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Roman Catholic Church

Diocese of Peoria



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Masses

Saturday 4:30 p.m.
Sunday 7:00, 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.
Weekdays 7:00 a.m. Mon.-Thursday;
8:15 a.m. Friday
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Confessions

Saturday 3:30 p.m.-4:15 p.m.
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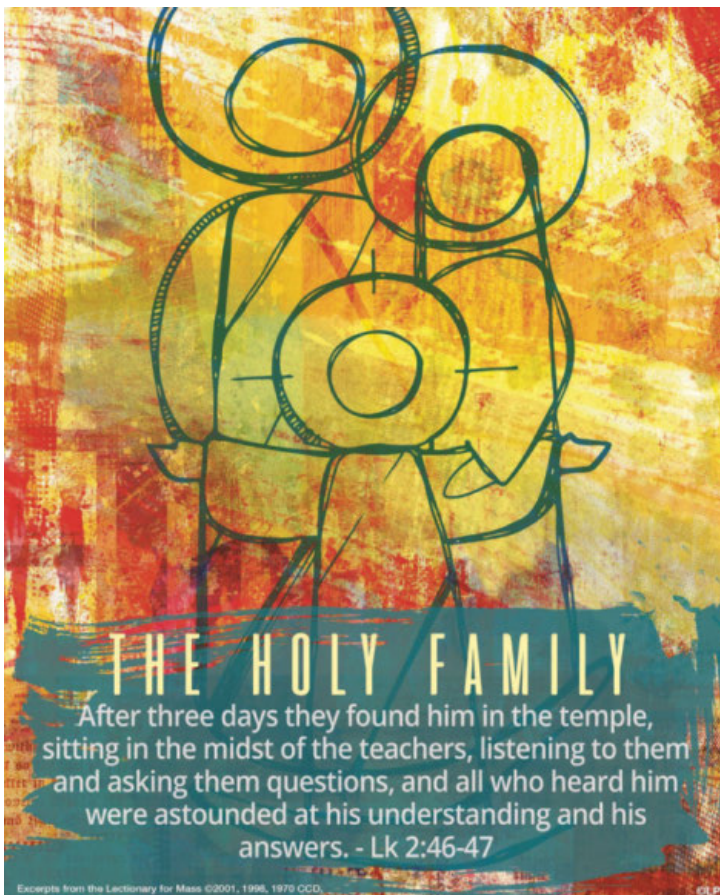
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CCD

309-444-3524 (Pre-K thru 8th Grade)
Sunday Classes: 9:45 - 10:45 a.m. (Sept. thru May)
Mrs. Linda Pratt, DRE, 369-3993
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**Saturday, December 25**

8:30 Joanne Svymbersky by Jim Svymbersky

Sunday, December 26

7:00 Robert & Rory Casey by The Family

8:30 Derrell Jones by Dan & Kathy Coyle

11:00 Happy 66th Anniversary—Marge & Gene Venegoni
By Their Children**Monday, December 27— NO Mass****Tuesday, December 28**

7:00 John Doolan by Deacon Paul & Nancy Neakrase

Wednesday, December 29

7:00 Tish Downey by Nick & Judy Volk

Thursday, December 30

7:00 Mary & Ted Oberle by The Oberle Children

Friday, December 318:15 **NO Mass**

4:30 Evan Knoblauch by The Family

Saturday, January 1

8:00 Peggy & Grandpa Charlie by Grandma Hessling

4:30 Father Robert Hughes by Nick & Judy Volk

Sunday, January 2

7:00 Deacon Kevin Breen by The Engstroms

8:30 John Zaremba by Margaret Dotson

11:00 Mary Frances McShane by Joanne & Jim Bradshaw

Adoration

St. Patrick Church has Adoration on Thursday evenings from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Friday Adoration**NOTE:** There will be **NO** Friday Adoration on December 31.**Please Note:
Mass Schedule Change****Monday, December 27th: No Morning Mass****Friday, December 31st: No Morning Mass****January Baptism Class**

The January Baptism Class will take place on Sunday, January 9th after the 11 a.m. Mass.


To register for the class, please call the Parish Office at 444-3524.

PLEASE PRAY FOR . . .

