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

St. Patrick understands the importance of making sure that funeral Masses and services are done well. Staff member Torri Winn is responsible for coordinating information from family members and overseeing the ministers who will be present at the funeral. Looking at the number of funerals for last year we had close to 100 funeral services. The interesting fact is about half of the funerals were for parishioners. The other half was for those who were not parishioners. It is important that a parish does what it can to ensure that any person is able to have the dignity of a Christian burial. At St. Patrick, some of the reasons for that number is we encounter people at two Honor Health Hospitals and care facilities within our parish boundaries. For some, they either have not attended a parish for a while

or were unable to be part of the community because of health reasons. Our ministers and I make sure that families are always welcome to consider St. Patrick for a possible funeral service if they choose to have one.

The St. Patrick funeral ministry makes every effort to welcome parishioners, Catholics from other parishes, Christian brothers and sisters, and those who come from different faith traditions. We take the time to not only welcome, but guide everyone on what is happening in our rituals and know all have a role in the Mass/service. For those who do not receive communion, they are invited to come forward for a blessing. The number of people who choose to do this is amazing. To not be part of the Catholic family, but to feel welcomed to leave their pews and come forward for a blessing gives great witness to how hospitality is central to our Catholic liturgies.

We are open to offering funeral receptions and there is no charge for the reception. The only reminder is Fenlon Hospitality Center may not be available on the date of the funeral based on the many activities happening in our parish, but we do our best to make that happen.

More and more people in our country are choosing to have nothing when a loved one dies. I invite parishioners to know our belief in the Resurrection, the dignity of human life that comes from God, and being a member of the Body of Christ makes it right and good that everyone should have the honor of a Christian burial as we ask God to give kind admittance into his Kingdom.

Peace in Christ,

Fr. Eric



Christian Disciples in Mission Living Beyond Sunday

BY ERIC TAMAYO, Pastoral Associate

Adoration: Spending Time in His Presence

Our faith in the real presence of Christ in the Eucharist extends beyond the celebration of the Mass on Sundays. One of the beautiful things about the Catholic Church is that no matter where you are in the world when you walk into a Catholic Church you will always find a tabernacle and know that the Lord is there. There is something truly special about being able to sit and pray in the presence of the Lord in adoration. Christ is always speaking to us but many times we struggle to listen in the midst of the world. Having a time of silence dedicated to prayer and adoration helps us hear God guiding us. If you are struggling to know God's plan in your life, if you are trying to deepen your spirituality, or if you simply need to experience the love of Christ in your life, I would say go to Adoration.

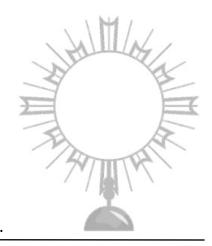
St. John Paul II especially recognized the need for Eucharistic worship in the Church and the world. He proposed our adoration of the Lord should never cease. I have heard some people argue, "why do I need to go to church to pray," or "why do I need to go to adoration if God is everywhere?" While I agree God is everywhere and we should incorporate prayer into every aspect of our life, as humans we need a place set apart. Life is full of distractions and things fighting for our attention and so it makes all the difference to dedicate time being with the Lord.

The first fruit of Eucharistic contemplation is discovering the immense love of Christ and the gift he has given us in the Eucharist.

The Catechism says, "Adoration is the first attitude of man acknowledging that he is a creature before his Creator. It exalts the greatness of the Lord who made us and the almighty power of the Savior who sets us free from evil. Adoration is the homage of the spirit to the King of Glory, respectful silence in the presence of the ever-greater God."

If you have never been to Eucharistic Adoration or even if it has been a long time since you have gone, I encourage you to go this week. Spend time with the Lord. With elections approaching, throughout the month of October we will have time for Adoration in the Daily Mass Chapel to pray for our country and our nation's leaders.

Adoration will be available Tuesday evenings following 5:30 pm Mass until 7:00 pm and on Thursday mornings following 8:00 am Mass until 11:00 am. The Lord is waiting, it is up to us to respond.











