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Visit **stpatcc.org/staff** for the email addresses and telephone extensions for all our staff members.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Summer Hours

Monday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm Tuesday through Thursday 8:30 am - 8:00 pm Friday 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

LITURGY:

Weekend Mass: Saturday 4:30 pm and Sunday 8:30 am, 10:30 am and 5:00 pm Weekday Mass: Monday through Friday 8:00 am Tuesdays and Thursdays 5:30 pm Holy Days: 8:00 am, 12:05 pm and 5:30 pm

SACRAMENTS:

Baptism: To arrange a baptism and begin the required preparation class, call 480-998-3843 a minimum of three months in advance.

Marriage: Arrangements must be made a minimum of nine months in advance. Call the Parish Office for an appointment.

Reconciliation: Saturday 3:00 - 4:00 pm

Anointing of the Sick or Communion to the Sick: To request either sacrament, call the Parish Office.

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Dear Friends,

The Easter season reaches its high point with the Feast of Pentecost. Once Jesus is ready to return to the Father, the promise of the Paraclete, the Holy Spirit, is kept. As concern comes over the followers of Jesus that he will no longer be physically present to them, the gift of the Holy Spirit descends upon them.

This event has become the cornerstone of our faith: despite our human weakness, failings, and missing the point, we have been guided to this very day that the Church is still preaching the good news of the Gospel. People can easily point out the many sins, mistakes, and errors in the Church, yet the Holy Spirit guides us

and leads us to where the Father wants us to go. I suppose the beauty is that human beings are not the ones in charge; we simply cooperate and listen to the spirit.

I hope this can give comfort and guidance to those who struggle with the Church (which I am sure is all of us at some point in our lives) that we stumble, we make mistakes, and we are blind to doing what is right. Yet the Lord Jesus is ever present with all of us.

This does not mean we do not respond when something needs to be corrected or fixed, or take a different direction. We do not simply put our hands in the air and go "oh well." No, it means we listen to the Spirit, we continue to break open the Word of God, and we eat at the table of the Lord.

This past week, the Spirit was present on our campus with our annual Vacation Bible School. A total of 500 people were on campus to be with each other, learn the ways of Jesus, and be his witnesses in the world. Thank you to everyone who made this past week possible and served the children in their experience.

Peace in Christ,

Fr. Eric



Christian Disciples in Mission Living Beyond Sunday

BY ERIC TAMAYO, Pastoral Associate

The Well: A Place of Encounter and Healing

St. Patrick has long been concerned with addressing issues around mental health and promoting awareness. As a parish community St. Patrick hopes to serve as an avenue to provide literacy in mental health, reduce the stigma of mental illness, encourage conversations around mental illness, and create a safe environment for individuals to share and seek help. We are proud to partner with so many great organizations that support mental health such as grief support, Alcoholics Anonymous, National Alliance of Mental Illness family support, and Catholic Charities counseling services to name a few.

The issue of mental health is a growing issue as we learn more and more how important mental health is to a healthy and fruitful life. Along with the Diocese of Phoenix we hope to raise greater awareness of mental health, to help remove the stigma or embarrassment of those who suffer, and to advocate a clear message of recovery and hope, so everyone who needs help can get help. We are working in conjunction with the Office of Mental Health Ministry to help reduce the stigma around mental health while also educating and promoting advocacy. Part of the Diocese's vision for Mental Health Ministry in parishes is the establishment of "The Well," a designated space or room at the parish that is a safe space, a place of encounter for those experiencing challenges to gather and share their experiences and grow their relationship with God. A place for support groups, educational workshops and opportunities for accompaniment.

The image of the woman at the well has become a representation of what mental health ministry is all about. This encounter with Christ gives us a perfect example of what compassion, understanding, and

accompaniment is all about and is central to mental health ministry. This image of the woman at the well is displayed in our House of Mercy building designating our "Well." This "Well" provides a place for groups to come and gather in a safe space. This is also the place where we will be offering Mental Health First Aid Training. This training is a great way to be a part of raising awareness and learn how to respond to those struggling with mental health challenges. With this training you will be able to recognize signs and symptoms of mental health challenges, while also learning how to take care of your own mental health. Our next training will be offered here at St. Patrick on June 12 and 13 from 9:00 am - 2:00 pm. St. Patrick seeks to accompany those with mental health needs in the parish and the larger community in both a welcoming and meaningful way. If you are interested in attending Mental Health First Aid Training you can contact Eric Tamayo at etamayo@stpatcc.org.





