



PENTECOST SUNDAY

May 20, 2018

"Today too, as at her origins, the Church...cries out: "Veni, Sancte Spiritus! Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful, and kindle in them the fire of your love!" Amen."

Pope Francis

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PASTOR'S PAGE



Brothers and Sisters, Let us pray:

Prayer to the Holy Spirit

Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of Thy faithful and enkindle in them the fire of Your love.

Send forth Your Spirit and they shall be created.

And You shalt renew the face of the earth.

Let us pray.

O God, Who did instruct the hearts of the faithful by the light of the Holy Spirit, grant us in the same Spirit to be truly wise, and ever to rejoice in His consolation. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

May the Person of the Holy Spirit, the Third Person of the Holy Trinity, fill our hearts and minds in a new way as we celebrate Pentecost Sunday! He is the Lord and giver of life. May we trust in His guidance and movement as He guides us on our journey of faith.

"The Spirit *manifests* the risen Lord to them (Christ's faithful), recalls his word to them and opens their minds to the understanding of his Death and Resurrection. He *makes present* the mystery of Christ, supremely in the Eucharist, in order to reconcile them, to *bring them into communion* with God, that they may "bear much fruit." (*Catechism of the Catholic Church, 737*)

Thank you all for your donations that supported the mission of the *Mother of Life Center* in Providence at the Rose Sale last weekend!

This week, Wednesday, May 23 & Thursday, May 24, Saint Joseph and Saint Patrick will be hosting the *International Pilgrimage Statue of Our Lady of Fatima!* There will be a procession, Mass and prayers in the morning beginning at 8 am. Please see the bulletin for further details of her visit!

In honor of Our Lady of Fatima, and to make reparation for the sins against her Immaculate Heart, the *Five First Saturdays* will start on Saturday, June 2nd. For Five First Saturdays of those months, we will gather in church for Mass, Adoration, praying of the Rosary and Benediction. Confessions will be offered. The morning begins at 8 am and concludes around 10 am. Please consider joining us for prayer.

Next weekend, we welcome *Father McLaughlin* who will be celebrating Masses at both locations and preaching on behalf of *Cross Catholic Outreach*. Thank you for your kindness and hospitality towards Father McLaughlin as he returns to his home parish of Saint Joseph.

May the Lord continue to bless us. May our Blessed Mother intercede for us. May the Angels and Saints encourage us to grow in holiness.

Peace in the Holy Spirit,
Father Scott

Time/Talent/Treasure – One miracle of Pentecost was that, despite their diversity, each listener heard God's word in his or her own language. The meaning for stewardship is that, by sharing the gifts poured out on us by the Holy Spirit, we will be empowered to meet the needs of our brothers and sisters, whatever they may be.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- SAT Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7; Jn 21:20-25
- SUN Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34;
1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13
- MON Gn 3:9-15, 20
- TUE Jas 4:1-10; Ps 55:7-8, 9-10a, 10b-11a, 23;
Mk 9:30-37
- WED Jas 4:13-17; Ps 49:2-3, 6-7, 8-10, 11; Mk 9:38-40
- THU Jas 5:1-6; Ps 49:14-15ab, 15cd-16, 17-18, 19-20;
Mk 9:41-50
- FRI Jas 5:9-12; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8-9, 11-12; Mk 10:1-12
- SAT Jas 5:13-20; Ps 141:1-2, 3 and 8; Mk 10:13-16
- SUN Dt 4:32-34, 39-40; Ps 33:4-5, 6, 9, 18-19, 20, 22;
Rom 8:14-17; Mt 28:16-20

FIVE FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS - Inspired by Our Lady of Fatima, Five First Saturday Devotions will be held at Saint Joseph & Saint Patrick beginning the First Saturday of June. The devotion consists of Mass, Adoration, Confession, recitation of the Holy Rosary, meditation and Benediction. The day begins at 8 am and will conclude around 10 am. The First Saturday location will follow the First Friday Mass Schedule:

- Saturday, June 2 @ Saint Patrick
- Saturday, July 7 @ Saint Joseph
- Saturday, August 4 @ Saint Patrick
- Saturday, September 1 @ Saint Joseph
- Saturday, October 6 @ Saint Patrick

OUR LADY OF FATIMA STATUE VISIT - The International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima will be visiting both church locations May 23 & 24. Morning procession and Mass will begin at 8 am on each day. Following Mass a presentation, Exposition, Rosary with other prayers and Benediction will follow. The church that the statue will be in will be open all day for veneration and prayer.

- Wednesday, May 23 at Saint Joseph, 8 am - 9 pm
- Thursday, May 24 at Saint Patrick, 8 am - 5 pm

Legion of Mary - Our Blessed Mother needs your help. Please consider joining our Legion of Mary meetings. **Our meetings are held on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 pm in St. Joseph Church Hall.** If you have any questions, you may contact Father Scott at 401-568-2411 or Alice at 401-722-6388.

