

ALL ARE WELCOME

We extend a special welcome to all of our new parishioners who have come to worship with us. If you are new to our community, please introduce yourself to Msgr. Mike or Fr. Michael.

New this week

We would like to extend a warm welcome to the newest parishioners of St. Patrick Church: Pedro Giboyeau & Miriam Maldonado, Jeremy & Rechilda Lawhorn; James & Maureen McKnight, and James & Denise Schumacher.

PARISH REGISTRATION

“While there are many kinds and degrees of participation in a parish, a common thread is a deliberate decision to belong. This implies, for example, that people register in the parish, attend its services, provide for its financial support, and take part in its various activities. In other words, belonging to a parish requires an active commitment, not merely a passive response.”
Joseph Cardinal Bernardin

Though a rather simple act, registration is a sign of one’s commitment and responsibility to the parish. In practical terms, registration allows the parish to know how many families live in the parish. It also provides an official record of your membership and is essential for participation in parish programs and sacraments.

We encourage everyone to formally register as members of Saint Patrick Catholic Church by stopping by the church office during business hours (Monday – Friday, 8:00 – 4:00) or by completing a registration card which can be found in the pews or at the Welcome table at the main entrance of the church after each Mass.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:30 PM

Sunday: 7:30, 9:30, & 11:30 AM and 1:30 PM (Español)

Daily: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday 9 AM
Holy Hour Wednesday 5:15 PM Mass 6:15 PM
Holy Days: 9 AM and 7 PM (No Vigil Mass)

PARISH OFFICE

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Parish Website: www.stpatnc.org

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Monday-Friday: 8 AM - 4 PM

Saturday & Sunday: Closed



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SACRAMENTS

Infant Baptisms: Parishioners registered for a minimum of three months may schedule infant baptism after completion of a baptism preparation workshop and receipt of all paperwork, including godparent documents. Baptisms are celebrated monthly during Mass on a predetermined schedule. Baptisms are not celebrated privately. Contact Johnnie Winters (x107) for requirements, preferably before the child’s arrival. ** Children over 6 years old will be prepared to receive all 3 sacraments of initiation at one time.**

First Penance and First Communion: First Penance and First Communion are usually celebrated when a child is in the second grade. Two consecutive years of religious education as well as attendance at preparation sessions are required. A copy of the child’s baptismal certificate is necessary for registration for these sacraments.

Reconciliation: The Sacrament of Penance (confession) is celebrated each Saturday from 3:30 – 5:00 in the church. In addition, the sacrament is available by appointment. Please call the church office to set up an appointment.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults: Adults interested in becoming Catholic or seeking initiation into the Full Communion of the Catholic Church are invited to contact Joe Long (joelong@stpatnc.org or x112) to arrange for a meeting.

Funerals: After a funeral director has been contacted but before any arrangements have been made public, the funeral director will contact the Parish Office to arrange for a funeral time and/or vigil service. The family of the deceased will also need to meet with a member of the parish pastoral staff to plan the service(s). A workshop is held each November to assist parishioners in planning their own funerals.

Marriage: Contact Beth O’Leary, Family Life Ministry, at least six months before the desired date.

Hospital Visits/Anointing of the Sick: Please notify the Church office if you or a member of your family are hospitalized, or if the Sacrament of the Sick is needed. Due to HIPA laws visitation by clergy/lay ministers may be denied unless you inform us .



Solemnity of All Saints

Readings for the Week of November 1, 2009

Sunday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a
 Monday: Wis 3:1-9/Rom 5:5-11 or 6:3-9/Jn 6:37-40
 Tuesday: Rom 12:5-16b/Lk 14:15-24
 Wednesday: Rom 13:8-10/Lk 14:25-33
 Thursday: Rom 14:7-12/Lk 15:1-10
 Friday: Rom 15:14-21/Lk 16:1-8
 Saturday: Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27/Lk 16:9-15
 Next Sunday: 1 Kgs 17:10-16/Heb 9:24-28/Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44



“Blessed are the poor in spirit,
 for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
 ...Blessed are the peacemakers,
 for they will be called children of
 God.” - Mt 5: 3, 9

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~ friends and family who are ill or have asked for our prayers:

