



# St. Patrick PARISH

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**May 14, 2017**  
**FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

### FROM OUR PASTOR...

Dear friends,

Hope you had a good week and you are all doing well. I understand that the farmers are not happy with the weather the way it is, raining frequently and not letting them do their farm work. Maybe we should pray that they have conducive weather to do their farm work.

Once there was a king who had complaints about corruption among the ministers who held the office of the welfare of the people. When the king asked them about the complaint, they said they were not corrupt but sincere in serving the people. The king wanted to test them and see if what the ministers said was true. So the king called the three ministers and told them this way: Now I have a plan for three of you. You will be given a big bag and you have to go to the forest and collect all fruits that can be eaten by a man. When you bring the bag, we will give them to some poor men who can eat and live for two weeks. We will not check the bag when you bring the bag. Your day starts today". The three ministers went in search of fruits in the forest.

The first man thought that since no one was going to check the bag, we can get some good fruits and the rest we could fill the bag with any kind of fruits, good, bad and even rotten ones. Thinking so, he did it that way. The second one also thought that he could fill the bag with withered leaves and cover the top with a few fruits. And so he did. But the third one thought that his bag was going to be given to a poor man who would eat the fruits of the bag for his survival. Thinking so, he tried his best to collect good fruits and so he did.

The three of them came back to the palace and handed over the bags to the king. The king told the soldiers, "Take these three people and put them in separate cells and they need to eat the fruits they collected. After two weeks I will meet them." So they threw them into separate cells. The second person who filled the bag with withered leaves did not have anything to eat and he died in a few days. The first person who collected good, bad and rotten fruits managed to survive but his health was spoiled. The third person who collected good fruits ate the fruits he collected and lived healthy for the two weeks. After the third week the king came and made him the head of all the ministers in the palace.

What we want to do for others will be done to us. We need to do good for others, if we want others to do good for us. "In everything, therefore, treat people the same way you want them to treat you, for this is the Law and the Prophets". (Mt: 7:12). In all practicality, this is very true. We are celebrating Mother's Day this weekend. Biological mothers want to do always good for their children. But we, every one of us, need to become mothers for all people in doing good for other people.

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY.

Sincerely in Christ,

Fr. A. Antony.

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### **WEEKEND MASSES**

Saturday 5:00 PM  
Sunday 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM

### **WEEKDAY MASSES**

Tuesday 5:30 PM  
Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 8:00 AM  
First Saturdays 8:00 AM

### **DAILY ROSARY**

Before 8 AM Mass at 7:25 AM

### **HOLY HOUR**

Mondays at 3:00 PM

### **CONFESSIONS**

Saturdays at 4:00 PM

### **EXPOSITION & BENEDICTION**

First Fridays beginning at 9:00 AM  
All other Fridays beginning at 3:00 PM  
Benediction at 4:00 PM

**Mass Intentions for the week of May 14, 2017**

Sat. May 13 5:00 PM For the repose of the soul of  
*Louis Varga*

Sun. May 14 8:00 AM For our Parishioners

10:00 AM For the repose of the soul of  
*Bernice Bohan*

Tue. May 16 5:30 PM For the repose of the soul of  
*Bernice Bohan*

Wed. May 17 8:00 AM For the repose of the soul of  
*Natalie Steiner*

2:00 PM FAIRVIEW NURSING HOME

Thu. May 18 8:00 AM For the repose of the souls of  
*Carl & Marion Modrich*

Fri. May 19 8:00 AM For the Deceased Members of  
*The Al & Julia Kastner Family*

Sat. May 20 5:00 PM For the repose of the soul of  
*Jack Koca*

Sun. May 21 8:00 AM For our Parishioners

10:00 AM For the repose of the souls of  
*Joseph & Phyllis Pochop*

**Pray for the health of** Max Teumer, Ben Reynebeau, Julie (Watry) Stoner, Rosemary Lehnen, Patrick Lewis, Vivian G., Russell Fairchild, William Roberts, Bonnie Norton, Deb Beyer, Diana Hunt, Jessie Norton, Tricia Demmin, Bernard Resch, Laverne, John Kueppers, Shirley Mills, Ruth Clark, Karen Caple, Lis, Joe Dolphin, Maxine Grefe, Mary Ann Witcraft, Denise Dean, Bill Chase, Kathy, Kevin L., Kiley Hackel, Shari Randall, Jon Waalk, Helen Eucolono, Rita Burdick, Ethel Passer, Bill Eisch, Sid Mead, Steve, Art Randall, Ruby Steiner, Marie Hersil, Becky Fredrickson, Mary W., Sally Haas, Bob W., Dale Dolata, Therese, Gale Ryczek, Sandy Sarazin, Mary Sauer, Pete Ruland, Margaret Gabay, Mary Allaby, Audrey Gillen, Rita Kueppers, Mary Jane Pfaff, Cindy Mueller, Lucille Ryczek, George Gabay, Jim Smith, Sadie Ravenscroft, Anne Nancolas, Rosemary Wier, Connie Lechleiter, Jim Czajka, Skip Kuwitzky, RM, Darlene Skalak and the Moore Family.

