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A Weekly Bulletin for the parishes of Saint Patrick Catholic Church, Weston,
Saint Boniface Catholic Church, Camden and Good Shepherd Mission, Glenville, West Virginia

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Thirty-Third Sunday of Ordinary Time

The first reading is taken from the Book of Daniel 12:1-3. Today's reading puts before our eyes the fact that this world will have an end marked by great upheavals and disasters. However, these will be followed immediately by a new and everlasting existence.

The second reading is from the Letter of St. Paul the Hebrews 10:11-4; 18. St. Paul continues to compare the priesthood of Christ with the Jewish priesthood.

The Gospel is from the Gospel of Mark 13:24-32. There are some obscurities in this extract from St. Mark. Firstly, because Christ was discussing and answering questions on two distinct topics : the destruction of the temple and the end of the world. Secondly, because we may not have the ipsissima verba of Christ here, as many exegetes suggest. The message we must learn from today's gospel comes across without any ambiguity or doubt : we must always be ready to face our judgement for we know not the day nor the hour when we will be called from this life. When or how this world will end is of no great importance to us; what is important is that we shall leave this world very soon and our eternity will depend on the state of our consciences at the moment of our departure.

This is the steadying thought the Church, in her wisdom, wishes to put before our minds today. We all know that we must die someday. We are strangers and pilgrims on this earth; we have not here a lasting city, as St. Au-

gustine says. No sane person among us will try to deny this and yet, many of us are so immersed in the things of this world that we forget or try to forget that we must leave this world soon. This is very natural : life is a precious gift and as our earthly life is the only one of which we have experience our every inclination

God in his mercy is calling on each one of us to be ready when our call comes. We can do nothing about the when or the where of that call, but we can do much about the state of our relationship with God when death comes; in fact, aided by God's grace we can ensure that all will be well with us.

We cannot avoid a sudden death, but we can avoid an unprepared death by striving always to live in peace with God. This does not mean that we must be always on our knees praying to God and that we must take no interest in the things and the joys of this world. Far from it. God wants us to use the things of this world, but to use them so that they will not hinder us on our journey.

A very practical way to see how we stand in relation to God and to the things of this world, is for each one of us to ask himself today: "How would I fare if I were called to render an account of stewardship tonight?" This is the practical question that God, through today's readings, is asking us to put to ourselves. If, to our dismay, we find there are several things which have to be put right before facing our judge we will start right away to put them right. We may get another chance, another warning, and we may not. If we value our eternal happiness we will take this warning; we will put our books in order; we will make peace with God and our neighbors—and with God's grace we will do all in our power to persevere in this good resolution.

Excerpted from The Sunday Readings by Fr. Kevin O'Sullivan, O.F.M.

Commentary for the Readings in the Extraordinary Form: Sixth Resumed Sunday after Epiphany

Jesus said to his disciples: "In those days after that tribulation the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light, and the stars will be falling from the sky, and the powers in the heavens will be shaken. And then they will see 'the Son of Man coming in the clouds' with great power and glory, and then he will send out the angels

and gather his elect from the four winds, from the end of the earth to the end of the sky (Mk 13:24-27)."

The feasts of the Churches of Peter and Paul and Rose Philippine Duchesne , which are ordinarily celebrated today, are superseded by the Sunday liturgy.

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Sunday, 10:30 - 12:30
Monday, 9 - 4
Tuesday, 9 - 4
Wednesday, Noon - 5:00
Thursday, 9 - 1
Friday, 9 - 1

Prayer Chain:
Micki Snyder, 304 269-3688
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Weekend Masses:
Saturday, 6:00 p.m.,
Sunday, 9:30 a.m.,
12:30 p.m. (Latin)

Weekday Masses:
M, T, Th, F, 8:15 a.m. Wed., 6:00
p.m.

Reconciliation:
Wednesday and Saturday, 5:00pm,
Sunday, 8:45 & 11:45 a.m.

Eucharistic Adoration:
Wednesday, 5:00 to 5:45p.m.

*(See Weekly Schedule for any
changes to times or location!)*

Bulletin Deadline

Announcements for the Lewis County Catholic Times must be submitted by 4pm on Tuesday. Email submissions to: secretary@spchurchweston.net.

