St. Patricia Catholic Church
October 25, 2026



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

OFFICE HOURS:
Monday — Friday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
Email: rectory@stpatriciaparish.com

ST. PATRICIA SCHOOL: 1-708-598-8200;
Fax: 1-708-598-8233
9000 South 86th Avenue - Hickory Hills, IL 60457
www.stpatriciaschool.org
spsinfo@stpatriciaparish.com

SCHOOL Office Hours:
Monday–Friday → 8:00 am—3:00 pm

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (RE): 1-708-599-1221
9000 South 86th Avenue - Hickory Hills, IL 60457
Email: reled@stpatriciaparish.com

RelEd Office Hours:
Monday–Thursday → 9:00 am - 2:00 pm
Please Call Ahead For an Appointment

St. Patricia Parish
9050 South 86th Avenue - Hickory Hills, IL 60457 — 1-708-598-5222
www.stpatriciaparish.com

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.

TO BECOME CATHOLIC, 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
Braulio Alvarez
Kendra Anifer
Mary Ann Anifer
Abraham Aparicio-Moran
Rick Becht
Joey Beemsterboer
Terry Belshaw*
Janice Bergstrom
Maureen Bogg
Fr. Anthony Brankin
Cindy Bukowski
Jose Campos
Dolores Castro
Frank Celani
Katarina Chnapkova
Dale Christensen, Sr.
Frank Coglianese
Mary Connelly
Baby Josephine
Jean Coughlin
Val Cronk*
Rowena Dapiton
Carolyn Dellamorte
Lou DeRose
Steve Dietz
Linda Doherty
Nestor Dolueras
Dennis Egan
Erin Emerson
Enrique Esparza
Dennis Farley
Diana Farrero
Mike Farrero
John Filipiak
Christine Fus
Len Fus
Bernadine Gabrysiak
Joe Garza*
James George
Tina Glogowski
Frank Gogola
Pedro Gonzales
William Gray
Dorothy & Nick Guisto
David Graumnitz
Janice Grubisich
John Gubala*
Jose Gutierrez
Mary Jane Harde
Jennifer Manika-Hernandez
George Holas
Thomas Hooten
Jack Hurlock
Fred Ichniowski
Moises Jamie
Denise M. Jandura
Rich S. Jandura
Tim Jendrzejak
Joann Jerantowski
Kristen Juarez
Barbara Kardelis
Tammy Karr
Lorraine Kash
Deacon Charley Keegan
John Kettman
Anaya Khan
Margaret Kituli
Julio Cesar Knapp
Natalie Kochniarczyk
Patrick Kosnick
Maria Kosova
Jim Kruse
Enzo Kulpshas
Alex Kyallo
Brandon Labrador
Thomas Lakowicz
Henry Lenart
Michele Lewis
Amy Lingelbach
Diane Lopez
Marsha Luczak
Jurate Lukminiene
David Maish
Mick Malmon
Michalene Maola
Virginia Meccia
Guadalupe Mercado
Tiffany Minarik
Carolyn Mitera
Mary Moldovan
Guadalupe Monterosas
Mickie Spangler Moore
Esther Montes
Joseph Mario Moreno
James Mott
John Muldoon
Ted Murawski
Ron Musick
Ariana Adonay Vela Noriega
Susan Nose
Josie E. Ochoa
Lillian Olchowka
Catherine Oropeza
Ana Maria Orozco
Armando Peñueles
Francisco Peñueles
Jeff Perry
Pamela Pribyl
Dave Ramirez
Lupita Ramirez
Raquel Ramirez
Jesse Rodriguez
George Ross
Janice Schinker
Kathleen Marie Schmidt
Sarah Siebertz
Kathy Siuta
Walter Skora
Kathy Smith
Lorraine Solomino
Andrew Stahr
William J. Stepek
Marilyn Stone
Nancy Sustersic
Patricia Torres
Angeline Totzke
Maria L. Treviño
David Uraski
Sherry Uraski
Carmen Valles
Christy Van Merkestyn
Barb Venselow*
Norb Weitendorf
Pat Weitendorf
Denise White
Robert Wirtel
Brinlee Wojciechowicz
Angela Wozniak-Granoski
Michael Zauner
Michael Zeifert
Clarence Zima

***NEW**

IMPORTANT: If any of your loved ones can be removed from this list, please let the Rectory know — we are very tight on space.

