



ST. PATRICK

CATHOLIC CHURCH

277 South Fourth Street, Memphis, Tennessee 38126
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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**



Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time November 5, 2017

This Week: Page 311: Malachi 1:14b-2:2b, 8-10; Psalm: 131; 2Thessalonians 2:7b-9, 13; Matthew 23:1-12
Next Week: Page 313: Wisdom 6:12-16; Psalm: 63; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; Matthew 25:1-13

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.*

Upcoming Mass Schedule

Sunday, November 5

All Masses
Fr. Tom Kirk



More Weekday Masses Coming Soon With Father Val!

Wednesday, November 8	5:15pm
Thursday, November 9	5:15pm
Friday, November 10	5:15pm
Tuesday, November 14	5:15pm
Wednesday, November 15	10:00am
Thursday, November 16	5:15pm



Sunday, November 12

After 11:00 Mass

Welcome Father Val
School Open House
Parish Pot Luck



Angel Tree
Coming
November 26

Word, Eucharist, Life

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time



Malachi 1
Psalm 131
1 Thessalonians 2
Matthew 23

*The greatest must be
servants of the rest.*

Jesus gives us his word

not a human word but the word of God

Paul declares that the word of God

is at work in the believer

and in the *community* of believers

The word alive in us

summons us to be a *servant church*

an image of Jesus God's true servant

As our teacher Jesus identifies

those who are false servants

serving themselves

while heaping burdens on others

What better service from us than

giving relief to the burdened among us

In celebrating the mysteries

of the altar we offer ourselves

with Jesus who carried

the burden of being human

in a sinful world

Our life of discipleship

learns from the Servant

of the Holy One

who lived and died

in service for the rest of us

As we journey through life

we observe others and meet others

who are the oppressed

who are the lonely and abandoned

who are impoverished

in many ways

Grace transforms our encounters

into service by our loving action

Then service by the church becomes

Christ serving the world in our day

Halloween Fun at St. Patrick School



The staff really got creative for their pumpkin decorating contest. The students were the judges and had a blast casting their ballots. The winners as chosen by the students are...

Best overall:
Mrs. Turgeon's
root beer float



Most creative:
Mrs. Slayton's
pumpkin spice latte



Funniest pumpkin:
Mrs. Tracy's
phone girl



Best use of recycled
materials:
Mr. Martin's
Oscar the Grouch



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This past week, St. Patrick School students also participated in Jump Rope for Heart and raised \$370 for the American Heart Association!

Ride Needed!



Ray Berthiaume, who lives at St. Peter Manor on Auburndale, needs a ride to St. Pat's on Sundays. If you can provide this service, please email him at Rayberth2@att.net or call 901-726-1975.

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TURKEYS! TURKEYS!

Thanksgiving is quickly approaching!

Thank you to all who have donated turkeys for our Outreach Thanksgiving Baskets! There is still time to participate! If you are able to donate one (or more) turkeys, please bring them to the Outreach Center between now and November 15th.



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Our Offertory Donations

October 29 Offering	\$2,377
All Saints Day Offering	\$ 201

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Please pray for the sick in our parish community, our friends and loved ones:

Joy Asbury, Mary Baldwin, Patricia Split, Jeanne Richardson, Jeanna Millington, Art Sutherland, Deacon Eugene Champion, Kat Bagley, Karen Silverstein. Mary

Ruben, Bernice Watkins, Robert Collins, Linda and James Owen, Lanny Merrill, Sharon Shea, Robert Faulkner, Fred Robinson, Richard Asbury, Sharon David, Thomas Born, Peggy

Cunningham, Blanche Forest, Lucinda Lee, Margaret Lynch, Kevin David

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Today's Psalm Response

***In you, Lord, I have found my peace.
(Psalm 131)***

Liturgical Ministers

November 5

8:30

Lectors: Oneata Windler Mike Stengel
EMHCs: Brenda Somes Judy Bettice
Sacristan: Andrea Nichols

11:00

Lectors: Debra Brittenum Chris Constantino
EMHCs: Phyllis Somerville
Sacristan:

5:00

Lectors: Angela Terry Eric Lomas
EMHCs: Chris Claude
Sacristan:
Flowers: Carol Duffy

November 12

8:30

Lectors: Odile Tshingamb Jan Kidder
EMHCs: Judy Bettice Jerry Bettice
Sacristan: Aletta Roebuck

11:00

Lectors: Joe Birch Natalie Nibert
EMHCs: Margaret Calicott Anne Stubblefield
Elena Murphy

Sacristan: Phyllis Somerville

5:00

Lectors: Linda Jackson Mac Mathis
EMHCs: Julie Cleary Dillon Ro O'Sullivan

Sacristan: Eric Tidquist

Flowers: Anne Stubblefield

ST. PATRICK'S STAFF

Rev. Val Handwerker – Parochial Administrator
Rev. Mr. Eugene Champion – Deacon
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ST. PATRICK'S CENTER STAFF

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Deacon Eugene Champion – Director
Anna Champion – Administrative Assistant
Anne Stubblefield – Volunteer Coordinator

ST. PATRICK'S JUBILEE SCHOOL

Susan Pittman – School Principal

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

Earl Randle – 8:30 a.m. Mass

Andrew Rourke – 11:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Masses

Angela Vandoli –Cantor

Julie Farrar – Cantor

Victoria Godwin - Cantor



Did you know that you can set up your offerings to St. Patrick Church through the Parish Giving option on our website? Your contributions will be automatically deducted from your checking or savings account or credit card and deposited directly to St. Patrick's bank account. It's a safe and easy way to make your donations. Just go to www.stpatsmemphis.org and click on Parish Giving. Enter Zip Code 38126 and press Search.

Mass Intentions

Sunday, November 3, 2017

8:30am St. Patrick Parish
11:00am: New York City Victims and Families
5:00pm Intention of the Celebrant

Weekday Mass

Wednesday, Nov 8 5:15pm
Thursday, Nov 9 5:15pm

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