

St. Patrick Church,

14010 S. RIVER RD. GRAND RAPIDS, OH

OCTOBER 21, 2018
TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Thursday, November 01 is the Feast of All Saints.
It's a Day of Obligation. Our Mass schedule for this
day is –

10/31 @ 07.00 pm St. Patrick
10/31 @ 07.00 pm St. Louis
11/01 @ 09.15 am St. Louis
11/01 @ 12 Noon St. Patrick

Fr. Walter Tuscano
Pastor

WE HAVE NEW PARISH OFFICE HOURS:
Monday-Thursday 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Friday Closed

Donut Volunteers Needed after 11:30 Mass: Help
is needed for making coffee, setting up everything,
and clean up after. Our volunteers work very hard
and need more helpers in order to continue our
donuts after Mass. Please call 832-5215 if interested.

Sunshine Committee Meeting: Our next meeting is
on Sunday October 21st @ 9:30 a.m.

St. Patrick's Youth Group (SPYG) 2018-19: Our
Youth Group meets on Wednesdays. It begins with a
meal at 6:30 p.m. and activities follow from 7-8:30
p.m. Attending SPYG is a positive step to counteract
Culture and prepare your kids for life after high
school. For more information please contact Katie at

419-973-8767 or Kevin at 419-356-4299. Pick up a
registration form now!

Otsego Christmas Basket Meeting: On Thursday
Oct. 25th @ 2 p.m. there will be a meeting to
organize this year's Otsego Christmas Baskets in St.
Patrick Church hall. Anyone is welcome who would
like to help out with this event that we do for the less
fortunate at Christmas time.

TEACHER NEEDED!! If you enjoy working with
children and sharing your faith, please consider
helping out in religious education this year. We are
in need of a teacher for 3rd grade. Lesson plans,
teacher manual and assistance in getting started will
be provided. If you would like more information,
please contact the parish office at 419-832-5215.

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults: RCIA
at our parish has started meeting on Sunday's at 10
a.m. in the meeting room off the hall. Many have
told us that they became interested in the Catholic
faith through a personal invitation. Please pray for
those who are exploring their faith and consider
inviting someone who may want to join us. If you or
someone you know is interested in the Catholic
Faith, please call the parish office 419-832-5215.



Patrick Bench of Caps: Our Religious Ed men will take up this project of benches at our playground. We want to ask you to continue to save the caps. You may drop the caps off in the parish hall. There is a sign on the table in the hall listing what caps are acceptable. Thank You!

Bell Choir Needs New Members: The Bell Choir is looking for new members that would like to play or learn how to play bells. There are many ways to offer your talent so if interested please contact any bell choir member. You can also contact the parish office for more information.

Family Perspective: "Advise" books abound on marriage and parenting. Jesus tells us in today's gospel the real secret: satisfying relationships depend on sacrifice our needs to serve others. It is about "giving" ourselves. If you are a servant to your children and you are doing it right.

or the following housebound and sick:

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| *Holly Potter | *Bonnie Piasecki |
| *Ed Bump | *Rich Piasecki |
| *Dick Mertes | Haas Family |
| *Don Westhoven | *Alma Westhoven |
| *Kelly VanOrder | Robert & Jean Bowman |
| *Janis Wade | *Mallory Beasley |
| Scott Kunkle | *Chuck |
| *Anna Mae Williams | |

* is a member of St. Patrick - On the first Sunday of every month the prayer list will be reset with names that have contacted the office for that month. Call our Parish Office @ 419-832-5215 for more details! We hope that you utilize the prayer boxes at both of our main entrances to church for any special prayer requests. Thank You!

Otsego Christmas Baskets: The parish office has started taking names of people for baskets. Please remember that the person(s) have to know about getting the basket. If you would like to donate food or **NEW** toys you can bring them to the Northwest corner of the hall. **Please no clothes!** The only clothes we will be accepting are warm items: gloves, scarves, hats, etc. We will be sorting the toys on Wed. Dec. 12th at 10 a.m. anyone is welcome to help with the packing of food on Thurs. Dec. 13th at 6 p.m. On Sat. Dec. 15th at 9 a.m.-Noon we will be distributing the food and toys. Anyone over 18 is welcome to help. We need strong arms as the boxes do get heavy. The Otsego Christmas Baskets is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization.

Helping Hands of St. Louis Toledo's (Soup Kitchen): On Wednesday October 17th our St. Patrick team served 190 Spaghetti Lunches. Our deserts helped finish off a lovely meal. Thank you every bit helps and is greatly appreciated!

Support Our Retired Priests

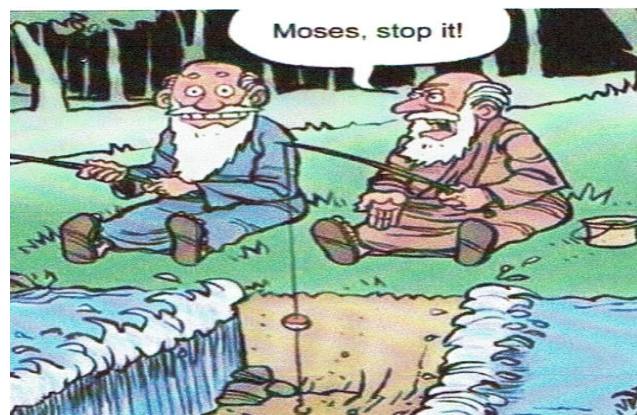
Please consider a donation to Perpetuate the Gift. Your gift benefits our retired diocesan priests and your Parish. All funds contributed between October 14 and December 31 help reduce the amount the parish contributes to the fund. A gift of cash or check can also be made online at www.ourpriest.org. If you would like to give a gift of stock or designate a bequest to help our retired priests, please contact Chris Holinski at 419-214-4951 or email at Cholinski@toledodiocese.org. Envelopes for the Toledo Diocesan Retired Priests Fund (Perpetuate the Gift) can be found at both entrances of church.

