

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.



**Eighth Sunday In Ordinary Time
March 3, 2019**

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Masses For The Week

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

Monday, March 4, St. Casimir

No Mass

Tuesday, March 5, Weekday

6:00 p.m.—Achille & Clelia Andreassi—Amy Andreassi

Wednesday, March 6, Ash Wednesday

9:00 a.m.—Barb Henderson—Chris Henderson

6:00 p.m.—Joe Stimac—Grace Pederzoli

Thursday, March 7, SS Perpetua & Felicity, Martyrs

9:00 a.m.—John DeBacco—Bob & Betty DeBacco

Friday, March 8, St. John of God, Religious

9:00 a.m.—Sandi Evankovich—Dave & Linda King

Saturday, March 9, Vigil: First Sunday of Lent

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

Sunday, March 10, First Sunday of Lent

9:30 a.m.—George Geibel & Jim Geibel—Mary Geibel & Family

Meeting

The St. Paddy's Ladies Group will meet in the parish hall on Tuesday, March 12 at 6:30 p.m.

In a troubled marriage? Retrouvaille can help.
Go to <http://www.retrouvailleofpittsburghinc.org>.

Liturgical Ministers for March 9 & 10

Mass Time	5:00 p.m.	9:30 a.m.
Lectors	Mackenzie W.	Scott A.
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Judy C. Art D. Mary Q.	Vicki S. Candace B. Silvio A.
Altar Servers	Eric Q. Karen T.	Silvio A. Kate S.

A Note from Rebecca Reck

As a requirement for one of my classes, ECH 413: Leadership in the Early Childhood Setting, I am planning and implementing an Advocacy Project for families and children with two other classmates. For our project, we are having a collection drive for SAFE (Stop Abuse For Everyone, Inc.) in Clarion County. SAFE offers free and confidential domestic violence services including: emergency shelter, options counseling, advocacy and accompaniment, community education, empowerment groups, and bridge housing program. They are in need of craft supplies for their prevention program. We are collecting the following items and would appreciate anyone's participation:

- *Colored card stock paper
- *Glue sticks
- *Markers
- *Crayons
- *Fun erasers
- *Stickers
- *Balloons
- *Kitchen twine or colored string
- *Bags of individually wrapped candies (like Lifesavers)

If you would rather make a monetary donation, please place donation in an envelope labeled "Clarion Collection Drive" and drop in the offertory basket at Mass. My group members and I will gladly go and purchase items needed for families with the money. A box will be located in the narthex of the church until Sunday, March 17 for donations. Thank you in advance for you generosity.



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



2019 Diocesan Lenten Appeal

DLA Goal: \$21,249.00

The 2019 Lenten Appeal will officially begin next week. On Friday, March 1st, letters and pledge cards were mailed to homes.

The diocese has reduced all DLA goals by 5% this year. Our goal has been reduced by \$1,118 from last year. As in past years, please remember any funds donated above our goal will be returned to our parish 100%. These funds will be used to replace the air conditioners in the main part of the hall.

Beginning in two weeks, an update will be placed in the narthex. Additional pledge cards will be available at that time.

If you have any questions, please contact the parish office.

East Brady Community Center After School Program

During Lent, donations will be accepted 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 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.

Sanctuary Candle



The Sanctuary Candle will burn from March 1—March 14 in memory of Stephen Sheakley, from Donna and family.

Basket Raffle

The St. Paddy's Ladies will have a basket raffle each week during the Lenten Fish Dinners. The baskets will have a different theme each week. The profits from the raffle will help to fund the meals prepared for the shut-ins of our parish. The cost of the tickets will be 1 for \$1, 3 for \$2, and 10 for \$5.



St. Patrick's Day Brunch

Students in the Faith Formation, Youth Ministry and Confirmation Preparation classes, along with their families, will host the annual St. Patrick's Day Brunch on Sunday, March 17, after the 9:30 a.m. Mass in the parish hall.

Please join us for food, fun, and fellowship.

High School Youth Ministry

**Grades 8-12 will meet
this Sunday, March 3, from
6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. in the parish hall.
Hope to see you there!**

Grade 7 Confirmation Preparation

Students in grade 7 will meet for their Confirmation Preparation Class/Youth Ministry this Sunday, March 3, from 6:00-7:30 p.m. in the parish hall.

Flowers



The flowers in the church this weekend were donated in memory of Stephen Sheakley, from Donna and family.

Purse Party

The Barb Henderson Memorial Purse Party will be held on Sunday, May 19, 2019 in the St. Patrick Parish Hall. Doors open at 11:00 a.m. Lunch and raffles begin at noon. 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 Lenten Fish Dinners. The cost per ticket is \$25.00.

Stewardship of Treasure February 23 & 24

	<u>Weekly</u>	<u>Year-To-Date</u>
Adult Offertory	\$3,060.75	\$107,033.35
Children Offertory	\$1.50	\$111.70
Loose	<u>\$208.00</u>	<u>\$5,358.06</u>
Total	\$3,270.25	\$112,503.11
Budget	<u>\$3,600.00</u>	<u>\$126,000.00</u>
Difference	<u>-\$329.75</u>	<u>-\$13,496.89</u>