

ST. JOSEPH AND ST. PATRICK ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCHES
15th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME; 07/15/2018



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MASS TIMES

SUMMER (THROUGH LABOR DAY)

Saturday, 4 pm St. Patrick
Sunday, 8 am & 10 am St. Joseph

FALL, WINTER, AND SPRING

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

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

Jan 01 Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God
May 10 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
Dec 25 Christmas

See inside for specific days, times, and locations.

SACRAMENTS

RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

BY APPOINTMENT OR

Saturday, 3:15 pm – 3:45 pm – St. Patrick
Sunday, 9:15 am – 9:45 am – St. Joseph

BAPTISM

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

MARRIAGE

Please call the rectory at least one year in advance.

AN OINTING OF THE SICK

Please call St. Joseph's rectory/office.

PASTOR'S PAGE



Dear Friends in Christ,

Next weekend 2 adults and 3 youth from Saint Joseph and Saint Patrick and I will be traveling to Franciscan University in Steubenville, Ohio, to attend a Youth Conference. Joining us on this pilgrimage will be 2 adults and 6 youth from Saint Philip in Greenville. This dynamic Catholic Conference has approximately 2,200 people in attendance, hosted at one of the top Catholic Universities. The youth conferences began there 40 years ago. It is also my Alma Mater. I am very glad we are able to participate at this summer Conference. We are also traveling to Our Lady of Martyrs Shrine in Auriesville, NY. This Shrine is dedicated to the missionaries who brought the Gospel of Christ to the Native Americans in this country. Please keep our travels and experience in prayer.

Towards the end of July, we welcome a Missionary Priest who will be celebrating and preaching at all the Masses the weekend of July 28-29 and sharing with us about the order he entered and the missionary work they do. Please see next week's Pastor's Page and bulletin for more information.

I pray that everyone's summer vacation, travels and visits with friends and family have been going well. May the Lord abundantly bless us, watch over us and keep us in His peace and protection.

Below, a prayer is provided for travels:

Loving and merciful God, you have commissioned your angels to guide and protect us. Command them to be with us from our leaving until our return; keep us safe from all injury, accident or malice and sin. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.

- Author Unknown

Peace in Christ,
Father Scott

5 FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS - Inspired by Our Lady of Fatima, 5 First Saturday Devotions (8-10 am) will be held at Saint Joseph & Saint Patrick beginning the First Saturday of June—to include Mass, Adoration, Confession, recitation of the Holy Rosary, meditation and Benediction. The First Saturday location will follow the First Friday Mass Schedule.

Saturday, August 4 @ Saint Patrick
Saturday, September 1 @ Saint Joseph
Saturday, October 6 @ Saint Patrick

Saint Joseph and Saint Patrick Summer 2018 Weekend Mass schedules are now in effect and will remain in effect through Labor Day weekend (September 1 & 2):

SATURDAYS

4 PM Saint Patrick Church

SUNDAYS

8 AM & 10 AM Saint Joseph Church

Time/Talent/Treasure – “The one who has faith in me will do the works I do, and far greater than those,” Jesus tells his disciples. That’s quite an assignment for us as Christian stewards!

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

SAT Is 6:1-8; Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5; Mt 10:24-33
SUN Am 7:12-15; Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14; Eph 1:3-14
MON Is 1:10-17; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23;
Mt 10:34-11:1
TUE Is 7:1-9; Ps 48:2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6, 7-8; Mt 11:20-24
WED Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Ps 94:5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 14-15;
Mt 11:25-27
THU Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Ps 102:13-14ab and 15, 16-18,
19-21; Mt 11:28-30
FRI Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Is 38:10, 11, 12abcd, 16;
Mt 12:1-8
SAT Mi 2:1-5; Ps 10:1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14; Mt 12:14-21
SUN Jer 23:1-6; Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6; Eph 2:13-18;
Mk 6:30-34

Vacation Bible Camp 2018

St. Joseph & St. Patrick Vacation Bible Camp 2018 –
August 6-10, 2018; 9 am – 12 noon.

