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.

Masses For The Week

Saturday, June 10: Vigil: The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

5:00pm—For Living and Deceased Members of St. Patrick

Sunday, June 11: The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

9:30am--Brian Trimbur—Family

Monday, June 12: Tenth week in Ordinary Time 6:00pm—Christine Ann Cangilla—Mary Ann and Vicki

Tuesday, June 13: Saint Anthony of Padua 9:00am—Rita Seybert—Cynthia and Jerry Cogley

Wednesday, June 14: Weekday 9:00am—Cathy Coe—Phyllis

Thursday, June 15: Weekday

9:00am—Connie Campbell—Joe and Elaine Curran

Friday, June 16: The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus 9:00am—Goldie Ion—Lillian and Tom King

Saturday, June 17: Vigil: Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00pm—For Living and Deceased Members of St. Patrick

Sunday, June 18: Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30am—For all Fathers

Summer Drive-Up Food Distribution

Groceries at no cost! Hosted by Karns City School District.
Join us for a drive up food distribution at Karns City High
School and pick out some local produce to take home. No ID
or preregistration required. To learn more call 412-460-3663
ext 655 or email awalsh@pittsbrughfoodbank.org

DATE	LOCATION	TIME
MONDAY, June 12		
	Karns City High School	4pm—6pm
TUESDAY, July 25	1446 Kittanning Pike	
	Karns City PA 16041	4pm—6pm
TUESDAY, August 8		

Upcoming Events		
June 13	St. Paddy's Ladies 1:00pm in the hall	
June 17	Adoration 2:30pm Benediction 4:30pm	

Corpus Christi Sunday John 6:51-58

The story is told about a non-practicing Catholic whose house was located across from the church. Every morning his wife would wake him up to accompany her to church to attend Holy Mass, but he would always refuse. Out of curiosity, one day he decided to go with his wife just to see what was going on during Holy Mass.

Upon going inside the church the Holy Mass had just begun and to his amazement he saw angels all over the altar, especially near the tabernacle. During consecration, instead of the Holy Host, he saw real flesh being raised up by the Priest for the faithful to adore. Thereafter the man became a faithful believer and a regular presence in the daily celebration of Holy Mass.

When Jesus said: "I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will love forever, and the bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world. "(John 6:51). The Jews did not believe Him. In fact they said, "How can this man give us His flesh to eat? (John 6:52) Indeed how can the Sacred Host that we receive during Holy Communion become the body of Jesus? It takes faith to believe the real presence of Jesus' body and blood during Holy Communion. Obviously, the Jews who were complaining about this brave declaration of Jesus, did not have faith.

How about us? Do we believe in this Bread of Life discourse of Jesus? Do we believe that it is Jesus' Body and Divinity that we are going to partake during Holy Communion? After receiving Jesus, do we kneel and deeply communicate with Him? Or do we just kneel because that's the gesture that we have to do and we do it just for the sake of doing it?

Many go to Holy Mass every Sunday, or some, everyday, but not everyone goes through the process of conversion. It is the simple truth that we don't always allow ourselves to be converted by the Body and Blood of Jesus.

We persist to dominate Jesus when refuse His call to walk away from our sinfulness. We continue to resist Jesus and continue to do things our way instead of letting Jesus show us the way. There can be a miracle in your life when you begin to believe.



SAVE THE DATE

VBS will be held from July 10 through July 13 from 6:00pm until 8:00pm

A donation list will be located in the Narthex for our snacks for our VBS this year. Also, there will be a sign-up sheet for help with classes and activities throughout the week. Please consider offering your time to help our Children with this faith growing experience. They are the future of this Parish.

Registration forms are included in last week's bulletin and they will also be available in the Narthex.

PLEASE CONSIDER VOLUNTEERING WE ONLY HAVE A FEW VOLUNTEERS AT THIS TIME (call

the office for clearance information if you do not have them)

Liturgical Ministers for June 17,18		
Mass Time	<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Sunday</u>
<u>Lector</u>	Chris H.	Kitty M.
<u>EMoC</u>	Janice B.	Scott A.
Cross Bearer Book Holder	Peggy W.	Karen T. Theresa M.



2023 Diocesan **Lenten Appeal**

Diocesan Goal: \$22,434

Parishioner pledges received to date: \$22,465.00 Percentage of Diocesan Goal100% Parishioner Participation:41%

Thank you to those who have pledged to the 2023 DLA!!

WE HAVE MET OUR GOAL!!!



Father's Day Candles

So sorry for the late notice, but we will once again this year be offering candles for purchase in honor of our

Fathers. Please call the Parish office (724-526-5079) anytime before Friday, June 16, and leave a message with your name and the name of your loved one that you would like to honor. There are also forms in the Narthex you may fill out and leave in the basket beside the forms. We will be taking your order until Friday June 16. You may just put the \$5.00 per candle in the collection basket the following week in a separate envelope with your name. You may also email me

sclark@dioceseofgreensburg.org



Sunshine Corner Make sure the things that hurt your heart work together to humble it —not harden it. —Morgan Richard Oliver

Employment Opportunity



St. Patrick Parish is seeking a Director of Faith Formation for it's 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.

Stewardship of Treasure May 27, 28

\$ 3,696.75 Adult Offertory Loose <u>\$ 62.00</u> Total \$3,758.75

Ascension \$6.00

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June 3,4

\$ 2,651.75 Adult Offertory Loose \$ 36.70 \$2,688.45 Total Ascension \$5.00 Media \$5.00

Elements of the Mass

Episode 30: The Liturgical Movement. In essence, the liturgical movement is the effort on the part of the Church to help the faithful participate better at Mass. This meant, initially, that the people would participate in the singing and in giving the responses. Over the course of time, the Church realized that it is important that the people be able to enter deeply into the mystery by understanding what's going on during Mass. This means especially that they consciously participate in the offering. The liturgical movement helped to foster this kind of participation. In the 1920s, a Benedictine monk, Virgil Michel, returned to America from his studies in Europe with some magnificent insights about the richness of the liturgy and the ability of the faithful to participate. One of the fundamental ideas he shared with the American Church was that prayer in the church must be connected with action in the world. With Dorothy Day, the founder of the Catholic Worker Movement, Virgil Michel showed Catholics how prayer and concern for the poor should be woven together. Pope Pius XII echoes this notion in Mediator Dei when he insists, "it is fitting that the mind believes what the lips sing, and that what the mind believes should be practice in public and private life." The liturgical movement is indeed a movement—but it is not fundamentally about changing the liturgy, rather the liturgy is intended to change us: to make us more aware, more receptive to the treasures of the Church's public prayer. "The Liturgical Movement, therefore, as the words indicate, is a movement—a movement towards the liturgy." It is the effort to bring the people themselves closer to the liturgy, to understand it more fully, to enter into it more deeply, and to participate and benefit from it more completely. The Liturgical Movement is the effort to help the people participate better in the Mass: fully, consciously, and actively.