Stewardship

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Happy Birthday Church! At Pentecost, the disciples received the Spirit's power not for their own glory, but to serve others, spread the gospel, and build up the Church. This moment marks the beginning of a new kind of stewardship -one rooted not only in caring for creation and resources but in boldly sharing spiritual gifts, time, and talents for God's mission. Just as the early believers responded to the Spirit by living in generous community, modern stewardship calls us to live with open hands and hearts, using what we've been given to glorify God and bless the world. How can we live generously this week?







Join the St. Patrick Team!

- Do you have a passion for Social Justice?
- Do you love to advocate for those less fortunate than yourself?
- Do you love to do outreach in the community?

If so, St. Patrick would love for you to join our Social Justice and Outreach Team. We have two positions currently available:

Coordinator of Parish Nurse Ministry Part Time 20 hours.

Social Justice and Outreach Associate Part Time 20 hours.

Please visit: **stpatcc.org/iwantto/work** to view the full job description for each position and to apply.

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Email your prayer request to: weprayforyou@stpatcc.org



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Hey, Teens & Adults!

Can you encourage kids in sports. crafts. being on stage ...

We need Volunteer Ministers for our Missoula Children's Theatre! Missoula Children's Theatre is a touring company that teaches our campers all about theater and produces a play with them in just one week. This year our show is HERCULES! and it's going to be a week of fun! No theatre or teaching experience necessary.

Who: High Schoolers and Adults! When: July 21 - July 26 with performances on July 25 & 26 Where: Here at St. Patrick What: Opportunities to help with small groups, games, crafts, music and much more! How: Sign up to serve today!

We need you!

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Contact: Renée Genetti at rgenetti@stpatcc.org

Register Here



JUNE 20

MEAL SERVICE - ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

LIFE TEEN ST. PATRICK

***REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

MEETING AT MESA LOCATION 3:30 - 6:30 pm

JUNE 29

LIFE TEEN MOVIE NIGHT

**After the 5:00 pm Mass IN THE YOUTH GARAGE

> JULY 6 - 11 LIFE TEEN SUMMER CAMP *REGISTRATION REQUIRED

JULY 18 - 20

STEUBENVILLE CONFERENCE *REGISTRATION REQUIRED

> JULY 27 LIFE TEEN WATER GAMES "After the 5:00 pm Mass IN THE YOUTH GARAGE

ST. PATRICK LIFE TEEN

AUGUST 9 - 10 16 - 17 23 - 24 LIFE TEEN TEAM AVAILABLE AFTER ALL MASSES

AUGUST 10 6:00 - 7:00 pm Youth Garage Open House

AUGUST 24 LIFE TEEN WELCOME DAY

***REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR ANY QUESTIONS CONTACT JESSE RODRIGUEZ JRODRIGUEZ@STPATCC.ORG 480-998-3843 EXT 205



Are you or someone you know hurting? Feeling Alone? We're Here to Help.

Life can be overwhelming: grief, illness, divorce, job loss, or simply feeling spiritually dry. You don't have to go through it alone.

Stephen Ministers are trained, compassionate parishioners who will walk alongside you with care, prayer, and confidentiality during difficult times.

If you or someone you know could benefit from a listening ear and a caring heart, we're here for you.

Contact Dr. Lenny Kelley at Ikelley@stpatcc.org to learn more or to request a Stephen Minister.

You are not alone. Let us care for you.



Social Justice



St. Patrick Catholic Community is partnering with Family Promise to host families the week of June 15.

Please keep them in your prayers.