**Pray for those in the military serving our country:** Jason Witkowiak, John Miller, Tera Walsh, Casey Chamberlain, Chris Dvorak, Paul Knudtson, Jon Taylor, Jessica Burch, Mandy Gardner, Aaron Hoogland and Jessica Tremain.

**If someone you know becomes hospitalized** and would like a visit, please call Cassandra at the church office. To be included on the prayer line or to be listed in the bulletin prayer list, you may also call the church office at 847-6054.

**Thank you to our Catechists!!**

Thank you to those who dedicated their time and gifts of sharing our Catholic faith with our parish youth in our 2016/2017 Religious Education Program! Connie Walhovd ~1st, Ann Benz ~2nd, Haley Gruber ~ 3rd & 4th, Michelle Komiskey ~5th, Amy Goodman ~6th, Therese Gunther ~7th & 8th with Tom Gruman assisting, Gina Boppart ~9th, and Keilah Powers ~ Confirmation.

**Stewardship Corner ~ May 6th & 7th, 2017**  
**(543 Registered Families)**

	<b>BUDGETED</b>	<b>ACTUAL</b>
Adult Envelopes	\$ 8,134.61	\$ 6,692.00
On-Line Giving		1,070.00
Children's Envelopes	28.84	11.00
Loose Offering	615.39	477.10
<b>Total Weekly Offering:</b>	<b>\$ 8,778.84</b>	<b>\$ 8,250.10</b>

Budget Contingency Fund \$

Year-to-date\* budget requirement \$395,047.80

Year-to-date amount contributed \$354,556.61

\*Fiscal Year July 1, 2016 to current date

We ask you to join us in praying sincerely for guidance and success in helping to meet the temporal needs of our Church so that we can carry on our spiritual mission.

**INTERESTED IN ON LINE GIVING? There are post cards in the pews with instructions on setting up your On—Line Giving Account. Need more help? Just call the rectory.** Or you can visit our website, [www.stpatrickismauston.com](http://www.stpatrickismauston.com) and click our Online Giving link. When you participate, your gift will be securely transferred directly into the parish bank account. This is a convenient and safe way to make a one-time or recurring donation.

**Weekly Calendar**

Monday May 15 3:00 PM Holy Hour

Thursday May 18 11—1 Rosary Makers at Joe's  
Diner in Lyndon Station

6:00 PM Parish Council Mtg.

Friday May 19 8:45 AM Friday Folders

**ATTENTION KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEN— THE MAY KC'S MEETING HAS BEEN CANCELLED.** The next meeting will be Tuesday, June 20th at 7 PM.

**MASS WILL BE CELEBRATED AT 8:00 AM ON MONDAY, MAY 29th (MEMORIAL DAY) HERE AT ST. PATRICK CHURCH.**

**There will be a Memorial Day Service** at St. Patrick Cemetery at 11 AM on Monday, May 29th. Let us remember those who have sacrificed to keep us safe.

**Eternal Rest, Grant Unto Them, O Lord.** We offer our prayers and condolences to the families and friends of Bob Boehm, Bill Smith, and Bill Leipart who passed away recently. May perpetual light shine upon them.

