Cathedral of St Raphael & St. Patrick Church

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January 22-23, 2022 | 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time | 3° domingo de Tiempo Ordinario

The Lord sent me to bring glad tidings to the poor, and to proclaim liberty to captives.

Lk 4:18

Reflection "La alegría del Señor sea nuestra fuerza, pueden ir en paz!" You might be wondering why I wrote this in Spanish. First, to get your attention! Second, because our brothers and sisters in the Hispanic community at St. Patrick's do understand it. Third and most importantly, it is one of the options for the final dismissal in the Roman Missal (the book of liturgical prayers used for the Mass) in Spanish that comes directly from today's First Reading from the Book of Nehemiah. Ezra the priest-scribe who is a scholar of the Jewish Law, Nehemiah "His Excellency" who is the governor of Israel, and the Levites who are the Jewish Temple priests told all the people who have returned from exiled captivity in Babylon: "Do not be saddened this day, for rejoicing in the LORD must be your strength!"

The English translation for the above Spanish dismissal is: "The joy of the Lord is our strength, go in peace!" In the English Roman Missal, we are accustomed to hearing one of the following four options said by the priest or deacon at the end of Mass: "Go in peace." "Go in peace, glorifying the Lord by your life." "Go forth the Mass is ended." "Go and announce the Gospel of the Lord." None of these quite captures the depth of finding inner strength from joyfully worshipping the Lord with all our heart, mind, body, and soul like "La alegría del Señor sea nuestra fuerza, pueden ir en paz!"

We are made to receive such joy-filled inner strength from worshipping the Lord here and now at Mass to prepare us to receive the fuller and everlasting joy of heaven. This is the reason Jesus came into the world: "I came so that they might have life and have it more abundantly" (Jn 10:10) and "I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and your joy may be complete" (Jn 15:11). The life of the world to come will be continuous, never-ending joyful worship of God, so participating in Mass every Sunday is a true foretaste of heaven on earth – an appetizer of the banquet to come! May our Eucharistic worship of the Lord when we receive Holy Communion fortify us with spiritual gladness in times of sadness "for rejoicing in the Lord must be your strength!"

Fr. Martin

MASS SCHEDULE

St. Patrick Church

Tue & Thu	Noon
Sat	4:00 pm
Sun (Mass in Spanish) .	11:00 am

OFFICE HOURS

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Mon-Thu	8:00 am-4:30 pm
Fri	Closed

St. Patrick Church

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OUR MISSION "As a Eucharistic community, rich in diversity, united in our Catholic faith, we strive to live and proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ." **NUESTRA MISIÓN** "Como una comunidad Eucarística, ricos en diversidad, unidos en nuestra fe Católica, nos esforzamos por vivir y proclamar el Evangelio de Jesucristo."

FOURTH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME

January 30, 2022



Introit Verse: Save us, O Lord our God! And gather us from the nations, to give thanks to your holy name, and make it our glory to praise you.

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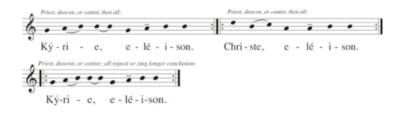


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Sign of the Cross|Greeting

Penitential Act B

Presider:	Have mercy on us, O Lord
Assembly:	For we have sinned against you.
Presider:	Show us, O Lord, your mercy.
Assembly:	And grant us your salvation.
Presider:	May almighty God
Assembly:	Amen.



Gloria

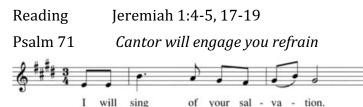


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Opening Prayer Children's Dismissal Repeat entire refrain after Cantor

"Go and listen to the Word of God, God has the words of everlasting life"

LITURGY OF THE WORD



Verse 1: In you, O Lord, I take refuge; let me never be put to shame. In your justice, rescue me, free me; incline your ear to me and save me.

Verse 2: Be my rock, my constant refuge, a mighty stronghold to save me, for you are my rock, my stronghold. My God, free me from the hand of the wicked.

