St. Patricia Catholic Church
June 14, 2026



11th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, make this proclamation: 'The kingdom of heaven is at hand.' Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse lepers, drive out demons. Without cost you have received; without cost you are to give."
- Mt 10:6-8

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MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday: **4:00 pm** (Anticipated Mass)
Sunday: **7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 am**
Weekdays: **Monday through Friday: 8:30 am**

CONFESSIONS:

Saturdays: **Before 4 pm Mass (3:00-3:45 pm)**
OR, by appointment anytime.

RECTORY OFFICE: 1-708-598-5222

NEW OFFICE HOURS:
Monday — Friday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
(Closed 12-1 pm — LUNCH)
CLOSED Saturday & Sunday

ST. PATRICIA SCHOOL: 1-708-598-8200

9000 South 86th Avenue - Hickory Hills, IL 60457
School Website: www.stpatriciaschool.org
Email: spsinfo@stpatriciaparish.com
Fax: 1-708-598-8233

SCHOOL Office SUMMER Hours:
Monday–Thursday → 9:00 am—12:00 pm

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (RE): 1-708-599-1221

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RE Office Hours:
Monday–Thursday → 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

St. Patricia Parish
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PARISH MEMBERSHIP:
The Parish of St. Patricia welcomes you and your family. Please register by calling, stopping by the Rectory during the week, or download the form from our website and return to the Rectory.

BAPTISMS:
Parents and Godparents are required to attend a Baptismal Preparation Class prior to the Baptism. Baptisms are *usually* held the fourth Sunday of the month at 1:00 p.m.
PLEASE CALL US TO REGISTER → 1-708-598-5222.

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION CLASSES:
Our Baptismal Preparation Classes are *usually* held on the third Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in our Church's Gathering Space. PLEASE CALL US TO REGISTER → 1-708-598-5222.

MARRIAGES: Couples who wish to be married at St. Patricia should consult a priest to have their date scheduled. Marriage guidelines of the Archdiocese require that at least four (4) months be allowed for marriage preparations. Prior to booking your reception, please allow us four (4) months for marriage preparations. PLEASE CALL US TO REGISTER → 1-708-598-5222.

SICK CALLS: For confession, anointing of the sick or in any emergency, please call the Rectory → 1-708-598-5222.

COMMUNION CALLS: To make arrangements for Communion to be brought to the sick, please call the Rectory → 1-708-598-5222.

ADULT CONVERTS: ALL ARE WELCOME, please call the Rectory → 1-708-598-5222.

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BULLETIN ARTICLES:
All Bulletin articles must be submitted to the Rectory by Thursday, Noon. Articles may be dropped off at the Rectory or emailed to: bulletin@stpatriciaparish.com

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Celestino & Rosa Mari
Jen Ahern
Kendra Anifer
Mary Ann Anifer
Sandra Anifer*
Abraham Aparicio-Moran
Brandon Arvin
Joey Beemsterboer
Janice Bergstrom
Maureen Bogg
Fr. Anthony Brankin
Cindy Bukowski
Jose Campos
Jack Carr
Dolores Castro
Frank Celani
Katarina Chnapkova
Dale Christensen, Sr.
Frank Coglianese
Mary Connelly
Baby Josephine
Cindy Conte
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Rowena Dapiton
Carolyn Dellamorte
Lou DeRose
Steve Dietz
Linda Doherty
Nestor Dolueras
Jean Durnik
Dennis Egan
Erin Emerson
Enrique Esparza
Judy Fabian
Dennis Farley
Diana Farrero
Mike Farrero
John Filipiak
Christine Fus
Len Fus
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James George
Frank Gogola
Pedro Gonzales
William Gray
Dorothy & Nick Guisto
David Graumnitz
Janice Grubisich
Jose Gutierrez*
Mary Jane Harde
Kevin Healy
Nancye Healy
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Thomas Hooten
Jack Hurlock
Fred Ichniowski
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Joann Jerantowski
Kristen Juarez
Barbara Kardelis
Tammy Karr
Deacon Charley Keegan
Margaret Kituli
Julio Cesar Knapp
Natalie Kochniarczyk
Tadeusz Kot
Patrick Kosnick
Maria Kosova
Jim Kruse
Wes Krzyzanowski
Enzo Kulpshas
Brandon Labrador
Thomas Lakowicz
Donald Lanacki, Sr.
Henry Lenart
Michele Lewis
Amy Lingelbach
Diane Lopez
Marsha Luczak
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Mick Malmon
Michalene Maola
Virginia Meccia
Guadalupe Mercado*
Tiffany Minarik
Mary Moldovan
Guadalupe Monterosas
Mickie Spangler Moore
Esther Montes*
James Mott
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Ted Murawski
Ron Musick
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Susan Nose
Josie E. Ochoa
Catherine Oropeza
Ana Maria Orozco*
Jeff Perry
Pamela Pribyl
Dave Ramirez
Raquel Ramirez
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Jesse Rodriguez
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Janice Schinker
Kathleen Marie Schmidt
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Kathy Smith
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Peter Stirtzinger
Marilyn Stone
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Carmen Valles
Christy Van Merkestyn
Norb Weitendorf
Pat Weitendorf
Denise White
Brinlee Wojciechowicz
Dolores Wojciechowicz
Angela Wozniak-Granoski
Siu Yu
Michael Zauner
Michael Zeifert

