

November 22, 2026 • Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday-Friday 7:00 & 11:45 a.m.
Saturday 7:00 a.m., 5:00 p.m. (Anticipated)
Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 10:30 a.m. &
12:00 Noon *(ad orientem)*
Holy Days of Obligation: 6:30 p.m. (Anticipated),
7:00 & 10:00 a.m.,
12:00 Noon *(ad orientem)*, 6:30 p.m.

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CONFESSIONS Monday-Friday: 12:15 p.m. until all are heard
Saturday: 4:00-5:00 p.m. • Sunday: thirty minutes before each Mass
First Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. until all are heard (Gallery Confessional)

DEVOTIONS
The Holy Rosary follows the 11:45 a.m. Mass on weekdays. The Dominican Rosary is prayed at 4:30 p.m. on Saturdays and 8:30 a.m. on Sundays.
Eucharistic Adoration 12:15-8:00 p.m. on Tuesdays.
Novena to St. Margaret of Castello (with the veneration of her relic) follows the 7:00 a.m. and 11:45 a.m. Masses on Wednesdays.
Holy Hour with Benediction 12:15-1:15 p.m. on Fridays.
Fatima Devotions follow the 7:00 a.m. Mass on First Saturdays.
All Night Eucharistic Adoration for Life Third Friday of the month from 8:00 p.m. until Benediction at 6:45 a.m. on Saturday, with recitation of the Holy Rosary at a local abortion facility following the Saturday 7:00 a.m. Mass.
All Night Eucharistic Adoration for Vocations Fourth Friday of the month from 8:00 p.m. until Benediction at 6:45 a.m. on Saturday.
Stations of the Cross (during Lent) 7:00 p.m. on Fridays.

The St. Gerard Mother's Blessing and enrollments in the Angelic Warfare Confraternity and the Rosary Confraternity are scheduled three times during the year after all Masses.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM Sundays at 1:15 p.m. Please contact the parish office to schedule your child's baptism. First-time parents must attend a baptism class on the second Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY Please contact the parish office at least nine months before your intended wedding date to fill out a Marriage Request Form. Non-parishioners must receive the permission of their pastor before scheduling their wedding at St. Patrick's.

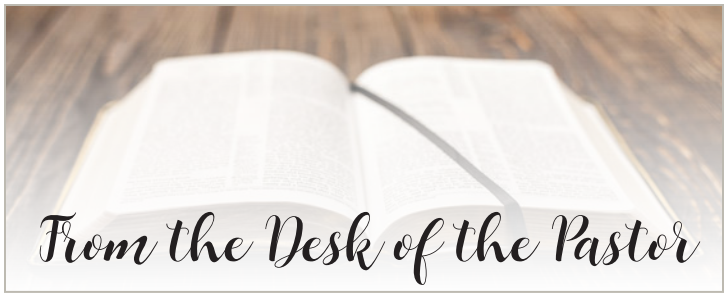
PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK Parishioners experiencing a medical emergency requiring the sacraments for someone in danger of death should call 614-224-9522, and press "8" to contact the priest on duty. Homebound parishioners who would like to schedule monthly visits from a priest and/or weekly visits from an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion to the Homebound should contact the parish office.

DIOCESAN SHRINE OF SAINT MARGARET OF CASTELLO, O.P.
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Dominican Friars

BULLETIN DEADLINE:
Please submit bulletin items a minimum of one week in advance of publication to Keelin Johnson, Bulletin Editor, at keelinjohnson@stpatrickcolumbus.org.



From the Desk of the Pastor

Today, we celebrate The Solemnity of Christ the King, in which we acknowledge Christ's kingship over the entire universe. While we may face struggles at home and abroad, there is great hope in remembering that Jesus is our king. Other kings, rulers, and nations rise and fall – Jesus remains victorious! The placement of this solemnity on the last Sunday of the liturgical year reminds us that while all things will come to an end, Christ's reign will not – it will continue for all eternity.

