

# "Do not follow them" (Luke 21:8)

In times of chaos or uncertainty, there are always voices offering easier routes, promising false safety, claiming to speak for God. But Jesus isn't found in the loudest voice or the nearest shoreline. He is steady, like a lighthouse in the storm.

— Father John Muir

# **Saint Patrick Parish and Shrine**

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#### **MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS** Nov. 17-Nov. 23

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Daily Mass	
Monday, 7:35 am	. Repose of Barbara Sutton
	. Repose Janice Marx
	. Repose of Rev. James Quill
Wednesday, 7:35 am	. Repose of David Zerhusen
	. The Dandrow Family in Thanksgiving
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	. Repose of Terry Maloney
Sunday Masses	, , ,
	. Repose of Mike Willenborg
	. Repose of James Lee McGraw
	. Repose of deceased members of the
	. Wilson and Diekmann Families
Sunday, 11:00 am	
	. Families of the Parish

### **SPIRITUAL DIRECTION**

Father Jeff has a five session inner heart work (homemade video clips) to help people start the inner work of grace. He will link you up and follow up. Also as part of the inner work, he encourages the inner strength work which Chris Bradburn coaches along. The two prong approach is very helpful. Learning self awareness in order to know God's call: Find your strengths by contacting Chris Bradburn at

mcbradburn@aol.com or Monica Lonnemann at lonnemannm@stpat.church

### **SICK AND HOMEBOUND**

Anyone in our parish in need of the sacraments at home, in the hospital, at a nursing home please contact Paul Washnock so we can serve them.

#### **SACRAMENTS**

**Baptism** Register on parish website. Prep classes are the 1st Saturday, 10:00-11:00am. Contact the parish office for Baptism date.

**Eucharist, Confirmation, Sacrament of the Sick** Contact the office.

**Reconciliation/Confession** Every Saturday 12-1pm in church cry room or by appointment, contact Fr. Jeff. Holy Orders Contact Fr. Conor Kunath 859-392-1566. Marriage Contact office 6 or more months in advance with 3 possible dates.

Confirm mass before scheduling reception.

## THINKING ABOUT BECOMING CATHOLIC? OCIA (ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION)

Classes available for becoming Catholic or just wanting to strengthen your faith. Classes are held at 9:45am on Sunday at the Mercy Risen Center, the building across the street from church with the blue cross. Call church office/secretary or contact Melinda Zickefoose at zickefoosem@stpat.church with interest.

### **PARISH MINISTRIES**

#### **GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP**

Come and be comforted; Sessions explore mourning through scripture, prayer, reflection, faith sharing. 9:00 am

2nd Saturday of the month in the Mercy Risen Center

#### **LADIES ALTAR SOCIETY**

We are the hands of Mary, taking care of the needs of the altar, vestments, linens, candles.

7:00 pm

4th Tuesday of the month in the Parish Hall

#### LITURGICAL MINISTRY

Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Ushers and Servers needed

Choose specific time frames or request a sub at: www.rotundasoftware.com/no-dl/ministry/knock?enroll=1 or call the office. (18 years or older must be Virtus trained.)

#### **PARISH NURSE MINISTRY**

**Blood Pressure Screening** 

First weekend of each month in church by elevators

#### **SAINT BRIGID PANTRY**

Donations to charitable institutions

Bring your items during mass times. Place donations on metal shelves by elevator door on church level.

#### PROJECT RACHEL

Ministry for anyone who has experienced an abortion Confidential phone line, 859-392-1547 God's greatest desire is to forgive.

#### PADRE'S PATCH

Communal organic garden on church grounds
Interested, Email: Shelley: Shelleyab202@gmail.com

#### **MEN'S GROUP**

5:00 pm

1st & 3rd Wed. of the month in the Mercy Risen Center

#### **COFFEE AND DONUTS**

after 11:00 am Mass *Usually* 2nd Sunday of the month

#### **CLIFTON STRENGTHS ASSESSMENT**

"Come and See" a method of discerning your God-given talents

Contact Chris Bradburn at mcbradburn@aol.com or Monica Lonnemann at lonnemannm@stpat.church

#### YOUNG ADULT GROUP

7:45 pm

**Wednesdays in the Mercy Risen Center** 

#### PRAY FOR ELDERLY & HOMEBOUND

careprayerministry@gmail or 859-801-0311

### **PARISH NEWS**

# GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP "Surviving the Holidays."

Special programs are being offered in November and December regarding "Surviving the Holidays." The time for this will be the same (9:00 am, 2nd Saturday of the month) and place (Mercy Risen Center) You do not need to be a St Patrick's parish member to attend.