***NEW**



FATHER'S DAY MASS ENROLLMENT — Father's Day Mass enrollment cards and envelopes will be available **THIS weekend** in the Gathering Space. Multiple names can be submitted on the envelopes. If you need additional space, you may submit your names on an additional sheet of paper and enclose it inside the envelope.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY. ENVELOPES WITH NAMES AND MASS DONATIONS ARE DUE BACK BY MONDAY, JUNE 15TH for processing timely in the bulletin. Those received after June 15th will be listed in the next bulletin. **Please do not** drop your names and donations in the collection basket. Please drop them off at the Rectory in their mail slot for timely submission. **Thank You!**

Swim Across America - Swimming for a Cure Sat., Aug. 8, 2026 - 2 miles at Ohio Street Beach, Lake Michigan

2 Miles

Dear Parishioners,

I joined **Swim Across America** because I believe in their mission and want to help give more families hope. Like many of you, I know so many people who are suffering from cancer. Last year I swam for a fellow swimming buddy, Andy, who was diagnosed with Leukemia and was under treatment for months as a patient at Rush. Unfortunately, he died last year after a long journey.

This year I am swimming and praying for my relative, Kathleen, a young wife and mother of three, dealing with colon cancer. A friend of mine, John, a 45-year old father of three, has prostate cancer stage four and has been out of work for 9 months and forced to travel outside his home and family on the east coast to Chicago for specialized treatment at Rush Hospital, Chicago.

If you are able, please support me by making a donation to help me reach my fundraising goal. I hope to swim 2 miles, depending on the weather and lake conditions.

Founded in 1987, **Swim Across America** has hosted charity swims with one goal: to raise money for innovative cancer research that would lead to breakthrough treatments and therapies. Since then, **Swim Across America** has raised over $100M to fund the next generation of pioneers in oncology and cancer-support care.

Fr. Mike Meany

GO TO Swim Across America - type in Michael Meany or
https://www.swimacrossamerica.org/site/TR/OpenWater/Chicago?px=1982176&pg=personal&fr_id=7905

LOCATION
Ohio Street Beach
400 N. Lake Shore Drive
Chicago, IL 60611

BENEFITING RUSH

LEARN MORE: https://www.swimacrossamerica.org
Thank you for helping me #MakeWavesToFightCancer.

WEEKLY CALENDAR: June 14—June 21, 2026

Sunday, June 14, 2026 - FLAG DAY
7:30 a.m. - CH Mass
9:30 a.m. - CH Mass
11:30 a.m. - CH Mass **(Children's Bible Study: Ages 4-12)**

Monday, June 15, 2026
8:05 a.m. - CH Recitation of the Rosary
8:30 a.m. - CH Daily Mass

Tuesday, June 16, 2026
8:05 a.m. - CH Recitation of the Rosary
8:30 a.m. - CH Daily Mass

Wednesday, June 17, 2026
8:05 a.m. - CH Recitation of the Rosary
8:30 a.m. - CH Daily Mass

Thursday, June 18, 2026
8:05 a.m. - CH Recitation of the Rosary
8:30 a.m. - CH Daily Mass

Friday, June 19, 2026
8:05 a.m. - CH Recitation of the Rosary
8:30 a.m. - CH Daily Mass

Saturday, June 20, 2026
3:00-3:45 p.m. - CH Confessions
4:00 p.m.-CH FR. MICHAEL G. MEANY'S RETIREMENT MASS

Sunday, June 21, 2026 - FATHER'S DAY
7:30 a.m. - CH Mass
9:30 a.m. - CH Mass
11:30 a.m. - CH Mass **(NO Children's Bible Study Today; resumes Sunday, June 28th)**

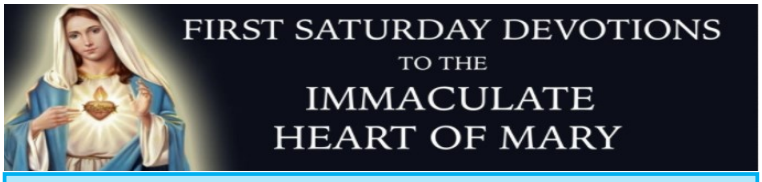
NEW RECTORY HOURS - in person and by phone **MONDAY-FRIDAY: 9:00 am — 4:00 pm**; Saturday and Sunday **CLOSED**.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (RE) OFFICE is open **Monday through Thursday - 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.** Our phone is **1-708-599-1221**. Registrations may also be dropped off with payment at the Rectory office.

