



Church of St. Patrick

Staten Island, New York

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Founded 1862

*You Are Invited To Celebrate Your Faith
Within Our Parish Community*

WORSHIP

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Saturday Evenings: Worship Center 4:00pm
Sundays Church: 8:00, 9:30am (children)
10:45 (choir), 12:00, 1:15, & 6:00pm
Weekdays Church: 9:00am
Vigil of Holy Days Church: 7:30pm
Holy Days Church: 9:00am & 7:30pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays - (Worship Center) from 3:00 to 3:45pm; also by appointment with one of the priests.

SACRAMENTS OF BAPTISM, CONFIRMATION, ANOINTING OF THE SICK, MARRIAGE — information about these Sacraments is printed in the PARISH BULLETIN regularly. Please refer to it each week.

HEALING MASS once a month Tuesday, 8pm Worship Center - date to be announced.

ALL ARE WELCOME HERE

SERVED BY:

Pastor: Msgr. Jeffrey P. Conway
Parochial Vicar: Rev. J. Victor Maynigo-Arenas
Pastor Emeritus: Msgr. John M. McCarthy
School Principal: Vincent Sadowski
Religious Ed. Coord.: Maria Giura, PhD
Parish Admin. Asst.: Suzanne Bruno
Parish Financial Officer: Judith Barravecchio
Director of Music: Glenn Kaiser
Superintendent: Thomas Murphy
Parish Trustees: Robert Higgins, James Pocchia
Parish Council Pres.: James Pocchia
Director of Athletics: Keith Wren

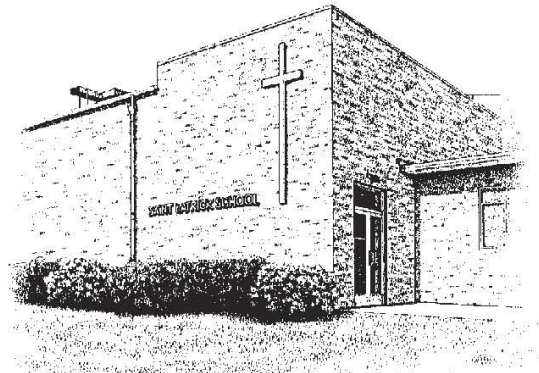
Rectory

53 St. Patrick's Place
Staten Island, N.Y. 10306
351-0044☎; 351-0824☎

Parish Office

3560 Richmond Road
Staten Island, N.Y. 10306
979-4227☎; 979-7637☎
parishadmin@stpatrickssi.org✉

NEW PARISHIONERS are invited to register at the Parish Office or online and to participate in our life of Prayer and Service.



St. Patrick School

School

3560 Richmond Road
Staten Island, N.Y. 10306
979-8815☎; 979-4984☎
schooloffice@stpatrickssi.org✉

Religious Education

3560 Richmond Road
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THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

READINGS FOR SUNDAY

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First Reading: Isaiah 60:1-6

Isaiah rejoices over the light and glory that will shine upon Jerusalem. He describes how the wealth of nations will be brought to Jerusalem, and travelers will arrive bearing gifts and praising God.

Second Reading: Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6

Paul explains to the Ephesians that the Gentiles are now co-heirs with the Jews. Through Jesus, they became members of the same body. Therefore, they would receive everything God had promised the Jewish converts if they followed Christ's teachings.

Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12

Astrologers from the east came looking for the newborn king of the Jews, which greatly disturbed King Herod. Herod wanted to kill Jesus, and asked the astrologers to return and tell him where Jesus was. The astrologers found Jesus and brought him gifts, but received a message in a dream telling them not to return to Herod.

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY The Baptism of the Lord
Is 42:1-4, 6-7; Mk 9:7; Lk 3:15-16,21-22

