

**ST. JOSEPH AND ST. PATRICK ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCHES**

**FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT**

**APRIL 7, 2019**



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Ms. Suzan Napolitano, Custodian - St. Patrick  
Mr. Richard Phelan, Jr., Organist – Sts. Joseph & Patrick

**MASS TIMES**

**FALL, WINTER, AND SPRING**

Saturday, 4:00 pm	St. Patrick
Saturday, 5:30 pm	St. Joseph
Sunday, 8:00 am	St. Joseph
Sunday, 10:00 am	St. Patrick

**HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION**

Jan 01	Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God
May 30	Ascension of Jesus
Aug 15	Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Nov 01	All Saints Day
Dec 08	The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary ( <i>excluding 2019</i> )
Dec 25	Christmas

*See inside for specific days, times, and locations.*

**SACRAMENTS**

**RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION) BY APPT. OR**

Saturday, 3:15 pm – 3:45 pm – St. Patrick

**BAPTISM**

Please call the Pastor at the respective rectory to start the process.

**MARRIAGE** -Please call the Pastor at least 1yr. in advance.

**ANOIDNTING OF THE SICK**

Please call St. Joseph's rectory/office.

**PASTOR'S PAGE**



Dear Friends in Christ,  
We embark on the 5th Sunday of Lent. This week, statues and crucifixes are covered in anticipation of the holiest days of the year. As we approach these sacred days of the season, we remember that because of the suffering, death, resurrection and ascension of Christ, we share in the beauty and artistic reminders of what we celebrate. Let this time of year renew our understanding of celebrating together in a church that fully expresses and reminds us of the Life of Christ in whom we have our being (cf. Acts 17:28).

Thank you to all our volunteers who made the Ann Rivet Walk for Hunger possible! Thank you to all who were able to walk! Thank you to all who made a donation to the Saint Patrick Food Pantry! This first year at a new location and date was a good start to helping those in need and honoring those who started the food Pantry.

Our Lenten Mission begins on Monday, April 8th at Saint Patrick Church and will continue on Tuesday, April 9th at Saint Joseph Church, and Wednesday, April 10th at Saint Patrick Church. Each night will begin at 7 pm and run about an hour. Please make every effort to attend all nights or join us for one of the nights. The theme of the Lenten Mission is: "By His wounds we are Healed." Let this time of Lent bring deeper healing to our lives and those of our families. Let us all ask God in prayer to pour out His blessings on our communities as we enter our mission.

On Friday, April 12th, Stations of the Cross will not be held at Saint Joseph or Saint Patrick. However, I do invite you to attend the Living Stations of the Cross at Saint Philip Church in Greenville. It will be held at 7:30 pm at Saint Philip church. Come between 4:30 and 7 pm to have some clam cakes and chowder.

Saint Patrick Church will host a Dinner Dance on the 27th of April. Please join us for food, fellowship and dancing. It will be held in the church hall.

If you have not yet received the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Saint Philip Church in Greenville will be hosting all day confessions on Saturday, April 13th from 8:30 am to 3:00 pm. May the mercy of the Lord renew us as we prepare for the Easter celebrations.

"O Jesus, my heart is little, fearful and very timid. It will always be so. But you say, 'Come to my heart. My heart is gentle and humble and very broken like yours. Do not be afraid. Come and let your heart find rest in mine and trust that all will be well.' I want to come, Jesus, and be with you. Here I am, Lord, take my heart and let it become a heart filled with your love". - *Henri J.M. Nouwen*

Sincerely in the Lent of Christ,  
Father Scott

**LENTEN MISSION**

April 8-10, 2019, 7 pm each night. Our Mission Presenter will be the Very Rev. Fr. Francis Santilli, St. Philip Church, Greenville. The theme is "By His Wounds We are Healed". April 08 (*Adoration*), St. Patrick; April 09 (*Healing Service*), St. Joseph; and April 10 (*Mass*), St. Patrick.

**SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

MON Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62  
TUE Nm 21:4-9; Ps 102:2-3, 16-18, 19-21; Jn 8:21-30  
WED Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56; Jn 8:31-42  
THU Gn 17:3-9; Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Jn 8:51-59  
FRI Jer 20:10-13; Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7; Jn 10:31-42  
SAT Ez 37:21-28; Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13; Jn 11:45-56  
SUN Lk 19:28-40 (procession); Is 50:4-7; Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24; Phil 2:6-11; Lk 22:14-23:56

**LENT 2019 SCHEDULE**

<i>Living Stations</i>	<i>Friday April 12</i>	<i>St. Philip Greenville No stations at St. Joseph or St. Patrick</i>
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**TRIDUUM SCHEDULE**

<i>Holy Thursday April 18</i>	<i>7 pm</i>	<i>St. Patrick</i>
<i>Good Friday April 19</i>	<i>3 pm</i>	<i>St. Joseph</i>
<i>Holy Saturday April 20</i>	<i>7:30 pm</i>	<i>St. Patrick</i>
<i>Easter Sunday April 21</i>	<i>8 am 10 am</i>	<i>St. Joseph St. Patrick</i>

**LENTEN FAST & ABSTINENCE REGULATIONS**

- Abstinence from meat on Ash Wednesday & the Fridays of Lent (for those 14 and older) is required by Church law. Also, Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fasting: those between the ages of 18 and 59 should eat less, meaning, take no solid food between meals and only one full meal that day. Serious health conditions excuse a person from these precepts.
- Pastors and parents are encouraged by the law of the Church to ensure that minors who are not bound by the law of fast & abstinence are educated nonetheless in an authentic sense of penance.

**TIME/TALENT/TREASURE** – "Blessed are they who have not seen and have believed." For those who have not seen to believe, however, we must be good stewards of our faith, living it joyfully and sharing it generously. Then, in our own time, "men and women in great numbers" will be "added to the Lord".

**CATHOLIC CHARITY APPEAL**

St. Joseph (as of 3/25/19) \$8,715.00  
St. Patrick (as of 3/26/19) \$6,670.00

**GRATEFUL FOR GOD'S PROVIDENCE**

St. Joseph (as of 3/25/19) \$28,800.00  
St. Patrick (as of 3/26/19) \$12,500.00

**ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH**



**Parish Mission Statement**

As a Christian Faith Community, we the People of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church of Pascoag, RI, acknowledge God's Blessings and strive to live out the Great Commandments to "love God with all our mind, heart, body, and soul" and "to love our neighbor as ourselves". Through the sacraments and with the Holy Spirit as our guide, we seek to witness to and celebrate the Kingdom of God among us; through service, healing and reconciling love.

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Apr 06** *Vigil Mass for the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent*

**Sat 5:30** In Memory of William E. Gonyea  
(13<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)  
by his Wife & Family

**Apr 07** *5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent*

**Sun 8:00** In Memory of Rita Brunette  
(16<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)  
by her Family

**Apr 08** Intention of the Priest

**Mon 8:00**

**Apr 10** Intention of the Priest

**Wed 8:00**

**Apr 12** *(Living) Stations of the Cross*

**Fri 7:00** St. Philip, Greenville

**Apr 13** *Vigil Mass for Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord*

**Sat 5:30** In Memory of Frank Rambone & Bob Rambone  
by their Families

**Apr 14** *Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord*

**Sun 8:00** Intention of the Priest

**Sanctuary/Tabernacle Lamp** will burn this week in memory of Deceased Parishioners of St. Joseph Church.

**FINANCIAL UPDATE**

	03/31/19
Regular Collection	\$2,471.00
Electronic Giving	\$141.84
Mail Ins	\$90.00
Fuel	\$37.00
Monthly	\$38.00
Easter Flowers	\$234.00
Mass Stipends	\$25.00
Candles	\$41.00
Mother's Day	\$29.65
<b>Total Operating</b>	<b>\$3,107.49</b>
Parish Outreach/Jacob's Gift	\$6.00
Rice Bowl	\$25.00

Upcoming 2 <sup>nd</sup> Collections	
April 07 (this week)	Monthly Parish Collection
April 14	Operation Rice Bowl/ Catholic Relief Services
April 21	Easter-for Catholic Charities
April 28	Fuel Offering

*Donations for Easter Flowers and Special Offering for Mothers' Day may be placed in any collection prior to Easter and Mother's Day, respectively.*

Each week, our parish requires a **minimum Total Operating Revenue of \$3,850.00** to meet our budgeted expenses. If you miss Mass for any reason, we kindly ask you to make up your missed budget envelopes. **Thank you for your generosity.**

**Mini-Splits Update**

Total Cost: ..... \$49,590.22  
To-Date Donations\*\* : ..... \$46,323.22  
Balance Remaining: ..... \$3,267.00

\*\*Donations to help defray the cost of the mini-splits are still being accepted. If you choose to make a donation, please specify on the envelope that your gift is for HVAC. While those funds are no longer restricted and are therefore subject to Diocesan assessment, your continued generosity is appreciated.