Every priest is ordained and configured to Christ under His three offices: priest, prophet, and king. We exercise Christ's priesthood whenever we offer the Mass and celebrate the sacraments. Our share in Christ's prophetic office is seen in our preaching and teaching. But what about the kingly office? How is an ordained priest, and more so a parish pastor, configured to Christ the King? For starters, this comes in the governance of a parish. As the pastor, many things come to my desk, from administrative questions to requests from staff and parishioners, awaiting my approval, or my decision to say "No." This is not done haphazardly, but with the guidance of the Holy Spirit, and with the best interests of the parish always in mind.

However, another way in which a priest lives Christ's kingly office is in the administration and care of the physical plant of a parish. Over the last months, we have been working on a number of physical improvements to our facilities, many of which you may have seen:

- the front steps of the priory were recently replaced. This is preparing the property for the installation of a new fence in the spring.
- the Lourdes grotto was power-washed and sealed, to avoid the buildup of grime and dirt in the future.
- the Altar Boy Sacristy was renovated with a new L.V.P. floor and repainted, in order to keep it a more fitting place of preparation before Mass. This is why the sound system had to be removed for a few days in mid-November (which also led to the sound system in the Gallery not working last weekend – my apologies about that!).
- somewhat unseen, but repairs were made to the basement stairwell/storage area between the priory and priory courtyard, which had become rather damp over the last couple of years.

And there are some other projects that we continue to work on. The new church lighting will be installed after the first of the year, and we will begin masonry and roof repair for the belltowers, which showed compromised areas during the summer rainstorms. Your support of *The Appeal*, and helping us reach and exceed our goal, will help defray the cost of these two projects.

I am grateful to our parish business manager, Frank Hartge, and to our building superintendent, Matt Jivanjee, for their assistance and guidance on these projects. The three of us meet every Thursday morning for a maintenance meeting to go over any long-term projects or short-term repairs that are needed on the parish grounds. I am also grateful to the parish Finance Council, which met just this past Tuesday. This council is required by canon law, and assists the pastor in overseeing the temporal goods of the parish. They serve an important role in helping me carry out Christ's kingly office, which is more than just making decisions – it also involves the administration of the parish.

God bless you,
Fr. Paul, O.P.

BULLETIN DEADLINES
Please note the early deadlines:
Deadline for December 6 is November 27
Deadline for December 13 is December 4
EARLY Deadline for December 20 is December 9
EARLY Deadline for December 27 is December 16
EARLY Deadline for January 3, 2027 is December 20
Submit at: keelinjohnson@stpatrickcolumbus.org



BANNS OF MATRIMONY
Mary Margaret Hyden and
Declan McKendry Hamilton
December 12, 2026

BAPTISM CLASS
The next Baptism Class for first-time parents is Wednesday, December 2 at 7:00 p.m. in the Billiart A classroom. Please register in the Parish Office by Monday, November 30.

ADORATION SCHEDULE THIS WEEK
Due to the Thanksgiving holiday, there will be no Eucharistic adoration this Tuesday, November 24th, nor will there be the All-Night Eucharistic Adoration Vigil for Vocations on Friday, November 27th. We will still have our regular Friday holy hour from 12:15-1:15 p.m., following the 11:45 a.m. Mass.

SOURCE AND SUMMIT MISSALS
Please join Kathleen Tully (Director of Music) on December 5 at 10:00 a.m. in Aquinas Hall for a brief talk on our new Source and Summit Missals. We'll explore how to find your way around the missal and answer any questions you may have. Contact Kathleen at 614-224-9522, ext. 1152, with any questions.

MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS



SATURDAY, November 21
5:00 p.m. +Lena Colatruglio

SUNDAY, November 22 –
OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE (S)
7:00 a.m. +Martha Cangemi
9:00 a.m. American Heritage Girls
10:30 a.m. +William McFadden
12:00 p.m. Pro Populo

MONDAY, November 23
7:00 a.m. +Nancy Longenbaker
11:45 a.m. For the Deceased Brothers, Sisters, Parents, Familiars, and Benefactors of the Order of Preachers

TUESDAY, November 24
SS. Ignatius Delgado, Vincent Liem, Dominic An-Kham, Andrew Dung-Lac and Companions (M)
7:00 a.m. +Balin Derringer
11:45 a.m. +Barbara and +Ted Dempsey

WEDNESDAY, November 25
St. Catherine of Alexandria (M)
7:00 a.m. +Bea Mignerey
11:45 a.m. +Frederick J. Wydnski

THURSDAY, November 26 – Thanksgiving Day
7:00 a.m. Kathy Gaddis and Family
10:00 a.m. +Bill Shea

FRIDAY, November 27
7:00 a.m. Charlotte Joseph
11:45 a.m. +Sheila Tuttle

SATURDAY, November 28
7:00 a.m. Isabella Joseph
5:00 p.m. +Lois Campbell

SUNDAY, November 29 – FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT
7:00 a.m. +Sheila Tuttle
9:00 a.m. Pro Populo
10:30 a.m. +Bea Mignerey
12:00 p.m. +Karen Vollbracht

SEVEN SISTERS APOSTOLATE

Thank you to all the Seven Sisters who have signed up. We have more spots for priest holy hours that need to be filled.

Please check with Ellen Dury for available times or check at the Welcome Center in the Gallery, where there is a copy of availability. Contact Ellen Dury with any questions at 614-499-0711 or ellen.dury@gmail.com.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Sunday, November 22
Women's Club Bake Sale, Craft Sale, and Raffle after all Masses (PH)
10:15 a.m. CCD (AH, Lower Level, 2nd Fl.)
1:30 p.m. OCIA (AH)

Monday, November 23
6:30 p.m. AHG (PH, AH, 2nd Fl.)

Wednesday, November 25
The Parish Office closes at noon.

Thursday, November 26



The Parish Office is closed.
There are no confessions today.
Masses are at 7:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. only.

Friday, November 27
The Parish Office is closed.

Saturday, November 28
7:30 a.m. TMIY (Plank's)
9:00 a.m. Exchanging missals (Ch.)
Knights of Columbus Sub Sale pickup after 5:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday, November 29 – First Sunday of Advent
2nd Collection: Little Margaret's Charity
Knights of Columbus Sub Sale pickup after all Masses
Last day to return Giving Tree Request Forms
1:30 p.m. OCIA (AH)
7:00 p.m. Exposition, Solemn Vespers, and Benediction

ADDITIONAL *AD ORIENTEM* MASSES DURING ADVENT

During the season of Advent, additional opportunities for Mass celebrated *ad orientem* will be available. On Sunday, December 6th, the 10:30 a.m. Mass will be celebrated at the high altar, and on Sunday, December 13th, the 9:00 a.m. Mass will be celebrated there. This will allow parishioners who are not able to attend the Noon Mass to experience Mass celebrated according to this ancient posture, in which the priest and the people face the same direction ("toward the East").

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed to change over the new missals. We are meeting in the church on Saturday, November 28 at 9:00 a.m. to pack up the old missals and replace them with the new editions. We should be done by 10:30. Contact Kathleen Tully at 614-224-9522, ext.1152, with any questions.

Atlantic City Sub Sale Benefitting Knights of Columbus Charities



PLACE YOUR ORDER NOW!

Treat yourself and your family to authentic Atlantic City Subs! We have brought the best of Jersey Shore eating all the way to Columbus for you! These are the best Italian subs this side of the Ohio River – made with two types of Italian Capicola and Salami - from Carfagna's Meats, Provolone, and Secret Sauce! $12 each. You won't be disappointed!

Pre-order by Tues., Nov. 24 to guarantee availability.

A limited number of subs for walk-up purchase will be available on November 28/29.