SECOND COLLECTIONS
OCT.31—NOV. 1, 2026 — PARISH DEVELOPMENT

OCTOBER IS DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH

Start the conversation to end the silence that shelters the epidemic of domestic violence.



Domestic violence occurs everyday, in every neighborhood around the world.

Please talk about it.

Victims are suffering because of our silence. It could be your sibling, your co-worker, your neighbor.

Your voice may give a victim the courage to seek help.

How can we shift our culture away from blaming the victim and instead hold the offender accountable? Don't excuse the behavior.

Challenge the myths: "Survivors can just leave". "Only certain people are victims". "Only physical harm counts". "Domestic violence is a private, family matter".

Question how the media portrays unhealthy relationships. Does the story sensationalize trauma or promote awareness that patterns of domestic violence are a public health crisis?

The causes of domestic violence take conscious action. When children do not receive education about healthy relationships, violence becomes normalized.

If you are a victim or survivor of domestic abuse seeking help:
National Hotline: 1-800-799 SAFE (7233); 1-800-7873224 (TDD)
State of Illinois Helpline: 1-877-863-6338 (1-877 – TO END DV)
LOCAL: Between Friends 24-Hour Crisis Hotline: 1-800-603-HELP (4357)
Connections for Abused Women and their Children (CAWC) 24-Hour Hotline: 773-278-4566
W.I.N.G.S. 24-Hour Hotline: 1-847-221-7725
Crisis Center For South Suburbia 24/7 Hotline: 708-429-7723
Catholic Charities Counseling 1-312-655-7725

Learn about the mission and resources of the Domestic Violence Outreach program by logging onto
www.domesticviolenceoutreach.org

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OUTREACH

Advent Meditation Little Book series "Six-Minute Reflection" & "Word Among Us" Books

NEXT weekend, **October 31st and November 1st**, we will have two Advent daily meditation books for purchase after all Masses. The Little Books series, which have a six-minute reflection on the Sunday Gospels for 2026, are now **$2.00 each—with exact change only**.

PLEASE NOTE THE NEW PRICE! No Change given.

St. Patricia Parish Queen of Hearts 50/50 Raffle

Hello Everyone! Congratulations to Joyce A. whose ticket was pulled on Wednesday, October 21st and the 10 OF CLUBS was behind #33. She was the winner of a $50 Prime Time Restaurant Gift Card. The NEXT DRAWING will be held @ Prime Time Restaurant on Wednesday, October 28th.

THANK YOU TO ALL for your dedication to our RAFFLE!

ST. PATRICIA PARISH—708.598.5222

WEEKLY CALENDAR: Oct. 25, 2026-Nov. 1, 2026

Sunday, October 25, 2026
7:30 a.m. - CH Mass
9:30 a.m. - CH 8th Grade Investiture Mass
11:30 a.m. - CH Mass **(Children's Bible Study: Ages 4-12)**
1:00 p.m. - BAPTISM

Monday, October 26, 2026
8:05 a.m. - CH Recitation of the Rosary
8:30 a.m. - CH Daily Mass

Tuesday, October 27, 2026
8:05 a.m. - CH Recitation of the Rosary
8:30 a.m. - CH Daily Mass
6:00 p.m. - CH RE Class

Wednesday, October 28, 2026
8:05 a.m. - CH Recitation of the Rosary
8:30 a.m. - CH Daily Mass

Thursday, October 29, 2026
8:05 a.m. - CH Recitation of the Rosary
8:30 a.m. - CH Daily Mass **(3rd Gr School Mass)**

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

Saturday, October 31, 2026—Halloween
3:00-3:45 p.m. - CH Confessions
4:00 p.m.-CH Mass

Sunday, November 1, 2026—ALL SAINTS 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)**

MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

We would like to invite you and your family to our Remembrance Mass on **Monday, November 2nd at 7:00pm**. The heartfelt Mass is for all the families who have had a Funeral Mass celebrated here since November 2025.

