

Dear People of God,

Over the past several weeks I've been looking at questions raised in the early days of the Diocese of Toledo *via* the **Question Box of the Diocesan Mission to Non-Catholics** founded by our first Bishop, Joseph Schrembs. Here's one I think I'll more or less forget to answer from Liberty Center because it's getting a little too close to home: *Why are all the priests so doggon fat?* Actually, though, looking at the photo of the clergy gathered with Bishop Schrembs for his installation Mass, none of them looks *doggon fat* to me [can you find a couple of priests associated with our two parishes?].



On the other hand, not only was this next question of concern a century ago, but remains a question often asked today: *if a newborn dies, does it immediately go to limbo and never get to see the face of God?* Like many urban legends which rose up about the Catholic Church was the notion that we believed in a 'place' where the unbaptized would be sent if they were to die and otherwise not deserve to head down the escalator. In fact, the official Church never taught that such a place exists although some Catholics believed it did so passed on the legend which was quickly picked up by our non-Catholic brothers and sisters. As a Church founded by the God of love, we believe that anyone denied the privilege of baptism for whatever reason who lives, or could live in the case of an infant, a good life and therefore reflects outwardly the image and likeness of God will be well cared for after death by the God who created that person.

At the Second Vatican Council the bishops and experts advising them were greatly concerned to better state what we believe on this subject. They made it very clear that there is no limbo off the dance floor and certainly not in the Church. All people, regardless of their faith or creed, are lovable in the sight of God. They may commit sins, just as do the baptized, and if they repent and seek forgiveness, why would God not forgive them since Jesus himself taught us in the Lord's Prayer that forgiveness is a commodity all of us should share with others? One of the most famous theologians of that era, and one who is difficult to follow - Karl Rahner should you wish to tackle his 16 volume work - provided a long and thorough examination of this mystery of God's compassion and concluded that God's will is the salvation of souls, an expression which found its way into the Code of Canon Law. That, the salvation of souls not the Code, being the case, how souls are saved *in* the Church will follow a template we refer to as the sacramental celebrations institute by Christ to give grace. Outside the Church, the methodology of salvation is entirely up to God, not us. That's why the Church is quick to canonize and remind us who is in heaven but will never condemn and remind us who went the other way! God's will works itself out in ways and means we cannot fathom, so rather than limit the possibilities for union with God in heaven - and that's what limbo does - the Church prays for and hopes in charity that all people of every race, creed and faith will allow the salvation God wills for them to come to pass.

Msgr. Chris

The Celebration of Sacraments

Infant Baptism: The Sacrament of Baptism is regularly celebrated on Sunday during or after the Eucharistic Liturgy. Registered parishioners are asked to arrange for the Baptismal Preparation Class and the Liturgical Celebration by calling the Parish Office.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults: RCIA is the process of growing in your faith and love of God. Weekly gatherings take place from September until Easter. If you are interested in learning about Catholicism and joining us please call Deacon Tom at the rectory.

Penance: The Sacrament of Penance is celebrated at 3:30 p.m. on Saturday at IC, 9:30 a.m. at HSP and 10:30 a.m. IC every Sunday or by appointment.

Matrimony: Anyone planning to be married must contact the parish at least six months in advance. The exact date and time of your wedding should not be determined until after consultation with a priest or deacon. If either party has previously been civilly or religiously married, the Presider is not permitted to set a date for the wedding without resolving the previous marriage.

Pastoral Care of the Sick: When a parishioner is admitted to the hospital, nursing home, or confined to home because of age or infirmity, please call the Parish Office. Parishioners are ready to visit and to bring Holy Communion. When one is seriously ill, the healing Presence of the Lord should be requested in the Sacrament of the Sick.

Welcome Visitors



We would like to welcome our visitors to Historic St. Patrick. If you are interested in becoming a parishioner please call the parish office at 419-243-6452 or fill out the registration forms in the back of church or on the web-site and return to the parish office.

Historic St. Patrick

Finance Council

Doug Bohl
Nadine Furey
Pat Hickey
Bill Malone
Dick Shanahan

Pastoral Council

Jean Boeding
Gabrielle Edwards
Sue Fanelly
Sr. Valerie Grondin
Brian Shelton
Joe Pinciotti
Kristine Waslar
Liz Weiser
John Best
Pat Hickey-Fin. Rep.