St. Joseph Church, 183 Sayles Avenue, Pascoag, RI. For children entering 1st – 5th grades.

Cost: \$40/1 child; \$75/2 children; \$105/3 or more children.*
Maker Fun Factory, the Totally Catholic VBC, where kids learn they were created by God and built for a purpose. VBC is a way to help kids grow in faith and build a solid foundation of God’s love, a love that gives lives incredible purpose. Growing in God’s love helps us to share that love with families, friends, and community. Join us for a fun-filled and faith-focused week.

*Money is never a barrier to acceptance of students in any of our programs. If you are a registered member of St. Joseph or St. Patrick and are having difficulty meeting these fees or simply looking for more information, please contact Kevin Poirier at acctgprof@hotmail.com or Fr. Scott at stjosephpascoag@cox.net or 401-568-2411. Call either rectory (St. Patrick, 401-568-5600; St. Joseph, 401-568-2411) or visit www.stjosephri.org or www.stpatrickri.org for more information or to register on-line.

Community Town Hall Conversations about Alzheimer Disease - **August 7, 10 am -12 noon at St. Patrick’s Parish Hall.**

Please see page 4 for details.

Mission Co-Op (Augustinians of the Assumption) – Their Appeal is scheduled for **July 28-29, 2018**, at both St. Joseph and St. Patrick Churches. Look for more details in a future bulletin.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

FINANCIAL UPDATE



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

- Jul 15** *15th Sunday in Ordinary Time*
Sun 8:00 **In Memory of Margaret Kopeski (Birthday Remembrance) & George J. McCarthy (4th Anniversary)**
 by the Kopeski & McCarthy Families
- 10:00** **In Memory of Lois Simpson (10th Anniversary)**
 by her Family
- Jul 16** *Our Lady of Mount Carmel*
Mon 8:00 **In Memory of Edith & Lawrence Cashman (Birthday Remembrance)**
 by their Family
- Jul 18** *USA: St. Camillus de Lellis, Priest*
Wed 8:00 **In Memory of Lillian Lebeck**
 by Kay Latondress
- Jul 22** *16th Sunday in Ordinary Time*
Sun 8:00 **For Living & Deceased Parishioners of St. Joseph Church**
- 10:00** **In Memory of Carolina Philomena DeFranza Fisher (3-Mo. Anniversary)**
 by her Son Allen



The **Sanctuary/Tabernacle Lamp** will burn in memory of **Herb McCombs (22nd Anniversary)** & **Jim Murphy (3rd Anniversary)** by their Family.

	<u>07/01/18</u>	<u>07/08/18</u>
Regular Collection	\$3,535.00	\$2,380.00
Mail In's	\$ 95.00	\$ 10.00
On-Line Giving	\$ 140.00	\$ 140.00
Total	\$3,770.00	\$2,530.00
Monthly	\$ 708.00	\$ 140.00
Jacob's Gift (Outreach)	\$ 38.00	\$ N/A
Candles	\$ 31.00	\$ N/A
HVAC	\$ 220.00	\$ 190.00
Father's Day	\$ 5.00	\$ N/A
Catholic Comm. Camp.	\$ 10.00	\$ N/A
Peter's Pence	\$ 1.00	\$ N/A
Assumption	\$ 1.00	\$ N/A

<u>UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS</u>	
July 29	Mission Co-Op
August 5	Holy Father/Peter's Pence

Each week, our parish requires a **minimum 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:** \$43,681.22
Balance Remaining: \$5,909.00

****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 since those funds are "restricted" and therefore not subject to the Diocesan assessment.**

2018 Catholic Charity Appeal officially ended on 6/29/18. *The Diocesan Parish Donor Report for week #19 (ending 6/22/18)—the latest report received to date—indicates we have raised \$14,651.00, or 87.21% of our goal of \$16,800.00. Thank you sincerely to all who pledged or made a 1-time donation to help the needy of our area..*
"Never worry about numbers. Help one person at a time, and always start with the person nearest you."
Saint Mother Theresa

St. Joseph Yard Sale

Cleaning house? We are now accepting donations for our 2018 yard sale, scheduled for **September 22 & 23**—rain or shine!