We will provide a candle, and we kindly ask that a family member or friend carry it up during the Mass. Please check in at 6:30pm in the Gathering Space of the Church, where you will be given a candle. During the Mass, we will mention your loved one's name, and we would appreciate it if someone could come forward with the candle. You can bring the candle home with you as a remembrance. *There is no fee for the candle.*



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, NOVEMBER 6TH — 5:30 p.m.**



Join us at St. Patricia Church every 1st Saturday of the month.
OUR NEXT GATHERING IS NOVEMBER 7TH @ 8:00 A.M.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: OCTOBER 25, 2026

Dear Brothers & Sisters in Christ,

First, I would like to invite you to look at the redesigned parish website. Our website not only looks updated in graphical terms, it is also updated with active links to call the parish, to send a message to the parish, and to navigate to the parish geographical location. And other technical issues are solved like compatibility with mobile devices, i.e. with small displays. Whenever you use the smartphone, or tablet, or desktop with a big display, all website content and functionality is available. If you have any constructive comments, please let me know. If you find any errors or any info which is missing from our parish website, please do the same.

Second, in our liturgical readings we hear many times about Pharisees and Sadducees. Let us look closer at these two groups for better understanding of the scripture.

Pharisees and Sadducees were two major Jewish religious and political groups active during the Second Temple period, especially in the centuries leading up to and including the time of Jesus (roughly 2nd century BCE to 1st century CE). They appear frequently in the New Testament and in the writings of the Jewish historian Josephus.

They shared a commitment to the Torah (the Law of Moses) and held seats in the Sanhedrin (the Jewish ruling council), but they differed sharply in social background, theology, interpretation of Scripture, and power base.

- Pharisees (from Hebrew *perushim*, "separated ones") emphasized personal piety, ritual purity in everyday life, and applying priestly standards more broadly. They were not primarily priests but teachers. Notable Pharisees in the New Testament include Nicodemus, Gamaliel, and Paul (before his conversion). Their acceptance of oral tradition and belief in resurrection made their system adaptable after the Temple's destruction.
- Sadducees (possibly linked to Zadok, a high priest under David/Solomon) controlled the Temple priesthood and high priesthood for much of the period. They were fewer in number, elitist, and focused on Temple ritual and literal readings of the written Law. Because their power and identity were tied to the Temple, they largely vanished after the Romans destroyed it in 70 CE.



WESTERN WALL OF THE JERUSALEM TEMPLE
Photo by Fr. Andrew

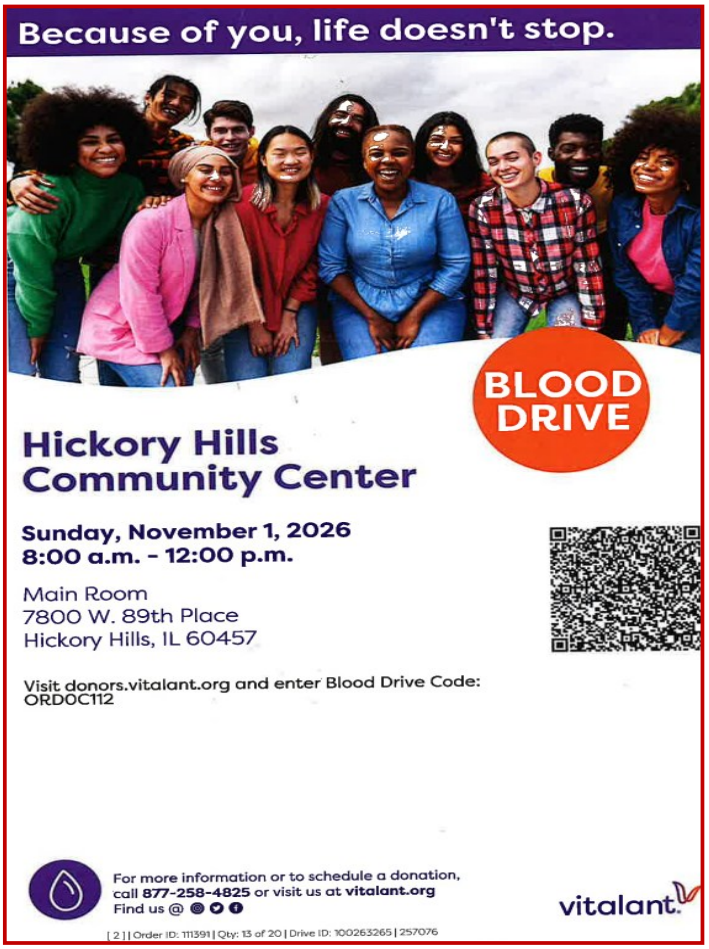
Jesus and the early Christians interacted with (and often criticized) both groups. The Books of the Gospel record debates with Pharisees over issues such as Sabbath observance, purity laws, and oral traditions, and with Sadducees over the resurrection (e.g., Matthew 22:23–33). In Acts 23, Paul deliberately highlights the resurrection to divide the Sanhedrin, knowing Pharisees and Sadducees disagreed on it.

