St. Patrick Parish

BRADY'S BEND, PENNSYLVANIA



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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday 9 am to 1 pm



SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday Vigil	5:00 pm
Sunday	9:30 am
Weekdays	

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays	4:15 pm to 4:45 pm
Sunday	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 First Friday of each month.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Items for the bulletin must be submitted a week prior due to printing of the bulletin. (Thursday morning via office/Friday am via email.)

Masses For The Week

Saturday, June 28—Vigil: Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul

5:00 pm—Ronald E. Stitt—Bob & Janice Bishop

Sunday, June 29—Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul

9:30 am—Connie Campbell—Angela Galassi

Monday, June 30—Weekday No Mass

Tuesday, July 1—Weekday
8:30 am—Jeff Kusick & Rob Dolby 30th Heavenly
Anniversary—Peggy Wimer

Wednesday, July 2—Weekday

8:30 am—Wedding Anniversary Remembrance for Modesta & John DeGiammarino— Their Children

Thursday, July 3—St. Thomas, Apostle
8:30 am—Nancy Matijak Birthday Remembrance—
Joe & Elaine Curran

Friday, July 4—The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus 9:00 am—Sugarcreek Log Cabin Mass

Saturday, July 5—Weekday 8:30 am—Living and Deceased Members of St. Patrick

Saturday, July 5—Vigil: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 pm—Anna Galassi—St. Paddy's Ladies

Sunday, July 6—14th Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:30 am—Ronald E. Stitt—Lynn Anderson Leposki

From the Desk of the Administrator

As I mentioned last week, the month of June has been filled with a variety of liturgical observances that are of the highest rank of feast in the life of the Church, known as "Solemnities." This year, we are privileged to celebrate on a Sunday the Solemnity of the Apostles Saints Peter and Paul, who are known as the two great pillars of the faith. Peter who was given the authority of the keys, and Paul, the great teacher of the Gentiles, are honored together on this day for their respective roles in building up the early Church and for their ultimate witness of martyrdom.

According to tradition, this is the day on which the Holy Father blesses the new "pallia" which are taken from the tomb of Peter directly beneath the Altar of the Confession (the Papal altar) in St. Peter's Basilica and imposes them on the shoulders of the new Metropolitan Archbishops that have been appointed over the past year. The *pallium* is a small white garment made of wool with five black crosses and three pins worn around the neck over the chasuble during the celebration of Mass by the Metropolitans throughout the world as a sign of their jurisdiction over the other dioceses within their ecclesiastical Province.

This Friday, our nation celebrates Independence Day, in which we give thanks for the many gifts and blessings the Lord has bestowed upon us, and the freedom and protection that we can so often take for granted. We also acknowledge those ways in which we still need to grow and become less independent from God and how he desires us to live as a people united in a common mission and purpose to do our part in bringing about true justice and peace in a land that so desperately needs it.

As we enter once again into the Sundays of Ordinary Time during the heart of the summer, may all that we have celebrated throughout this past month be an opportunity to enter into the life of God, who is Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and the witness of his saints who live for ever to intercede for us on our pilgrimage through life, on our journey to heaven. To Jesus Christ, who was, who is, and who is to come, Lord of time and history, be endless praise, for ever and ever!

I am looking forward to being here at St. Patrick to celebrate Masses next weekend (July 5/6), and to meet as many of you as possible. Again, I am grateful to Fr. Alan for serving the day-to-day pastoral and spiritual needs of the parish, while I am tasked of taking care of the administrative duties.

Yours in Christ,

Father Dinga

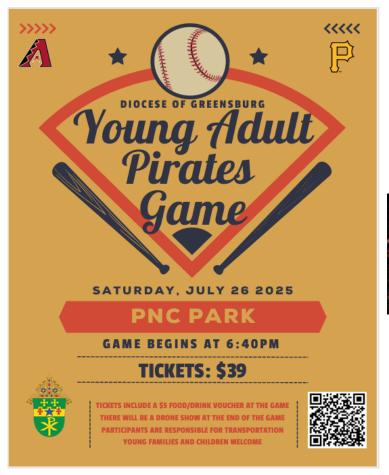


4th of July Mass will be held at The Sugarcreek Log Church on Friday, July 4 at 9:00 am

Liturgical Ministers for July 5 & 6			
Mass Time	Saturday	Sunday	
Lectors	Ann T.	Kitty M.	
EMoC	Judy C.	Bernie M. Scott A.	
Altar Server	Cheryl P.	CB—Peggy W. BH: Theresa M.	

Sympathy

Sympathy is extended to the family of John S. Olszak who passed away on Sunday, June 15, 2025. Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace.





The Staff of St. Patrick Parish wish you a happy and safe 4th of July

Stewardship of Treasure

<u>Ju</u>	ne 21 & June 22	Year To Date
Adult Offertory	\$2,079.75	\$151,854.50
Children Offertory	\$0.00	\$0.00
Loose	<u>\$271.00</u>	<u>\$15,709.52</u>
Total	\$2,350.75	\$167,564.02
Budget	\$3,600.00	\$183,600.00
Difference	-\$1,249.25	-16,035.98

Annual

Backpack, School Supply & Personal Hygiene Product Giveaway Tuesday, August 5th 6:00pm until 7:00pm in the hall.

Once again, the St. Paddy's Ladies are collecting hygiene products and school supplies to distribute to those in need. Most needed hygiene products are: *Individual* toothbrushes, body wash, soap, girl's deodorant, boy's deodorant, and shampoo for people of all ages.



Please place donations in the bin located in the church entrance by July 31.

Your donations are greatly appreciated.



Curran Thunder 2025

Thursday, July 3rd @ 10:00pm 151 Bradys Bend Cemetery Road East Brady, PA 16028

Food vendors at 6:00pm

Mamma Mia's Shaved Ice with Bugsy's Pizza
Boy Scout Troop 217
Vintage Café
Tammy Rice Foods LLC
Logos Soft Serve

Please tell all your friends and Family!!!