Weekly Liturgical Calendar, & Mass Intentions

Saturday— November 17
Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious
5:00p Confessions
6:00p Mass for †Michael Rafferty by Sue
and James Rafferty

Sunday — November 18
Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:45a Confessions
9:30a Mass for †Francis J. Lydon by Ed
and Sue Lydon
11:45p Confessions
12:30p Mass for People of the Parish
(Latin Mass, 6th Resumed Sunday after
Epiphany)

Monday — November 19
Monday of the 33rd Week in Ordinary Time
8:15a Mass for †Burke Riley by Mary
Ellen and Margaret Ann Lydon

Tuesday — November 20
Tuesday of the 33rd Week in Ordinary
Time
8:15a Mass for Raymond Mather

Wednesday — November 21
The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin
Mary
5:00p Confessions
6:00p Mass for †Clifford Messenger by
family

Thursday — November 22
Saint Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr
9:30a Mass of Thanksgiving

Friday — November 23
Saint Clement I, Pope and Martyr
8:15a No Mass

Saturday— November 24
Saint Andrew Dũng-Lạc, Priest, and
Companions, Martyrs
5:00p Confessions
6:00p Mass for People of the Parish

Sunday — November 25
OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF
THE UNIVERSE
8:45a Confessions
9:30a Mass for †Judy Edwards by Bob
and Eileen Billeter
11:45p Confessions
12:30p Mass for †Archbishop John J. Swint
(Latin Mass, 24th and Last Sunday after
Pentacost)

Weekly Scripture Readings

19 Mon
Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5/Ps 1:1-4, 6/Lk 18:35-
43
20 Tue
Rv 3:1-6, 14-22/Ps 15:2-5/Lk 19:1-10
21 Wed
Rv 4:1-11/Ps 150: 1-6/Lk 19:11-28
22 Thu
Rv 5:1-10/Ps 149:1-6, 9/Lk 19:41-44
23 Fri
Rv 10:8-11/Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103,
111, 131/Lk 19:45-48
24 Sat
Rv 11:4-12/Ps 144:1-2, 9-10/Lk 20:27
-40
25 Sun
Dn 7:13-14/Rv 1:5-8Ps 93:1-2, 5/Jn
18:33b-37

Liturgical Calendar for the Traditional Latin Mass

11/19	St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Widow
11/20	St. Felix of Valois, Confessor
11/21	Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
11/22	St. Cecilia, Virgin & Martyr
11/23	St. Clement I, Pope & Martyr
11/24	St. John of the Cross, Confessor & Doctor

Mass Intentions

Having the Holy Sacrifice of Mass offered is more effective than flowers or memorial gifts for your deceased loved ones or as a special intention for a living person or special occasion. Mass Intentions can be placed in a “Mass Intention” envelope and placed in the collection basket or dropped off to the parish office. Please indicate if the person is living or deceased and the date you would like the Mass to be said. Mass dates are filled on a “first come, first serve” basis.

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Prayer List

Of your charity, please offer prayers for...

- **Those who are sick:** Ann Alderman, Mike Allman, Norma Aman, Nick Bakas, Alice Blake, Jack Bohan, Patty Burkhammer, Hampton Castleberry, Judi Conell, Anna Crim, Brad Curtis, Madison Jane Cunningham, Ed and Grace deLorenzo, Paul Derico, Rose Determan, Rose Anita Duley, Amanda Engstrom, Robert Fealy, Pam Gross, Lori Hamrick, James Shaver & Carl Ford (Lynne Shaver’s dad and step-dad), John Horne, Ed Hubbs, Robbie Klotz, Kent Kral, Agnes Kraus, Ryan Kreitzer, Jack Lang, Jeff Linger, Mary Ann McClain, Betty Maddix, Philomena Martin, Julia Marsh, Mary Ann Murray, Susan Murray, Rose Neal, Jean Ott, Emma Pascasio, Sara Queen, Vicky Radcliffe, Buck Ratliff, Betty Reed, Mike Riley, Amanda Roberts, Donna Roberts, Greg Stark, Mary Stillwell, Ben Timmer, Sherry VanLeewen, Aimee Wehrman, George Whelan, Jane White
- **Those who have died:** May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.
- **All Military Personnel:** Alan Hamilton, Aaron Hamilton, R. Brody Springer
- **Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life**
- **Those battling addiction**
- **Those who are homebound, in assisted living or nursing homes.**