ST. PATRICIA SCHOOL OFFICE SUMMER HOURS - Monday through Thursday - 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. In-person appointments are available by calling us at **1-708-598-8200.** Please call before stopping in.



Quiet time before the Blessed Sacrament is an important and necessary part of a healthy prayer life and a critical part of our faith journeys as Catholics. To be in the same room with the True Presence of our Lord and be humbled by His love and grace is an indescribable feeling - you have to experience it for yourself to truly understand. Our parish is blessed with First Friday of the Month Eucharistic Adoration, and I encourage everyone take full advantage, if available, of this incredible access to Christ and humbly seek Him out at every opportunity for worship, prayer and to unburden ourselves to Him. **NEXT Holy Hour is FRIDAY, JULY 3RD—5:30 p.m.**



Join us at St. Patricia Church every 1st Saturday of the month.
OUR NEXT GATHERING IS JULY 4TH @ 8:00 A.M.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - JUNE 14, 2026

Dear Parishioners,

Thank you to all who have made a pledge to the **Generation to Generation C**ampaign! We have raised 86% towards our goal.

We are now coming to the end of our Campaign drive. Please prayerfully consider making a pledge over 5 years to the Campaign. If you, the parishioners, do not do so, who will? It is your parish now and will be into the future. This is your spiritual home!

St. Patricia Parish and School is a pillar of Catholic life in Hickory Hills and for our neighboring suburbs. It is a place where life and faith are shared and celebrated.

As we reflect on our rich legacy, we are reminded of the milestones that have shaped us. With the celebration of our 65th Anniversary in 2025 and the historic election of the first American Pope, Pope Leo XIV, there is renewed energy and a palpable excitement which calls us to not only honor the past, but embrace how we can reinforce it for the future.

We have an extraordinary opportunity to build upon this momentum. Through the **Generation to Generation C**ampaign in our parish, our goal is to raise $855,000.00 to reinforce the pillars of parish life, **Stewardship — Faith — Education — Community —** and **Service,** that we articulated during that year while also envisioning the future of St. Patricia Parish.

Yes, it was just a year ago that Cardinal Cupich celebrated Mass with us on Pentecost Sunday, thanking us for our faithfulness as well as encouraging us to not wait for people to come to us but to go out and meet people where they are by envisioning new approaches to welcoming people to the faith and to parish life.

This Campaign is not just about preserving bricks and mortar. It is about safeguarding the heart of our parish and ensuring that St. Patricia remains a welcoming sanctuary for generations to come.

Together, *we can strengthen the pillars of our faith and secure the future of our spiritual home.*

CARING FOR OUR AGING FACILITIES

A major focus of the **C**ampaign is to enable us to care for our aging facilities. Updates to our parish campus are essential to maintain a safe, functional, and inviting environment for our parish and school community.

We must begin to replace our 30+ year-old church, school, parish center and rectory roofs, beginning with the convent which has been failing over the past year with major leaks into the rooms and the roof is flashing. (Please ***see*** details on ***page 5***). This is an asset that must be maintained.

ENHANCING OUR PARISH SPACES

We plan to upgrade our security cameras to strengthen campus safety, replace the worn church carpet to provide a fresh, clean space for worship, and update the altar lighting to enhance ambiance and visibility during services.

The stage lighting in the Parish Center will be replaced to improve visibility for events and gatherings. To increase the efficiency and impact of parish and school activities, we also plan to invest for the first time in projection equipment and a sound system, ensuring that all who gather can see, hear, and participate fully.

LOOKING AHEAD

We hope to address additional facility improvements as resources allow. Potential projects include the replacement of our rusting-out 20+ year-old truck with a used one. The truck is used daily for garbage removal, groundskeeping, for winter plowing, and salting of our very large parking lot.

Another future goal is improved campus signage and the interior painting of the school aftercare and Birmingham Hall bathrooms. These forward-looking projects will help ensure that St. Patricia Parish remains safe, welcoming and well cared for in the years to come.

RESTRICTED ACCOUNTS

Gifts to the **Generation to Generation C**ampaign will be held in separate, restricted accounts and used solely for the specific priorities set for in the **Generation to Generation C**ampaign case statement as well as our parish statement articulated above. Our Church has entered a "new missionary age" — a time when our parishes must intentionally become outward facing in a way that will be new for all of us. We must seek out the spiritually hungry and invite them to a relationship with Jesus and His Church.

