ST. PATRICK PARISH

BRADY'S BEND, PENNSYLVANIA





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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday, Wednesday,& Thursday
9:00 am to 1:00 pm

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
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

Monday, October 19 - Saints John de Brebeuf and Isaac Jogues
No Mass

Tuesday, October 20 - St. Paul of the Cross
9:00 am—Cathy Coe - Family

Wednesday, October 21 - Weekday
9:00 am—Phyllis Miller - Family

Thursday. October 22 - St. John Paul II
9:00 am—For the Health & Well Being of Helen Bartoe - Your Friends from the St. Paddy's Ladies

Friday, Octoer 23 - St. John of Capistrano
9:00 am—Living and Deceased Members of St. Patrick

Saturday, October 24 - St. Anthony Mary Claret
Vigil: Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:00 pm—Tammy Raab - Peggy Wimer

Sunday, October 25
Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:30 am—Thomas McCloskey - Love Bernie

FROM THE DESK OF THE ADMINISTRATOR

Each year the Church gives us this "World Mission Sunday" as an opportunity to grow in our awareness and responsibility of our shared call to mission. We are encouraged to respond to that call through prayer and generosity to the annual World Missions Appeal (our second collection this weekend). By virtue of our baptism, each of us has a part in the universal mission of the Church to share our zeal to people in every corner of the globe.

We are called to speak about our faith boldly and with conviction, to be passionate in spreading the Gospel message, and to support this evangelizing work. As Christians, we are reminded that we cannot keep the Lord to ourselves, as we recall with gratitude all those, who by their testimony of life, help us to renew our baptismal commitment to be generous and joyful messengers of the Good News.

. With this in mind, we are encouraged to give of ourselves as generously as possible, while always being mindful of the many ways in which we as the Church in this part of the world have been blessed, and let us continue to express our gratitude by offering our gifts in loving service to all who are in need. In a special way, we give thanks for all of the international priests who have served here at St. Patrick, and are currently serving in our diocese, whose dedicated ministry is truly a blessing to all of us.

If today (October 18) were not Sunday, we would observe the Feast of Saint Luke the Evangelist, patron of Healthcare Professionals. We pray in a particular way for all who serve in the healthcare capacity and we ask God's blessing upon doctors, nurses, and all those who labor to care for our medical needs.

This week on October 22, we honor Pope St. John Paul II, which was the day his ministry as Successor of St. Peter was inaugurated in 1978. His exceptional apostolic zeal, particularly for families and youth, and the sick, led him to make numerous pastoral visits throughout the world during his 26-year pontificate. He left as a heritage to the Church a rich Magisterium and promulgation of the Catechism, the revised Code of Canon Law and the third typical edition of the Roman Missal. He died on April 2, 2005 and was canonized on April 27, 2014.

As we look toward the celebration of All Saints and the commemoration of All Souls on November 1 & 2, we are mindful that throughout the month of November, the Church prays in a special way for all the faithful departed, and we will remember especially those from our parish who have died this past year. May the Lord grant them, and all of our deceased loved ones, eternal rest and peace and perpetual light shine upon them.

Yours in Christ,
Fr. Eric Dinga

Upcoming Events	
Tuesday, October 20 - November 10	**"Women of the Bible" Bible Study** - 6:00 pm in church hall.
Wednesday, October 21	**Young at Heart Meeting**— Lunch at noon in the hall.

Stewardship of Treasure

	October 10 & 11	YTD
Offertory	$2,182.25	$40,711.75
Loose	$350.00	$7,030.00
Total	**$2,532.25**	**$47,741.75**

ONE IN CHRIST, United in Mission

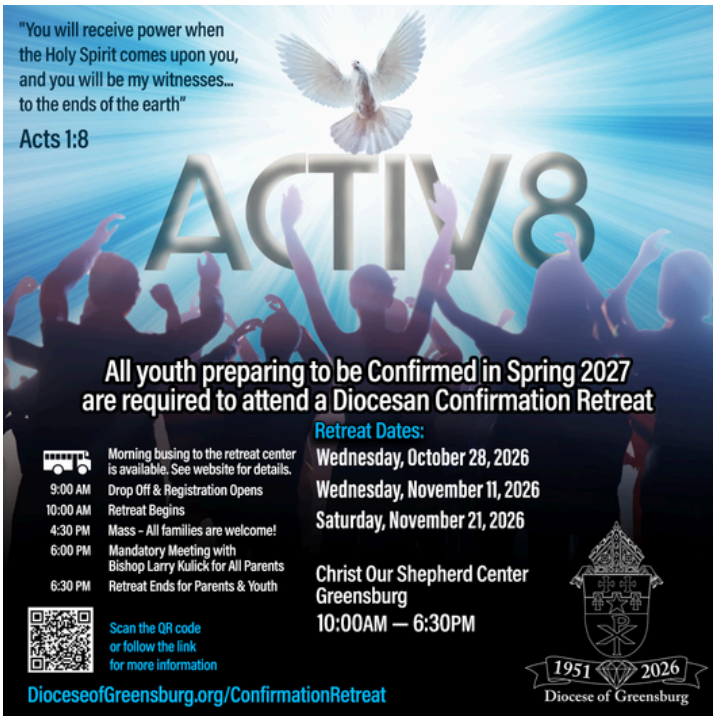
100 YEARS OF WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

World Mission Sunday
October 18th, 2026

GIVE BY TEXT "MISSIONS26" TO 53555

Votive Candle Reminder

Small Votives (4 hours)..... $.75
6-Day Candles $4.00



Liturgical Ministers for October 24 & 25

Mass Time	Saturday	Sunday
Lectors	Monica A.	Scott A.
EMHC	H - Jim L. C -Cheryl P. & Judy C.	H - Jolena M. & Jen M. C - Ann T. & Jill S.
Altar Server	Cheryl P.	CB—Joseph B. BH—Theresa M.



Thanksgiving Donations

NON-PERISHABLE DONATIONS FOR THE EAST BRADY FOOD PANTRY BEGIN THIS WEEK THROUGH NOVEMBER 22. PLEASE NOTE THE DATES AND ITEMS TO BE COLLECTED OVER THE NEXT SEVERAL WEEKS. ITEMS MAY BE PLACED IN BINS LOCATED IN THE ENTRANCE OF THE CHURCH.

OCTOBER 24 & 25: INSTANT MASHED POTATOES AND/ OR JARS OR PACKETS OF GRAVY

OCTOBER 31 & NOVEMBER 1: STUFFING &/OR NOODLES

NOVEMBER 7 & 8: CORN/BEANS &/OR CANNED SWEET POTATOES

NOVEMBER 14 & 15: CRANBERRY SAUCE AND/OR CANNED FRUIT

PLEASE DROP OFF ALL ITEMS BY NOVEMBER 21 & 22.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

FAITH FORMATION

Preschool—5th Grade: Join us for Faith Formation class on Sunday, October 18. The session will take place after Mass, from about 10:20 am until 11:45 am.