MASSES OF THE WEEK

- SATURDAY, JANUARY 5, 2019** **St. John Neumann**
 9:00am Sonia Baluyot..... Family
 4:00pm Maureen E. Moran Jack Moran
- SUNDAY, JANUARY 6, 2019** **The Epiphany of the Lord**
 8:00am All Parishioners
 9:30am Norma Bassolino..... Farrell Family
 10:45am Stella Walker Ustler Family
 12:00pm James Brett.....Ed & Joan Brett
 1:15pm Joann Tauer.....Kimberly Callahan
 6:00pm Martin & Marilyn O'Reilly.....Juliana Yanusheski
- MONDAY, JANUARY 7, 2019** **St. Raymond of Peñafort**
 9:00am Christopher FurnariJoan Abbato
- TUESDAY, JANUARY 8, 2019**
 9:00am Sr. Eileen EganMr. & Mrs. Ben Battista
- WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9, 2019**
 9:00am Carmela Bottalico..... Giovanni & Isabella DelRe
- THURSDAY, JANUARY 10, 2019**
 9:00am Michael Capodanno Marie & Daughters
- FRIDAY, JANUARY 11, 2019**
 9:00am Donald O. Nelson..... Bill Haddad
- SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 2019**
 9:00am Melissa Riccardi.....Mr. & Mrs. A. Accardi
 4:00pm Joseph & Maria Cavataio.. Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Cavataio
- SUNDAY, JANUARY 13, 2019** **The Baptism of the Lord**
 8:00am All Parishioners
 9:30am Maureen E. Moran Jack Moran
 10:45am Frances Kelly Dietsch Family
 12:00pm Toni Ann TuccilloEd & Joan Brett
 1:15pm Helen Watson Crowe Family
 6:00pm Bill Toland, Jr. & Penny Taddei..... Maria Giura

SEVEN DAY VOTIVE CANDLES

<i>In Honor Of</i>	<i>Intended For</i>	<i>Requested By</i>
HOLY FAMILY	Wallace Bickley	Harden Family
ST. PATRICK	Donna Giovino	Ustler Family
ST. ANTHONY	Macchiarola & LaCava	LaCava Family

MASS CELEBRANTS

SAT. JAN. 5th	SAT. JAN. 12th
4:00pm Msgr. Jeff	4:00pm Msgr. Jeff
SUN. JAN. 6th	SUN. JAN. 13th
8:00am Msgr. Jeff	8:00am Msgr. Jeff
9:30am Fr. Victor	9:30am Msgr. Jeff
10:45am Fr. Victor	10:45am Fr. Victor
12:00pm Msgr. Jeff	12:00pm Fr. Victor
1:15pm Msgr. Jeff	1:15pm Msgr. Jeff
6:00pm Msgr. Jeff	6:00pm Fr. Victor

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

SAT. JAN. 5th	SAT. JAN. 12th
4:00pm T.Golden, M.Martinelli, S.Roseo	4:00pm G.Angilletta, L.Hopkins, A.Passaro
SUN. JAN. 6th	SUN. JAN. 13th
8:00am V.DellAccio, C.McDermott, R.Natalicchio	8:00am M.Digilio, C.Mariano, L.Paglio
9:30am D.Haddad, M.Ranieri, M.Trapani	9:30am J.Ladley, M.Ranieri, M.Trapani
10:45am E.&A.Angeles, L.Lopez	10:45am H&K.Gioia, M.Murphy
12:00pm P.&T.Maffeo, A.McComiskey	12:00pm R.Carroll, J.Collini, M.Wallace
1:15pm D.Bernstein, L.Campione, C.Capistrano	1:15pm R.DeGregorio, C.Fanelli, J.Strenta
6:00pm C.Buckley, T.Cafiero	6:00pm R.Berger, I.Iorio, J.Nell

LECTORS

SAT. JAN. 5th	SAT. JAN. 12th
4:00pm Sharyn Roseo	4:00pm Jean Frizziola
SUN. JAN. 6th	SUN. JAN. 13th
8:00am Bernadette Amato	8:00am Joe Peppe
9:30am Bill Haddad	9:30am Elizabeth Basile
10:45am Michael Mistretta	10:45am Maureen Mruphy
12:00pm Toni Maffeo	12:00pm Angelo Tomasetti
1:15pm Ananias Capistrano	1:15pm Florence Guttilla
6:00pm Theresa Cafiero	6:00pm Maria Giura

ALTAR SERVERS

SAT. JAN 5th	SAT. JAN 12th
4:00pm Isabella Roseo	4:00pm Lauren Scimeca
SUN. JAN 6th	SUN. JAN 13th
8:00am Antonio Borrometi	8:00am Justin Guzman
9:30am Andrew Haddad	9:30am Vito Trapani
10:45am Matthew Mistretta	10:45am Maureen Murphy
12:00pm Christopher Baldwin	12:00pm Antonio Borrometi
1:15pm A.Marfoglio, JT Neri	1:15pm Anthony Marino
6:00pm Jake Salome	6:00pm Marcus Rosario