Verse 3: It is you, O Lord, who are my hope, my trust, O Lord, from my youth. On you I have leaned from my birth; from my mother's womb, you have been my help.

Verse 4: My mouth will tell of your justice, and all the day long of your salvation. O God, you have taught me from my youth, and I proclaim your wonders still.

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Reading 1 Corinthians 12:31 – 13:13

Gospel Acclamation Cantor will engage you on refrain



Verse: The Lord sent me to bring glad tidings to the poor, to proclaim liberty to captives.

Gospel Luke 4:21-30 Homily

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father, through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven,

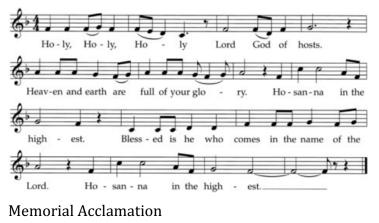
All bow: and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

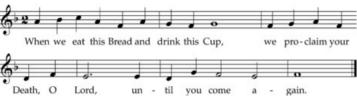
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayer of the Faithful

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Eucharistic Acclamations Vermulst/Danish





Great Amen



Our Father



*** At this time as we experience a surge in Covid cases, communion is only being distributed in the hand. Thank you for your cooperation.

Communion Antiphon Cantor will engage you on refrain



Verse: Let your face shine on your servant. Save me in your merciful love. O Lord, let me never be put to shame, for I call on you.

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Communion Hymn Cantor will engage you on refrain



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Hymn of Praise

- God has spoken by the prophets, spoken his unchanging word, each from age to age proclaiming God, the one, the righteous Lord. In the world's despair and turmoil, one firm anchor holds us fast: God eternal reigns forever, God the first and God the last.
- 2. God has spoken by Christ Jesus, Christ, the everlasting Son. Brightness of the Father's glory, with the Father ever one. Spoken by the Word incarnate, God from God, before time was; Light from Light, to earth descending, Christ reveals our God to us.
- 3. God is speaking by the Spirit, speaking to our hearts again. In the age-less Word declaring God's own message, now as then. Through the rise and fall of nations one sure faith is holding fast. God abides, his word unchanging God the first and God the last.

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Blessing|Dismissal

Recessional

Instrumental

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Next Week's Readings Jer 1:4-5, 17-19; Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15 -17 [cf. 15ab]; 1 Cor 12:31—13:13 or 13:4-13; Lk 4:21-30

Confession Times at the Cathedral are as follows: Sundays from 8:15 am-8:40 am and 4:15 pm-4:40 pm. Reconciliation is also available at St. Patrick Church: 11:30 am on Thursdays, 3:30 pm-3:45 pm on Saturdays, and 10:30 am on Sundays. *Also available by appointment*.

Death Announcements The St. Patrick Church and St. Raphael Cathedral parish communities extend prayerful sympathy to the families of Doris Radloff (SR) and R. Bruce McInerney (SP). May they rest in peace.

GOSPEL MEDITATION



Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Human history reveals many periods where people lost a sense of God's transcendence. It may even be argued that human beings have been wandering and lost more than they have been at home and focused. Human nature being what it is, we struggle with who God really is — the God of our salvation history or the "gods" of human constructs. Relying on our own designs and pursuits, we forget that we really are meant to listen to One upon whom the Spirit of the Lord rests, Jesus Christ, and not to ourselves. That same history that reveals our fickleness and infidelity also reveals God's constancy and faithfulness. God always finds us.

As people wander and fumble to find their way, God is there bringing them back to holiness and giving them the assurance of His presence. We have to allow God's Word, God's life, to touch us and change us. It can make us more flexible and attentive to the sacred in all facets of life so that every day is one that is holy. Every day is a time when fulfillment is possible for one's soul. Jesus stood before those gathered in the synagogue as the fulfillment of words of promise that were echoed long ago. God doesn't forget. He always comes for us.

Now it is time to remember to go to God. Sometimes our lives are so confused and tangled that it is difficult to see the Word and hand of God. But when we realize, deep within, the depth of friendship God offers to us it really has the power to turn sadness to joy. The promise is fulfilled. Going frequently to God's Word, allowing ourselves to be enriched and rejuvenated, and pondering the certainly of God's fidelity and promise permanently transforms us. We will be more aware of the sacred and the holy and less invested in things that pull us away.