C ALENDAR **November 7, 2015—November 15, 2015**

Sat 1:00 pm HSP Wedding/Aguilar & Whitacre
(Fr. Paul/D. Tom)
4:00 pm IC Mass (Msgr. Chris/D. Dave)
4:00 pm HSP Wedding/Anderson & Baumert
(D. Tom)

Sun 9:30 am HSP Rosary & Confessions
10:00 am HSP Sunday Mass (Fr. Rudi/D. Tom)
Intention **Tom Hart**
Mike Beier
After Mass CCD Class

10:30 am IC Confessions
11:00 am IC Sunday Mass (Msgr. Chris/D. Dave)

Tues 9:00 am IC Weekday Mass/Msgr. Chris
10:00 am Sunday Mass Taping @ Rosary
5:30 pm HSP Rosary Prayer Service

Wed 5:30 pm HSP Weekday Mass/Msgr. Chris
Intention **HSP Parishioners**

Thurs 1:30 pm Bereavement Mtg. @ HSP Rectory

Fri 9:30 am HSP Tour/John Best

Sat 4:00 pm IC Mass (Msgr. Chris/D. Tom)

Sun 9:30 am HSP Rosary & Confessions
10:00 am HSP Sunday Mass (Msgr. Chris/D. Tom)
Intention **Jack Kennedy**
Paul Durand
After Mass John Best/Appeal from Pulpit

10:30 am IC Confessions
11:00 am IC Sunday Mass (Fr. Rudi/D. Dave)

_____(Tear Line)_____

We continue to update/add to our parish e-mail list to help keep parishioners updated on parish events. Several of the e-mails we have are no longer valid. If you could please fill your information out below and put it in the offering basket or you can e-mail it to parish@stpatshistoric.org.

Name _____ E-mail _____



WELCOME TO HISTORIC CHURCH OF ST. PATRICK



HAPPY BIRTHDAY—HSP

Nov 8 Dave Moore
Nov 8 Anthony Castillo
Nov 8 Erika Walsh
Nov 9 Judith Monaghan
Nov 9 Theresa Wagner
Nov 9 James Dowling
Nov 10 Joan Baas
Nov 10 Maura Sullivan
Nov 10 Jonathon Ziehr
Nov 10 Paul Brady
Nov 11 Julie Glenn
Nov 11 David Lehr
Nov 11 Zach Dunn
Nov 12 Thomas Laasch
Nov 12 Carl Ray
Nov 12 Anne Ruggiero
Nov 12 Kevin Galambos
Nov 12 Jessica Cervantes
Nov 13 Joan Foster
Nov 13 Susan Fix
Nov 13 Linda Wangler
Nov 13 Paul Philbin
Nov 13 Debra Welsh
Nov 13 Roseanna Lightle
Nov 13 Montana Wolf
Nov 14 Karen Soubeyrand
Nov 14 Glenn Huberstone



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY—HSP

11/10 Michael & Mary Desmond 31 yrs
11/10 John & Brooke Roberts 14 yrs
11/12 Mark & Janet Carter 27 yrs



PRAYER IS ANSWERED-HSP

Mike Beier, Sr. Valerie Grondin, Amanda Brentmoore, Fred Neipp, Marian Lowe, Jon Jenkins, Steven Czerniak, Laura Vanteighen, Brooks Ditmore, Marcia Thorpe, Ron Coffman, Ted Furey, Kristin Salazar, Rita Winand, Kellie Haynes, Mary Lou Batanian, Gary Lilje, Ken & Emily, Carl King, Jean Boeding, DeDe Andersen, Lindsay, Carol Isabell, Megan Batanian, Bill Krumnow, Jim Morris, Terry Hakeos, Scott Stopher, Gary Gordon, Matt Rohrs, Linda Gralak, James Smith, Susan Ludlum, Carolyn Harrington, Evie Day, Julie, Nathan Koontz, Lori (Borgerson) Zaro, Marge Myers, Frank Ankney, Liz Weiser, Joann Degnan, Sarah Rodgers, Bob Zoski, Linda, Peggy, Beth, Carol Sheets, Tom McNamee, Lupe Garcia, Dolores Lambert, Kitty Burns, Liam Stacey, Cheryl Harwick, Angela Lemble, Mitzi Peatee, Madison Sims, David Hufford, Tim Bernard, Richard Hel-senbeck, Jace Stockwell, Sheila, Joan Wiley, Ric Williams, Claire Sydlaske, Chuck Hall, Janien Blakely, Christine Ludlum, Molly Bergin, Laurie Yeager

Please inform the pastoral staff of those in our parish family needing our prayers. Our Hospital Ministry Team is available to visit and distribute communion.

TOGETHER -
LET US PRAY ...