PRAYERS FOR THOSE IN SERVICE

Spec. Edward Murphy, US Army

SAINT OF THE WEEK

Feast of the Epiphany

This Sunday is the feast of the Epiphany, often referred to as Three King's Day. Through this feast we celebrate the revelation of God to man. In the Gospel of Matthew the Magi traveled from three kingdoms to the east to Bethlehem to worship Jesus Christ. What a meaningful example of the value of travelers being welcomed by those they visit. The encyclical *Rerum Novarum* (On the Condition of Labor) in 1891 developed the principals of the rights and responsibilities of people. In later documents this theme was summarized in the Catholic theological tradition to articulate three principles of immigration:

•People have a right to migrate to sustain their lives and the lives of their family. Because of the belief that newcomers compete for resources, immigrants and refugees are driven away, resented or despised. We as Catholics must remember that the first principal of Catholic social teaching on immigrants is that people have the right to migrate to sustain their life and the lives of family. We as Catholics should strive to support the common good even if we as individuals experience hardships.

•A country has the right to regulate its borders and to control immigration. Toward this end we need to encourage our lawmakers to create laws fair to the common good. Immigration is not something to celebrate. It exists because our neighbors are suffering.

•A country must regulate its borders with justice and mercy. A nation may not simply decide that it wants to provide for its own people and not others. A sincere commitment to the needs of all must prevail.

All Catholics should be willing to act upon what our church asks us to pray for. Poverty, homelessness and right to life are some of these issues. Included with the poor are our immigrants.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Sadie Antoci, Vera Biondo, Barbara Boscia, Rose Bruno, Linda Cangelosi, Maria Cardella, James & Kathy Chorman, Frances Codispodo, Josephine Corcoran; Mario Corso, Al & Joan Davidson, Edward Falcone, Anthony & Josephine Fioravante, Danny Fortunato, Phyllis Fortune, Gloria Gallo, Lucette Gault, Herbert Gruberger, Mary Hanrahan, Jennifer Johnson, MaryJane Kitover, David Larkin, Michael Marano, Tom Matteo, Stephen Mendlovitz, Steven Morvello, Frank Musuruca, Kristin O'Connor, John Palac, Lenny Paglio, Martha Pellechia, Avery Regan, Joel Rivera, AnnMarie Rovegno, Philip Savattere, Sr., Ciro Saverino, Guido Scalia, Madeline Struthers, Mary Sweeney and Anthony Terra. If you or a relative or anyone you know in your neighborhood is sick, or elderly and homebound, and needs a visit from a Priest, please call the Parish Office 718-979-4227.

REQUIREMENTS FOR BAPTISM

The Sacrament of Baptism is administered in the Church approximately every third Sunday at 2:15pm **OR** any Sunday during Mass. Once you have chosen a date and contacted the Parish Office, parents are **REQUIRED** to attend a Baptism Class in the Church held the first Monday every other month at 7:30pm. All necessary paperwork is available online with instructions and must be returned to the Parish Office **BEFORE** you attend the Baptism Class. The next **Baptism Class** is **Jan. 7th** and upcoming **Ceremonies** are **Jan. 13th – Feb. 17th – Mar. 17th – Apr. 28th – May 19th.**

REQUIREMENTS FOR MARRIAGE

To arrange for a wedding at St. Patrick, you must call the Parish Office at 718-979-4227 for an appointment with one of our priests at least 3 months before the date. Marriages are celebrated on Fridays at 3 & 4:30pm, Saturdays at 11am, 1 & 2:15pm, and Sundays at 3 & 4pm. There are no Nuptial Masses on Sundays.

ST. PATRICK'S PARISH PRE-CANA CLASS

The Pre-Cana Class will be held on **Sunday, February 10th** from **8:30am – 4:30pm** in the **St. Patrick's School Building**. To register, please call the Parish Office at 718-979-4227 or visit the website at stpatrickssi.org and complete the Registration Form and send with the required fee to St. Patrick's Parish Office.

PLEASE HELP US HELP THE POOR

Last Sunday the parishioners donated a total of **\$80.00** for the poor.

INTERVENTION

If one of your relatives or friends has a problem with alcohol or drugs, you can call Msgr. Jeff.

12 STEP MEETINGS

- Overeaters Anonymous—**Wednesdays** from **7-8pm** in Room 1-1.
- AA—**Thursdays** from **7-8pm** & **Sundays** from **11am-12:15pm** in Cafeteria.
- Al-Anon—**Thursdays** from **5:30-6:30pm** in Room 1-1.
- Couples AA—**Thursdays** from **8:30-9:30pm** in the Convent.
- Gambler's Anonymous—**Thursdays** from **8-9:30pm** in Room 1-1.
- Gam-Anon—**Thursdays** from **8-9:30pm** in Conference Room.
- Pills Anonymous—**Saturdays** from **6:30-7:30pm** in Room 1-1.

