# **St. Patrick Catholic Church**

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**Religious Education** on facebook: St. Patrick Catholic Church RE Program

**Life Teen** on facebook: St. Patrick Catholic Church Life Teen

> Church office will be **OPEN** May 13<sup>th</sup> – May 16<sup>th</sup>

Please remember: the Church office is **CLOSED** every Friday!

Masses are listed on pg. 7 calendar

# **CLERGY**

**Pastor:** Fr. Eric R. Filmer efilmer@diosav.org

**Pastoral Associate:** Deacon James D. Roberge, Jr. DeaconJim@stpatrickga.org

# **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

**Director:** Mary Pangborn saintpatre@stpatrickga.org

# CHURCH STAFF

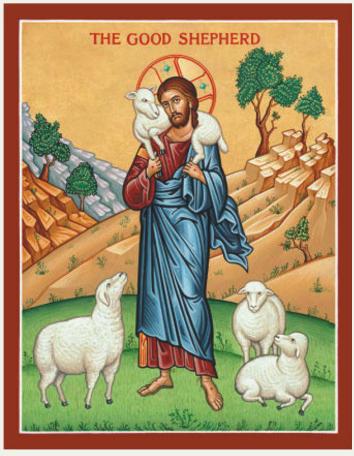
**Secretary:** Veganda Wasserman saintpat@stpatrickga.org

**Bookkeeper:** Tina Davidson saintpatbooks@stpatrickga.org

Bulletin and Records: Lyn Gavel saintpataa@stpatrickga.org

### Fourth Sunday of Easter Sunday — May 12, 2019

The Gospel Reading is: John 10:27–30



# A Prayer to the Good Shepherd

My God and Father, give me new strength from the courage of Christ, our Savior and Redeemer. He is our Good Shepherd. Let me hear the sound of His voice, lead my steps in the path He has shown, that I may receive His help and enjoy the light of Your presence forever.

Strengthened by the Eucharist, may I feel its saving power in my daily life till I reach eternal life with You. Lead me to join the Saints in heaven. Amen

### **Mission Statement**



We are a Community of Word and Sacrament, Called by CHRIST to grow in Faith, Hope, and Love; to Foster Community; and Evangelize.



# **Our Church Prayer List**

Carolyn Bennett James Bennett Susan Davenport Martha Day Marie Johnson Rick King Roland Lallier the Martin family Aidan McAtee Pat Miles Danny Morris John C. O'Day Sharon Rebeske Catherine Rosenberg

### Robbie Roberson Naomi Sautter Aimee Sears Carol Strandburg Aidan Wilson Charlie Wisekal

Vicky Austin & Frances Story Josiah Molettiere and parents Donald "Robbie" Roberson Joe & Beverly Sendek Ted & Dolores Walter Aria Wilson (infant) & parents Melissa & Erica Guidry

★ Names remain for 30 days ★

# **Family Promise and Club 247**

<u>Family Promise</u> is in need of: *Walmart Gift Cards* (Please put gift cards in Office Box.) Family Promise helps homeless <u>families</u>

**<u>Club 247</u>** For as little as \$2.47 a week, you can help put an end to homelessness. Flyers are on the hallway bulletin board.

Thank you for your generosity!

## **Prayer for Vocations**

O God, hear our prayer and let our cry come unto You. Bless our Diocese of Savannah with many vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and religious life. Give the men and women you call the light to understand Your gift, and the love to follow always in the footsteps of Your priestly Son. Amen.

# Stewardship / Fourth Sunday of Easter

The disciples were filled with joy and the Holy Spirit. **Acts 13:52** 

Paul and Barnabas have just been harassed by some people in Antioch and chased out of town, yet they're happy as can be. Obviously they didn't have a problem with rejection! That makes them pretty good role models for a steward, actually for anyone striving to live and proclaim the Good News.

# Bishop's Annual Appeal 2019

Our BAA Goal is **\$42,642**.

Please put <u>all</u> Bishop's Annual Appeal (BAA) donations in the Office Box.
Make payable to: "*Diocese of Savannah.*" put: "*St. Patrick – BAA*" in the memo line.