PARISH NEWS

Roses for Life Knights of Columbus Council 510 will again be distributing lapel roses for donations after the masses this weekend. The proceeds will be given to Birthright of Dubuque, lowa. Birthright is an emergency pregnancy service offering positive alternatives to abortion. The guiding principle of Birthright is "It is the right of every pregnant woman to give birth and the right of every child to be born." Please give generously.



ArchdioceseOne On September 29, 2019, in response to real needs, and after broad consultation, Archbishop Jackels announced the start

of a special appeal, called ArchdioceseOne, to help the poor and to support the mission of the Church. In March of 2020, the Covid-19 pandemic forced us to pause active fundraising for ArchdioceseOne. In mid-February, we'll be restarting our fundraising efforts for this special appeal. You likely received a letter in the mail recently regarding this subject, but if not, Archbishop has made a video for you about this important effort he'd like you to see. It will only take about 5 minutes of your time to watch.



Simply scan this QR code with your smartphone camera. Then click the link that pops up on your phone's screen. This will take you to his video. **If you don't have a QR enabled don't have a QR enabled

smartphone, type the following link into your internet browser: Archbishop Jackels Video. Thank you!

Don't let snowy days get you down! Now is the season to load up with St. Patrick SCRIP and gather the gang for a good time. Whether it's Super Bowl Sunday, a Board Game Extravaganza or just hanging out with friends and family, you'll be glad you remembered to use SCRIP to purchase all the food and supplies you'll need. Merchants taking part in our program are contributing a percentage of your purchase to St. Pat's, so you are contributing to St. Pat's while you enjoy winter fun. Call St. Patrick rectory T 563-583-9749 to find out how easy it is to be a SCRIP supporter!

FAITH FORMATION

First Eucharist Parent Meeting Parents of our First Eucharist students will be meeting Wednesday, January 26 at 6:30 pm in the Cathedral Center. Please plan on attending! Contact Cassie at 🔀 <u>dbq059ff</u>@dbqarch.org if you have any questions.

Confirmation Preparation: Our next session is Sunday, February 13 at 9:15 am in the Sacred Heart church basement. Confirmation sponsors are encouraged to attend with the candidates.

JANUARY 24-30 CALENDAR

SR—St. Raphael • SP—St. Patrick • CC—Cathedral Center Weekly Mass Intentions Are Highlighted

Monday, January 24

7:30 am	Orville Conlan • SR
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5:00 pm St. Vincent de Paul Meeting • CC

Tuesday, January 25

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7:30 am
         Raymond Scherrman • SR
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Noon Bev O'Mara • SP

Wednesday, January 26

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7:30 am
           Ray & Monia Elliot • SR
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6:30 pm Religious Education • CC

Thursday, January 27

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Robert & Tina Vondran • SR
7:30 am
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Joe & Helen O'Mara • SP Noon

Friday, January 28

Art, Bette, Joe & James Trannel • SR 7:30 am

Saturday, January 29

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Chuck & Nancy Zillig • SP
4:00 pm
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Sunday, January 30

9:00 am	Ann Helling • SR
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11:00 am For the People • SP

5:00 pm For the People • SR

Please remember to raise your kneeler as you leave.

STEWARDSHIP

Treasure Shared To Date

Cathedral	Week 29 of 21/22 FY	St. Patrick
\$254,583.42	Adult Envelopes	\$71 <i>,</i> 053.85
\$94.00	Children Envelopes	\$0.00
\$18,586.81	Offertory	\$10,625.34
\$2,377.00	Holy Days	\$1,286.26
\$12,576.00	Christmas	\$8,709.50
\$125.00	Easter	\$0.00
\$278,177.39	Budget (YTD)	\$94,585.26
\$288,342.23	Received (YTD)	\$91,674.95
\$10,164.84	Over/(<u>Short)age</u>	(\$2,910.31)





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