



COME,
HOLY SPIRIT

FILL THE HEARTS OF
THE FAITHFUL

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Prayer Requests Please remember the following people in your prayers this week: Diaconate Class 11, Reese Baird, Nancy Brown-Smith, Vida Freidlein, Mary Humer, Paula Ingram, Patty Kirby, Miss Barbara Kleiss, Frank Norton, Cathryn Pfeffer, Zoey Smith, Jay Warfel, Jeff Holt, Nancy Henry, Helen Birtcher, Katelyn Humer, Theresa O'Brien, Tammy Mayer, Ina Eckstein, Jo Church, Becky Benson, Freida Woodcock, Gerald Fiscus, Everett Krueger, Joseph William Baird, John Henry Baird and requested prayer intentions.

Financial Corner from May 20th, 2020**General Fund**

Regular Envelopes \$1,715.00
Education \$10.00
Total \$1,725.00

Separate Funds

Cemetery \$150.00
Building \$50.00
Food Pantry \$60.00

We are truly grateful for the generous continued support of those who have donated. Even though our doors are currently closed, we still have bills that have to be paid. If you wish to donate, you may do so by mailing your contributions to **St. Patrick Church, PO Box K, Tolono, IL. 61880.**

**Mass Schedule****Saturday, May 30th**

NO MASS/Jeff Ping

Wednesday, June 3rd

NO MASS/Skip Hartman

Friday, June 5th

NO MASS/Mary Rees

Saturday, June 6th

NO MASS/Richard Breen

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

The Liturgical Schedule will not be posted until Mass resumes. Please continue to check the website for updated information. Thank you for your patience and understanding during this difficult time. Stay safe, stay healthy and may God bless you all!



All of us have been baptized into one and the same Spirit. That same Spirit, the Advocate, was given as gift to the disciples to strengthen them to go forth in the name of the Lord, "to renew the face of the earth."

THE Power OF Pentecost



A Message from Father Fredi

First of all thank you to everyone who is continuing to contribute. As I am sure you know, we still have bills that need to be paid. We are grateful to all of you who have continued their support during these trying times. Second, please be assured the Mass intentions are still being honored in a private Mass. I am keeping all of you in my prayers. Let us pray that the Lord ends this soon and we will once again be able to worship together. May God Bless you all!

Sincerely,
Father Fredi

Parish Office Closed

The Parish Office will be closed until further notice. Phone messages will be checked on a regular basis. Or you can email at officeofstp@gmail.com with inquiries.



NOTICE: Mass Intentions



When Mass is cancelled, Father still offers the Mass Intention for that cancelled Mass during a private mass. The Mass Intentions are still honored regardless of Mass being cancelled. If you have any questions or concerns, please email the office at officeofstp@gmail.com. Thank you!

For Your Information

Until the Bishop informs us otherwise, all Masses are still cancelled. All activities at the Parish Center are cancelled. We are not taking any reservations for the Parish Center through June. All events for May & June that have been previously scheduled are CANCELLED. We hope by July we will once again be able to reserve the hall. Thank you for your understanding with this matter.

Holy Sacrament in Exposition

Father Fredi has set up the Tabernacle, with Mary and Mary's Candle on the West Side (Rectory Side) of the church in the Vestibule. Please feel free to stop and pray anytime. Please remember the social distancing rules if others are present. May God's blessings be upon you always.

Food Pantry Open

St. Patrick Food Pantry is still open on Mondays from 5-6:30pm and Fridays from 9-10:30 am.

K of C Raffle

The Philo Knights of Columbus Council 13103 will be holding our annual July cash raffle. Drawings are held once a day during the month of July for a \$25 prize with special prizes of \$500 on July 4th, \$150 on July 1st and 31st. Every winning ticket is put back into the drawing for another chance to win. Up to 500 tickets will be sold at \$10 per ticket. Money raised from this raffle will help fund our charitable giving activities for the year. Please contact Jared Ping at jping26@yahoo.com or 217-841-9773 if you would like to purchase a ticket.



HAPPY
SUMMER



Pentecost Sunday

Pentecost Sunday is one of the most ancient feasts of the Church, celebrated early enough to be mentioned in the Acts of the Apostles (20:16) and Saint Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians (16:8). It supplants the Jewish feast of Pentecost, which took place 50 days after the Passover and which celebrated the

sealing of the Old Covenant on Mount Sinai.

On Pentecost Sunday, when the Holy Spirit descended upon the Apostles, they were granted the gifts of the Holy Spirit. Those gifts helped them to fulfill their mission to preach the Gospel to all nations. For us, too, those gifts—granted when we are infused with the sanctifying grace, the life of God in our souls—help us to live a Christian life. The seven gifts of the Holy Spirit are wisdom, understanding counsel, fortitude, knowledge, piety, fear of the Lord. After Christ's Ascension into Heaven, the Apostles knew that He had promised to send His Spirit, but they didn't know exactly what that would mean. Granted the gifts of the Spirit at Pentecost, however, they were emboldened to speak the Good News to all men. On that first Pentecost Sunday, over 3,000 people were converted and baptized. The example of the Apostles shows that the gifts of the Holy Spirit lead to the fruits of the Holy Spirit—works that we can only perform through the assistance of the Holy Spirit.

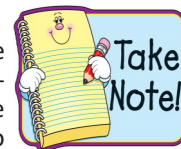
In Remembrance



St. Patrick Parish family mourns the loss of our Sister in Christ Barbara Glaser. Miss Glaser's funeral was held on Friday, May 22nd. We ask that you keep her family in your prayers during this difficult time.

Please Keep In Mind

The government of Illinois is determining the rules and regulations that each church is to follow. The Diocese of Peoria is adhering to these rules and guidelines. In order for St. Patrick to reopen, we must also follow these rules and guidelines. Please remember that it is not Father or the Trustees that decide these rules and regulations. We are grateful for your patience as we try to plan for the next step.



Outside Mass

Father Fredi and the Trustees are working on being able to hold mass outside in the Hall parking area. They hope to have an outside Mass in place by the second weekend of June. Until this happens, they ask for your patience. Things are changing weekly and they are doing their best to follow the recommended guidelines. Drive through Communion will continue until Mass can resume.

Drive Through Communion

St. Patrick is offering drive through Communion. Please go to the home page of the website for a map. Please enter from Walnut street to Calhoun street (head south on Calhoun). Proceed clockwise around the hall parking lot to Father who will be positioned under a tent. Please do not get out of your vehicle. No golf carts, motorcycles, bicycles, or walk ups will be allowed. People will be on hand to direct traffic.