Mass Readings

Pentecost Sunday

First Reading: Acts 2:1-11 Second Reading: 1Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13 Gospel Reading: John 20:19-23

Next Sunday: **The Most Holy Trinity** First Reading: Proverbs 8:22-31 Second Reading: Romans 5:1-5 Gospel Reading: John 16:12-15

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, June 9 8:00 am IJose Alfonso Villa

Tuesday, June 10

8:00 am	
5:30 pm	∜Virginia Lastowka

Wednesday, June 11

8:00 am

Thursday, June 12

守Gabe Hier ቁAntonina and Vito Gliozzo

PBetty and Larry Drukenbrod

Friday, June 138:00 amFor the people

Saturday, June 144:30 pmLeona Voltz and family

Sunday, June 15

8:30 am	ণ্টJohn and Mario Cavolo
10:30 am	
5:00 pm	✤Trinidad Flores

If you would like a specific Mass Intention offered for someone, living or deceased, please come to the Parish Office to schedule one.

Nurses Corner

Men's Health Month HEALTHY 2025 TIPS FOR MEN



7-9 hours of sleep.

with a number of chronic diseases and conditions, such as diabetes, cardiovascular disease, obesity, and depression.

Move More 🕞

Adults need at least 2% hours of moderate-intensity aerobic activity every week. Sprad your joging or gym activity out during the week, breaking it into smaller amounts of time rather than doing it all in one day.



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Drink Water Getting enough water every day is important for your health

Water helps keep your temperature normal, lubricates and cushions joints, protects your spinal coard and other sonsitive tissues, and gets rid of wastes through urination, perspiration, and bowd movements. It also helps control calories.

Stay on Top of Your Game

See your doctor or nurse for checkups. Certain diseases and conditions may not have symptoms so checkups help identify issues early or before they can become a problem. Pay attention to signs and symptoms such as chest pain, shortness of breath, excessive thirst, and problems with urination.





The best ways to manage stress in hard times are through self-care. Avoid drugs and alcohol. Stay connected

and seek help. Stay active and most of all make sure you take care of yourself.



Quitting smoking has immediate and long-term benefits. It improves your health and lowers your risk of heart disease, earneer, lung disease, and other smoking related illnesses.

Eat to THRIVE

Getting enough nutrition is crucial.

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Participate in tun activities you enoy every day, like hiking, biking, sports, relaxing, listoning to music, and seeing friends and family. Look forward to each and every day!

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CARE and SUPPORT AT ST. PATRICK

Cancer Support This support group is for those dealing with the effects of cancer in their lives and their families' lives. Group meets virtually the first Wednesday of the month, September to May, 7:00 - 8:30 pm. For more information please contact Gloria Yturralde at 602-370-7042.

Divorced/Separated The "Catholic Divorce Survival Guide" is a twelve part program of sharing, comfort, and healing for divorced or separated people. It is a journey of learning, reflection, and prayer. All are welcome. This course is offered in the spring and fall. For more information contact Benny Jetson at 602-920-1671 or Therese Mexas at 480-278-3805.

Family, Personal Support Catholic Charities Counselor available Mondays from 9:00 am - 4:00 pm. For an appointment call 602-749-4405. Fees based on sliding scale.

Annulment Support—A group of annulment ministers help people navigate the system of annulments in the Phoenix Diocese. For an appointment call 480-264-4319.

Prayer Support Small Christian Communities is a support for people who have a desire to pray with others in a supportive community. For prayer requests email to **weprayforyou@stpatcc.org**.

Grief Support Help and encouragement after the death of a loved one GriefShare is a special weekly Monday or Tuesday seminar and support group designed to help you rebuild your life. We know it hurts, and we want to help. Please contact Kathleen Trilk at **ktrilk@stpatcc.org**.

Benefits Assistance Program Assistance with Medicare and other health insurance benefits available for seniors, the disabled and caregivers. For information, please call Connie Jada at 480-998-3843 ext. 138.

The Next Chapter A group for men and women further along on their grief journey to address the ongoing needs after the loss of a loved one through spiritual, educational and social activities. Please contact Peg Bohnert at **thenextchapter@stpatcc.org.**

NAMI Family Support Group - This group is a free, confidential and safe place, open to family members, partners and friends of individuals living with a mental illness in order to support each other. Group meets the first and third Tuesdays of the month, 6:00-7:30 pm in the House of Mercy/Pope Francis Room. Questions: **email:** I.boman@namivalleyofthesun.org or web: namivalleyofthesun.org



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Would you like to feel closer to your spouse by resolving conflicts effectively? The more we can work through our issues effectively, the closer we will feel to each other, and the more we will feel heard!!