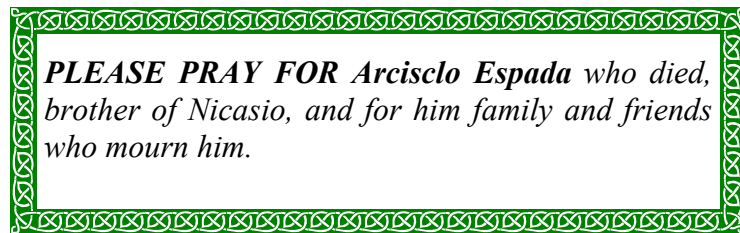
Gary Anderson, Donald Blair, Glenn Bowen, Helen Brewer, Tom Britton, Mary Buchanan, Mary Bryant, Sandra Cain, Gina Chandler, Elizabeth Coats, Etta Cooper, Benny & Ana Damian, Cecelia David, Narciso Digamon, Pat & Adela Dingman, Rebecca Dobson, Carol & Manuel Enriquez, Jerry & Mary Etheridge, Esther Evans, Angelo Fiorentino, Howard Fleetwood, Richard Fleming, Pablo Fletcher, Clara Frank, Reta Galante, Margaret Geffre, Joey Gomez, Lucila Gonzalez, Rick Garcia, Lesly and Gaspar Gonzalez, Kathie Grantham, Nerina Gregory, Ernie Hall, George Hargrove, Renedios Gilbert, Lillian Harrington, Wilma Hart, Rose Howard, Chuck Hubbard, George Hutnan, L. Llyod Jacobs, Carl & Alberta Johnson, Mary Johnson, Donald Kolbeck, Charles Krupa, Jeff Lafave, Mike Lee, Irene Letendre, Eddie & Linda Lopez, Anthony Luciano, Rose Mahan, Joe Maloney, Wilber Malloy, MaryJo Manlie, Barbara McCaslin, Tammy McGilvery, Riley McGuire, Lynn Mehring, Christina Mintz, Geri Morakon, Julia Mulvey, Fred Naylor, Edith Neri, Pat Parrott, Carolyn Powell, Lance Richter, Eileen Rodriguez, Francis Rogers, Maria Ruddy, Joe Ruggiero, Bob St. Germain, Amanti Santiago, Arthur Savicki Sr., George Schrode, Nicholas Serbio, Brandon Shaffer, Ruth Siska, Eva Smiley, Agnes Smith, Herbert Smith, Linda Smith, Allison Steinberg, Patricia Stephenson, Marie Stewart, Julia Strain, Blanche Szent-Milklosy, Ann Tosco, Lewis Tribodeau, Tommy Tucker, Teresa Zahran-Vaught, Justin Vega, Maggie Walsh, Mary Warlick, Scott & Christian Wells, Andrew Whaley and Fred Zahran, III.

~for those homebound in our parish

~for those serving us and our country

Jocelyn & Richard Blackwell, Brian Broadwell, Richard Chaney, David Cook, James Few, Danny Firtzpatrick, Peter Forthofer, David J. Garcia, Christine Hall, Casey Helm, Lester Long, Esteban Manso, Scott Monoher, Steve Morris, JC Pasztor, Ernest M. Reed, Alan Shumate, Kyle Stockwell, Michael Vega, Michael Urbaniak, Christopher West and John Wolf.

Pray for Peace Respect Life Work for Justice



*PLEASE PRAY FOR Arcisclo Espada who died,
 brother of Nicasio, and for him family and friends
 who mourn him.*

First Friday Society monthly meeting is scheduled for Friday, November 6 in the social hall after the 9 a.m. Mass. Please come join us!

First Saturday Mass November 7 at 9 am.



We would like to wish a “Happy Birthday” to all our homebound parishioners who have a birthday in November:
 Constance Morris and Bobby Wright.

