

# ST. PATRICK PARISH

BRADY'S BEND, PENNSYLVANIA



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## BULLETIN DEADLINE

The deadline for items to be placed in the bulletin is Friday at 12 Noon.

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## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday 9:00am-2:00pm  
Friday 9:00 am—2:00 pm  
Closed Tuesdays, Wednesday,  
and Thursdays



## SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday Vigil.....5:00 pm  
Sunday.....9:30 am  
Weekdays.....see schedule

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays—4:15 pm to 4:45 pm  
Sundays—8:45 am to 9:15 am

## 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.

**Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord April 9, 2023**

## ST. PATRICK PARISH

### Masses For The Week

**Saturday, April 8: Vigil: Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord**

8:30pm—For the Living and Deceased Members of St. Patrick

**Sunday, April 9: Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord**

9:30am--For the Living and Deceased Members of St. Patrick

**Monday, April 10: Monday within the Octave of Easter**

6:00pm—Mike Evankovich—Karen and Christopher Henry

**Tuesday, April 11: Tuesday within the Octave of Easter**

9:00am—Ralph Steiner—St. Paddy's Ladies

**Wednesday, April 12: Wednesday within the Octave of Easter**

9:00am—Raymond C. and Mildred Henderson—Chris Henderson

**Thursday, April 13 : Thursday within the Octave of Easter**

9:00am—Richard Greenawalt—Dan and Anne Harmon

**Friday, April 14: Friday within the Octave of Easter**

9:00am—Months Mind

**Saturday, April 15: Vigil: Second Sunday of Easter**

5:00pm—Pauline and Clayton Boyle—The Boyle Family

**Sunday, April 16: Second Sunday of Easter**

9:30am—For the Living and Deceased Members of St. Patrick



### **THE EASTER PASHCAL CANDLE**

*Has been purchased by Jeanne & Bill Painter and Elaine & Jack Grazioli in honor of the Living and Deceased members of the Painter and Grazioli Families.*

### **First Eucharistic Congress — May 8th and 10th.**

Bishop Kulick asks that all clergy parish and diocesan staff members, including the faith formation, youth ministry and also some parishioners attend. Please register at [www.dioceseofgreensburg.org/eucharistic-revival](http://www.dioceseofgreensburg.org/eucharistic-revival) or submit your name to the parish office for the group registration for our parish.

### **Easter Sunday John 20:1-9**

How profound is our love for Jesus? Mary of Magdala, Peter and the beloved disciple loved Jesus deeply. The three of them were distressed when Jesus' body was buried. They felt that a part of them had been taken away from them permanently. This is how we feel when somebody we love deeply dies.

The next day Mary of Magdala went to the tomb only to find that Jesus' body was not there anymore. She told Peter and the beloved disciple about the missing body of Jesus. They went to see for themselves the empty tomb of Jesus.

What does this gospel episode signify to us? Does it tell us that we too should look and long for Jesus? It tells us that we too should have this ever present longing for Jesus. For the simple reason that the moment we long for the Lord we will find Him.

It is the sad truth that Jesus is alive and Jesus has risen yet many are not longing for Him. Why? Because many do not care to share Him and many do not care to live His teachings.

Let us be different from those who do not care to share Jesus. Let us humbly share the resurrected Christ through our words and through our way of life. So that through us many will be enlightened and be blessed by our Risen Savior.

Will we share the risen Christ or we will continue to keep Him within us?



*St. Paddy's Ladies Group*

### **Designer Purses & More Party**

**Sunday, May 21, 2023**

*Doors Open at Noon . Designer Purse Raffle at 1pm*

*St. Patrick's Church, 915 State Rte 68*

*East Brady PA 16028*

*Entry in the 14 Designer Purse Raffle,*

*2 Door Prizes and Food*

**\$30.00 Donation**

*Winners need not be present*

*Extra Raffles Available at Event, Chinese Auction, 50/50, small purse wristlets, and 2 mystery purses.*

Tickets available from Jan Bishop at 724-756-5015 or Donna Sheakley at 724-756-7133. Event will be virtual if unforeseen circumstances occur. All proceeds will support our "Works of Mercy Program" which assists families in need within our local community.



**The Sanctuary Candle will burn  
from April 7 through April 20  
In Loving Memory of Ann Andreassi  
From Monica and Family**

## Liturgical Ministers for April 15,16

Mass Time	Saturday	Sunday
<u>Lector</u>	Cindy I.	Kitty M.
<u>EMoC</u>	Dave C.	Vicki S.
<u>Cross Bearer</u> <u>Book Holder</u>	Peggy W.	Wyatt M. Joseph B.

### Stewardship of Treasure April 1, 2

Adult Offertory	\$ 3,647.75
Loose	\$95.10
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,742.85</b>

Easter Flowers—\$5.00

### Upcoming Events

April 11	St. Paddy's Ladies 1:00pm
April 8	Wine and Cheese Party following Easter Vigil Mass



### 2023 Diocesan Lenten Appeal

Diocesan Goal: ..... \$22,434

Parishioner pledges received to date:..... \$14,470.00  
Percentage of Diocesan Goal..... 65%  
Parishioner Participation:..... 28%

Our diocesan goal did not change from last year to this year. Because we did not make our goal last year, it is important that we reach it this year. If we do not, our parish will still be responsible for the difference.

**Please prayerfully consider your pledge.**



From the staff of St. Patrick  
Parish, we would like to  
wish everyone a

**BLESSED EASTER**



SUNSHINE CORNER

“Our culture says, ‘find yourself’,  
‘LOVE yourself!’ Jesus says, ‘LOSE your-  
self...then you will find yourself.’”

## Faith Formation News

**Faith Formation—For Preschool through Grade 5 classes will **not** meet this Sunday in observance of Easter.**

**6th & 7th Grade Confirmation Prep.** Will meet on Sunday evening, **April 16**, from 6-7:30pm in the hall.

**Youth Ministry (grades 8 through 12)** Will meet on Sunday evening, **April 16**, from 6-7:30pm in the hall.

**In the event** that Faith Formation class must be canceled due to inclement weather, the cancellation will be posted on WPXI (Channel 11 News) and on WPXI.com.



### Employment Opportunity

St. Patrick Parish is seeking a Director of Faith Formation for its elementary and high school faith formation programs.

This rewarding part time position will be open beginning in May, 2023. If interested in this position, please contact the Parish Office at 724-526-5079.

### Elements of the Mass: Episode 21: Bows in the Liturgy

**The liturgy is comprised** not only of words and music, it also includes gestures. These, too, are sacramental signs because they show in a visible way the hidden devotion of our hearts. A bow signifies reverence or honor to persons or the symbols that represent these persons.

**There are two types of bows** in the Roman Rite. A simple bow of the head is made during the naming of the Persons of the Blessed Trinity, at the name of Jesus, at the naming of the Blessed Virgin, the saint of the day and even the patron saint. A simple bow of the head is made by the communicant before the reception of Holy Communion.

**A profound bow, or a bow of the body** is made by the priest on several occasions during Mass: in the preparation of the Offerings, in Eucharistic Prayer I, and sometimes in reverence to the altar.

**A profound bow is made by the deacon**, when asks the priest's blessing before reading the Gospel.

**The profound bow is made by all the ministers** and the assembly during the Creed when we say the words that recall Christ's incarnation.

**We Catholics put into our bodies** what we believe. The profound reverence for God, for Christ, for the mysteries we celebrate is manifest in our bodies whenever we bow.