!**

## News & Announcements:

**2022 TAX LETTERS** – These will be mailed this week! If you have changed your address, please let us know. Should you have any questions please call the office.

**THE 2023 BOXED SETS OF ENVELOPES** - These are located on the counter. If you do not find a box with your name or your address has changed please call the office. We will be happy to send you a set and update our records.

**THANK YOU** - Thanks to all of you that shop at Kroger. We have received a check for \$75.04. If you are not registered our # for St. Patrick is YV856. Thanks for shopping Kroger.

### **Knights of Columbus News & Announcements**

The K of C will be conducting their annual Brunswick Stew Sale on February 4. A signup sheet will be in the back of St. Patrick's. Please consider reserving a quart(s) of Brunswick Stew. The cost is \$9.00 per quart payable when you pick up your stew.

The cold weather seems to have finally caught up with us and the need continues for warm weather clothing for needy children as well as the homeless. During the month of January, the Knights of Columbus running "Coats for Kids + Plus" We are looking for donations of children's coats which will be used for needy children in the Richmond area. Additionally, we are looking for adult hats, gloves, scarves and sleeping bags which will be used at our St. Peter's ministry for the homeless. A donation box is in the back of St. Patrick's churches. Please consider donating new or gently used items to help those in need.

### **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.

### **WEEKLY COLLECTION – January 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> 2023**

	<b><u>Weekly</u></b>
Actual	\$2,260.55
Budget	<u>\$4,139.00</u> (\$1,878.15)
	<b><u>Year to date</u></b>
Actual	\$101,181.79
Budget	<u>\$120,031.00</u> (\$18,849.21)

Note: Actual totals include weekly collection and E-giving

### **MASS ATTENDANCE:**

**1/21: Not recorded 1/22: 98**

### **SPC Emergency # 804-402-1221:**

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

### **Mailing address: St. Patrick's Church**

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