Once again, please prayerfully consider making a pledge so that together we can pass on our faith to the next generation of disciples.

Sincerely yours in Christ, **Fr. Mike Meany**

Dear Parishioners,

On Friday, June 12th, work began to replace the convent roof because it is in serious deterioration with leaks in two rooms and some of the roof flashing has come down because the underboards are rotted. It is expected that it will take two weeks to complete, weather permitting.

We obtained three bids and the lowest one that met all Archdiocesan specification and requirements was from Rain Coat for $151,429.00. The original roof was installed in 1967 at the building construction and then 30 years ago an over lay roof was installed. This is a common practice, but now both need to be torn off. Before the installation of the new roof, we may need to replace some of the underlaying boards because they are rotted. The Archdiocese requires that the roofing company be a certified commercial roofer, use union labor, and guarantee the roofing product and installation for 20 years.

As is the case for all capital projects with the Archdiocese, you have to add a 10% contingency or $15,142.90. Therefore, the amount budgeted is $166,571.90. I requested a possible Non-Reimbursable Grant from the Archdiocesan Bank, similar to the one we received for the $90,000 boiler project of a couple years ago. For that project, we secured a $30,000.00 Non-Reimbursable Grant. In the convent roof project, we received a $40,000 Non-Reimbursable Grant.

TO RECAP:	
Roof Cost	$151,429.00
10% Contingency	+15,142.90
Total	$166,571.90
Minus Non-Reimbursable Grant	- 40,000.00
NEW BALANCE	$126,572.00

We are putting $20,000 down to start the project from the parish's savings and we were able to secure a two-year non-interest bearing loan from the Archdiocesan Bank for the balance of $106,561.00. As you may recall, I wrote to you shortly after November 14, 2024, that we were informed that the Legionaries of Christ Priests who had lived in our convent would be leaving at the end of July 2025. The Legionaries leased the space from us since September 2014.

Fr. Jason, the Prior of the house, was informed by his superior in November 2024 that the order was leaving the Archdiocese of Chicago due to the falling numbers of priests and very few numbers of vocations. The order plans to focus their attention on campus ministry in other states. However, they are still planning to operate Everest Academy in Lemont. At one time, they had 8 priests plus seminarians living there. At the time of their departure, only 5 remained. They used it solely for private housing with no meetings of any type held there. Each day they traveled across the south side and into the city for their ministry.

The Legionaries' initial lease amount was $12,000.00 a year with the stipulation of doing some roof repair, change exterior doors to swing out and install a central fire alarm for a total of $13,500.00.

The building had been vacant for three years and they reported to me that there were holes in the walls, it needed painting and a new carpet, and a complete renovation of the kitchen with new appliances. All this was required to be done at their own expense. They also installed a new central air conditioning unit which is still in good condition. The Legionaries enhanced the chapel with very beautiful wood paneling and updated lighting. The twelve "cells," which were only large enough for a bed and a small desk, were left as is. The common bathrooms and showers, which the sisters used, were also left untouched. Yes, the sisters and the Legionaries lived in the small cells and had to go down the hall for the toilet and to take a shower, and there were sinks in each room. Only "mother superior" had a private full bathroom with a tub and shower.

In November of 2019, the lease agreement was amended for the following 5 years, with a monthly rent of $1,500.00 or $18,000.00 per year. Once again in 2024, the lease was renegotiated at $3,300.00 per month or $39,600.00 per year.

The rental money was used for parish and school ordinary operations which helped significantly, especially during the COVID-19 pandemic. The loss of this income as well as the loss of several significantly large annual donations that ran into the thousands a year because of death or moving away to a warmer climate have played a significant impact on our parish and school revenue. This is another reason the **Generation to Generation C**ampaign is so important — so that we would be able to take care of a significant amount of deferred parish/school maintenance. We also need to increase the weekly Sunday's offertory collection in order to keep up with ever-rising costs coupled with a gradual decline in revenue due to death, etc.

(***continued on next page***)

As result of the Legionaries' departure and the desire to have the necessary revenue, we investigated other possible uses for the space. We recognized that whoever leased the convent would ideally be in line with our Catholic Mission and would be appropriate, since it is in a residential neighborhood with a park across the street and next to our school. The Parish Finance Council and the Parish Pastoral Council were brought into the discussion as how best we should proceed. After extensive discussion with the Archdiocese officials, which included at one point the serious consideration of using the space for the Archdiocese Vicarate V Offices, where Bishop Fedek's office would be located. This option would be in line with our mission and provide rental income. However, the Archdiocese decided to use the vacant space at St. Francis of Assisi in Orland Park.