**St. Joseph's 50 Club Tickets** - The cost per ticket is \$50. Paid-to-date ticket holders will be eligible for twenty (20) weekly drawings of \$25 each. Tickets are still available at St. Joseph's rectory (Mon-Thu, 9 am – 5 pm, 401-568-2411). Once again, our dinner will be held at the Village Haven (June 1, 2019), with cash prizes drawn the night of the dinner. *Thank you for supporting this major parish fundraiser.*

**Week #12 Winner:**

**Richard Nolan**

**Ticket #33**

# ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

\$20 per person; \$140 for a table of 8. Call the rectory (401-568-5600) for more information.



## Parish Mission Statement

St. Patrick Parish is a Roman Catholic Faith Community guided by the Spirit of God, the scriptures and the traditions of the Church. Our mission is to share the Good News of Christ through the celebration of the liturgy, the sacraments, prayer and unconditional service to all humankind.

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Apr 06** *Vigil Mass for the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent*  
**Sat 4:00** In Memory of Raymond Daignault, Jr. & Dawn Jellison  
 by the Daignault Family

**Apr 07** *5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent*  
**Sun 10:00** In Memory of Joseph Colangelo (70<sup>th</sup> Birthday Remembrance)  
 by his Wife

**Apr 09** Intention of the Priest  
**Tue 8:00**

**Apr 11** *St. Stanislaus, Bishop & Martyr*  
**Thu 8:00** In Memory of Clarence Mayer  
 by his Wife

**Apr 12** *(Living) Stations of the Cross*  
**Fri 7:00** St. Philip, Greenville

**Apr 13** *Vigil Mass for Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord*  
**Sat 4:00** In Memory of Ann Rivet  
 by her Sister & Family

**Apr 14** *Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord*  
**Sun 10:00** In Memory of Carol Hauser  
 by her Family

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St. Patrick's Spring Dinner Dance – Saturday, April 27, 2019; dinner at 6 pm; dancing 7:30 pm to 11:30 pm. Featuring The Live Music Band (classic rock 'n roll). Chicken Cordon Bleu dinner w/coffee & dessert. Cash bar--beer, wine, soft drinks.

## FINANCIAL UPDATE

	03/31/2019
Regular Collection	\$1,519.00
Electronic Giving	\$77.36
Mail Ins	\$301.00
Building & Maintenance	\$43.34
Flower Donations	\$99.00
Mass Stipends	\$35.00
HVAC	\$50.00
Votive Offerings	303.00
Total Operating	\$2,427.70
Food Pantry	\$20.00
Ann Rivet Walk for Hunger	\$1,740.00

Upcoming 2 <sup>nd</sup> Collections	
April 07 (this week)	Building & Maintenance Fund
April 14	Operation Rice Bowl - Catholic Relief Services
April 21	Easter – for Catholic Charities

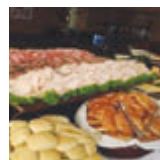
*Donations for Easter Flowers and Special Offering for Mothers' Day may be placed in any collection prior to Easter and Mother's Day, respectively.*

Each week our Parish requires a **minimum Total Operating Revenue of \$2,820.00** to meet our budgeted expenses. If you miss Mass for any reason, we kindly ask you to make up your missed budget envelopes. **Thank you for your generosity.**

### Mini-Splits Update

Total Cost: ..... \$27,285.00  
 To-Date Donations\*\* : ..... \$24,948.00  
 Balance Remaining: ..... \$2,337.00

\*\*Donations to help defray the cost of the mini-splits are still being accepted. **If you choose to make a donation, please specify on the envelope that your gift is for HVAC.**



The Rosary and Altar Society of St. Patrick's Church invites all the women of St. Patrick's and St. Joseph's to join us on Tuesday, May 14, for our Annual Pot Luck Dinner and Auction. The event

begins at 6:00 pm, and new and exciting dishes are always welcome! If you are able to attend, please bring a wrapped gift (\$10-\$15 value) which will be auctioned at this fun-filled night of food and fellowship. All proceeds from this event will benefit St. Patrick's Food Pantry. The Rosary and Altar Society always welcomes new members. If you wish to become a member, yearly dues are \$3.00 and payable on the night of the auction. For any information about this event or the other works of the Rosary and Altar Society, contact Joyce Baptista at 401-663-6403. We thank you and look forward to welcoming new members.



