



# St. Patrick Parish

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Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
October 24, 2021



**WELCOME TO ST. PATRICK CHURCH! WE ARE SO GRATEFUL YOU JOINED US FOR MASS TODAY! IF YOU ARE NEW TO OUR PARISH, PLEASE CALL THE RECTORY SO WE CAN PROPERLY WELCOME YOU AND GET YOU REGISTERED WITH ST. PATRICK CHURCH.**

**Pastor:** Fr. Troy Schweiger

**Parochial Vicar:**

**Priest in Residence:** Fr. David Bourek

**Deacon:** Deacon Stephen Kuchar

**Principal:** Mrs. Kristine Placek

**Saturday Vigil:** 6:30 p.m.

**Sunday Mass:** 7:00, 8:30, 10:00 & 11:30 a.m.

**Weekday Mass:** 6:30 a.m. Mon-Fri .8:00 a.m.

Mon-Sat and 5:30 p.m. Thursday

**Holy Days:** Please check bulletin

**Confessions:** Saturday 4:00-5:00, 7:30-8:00 p.m.  
and by calling the rectory to schedule an appointment

**Baptisms:** Those expecting a baby should contact the rectory 1-4 months before the baby is born for baptismal instructions

**Weddings:** Engaged couples must contact a priest at least 4 months (preferably 6-8 months) before the tentative wedding date

**RCIA:** Classes are held on Mondays in Finigan Hall at 7 p.m.

**Religious Education Classes:** Grades K-8.  
Wednesdays 5:15-6:30 p.m. during school year

**New Parishioners:** Pick up a form at the rectory

**Altar Society:** First Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in Finigan Hall

**Legion of Mary:** Thursday afternoons at 4:00 p.m. in Finigan Hall  
Kathy Kastl 402-435-2242

**Home & School:** Tonia Wasser 402-416-0069

**Knights of Columbus:** First Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in Finigan Hall  
Grand Knight Jim Bunch 402-681-9344 or  
Kofc13576@gmail.com

**St. Vincent de Paul:** Second and fourth Wednesdays of the month at 6:00 p.m. in Finigan Hall

**FCSLA:** Second Sunday of the month at 11:00 a.m. , Youth Council after 11:30 Mass.

**God Teens:** Meet Wednesday nights 7:00 p.m., for more information call 402-466-2752

**Eucharistic Adoration Program:** Mary Doher, 402-499-8665



From the  
Pastor's Desk

Fr. Troy Schweiger

October 24, 2021

**A HUGE Thank you** to all our seasoned servers for guiding and assisting our new servers! Your help is sincerely appreciated as they become more comfortable at Mass!

**The St. Patrick Knights of Columbus** will be hosting a Veteran's Day Mass and program on Thursday, November 11. Mass will start at 5:30 p.m. followed by the program in the gym after Mass. Please join us in recognizing and remembering our brave men and women who gave all for our freedom!

**Pitch Tournament:** Come for some fun on Friday, November 12 at 7 p.m. in St Patrick's gym. Couples \$15, singles \$10. (Must be 18 or older to play) For more information call Mike at 402-570-9294.

**JOIN US for a presentation by Sarah Kroner, Director of the Women's Care Center in Lincoln, NE** on Sunday, Nov. 14 at 7:00 p.m. in St. Patrick's Finigan Hall, 6126 Morrill Ave. The Women's Care Center is the largest pregnancy center in the United States, serving women and saving babies in 12 States, including the Center in Lincoln (across the street from Planned Parenthood). Find out what services they provide in helping women, and the impact they have made in Lancaster County. **Open to the public - free of charge.** Sponsored by St. Patrick's Knights of Columbus.

**Mark your calendars for our STARS** (Sharing Time, Abilities, and Resources for Salvation) event on **November 19, 2021**. Our theme this year is "Investing in Bright Futures." As part of our service to the community in Northeast Lincoln, our school, St. Patrick Catholic School, educates and forms children for the future and prepares them to be positive, contributing citizens of our city. The area of town from which our students come is economically disadvantaged. One objective barometer of economic status is the number of students who participate in the federal Free and Reduced Lunch Program. Over 50% of our students qualify and participate. Our scholarship program called the "Shamrock Fund" provides scholarships to students that are economically disadvantaged. This school year our Shamrock Fund provided scholarships to 58 students totaling a little over \$51,000. The proceeds from STARS will help fund this very important scholarship program so that we can continue to educate all students who desire a Catholic education, regardless of financial resources. We invite you to help us make our goal of making a Catholic education possible for many of our students. One way you can support STARS is by attending the evening. Registration cards will be available soon. If that is not possible, you are welcome to make a donation at the rectory (or put in an envelope marked for STARS in the collection). Finally, you can help by donating an auction item. We are greatly in need of silent and live auction items. We are looking for new items valued between \$20 and \$100 for the silent auction. Or, pool your resources with other families and purchase a larger item for the live auction. Please fill out the donation form (found in the back of church) and return it to the rectory no later than November 8. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the rectory.

