



*“Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life,
and I will raise him on the last day.”*

John 6:54

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)

June 3, 2018

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PASTOR'S PAGE



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

We were very glad for the visit of Father McLaughlin to Saint Patrick and Saint Joseph. Last weekend he celebrated his Anniversary as a Priest of Jesus Christ. In 1971, Father McLaughlin was ordained in Saint Joseph's Church. Our prayers go with you as you celebrate 47 years! Also, thank you for sharing with us the work of Cross Catholic Outreach and the many collaborators that help the poorest of the poor. We are grateful for your dedication and time to preach the Good News of Christ and bring an awareness to those in most need.

The International Pilgrimage Statue of Our Lady of Fatima visited both churches last week on May 23 & 24. I have been able to hear a few stories of experiences of those who visited her at either church. May the graces of her visit fill each of us. May we continue to entrust ourselves to the Blessed Mother who leads us and brings us to Jesus Christ, her Son.

Both church communities have reached over 70% of their goals towards the Catholic Charity Appeal. Thank you so much for your contributions! If you would like to make a last minute donation, please find envelopes available at the entrances of either church. If you have any questions, please contact either rectory. Thank you all for your prayers and financial support towards our Diocesan family. May the generosity of our God continue to inspire us in generosity to those around us, especially the poor.

This weekend we celebrate the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, more commonly known as *Corpus Christi*. The Eucharist is the source and summit of our faith. We are truly in the presence of God through His Son Jesus Christ who is the Lamb of God, Prince of Peace, Son of the Living God, the Second Person of the Holy Trinity. May the Food from Heaven strengthen us and remind us of the sacrifice that was made for our salvation, namely Christ crucified.

Even though our Mass times will be consolidating to reflect the reality of two church communities sharing one priest, we gather around the altar to remind us that we are members of One Body, proclaiming One Faith and following One Lord. Let us renew our commitment to Christ amid change and adjustment. Bishop Tobin reminded us in his "Without a Doubt" column that change is coming to our community and diocese.

"Change is the law of life. And those who look only to the past or present are certain to miss the future." (John F. Kennedy)

"This quote from President Kennedy seems appropriate as we think about all the changes taking place in the Diocese of Providence these days. And although change has always been a part of the Church, it's clear that we've now entered a time of more rapid change for parishes, priests, and people" (RI Catholic, Thursday, April 19).

Every community will continue to experience change this year and in the years to come. Our community will be affected with the new Mass time schedule on the weekends beginning July 7 & 8. As the Lord reminded His disciples time and again, "Do not be afraid". Thank you for your patience and understanding as we pray for one another and work together in growing in faith, hope and charity. Sincerely in Christ, Father Scott

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- SAT Jude 1:17, 20b-25; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6; Mk 11:27-33
- SUN Ex 24:3-8; Ps 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18; Heb 9:11-15; Mk 14:12-16, 22-26
- MON 2 Pt 1:2-7; Ps 91:1-2, 14-15b, 15c-16; Mk 12:1-12
- TUE 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18; Ps 90:2, 3-4, 10, 14 and 16; Mk 12:13-17
- WED 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Ps 123:1b-2ab, 2cdef; Mk 12:18-27
- THU 2 Tm 2:8-15; Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and 14; Mk 12:28-34
- FRI Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9; Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6; Eph 3:8-12, 14-19; Jn 19:31-37
- SAT 2 Tm 4:1-8; Ps 71:8-9, 14-15ab, 16-17, 22; Lk 2:41-51
- SUN Gn 3:9-15; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; 2 Cor 4:13—5:1; Mk 3:20-35

Time/Talent/Treasure – The miracle of the feeding of the five thousand is Jesus' powerful reminder that when we share our gifts in His name there is always more than enough!

5 FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS - Inspired by Our Lady of Fatima, 5 First Saturday Devotions (8-10 am) will be held at Saint Joseph & Saint Patrick beginning the First Saturday of June—to include Mass, Adoration, Confession, recitation of the Holy Rosary, meditation and Benediction. The First Saturday location will follow the First Friday Mass Schedule:

- Saturday, July 7 @ Saint Joseph
- Saturday, August 4 @ Saint Patrick
- Saturday, September 1 @ Saint Joseph
- Saturday, October 6 @ Saint Patrick

Mother of Life Center Rose Sale - Thank you to all those who participated in our bi-annual Rose Sale during Mother's Day weekend. We appreciate the many hands used for labor, those manning tables after Masses, and everyone who purchased roses and offered encouragement and support. With your charitable hearts, you have blessed Mother of Life Center and the young mothers, fathers and babies it serves.

Our mission to protect the lives of our pre-born brothers and sisters continues because of your generosity. Daily, in our chapel, we pray for you--members of the Mother of Life family. Thank you for making a difference and sharing in this ministry.