Pray For Those Serving Our Country

Pvt. Zac Baker, Cpl. Colin Zbikowski (Clark's nephew), Specialist Tyler Chochard, CPL Anthony Chochard, Staff Stg. Michael J. Welsh, Army, Spec. Brandon Carson, US Army, Serviceman Edward C. Byers, U.S. Navy, Sgt. Michael C. Stephens, Staff Sgt. Amannda M. Ramsdell (Fix), Com. Matthew J. Swiergosz, Michael J. Welsh, Capt. Kenneth Szczublewski, U.S.N., Trevor Carpenter, Capt. Kathryn R. Klear

If you or your loved one is serving in the military and would like our prayers, please let the pastoral staff know.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT—HSP

	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
Goal	\$ 4,700.00	\$ 84,600.00
Actual	\$ 4,043.50	\$ 73,151.20
Elect. Fund Transfer	\$ 250.00	\$ 5,045.00
Over/(Under)	(\$ 406.50)	(\$ 6,403.80)
Candles	\$ 61.05	
Preservation	\$	\$ 2,934.00
Holiday Food Baskets	\$ 1,646.43	\$ 3,651.43

Did you know the weekly operating expenses this year average \$8,300.00. The goal of \$4,700.00 helps to cover the weekly operating expenses.

Thank You!

OUTREACH FAMILIES—HSP

	This Week	This Month	July 1, 2015— June 30, 2016
Food (Families)	218	218	3,711
Clothing	72	72	1,434
Soup Kitchen—Number of Plates Served—123			

<u>Outreach Income:</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
	\$ 270.00	\$ 5,555.00

Thank You!



HISTORIC CHURCH OF ST. PATRICK THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



NOVEMBER 8 - MINISTER SCHEDULE—HSP

Scripture Reading #1042

Acolytes:	Blaise Beier, Mark Glenn, Rose Waslar
Communion:	Kari Adler, Rosalie Mills, Melanie Parton, Nancy Rank, Jim Nally, Bonnie Nally, Lisa Kelley, Jill Rygalski, Linda Jennings, Bill Jennings
Gifts:	Maggie Hiszak, Randy Hiszak, Mike Lora, Pat Lora
Greeters:	Floyd Batanian, Mary Lou Batanian, Mary Connolly, Ginny Minor
Hospitality:	Connie Durand, Pat Durand, Robin McLoughlin, Terry McLoughlin
Readers:	Robin McLoughlin, Terry McLoughlin
Ushers:	Duane Ziolkowski, Dave Meegan, Larry Minor, Tim Brunner, Sue Smith, Larry Fanelly, Bob Wuest, Paul Philibin
Children's Liturgy:	Karen Beier

NOVEMBER 15 — MINISTER SCHEDULE—HSP

Scripture Reading #1045

Acolytes:	Patrick Glenn, Matthew Glenn, Austin Beier
Communion:	Judy Shook, Carol Shrader, Jim Shrader, Robin Shrader, Charlene Leestma, Julie Smith, Mark Smith, Ellen Ashner, Floyd Batanian, Mary Lou Batanian
Gifts:	Mary Connolly, Rosalie Mills, Jeff Kelley, Lisa Kelley
Greeters:	Maggie Hiszak, Randy Hiszak, Jim Shrader, Carol Shrader
Hospitality:	Karen Bates, Sandy Humanski, Carolyn Meehan, Debbie Sadlier
Readers:	Pat Hickey, Melanie Parton
Ushers:	Melanie Parton, Dick Shanahan, Esther Shanahan, Dick Parton, Paul Philibin, Nancy Rank, Larry Fanelly, Jeff Kelley
Children's Liturgy:	Karen Beier

LITURGICAL MUSIC FOR TODAY'S MASS



Entrance: Love Divine, All Loves Excelling, #746
Presentation: The King of Love My Shepherd Is, #733
Communion: Gather Your People, #798
Recessional: Lead Me, Lord, #659



ALTAR FLOWERS -HSP

Nov 8 (available)
 Nov 15 (available)
 Nov 22 (available)
 Nov 29 (available)



SANCTUARY LAMP

Nov 8 (available)
 Nov 15 (available)
 Nov 22 (available)
 Nov 29 Callahan Family



HSP FOOD PANTRY

We could use:

Canned Meals, Spaghetti, Pasta, Tuna, Rice, Boxed Meals, Mac and Cheese

Food may be dropped off at anytime.

Thank you!



The HSP Soup Kitchen

Our Soup Kitchen is located at the LMHA Building down at the foot of the hill in front of church. We provide meals and clothing to our community in need every Sunday from 11:00 am—1:00 pm. If you are interested in helping serve meals or hand out clothing please call the parish office.



The Historic Church of St. Patrick's

Happenings at the Parish!

Ireland Trip Is Scheduled for August 7-24, 2016

**Join Msgr. Chris Vasko on a
tour of Ireland,
August 7 thru 24, 2016.**

Visits will include
Belfast, Donegal, Galway,
Limerick, Kilarney, Kinsale,
Kilkenny, and Dublin.
A majority of the stops are
two night stays.

Please call Larry Minor
at 419-320-6745 or
email lminor911@att.net.
There will also be a visit to
Bally Mote, hometown
to Fr. Hannin.