Cafeteria & Conference Room, enter through the main parking lot on Richmond Road & Kensico Street. Room 1-1, enter through the door on Richmond Road & McKinley Avenue.

ST. PATRICK'S SCHOOL APPLICATION PROCESS FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2019-20

Procedure: Appointments must be made by telephone, call 718-979-8815 for an interview for the week of **January 29th**.

Requirements: PreK-3 (three years by 12/31/18); UPK-4 (four years by 12/31/18); Kindergarten (five years by 12/31/18); and First Grade (six years by 12/31/18). Child must be present.

Certificates for ALL Grades: (a) Birth; (b) Baptismal (if Catholic or Christian); and (c) Immunization-complete records, including name of doctor. No child can be accepted without proper immunization.

Additional Requirements for Grades 1+: (a) Standardized tests results (b) Report Cards; and (c) Work Samples. All certificates must be submitted at appointment date.

Registration Fee: \$75.00 for 1 child; \$100 for two or more

Tuition: Only those active parishioners who present their envelope number at registration, who participate in the life of the parish and support the parish, will be given a parishioner's tuition rate.

JOIN THE CHOIR

The St. Patrick's Adult Choir welcomes all parishioners of high-school age and above to join us. 2019 will mark our 45th year of service to the parish. There are no auditions to join the choir and reading music is preferred but not required. All new members are given a CD to assist learning new music at home. Rehearsals are on Wednesday evenings from 7:30–9:15 and the choir sings each Sunday at the 10:45am Mass in the Church from September through June. There are no choir rehearsals during July and August. Please call the parish office or see Glenn Kaiser the organist.

**SISTERS OF LIFE SPEAKING AT
MASSES ON JANUARY 13th**

In anticipation of the March for Life happening in Washington D.C., the Sisters of Life will be present at the 8:00am., 9:30am, 10:45am, 12:00pm, and 1:15pm Masses on **Sunday, January 13th**. The Sisters of Life are a religious community of women founded in 1991 by John Cardinal O'Connor, and will be speaking to our parish on the gift of life and the dignity of the human person. Information about the Sisters of Life can be found at www.sistersoflife.org.

MEETINGS OF THE WEEK

SUNDAY, JANUARY 6, 2019

AA Meeting 11am-12pmPristavec Cafeteria

MONDAY, JANUARY 7, 2019

Cheer 2:30-4:45pm McCarthy Gym

Youth Choir 2:30-3:30pm Worship Center

Basketball 4:45-11pm McCarthy Gym

Baptism Class 7:30-8:30pm Church

TUESDAY, JANUARY 8, 2019

Touring Tuesday 8:15am-9:15am School Building

Religious Ed Classes 1st – 8th Grades 3:45-5:15pm Classrooms

Basketball 4:45-11pm McCarthy Gym

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9, 2019

55+ Club 1:30-4:30pmPristavec Cafeteria

Cheer 2:30-4:30pm McCarthy Gym

Basketball 4:45-11pm McCarthy Gym

Boy Scouts 6-9pmPristavec Cafeteria

Bible Study 7-8pmRectory

Overeaters Anonymous 7-8pm Meeting/Music Room

RCIA Meeting 7-8pm Conference Room

Adult Choir 7:15-9:15pm Church

THURSDAY, JANUARY 10, 2019

Basketball 4:45-11pm McCarthy Gym

Al-Anon Meeting 5:30-6:30pm Meeting Room

AA Meeting 7-8pmPristavec Cafeteria

Gambler's Anonymous 8pm-9:30pm Meeting Room

Couples AA Meeting 8:30-9:30pm Convent

Gam-Anon 8-9:30pm Conference Room

FRIDAY, JANUARY 11, 2019

Cheer 2:30-4:30pm McCarthy Gym

Girl Scout Troop 8th Grade 3:15-4:45pmPristavec Cafeteria

Eucharistic Adoration 7-8pm Church

SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 2019

Basketball Shootin School Clinic 9am-11am McCarthy Gym

Pills Anonymous 6:30-7:30pm Meeting Room

SUNDAY, JANUARY 13, 2019

AA Meeting 11am-12pmPristavec Cafeteria

Baptisms 2:15pm Church

CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION COLLECTION

Today, we are taking up the collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). Your support helps the CCC connect people to Christ, here and around the world, through the internet, television, radio, and print media. Half of the funds we collect remain in our diocese to support local efforts. Be a part of this campaign to spread the gospel message and support the collection today! To learn more, visit www.usccb.org/cc.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