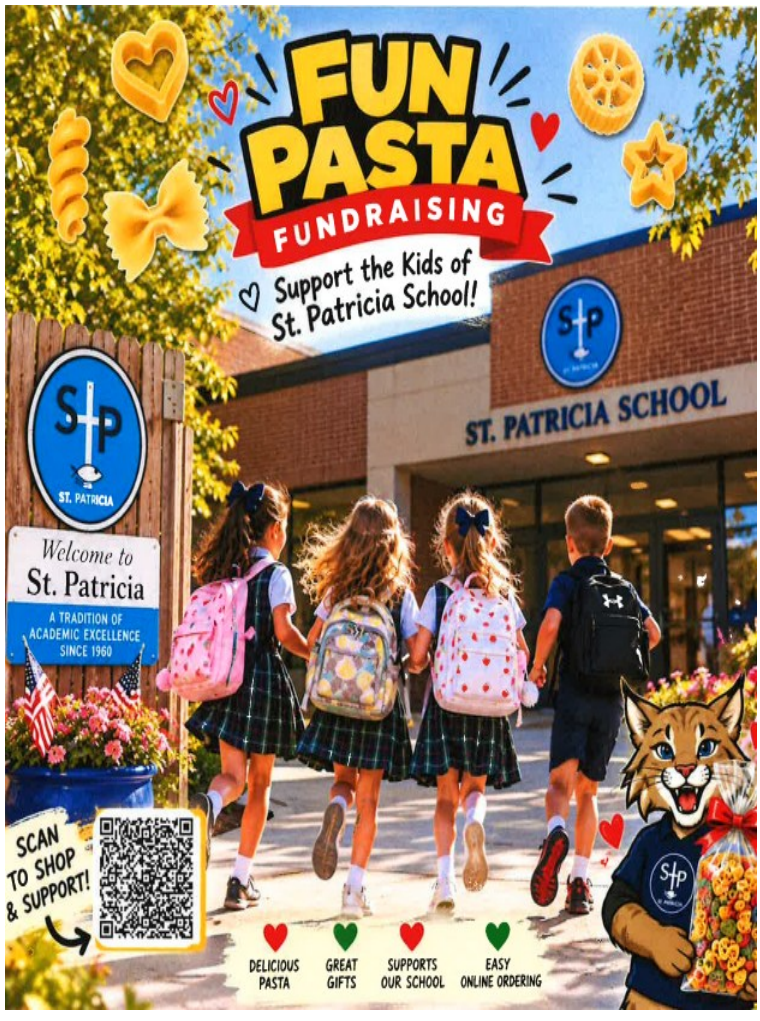
In short: the Pharisees were the more popular, tradition-oriented, and spiritually expansive group whose teachings shaped later Judaism; the Sadducees were the aristocratic, Temple-centered literalists who rejected key supernatural beliefs and faded from history after 70 CE.

Have a beautiful Sunday, and may God bless you every day of the week!

Father Andrew, Pastor







TOOTSIE ROLL SALE/ DONATION DRIVE



The St. Patricia Knights of Columbus Council #282 along with St. Patricia SPRED will be collecting donations for their Annual **Tootsie Roll Donation Drive** after all Masses **THIS weekend — Oct. 24th-25th**. Thank you for your generous past contributions which have directly helped support the St. Patricia SPRED group as well as local Illinois Special Olympics athletes. Thank you for your support of our local Knights Council #282 in their charitable mission. ALL proceeds will go toward helping God's Special People with disabilities in the local Chicago area.

Joe Kunnengode
Past Grand Knight/Financial Secretary
Knights of Columbus
San Salvador Archangel Council #282

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

HAND IN HAND - HELPING THOSE WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES

Ladies' Night Out BUNCO

Friday, Nov. 6, 2026

St. Patricia Parish
9000 S. 86th Ave, Hickory Hills, IL 60457

Doors Open at 6:00 pm
Dinnner Served at 6:30 pm

Includes: Dinner, Beer, Wine & Soda

Must be 21 or over to attend
No Refunds. Thank you for your support!
www.stpatriciaparish.com ✳ (708) 598-8222

Tickets on Sale Now!