We cannot accept TV's, computers, any size mattress, cribs, or infant/child car seats. Please call the rectory (401-568-2411, Monday–Thursday, 9 am–5 pm) to arrange a convenient drop-off date and time. Thank you for your support of this parish fundraiser!

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH



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

Jul 14 *USA St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin*
Sat 4:00 Intention of the Priest

Jul 17 For Deceased Parishioners of
Tue 8:00 St. Patrick Church

Jul 19 For Deceased Parishioners of
Thu 8:00 St. Patrick Church

Jul 21 *St. Lawrence of Brindis, Priest &*
 Doctor of the Church
Sat 4:00 In Memory of Andy Lambert
 (2nd Anniversary)
 by his Wife & Sons

Jul 22 *16th Sunday in Ordinary Time*
Sun 8:00 St. Joseph Church

10:00 St. Joseph Church



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

Community Town Hall Conversations about Alzheimer Disease - August 7, 10 am -12 noon at St. Patrick's Parish Hall.

More than 23,000 Rhode Islanders are living with Alzheimer's disease, and over 53,000 family and friends are providing them care and support. With the aging of our population this number is expected to climb in the next few years. In response, 5 years ago Rhode Island developed its first state Alzheimer plan, now being updated—and we need to hear from the community. Kicking off on August 5 and concluding August 10, 18 community town meetings are scheduled to allow Rhode Islanders to give their thoughts as to what should be included in the updated State Alzheimer's Plan.

Anyone with an interest is welcome—persons living with dementia, family and professional caregivers, health and long-term care workers, curious citizens.

Our parish community is supporting this effort by hosting one of these community town hall style conversations August 7, from 10-12 AM at St. Patrick's Parish Hall.

For more information about this meeting or Alzheimer's disease, call the Alzheimer's Association 401-421-0008.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

	<u>07/01/18</u>	<u>07/08/18</u>
Regular Collection	\$1,947.00	\$1,764.00
Mail In's	\$ 250.00	\$ 525.00
Electronic Giving	\$ 75.00	\$ 75.00
Total	\$2,272.00	\$2,364.00
Bldg./Maintenance	\$ 84.00	\$ 524.00
Food Pantry	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00
Father's Day	\$ 5.00	\$ N/A
Candles	\$ 76.00	\$ 62.00
HVAC	\$ 20.00	\$ 25.00

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS

<u>July 29</u>	<u>Mission Co-Op</u>
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Each week our Parish requires a **minimum of \$2,820.00** to meet its expenses. If you miss Mass for any reason, we kindly ask that you make up your missed budget envelopes. **Thank you for your generosity.**

Mini-Splits Update

Total Cost:\$27,285.00
To-Date Donations:\$23,638.00**
Balance Remaining:\$3,647.00

****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.**

2018 Catholic Charity Appeal


"Ask, and you will receive. Seek, and you will find. Knock, and it will be opened to you." – Matthew 7:7

A sincere thank you is extended to all who contributed to the 2018 Catholic Charity Appeal. Because of your generosity and support, our Parish not only achieved, but exceeded its goal of \$17,000.00! To date, the total received is \$17,725.89.

May we always be thankful to God for the many blessings He bestows upon us.