Mass Intentions • Intenciones de la Misa For Week November 2—8

Mon., Nov. 2	9 am	†Carmen Graziani
Tue., Nov. 3	9 am	†Josheph Nguyen
Wed., Nov. 4	6:15 pm	†William J. Carmichael
Thur., Nov. 5	9 am	†Deceased family & friends
Fri., Nov. 6	9 am	†Thomas & Gloria Imbo
Sat., Nov. 7	9 am	†Gerry Hughes
	5:30 pm	†Joseph Enriquez
Sun., Nov. 8	7:30 am	†Mildred O'Rourke
	9:30 am	For the People of St Patrick
	11:30 am	†Charles Black
	1:30 pm	†Richard Palazzi

Weekly Events

CALENDAR

Sunday--November 1

9:30 AM Religious Education for Pre-K-5th grade education center
 4:30 PM CYM Open Gym FLC
 5 CYM Youth Center social hall
 6 CYM Youth Group education center

Monday--November 2

10 AM Rosary church
 7 Bible study Elizabeth Ann Seton rm

Tuesday--November 3

9 AM Parent morning out nursery
 9:45 Bible study Elizabeth Ann Seton rm
 5:30 PM Choristers music suite
 6:30 Spanish Legion of Mary Juan Diego rm
 7 Charismatic Prayer group lounge
 7 Parish Choir rehearsal music suite

Wednesday--November 4

5:15 PM Holy Hour church
 7 Intergenerational Religious Ed education center
 7 Hispanic choir rehearsal church
 7 Immaculate Conception Sodality mtg social hall

Thursday--November 5

5:30 PM Prep Bells music suite
 6 Rosary church
 7 Inquiry Juan Diego rm
 7 Hispanic bible study conference suite
 7 Handbell rehearsal music suite
 7 Men's open basketball FLC

Friday--November 6

9 AM Parent morning out nursery
 9:45 First Friday Society social hall
 7 PM Co-ed Volleyball FLC

Saturday--November 7

9 AM First Saturday Mass church
 3:30 PM Reconciliation church
 5:30 Mass

Sunday--November 8

9:30 AM Religious Education for Pre-K-5th grade education center
 4:30 PM CYM Open Gym FLC
 5 CYM Youth Center social hall
 6 CYM Youth Group education center



Adult Formation

THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER
the Month of All Souls



Commemoration of ALL SOULS

To mark this day of remembrance, there will be Masses at 7:00 AM, 9:00 AM, and 6:30 PM.

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Preparing Your Funeral Liturgy:
Insights into the Order of Christian Funerals

There is an ancient saying that goes, *“The way/law of praying is the way/law of believing.”* With this in mind, we will be offering a session on how the Church’s prayer at the time of death reflects what we believe about death and resurrection. This session will also include the presentation of materials for preparing funeral liturgies and of course, opportunities to answer questions.

Tuesday, November 17, 2009
7:00 – 9:00 PM

Saint Patrick Education Center

To register contact Johnnie Winters at 323-2410 x 107 or johnniewinters@stpatnc.org

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Catholicism 101

Will explore the basic tenets of Catholicism. Held in the Family Life Center from 9:30 to 11:00 AM every Sunday that the Children’s Religious Education is in session. This informal course is offered especially for parents of children in religious education and all others interested in diving deeper into our Catholic faith.

Lean on Me



has been formed to provide support, friendship and opportunities for widows and widowers of the parish. Meetings are scheduled the first Saturday of each month. Those participating are encouraged to come to the 9:00 AM Mass to pray together and then gather in the Church Office for a brief focus meeting. Afterward spend some time together sharing experiences, concerns, ideas, and needs in a safe and informal environment. Our next meeting is Saturday, November 7. For more information, contact Theresa Southers 867-5646



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Baptism Orientation Session

Parents who are awaiting the birth of a child and parents desiring to baptize their children are invited to begin the process leading to the Sacrament of Baptism of Infants and Young Children.

The first step is to attend our next Orientation Session **Tuesday, November 3 at 7:00 PM.** Sessions will be held in the Church Office.