Ministry Schedule for Weekend Masses November 24 & 25, 2018

Saturday, November 24, 2018

Servers: Kami Franklin, Jayna Jerden, Joseph Blake
Reader: Barb King
EMHC: Valerie Corley, Mike and Anna Lee Determan
Cantor: Rudy Pascasio

Sunday, November 25, 2018

Servers: Joe and Tom Derico, Makenna West
Reader: Danielle Mick
EMHC: Steve Corley, Micki Snyder, Rose Neal, Erin Turner, Marissa Aman
Cantor: John Collins

November Rosary Leaders:

Wednesday: Micki Snyder
Saturday:
Sunday: Micki Snyder

November Linens: Kathy Boyle

November & December Funeral Greeters: Mary Wagoner, Mary Ellen Rittenhouse

Weekly Attendance & Collection

Saturday:	90
Sunday:	192
Latin Mass:	45

General:	\$3103
Loan:	\$771
School:	\$70
Latin Mass:	\$368
Disaster Relief:	\$655
Loan Balance:	\$114,031.94

Second and Special Collections

Dec. 9 & 10: National Appeal for the
Religious Retirement Fund
24 & 25: Catholic Charities West
Virginia

***Please arrive at least
20 minutes prior to the
beginning of Mass if
you are schedule for a
ministry.***

***If you are unable to
serve, it is your
responsibility to find a
substitute.***

We Did It - Catholic Sharing Appeal Update

Almost Heaven

We are please to announce that St. Patrick Church has once again surpassed the goal set by the diocese for the Catholic Sharing Appeal. The Goal was \$19,245. As of November 16, **St. Patrick parish has raised \$60,649** Thank you to everyone who contributed. Donations can be made through December 31. Go to dwc.org for more information.

Traditional Latin Mass

The Traditional Latin Mass (the Extraordinary Form of the Roman Rite) is offered weekly at St. Patrick Church in Weston. Confessions begin at 11:45 followed by Mass at 12:30. The second Sunday of each month is the traditional “High” Mass with music and the choir. Everyone is invited. This Mass does count as your weekend Mass obligation.

UPCOMING EVENTS

November

Our Neighbor Collection
November—Toothpaste

20, 27 Tue: 6pm, SoulCore, school
19 Mon: 6pm, Lector training, SP
19 Mon: 6pm, Catholic Daughters
Meeting, parish meeting room
19 Mon: 7pm, Extraordinary
Ministers of Holy Communion
Training, SP
22 - 25: Parish Office Closed
24 & 25: Food, Toy, Coat and mitten
drive begins
25 Sun: No CCD, Adult Religious
Education or DTS
29 Thu: 4pm, St. Patrick School
Foundation meeting

December

Our Neighbor Collection
December—toilet tissue

4, 11, 18 Tue: 6pm, SoulCore, school
3 Mon: 6pm, St. Boniface Pastoral
Council meeting
1 Dec: 11 a.m.—5 p.m. Knights of
Columbus Bean dinner, St. Patrick
School cafeteria
6 Thu: 6pm, St. Patrick Church
Finance Council budget meeting
9 Sun: St. Boniface Christmas
Luncheon
13 Thu: 6pm St. Patrick Church
Pastoral Council meeting
14 Fri: 7pm, St. Patrick School
Christmas program, gymnasium
16, 17, 18: 6pm, Advent Retreat, St.
Patrick Church
18: St. Patrick Church Advent
Penance Service
23-26: Parish Office Closed

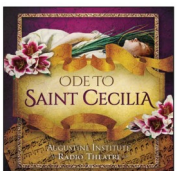
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What's Father DeViese Reading and Recommending?

(In no particular order)

“Turning Towards the Lord” by Fr. Michael Lang
“Phoenix from the Ashes” by H.J.A. Sire
“Advent of the Heart” by Fr. Alfred Delp
“Vocations” by Fr. William Doyle, SJ
“By What Authority” by Msgr. Robert Hugh Benson

As always, please consider purchasing these books (and anything else) through Smile.Amazon.com, with St. Patrick Church & School as the designated charity. 0.5% of the cost of all your purchases will be donated to our parish school through this program.

Knights of Columbus Christmas Cards

The Knights of Columbus will once again sell Christmas Cards at St. Patrick Church. Please help your local council by buying Christmas cards through them. The cards are beautiful and the money raised supports the many good things the Knights do.