Subs will be available for pick-up in Patrick Hall after every Mass the weekend of November 28/29.

Order online: www.kofc11207.org/subsale

Or use the FORM below and return to the parish office by Tuesday, November 24.

ORDER FORM

NAME_____

PHONE_____

PICKING UP AFTER WHICH MASS?_____

I would like to order ____ Subs ($12 ea.)

I would like to order ____ (GF) Sub Bowls ($12 ea.)

Total order amount of all items: $_____

____ I am paying now OR ____ I will pay at pick-up

Cash or check accepted, payable to: "Knights of Columbus Council #11207"

Credit cards accepted at pick up!

Interested in joining the Knights of Columbus? Go to KofC.org/Join and use Council 11207.

Do you know a family who needs assistance this year for Christmas?
Do YOU need a little bit of extra help this Christmas?

St. Patrick's Little Margaret's Charity sponsors the **Christmas Giving Tree Program** to benefit our parishioners (single or families) whose budgets are stretched thin and may need extra help. If you are in need, or if you are aware of any parish member in need, we ask that you please complete the form below and return it to the box marked "Giving Tree Request Forms" located at the Welcome Center in the Gallery.

Requests will be kept strictly confidential and will not be disclosed under any circumstances.

Please return this form to the Giving Tree Box located at the Welcome Center in the Gallery by 1:00 p.m. on Sunday, November 29, 2026

CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE REQUEST FORM

Recipient Family Name*:_____Number in Family:_____

Address:_____

Phone Number: _____ E-Mail: _____

Recipient Name	Age	Gender	Preferred Gift Card** *(Kroger, Walmart, Amazon)*

***Please do not suggest a family without their consent.**

**Gift Tags indicating gifts requested will be on the Giving Tree in church beginning Saturday, November 7th.
Cards may be requested for these stores: Kroger, Walmart, and Amazon.

*** The person nominating the family will be responsible for the pickup and delivery of gifts.

****Gift distribution will be on Sunday, December 13 from 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. in the Parish Office.

NOMINATOR'S CONTACT INFORMATION:

Name***: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

The Appeal

Rooted in Christ, Growing in Mission

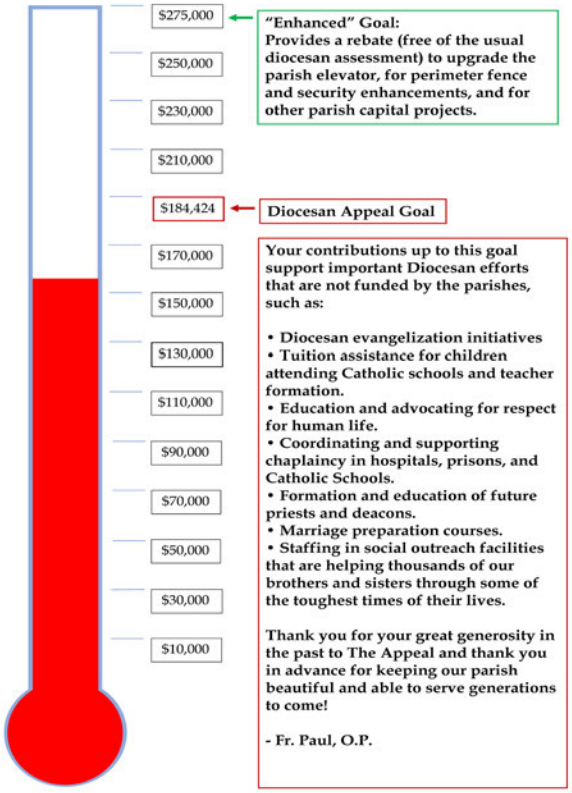
2026

WE NEED YOUR HELP TO MAKE OUR GOAL!

Your gift to The 2026 Appeal is vital to the success of this Diocesan-wide campaign and can benefit our parish.