# https://diosav.org/baa



# Via Lucis

Join us here at St. Patrick as we walk with the disciples on the "Via Lucis " or "The Way of the Light". **Friday nights**, beginning at **6:30 p.m.** We will process weekly from the resurrection through decent of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost.

Like the Via Crucis (Way of the Cross), we will pray and reflect on the encounters of Christ from the Resurrection through Pentecost. We will finish with small group discussions on a few stations each week.



WO3 Cory Bischof A1C Frankie Bulin, Jr. Jonathan Buzhardt QM (SN) Trevor J. Chastain ETR3 Brett Couto SFC Matt Eubank Capt. Bill Freeman Capt. Austin Heil

### **Our Military Prayer List**

Capt. R. Zachary Frisch RCT Nicholas Harkins Lt. Tyler Heck SSgt David A. King Lt. Col. Devin Long MSgt John Robert MacNeil Aaron Massengill 1SG Grant Miller Joseph "Ronie" Pioquinto Garret M. Purnell Major William Sautter PO1 Ben Steele 2Lt Logan Stockman AWV2 Kristopher Zelenak Capt Jamie Zimmermann Capt Ronnie Zimmermann



Thousands of couples who've experienced troubles in their marriage and find it difficult to communicate have been helped.

Reach for the Retrouvaille lifeline.

The next Retrouvaille Weekend will be held

May 31 – June 2, 2019 Near Charleston, SC

For more info and to register Visit: <u>http://www.helpourmarriage.com</u>

> All presentations are in English Workbooks are available in both English and Spanish

Happy Birthday to St. Patrick parishioner Mary Harden. She turned 100 years old last Sunday — May 5<sup>th</sup>!!!



# Music at the Mount

Mount de Sales Academy is entering its fifth season of *Music at the Mount*. This is their community outdoor concert series that showcases up-and-coming music artists.

Concerts will be held in the Academy's terraced amphitheater.

Enjoy a night full of music, food trucks with good eats, and a "wine down" wine tasting.

All proceeds of the event support the Academy's fine arts programs.

More info. at: <u>www.musicatthemount.com</u>

# **Attention 2019 Graduates**

Graduation Recognition for 2018 will be held at the 10:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday – May 19<sup>th</sup> at St. Patrick Church.

If you are graduating from high school, homeschool, college, or got your GED in 2019, please email Lyn at: saintpataa@stpatrickga.org.



Please send in: graduate's name, school name, GPA (if you want to), honors, awards, plans after graduation, (more school, work...). Names and pics, from Graduation Recognition Mass, will be listed in a future bulletin. Wear your cap & gown to Mass!



# Mrs. Mary and her family

(Pictured L—R) the birthday girl - Mary Harden, Janice Venable (daughter), Dave Venable (son-in-law), and Jo Ann Harden (daughter).

**Celebrate Recovery** will be starting a women's 12-step class at 7 p.m. on Monday — May 20<sup>th</sup> in room 226 of the PAC at Sacred Heart. For more information, call Alyson Hon at 478-787-5420.

# CELEBRATE RECOVERY

Don't cling to a mistake just because you spent a lot of time making it. Page 4

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		Mass		Lector		•		Altar Servers	Ushers
	xt Week	Saturday 5 p.m. May 11 <sup>th</sup>		B. Marino		J. Marino/J. Lyons V. & A. Toler			L. & M. Gavel J. Gavel/B. Sautter
	Next	Sunday 10:30 a.m. May 12 <sup>th</sup> R. Margetson			R. Rattary/S. Guimond K. Phillips/ A. & D. Hunter		E. Davies	J. Haimbaugh (Sacristan) H. Spruill/S. Abraham I. Spruill/J. Margetson	
		May 11 <sup>th</sup> Saturday		5 p.m. those living and, for the re		For our mothers. For the wel those living and, for the repos of those who've passed away.	se of the souls	by Fr. Eric R. Filmer	