Who Wants to Go to the March for Life?

Friday, January 18, 2019, Washington, DC

If you are interested in joining a delegation to attend the March for Life, please contact the parish office by phone or email at 304-269-3048 secretary@spchurchweston.net.

If enough people are interested, we may be able to charter a bus that would leave from St. Patrick Church.



The Dead Theologians Society

Saints of Yesterday Inspiring Youth of Today

The Dead Theologians Society is a national organization that seeks to engage high school students through prayer, catechesis, and social activity that is rooted in the Catholic tradition and based on the Lives of the Saints. DTS meetings are open to all Catholic high school students and are held in the parish meeting room of St. Patrick Church in Weston.. For more info, text @dts-weston to 81010. The next meeting will be Sunday, November 18 at 6:00 p.m.

Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus meet on the 1st Tuesday of each month at 7pm in the St. Patrick School cafeteria. All Catholic men, 18 and older are encouraged to get involved in this vital organization.



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Need Help? Get Help!

Meetings are held in the basement of St. Patrick School, 224 Center Ave., Weston. Use the door on the side of the school building facing the rectory for AA and NA meetings.

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AA - Tues., Thurs., & Sat. at 8pm

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Salvation Army Christmas Bell Ringing

Volunteers are needed to ring the Salvation Army Christmas Bell. The dates are Monday, November 26 and Thursday, December 6 at Shop-N-Save in Weston. One hundred percent of the money collected stays in Lewis County to support the Angel Tree Program. To volunteer please call Missy Jordan at 304-517-8619.

Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court Victory 379

The Catholic Daughters are women of Faith under the patronage of the Blessed Virgin Mary, glorifying the Lord, and serving others! The Court is not exclusive to St. Patrick Church. Members can be from any parish that does not have a court. Join us at our next meeting on Monday, November 19 at 6:00 p.m. in the parish meeting room of St. Patrick Church.

Yearly dues are \$30 and are due now. Checks can be made payable to CDA 379 and mailed to P. O. Box 764, Weston, WV 26452.



Parking

Just a gentle reminder, for parishioners and visitors of St. Patrick Church and School, not park in the lot of the Danser Hardware Building. That lot is private property and we do not have permission to park there. Thank you for respecting the wishes of the property owner.

Parish Membership & Benefits:

To be considered an “active” member of the parish (and thus eligible for Sacraments, sponsor eligibility, and the “Active Parishioner Rate of tuition” at St. Patrick’s School), the parish takes into account family & individual involvement in parish life and ministries, and Mass attendance. Mass attendance is only able to be tracked accurately via collection envelopes. If you are not receiving envelopes currently, please contact the parish office. Parishioners over 18 are encouraged to register as their own household to help us keep records accurate and up-to-date.



Annual Thanksgiving Dinner at St. Boniface Catholic Church

The Ratliff / Fallon families will be hosting their annual free Thanksgiving Dinner, on Thanksgiving day 11:30 - 1:30 At St. Boniface parish hall at Camden. Don't be alone on Thanksgiving come and share a traditional thanksgiving dinner with friends and neighbors. Everyone is welcome! There will be no deliveries and no carry outs until after 1:30. Would like for you to enjoy lunch in a social atmosphere. Reservations are not required but a phone call would be appreciated. Call 304-269-2872, 304-269-2505, 304-884-8267 or 304-884-6977.

Thank-Scrip-ing Day is November 20



Map out your holiday shopping list—Thank-Scrip-ing Day is coming on Tuesday, November 20 bringing big bonus rebates on eGift cards (ScripNow®) and reloads to your physical gift cards. Take advantage of exclusive bonus rebates on all the scrip you need for Black Friday and Cyber Monday shopping. Mark your calendars: participating brands and bonus rebates will be announced at 12:00 a.m. Eastern on the 20th.

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Enrollment code for St. Patrick School is **7A77L6AE12522**.

Christmas Trees Needed for St. Boniface Church

The Saint Boniface Church Altar Society needs Christmas trees to decorate the church for Christmas. Anyone who wishes to donate a tree should contact Susie Cunningham. Thank you!