SAVE THE DATES:

<u><i>ST. PATRICK PARISH</i></u>	
<u><i>Yard Sale</i></u>	<u><i>Sat, June 16, 2018</i></u>
<u><i>ST. JOSEPH PARISH</i></u>	
<u><i>50 Club Dinner</i></u>	<u><i>Sat, June 16, 2018</i></u>
<u><i>Yard Sale</i></u>	<u><i>Fall 2018</i></u>

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

- May 19 In Memory of Deceased Mothers of the Walker
Sat 5:30 & Cosetta Families (Mother's Day Remem.)
by Linda, Paul & Bethany

- May 20 ***Pentecost Sunday***
Sun 8:00 In Memory of Flora & Steve Pichie
by Bill & Family

- 11:00 In Memory of Paul E. Cagnon
(7th Anniversary)
by his Family

- May 21 ***St. Christopher Magallanes, Priest, and***
Mon 8:00 ***Companions, Martyrs***
In Memory of Arakel & Maude Danielian
by their Family

- May 23 In Memory of Richard A. Jenks
Wed 8:00 by Jim & Jean Hoppe

- May 26 ***St. Philip Neri, Priest***
Sat 5:30 In Memory of Arthur Houle, Sr.
(Birthday Remembrance)
by his Wife & Family

- May 27 ***The Most Holy Trinity***
Sun 8:00 Mass of Thanksgiving
by Rev. Farrell McLaughlin

- 11:00 In Memory of Bill Mageau
(8th Anniversary)
by his Wife Pat



The **Sanctuary/Tabernacle Lamp** will burn this week in loving memory of **Paul E. Cagnon** (7th Anniversary), by his Family.

FINANCIAL UPDATE – 05/13/2018

Regular Collection	\$2,618.50
Electronic Giving	\$160.00
Mail Ins	\$568.00
Total Weekly Offering.....	\$3,346.50
Parish Outreach (Jacob's Gift; 5/6 & 5/13)	\$59.00
Candles 05/06 & 05/13	\$64.00
Fuel.....	\$569.00
HVAC.....	\$20.00
Monthly.....	\$225.00
Mother's Day.....	\$60.00
Ascension	\$202.00
Father's Day	\$5.00
Steubenville Donation.....	\$20.00
Rose Sale (Mother of Life Center).....	\$330.00

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS

June 3	Monthly Parish Collection
June 10	Catholic Communication Campaign
June 17 or prior	Father's Day

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**:	\$42,736.22
Balance Remaining:	\$6,854.00

****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.**

50 Club Week #16 Winner:

Ticket #: 122

Name: Barbara Orlando



ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

FINANCIAL UPDATE – 05/13/2018



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

- May 19 In Memory of Rolande Gagne
Sat 4:00 (1st Anniversary)
by her Family
- May 20 ***Pentecost Sunday***
Sun 9:30 In Memory of Deceased Members of
St. Patrick Parish
- May 22 ***St. Rita of Cascia, Religious***
Tue 8:00 In Memory of Norma Johnson
(4th Anniversary)
by her Husband
- May 24 In Memory of William Coutu
Thu 8:00 by the Family
- May 26 ***St. Philip Neri, Priest***
Sat 4:00 In Memory of Judy Worcester Flynn
by her Husband & Family
- May 27 ***The Most Holy Trinity***
Sun 9:30 In Memory of Theresa L. Corrente
(4th Anniversary)
by her Family



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

Regular Collection	\$1,921.00
Mail Ins.....	\$603.00
Electronic Giving	\$130.00
Total Weekly Offering.....	\$2,654.00
Bldg. & Maintenance.....	\$37.00
Food Pantry.....	\$750.00
Mother's Day	\$97.00
Ascension	\$372.00

<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.** Please come and support St. Patrick's Yard Sale to make this a successful parish fundraiser!

2018 Catholic Charity Appeal

Thank you to those who have generously contributed to the 2018 Catholic Charity Appeal. To date our Parish has raised \$13,017.00. This represents 76.5% of our targeted goal of \$17,000.00. If you have not made a gift to this year's Appeal, ***it is not too late!*** 97% of your donation goes directly to program services and ministries for food, shelter, home heating assistance, Catholic education, health care and counseling.

Please make checks payable to the Catholic Charity Appeal, or you may donate online by visiting www.providencediocese.org.

Spiritual Adoption of Unborn Children – In response to the call to “adopt an unborn baby” back in March, ninety (90) fetuses were spiritually adopted. Thank you to all participants who answered the call to pray to the Blessed Mother each day for a 9-month period on behalf of unborn babies.



Cross Catholic Outreach – Rev. Farrell E. “Mac” McLaughlin, whose home parish is St. Joseph’s in Pascoag, will visit St. Joseph and St. Patrick parishes on **May 26 & 27** on behalf of Cross Catholic Outreach.

He will deliver an uplifting and informative homily about the abject poverty being endured by the least of our brothers and sisters in countries served by Cross Catholic Outreach and distribute informational brochures. Please extend a warm welcome to Fr. McLaughlin.

St. Joseph’s 50 Club –You may call the rectory (401-568-2411) Monday-Thursday, 9 am – 5 pm, to purchase tickets.

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. **Thank you for supporting this major parish fundraiser.**

AROUND THE DIOCESE & ELSEWHERE



Don't miss **Mother of Hope Camp's** OPEN HOUSE & FAMILY FUN DAY from 1-4 pm on Sunday, May 20th!

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