According to the most recent report, we have raised $157,206.41 with 189 parishioners participating. Thank you to all who have made a gift or pledge. If you have not yet made your gift to this year's Appeal, please consider doing so in the days ahead. See columbuscatholicgiving.org for more information. No gift is too small, and every contribution makes a difference.

The Appeal 2026
Supporting Catholic Ministries



LITTLE MARGARET'S CHARITY GIVING TREE

Gift tags are now available on the Christmas Giving Tree that is located in the rear of the church. If you would like to help a parish family for Christmas, please pick up one or more tags and purchase the gift suggestion on the tag.

Please return your donation, with tag attached, to the office by Sunday, December 6, in order for the gifts to be prepared for our families in time for Christmas.

Cash donations are always welcome! All donations must be clearly marked "Giving Tree." Checks made payable to "St. Patrick Church" and marked "Giving Tree" may be dropped off at the Parish Office or placed in the Sunday collection basket. Donations are also accepted online at stpatrickcolumbus.org/giving.

THE CATHOLIC FOUNDATION

Have Appreciated Stocks? Here's Your Smartest Year-end Gift.

Our parish has a financial future, and you can help secure it. The St. Patrick Parish Vocations – Youth Endowment Fund provides perpetual income that goes beyond weekly offerings. The best way to give is to transfer appreciated stock to this fund, which The Catholic Foundation manages. You'll skip capital gains taxes, get the full charitable deduction, and maximize every dollar for our parish.

For more information on stock transfers or other ways you can support St. Patrick through year-end giving, please contact Christy Steffy, Development Officer at The Catholic Foundation, at 614-443-8893, ext. 1100, or CSteffy@Catholic-Foundation.org.

DOMINICAN LEARNING CENTER

Want to help adult learners? Assisting adult learners on their academic journeys is one way to improve self-confidence and break the cycle of poverty. The Dominican Learning Center, a ministry of the Dominican Sisters of Peace, is seeking volunteer tutors to help adult learners in our community with GED preparation, Adult Basic Education, and English as a Second Language (ESL). No prior teaching experience is required – just a willingness to walk alongside someone as they learn. Training and all materials are provided, and tutoring can be in person or remotely.

Visit **domlearningcenter.org** for more information or to learn how to support the ministry financially. You can also contact Drew Archer at **drew.archer@oppeace.org** or **614-444-7330, ext. 0**.

CATHOLIC MEN'S LUNCHEON
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4
SPEAKER: JOHN PAUL MUNHALL

Join us Friday, December 4 at St. Patrick Church for a luncheon featuring a talk by John Paul Munhall, Executive Director of St. Vincent Haven, entitled "Calling Homeless Men to Manliness." Learn more about St. Vincent Haven, an Emergency Program-based Shelter for Men in Licking County, at **https://www.svdphaven.org/**. St. Gabriel Radio AM 820 (Central Ohio), FM 88.3 (Scioto County), and FM 106.7 (Athens County) or **https://stgabrielradio.com/** (livestream) is sponsoring the December meeting. If you are interested in sponsoring a luncheon, contact Dave Kilanowski at **dkilano@aol.com**. Holy Mass (optional) begins at 11:45 a.m., followed by lunch at 12:10 p.m. and Mr. Munhall's presentation. No reservations are necessary. $12.00 covers the lunch and meeting. Bring a friend! **There will be no meeting in January. Our next meeting will be to honor the 2027 Catholic Man of the Year on Friday, February 5, 2027. Please mark your calendar to attend! Watch the bulletin or go to https://www.catholicmensministry.com/man-of-the-year for information about the nominating process for CMOY.**

Little Margaret's Charity: Outreach

Service Volunteers Needed

JOIN YOUR FELLOW PARISHIONERS IN LMC: OUTREACH IN HELPING THOSE IN NEED.

Recent or ongoing service events include:

- team volunteering at Holy Family Soup Kitchen;
- making sandwiches at St. Patrick's for the benefit of Holy Family;
- assembling care kits at Catholic Social Services' Our Lady of Guadalupe Center;
- sorting/packing donated food at Mid-Ohio Food Collective;
- organizing the parish Giving Tree.