St. Joseph Retreat Center- Who Does Heaven Welcome? Join us on **Saturday, January 19th** at 850 Hylan Blvd from **9:30-11:00am**. Facilitated by John DeLisa. Come and open your minds and hearts to be touched by the mind and heart of God. Cost: \$25 per person. For more information, 718-720-1097 or check the website at SJRetreatCenter.org.

FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE

Anyone who needs to report an alleged incident of sexual abuse of a minor by priest, deacon, religious or lay person serving in the Archdiocese of New York is asked to contact Sr. Eileen Clifford, O.P. at 212-371-1000, ext. 2949 or Deacon George J. Coppola at 917-861-1762. Both may also be reached at victimassistance@archny.org. Information can also be found on the Archdiocesan website, www.archny.org. In keeping with the Archdiocesan policy regarding sexual abuse of minors, this information is provided to ensure that our children remain safe and secure.

CLUSTER CIRCLE

Holy Child, 4747 Amboy Road, 10312 (718-356-5890)

Ave Maria Gift Shop-Sat.; 4-7pm, Sun.; 8am-2pm;

1st Sun.; 5-6:30pm

Widow's Conversation Group-Tuesday; 1:30pm; Fellowship Room

Youth Group-Sunday (Selected); 6:30pm; Rectory/Conf. Room

Our Lady Queen of Peace, 90 Third Street, 10306 (718-351-1093)

Eucharistic Adoration-Daily: 6-7am, Sundays: 6:30-7:30am &

1st Fridays: 9am to 9pm; Church

Baptism Classes-4th Thursday; 8pm; Rectory; Meeting Room

Legion of Mary-Thursdays; 7:30pm; Church

Cenacle of Life-Fridays 4-5pm; Chapel

Charismatic Prayer Group-2nd Friday; 7:30-9pm

St. Charles, 644 Clawson Street, 10306 (718-987-2670)

Adult Faith Formation-Wednesday; 1:30pm; Rectory

Baptism Classes-1st Tuesday; 8pm; Rectory Basement

Bereavement Group-Thursdays; 7:30pm; Rectory

Book Club-3rd Thursday; 4pm; Rectory Basement

Caregivers Support Group-Thurs.; 9:30-11:30am;

Rectory Basement

Eucharistic Adoration-Mon-Fri; 12-5pm; Chapel

Food Pantry-Tues.-2nd & 4th; 11:30am-1:30pm; Rectory Basement

Legion of Mary-Mondays; 6:30pm; Rectory Basement

Prayer Group & Holy Hour-1st Monday; 7:30pm; Church

St. Vincent de Paul Society-2nd Tues.; 1:30pm; Rectory Basement

Teen Club-Sunday; Sunday; 7pm; Auditorium

Women's Worship-3rd Wednesday; 7:30pm; Rectory Basement

St. Clare's Church, 110 Nelson Ave, 10308 (718-984-7873)

Catholic Daughters of America-1st Tues.; 12noon; Murphy Center

Employment- One-on-one employment advisement, 718-984-7873

Venture Crew 41-Thurs., 7-9pm; Call Richard Ricco 917-803-5669

St. Patrick's Church, 53 St. Patrick's Place, 10306 (718-979-4227)

55+ Club – Wednesdays, Pristavec Cafeteria, 1:30-4:30pm

Baptismal Class – 1st Monday; Church; 7:30pm

Bereavement Group – Tuesday, Rectory, 10am & 7:30pm

Bible Study – Wednesdays, Rectory, 7pm

Book Club (in homes) – Contact Parish Office

Cancer Support Group – Please call Parish Office for Appointment

Divorced & Separated Group – Thursday, Rectory; 7pm; TBA

Eucharistic Adoration – Fridays; Church; 7pm

Healing Mass – Tuesday, Worship Center, 8pm; 1/15/18

Pre-Cana Class – Sunday; School Building; 8am-4pm; TBA

RCIA – Wednesdays; Conference Room; 7-8pm, For those Enrolled

Woman's Prayer Group – Thursday; St. Charles; 7:30pm TBA