Mikayla Hoff, Austin Strong, Tina Otten, Charles & Sue Pierceall, Evan Grube, Kristina Holt, Mary Nickerson, Aileen Orr, Joan McGlaughlin, Dee Otten, Dan Curley, Stephanie Standish, Kathleen Lange, David Clark, Linda Clark, Lisa Liening, Jen Stone, Dominic Ingolia, Marty Sokolowski, Victoria Lacey, Dick Alessi, Sharon Buysse, Harlan Monk, Susan Cody, Dominic Ingolia, Sr., Avery Dansizen, Suzanne O'Dea, Paul McLaughlin, Mary Otten, Deb Kammermann, Shirley Black, Rhonda Larson, Earla Tenuta, Shari West, Jill Cunningham, Joyce Volk, Jean Jones, Jaxson LaBorde, Susan Wisner, Sarah Rogers, John Goonan, Charlotte Foley, Pat Ozella, Bridget Buysse, Deacon Paul, Gavin Miller, Martha Franz, Deacon Joe, Polly Casey, Kenneth Bergman, Lynn Moushon, Eleanor Hammer, Peter Blackburn, Mary Ann Speerly, Barbara Broadbear, Gary Sweet, Mary Jane Junk, Irma McCaffrey, Kelly Bay, Kris Williams, Shirley Kelly, Susan Widmer, Pat Dougherty, Larry Miller, Tom Hobbs, William DeBoeuf, Brylyn Caudle, Victoria Houze, Kent Karcher, Mary Habecker, Bridget Tackman, Mary Schone, Gerald Nieu Kirk, Becky Beckmann and Winnie Demmel.

In Sympathy

Please remember in your prayers **Ingrid Cooksey** of this parish whose Funeral Mass was December 20th. Our sincere condolences to her husband, Larry and family.

Just to Let You Know . . .


The Rosary is said on Sunday Mornings before the 7:00 a.m. Mass at 6:30 a.m.

The Rosary is said on Saturday Mornings before the 8 a.m. Mass at 7:30 a.m.

Contact Dan and Bonnie Brown for more information at 444-2566.

Contributions for 2021

Contributions for 2021 must be in the Parish Office by December 31st.

Envelopes received after December 31st will be posted to the 2022 records.

Note: The Parish Office will be closed, but there is a mail slot to the right of the Office door to drop your contribution.



*Father John and Father Mike
wish you and your Families
A Very Blessed Christmas!*

*Please stop in the vestibule to pick up a special ornament
from the Parish. (One per Family, please).*

New Year Mass Schedules

St. Patrick Church

**Friday, December 31st:
No Morning Mass**

New Year's Eve: 4:30 p.m.

**Saturday, January 1st:
8:00 a.m. & 4:30 p.m.**

Sunday, January 2nd: 7:00, 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

St. Monica Church

New Year's Eve: 7:00 p.m.

New Year's Day: 9:00 a.m.



NEWS & UPDATES



News from the Principal



Dear Parishioners and School Families,

December 31: 2021 Donation Deadline

December 31 is the last day donors can receive a 75% tax credit on their 2021 Tax Credit Scholarship gift. We hope you will consider making a donation to Empower Illinois and help make it possible for a student in need to receive a scholarship and attend St. Patrick School. To allow Empower Illinois ample time for processing, **gifts via check should be mailed by December 20.** Individual and corporate donors can make contributions to Empower Illinois who then will fund scholarships. In turn, donors are eligible to receive a 75% state tax credit. To access the website to make your donation, go to <https://empowerillinois.org> and click on "Donate". Be sure to choose St. Patrick School when you complete the donation process for designation of your funds. Families will begin applying for scholarships for the 2022-2023 school year in January. Thirteen students were recipients of scholarships for the 2021-2022 school year. Thank you.

**Peace and Blessings, Doreen Shipman
Go Irish!**



Money for Baby Food Project

The annual collection for the Tazewell County **Right to Life Baby Food Project** will be held at all the masses the weekend of **Jan. 8 & 9, 2022.** Your **monetary contributions** will be used to purchase baby food and formula in memory of the more than 61 million babies aborted since the January 22, 1973 Supreme Court decision. Your donations are greatly appreciated. Around January 22, 2022 the St. Patrick 7th Grade class will help deliver the baby items to area social service agencies, including Catholic Charities, Crittenton Centers' Crisis Nursery, the Empower Life Center, and the Women's Care Center.

Please make-out checks to Tazewell County Right to Life.

St. Pat's IRISH SWEEPSTAKES

WINNERS:

Friday, November 5: Lottie Gorski
 Friday, November 12: Barbara Carter
 Friday, November 19: Mary Gover
 Thanksgiving Winner: Armstrong Family
 Friday, November 26: Jackie Mason
 Friday, December 3: Patti Blanchard
 Friday, December 10: Darrell Crouch

CONGRATULATIONS

Prayer Network

People are always asking after a terrible tragedy like a tornado "What can we do?"

Our Parish reached out to the Diocese of Owensboro, Kentucky. One of their requests was to ask our parishioners to send letters through the Diocese to parishioners in their diocese affected by the tornado indicating that prayers and fasting are being offered for them. Since we all know too well how a tornado has a long recovery, the Chancery asked that they would distribute letters to parishioner hoping that hearing from people who have gone through a tornado will give them hope that after their darkest days, there is light.

Please send your letters to:

Diocese of Owensboro, 600 Locust Street, Owensboro, KY 42301 Attention: Prayer Network





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