s	May 12 <sup>th</sup>	Sunday	10:30 a.m.	Missa pro Populo	by Fr. Eric R Filmer	
Intentions	May 13 <sup>th</sup>	Monday	10 a.m.	For an increase in vocations to the clergy and religious life	by Fr. Eric R Filmer	
ss In	May 14 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday	10 a.m.	Health of Michael Moniz	by Jim Rezba	
Mass	May 15 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday	10 a.m.	† JoAnn Vierling	by John Vierling	
	May 18 <sup>th</sup>	Saturday	5 p.m.	Health & well-being of Melanie Holland	by Fr. Eric R Filmer	
	May 19 <sup>th</sup>	Sunday	10:30 a.m.	Missa pro Populo	by Fr. Eric R Filmer	

		Mass	Lector	Extraordinary Ministers	Altar Servers	Ushers	
	is Week	Saturday 5 p.m. May 18 <sup>th</sup>	G. Strandburg	M. Milush/R. Margetson M. & J. Hendrickson		R. Milush/J. Margetson K. & N. Eckert	
	This	Sunday 10:30 a.m. May 19 <sup>th</sup>	L. Gregor	P. Smagner/K. Phillips B. Swain/S. Abraham P. Taylor/		J. Haimbaugh/ H. Spruill/I. Spruill	

PICK OF THE WEEK

# **Feminine Genius** formed.org By Colleen Carroll Campbell

# **Celebrate Women Everywhere**

Discover the uniqueness of the nature and vocation of women, which are gifts from God to the whole world. Author and TV personality Colleen Carroll Campbell will give you a brand new appreciation of the dignity of women.

> To access information on formed.org, use St. Patrick Parish Code 384DDG

#### 2019

### **St. Patrick Parish Council**

President: Steve Abraham 478-224-8787

Vice President: Jane Krumwiede

Secretary: Kathleen Corsentino

Council Members:

Kathy Eckert Rebecca Johansen Ann Kane Pamela Smagner

**Finance Council Chair:** 

Pat Filholm 478-397-3178

#### **Useful Websites**

**Diocese of Savannah** https://diosav.org/

Holy Spirit in Macon https://www.holyspiritmacon.org/

Immaculate Conception in Dublin immaculate-conception-church.net/

**Our Lady of the Skies Chapel at Robins AFB** http://www.mybaseguide.com/air\_force/ 65-2956/robins\_afb\_our\_military

Sacred Heart in Warner Robins https://www.sacredheartwr.org/

**St. Joseph in Macon** https://stjosephmacon.wordpress.com/

**St. Juliana in Fort Valley** https://www.stjulianacc.org/

**St. Mark in Eastman** https://discovermass.com/church/ st-mark-eastman-ga/

**St. Peter Claver in Macon** https://www.spcccmacon.com/

**St. Michael in Montezuma** http://www.stmichaelsmontezuma.org/

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) http://www.usccb.org/

**The Vatican** http://w2.vatican.va/content/vatican/ it.html

### Ministries, Organizations, and Resources

Adult Choir and Music Director Arlene Roberge 478-953-8032 acroberge@cox.net

**Bereavement Committee:** Donna Carbon 478-987 4213 (Call church office)

Bible Study Kathy Walsh jmjkwalsh@yahoo.com 10:30 a.m. every Thursday in Library (after Mass or Communion Service)

**Celebrate Recovery:** Rebecca Johansen 478-731-5203 Meets at 7 p.m. every Tuesday in the **Sacred Heart Church Parish Activity Center** (PAC)

Cub Scouts: Chris Delcourt 603-502-2310

Cursillo: Bill and Victoria Campbell 478-538-6810 / 478-550-7887 victoria@middlegeorgialittle swimmers.com

**Family Promise**: Call the church office for more information! 478-987-4213

Knights of Columbus: Grand Knight Joe McCabe Fr. Michael A. Burke Council #14488 / 478-542-0562 maineacs1228@cox.net