# ALL NOVEMBER SAINT BRIGID'S PANTRY SUPPORTING BRIGHTON CENTER

**OUR MISSION** is to create opportunities for individuals and families to reach self-sufficiency through family support services, education, employment, and leadership.

**OUR VISION** is to be an innovative leader that strengthens the vitality of the community and engages people as they work and live to achieve their hopes and dreams.



### **Food Pantry Needs:**

- · Cereal & Breakfast Items
- Pancake Mix & Syrup
- · Soup & Crackers
- Pasta
- Pasta Sauce
- · Macaroni & Cheese
- Peanut Butter
- · Canned Meat
- · Canned Fruit
- Canned Vegetables
- Boxed Potatoes
- Personal Care Items



# SCRIPTURAL ROSARY BEFORE WEDNESDAY EVENING MASS

Join us as we together pray the scriptural rosary every Wednesday at 6:30 pm, prior to 7:00 pm mass. "The prayers of the parish community are the spiritual battery to support the parish, the school, our parishioners and our shepherds who guide us."

#### **EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEEDED**

We are in need of eucharistic ministers. If you feel the call to be a part of this ministry please reach out to Paul Washnock, our Acolyte.

You can also call the office or contact the website shown under Liturgical Ministry in left hand column.

#### **HELP LOVED ONES RETURN!**

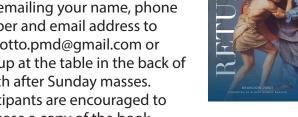
Increasing conversions and reversions of young adults to our Catholic faith are being reported across the US and the world! Let's be a part of this growing movement!

Come join us in an action-oriented workshop guided by the book, Return, by Brandon Vogt. It will be held at Bishop Howard Memorial Hall at 1125 Madison Avenue (Covington) from 6:30pm to 8pm on the following dates.

The six workshop sessions will run from 6:30 to 8pm

Monday, November 17th, and Thursday, December 4th.

Registration is free. Register by...emailing your name, phone number and email address to gerryotto.pmd@gmail.com or sign-up at the table in the back of church after Sunday masses. Participants are encouraged to purchase a copy of the book.



Feel free to attend as many sessions as you are able.

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### DISCOVER HOPE AND RENEWAL THROUGH THE BEATITUDES

# **Young Parents Bible Study:**

**Eight Promises of God** 

Young Parents Bible Study: Eight Promises of God Discover Hope and Renewal Through the Beatitudes Are you a young parent looking to deepen your faith and connect with other families? Join us for an 8-week journey through the Beatitudes as we explore God's unwavering promises to His people.

What We'll Study:

Eight Promises of God: Discovering Hope Through the Beatitudes by Fr. Mark-Mary Ames, CFR.

Through prayerful reflection, real-life stories, and the wisdom of the Church, we'll discover how Christ's blessings are not abstract ideals but alive, present, and deeply relevant—especially in our moments of greatest need.

When: First and third Thursdays,

November 6 through March 5 (8 sessions total)

Time: 7:00-9:00 PM Where: Mary Risen Center

Cost: \$18 (paperback) or Free (ebook) Book available at: ascensionpress.com

This study is perfect for parents seeking to grow in faith while building community with others navigating the joys and challenges of raising families.

Come discover how the Beatitudes offer us not just a call to sacrifice, but personal promises of goodness from our loving Father. For more information, please contact Zach Salyers at 859-496-6700.



**Our Adoration Chapel** is OPEN 24 HOURS

Come sit awhile with me.

Welcome to St Patrick Parish and Shrine We Are So Happy You Are Here. If You would like to become a member Go To: **Stpat.church** Scroll Down Page To: Recome A Member





# SHOW SOME SUPPORT FOR ST. PATRICK'S SCHOOL

# When:

Tuesday, November 18th

# From:

5 PM - 8 PM

# Where:

Independence LaRosa's 2047 Harris Pike Independence, KY 41051



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### **GIVING TREE WITH WISH LIST ITEMS.**

The majority of our collection will be gifts for youth distributed by The Franciscan Daughters of Mary/Rose Garden Mission. These gifts do not need to be wrapped. We will also collect for the small number of residents at Regency Manor in Independence. Those gifts should be wrapped for distribution on Christmas Eve. We will also have families as they come to St. Patrick for assistance. Those items will be handled separately from those hanging on the tree. If you would like to help by adopting a family or a member of a family please reach out to Allyson at fullerallyson@yahoo.com or 859-801-8648. If you would like to help with these efforts in another way, please also feel free to reach out. We are looking forward to another year of generosity and support. Thank you in advance.