We explored other rental possibilities, such as non-profit religious-based medical offices or non-profit Catholic Charities temporary housing, or possibly housing for nuns/priests or retired Archdiocese priests, but due to the extensive renovation for a large group of people, the location, no parking and the real concern about zoning requirements, and the other reasons as mentioned above, it was ruled out. We also considered selling the property, but it is hard to find a suitable buyer that would be permissible so close to our campus. Even if we found a good buyer, we lose control and that buyer could sell it to someone that would be less than ideal. In short, we lose control of the space. Therefore, that, too, was ruled out.

Everyone, that is the Archdiocese and parish leadership, recognized that it is a significant asset that needs to be kept up and used for our own use. It was decided that Fr. Andrew, our new pastor would move in there in July and possibly later Fr. Chris, too, when the living space had undergone some minor rehab. A one-bedroom upstairs ("Mother Superior's" room), which is the only room that has a full bathroom and is located next to the former community room/library, could easily be connected together by removing a closet and installing a doorway. This library/community room has large windows, faces north and would be an ideal living room for Fr. Andrew. For Fr. Chris' room, a shower would need to be added to that space that was formerly an entrance to a visiting parlor that the nuns used due to the rule at the time that no one was ever allowed into the nuns' private living area.

The rectory, which is easy to find and has plenty of parking, would then be used solely for meetings and office space, and the priests would have privacy and more room to relax.

Fr. Mike Meany



ROSARY COLLECTION

Would you or someone you know have a broken or old rosary that you do not know what to do with?

Look no further.

There will be a box in the back of the church for the next 2 weekends in the gathering space where you can donate them.

The rosaries will be repaired and donated to the Missions.

THANK YOU!

IN-PEW WEEKEND

Today, all parish families are invited to participate in the Generation to Generation campaign In-Pew Event. Our parish community is preparing for the next generation of Catholics at St. Patricia and across Cook and Lake Counties. Please join with all families at Mass today in support of the campaign. Recognizing all we have and all we are is a manifestation of God's love, we are called to return gifts in thanksgiving for God's generosity and goodness to us.

Total Gift*	Monthly	Weekly	Daily
$18,000	$300	$69	$10
$12,000	$200	$46	$7
$9,000	$150	$35	$5
$6,000	$100	$23	$3
$4,800	$80	$18	$3
$3,600	$60	$14	$2
$2,400	$40	$9	$1

* Gifts have been rounded to the nearest dollar

OUR PRIORITIES

- Upgrade security cameras
- Replace worn church carpet
- Improve Parish Center Lighting
- New projection and sound system
- Roof replacement
- Repairs to the aftercare room
- Painting of Birmingham Hall bathrooms
- Repairs to the parish truck

ST. PATRICIA'S CAMPAIGN PROGRESS

- Parish Goal: $855,000
- Total Raised: $731,845
- Percentage Raised: 86%
- Number of Gifts: 167
- Average gift: $4,382
- Last Updated: 6/10/26

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HAVE ANSWERED THE CALL!

- Alber
- Alber
- ANONYMOUS
- Arnold
- Atiedu
- Avanzo
- Averilla
- Baker
- Balcazar
- Beach
- Bedalow
- Berezewski
- Blanco
- Boettcher
- Borvan
- Brannigan
- Callahan
- Cappelletti
- Carrasco
- Chapa
- Correll
- Darrah
- Demma
- Derose
- Distel
- Distel
- Dolan
- Doman
- Driscoll
- Espiritu
- Faddis
- Fahrner
- Fierke
- Figueras
- Filipiak
- Flaherty
- Fleitas
- Flynn
- Fojtik
- Foran
- Foxx
- Fulgencio
- Galka
- Gapsevich
- Garrison
- Gaydos
- George
- Gessert
- Glazier
- Glogowski
- Gogola
- Gonzalez
- Grabowski
- Hanson
- Hintz
- Howley
- Jakubiec
- Janczy
- Jankovich
- Jomero
- Judd
- Kadubek
- Karl
- Karpiel
- Keegan
- Kenny
- Khan
- Kintner
- Kman
- Kocher
- Kruse
- Krzysztofek
- Kunnengode
- Laggos
- Lechert
- Lizarraga
- Lordan
- Lotus
- Lytell
- Maloney
- Malzahn
- Mancuso
- Manka
- Marszalik
- Martinez
- Martini
- Mazurek
- Mcguire
- Mcnally
- Mcneela
- Meany
- Meyer
- Michonski
- Moleck
- Mott
- Mrowca
- Munoz
- Munoz
- Munoz
- Murillo
- Murphy
- Murphy
- Murphy
- Noel
- Nogajewski
- Nolan
- Noto
- O'Connor
- O'Dea
- Okonski
- Oleskiewicz
- Opalka
- Pacion
- Page-O'Connell
- Palac
- Pasik
- Pawlowski
- Petit
- Pilar
- Pluta
- Pounovich
- Reyes
- Rodriguez
- Rodriguez
- Runowski
- Russell
- Ryan
- Salzburg
- Schafer
- Scialo
- Seamans
- Sears
- Seminara
- Sherry
- Sikora
- Skupien
- Sobczak
- Spiewak
- Sroka
- Strauch
- Suddreth
- Sullivan
- Surin
- Szwajnos
- Tate
- Thomas
- Toler
- Tomala
- Tueres
- Vargas
- Venezio
- Virgilio
- Volanti
- Washburn
- Washleski
- Whitley
- Wilczek
- Williams
- Winter
- Wolak
- Zauner
- Zweig