$55 General Admission
$50 Seniors (60+)

- **Purchase Tickets:** At the RE Office or Rectory
- **Secure Online Tickets at:** www.stpatriciaparish.com/bunco



- *Novice - Expert Players Welcome*
- *Fabulous Raffles!*
- *Dinner & Drinks!*
- *Fun & Friends!*
- *Cash Prizes - Win OR Lose!*

Bunco - Ladies' Night Out Ticket Order Form

Please return to the RE or Rectory Office. Make checks payable to St. Patricia.

Name: _____

Email: _____

Quantity	Ticket	Amount Due
	$55 General Admission	
	$50 Senior Discount 60+	

Total # of Tickets: _____ Total Amount Due: $ _____

Thank you for your support!



Ladies Night Out BUNCO VOLUNTEERS

We need your help!

Calling THE MEN OF THE PARISH!

We are looking for the men of the parish to volunteer for our Bunco event!

DATE	TIME	LOCATION	CALLING
Friday 11-6-26	6:00 PM	St. Patricia Parish Center	The men of the Parish

Volunteer Opportunities

- BARTENDERS
- DINNER SERVERS
- SELL RAFFLE TICKETS
- CLEAN UP

Many hands make a great night!

Contact
Janice or Jess
jbiel@stpatriciaparish.com
jscialo@stpatriciaparish.com

St. Patricia Parish

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM 2026

ST. PATRICIA PARISH BELIEVES THAT EVERY CHILD SHOULD HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE IN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & GROW IN THEIR CATHOLIC FAITH.



THROUGH THE GENEROSITY OF OUR HOLY NAME SOCIETY, **SIX (6) SCHOLARSHIPS OF $250 EACH** ARE AVAILABLE TO ASSIST RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FAMILIES FOR 2026-2027 PROGRAM YEAR.

- Supporting our Families
- Helping Our Children Grow in Faith
- Assisting with Expenses when Needed

FAMILIES ARE ENCOURAGED TO APPLY. FINANCIAL NEED, MULTIPLE CHILDREN IN THE PROGRAM, & SACRAMENTAL EXPENSES MAY BE CONSIDERED. ONLY ONE SCHOLARSHIP PER FAMILY MAY BE AWARDED. ALL APPLICATIONS WILL BE TREATED WITH CONFIDENTIALITY & RESPECT.

APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED THROUGH TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2026

QUESTIONS OR TO REQUEST AN APPLICATION, PLEASE CONTACT:

MAC KARABAN
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION DIRECTOR
708 599-1221
MKARABAN@STPATRICIAPARISH.COM

What's New in Religious Education

Have a question? You can always call us!

CLASSES ARE TUESDAYS
6:00 PM – 7:30 PM
Located in St. Patricia School

OUR VERY SPECIAL CHRISTMAS TREE RAFFLE STARTS 10-31-26
PROCEEDS HELP THE RE PROGRAM

CONTACT US:
The St. Patricia Religious Education Team
Maciek Karaban
708.599.1221

HERE'S WHAT WE DO:
- Classes from 1st Grade through High School
- Engaging lessons rooted in Catholic teachings
- Sacrament Preparation
- Learning through Music, Art & Education
- Friendship & Fun



OCIA

IT IS NOT TOO LATE TO REGISTER

ARE YOU READY TO TAKE THE NEXT STEP IN YOUR FAITH?

Join Us for Adult OCIA Classes! The *Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA)* is a welcoming journey for anyone looking to enter the Church or complete their sacraments.

WHAT WE PREPARE YOU FOR:
- **Baptism—**Begin your journey in Christ.
- **First Holy Communion—**Receive the True Presence of Jesus.
- **Confirmation—**Be strengthened by the Holy Spirit.