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October 15 through December 10, 2024

When Medicare Open Enrollment begins every year in mid-October, it is the perfect time to review your Medicare coverage options. Individuals who have a Medicare Prescription Drug Plan OR are a member of a Medicare Advantage plan should carefully read the Annual Notice of Change sent to them in September; this contains information for 2025, including changes to monthly premium, deductible, cost sharing, and drug formularies.

In 2025, there will be two major changes to Medicare's drug coverage, so reading the Annual Notice of Change is critical this year.

For free assistance with the Medicare Plan Finder and choices for 2025, appointments will be available with the nonprofit Area Agency on Aging Benefits Assistance Program Counselor at St. Patrick – every Tuesday morning from October 15 through December 10, 2024.

Please contact Connie Jada at 480-998-3843 ext. 138 to schedule an appointment.



Advanced Theological Studies with Fr. André

The next meeting will be held on Monday, October 21 at 9:00 am in Fenlon Hospitality Center.

Please mark your calendars for these upcoming meeting dates: November 18 and December 16.









Elementary Formation 24/25

Make-up Parent Orientation

Friday, Oct. 18, 9:00 - 10:30 am Fenlon Hospitality Center

Do you have an elementary-aged child ready to prepare for **First Reconciliation, Confirmation or First Communion?**The first step in registering for sacraments is to attend a Parent Orientation. No need to RSVP.

Questions? Contact Diane Kar (dkar@stpatcc.org /480-998-3843 ext. 209)

Registration for Sacraments follows attendance at a Parent Orientation.







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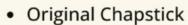


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Grief Support

SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS

Register at griefshare.com
by selecting one of the workshops at St. Patrick Catholic Community
Questions: griefsupport@stpatcc.org

Attend either:

Monday October 28 6:00 - 7:30 pm

OR

Tuesday October 29 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

House of Mercy Dorothy Day Room



Social Justice



Arizona Protective Order Initiation & Notification Tool

One tool or option to help keep an abuser away from you is to obtain an Order of Protection (OP) which can be issued from Superior court, any Justice of the Peace court (JP), or any Municipal court in Arizona during normal business hours. A law enforcement officer can help you obtain an Emergency Order of Protection after business hours or holidays. An OP is only valid after it has been served and is valid for 24 months. If the person served violates the stipulations within this order, he or she can be arrested and jailed for this violation.

When applying for this order, you can and should stipulate that the person is to have no contact whatsoever either in person, by phone, electronically, or social media. This order must be served by a process server (your cost) or a law enforcement officer (no cost). Once the order is served to the offender, the paperwork will be forwarded to the Maricopa Sheriff's Office and kept on file. You should keep a copy as well. Keep in mind, however, that an OP is merely a piece of paper that obviously will not physically restrain someone from staying away should they choose to violate the order. It does not guarantee safety, so always be cognizant of your surroundings.

An OP seeks protection from someone you have lived with now or in the past. This applies to a current or former spouse, someone with whom you are having a romantic relationship, one party pregnant by the other party or have a child in common, your relative (ask the court for specifics), or one of the parties is a parent, grandparent, in-law, or sibling.

Go to **azpoint.azcourts.gov** to get started. There is no fee.

For any emergency, call 9-1-1 and get to a safe place. For any other non-emergency concerns around domestic violence call the National Domestic Violence Hotline 24/7 at 1-800-799-7233 (SAFE).

You may also text "START" to 88788 or go to **thehotline.org**.

Mass Readings

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Wisdom 7:7-11 Second Reading: Hebrews 4:12-13 Gospel Reading: Mark 10:17-30

Next Sunday:

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Isaiah 53:10-11 Second Reading: Hebrews 4:14-16 Gospel Reading: Mark 10:35-45

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, October 14

8:00 am \$Soledad Velez

Tuesday, October 15

8:00 am PLynda Hopkins

5:30 pm PRosemary & Norm Lambert

Wednesday, October 16

8:00 am For the people

Thursday, October 17

8:00 am †Dolores Maseeh 5:30 pm †Mary Ann Kelley

Friday, October 18

8:00 am †Alex Alba

Saturday, October 19

4:30 pm †Barbara Ann Wojcik

Sunday, October 20

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

Did you know...sleep is as important for good health as diet and exercise?