Celebrate his Journey of Faith as his Next Adventure Begins!

Join Us For:

FR. MIKE MEANY'S RETIREMENT PARTY

Saturday, June 20, 2026
5:30 pm
Following the 4:00 Mass

St. Patricia Parish Center

Tickets Available through the Rectory

$20 per person
Cash Bar

Join us for dinner & dancing.

Tickets may be bought thru Gift Central

St. Patricia Parish

Women's Group

Wrap Up Meeting

- Faith
- Fellowship
- & a Slice of
- What's Next!



Join us for an evening of pizza, conversation, & community as we look back & plan what's ahead.

Thursday, June 18th 6pm

Birmingham Hall

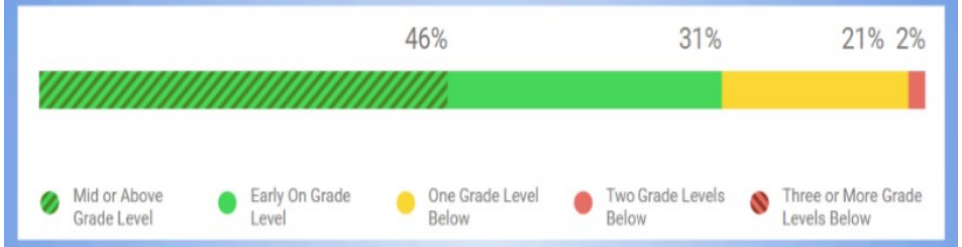
We'll revisit our mission, talk through ideas, & most importantly - hear from you. Your voice, & your presence truly matter.

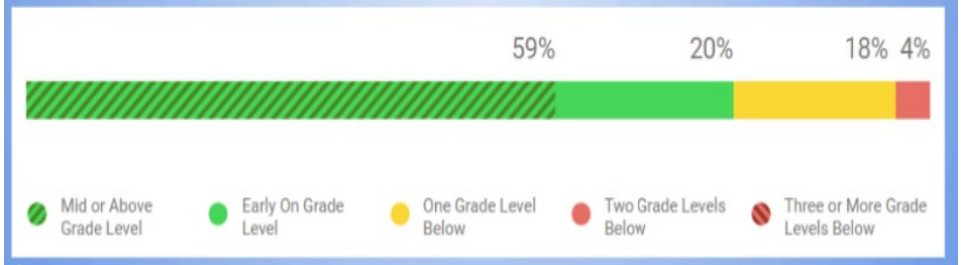
RSVP
jbiel@stpatriciaparish.com
We are asking for a $5 donation to cover our costs

STATE OF THE SCHOOL

On June 3rd, the school hosted a "State of the School" address to update parents on accomplishments of the past year, and goals for the year ahead. Below are some of the highlights.