MASS SCHEDULE--ST. JOSEPH & ST. PATRICK

SUMMER 2018	
<i>Saturday, 4 pm</i>	<i>St. Patrick</i>
<i>Sunday, 8 am & 10 am</i>	<i>St. Joseph</i>
FALL, WINTER 2018 AND SPRING 2019	
<i>Saturday, 4 pm</i>	<i>St. Patrick</i>
<i>Saturday, 5:30 pm</i>	<i>St. Joseph</i>
<i>Sunday, 8 am</i>	<i>St. Joseph</i>
<i>Sunday, 10 am</i>	<i>St. Patrick</i>

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH



Parish Mission

Statement: As a Christian Faith Community, we the People of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church of Pascoag, RI, acknowledge God's Blessings and strive

to live out the Great Commandments to "love God with all our mind, heart, body, and soul" and "to love our neighbor as ourselves". Through the sacraments and with the Holy Spirit as our guide, we seek to witness to and celebrate the Kingdom of God among us; through service, healing and reconciling love.

Mass Intentions

- Jun 02** *Sts. Marcellinus & Peter, Martyrs*
Sat 8:00 **First Saturday** – St. Patrick's Church
Sat 5:30 **In Memory of Weston & Sandra Wicklund**
 (Birthday Remembrances)
 by their Family
- Jun 03** *The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ*
Sun 8:00 **In Memory of Rev. Daniel C. Holland**
 by St. Joseph's Parish Community
- 11:00** **In Memory of Russell Latondress**
 (10th Anniversary)
 by his Wife & Family
- Jun 04** **For Living & Deceased Parishioners of**
Mon 8:00 **St. Joseph's Church**
- Jun 06** *St. Norbert, Bishop*
Wed 8:00 **Special Intention for Rebeckah Philbin**
 by Memere Angell
- Jun 09** *The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary*
Sat 5:30 **In Memory of Bernadette Farrell**
 (2nd Anniversary)
 by Barbara Lataille
- Jun 10** *10th Sunday in Ordinary Time*
Sun 8:00 **For Living & Deceased Parishioners of**
 St. Joseph's Church
- 11:00** **In Memory of Bernadette (Birthday**
 Remembrance) & Irving Farrell, Jr.
 by their Family

The Sanctuary/Tabernacle Lamp will burn this week in memory of Deceased Parishioners of St. Joseph Church.

FINANCIAL UPDATE – 05/27/2018

Regular Collection	\$2,906.00
Electronic Giving	\$80.00
Total Weekly Offering.....	\$2,986.00
Fuel	\$65.00
HVAC	\$80.00
Monthly	\$40.00
Mother's Day	\$10.00
Ascension	\$53.00
Father's Day	\$117.00
Parish Outreach (Jacob's Gift; 05/20/18*)	\$27.00
Candles (05/20/18*).....	\$96.00

*5/27/18 to be reported next week.

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS

June 3 (this week)	Monthly Collection
June 10	Cath. Comm. Campaign
June 17 or prior	Father's Day
July 1	Monthly Parish Collection

Each week, our parish requires a **minimum of \$3,850.00** to meet our budgeted expenses. If you miss Mass for any reason, we kindly ask you to make up your missed budget envelopes. **Thank you for your generosity.**

Mini-Splits Update

Total Cost:	\$49,590.22
To-Date Donations**:	\$42,836.22
Balance Remaining:	\$6,754.00

**Donations to help defray the cost of the mini-splits are still being accepted. If you choose to make a donation, please specify on the envelope that your gift is for HVAC since those funds are "restricted" and therefore not subject to the Diocesan assessment.

2018 Catholic Charity Appeal – Consistent with the Diocesan Parish Donor Report for the week ending 05/18/18, we have raised **\$13,386.65 or 79.68% of our \$16,800.00 goal.** Thank you for your generosity! As many of you know, the Diocese does administer an "over goal" distribution program once all gifts and pledges have been redeemed. The first \$5,000 over the goal is returned to the parish. Anything raised over goal beyond \$5,000 is split 50/50 between the parish and the CCA.

50 Club Week #18 Winner:

Ticket #: 59

Name: Lisa Brissette



[St Joseph's 50 Club – Please see page 5.](#)



Parish Mission Statement: St. Patrick Parish is a Roman Catholic Faith Community guided by the Spirit of God, the scriptures and the traditions of the Church. Our mission is to share the Good News of Christ through the celebration of the liturgy, the

sacraments, prayer and unconditional service to all humankind.

Mass Intentions

Jun 02 *Sts. Marcellinus & Peter, Martyrs*
Sat 8:00 **First Saturday** – St. Patrick’s Church
Sat 4:00 For Deceased Parishioners of St. Patrick Church

Jun 03 *The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ*
Sun 9:30 In Memory of John J. Egan
 (Birthday Remembrance)
 by Jeanne Egan & John

Jun 05 *St. Boniface, Bishop & Martyr*
Tue 8:00 For Living & Deceased Members of the
 Rosary & Altar Society

Jun 07 In Memory of Mrs. Fadora Aubin
Thu 8:00 by her Family

Jun 09 *The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary*
Sat 4:00 In Memory of Billy Keable
 (Birthday Remembrance)
 by his Mom, Dad & Family

The Sanctuary/Tabernacle Lamp will burn this week in memory of Deceased Parishioners of St. Patrick Church.