### **Kroger Community Rewards**

Kroger is committed to helping communities grow and prosper through Kroger Community Rewards®. Once you enroll, all you have to do is shop at Kroger and swipe your Plus Card! ★ <u>To enroll</u>: Go to <u>Kroger.com</u>; Sign in to your Kroger Account; Click on 'My Account'; Click on 'Community Rewards (left side of page); Find 'Organization List'; Check the list of organization names; Look for 'St Patrick' (There is <u>NO</u> period between St and Patrick); **Be <u>sure</u> it is St Patrick Church in Kathleen, GA**; Select 'St Patrick" then Click 'Enroll'; A 'Donation Summary' page will come up; Your status will be listed as 'Enrolled.' ★ Please Remember: <u>ALL</u> participants must re-enroll each year.



Ladies Auxiliary

(of the Knights of Columbus) Kathy Drescher 478-988-1261 KatJimGA@comsouth.net

LIFE TEEN: Veganda Wasserman 478-987-4213 Find us on facebook: *St. Patrick Catholic Church Life Teen* 

Men's Group: Steve Merlino 478-955-8855 Steve.Merlino@hotmail.com

**RCIA:** (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) Deacon Jim and Arlene Roberge 478-953-8032

**Religious Education:** Director —Mary Pangborn 478-987-4213 saintpatre@stpatrickga.org Find us on facebook: *St. Patrick Catholic Church RE Program* 

Visitation: (for St. Patrick) Bill Johansen 478-218-5885

Wedding Coordinator:

Linda Hammonds 478-953-4502

WHIM: (With Him in Music) Mark Funke 660-553-8444 funkem660@gmail.com

The Martyr's Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ, reward the apostolic zeal of Friar Pedro de Corpa and his four companion Friars (Blas, Miguel, Antonio, and Francisco) who labored for the spiritual well-being of the native Guale people of Georgia, and gave their lives in witness to the Christian faith. Through their merits and intercession graciously grant the favor I humbly ask of You, so that, for the glory of Your Name, their heroic sacrifice may be officially recognized by the Church. Amen

TheGeorgiaMartyrs.org

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We welcome all visitors to our church. We are glad you are here worshipping with us. If you are attending Mass at St. Patrick Catholic Church on a regular basis, please consider making us your home church. Registration forms are in the Narthex, in the basket under the office box.



### St. Patrick Catholic Church Sacramental Policies

### Baptism

- \* Parents must be <u>registered</u> at St. Patrick and attend Mass for **3 months <u>before</u>** preparation.
- Parents must attend Baptism Prep Class so, please call the office to register for class!
- \* Godparents are invited to attend Baptism class.
- \* At least <u>one</u> godparent must be Catholic.
- \* Out of town godparents must provide a letter from their pastor as to their suitability to exercise this office.

### Marriage – Couples must:

- \* Contact the pastor <u>at least</u> **6 months** (or more) <u>prior</u> to desired wedding date.
- \* Complete FOCCUS inventory
- \* Participate in a pre-Cana course or marriage-prep weekend.
- \* <u>NO</u> wedding date is guaranteed until <u>ALL</u> Diocesan and Parish requirements are fulfilled.

### **First Communion and Confirmation**

- \* Family must be registered at St. Patrick.
- \* Preparation = two years of classes.
- \* Children must be at least 7 years old to receive First Communion <u>and</u> at least 13 years old for Confirmation.

### Do you have something to go in the bulletin?

**Email** Lyn at: **saintpataa@stpatrickga.org**, call the office 478-987-4213, or drop a note in the office box.

**Deadline** for submission is <u>at least 2 weeks</u> before your information needs to be in the bulletin!

#### Compendium of the Catechism of the Catholic Church

The Compendium of the Catechism of the Catholic Church is available for purchase at St. Patrick. It covers the essential aspects of our Catholic Faith in a "question and answer" format (used previously in the Baltimore Catechism). The book is available for \$5. Call the office for details on how to get your copy.

### **Proper Disposal of Sacramental Items**

The Knights of Columbus will collect your worn out or broken sacramental items and dispose of them in a reverent manner, according to church teachings.