ST. JOSEPH & ST. PATRICK PARISHES


In-Pew Offertory Envelopes



Registered parishioners are encouraged to use their budget envelopes. Separate offertory envelopes (for those who do not have budget envelopes and for visitors) for St. Joseph and St. Patrick parishes will be available in the pews of both churches. Use of these (in-pew) envelopes will ensure your weekly offerings and/or 1-time gifts are forwarded and credited to your home parish or the parish of your choice. If you wish to begin receiving offering envelopes in the mail, please be sure to fill in your name, address and phone number and we will add your name to our mailing list. Thank you for your cooperation. Please call either rectory (St. Joseph, 401-568-2411; St. Patrick, 401-568-5600) with questions.

AROUND THE DIOCESE & ELSEWHERE

A Treasure in Jars of Clay: Called to Become Missionaries-Disciples with Fr. Flavio Gillio, m.s.



LaSalette Retreat Center; July 19, 7 pm – July 26, through breakfast; 7-day preached or guided retreat. The conscious decision to follow Jesus as a missionary disciple is more than an intellectual assent to a belief in Christ; it involves the whole person and implies pursuing Jesus of Nazareth and being imitators of Him. Grounded in Scripture and Tradition, the retreat will invite participants to approach Jesus of Nazareth as the “Exemplary Evangelizer: how can we learn to effectively and creatively evangelize, helping our local Christian communities to move from maintenance to mission-oriented communities and disciples-making communities? For more information or to book this retreat visit

<http://www.lasaletteretreatcenter.com/registration-78-days-retreats.html> .

Office of Catholic Youth Ministry's Upcoming Vocations Event for High School Boys

– *Quo Vadis* is Latin for “Where are you going?” The 2018 Quo Vadis camp for high school boys will take place at the Seminary of Our Lady of Providence from Sunday, July 29 to Wednesday, August 1. The camp is an opportunity for young men to deepen their faith, learn more about vocations, and better discern God’s plan for their lives. Activities will include prayer, daily Mass, recreation, witness talks, a challenge course, and more. For more information, please visit www.catholicpriest.com.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter - Jesus is asking us to go out two by two and proclaim His good news. Strengthen your relationship, rekindle your romance and renew your sacrament by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are September 15-16, 2018 in Medway, MA and December 7-9, 2018 in Duxbury, MA. For more information, call Stephen & Michelle O'Leary at 1-800-710-9963 or visit them at <https://wwwmema.org/>.

Office of Marriage Preparation & Enrichment's Annual Wedding Anniversary Celebration

– for couples observing their 25th, 40th, 50th and Over 50 Years wedding anniversaries in 2018. To be held on Sunday, September 23, 2018, 1 pm, at the Cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul, Providence; to include Mass, renewal of marriage vows, personalized certificate for each couple, and a reception for the couples and their families. Bishop Thomas J. Tobin will be the main celebrant. In order for couples to have their names and anniversary published in the Mass booklet, the registration deadline is AUGUST 17. Please note:

- Reservations are made by use of the Diocesan registration form (call your rectory) which must be submitted by your parish and signed by your Pastor.
- The parish office must mail registration forms to the Office of Marriage Preparation & Enrichment on a weekly basis and all must be received by August 17 in order to have the couples’ names included in the Mass Booklet.
- One or both spouses must be Catholic, and the marriage must be recognized by the church.
- The celebration is for couples. If it is not possible for both to be present, a certificate can be forwarded directly to the couple.

Beacon Hospice Seeks Local Volunteers




– Beacon Hospice provides quality end-of-life care to local terminally ill patients. We are looking for caring and compassionate individuals in your area to spend time with our patients. Many of our patients have few to no visitors and really enjoy friendly visits from a volunteer. Volunteers can provide much needed support to patients and their families in a number of ways, including: visiting on an ongoing basis, sitting vigils, knitting, crocheting, quilting, organizing craft projects, providing music therapy, reiki, pet therapy, and veterans visiting other veterans. There is a free training course (held locally) that is required on what hospice is and how to interact with hospice patients. For more information, interested volunteers should contact Ashley Toste, Volunteer Coordinator, at 401-438-0008.

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