2018 Catholic Charity Appeal

“Works of love directed to one’s neighbor are the most perfect manifestation of the interior grace of the Spirit.” – Evangelii Gaudium, Pope Francis

Thank you to those who have generously contributed to the 2018 Catholic Charity Appeal. To date our Parish has raised \$14,240.89. This represents 83.77% toward our targeted goal of \$17,000.00. If you have not made a gift to this year’s Appeal, *it is not too late!* Please make checks payable to the Catholic Charity Appeal, or you may donate online by visiting www.providencediocese.org.

Regular Collection\$1,867.00
 Mail Ins\$134.00
 Electronic Giving\$50.00
 Total Weekly Offering.....\$2,051.00
 Bldg. & Maintenance\$37.00
 Ascension\$15.00
 Father’s Day\$25.00

<i>UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS</i>	
June 10	Cath. Communication Campaign
June 17	Bldg. & Maintenance Fund
June 17 or prior	Father’s Day

Each week our Parish requires a **minimum of \$2,820.00** to meet its expenses. If you miss Mass for any reason, we kindly ask that you make up your missed budget envelopes. **Thank you for your generosity.**

Mini-Splits Update

Total Cost:\$27,285.00
 To-Date Donations** :\$23,473.00
 Balance Remaining:\$3,812.00

**Donations to help defray the cost of the mini-splits are still being accepted. If you choose to make a donation, please specify on the envelope that your gift is for HVAC.

St. Patrick’s Summer Yard Sale is scheduled for June 16th - Cleaning your closets to make way for spring? Please consider putting some gently used (or unused) items aside for our upcoming parish yard sale. Items can be dropped off at St.



Patrick’s rectory Monday-Friday, between 8 am and 12 noon. **Please DO NOT leave any items on the porch of the rectory. We cannot accept computers, mattresses, box springs, cribs, car seats, or TV’s.**

DEADLINE FOR DONATIONS: JUNE 8, 2018. Please come and support St. Patrick’s Yard Sale to make this a successful parish fundraiser!

SAVE THE DATES:

ST. PATRICK PARISH	
Yard Sale	Sat, June 16, 2018
ST. JOSEPH PARISH	
50 Club Dinner	Sat, June 16, 2018
Yard Sale	Fall 2018

St. Joseph's 50 Club –You may call the rectory (401-568-2411) Monday-Thursday, 9 am – 5 pm, to purchase tickets. *Why not reserve a table for 8?*

Guest tickets are \$20 each.

Paid-to-date ticket holders are eligible for the weekly drawings, which will continue through mid-June. *If your ticket is not yet paid in full, and you wish to make a payment, please place your cash or check in an envelope clearly marked "St. Joseph 50 Club" and place it in any collection. Please include your name and ticket number on your check or on a separate piece of paper, if you are using cash. You may also mail your payment to the rectory (183 Sayles Ave., PO Box 188, Pascoag, RI 02859).*

The dinner is scheduled for Saturday, June 16, 2018, at the Village Haven and will feature 7 cash prizes; cocktails at 6:30 pm; dinner at 7:00 pm. **Thank you for supporting this major parish fundraiser.**

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Worldwide Marriage Encounter - "And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age." Is God present in your marriage? Bring Him in more fully by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are Jun 9-10, 2018 in Medway, MA and Sep 15-16, 2018 in Medway, MA. For more information, call Stephen & Michelle O'Leary at 800-710-9963 or visit them at <https://wwmema.org/>.

Faith, Family, and Civilization: How the Christian Family Can Renew Culture - Portsmouth Institute 2018 Summer Conference, June 15-17, 2018, Portsmouth Abbey, Portsmouth, Rhode Island. Group rates available. Register at <https://portsmouthinstitute.org>.



Please note the date and location change for this month's Glorify

Sunday, June 24

7:30 - 9 p.m.

St. Philip Parish

622 Putnam Pike, Greenville

With a special blessing for Steubenville East participants

Music Ministry: Spirit Alive

The Office of Catholic Youth Ministry is pleased to announce the theme for Diocesan Youth Day 09/08/18, "Enflamed."

DYD packages are in the mail!

If you are a youth minister, director of religious education, or parish priest and have not yet received an invitation letter and poster, please contact the Office of Catholic Youth Ministry.

Diocesan Youth Day will be held on **Saturday, September 8.**


La Salette Retreat and Conference Center – June 15-17, 2018. Weekend Deacons' Wives Retreat; Who are you Mrs. Deacon? With Fr. Flavio Gillio, m.s. & Karen Boucher. Retreatants will examine and reflect on the identity and role of a Deacon's wife. Jesus asks: "Who do you say that I am?" Who are you? Husbands and wives are joined in the Sacred Bond of Matrimony. The husband is called by God to ordination...and the wife? What is her role and model? Come, reflect, and pray over these question. Friday, 7 pm – Sunday, 2 pm.

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