Thanksgiving Day Mass

The Thanksgiving Vigil Mass is
Wednesday, November 25 @ 5:30 pm
here at The Historic Church of St.
Patrick. The Thanksgiving Day Mass
will be held at Immaculate Conception
at 9:00 am. Have a Happy
Thanksgiving!

Thanksgiving Food Collection/Packaging and Distribution

The holiday food sign-up boards are in the back
of church today on both sides. Please take a
minute to sign-up over the next few weeks to
help us fill our holiday food baskets. **All food
for the collection must be to the church by
Sunday, November 15.** We will pack and
distribute food boxes and turkeys on Saturday,
November 21 (packing from 9:00—10:00 a.m.
and distribution from 10:00 a.m.—11:30 a.m.).
All Volunteers are welcome! Thank you for
all you do to make this outreach project so
successful.

Get Your Elder-Beerman Community Days 2015 Books Today!

HSP will be selling coupon books today in
the back of church for \$5.00. Your
donation of \$5 will get you over \$500 and
more in exclusive coupon savings. If you
buy your books at HSP the entire amount
will come back to HSP and if you buy your
book at the store we will only receive a
portion. All proceeds collected will go to
the HSP Outreach.

Congratulations to our Students that have received Class Honors!

Marianna Brassell, CCHS
Rachel Gorman, CCHS
Annmarie Waslar, CCHS
Rose Waslar, CCHS
Samuel Cunningham, CCHS
Lily Pollock, CCHS
Austin Beier, St. John's Jesuit
Logan Hillesheim, St. Johns Jesuit
Michael O'Connor, St. John's Jesuit
Jackson Pollock, St. John's Jesuit

Reminder!

CCD Class after Mass today!

Deacon Tom's 3rd Annual Christmas Cookie Bake Sale Sunday, December 6!

Wouldn't it be delightful to share some of your deli-
cious Christmas cookies? We will be having our 3rd
Christmas Cookie Bake Sale after Mass on December
6. We are asking for your support.

Bake your favorite Christmas cookies and bring them
to church with you. Please do not package your cook-
ies, we will provide containers and sell them by the
1/2 dozen of your choice. Please call the parish office
for more information.



Evangelization Committee Needs your HELP!

There is a meeting on Wednesday,
November 18 at 4:00 pm in the church
library area and we could use your input.
Sr. Valerie Grondin and Amy Ashner are
the Co-chairs for this committee. If you
would like more information please contact
Amy at 419-878-0514. You are welcome
to stay for Mass after the meeting.

All Are Welcome!

The Historic Church of St. Patrick's

Parish/Community Activities!

Sunday Catholic Mass for Shut-ins Taping at Rosary Cathedral

Tuesday, November 10 at 10:00 am. Could you be part of the congregation and join us for this taping? Please be there by 9:45 if you are able to attend.

Thank you for your support.



Annunciation Radio Sharathon—Listen to Monsignor Vasko on Annunciation Radio!

Support Annunciation Radio! Listen to 89.7 FM on Friday, November 20. Msgr. Chris's session will begin at 12:00 pm, with Mass on the radio, and after Mass Msgr. Chris will resume air time until 2:00 pm. You are encouraged to call the station at 1-888-215-0624 with your pledge. Annunciation Radio is entirely listener-supported and relies on your generosity to stay on the air.

Winter is Just Around the Corner!

We are collecting back packs, blankets, coats, hats, gloves, boots, socks and warm clothing for the cold season fast approaching. All items will be given directly back to the community through the outreach programs. Your help would be greatly appreciated with any donations you may have. All donations can be dropped off at Historic St. Patrick's between the hours of 9:00 am and 4:00 pm.



Thank You!

"Little Blue Books"

Advent Books for Sunday, November 29, will be available in the back of church on Sunday, November 15.

Daily meditations during Advent help us to truly prepare the way.



HSP Church Tours

On Friday, November 13, @ 9:30 am, John Best will give a guided tour of The Historic Church of St. Patrick. If you would like to learn more about the history of St. Pat's please join us.

All Are Welcome!

Did You Notice The Big Red Arrow?

In last weeks bulletin the big red arrow told us that we are down in our Sunday collections.

We need your help in bringing up collections which support our church operations.

Thank you!

Lector handbooks are available!

Lectors at St. Patrick's please pick-up your Sunday Word Books in the Hospitality area today.

Journeying Through Grief

We invite all who have experienced the loss of a love one to join us on Thursday, November 12, 1:30-2:30 pm for the Historic St. Patrick's bereavement support group. This group will continue to meet on the second Thursday of each month in the church rectory. We hope to provide this time for sharing, healing, supporting, and learning. For questions call the parish office at 419-243-6452.