At the session, information concerning parish guidelines, preparation sessions and dates for baptism will be discuss. For more information or to register, please contact Johnnie Winters at 323-2410 x 107 or johnniewinters@stpatnc.org



It is with great joy that this community of Saint Patrick’s welcomes:

Aubrey Ann Lutz, daughter of Kenneth and Laurie;
Joshuah Victor DeLucia, son of Matthew and Jamie;

James McGee and William Richard Bramble, sons of Christopher and Paula;

Sherlien Skylee Ferido, daughter of Neil and Sherilyn;

Seamus Anthony McLaird, son of Dominic and Angela;

Elsa Natalia Martinez, daughter of Eduardo and Sandra;

Luis David and Kevin Alejandro Lopez- Acuna, sons of Jose and Patricia;

Brianna Gerena Rojas, daughter of Anthony and Alma;

Julissa Lanto, daughter of Luis and Beatriz; and

Nashely Zarate Ruiz, daughter of Huber and Aglaet,

who entered life with Christ through the waters of baptism and now are a member of the Body of Christ and the Catholic community. We offer our prayers and living support and guidance as these children grow in age, wisdom and knowledge and become faithful followers of Christ.

NEW CHURCH BUILDING FUNDING STATUS

“Continue God’s Good Work...Fulfill the Promise”

as of October 15, 2009

Number of registered parishioner pledges: 949

Number of visitor pledges: 67

Amount of pledges: \$4,932,819

Pledge funds & interest received: \$3,334,476

Memorials/Honorariums received: \$34,584

Total Campaign funds received: \$3,369,060

Campaign Fund Goal: \$6,500,000

If you haven't already pledged, please consider making a commitment. Most pledges are made over a 3-year time frame; some are one-time gifts. Consider which is best for you. IT TAKES A PARISH TO BUILD A CHURCH.

Children's Religious Education and Ministry

Chris Potter-Wroblewski Coordinator of Religious Education & Sacramental Preparation for Pre-K-5th gr
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FREE Nursery: at Mass for Sat. 5:30 p.m., Sun. 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Ages birth to 4 years.

Parents' Morning Out: 9 a.m. until Noon, Tuesday & Friday (for a small fee) Ages birth to 4 years.



IT IS NOT TOO LATE TO HELP!

St. Patrick's Nazareth House will be sheltering homeless families in conjunction with Cumberland Interfaith Hospitality Network the week of November 1st thru November 8th. Please prayerfully consider giving of your time and talent and prayers to support this ministry.

We are in need of volunteers to help prepare meals, host dinners or be overnight hosts. **We especially need overnight hosts.** We also need people to set up, clean up and do laundry. *For more information contact John Reichart 425-5135 or Dee Boiselle 489-4042.*



NEW CHURCH PICTORIAL DIRECTORY



Hard to believe four years have past since our last parish directory. We are developing a new 2010 edition of the St. Patrick Church Pictorial Directory. Our goal is to have all 1,700 St. Pat's families in the directory. The process is very easy, it takes about one hour of your time and it doesn't cost you a dime. You can sign up for a time slot after weekend Mass, or go to the

parish web site:

www.stpatnc.org and click the directory button on the opening page, or call the office 323-2410 x101. You get to review your pictures immediately after the photographer takes them. You select which picture you want in the directory and Lifetouch will mail you your FREE 8 x 10 photo. Also, you will receive a FREE pictorial directory when it is published next spring. You may of course buy additional photos or have them made into Christmas cards, but there is absolutely no pressure to buy anything. We start taking photos on November 16th and will continue for 25 days. If you sign up early, you can get the date and time slot that you prefer. Photos will be taken in the Education Center/School Library. Questions?, call Trish McDowell, 323-2410 x101.



Catholic Youth Ministry

Vince Mescall Youth Ministry and Family Life Center Director
323-2410 ext. 108 jmescall@stpatnc.org

Catholic Youth Ministry

You can make a difference in the spiritual life of our youth and also grow closer to God yourself.

C Y M is here for YOU!!

You gotta be here, just come join us.

We meet just about every Sunday because it's a great place to get to know Jesus and to learn about our Catholic faith.

Besides the Sunday meetings look at what else is in the works...

Annual Youth Food Drive

(aka Trick or Treat for Canned Goods)

CYM Christmas Dance

(one for middle school, one for high school)

Ski Trip for high school

Crazy Fund Raising activities

Super Bowl party

30 Hour Famine

High School Convention

Middle School Jamboree

Home Works Mission

Annual Fayetteville session

Home Works Mission TRIP

Living Nativity and Living Stations

Paintball, Movie Nights, Lock-ins

and other crazy activities

Join in the fun! Come to Youth Group!

More details about vital CYM activities at www.stpatnc.org. Click on Youth Ministry on the front page or, contact Vince – 323-2410 x108

Family Life Ministry

Beth O'Leary
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It only takes a moment...