**Trinity Dome Collection ~** The Bishops of the United States have approved a special one-time second collection to take place in parishes across the nation on Mother's Day 2017 to support the mosaic ornamentation of the Holy Trinity Dome, the crowning jewel of the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. We will be taking a second collection this weekend to support this effort. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of May 13th & 14th**

**Saturday 5:00 PM**

Lectors: Jerilynn Kolba  
Extraordinary Ministers: Dorothy Gorski  
Servers: Lydia Chapman, Haley Marini, Alli Roose  
Greeters: Joan Potter, Marge Tremain  
Musicians: Ann Benz, Joyful Praise  
Gift Bearers: Brigitte Varga  
Scrip Seller: Lisa Nuttall  
Ushers: Bernie Lubinski, Bill Powers, Gerald Gardner  
Fran Lunenschloss

**Sunday, 8:00 AM**

Lectors: Veronica Sustar, Paul Schaller  
Servers: Marshal Skiles, Matthew Gunther, Dylan Demaske  
Greeters: Jerry & Marie Boehm, Geri Shore  
Musicians: Ann Benz, Joe Clary  
Gift Bearers: Therese Gunther & Family  
Scrip Seller: Therese Gunther  
Ushers: Dave Bosgraaf, Mike Lubinski, George Treml,  
Arnie Penzkover

**Sunday, 10:00 AM**

Lectors: Paul Curran, Millie Hovde  
Extraordinary Ministers:  
Servers: Anna & Eli Boppart  
Greeters: Barb & Shannon Cowan, Jeanne Walsh  
Musicians: Peg Schmitz, Carla Brunner  
Gift Bearers: Howard & Gina Boppart  
Scrip Seller: Gina Boppart  
Ushers: Jon Field, Corky Tralmer, Kurt Salverson,  
Greg Cowan

**10:00 AM Nursing Home Rosary:**

Chitra & Elaine Garrigan

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE—Weekend of May 20th & 21st**

Lectors: Roxanne Shragal  
Extraordinary Ministers: Rita Hamm  
Servers: Annah, Zach & Logan Lund  
Greeters: Ernie & Audrey Schmocker, Donna Bollig  
Musicians: Ann Benz  
Gift Bearers:  
Scrip Seller: Erin Lund  
Ushers: Bernie Lubinski, Bill Powers, Gerald Gardner  
Fran Lunenschloss

**Sunday, 8:00 AM**

Lectors: Mary Ann Strack, Larry Moore  
Servers: Braeden & Haley Heath, Noah Fry  
Greeters: Kathleen Quinn, Carol Gross  
Musicians: Ann Benz, Joe Clary  
Gift Bearers: George & Ruth Treml  
Scrip Seller: Tammy Heath  
Ushers: Dave Bosgraaf, Mike Lubinski, George Treml,  
Arnie Penzkover

**Sunday, 10:00 AM**

Lectors: Sue Hollenbeck, Howard Boppart  
Extraordinary Ministers: Howard Boppart  
Servers: Ethan & Olivia Lulich, Naome Pouillie  
Greeters: Corwin & Marlene Tralmer, Catherine Murray  
Musicians: Ann Benz  
Gift Bearers: Bill & Joelle Curran  
Scrip Seller: Amy Goodman  
Ushers: Jon Field, Corky Tralmer, Kurt Salverson,  
Greg Cowan

**2:00 PM Nursing Home Service:**

Deacon Juan Delgado

**DON'T FORGET TO  
PURCHASE YOUR SCRIP  
TODAY AFTER MASS!**

**DIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL**

**Our goal for this year is \$42,209**

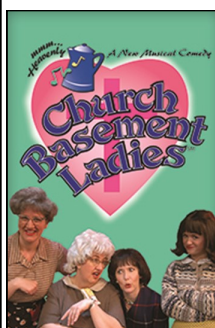
**Our Pledges to Date—\$31,073.00 (135 Families)**

Please take a moment and check out the Faith Boards that our Confirmation students created about themselves. Please remember to keep them in your prayers. They will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on

**Tuesday, May 16th**

at St. Francis of Assisi in Necedah.

**St. James Catholic Church—Camp Douglas Annual Chicken Dinner on Sunday, May 21st.** Serving from 11 AM—1 PM. Carry outs available. Come and enjoy some great grilled chicken!! 1/2 chicken dinner \$9.50. 1/4 chicken dinner \$6.50.



Join us to find out just how the Church Ladies do it all!!

**Saturday, August 5th**

**At the Fireside Theatre in  
Fort Atkinson**

**\$85.00 per person**

**Cost includes round trip transportation, dinner, gratuity and the show.**

**We'll leave St. Patrick's at**

**8:30 AM and return back to St. Patrick's by 5:30 PM.**

**Please RSVP by July 1st to the rectory office.**

**We are looking for 3 or 4 families who would be willing to help keep the flowers outside of church watered this summer. Each family will water one day a week. We'll have supplies here on the rectory porch for you to use. Plants will need to be watered Memorial Day through the Fall Festival. If you can help us out, please call the rectory. Thanks!!!**

**Happy  
Mothers' Day!!**