## ST. JOSEPH AND ST. PATRICK PARISHES

### PILGRIMAGE TO IRELAND - March 4-12, 2020



We are considering a pilgrimage to Ireland for next Spring. Final details are still being put together, but we have a preliminary program set up and would like to invite parishioners (and their friends) to take a look and let us know if you are interested. Itinerary, inclusive features, estimated costs and dates can be found at: <https://www.travelillum.com/trc/idi>. Or, you can call 1-800-368-6757, ext. 128 to ask questions. We hope you will join us for this enriching adventure.

### St. Patrick's Cemetery – Pre-Arrangement

The numerous decisions that must be made following the death of a loved one can prove burdensome, especially in planning a funeral and burial in a short span of time. Please consider pre-arrangement to ease the burden in the midst of grief.

The following is a current price list of cemetery plots:

Single Grave	\$ 950.00
2 Burial Plots	1,700.00
3 Burial Plots	2,500.00
4 Burial Plots	3,300.00

For further information regarding the purchase of cemetery burial plots in advance, please call the rectory (Mon-Fri, 8:00 am–12:00 pm; 401-568-5600).

### AROUND THE DIOCESE & ELSEWHERE

**DIVINE MERCY** - Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI spoke about the Confessional as a place in which “to dwell” so that the faithful may feel that they are loved and understood by God and experience the presence of Divine Mercy. The confessional is the mysterious encounter between man’s endless plea and the mercy of God. Experience that encounter this Lent! *Think and pray about it...and consider going to Confession, all day, from 8:30 am to 3 pm at St. Philip Church in Greenville on Saturday, April 13.*

**40 DAYS FOR LIFE LENTEN CAMPAIGN** – The Office of Life and Family Ministry and Rhode Island Right to Life are co-sponsoring the Lenten campaign which began

on Ash Wednesday and will run through Palm Sunday. We are requesting parishes adopt a day or an hour, and for individuals, an hour, for a peaceful prayer vigil at Planned Parenthood, 175 Broad Street, Providence, during this 40-day period, from 7 am to 7 pm. For more information, please call or email Carol Owens, Office of Life and Family Ministry: 401-278-2518; [cowens@dioceseofprovidence.org](mailto:cowens@dioceseofprovidence.org). *Please encourage women who are in a crisis or unplanned pregnancy to call us for confidential assistance!*

**FISH & CHIPS** - St. Theresa of the Child Jesus Church, 35 Dion Drive, Nasonville, *from noon until 7 pm every Friday during Lent* (except Good Friday). Grapenut pudding, too. Please call the rectory (568-8280) with any questions.

**GLORIFY – FOCUS ON CHRIST – PRAISE AND WORSHIP** - Sunday, April 7; St. Francis of Assisi Church, 114 High Street, Wakefield, RI. 7 – 9 pm.

**BUILDING KINDER COMMUNITIES** – Saturday, April 13. Presenter: Ethel Fraga. A morning program to reflect on teaching of Jesus on dignity of each and every person; communicating assertively with kindness; practicing love and kindness toward self, loved ones, people we hardly know, and people who have been difficult in our lives. 9:15 am-registration; 10 am-12 noon. Suggested donation \$20 per person. LaSalette Retreat Center, 947 Park Street, Attleboro, MA; call 508-222-8530 to register.

### **MCVINNEY AUDITORIUM; A SPECIAL SHAKESPEARE'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION**

The Shakespeare Time-Traveling Speakeasy presentation provides students an excellent introduction to the life and works of William Shakespeare (think: Shakespeare meets “Hamilton”). The presentations include multimedia and feature a live band. Two shows, Tuesday, April 23, at 10 am and 12 noon. Tickets and information at [www.shakespearetohiphop.com](http://www.shakespearetohiphop.com).

### **ANNUAL ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION RHODE ISLAND CHAPTER'S CAREGIVERS' JOURNEY CONFERENCE**

– April 25, Crown Plaza, Warwick, RI. For more information, please call Annie Murphy, Program Manager, at 401-421-0008, ext. 9704, or 1-800-272-3900; via e-mail at [mmurphy@alz.org](mailto:mmurphy@alz.org), or visit [www.alz.org/ri](http://www.alz.org/ri).

### **PASTORAL CARE FUNDRAISER DINNER**

Sponsored by The Office of Life and Family Ministry. Saturday, April 27 from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. at St. John Paul II Church (St. Cecilia's), 1253 Newport Ave., Pawtucket. To support St. Gabriel's Call and Project Rachel/Rachel's Vineyard. Italian Buffet Dinner tickets are \$30 per person. For more information and to purchase your tickets, please call Carol Owens at 401-278-2518 or e-mail: [cowens@dioceseofprovidence.org](mailto:cowens@dioceseofprovidence.org). 958 – page 5

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