Growth in Reading 24-25 vs 25-26





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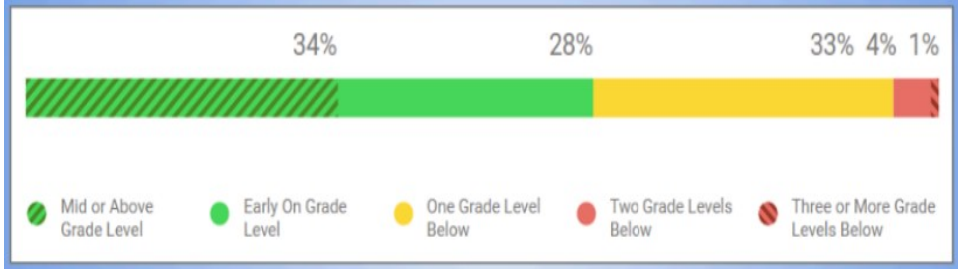
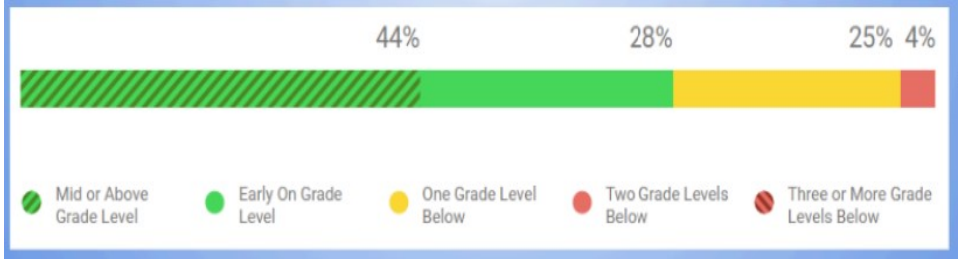
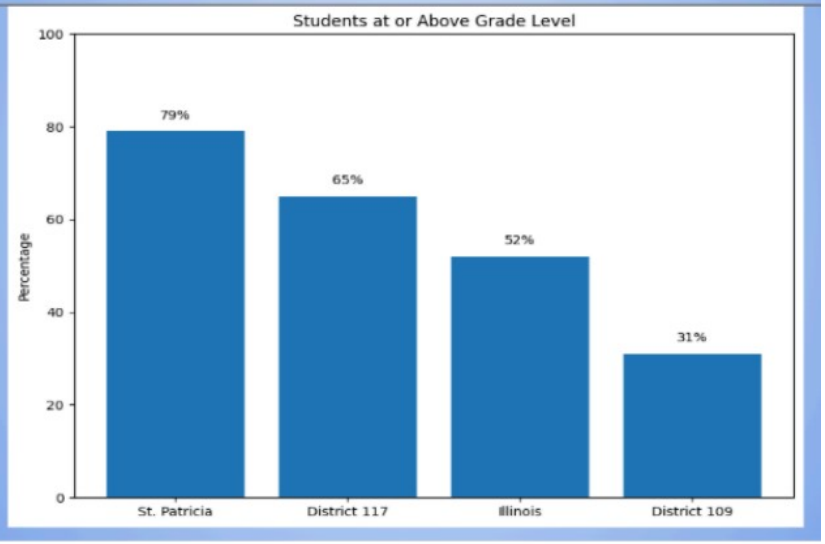




UPDATED REPORT will be submitted in next weekend's bulletin—unable to do so at this time due to 6.11.26 storm's power outage at church office.

Comparing our Reading Scores



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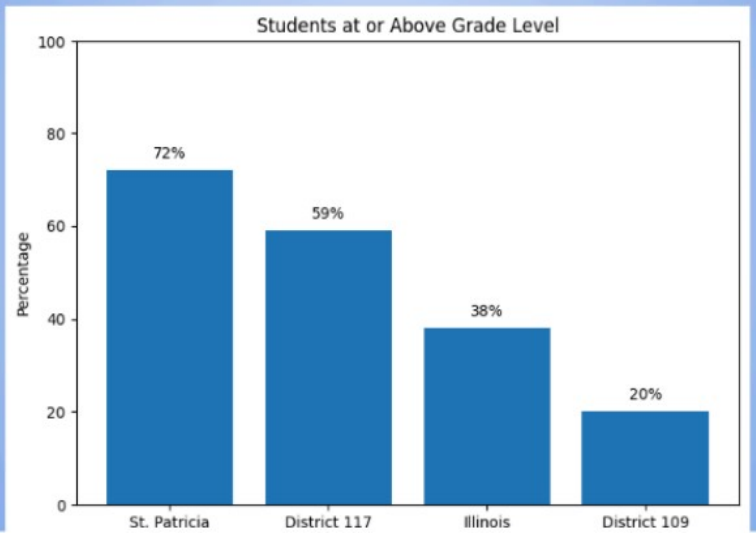

RESULTS = Our Graduates ■ For the past 4 years, St. Patricia has had an 8th grader score in the top 95th percentile on their high school entrance exam, earning them a half scholarship or better for their entire high school career. ■ Both this year and last year, our 8th graders received a total of over $30,000 in merit-based scholarships. ■ Both years, only 6 students were attending tuition-based high schools — the remainder were attending public schools, and did not pursue scholarships.