The collection jar is on the Knights of Columbus table in the Narthex. Rosaries will be inspected, then repaired and reused (if possible). Please <u>**do not**</u> leave family heirlooms in the jar.

### Abuse Hotline Number

To report sexual abuse of a minor by a Diocese of Savannah employee, call the Abuse Hotline Number 888-357-5330 or The Office for the Protection of Children and Young People 912-201-4073/4

Catholic Pastoral Center 601 E. Liberty Street Savannah 31401 Toll-free Hotline: (888) 357-5330 Fax: (912) 201-4101

diosav.org childyouthprotection

**To report abuse** <u>locally</u>, contact the police <u>or</u> Houston County Department of Family and Children Services 478-988-7600

http://dfcs.dhs.georgia.gov/houston-county-dfcs-office.

State of GA Hotline: 1-855-442-4453 State of Georgia DFACS

### Please contact the church office:

if you have any changes in your email, phone, address, or military status; if you have moved or joined another parish; if you are homebound (or in a nursing home) and would like to receive Holy Communion; if you need to be added to our church or military prayer list; if a parishioner is in the hospital, or near death and needs Anointing of the Sick.

# The Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People

The Charter is a comprehensive set of procedures established by the USCCB in June 2002 for addressing allegations of sexual abuse of minors by Catholic clergy.

The Charter also includes guidelines for reconciliation, healing, accountability, and prevention of future acts of abuse.

http://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/child-and-youth -protection/charter.cfm.

### Want to donate online?



This is the QR code for *ConnectNow Online Giving*. Go to our St. Patrick website: stpatrickga.org. Click on the 'Online Donations" **logo** in lower right corner of the page, then follow the instructions.

**Donate by Text Message!** Text dollar amount of offering to **478-217-7615**. \*Note: messaging rates may apply\* <u>All donors</u> who text their donations and donate online (or through the mobile web interface) will have their giving history tied to their account.



**ParishSOFT** is our St. Patrick Database. You can register or edit your **family** information by typing in: https://savannah.parishsoftfamilysuite.com/

Celiac Disease, Non-Celiac Gluten Sensitivity, and Wheat Allergy

We have **special hosts**, approved by the Vatican, with a <u>very low</u> wheat gluten content.

Please call the church office and let us know if you need this type of host. 478-987-4213.

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# St. Patrick Calendar

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SUNDAY MONDAY 7		TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	Čath	ted at St. Patrick holic Church on	MAY 8	9	10	11
Her.	the	ay — April 21 <sup>st</sup> Easter Bunny! Matthew Bulin)	10 a.m. Mass	10 a.m. Mass	6:30 p.m. Via Lucis	9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Girl Scouts (SKH) Mrs. Wills
	Fibros con	urtesy of Marc Schroeder	6:30 p.m. RCIA	7 p.m. Knights of Columbus Meeting (SKH - step side) 6 p.m. ACTS (Core) meets in SKH (ramp Side)	6:30 p.m. Game Night Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus and Ladies Aux. (BYOB, snacks, & favorite game) OFFICE CLOSED	4 p.m. Confessions <b>5 p.m. Mass</b>
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
10:30 a.m. Mass	10 a.m. Mass	10 a.m. Mass	10 a.m. Mass	10 a.m. Mass		
					6:30 p.m. Via Lucis	4 p.m. Confessions 4:40 p.m.
Mother's Day	6:30 p.m. Parish Council (Library)		6:30 p.m. RCIA		OFFICE CLOSED	Rosary 5 p.m. Mass
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
9 a.m. to noon K of C breakfast (SKH)	10 a.m. Mass	10 a.m. Mass	10 a.m. Mass	10 a.m. Mass		
<b>10:30 a.m.</b> <b>Mass</b> and Graduation Recognition				Would you like to advertise your business on pg. 8 of our bulletin?		
				Email Rob Kennedy rkennedy	6:30 p.m. Via Lucis	4 p.m.
		6 p.m. Finance meeting (Library)	6:30 p.m. RCIA	@4LPi.com or call: 804-366-4838 for details	OFFICE CLOSED	Confessions 5 p.m. Mass



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