



# ST. PATRICK

## CATHOLIC CHURCH

277 South Fourth Street, Memphis, Tennessee 38126  
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[www.stpatsmemphis.org](http://www.stpatsmemphis.org)

*Founded in 1866*

**Sunday Mass Schedule: 8:30am; 11:00am; 5:00pm**

### ***Celebrating the Sacraments***

***Reconciliation: Sundays 8:15 a.m.–8:30 a.m.; 10:45 a.m.–11:00 a.m.  
4:45 p.m.–5:00 p.m. or by appointment***

**To inquire about Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, Marriage, Anointing of the Sick,  
please call the Church Office at (901) 527-2542**



## ***Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time***

### ***July 9, 2017***

This Week: Page 279: Zechariah 9:9-10; Psalm 145; Romans 8:9, 11-13; Matthew 11:25-30

Next Week: Page 281: Isaiah 55:10-11; Psalm 65; Romans 8:18-23; Matthew 13:1-23

#### **MISSION STATEMENT**

*The Mission of St. Patrick's Catholic Community is to proclaim and live  
the Gospel message of unconditional love, healing and reconciliation  
through prayer, celebration and action on behalf of justice  
as a sign of hope for all God's people.*

# Welcome to St. Patrick, Father Dexter!



**“You are in the spirit, since the Spirit of God dwells in you.”**

Is the Holy Spirit leading you or someone you know to serve Christ and His Church as a priest or in the consecrated life? If you are discerning your vocation, call Father Patrick Gallagher at (901) 323-3817 or write: [VocationsDirector@vocations.cdom.org](mailto:VocationsDirector@vocations.cdom.org).



## Thank You for Being Here!

Thank you for choosing to worship with us today! If you are passing through town, we wish you a safe and happy visit. If you are interested in joining St. Patrick parish or just looking for more information, please let us know. Feel free to approach a parishioner, call the office at 527-2542, complete a registration form (at the back of the church) or visit us on line at [www.stpatsmemphis.org](http://www.stpatsmemphis.org).

## Word, Eucharist, Life

*Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*



*Matthew 11  
Zechariah 9  
Psalm 145  
Romans 8*

*Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth; you have revealed to little ones the mysteries of the kingdom.*

The One who comes in humble manner  
will bring peace  
across the entire world  
The One who comes is without violence  
in establishing peace  
This is the meekness  
of which Jesus speaks  
In his courage  
that faces death and suffering  
he reveals the true strength  
of his meek and humble ways  
It is up to us to discover  
a new meaning of being meek  
in the way to peace  
the way that faces opposition and evil  
yet turns from doing personal violence  
In a world of retribution and *gotcha*  
we follow the One  
who walked the path of nonviolence  
When we forsake our own self-importance  
we can know the revelation  
of the One who sends Jesus to us  
In the simplicity of bread and wine  
we bend our faith to the message  
and we are charged to remember  
that truly Jesus remains with us  
and desires to walk with us  
as we share the truth  
of his way of living