MEETING DETAILS:
- **When:** Every Monday Evening
- **Time:** 6:00 PM—7:30 PM
- **Where:** Gathering Space of the Church

THE ST. PATRICIA RELIGIOUS EDUCATION TEAM (708.598.1221)
Maciek "Mac" **Karaban, Director of Lifelong Faith Formation**

CHILDREN'S BIBLE STUDY




Save the Date for
Advent
BY CANDLELIGHT
May this Advent bring renewed faith and a heart ready to welcome Christmas.
Thursday, December 3rd, 2026
Hosted By:
St. Patricia's Women's Group
Musical Accompaniment By:
St. Laurence
High School Choir
ST. PATRICIA PARISH
More Details to Follow.


St. Patricia's Religious Education Program Presents:
A Very Special Christmas Tree
RAFFLE
Help Support Our Religious Education Program
3 for $5 or 7 for $10
Available 10-31 / 11-8-26
TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED AT THE RECTORY OR IN THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE
Ticket Sales Offered after all the masses 10-31 / 11-1 & 11-7 / 11-8

YOU'RE INVITED. . . to join the St. Patricia Queen of Hearts Event for a Parish Gathering at **PRIME TIME RESTAURANT'S "Private Room"** on **Wednesday, Oct. 28th**, which will begin at 4:30 pm and end at 6:30 pm. Join us and our fellow Parishioners**!!!**



COMMUNITY SERVICES:
Thanksgiving

Every year since 1977, we have asked for your assistance in helping our St. Patricia Parish and our Sharing Parish-St. Simon of Cyrene (*formerly St. Agatha*) to purchase gifts or gifts for people in need.

If you would like to purchase new gifts for our area's needy individuals or a needy family, please email Missy — **mkeegan@stpatriciaparish.com**, or call Missy at 1.708.598.5222, and a wish list will be emailed to you.

St. Simon of Cyrene, our Sharing Parish, will be accepting gift cards instead of gifts. However, we will need to assist the families in need. One of our volunteers will email or call you with a wish list for a Parishioner of St. Simon. We will have a signup sheet at next weekend's Masses of October 31st and November 1st in the Gathering Space of our Church. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call or email Missy Keegan.

THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR ALL YOUR ASSISTANCE TO OUR AREA'S NEEDY!

Deacon Charley **and** ***Missy Keegan***
St. Patricia Community Services—1.708.598.5222

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Deacon Charley **and** ***Missy Keegan***
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Weekly Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 24, 2026
4:00† Paul E. Segura - Friends of Thursday Evening
† Blanche Goodwin - Avanzo Family
† John C. Raffaelli - Friends of Thursday Evening
† Richard F. Berkowicz - Friends of Thursday Evening
† Rita Anne Carroll - Passarelli Family
Dixie Sherry (Birthday Blessings) - John and Ann Filipiak
† George Chmielarz - John and Ann Filipiak
† Michael Dolan - Martyn Family

Sunday, October 25, 2026
7:30† Ronald Tatka (Heavenly Birthday) - Sister
† Jack Carr - Sue and Dave Koschik
† Mary Reidenbach - Distel Family
† James E. McGovern - Margaret Ann Papie
† Raymond Hicks - Bob and Pat John
9:30† Walter and Lillian Zielnik - Zielnik Family
† Edward and Alice Cunat - Zielnik Family
† Howard R. Vanick - Suzanne
Stan & Christine Swiderski (25th Wedd. Anniv.)- Swiderski Family
† Edward Maci - Elaine
† Randall R. Brenza - Suzanne
† Paul E. Segura - Friends of Thursday Evening
† Angelo A. Martino - Blessings from Palos
† Kathryn M. Grencevicz - Suzanne
† Marlene M. Szymanski - Friends of Thursday Evening
† Victor Virgilio (2nd Anniv.) - Connie Virgilio, Sister-in-Law
11:30† Ethel Hughes - Lynn Hughes
† Alfredo Balde & Arnulfo & Aleli Aranjuez - Family

Monday, October 26, 2026
8:30† Stefania Malec - Mary Bafia
† Rafael Muñoz - Family

Tuesday, October 27, 2026
8:30† Heather Noonan - Noonan Family

Wednesday, October 28, 2026
8:30 People of St. Patricia Parish

Thursday, October 29, 2026
8:30 People of St. Patricia Parish

Friday, October 30, 2026
8:30† Josefina Ramirez - Jane Ramirez-Mendez

Saturday, October 31, 2026 - Halloween
4:00† Josefina Ramirez - Family
† Ann Stawoney - Len Stawoney
† Jack Carr - Holly and Hank Oszakiewski
Diane Moreno (Birthday Blessings) - Loving Husband, Rich
† Stefania Dufala - Edna Brannigan