## IN MEMORY OF A LOVED ONE; CHRISTMAS FLOWER DONATIONS.

The Altar Society, once again is offering the "Christmas flower in memory of a loved one donation".

You can participate in the following ways:

- •If you receive budget envelopes; use the one marked *Christmas Flowers* from your budget envelopes, fill out the name of your family member(s) you wish to remember or write your family name in that space.
- •Or you can use your own envelope and place your contribution (any amount) in along with your loved ones name. Mark Altar Society Christmas Flower on the envelope and drop in collection basket. For your name to be listed in the bulletin the deadline is December 14th. Questions, please call Mary Ann at 859-356-6498 or Bobbie at 859 356 6313. Thank you for your continued support and a Blessed Christmas Season is wished to all.



# DO YOU HAVE A LOVED ONE IN A CARE FACILITY THIS CHRISTMAS SEASON? A beautiful gift of music is awaiting them.

Joe Ising and Joyful Noise would like to ask the parish: "If you have a loved one in a care facility and would like me to contact the facility so we can perform a Christmas concert, please contact me."

Joe Ising 859-616-4463 OR email: peddler78@aol.com

Please call the office to add someone to the prayer list. If someone on the list has improved, call so we can remove them and THANK THE LORD.

Pray For: Sharon Finke, Killian Hamilton, Cynthia, Bob Kemper, Randy Smith, Joan Jasper, The Carneal Family, Mary Anne Memering, Steve Donohoue, Angie Hoskinds, Margaret Lawason, Larry Zickefoose, May, Joe N., Marek Maciaga family & friends, Miriam Andrews, Andres, Neomi, Jamie, Cul, Marlene Wells, Robert Benoit, Tesauro family, Elaine Feder, Brenda Liddy, Elzbieta Skrzyndki, Daranee Teathong, Tony, Donald Wieh, Joanne Cianciulli, Anubhab Mallick, John Altez, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Croy, Joanne Cianciulli, Jan Ising, Mark Baxter, Julie Christen, Jim Wilshere, Lucyna, Xuan Liu, Linda McCarthy, Ben Reinersman, John Fer Monopolio • Mary Abraham, Eric Thomas, Margarita Cortes, Anthony Smith, Steve White, Carol Williams, Gerry Gospodarek, Darlene McGrath, V L Patrick family, Kendall Howard, My family, husband and I Repose of: Michael Thompson, Bill Ziegelmeyer, George Meiman, Diana Grace, Alice Lowry

Because of HPPA regulations we can no longer get names of parishioners who are in the hospital. Please call the office to let us know if your loved one is in the hospital, nursing home or hospice care so we can visit.

### **STEWARDSHIP & OFFERTORY GIVINGS** 11-10-25

Regular Offertory (envelope)	\$5719.00
Regular Offertory (online)	\$3067.11
Building Fund (envelope)	\$450.00
Building Fund (online)	\$284.26
Our Lady of Knock Foundation	\$.00

The OLK Foundation is donations to the parish capital campaign which will be used primarily for the expansion of the primary school.

**GIVE ONLINE, Text 859-340-8356** 

# BISHOP IFFERT CALLS UPON PARISHES FOR A 2ND COLLECTION Weekend of November 22 and 23

Per a request from USCCB President Archbishop
Timothy Broglio, Bishop John Iffert has instructed
parishes of the Diocese of Covington to conduct a
second collection to provide humanitarian relief and
pastoral support to our brothers and sisters in need in
Gaza. These funds will be used to support the
activities of the Catholic Near East Welfare Association
(CNEWA) and Catholic Relief Services (CRS) in
partnership with the local Church to meet the most
urgent humanitarian needs facing the people in
Gaza.

### KINDERGARTEN INFORMATIONAL MEETING

On November 20th at 6:00 PM we will have an informational meeting for anyone interested in finding out about the Kindergarten program here at St. Patrick. You will hear from the teacher about the program, find out about uniforms and be able to ask questions. All who attend will be entered in a raffle for a student hoodie. Please let me know if you are unable to attend but want more information. Please share with other people you know who may be interested. Sincerely,

# Pamela Nunnelley

### **CCD NEWS**



Congratulations to our 2nd Grade for making their First Reconciliation on Nov 15!

Nov 16 - Regular Class

Nov 23 - Regular Class

Nov 30 - No Class Thanksgiving Break

We are still in need of substitute teachers. If interested, please email CCD@stpat.church

Follow us on Facebook – St. Patrick TM CCD

#### **CCD HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP**

Youth Group meets from 9:45am-10:45am on Sundays. We invite our High Schoolers to learn and grow in your faith while meeting new people. The group meets in the house behind Father's house. All high school students are welcome and it's free!