World Mission Sunday: is October 20/21, 2018. The theme for this year's Mission Sunday is "Through Youth to the World: Voices for Mission." Take a moment to fill out a yellow envelope. Checks should be made to Office of Mission Appeals & Awareness. Through the work of these churches and their witness to Christ, the poor receive practical help and experience God's love and mercy.

Altar Rosary Society Meetings: We meet on the second Thursday of every month from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Our next meeting will be on November 8th. All women of the parish (18 years and older) are welcome to join in the Altar Rosary Society.

Mark All Your Calendars-Eucharistic Adoration: Everyone please join us Friday November 2nd from 7-8 p.m. for Eucharistic Adoration. The first Friday of every month we will have Eucharistic Adoration for all from 7-8 p.m. **Our Nov. Adoration is on the 2nd & 3rd.** If you would like to try this ministry or to be subs contact Phil Hertzfeld at (419-466-2896).

St. Louis 300 Club News: Our 1st winners were: #056 Dave Flowers, \$100, #057 Janet Cavanaugh, \$200, #058 Durleen Morlock, \$100. We have 26 tickets unsold.



LITURGY APPOINTMENTS: Oct. 27-28

Weekend Liturgies	4:30 p.m.	R. Potter, C. Lillevik, S. Sochacki
	7:30 a.m.	M. Hannewald, P. Weimer, RM. Scherze
	11:30 a.m.	L. Ellinwood, Ka. & Ki. Ross

Ministers of Communion:	4:30 p.m.	K. Kessler, T. & R. Shine, C. Balusik, C. Nelms
	7:30 a.m.	M. Wolfram, S. Maas, B. Weimer, R. Pollock, C. Tuppenhauer
	11:30 a.m.	J. & E. Collins, D. Glenn, A. & J. Coburn

Servers:	4:30 p.m.	R. Kessler, RJ Agosti
	7:30 a.m.	Z. & J. Jones, K. Maas
	11:30 a.m.	D. Warner, J. & M. Cole

LITURGY READINGS for Oct. 22nd-28th

Mon.-Eph. 2:1-10; Lk. 12:13-21
 Tues.-Eph. 2:12-22; Lk. 12:35-38
 Wed.-Eph. 3:2-12; Lk. 12:39-48
 Thurs.-Eph. 3:14-21; Lk. 12:49-53
 Fri.-Eph. 4:1-6; Lk. 12:54-59
 Sat.-Eph. 4:7-16; Lk. 13:1-9
 Sun.-Jer. 31:7-9; Heb. 5:1-6; Mrk. 10:46-52

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE Oct. 23rd & 25th

Mon.	St. Louis	09:30 a.m.
Tue.	St. Patrick	08:00 a.m. Bill & Leslie Hertzfeld/Fam.
Wed.	St. Louis	09:30 a.m.
Thurs.	St. Patrick	08:00 a.m.

WEEKEND LITURGIES Oct. 27th-28th

Sat.	St. Patrick	4:30 p.m. Lumbrezer Family
Sun.	St. Patrick	7:30 a.m. Gary Maas
	St. Louis	9:30 a.m.
	St. Patrick	11:30 a.m. Florencio Bringas

Sacrament of Penance is on Saturdays from 3:30-4:00 p.m. Call Fr. Walter Tusciano for Appt. 419-832-2414

OUR VISION

We are a people of God, nourished by sacred Scripture and Sacrament. We believe in and are

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time: All discipleship involves mission. The bishops' pastoral letter on stewardship reminds us, "Every member of the Church is called to evangelize, and the practice of authentic Christian stewardship inevitably leads to evangelization."

We give what we have been given: Sunday Offertory (10/14/18)

Offertory Adult Envelopes (69)	\$ 3,417.00
Easter Mass Loose	\$ 126.50
Total	\$ 3,543.50
Motive Candles	\$ 10.00
Coffee & Rolls	\$ 60.00
Stipends	\$ 55.00
Cemetery Maintenance	\$ 210.00
Offertory Received to Date (16 wk.)	\$ 56,783.47
Average	\$ 3,548.96

Spaghetti Dinner-Saturday October 27: St. Louis School will be sponsoring an All-You-Can-Eat Spaghetti Dinner in the school cafeteria from 4:30 - 7:00 PM. Dinner will include spaghetti, bread, salad, and a beverage. For dessert, we will be serving ice cream. The cost is a free-will donation. All proceeds will benefit St. Louis School operations. Please spread the word to your friends. Carry-outs will also be available.

Cathy's Joke for the Week!

experiencing the mystery of God's unconditional love for us. Through Jesus Christ — and with the help of the Holy Spirit — we work to build God's Kingdom on earth. Our efforts within our parish will focus on: our fuller union with God, our strengthened relationships with each other and our caring service to others.

DIRECTORY

Pastor-Fr. Walter Tuscano, SAC

Parish Office-Catherine Agosti

Coordinator, Religious Ed.-Stacie Maas

Parish Pastoral Council-Sue Sochacki (Secretary)

Worship-Sue Sochacki

Liturgical Scheduling-Colleen Lillevik

Youth Coordinator-Kevin Hertzfeld

St. Vincent DePaul Society-Contact Parish Office

R.C.I.A.-Marie Wolfram, Tony & Barbara Kleis, Ron & Rachael Borders, Ruth Herndon & Bev Wilson

Bell Choir-Karol Westhoven

Cemetery Board-Mike Metzger

****Contact Parish Office on any Directory Questions!**

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Closed on Friday's