

# ST. PATRICK PARISH

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## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday thru Friday 9:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.  
Closed Thursdays

## SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday Vigil.....5:00 p.m.  
Sunday.....9:30 a.m.  
Weekdays.....see schedule

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:30 p.m.—4:30 p.m.  
Also by appointment.

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Normally celebrated on Sunday and are encouraged at a Sunday Eucharist. Baptism preparation is required.

## SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Arrangements must be made one year in advance.  
Marriage preparation is required.

## SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

A family member must notify the parish office if a parishioner is hospitalized or confined to home.  
Eucharist is brought to the homebound on the third Sunday of each month.



**Seventh Sunday In Ordinary Time  
February 24, 2019**

**Masses For The Week**

**Saturday, February 23, Vigil: Seventh Sunday In Ordinary Time**

5:00 p.m.—For Our Living & Deceased Parishioners

**Sunday, February 24, Seventh Sunday In Ordinary Time**

9:30 a.m.—Madeline Stitt—Kinkela Family

**Monday, February 25, Weekday**

No Mass

**Tuesday, February 26, Weekday**

6:00 p.m.—Mary Harmon—Mike & Kathy Harmon

**Wednesday, February 27, Weekday**

9:00 a.m.—Don Campbell—Dan & Anne Harmon

**Thursday, February 28, Weekday**

9:00 a.m.—Thomas McCloskey—Alice & Dick Crisman

**Friday, March 1, Weekday**

9:00 a.m.—Victor DeBacco—Chris Henderson

**Saturday, March 2, Vigil: Eighth Sunday In Ordinary Time**

5:00 p.m.—For Our Living & Deceased Parishioners

**Sunday, March 3, Eighth Sunday In Ordinary Time**

9:30 a.m.—Stephen Sheakley—Donna & Family

**Melchizedek Project Vocations Discernment**

The Melchizedek Project days for young men in grades 9-12 will be held at Greensburg Central Catholic Junior-Senior High School from 6:30-8 p.m. on March 10, April 14 and May 12. Please contact [vocations@dioceseofgreensburg.org](mailto:vocations@dioceseofgreensburg.org) to register.

The Melchizedek Project evenings for young adult men (those who have completed high school) to discern a vocation to the priesthood will be held at 6:30 p.m. in the rectory at Holy Family Parish, Latrobe, March 17, March 24, April 7 and April 28. Please contact Father Daniel Mahoney at [dmahoney@dioceseofgreensburg.org](mailto:dmahoney@dioceseofgreensburg.org) to register.

**Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

*1 Corinthians 15:45-49*

**Adam and Adam**

Adam and Jesus would seem to have nothing in common. Adam was created by God. Jesus was the eternal, uncreated Word of God. Adam was given paradise to live in, but he disobeyed God. Jesus was given a sinful world to live in, but he obeyed the Father. Adam is remembered as the firstborn of sinful humanity. Jesus is remembered as the firstborn from the dead. They seem to have nothing in common.

But Paul sees parallels in a short passage from his first letter to the Corinthians. He even refers to Jesus as “the last Adam” and “the second man.” Paul writes, “The first man, Adam, became a living being, the last Adam a life-giving spirit. . . . The first man was from the earth, earthly; the second man, from heaven.”

Paul says that we Christians have inherited a little of each. Born human, we bear the image of the earthly Adam, the first one. But as Christians, we shall also bear the image of the heavenly Adam, the last one.

We are not simple creatures. We are inheriting a bit of divinity. It matters how we treat one another. We should not treat human beings as if they were disposable. There is something heavenly about us even if on some days we behave rather earthly.

Adam and Jesus have something in common. They gives us hope for eternal life, and they influence our daily lives.

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**Liturgical Ministers for March 2 & 3**

Mass Time	5:00 p.m.	9:30 a.m.
Lectors	Monica A.	Ginny H.
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Peggy W. Mary M. Janice B.	Mary Anne A. Helen B. Karen T.
Altar Servers	Katelyn G. Anthony G.	Joseph O. Stephen O.



### St. Patrick Parish Lenten Fish Dinners

Dinners start on Friday, March 8 and continue every Friday in Lent, except Good Friday from 4:00 -6:30 p.m. in the St. Patrick Parish Hall.

Fried or Baked Fish

French Fries, Baked Potato or

Macaroni & Cheese

Cole Slaw, Bread, Dessert & Drink

Adults: \$11.00, Children 3-12: \$5.50

Children 2 & under FREE

Take outs are available by calling 724-526-5180

### East Brady Community Center After School Program

Lent is just around the corner so we decided to jump start our community aid program by asking for donations during the next two weeks for the After School Program held at the Community Center in East Brady. Each child that attends receives a bowl of snack foods. Please support our parish in this venture.

**Week one, March 2 – March 8:** finger foods such as large bags of popcorn, large boxes of Gold Fish Crackers, large bags of small pretzels, large packages of small cookies, etc. Please no individually wrapped items.

**Week two, March 9 – March 15:** individual juice pouches or juice boxes or small bottles of water.

Donations can be placed under the altar rail as you enter the church for Mass.

### Purse Party

The Barb Henderson Memorial Purse Party will be held on Sunday, May 19, 2019 in the St. Patrick Parish Hall. Tickets for the Purse Party are available for sale. If you would like to purchase tickets, please see Mary Ann MacKrell, Debbie Maley, or Janice Bishop. Tickets will also be available for sale at the Fish Dinners. The cost per ticket is \$25.00.

### Women's Retreat

The Greensburg Religious Vocation Council will host a retreat for women ages 18-35, "Discerning the Call," March 15-17 at St. Emma Retreat House, Greensburg. The cost is \$30. Register at [asmelko@sesh.org](mailto:asmelko@sesh.org) or by calling 724-454-8524.

### Faith Formation

Faith Formation classes for pre-school through sixth grade will meet this Sunday in the parish hall from 10:30-11:45 a.m.

In the event that Faith Formation class must be cancelled due to inclement weather, the cancellation will be posted on WPXI (Channel 11 News) and on [wpxi.com](http://wpxi.com).

### Food Bank

Contributions to the East Brady Food Bank are always welcome. Please check to make sure that the items you are donating are not expired. The East Brady Food Bank will not accept expired items. A bin is located in the hall vestibule for donations.

### Town Hall Meeting

There will be a Town Hall Meeting in the parish hall on Tuesday, February 26 at 6:30 p.m. Everyone is encouraged and welcomed to attend.

### In Appreciation

Thank you to the parish for supporting the hoagie sale by purchasing hoagies and giving donations. Proceeds are used for donations to community families in need, meals for shut-ins, and more.

Sincerely,

The St. Paddy's Ladies Group

### Young at Heart

The Young at Heart meeting on February 20 was cancelled due to inclement weather. The meeting is rescheduled for Wednesday, February 27 at noon.

### Stewardship of Treasure February 16 & 17

	<u>Weekly</u>	<u>Year-To-Date</u>
Adult Offertory	\$2,551.75	\$103,972.60
Children Offertory	\$4.00	\$110.20
Loose	<u>\$97.00</u>	<u>\$5,150.06</u>
Total	\$2,652.75	\$109,232.86
Budget	<u>\$3,600.00</u>	<u>\$122,400.00</u>
Difference	<u>-\$947.25</u>	<u>-\$13,167.14</u>