Weekly Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 13, 2026-The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

4:00† Paul E. Segura - Friends of Thursday Evening
† John C. Raffaelli - Friends of Thursday Evening
† Richard F. Berkowicz - Friends of Thursday Evening
† Hank Gaydos - Hal and Carolyn Budach
† Maura Rainne - Eileen McAndrew
† Cathy O'Connor - Ann O'Connor
† Matthew Burke - Family
Jose Gutierrez (Health & Blessings) - Rich and Diane Moreno
† Norine Stachowicz - Rich and Diane Moreno
† Mark Viskup - Rich and Diane Moreno

Sunday, June 14, 2026 - Flag Day 7:30 People of St. Patricia
9:30† Walter and Lillian Zielnik - Zielnik Family
† Howard R. Vanick - Suzanne
† Paul E. Segura - Friends of Thursday Evening
Milena Jovanovic (Health & Blessings) - Sheila Uraski
† Randall R. Brenza - Suzanne
† Angelo A. Martino - Blessings from Palos
† Kathryn M. Grencevicz - Suzanne
† Marlene M. Szymanski - Friends of Thursday Evening
† Mary E. Cuci - Mike and Gloria Cunningham
† Stanley, Stanislawa & Jozef Bielanski - Pawlica Family
† Mary E. Cuci - Ken and Bette Osborne
† Mary E. Cuci - Robert Casey
11:30† Blanche Goodwin (5th Anniv.) - Avanzo Family
† John and Diane Blaha - Pratus Family
† Anna Pravdik - Sako Family
† Jan Bell - Margaret Grant
† Jason Osmolak - Nicole Osmolak and Gloria Chiostri
† Raul Monreal Fuentes - Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nardi
† Maire Rainee - Theresa O'Carroll

Monday, June 15, 2026
8:30 People of St. Patricia

Tuesday, June 16, 2026
8:30† Christine Muldoon - Knights Council #282

Wednesday, June 17, 2026
8:30† Jim Krejci - Mary Ellen Krejci

Thursday, June 18, 2026
8:30 People of St. Patricia

Friday, June 19, 2026
8:30† John C. Malek - Holly and Hank Oszakiewski
† Tom Flaherty - Mary Flaherty

Saturday, June 20, 2026
4:00† Blanche Goodwin - Avanzo Family
† Frank Correll - Barbara, Wife
† Hank Gaydos - Maureen Kadubek
Victor and Eleanor Pilar (45th Wedd. Anniv.) - Family

Sunday, June 21, 2026 - Father's Day
7:30 **FOR**
9:30 **ALL OUR**
11:30 **FATHERS — Living and Deceased**

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Thank you for sharing your gifts and to all who have dropped off, mailed in, or given electronically. These gifts support the daily needs of our Parish. God Bless you for your generosity!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

{Unavailable due to Storm's Power Outage at Church Office on June 10th & 11th}

Eternal Rest Grant Unto Her, O Lord:

Barbara Slepski, Wife of Thomas

SUPPORT OUR TROOPS

Kruse's Krew June Care Packages — We will pack Care Packages on **June 16th** at **6pm.** We will be packing at the Hickory Hills Community Center, located at 7800 W. 89th Pl., 2nd Floor. We are sending freeze pops and other goodies to cool off our Troops' summer.

Please come and help pack some joy and cheer for our Troops deployed overseas. Let us show them we care and respect their sacrifices to defend us.



See you there! Thank you for all your help and God Bless You All!

JIM KRUSE—Army & proud of it.

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FLAG DAY: June 14

- **The Grand Union Flag was the first flag to appear in 1775.**
- **OLD GLORY today is recognized as a symbol of freedom**

St. Patricia Parish Queen of Hearts 50/50 Raffle

Hello Everyone!

Congratulations to **Frank A.** for winning a Prime Time Restaurant gift card! His raffle ticket was pulled on Wed., June 10th and the **Ace of Hearts** was behind **#4**. The next ticket will be pulled on Wednesday, June 17th.

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CHILDREN'S BIBLE STUDY

There **WILL NOT** be a BIBLE Study on Sun., June 21st. It will resume on Sunday, June 28th!

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ST. PATRICIA SENIOR CLUB

Meetings are held on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of every month at 12 noon. Meetings are held at the Hickory Hills Community Center located at 7800 West 89th Place.

New Members Are Welcome!

The next meeting will be held on Wed., June RD

Hickory Hills Women's Social Club

INVITES all ladies who live in Hickory Hills & other nearby suburbs to join them in dominos, cards, etc., once a month on the 2nd Tuesday of each month, from 1-4:00pm Their meetings are held at the Hickory Hills Community Center located at 7800 West 89th Place. There is no commitment. Please join us once to see if you are interested. For additional information, please call Barbara Schultz at 708.598.5165, or email sandy.seger@aol.com.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 9th

AA Meetings are held on Thursday in the St. Rectory Basement (Brody Rm) located at 9060 So. 86th Ave., Hickory Hills, Illinois. Entrance is located at the north side of the Rectory.

REVISED Time

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