A Moment of Care



Often, we recognize God's presence among us through the care of others. Much gratitude is owed to all who offer their time and compassion to our homebound, nursing home residents and ill parishioners at the hospital. We are grateful to those who visit and take Communion to these parishioners. Those Communion ministers to the homebound and hospital, who reach out to our faith community in love and care, and in doing so make Christ's presence known. You do not need to be a Eucharistic minister to participate as a Communion minister to the homebound and to the hospital; you will be trained in this ministry. Are you called to join these parishioners in caring service? If so please contact Beth O'Leary.



A Marriage Encounter weekend is designed to give married couples the opportunity to privately examine their lives together . . . a time to share their feelings, their hopes, disappointments, joys and frustrations . . . and to do so openly and honestly in a face-to-face, heart-to-heart loving encounter with the one person they have chosen to live with for the rest of their life.

The next opportunity to participate in a Marriage Encounter weekend in North Carolina is November 13-15 at Atlantic Beach. To register or find out more information call 336-274-4424 or register on line at wwme.org

Needed: Courageous Men and Women

Family Honor is looking for individuals willing to consider joining our team of chastity program presenters in Raleigh/Cary. If you are at least 21 years old and would like to do something that will make a significant difference in our culture and local community, please consider registering for the spring 2010 semester of our college-credit online course, *The Truth and Meaning of Sexuality, Love and Family: Cultural Implications*. This is the first step in the process of becoming a presenter. The online format provides the flexibility you need, and the course content will enrich your knowledge on a wide range of topics relating to sexuality, love and family. Financial assistance is available.



Please visit Family Honor's website, www.familyhonor.org, for an application and more info, or get in touch with us locally by contacting Linda Gaviria at (919) 467-5527 or fhraleigh@gmail.com. Deadline for registration is December 1.

Family Honor, Inc. is a national Catholic non-profit organization whose mission is to create opportunities and provide tools for parents and children to connect on important life issues, with a special focus on chastity and God's gift of sexuality.

Stewardship a Way of Life

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**God's Portion
Stewardship of Treasure Report
for October 11, 2009**

*"For everything is from you and we only give you what we have received from you."
1 Chronicles 29:14-16*

Actual weekly offering:	\$	24,037.38
Budgeted weekly offering:	\$	23,596.15
Actual year-to-date offering:	\$	318,114.81
Budgeted year-to-date offering:	\$	353,942.25
Over (under) budget:	\$	(35,827.44)

Thank you for your gifts and continued support to the parish. May God continue to bless all of you.

Justice Jottings

"... there is a pressing moral need for renewed solidarity, especially in relationships between developing countries and those that are highly industrialized. The technologically advanced societies can and must lower their domestic energy consumption, either through an evolution in manufacturing methods or through greater ecological sensitivity among their citizens."

Pope Benedict XVI, *Caritas in Veritate*, 2009

Breaking the Cycle of Poverty: Catholic Campaign for Human Development collection is November 8.

For nearly 40 years, the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) has embodied Catholic social teaching through pursuing justice and upholding the dignity of the human person. CCHD funds community projects led by low-income individuals. As more Americans feel the weight of the economic crisis, CCHD needs your support in next week's Collection more than ever. Thank you for your generosity. *Please use the envelope provided in your monthly packet or pick one up in the vestibule.*

NEED HELP-PICTORIAL DIRECTORY

We really need volunteers to help check in our families who are having their pictures taken for the NEW Parish Pictorial Directory. The shift is three hours long and the work is easy, but very important. There are 100 (three hour shifts) spread over 25 days of picture taking. So we really need a lot of volunteers to help out. Please contact Marianne Howard at 867-8857 or by e-mail at MHoward65@nc.rr.com. For additional information you can call Trish at the church office 323-2410 x 101. Thank you, this will be our best directory ever.