> **COUPLE COMMUNICATION PROGRAM** August 16 and 23 - 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Cost: \$200 per couple, includes a continental breakfast and materials. Held at the House of Mercy, St. Patrick.

After our August workshop, the next one will not be until Spring 2026!! Contact Bonnie to sign up or get more information! bonnie@therapywithheart.com

This Program will teach Talking and Listening Skills and a Conflict Resolution Process. It is a wonderful Marriage Enrichment and it is also offered to our Engaged Couples at St. Patrick as they prepare for their Marriage. Married couples and engaged couples have attended and it has been most rewarding for all involved! Join us and improve your communication skills and have some fun!

Contact Gerry Blakeman, Marriage Preparation Coordinator gblakeman@stpatcc.org

Advanced Theological Studies with Fr. André The next meeting will be held on Monday, June 16 at 9:00 am in Fenlon Hospitality Center. This is the last meeting of the summer.



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Saturday, June 14 at 2:00 pm St. Patrick Catholic Community Scottsdale, AZ Daily Mass Chapel with reception to follow at 3:00 pm Guests are invited.



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Website: splifeteen.com Facebook Page: facebook.com/splifeteen Instagram: splifeteen **ROCK45** is off for the summer and will resume in the Fall. In the meantime, here are some fun, creative ways to nurture your tween's faith this summer. Enjoy!



Blessings from A to Z:

While we head to camp or venture out on road trips during the

summer, we play an easy alphabet game. For every letter of the alphabet, we try to state an attribute of God or name a blessing He has given us. Next, we name family members, friends, teachers and neighbors, and pray for them. The time passes quickly when everyone remembers God's character, His blessings and our friends..... Joanna H.

ROCK45 is our faith formation program for 4th & 5th grade youth. ROCK45 will resume in Sept. Questions? Please email Diane Kar at **dkar@stpatcc.org** or 480-998-3843 ext. 209

Please contact Matt Curran at mcurran@stpatcc.org for information.

Life Teen Summer Camp is around the corner, happening July 6 - 11 in Julian, CA! This is an unforgettable week where teens will encounter Christ through the sacraments, powerful prayer experiences, small group discussions, and dynamic speakers who foster authentic community. Beyond the spiritual, campers will also enjoy rope courses, obstacle challenges, messy games, free time, and three delicious meals plus a snack each day. We'll depart the morning of July 6 and return the evening of the July 11.

Scholarships are available, so please don't hesitate to reach out if cost is a concern we want every teen to have the opportunity to go! To register, go to our website: **stpatcc.org/ltcamp**.

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The Summer Fun Materials are ready for pick-up. Please reach out to Carol LoPorto to make arrangements to get yours today. (cloporto@stpatcc.org 480-998-3843 ext. 211.)

Family Faith Formation is our at home catechetical program, where we support parents with enriching materials to bring faith alive in the home.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) is our weekly formation program for children age 4 through 3rd grade, incorporating Montessori principles to help children hear and respond to the loving call of Jesus, the Good Shepherd, who has loved them first and calls them by name. Classes meet after school and early evening for an hour and a half, once a week, September through April. Contact: Renee Genetti at **rgenetti@stpatcc.org**, 480-998-3843 ext. 223.

Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW) is taking a summer break! What a wonderful year it's been—filled with joy, learning, and growing together in God's love. We're so grateful for the children who joined us and can't wait to welcome everyone back in September during the 8:30 and 10:30 am Masses.

We're also looking for kind and enthusiastic adults to help bring the Word of God to life for our young ones. No experience? No problem! We provide all the training you'll need.

If you're interested in being part of this meaningful ministry, please reach out to Yasmine Rodriguez at the parish office: **yrodriguez@stpatcc.org**. We'd love to have you join the team!

Young Disciples is on summer break! What a fantastic year we've had—full of learning, laughter, crafts, and creativity! We're so grateful for all the little ones who joined us and can't wait to welcome them back this September during the 8:30 and 10:30 am Masses.

Young Disciples is specially designed for potty-trained preschoolers (ages 3–5) to experience the Gospel in a fun and meaningful way—through stories, puppets, drama, and song.

Want to learn more or interested in becoming a volunteer minister? Reach out to Yasmine Rodriguez at **yrodriguez@stpatcc.org**.



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