During sleep, your body is working to support healthy brain function and maintain physical health. In children and teens, sleep also helps support growth and development. Lack of sufficient sleep can impair your abilities to concentrate, think clearly and process memories.

Exercise

A brisk walk every day will not only keep you fit, but will also keep you sleeping better. Keep an eye on the timing of your workouts. Exercise too close to bedtime can be stimulating.

Keep it comfortable



Make sure your bedroom is as comfortable as possible.

Eat, but not too much

A grumbling stomach can keep you awake, but so can an overfull stomach. Avoid eating a big meal within two to three hours of bedtime.

Start a sleep ritual

Sleep rituals help signal the body and mind that it's time for sleep. Turn off electronics, try drinking some warm milk or relax by taking a bath. You can also listen to calming music before bed to relax.

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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Hope Exists Is a confidential, no cost support group for parents and families suffering from the effects of a loved one's addiction. We offer educational topics from the recovery community and a network of support that goes beyond just the meeting. We meet Sat. 10-11:30 am at St. Patrick's House of Mercy building E. For more information call 480-998-3843 or email hopeexists@stpatcc.org.



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With elections approaching, we invite you to join us in Adoration in front of the Blessed Sacrament as we pray for our country and our nation's leaders throughout the month of October.

Adoration will be held in the Daily Mass Chapel every Tuesday evening after the 5:30 pm Mass until 7:00 pm and every Thursday morning after the 8:00 am Mass until 11:00 am.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Part Time Evening Receptionist
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If you are interested in joining That Man is You!, please join us on Wednesday mornings at 6:30 am in the House of Mercy (Pope Francis room). We will be done by 7:50 am.

For more information, please contact John Nichols at: tmiy@stpatcc.org.



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Diane Kar 480-998-3843 ext. 209 dkar@stpatcc.org ROCK45 is off for this next week for Fall Break. We will return with more fun, fellowship and learning on Oct. 21 when we take a CLOSER LOOK at "What happens when I'm Confirmed?"

October Schedule:

Oct. 14 - OFF

Oct. 21 - INFRARED - What happens when I'm Confirmed?

Oct. 28 - MICROSCOPE - Why is Eucharist So Important?



We hope and pray all 4th and 5th graders know they are welcome and BELONG to ROCK45. For more information, or to chat about your youth becoming involved in the program, contact Diane Kar (dkar@stpatcc.org / 480-998-3843 ext. 209). It's never too late to start attending ROCK45!!



Matt Curran 480-998-3843 ext. 206 mcurran@stpatcc.org

Instagram: @stpatrickedge sptheedge.org

We are officially into the heart of this semester of **EDGE**, and what a blast it has been so far! There will be no EDGE on Monday, October 14 for our Fall break.

There's lots more fun to come – we have another night of EDGE Monday October 21, from 6:30 - 8:00 pm.

Be sure to mark your calendars for the EDGE FALL RETREAT ~ November 22 - 24!! More details to come!



Jesse Rodriguez 480-998-3843 ext. 205 jrodriguez@stpatcc.org

Website: splifeteen.com Facebook Page:

facebook.com/splifeteen Instagram: splifeteen Life Teen has kicked off a new year, we are so blessed to have an amazing group of teens this year!

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materials to bring faith alive in the home.

Family Faith Formation is our at home catechetical program, where we support parents with enriching

If you missed our Fall Materials pick-up, please reach out to Diane Kar (dkar@stpatcc.org / 480-998-3843 ext. 209) to coordinate getting yours.



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 looking for caring adults who can help facilitate the program during Sunday Mass times. No prior knowledge is needed and training is provided. Please contact Yasmine Rodriguez (yrodriguez@stpatcc.org) at the parish office if you would like to find out more about CLOW.



Young Disciples is a program for potty-trained preschool aged youth, 3-5 years old to encounter the gospel through story, puppets, drama and song. Contact: Yasmine Rodriguez at **yrodriguez@stpatcc.org**.





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