**A BIG Thank you** to all the acolytes, lectors, servers and ushers who step up to the plate and fill in when a substitute is needed or when we are short-handed! Your dedication to God and St. Patrick Church is greatly appreciated!

**National Child Resistant Testing:** We had a successful weekend of package testing. There were 81 participants which earned St. Patrick \$810.00. Thank you to all who assisted! The testing company commented that "everyone is always very welcoming at St. Patrick's."

Father Schweiger is on a well deserved vacation. However he doesn't take vacations like the rest of us! His time off is being spent doing woodworking, carpentry and building things; which he dearly loves. Right along side him is his mother, Mary Jo. Both Father Schweiger and Mary Jo will need a vacation after their vacation so they can rest up. ☺

Please pray for both of them to have a fun and safe time!



**YOUR GIFTS TO THE LORD OCTOBER 17, 2021**

**Adult Offering: \$ 7540.00**

**Loose Offering: \$ 552.34**

**Total: \$ 8092.34**

**Weekly collection needed to meet expenses \$10,500**

**Monthly Mortgage \$31,500**

**ST. PATRICK PRAYER LINE: TO HAVE US PRAY FOR YOU OR TO PRAY WITH US, CALL PAULA RYAN AT 402-440-6451.**

**Lost and found is located at the rectory. If you have lost any rings in the past 2 years, please come claim them.**

## Weekly Events Calendar

Mon., Oct. 25	6:30 a.m. Mass Mon - Fri 8:00 a.m. Mass Mon - Fri 6:30 p.m. Rosary
Tues., Oct. 26	9:30 a.m. Pray the Rosary at Planned Parenthood 10:00 a.m. Mass at Right to Life Center next to Women's Center 6:30 p.m. Rosary
Wed., Oct. 27	4:30-5:45 p.m. Wednesday at the Well 5:15-6:30 p.m. CCD class 6:30 p.m. Rosary
Thur., Oct. 28	5:30 a.m. That Man Is You 1:00-8:00 p.m. 40 Days for Life rosary at Planned Parenthood 4:00 p.m. Legion of Mary meeting 5:30 p.m. Mass 6:15 p.m. Lectio Divina after Mass 6:30 p.m. Rosary
Fri., Oct. 29	6:30 p.m. Rosary
Sat., Oct. 30	8:00 a.m. Saturday Mass 8:30 a.m. Church cleaning 6:30 p.m. Vigil Mass
Sun., Oct. 31	Last day of the Diaper Drive

**Altar Society:** All women of the parish are invited to attend our monthly meeting to join in fellowship, fun and to listen to some inspiring speakers. The meetings are held the first Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in the church social hall. The speaker for Nov. 2 will be Jim Bertrand who is the Shroud expert. He will give a presentation and display a replica of the Shroud of Turin. The speaker Dec. 7 will be Veronica Hotovy the director of St. Gianna's House. Mark your calendars so you don't miss these wonderful talks!

**Church/School snow Removal:** We are in need of volunteers for snow clearing. We need workers to clear the sidewalks around the church, school, gym and rectory; the parking lots are done by a snow removal crew. If you are interested please consider signing the snow crew roster with name, phone number and e-mail address, if you have one. Sign-up sheet is in the back of the church. Also you can contact me; Terry Ryan, 402-326-6871 (voice mail or text) or email: [Trranch1@hotmail.com](mailto:Trranch1@hotmail.com). I will deliver additional information to all interested volunteers in early November.

## School News

**Smart Cookie Celebration:** All St. Patrick School families and parishioners are invited to join us for a Smart Cookie Celebration in honor of our student achievement on the ITBS Standardized Tests. St. Patrick students scored in the Top 5 in five categories among all schools in the Lincoln Diocese. Your continued support and prayers are a significant reason for this success. We would love for you to join us! On Wednesday Nov. 17 at 8:00 a.m. Mass with Msgr. Perkinson (St. Patrick Alumni) and Fr. Schweiger. Cookie celebration to follow immediately in the St. Patrick Gymnasium. Please call the school at 402-466-3710 or email your RSVP to St. Patrick School Principal, Kristine Placek: [Kristine-Placek@cdolinc.net](mailto:Kristine-Placek@cdolinc.net)

**St. Patrick School is collecting new and gently used winter coats** to pass-on to school families. Winter coats size 4T - Adult L are needed. Donations may be brought to the church or school office. Thank you!