Thank you

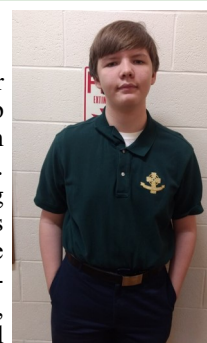
The Catholic Daughters of the Americas, Court Victory 379 would like to thank everyone who donated to and helped in any way with the Catholic Daughters spaghetti dinner. The cafeteria was beautifully decorated and the food was delicious. The money will be used to buy hams and other items not collected during the food drive for the Christmas food baskets.

The Catholic Daughters invite all Catholic women to join the organization. Meetings are held on the third Monday of the month, at 6pm in the parish meeting room. The next meeting is **November 19**.

Formed in 1903, the Catholic Daughters of the Americas® is one of the Oldest and Largest Organizations of Catholic Women in the Americas.

Congratulations

St. Patrick’s School would like to congratulate Mr. Ian Droppleman for being awarded the Footsteps Scholarship for 2018-2019. The scholarship is intended for secondary students to have the opportunity to participate in a pilgrimage to a holy site in order to further faith formation. Mr. Droppleman was awarded this scholarship based on an essay and meeting the criteria of desiring to further his faith formation, engaging in a serious discernment towards Religious Life, and having excellent academics. He will pilgrimage to the Holy Land this spring and visit the places associated with the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ, such as Jerusalem, the Sea of Galilee, and the Church of the Holy Sepulcher. We are proud of Mr. Droppleman and excited about this opportunity for him.



Thanksgiving Break

The Introduction to Catholicism Class will not meet on Wednesday, November 21. There will not be CCD, Adult Religious Education or the meeting of the Dead Theologians Society on Sunday, November 25. Classes will resume on November 28 for Introduction to Catholicism and December 2 for all the rest! Happy Thanksgiving!



St. Patrick Church parish office will be closed Thursday, November 22 through Sunday, November 25, in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday.

Mass times on Thanksgiving Day are:

- 9:00 a.m.—St. Boniface Church, Camden
- 9:30 a.m.—St. Patrick Church, Weston.

We will not have Mass at any of the parishes on Friday, November 25.

Father in Heaven, Creator of all and source of all goodness and love, please look kindly upon us and receive our heartfelt gratitude in this time of giving thanks.

Thank you for all the graces and blessings. You have bestowed upon us, spiritual and temporal: our faith and religious heritage. Our food and shelter, our health, the loves we have for one another, our family and friends.

Dear Father, in Your infinite generosity, please grant us continued graces and blessing throughout the coming year.

This we ask through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Birthday Mass for Sister Eileen

St. Patrick's School would like to invite the St. Patrick's community, alumni, and families to join us in the celebration of Sister Eileen Sinnott's birthday. The celebration will occur on Wednesday, November 28. We will have a special mass at 8:15 a.m., the celebrant will be Fr. McSweeney and the collection taken during that mass will be given to a charity of Sister Eileen's choice. Please join us in honoring our former principal who has done so much for our school, parish, and community! We will have Eucharistic Adoration at 5:00 p.m. and Mass at 6:00 p.m. on this day!

Advent Mailing

The annual Advent mailing from Saint Patrick Church is going out soon. Please contact the parish office by phone or email to update your contact info if it has changed recently. The mailing will include suggestions on how each of us can transform Advent from chaos to calm through prayer and education.

Minister Training Schedule for St. Patrick Church

November 19
6pm Lectors
7pm Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Please prayerfully consider which ministry God is calling you to. You only need to attend one session per ministry. These training sessions are only for those serving at St. Patrick Church.

The job of the sacristan is to, under the guidance of the parish priest, undertake the preparation of liturgical celebrations including all that is needed for special days such as Ash Wednesday and Palm Sunday.

Small Business Saturday Market and Craft Show

Small Business Saturday is held each year on the Saturday after Thanksgiving. The purpose is to remind people to shop the locally owned and operated businesses that mean so much to any city. The city will have the annual craft and vendor show in St. Patrick School gym from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.



CYBER MONDAY JUST GOT BETTER!

If you are looking for the perfect gift for your child this Christmas, look no further. What could possibly be better than a week of fun, faith, and friends at Camp Bosco? Registration for camp will open on Monday, November 26th.

Anyone registering between November 26th and November 30th will receive a Camp Bosco crew neck sweatshirt to put under the tree along with a card announcing the amazing gift of CAMP!