Saint Patrick School News

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 Thomas Manion, Principal tmani@stpatnc.org
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 Mike Bryson: School Advisory Committee (SAC) 322-1523



In honor of WORLD FOOD DAY, Student Council sponsored a food drive "NEIGHBORS HELPING NEIGHBORS" from Oct. 12 through Oct. 15. It was a tremendous success with students bringing in over 800 items! Each class sponsored an agency; the class that collected the most items will get to send the entire school's collection of canned goods to their sponsored group. In grades K through 8, the class with the most items was 1st Grade with the 2nd grade coming in close behind!. A special thank you to the families in our Preschool program; they did an excellent job of collecting 154 boxes of Mac & Cheese! Many thanks to all our Saint Patrick families for their generous donations!

☘ There will be no school on Monday, November 2. Please keep the teachers and staff in your prayers during their day of retreat.

☘ What a great way to purchase a gift for weddings, birthdays, anniversaries, Christmas or to say thank you and help Saint Patrick School. Restaurants, gas companies, retail stores, hardware stores and coffee shops are all examples of the large selection of choices you can make when you purchase you cards. Just order your gift cards through the school or you can order them on line by emailing Katy Erickson. You can pick up a list of the national companies that participate in this program at the school or find out by going on line to scripzone.com. You will receive gift cards to share with your loved ones and the school will receive a percentage from the sale of the card. A win - win situation! Please call the school at 323-1865 or email Katy at ktejbe@aol.com for more information.

☘ Help St. Patrick School and Saving Money TOO!!

This year St. Patrick School has its very own **Dining Card**. Each card gives you a discount at 18 local restaurants. The dining cards are good for one year and there is no limit on the amount of times you can use each discount. They are available for only \$10. Support our school and purchase a dining card or two!

The weekend of November 14-15 the PVO will be selling the dining cards after each mass. Stop by the social hall to get yours. *If you just can't wait, dining cards can be purchase in the school office. Contact Karen Fitzpatrick for additional information at 910-323-1865.*



Do We Have Your Correct Address?

We make every effort to make sure our parish files are as up to date as possible. If you have moved, changed your address, phone number or e-mail please contact the parish office. If you are moving away from Saint Patrick Church, we would appreciate hearing from you in order to update our records.

The School Advisory Committee (SAC) asks that you mark your calendars for the annual Art Auction

Saturday, November 21
 preview begins at 6:00 PM
 auction begins at 7:00 PM
 tickets cost \$10 a person or \$15 for a couple and you can purchase them through the school 323-1865



If you have any requests for artists or styles of art you would like to see, please email your requests to Theresa Southers at tsouthers@nc.rr.com. All proceeds from the auction will go toward the purchase of Smartboards for the school.

We look forward to seeing you there!

Parish News and Notes

Intramural Basketball 2009

We have started to organize basketball teams for 2009. Look for sign up information in the next week or so. We will hope to have 2 groups:
 *4th thru 6th grade boys and 4th thru 6th grade girls interested in playing competitive Church league. There will be a cost to participate.
 *4th grade and younger in a noncompetitive, participatory, fun league. There should be NO cost to participate in this league. (uniform purchase optional.) We need volunteers to help organize and coach some of the teams.
 Open to St. Patrick school children and children of parishioners first. Please contact Jim Mergy at jmergy@nc.rr.com or Judy Guidry at jugdri@yahoo.com for questions or to volunteer.



Diocesan News and Notes

>>Your Church at your fingertips—Stay up to date with news and events in the Diocese by logging on to www.dioceseoffraleigh.org.

>>Please check our website for **Letters from Bishop Burbidge provided in English and Spanish for World Mission Sunday and Catholic Charities Sunday.** www.stpatnc.org

>>St. Stanislaus Church to Celebrate 12th Annual Polish Festival on Saturday, November 7 from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. on the church grounds. Admission is free, and there is always plenty of parking. Festival patrons can enjoy genuine Polish foods, including kelbasa, stuffed cabbage, pierogi, potato pancakes, Polish beer, and homebaked desserts. St. Stanislaus Church is located at 4849 Castle Hayne Rd (Hwy 133) in Castle Hayne. For more information, please call 910-675-2336, or visit our website: www.ststanspolishfestival.org.





Bethany Ministries

Bethany Ministries is a collaboration of bereavement and consolation ministries at Saint Patrick Catholic Church.

These ministries strive to share Christ's love with those who are grieving the loss of a loved one by:

- assisting, as needed, in the preparations for the funeral liturgies.
- serving as ministers at the funeral liturgies
- providing immediate and on-going support and friendship.