## Library Corner

Some time ago, Eileen Widhalm of our parish donated a book to our library titled *Your Sorrow Is My Sorrow* by Joyce Rupp. It is a truly beautiful and helpful book that offers not only very fine meditations on the Seven Sorrows of Mary but also helps us find comfort and healing as it relates those sorrows to our own lives. As the author says in the introduction, "Anyone who has ever received news that brought with it a prediction of future turmoil and pain, ... anyone who has ever made a decision to leave a situation that was harmful and destructive, ... anyone who has ever vigiled at the bedside of a dying one, ... anyone who has ever stood in a cemetery with tears clutching at their heart" has shared the sorrow that our Blessed Mother has suffered. This book intends to help us to understand and to heal. Eileen Widhalm recommends this book. She says, "This book is a reminder that all of our sorrows are also Mary's sorrows. She experienced fleeing in the middle of the night from her home, the loss of her son for three days, seeing him mocked, scourged and crucified, etc. She is our spiritual mother and is there to share our every day sorrows. She loves us and our children, even more than we love them. We need to turn to her and realize a shared sorrow lightens the burden."

This book and others meant to help us in difficult times can be found in our parish library.

## Other Opportunities

**DATE NIGHT** Make time for your vocation! The Family Life Office invites you to a date night out on October 26 6-9 p.m. at UNL Newman Center Rosary Hall with Fr. Sean Kilcawley. \$45 for dinner/drinks/apps for two, \$15 for drinks/apps, or come for free to the talk and go out to eat on your own (will also be streamed). More info/registration at <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/octoberdatenight>

**MOTHER/DAUGHTER PROGRAM** "Fearfully and Wonderfully Made" for girls age 9-13 and their mothers will be held **Sun., Nov. 21** from 1:00-4:00 p.m. at John XXIII Diocesan Center **and virtually**. This program is designed to educate girls on growing up and becoming a woman. Pre-registration is required. Cost is \$25 per mother/daughter or \$35 per family in person and \$10 virtually. To register, visit <https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/motherdaughter> Questions, please call Jen Davis at 402-261-6375 or email [jmdavis17@gmail.com](mailto:jmdavis17@gmail.com)

**Adoration Program** Below are the open time slots for St. Patrick's Eucharistic Adoration Program:

Sun: 1AM, 2AM, 3AM

Mon: 1AM, 7AM, 11AM, 11PM

Tues: Midnight, 1AM, 2AM, 3AM

Wed: 11PM

Thurs: 2AM, 3AM, 7AM, 1 PM

Fri: 11 PM, Midnight, 1AM, 2AM, 4AM

Sat: 1AM, 2AM, 5 AM, 5PM, 7PM, 8PM, 11PM

If you are interested in spending one hour a week with our Lord in Eucharistic Adoration, please contact Mary Doher at [medoher@hotmail.com](mailto:medoher@hotmail.com); Text or call 402-499-8665.

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK:**

**Monday, October 25, 2021**

6:30 a.m. +William Gleason

8:00 a.m. +Francis and Marjorie Froehler

**Tuesday, October 26, 2021**

6:30 a.m. Mark Riggs and Family

8:00 a.m. +Greg Swim

**Wednesday, October 27, 2021**

6:30 a.m. Travis Jones

8:00 a.m. Paula Ryan

**Thursday, October 28, 2021**

6:30 a.m. Philson Family L&D

8:00 a.m. +Kenny Buresh

5:30 p.m. Gary Riggs and Family

**Friday, October 29, 2021**

6:30 a.m. +Teresa Polk Helm

8:00 a.m. The United States

**Saturday, October 30, 2021**

8:00 a.m. +Stephen Lollmann

6:30 p.m. +Helen Benes

**Sunday, October 31, 2021**

7:00 a.m. +Richard Kempton

8:30 a.m. +Dell Orender

10:00 a.m. +Lloyd Wilsey

11:30 a.m. People of St. Patrick

**Families responsible for church cleaning** are listed below.

At least one member from each family should be present to assist after the 8:00 a.m. Saturday Mass; about 8:30 a.m. If someone from each family comes, it should take no more than one hour. *Children are welcome to join in and help. Can count for service hours.* Thank you!