Sunday, November 1, 2026—All Saints Day
7:30† Paul E. Segura - Friends of Thursday Evening
† Ronnie Kash - Jim and Kathy Kash
† Katie Rufner - Judi Canter
† Jack Carr - Rich and Mary Burke
† James E. McGovern - Margaret Ann Papie
† Michael Dolan - Hands Family
Altar Bread & Wine Remembrance Offering—60th Wedding Anniversary Thanksgiving & Blessings for JOHN and ANGELA MICHONSKI
9:30† Walter and Lillian Zielnik - Zielnik Family
† Richard and Frances Brenza - Zielnik Family
† Howard R. Vanick - Suzanne
† Stanley, Stanislawa & Jozef Bielanski - Pawlica Family
† Victor Virgilio (2nd Anniv.) - Mike Virgilio Family
† Randall R. Brenza - Suzanne
† Andrej and Maria Lega - Lega Family
† Grace Uraski - Sheila Uraski
† Donna Holas (9th Anniv.) - George
11:30† Kevin P. Smith - Uncle Bill
† Pawel Gawlak, Jozef Nowobilski, Maya Marquez, Anita Moraska, and Roman Morawski—Family
† Lost & Forgotten Souls in Purgatory - LuAnn Borvan
† Emeterio & Soledad Collado and Alejandro & Felotea Aranjuez - Family

BULLETIN announcements
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STEWARDSHIP
Managing God's Gifts To Us

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

October 18, 2026

$7,488.00 (Church, Mail & Other – Regular Sunday Collect.)
$2,371.15 (E-Giving)

$9,859.15

World Mission Sunday 2nd Collect. — $2,286.00

We encourage you to consider "electronic giving" if possible, to keep our donations coming. Please visit the Parish website www.stpatriciaparish.com to enroll in Online Sunday Collections. If not, then please mail or drop off your offertory envelope at the Parish office in the mail slot or in the basket at Mass.

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

Sunday:	Ex 22:20-26/Ps 18:2-3a, 3b-4, 47 and 51/1 Thes 1:5c-10/Mt 22: 34-40
Monday:	Eph 4:32-5:8/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 13:10-17
Tuesday:	Eph 5:21-33/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5/Lk 13:18-21
Wednesday:	Eph 2:19-22/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Lk 6:12-16
Thursday:	Eph 6:10-20/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Lk 13:31-35
Friday:	Phil 1:1-11/Ps 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 14:1-6
Saturday:	Phil 1:18b-26/Ps 42:2, 3, 5cdef/Lk 14:1, 7-11
Next Sunday:	Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a

Eternal Rest Grant Unto Them, O Lord:

K.C. George, Father of Geenu Kunnengode

Bob Sobczak, Brother of Mike Sobczak & Brother-in-Law of Michele Sobczak





COMMUNITY SERVICES: Thanksgiving

The Jewel Food Store in Hickory Hills is offering **Holiday Bucks**. Before you check out at Jewel, please inform your cashier that you are donating **Holiday Bucks**. **They must be purchased by November 16th**. Your donations will support St. Patricia's Community Services. We would like to thank Jewel Food Stores and our Community for your assistance with helping the area's needy. Your donation will provide a holiday meal for the needy. We will also continue this service for Christmas. Happy Thanksgiving to you and your family!

Deacon Charley* and *Missy Keegan
St. Patricia Community Services—1.708.598.5222

Help WANTED

PART-TIME MAINTENANCE WORKER

RESPONSIBILITIES: Looking for help to assist with the upkeep of grounds indoors and outdoors which involves moderate physical labor to accomplish the day-to-day maintenance.

QUALIFICATIONS: Some previous experience preferred. You will need to communicate effectively, be eager to learn, take the initiative, and be able to follow directions. College Students welcomed!

APPLY: Send an email with your resume to **Mrs. Siu Yu** to:

syu@stpatriciaparish.com

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., November 4TH

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 W. 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, November 10th

AA Meetings are held on Thursday in the Rectory Basement (Brody Rm located at 9050 So. 86th Ave., Hickory Hills, Illinois. Entrance is located at the north side of the Rectory. **Meeting begins @ 7pm.**

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