Please join us for an

Evening of Remembrance

~The universal Church calls November the month of all saints and all souls, let us take this time to honor and remember those who have gone before us~

Monday, November 2, 2009,

the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (*All Souls*),
Celebration of the Eucharist (Mass) at 6:30 PM in the Church
Fellowship and story-telling in the Social Hall following Mass.

Please let us know if you are able to attend by contacting
Johnnie Winters at 323-2410 x 107 or johnniewinters@stpatnc.org

As is the custom at Saint Patrick Catholic Church, members of the parish are invited to bring framed photographs of their deceased loved ones to church on November 2. We would ask that you consider doing so as well. During Evening Prayer on November 2, we will invite those who brought pictures to place them on the shelves provided. Please make sure your loved one's name is on the front of the picture and your name is on the back.

Calling All Veteran's and Active Duty Military Personnel

Please join us as we celebrate VETERAN'S DAY with a special musical program prepared by the students of St. Patrick School.



Our program – honoring FREEDOM'S HEROES – will take place on Friday
November 13th
at 1:30 pm in the Church.

There will be a reception following the program in the Social Hall.

Please make plans to join us for this opportunity to recognize the sacrifice and service of our nation's military.

Its Popcorn time again.

The St. Patrick Cub Scout Packs will be selling their delicious popcorn after each Mass in the social hall the weekend of November 14 & 15. Come out and support the Cub Scouts. This year, in addition to the Unbelievable Butter and Butter Light popcorn, there will also be Chocolate, and Carmel Corn Popcorn. Popcorn, makes a great gift for the holidays.



Sax Concert - Save the Date!

If you enjoyed hearing the saxophone play with the parish choir at Mass this weekend, you might like to know that the player was Matthew Roehrich, saxophone professor at Methodist University. Matthew will be giving a concert here at St. Patrick Church as part of the Music

for Charity Series on **Friday, January 29, 2010 at 7 pm.**
Mark your calendars now and we'll see you there!

NOTICIAS HISPANAS

Sylvia Espada

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Bienvenidos a Fayetteville, Carolina del Norte y gracias por demostrar interés en la Iglesia Católica de San Patricio. Si son nuevos aquí en la Parroquia favor de presentarse a nuestro Párroco: Msgr. Michael P. Shugrue, Padre Michael Cassabon, Vicario Parroquial, y el Diacono Vicente Colon.

El coro hispan San Patricio te necesita.

Ensayos todos los miércoles a las 7pm en la Iglesia de San Patricio: Este grupo, compuesto por músicos dedicados, provee música para las liturgias en español. El grupo desea invitar a nuevos cantantes o si sabe tocar algún instrumento, o desea integrar algún instrumento típico de su país, favor de comunicarse con nuestro director de música de San Patricio Steve Barnicle al numero 910-323-2410 x 113. No se necesita experiencia.

Cristo, Imagen de Dios

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Preparamos y servimos comidas a los desamparados en La Misión. Todos los domingos preparamos platos de comida, y se llevan a la Misión para servir. Necesitamos de más grupos para poder cumplir con esta necesidad tan grande. Se preparan 100+ platos cada Domingo. Si usted desea donar comida ya preparada, o si usted tiene un grupo que le interesa ser parte de este gran ministerio o si usted puede donar gran ministerio, favor de llamar al 910-323-2410 x 111 o hablar con Lillian Sánchez o Eneida Pinzon en la Misa de la 1:30 pm.

S.A.N.A. (serving friends in need joyfully)**Sirviendo amigos necesitados alegremente.**

Si tienen artículos en buen estado que ya no esta usando en su casa, y no saben que hacer con ellos, lo pueden donar a la Iglesia de San Patricio llamando a Sylvia Espada. Usted puede ser voluntario ayudando a recoger y entregar estos muebles o artículos del hogar para la familia.