Camp registration is \$325.

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St. Patrick Church Advent Mission Retreat



Mark your calendars and prepare to join us at St. Patrick Church for evenings of Advent Reflection December 16, 17, 18. Fr. Christopher Smith, STD, of the Diocese of Charleston will lead us in powerful and insightful reflections to help better prepare us for our celebration of Christmas. All Mission sessions will begin at 6:00 p.m. The Tuesday, December 18, session will immediately precede our Advent Penance Service.

Food Drive for Christmas Food Baskets



St. Patrick Parish, St. Patrick School, the Catholic Daughters of the Americas and the Knights of Columbus are working together to collect food for those who may need a little extra help this Christmas. Please bring non-perishable food items to the church, office or school. Last year, St. Patrick Church helped 19 families to have a better Christmas. The names we receive are given to us by parishioners who work in the community and see first hand the needs of these people. If a child is placed on the Angel Tree Program that family will receive a food basket from that program. Often, the names we receive are those who do not have kids, are elderly or are having a hard time because of the holiday season.

Holiday Toy Drive



We are collecting new and gently used toys to be given to Our Neighbor. Donations can be placed in the school, church vestibule and parish office.

Cold Weather Clothing Drive



We are collecting winter clothing, (coats, hats, scarves and gloves) for Our Neighbor and the Clarksburg Mission. Donations can be placed in the church vestibule, church office or school.

Save the Date!



Please join us for St. Patrick School's Annual Christmas Program on December 14, 2018 at 7:00 pm in the school gymnasium.

A musical prelude will be provided by the Upshur County Youth Symphony. Student performances will begin at 7pm beginning with the Pre-School and Pre-Kindergarten programs followed by a presentation of the Christmas Nativity Story by our K-8 students. Light refreshments will be provided by St. Patrick School HSA following the performance.



Holy Hour for Vocations

Twenty three people came out on Sunday, November 4 and spent an hour praying for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life. This is the second year in a row that Fr. DeViese has offered a Vocations Holy Hour. Please continue to pray that more men and women will answer God's call to the priesthood and religious life.

O Father, you desire all of us to be happy.
Stir up the grace of a religious vocation in the hearts of many men and women.
Grant to them the willingness and generosity to give of themselves, their lives, their time and their talents to the service of Jesus Christ, Your Son, Our Lord and Savior, and to His Holy Church.

May more men and women go forth as priests, deacons, brothers and sisters to bring the truths of our Catholic faith to all others so that soon they, too, may know You better and love You more...
and serving You, be truly happy. Amen.

Sign-Up Now for the Vocations Chalice Program



The Vocations Chalice Program will resume at St. Patrick Church next weekend. A sign-up sheet has been placed in the vestibule for all who wish to participate. This program has existed for a number of years around the country, but was renewed at St. Patrick Church last January through the Knights of Columbus. The mission of the program is to encourage everyone to pray for an increase of vocations to the priesthood and religious life. The program will help to cultivate an increased awareness of God's plan for our lives and to help cultivate a positive environment to foster future vocations within our parish and Diocese.

Each week parishioners that have signed up will receive the chalice at the end of Mass, along with prayer booklets and a prayer journal. The family will take the chalice, as a symbol of the priesthood and the continuity of the action of the Mass in our daily lives, to their home and display it in a prominent place for all to see throughout the week. Each day of the week, the family will gather together to pray for vocations using the booklets as their guide. During this time, parents can explain and prompt young children and teenagers to consider how God is calling them into a deeper relationship with Him.

We are deeply committed to increasing awareness of how critical it is that more young people begin to turn their hearts away from the distractions of the world and to follow God in a more radical way. By God's grace, we pray that He will raise up from among the youth of our parish a new generation of priests and consecrated religious that will seek to spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ in our Diocese and throughout the world!



All Saints Day

St. Patrick School students and teachers celebrated All Saints Day on November 1 by dressing up as their favorite saint. A special thanks to 2nd Grade who had 100% participation! Fr. DeViese participated by dressing as St. Philip Neri.



Veterans Day Program

St. Patrick School honored all veterans on Monday, November 12 with a special Mass, assembly and brunch for all veterans. We were proud to have so many parishioners, family members and friends attend the event. Thank you to the Lewis County Honor Guard for participating.