**Saturday, October 30, 2021**

1. Marcus Hochstein
2. James and Mary Hoelscher
3. Eric and Lacey Hoffman
4. Gary and Keri Holstein
5. Scott and Laurie Horner
6. Charles and Diane Horstman
7. Mike and Jessica Hosek
8. Sam and Laura Howard
9. Jesse and Jill Hraban
10. Sue Hruby

**Saturday, November 6, 2021**

1. Bob and Teresa Hruska
2. Dan Hruska
3. Darin and Kathy Hurlbut
4. Jason Hurt
5. David Hutcheson
6. Nena Irland
7. Jay and Evelyn Jacobsen
8. Nathan and Michele Jakub
9. Steven and Amber Jara
10. Sherry Jason

The NAVEX hotline is an anonymous hotline to assist persons in making reports of misconduct in the Diocese of Lincoln. The hotline is not a substitute or alternative to calling law enforcement; it is intended to offer the maximum alternative to ensure any wrong in the Church is uncovered and reported. Nebraska law requires all suspicions of child abuse or neglect to be reported to law enforcement or DHHS.

NAVEX 1-844-527-0596

Child Abuse Hotline: 1-800-652-1999

Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator 402-613-2488

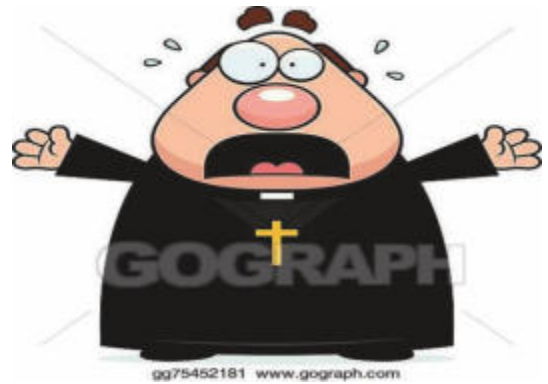
Diocesan Safe Environment Coordinator 402-314-2899

## Acolyte/Lector/Server/Usher Schedule

<b>30-Oct</b>	<b>6:30 p.m.</b>	<b>31-Oct</b>	<b>7:00 a.m.</b>
<b>Acolyte</b>	Tom McMahon	<b>Acolyte</b>	Don Buresh
<b>Lector</b>	John Mohr	<b>Lector</b>	Stan Fraas
<b>Server</b>	Jared Ramos	<b>Server</b>	Nevada Schweitzer
<b>Server</b>	Ricky Ramos	<b>Server</b>	
<b>Usher</b>	Harlan Leibel	<b>Usher</b>	Jim Wilkerson
<b>Usher</b>	Patrick Dority	<b>Usher</b>	Dan Tvrdy
<b>31-Oct</b>	<b>8:30 a.m.</b>	<b>31-Oct</b>	<b>10:00 a.m.</b>
<b>Acolyte</b>	Gary Taylor	<b>Acolyte</b>	Mike Hosek
<b>Lector</b>	Aaron Delahoyde	<b>Lector</b>	Thomas Clay
<b>Server</b>	Dominic Delahoyde	<b>Sever</b>	Liam Gonser
<b>Server</b>	Logan Barnard	<b>Server</b>	Luke Meysenburg
<b>Usher</b>	Jeff Blaser	<b>Usher</b>	Richard Hosek
<b>Usher</b>	Terry Ryan	<b>Usher</b>	Derek Tjepkes
<b>31-Oct</b>	<b>11:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Communion Calls</b>	
<b>Acolyte</b>	Chris Montgomery	<b>Scheduled At This Time</b>	
<b>Lector</b>	Steve Bieber	<u>After 8:30 a.m. Mass</u>	
<b>Server</b>	Sam Montgomery	Pyx 1:	
<b>Server</b>	Vincent Graham	Pyx 2:	
<b>Usher</b>	Ted Kastl	<u>After 10:00 a.m. Mass</u>	
<b>Usher</b>	Teddy Kastl	Pyx 3:	

*Below is Father Schweiger's before and after vacation pictures! 😊😊😊*

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**Please Pray for the Sisters discerning a vocation:** Please pray for Sr. Mary Elizabeth of the Trinity Novice of the Sisters of the Carmel of Jesus, Mary and Joseph. May God guide her in her journey.

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