**Nov 16** - No Meeting -Youth are welcome to volunteer in CCD classes.

Nov 23 - HS Group Meets

Nov 30 - No Meeting Thanksgiving Break

**Dec 7** - HS Group Meets

Follow us on FB: St. Patrick Church High School Youth Ministry

#### **HOLY CROSS DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL**

Contact for a tour or to schedule a day for your child to shadow a student.

859-431-1335 www.hchscov.

# DINE TO DONATE AND SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL

The next *Dine to Donate* fundraiser for St. Patrick's School will be at **LaRosa's in Independence** on *Tuesday, Nov. 18 from 5:00pm-8:00pm*, dine in and carry out.

Please present the flyer in this bulletin at time of pick up or dine in check out to support our school!



## GIVE CATHOLIC NKY -GIVING INITIATIVE, TUESDAY DEC. 2ND

This exciting initiative is open to all parishes and

schools-www.givecatholicnky.org. Give Catholic NKY is an annual one-day online giving event for the Diocese of Covington that takes place on Giving Tuesday, December 2nd. This is not a Diocesan fundraiser but rather allows your parish to raise funds for your most urgent cause! Check your most recent messenger for more information.



### **DIOCESE NEWS**



# NOVEMBER IS NATIONAL ADOPTION MONTH

In celebration of National Adoption Month - DCCH Center for Children & Families is hosting an OPEN HOUSE

on Wednesday, November 19th, 2025. Anyone interested in learning more about adopting, fostering, mentoring, or volunteering please attend.

Starting 6:30pm - 8:30pm at 75 Orphanage Rd, Ft. Mitchell, KY. Call 859-331-2040 or www.dcchcenter.org for more details.

# FREE SUPPORT GROUP-Parents of Addicted Loved Ones, (PAL)

We meet 2nd and 4th Wednesday from 6:30-8:00pm at Catholic Charities, 3629 Church St. Latonia, KY. We provide continuing education and support, no charge, to parents with a child or spouse suffering from addiction of alcohol or drugs.

More information, 859-581-8974

# SUPPORT GROUP FOR SEPARATED AND DIVORCED BEGINS JAN. 22, 2026

New Beginnings is an 8-week program that provides the opportunity to heal and move forward despite a complicated situation. Led by facilitators who have been through their own personal losses, this program invites participants to move toward their own new beginnings. Registration is required. To register, visit https://covdio.org/new-beginnings-2/ or call (859) 392-1529. The next session will be held on consecutive Thursdays, January 22 – March 12, 2026, 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm at Catholic Charities (3629 Church St., Covington, KY

# RETIREMENT FUND FOR THE RELIGIOUS CAMPAIGN, COLLECTION ON DECEMBER 21

# CHECK YOUR WEEKLY MESSENGER FOR MORE DIOCESE EVENTS

All registered families receive the Messenger, the Diocese paper, when they register with our parish. If you aren't receiving the Messenger and are registered with our parish, please contact the Messenger directly to start your subscription.

# SHARE LOVE THIS CHRISTMAS WITH ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NORTHERN KENTUCKY

As we prepare our hearts for the coming of Christ, St. Vincent de Paul Northern Kentucky invites our community to share His love by bringing warmth, joy, and hope to our neighbors in need.

#### **SVdP 25th Annual Winter Coat Drive**

Many in Northern Kentucky will face the cold without proper winter clothing. New or gently used coats (adult sizes XL–XXXL especially) and winter accessories may be shared through January 31 at any SVdP NKY thrift store or participating donation site.

## Vincent's Angels

Vincent's Angels allows parents and caregivers to personally choose Christmas gifts for their children. Toys are still needed, and parishes, schools, workplaces, and families are encouraged to collect presents so every child can experience the joy of Christmas morning. Donations can be delivered at any SVdP NKY thrift store.

### Adopt-a-Family

To enter more personally into the spirit of giving, consider sponsoring a local family through our Adopt-a-Family program. Sponsors receive a wish list, purchase gifts, and drop off wrapped presents at our Erlanger facility to help a family feel seen and loved this Christmas.

Volunteers are also needed to help with coat sorting, toy distribution, and Christmas preparations. A few hours of your time can be a gift of Christ's light to someone in need. To register for these programs or learn more about volunteering, please visit www.svdpnky.org/holiday-giving.

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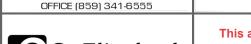
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