Legión de Maria**Martes a las 6:30 pm en el salón de Juan Diego en la oficina de**

San Patricio: La Legión de Maria es una asociación de 12 o 15 candidatos que se reúnen semanalmente para servir a la obra de la Iglesia aumentando sus conocimientos religiosos y mejorando su vida espiritual. Los miembros de la Legión, con amor y celo apostólico, realizan obras tales como; visitas a los hogares para promover e interesar a la familia en la fe y doctrina católica, visitas a los enfermos para ofrecerles ayuda espiritual y moral, visitas a asilos de ancianos y de niños desamparados, rezo del Santo Rosario para el descanso eterno del difunto, y muchas más obras de bien. Se reza el Santo Rosario todos los martes. Unete a la Legión de Maria bien sea como miembro activo o auxiliar. Necesitamos almas que se den con toda generosidad para convertir el mundo por la intercesión de la Virgen Santísima.

Celebración de Quinceañera

La celebración de la quinceañera debe pedirse con **seis meses de anticipación**.

No se aceptaran pedidos sin los cinco meses de anticipación. La joven que desee celebrar su quinceañera debe demostrar que es una Católica activa y practicante **asistiendo a misa todos los domingos por los tres seis meses anteriores al quinceañero En San Patricio no hacemos Misa de Quinceañeras, sino Liturgia de Palabra.** La liturgia de la palabra es una ceremonia completa sin la comunión. Hay procesión, lectura del Santo Evangelio leído por usted o su esposa o la persona que usted desean que lea, seguido por la homilía, acto de gracias y consagración de la quinceañera, bendición de objetos de devoción, bendición y despedida. Las quinceañeras se coordinan a través de Sylvia I. Espada, Coordinadora del Ministerio Hispano.

“Dichosos los pobres de espíritu, porque de ellos es el Reino de los cielos.... Dichosos los que trabajan por la paz, porque se les llamará hijos de Dios”. - Mt 5, 3. 9



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Lecturas para la semana del 1 de noviembre de 2009

Domingo: Ap 7, 2-4. 9-14/1 Jn 3, 1-3/Mt 5, 1-12
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 Sábado: Rom 16, 3-9. 16. 22-27/Lc 16, 9-15
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RICA-Rito de Iniciación Católica para Adultos

Todos los domingos a las 3pm en el salón de Ann Seton en la oficina de San Patricio.

Todas las personas de fe de 16 años en adelante que desean ser parte de la Iglesia Católica, o aquellos que desean recibir los Sacramentos de Bautismo, Primera Comunión, y Confirmación favor de llamar al número 910-323-2410 x 111 o hablar con el Sr. Nicasio Espada en la Misa de la 1:30 PM para más información.

Servidores del Altar

¿Estas buscando una manera para servir a Dios y la Iglesia?
 ¿A Usted le gustaría asistir a los ministros en la Liturgia? Ser un servidor del Altar profundizara su vida de oración y ayudara a otros orar.

Niños de quinto grado en adelante, adolescentes, padres y adultos pueden participar en este ministerio. Estamos también buscando familias que quieren servir con sus hijos.

También hay reuniones con los servidores del Altar con su coordinador Geraldo Mercado. Si desean mas información pueden llamar al número 910-323-2410 x 111 o pueden hablar con el Sr. Geraldo Mercado después de la Misa de la 1:30 PM.

Preparación Bautismal**Requisitos para el Sacramento de Bautismo:**

- * Ser registrado en San Patricio por lo menos 3 meses.
- * Asistencia a una sesión de orientación.
- * Asistencia a una sesión de preparación Bautismal.
- * Haber completado la forma de información sacramental.
- * Cartas de Elegibilidad de Padrinos hayan sido recibidas.
- * Por lo menos 2 semanas de anticipación es requerida.

El primer paso en el proceso de preparación es que uno de los padres **asiste a una sesión de orientación** antes que nada. Estas sesiones serán ofrecidas dos veces al mes y así nos permiten preparar los papeles y poder discutir las fechas disponibles.

El segundo paso en el proceso es para los padres asisten una preparación Bautismal. Las sesiones serán ofrecidas una vez cada mes y la asistencia de por lo menos uno de los padres es requerido. Son a las 11 am en la biblioteca de la Escuela. Las fechas son: **Noviembre 15.** Se aconsejan que los Padrinos asistan a esta sesión. Si son de otra parroquia, deben asistir a la preparación y traer un comprobante de la misma. Para mas información pueden comunicarse con José Maldonado o llamar a la oficina al número 910-323-2410 x 111.