Volunteers needed for upcoming service events (sign up for Flocknotes for details):

- Monthly: Making sandwiches at St. Patrick's for the benefit of Holy Family Soup Kitchen (family-friendly!)
- Volunteering at Holy Family Soup Kitchen: Dec. 7 and Dec. 30

Serving with LMC: Outreach is a fun and easy way to express your love of our neighbors in need. Many events are kid-friendly. Have an idea for a service project? Let us know!

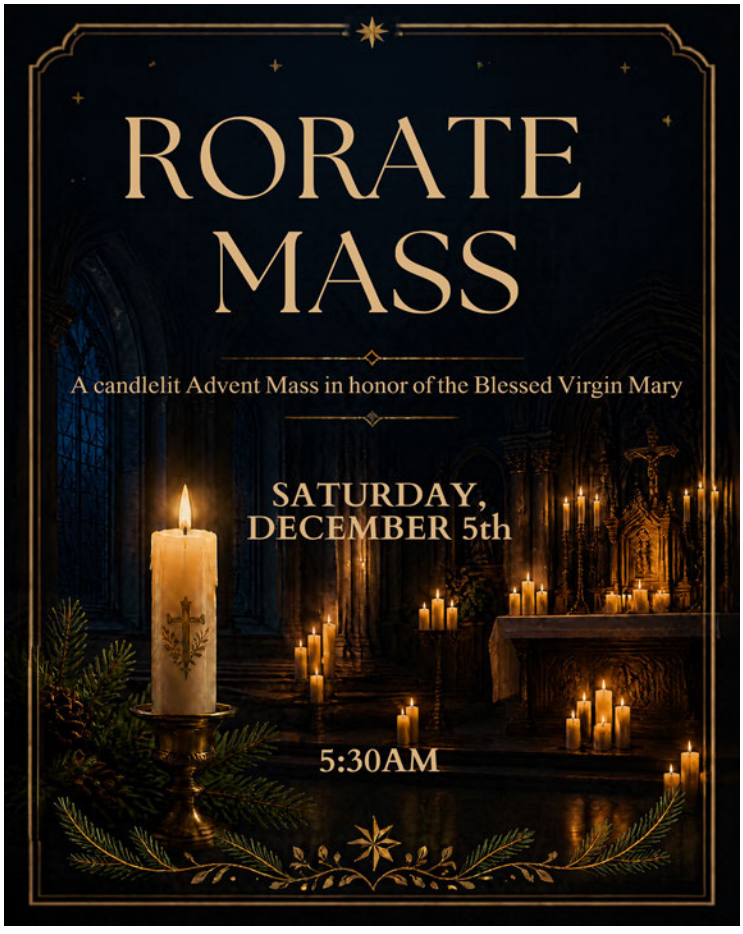
Questions or more information?

Join the Little Margaret's Charity: Outreach Flocknote group to receive service event notices and signups. Scan QR code to join.

Or call, text or email Mike Mellicre, Sr. at (614) 214-7179 or boilerine5436@gmail.com.







Mark Your Calendars…

Civilian Response To Active Shooter Events

C.R.A.S.E.

FOR CITIZENS, BUSINESSES & ORGANIZATIONS

Preparing for the Unthinkable!

St. Patrick Church, in partnership with the Columbus Division of Police, will host an important training session on Civilian Response to Active Shooter Events ***(C.R.A.S.E.)*** – Safety & Security Training.

Date: Saturday, December 5, 2026
Time: 12:00 – 4:00 PM
Location: St. Patrick Church, 280 N. Grant Ave., Columbus, Ohio 43215

This training focuses on strategies to respond and survive a violent event, emphasizing the nationally recognized **Avoid, Deny and Defend** principles. Participants will learn how to:

- Recognize warning signs of potential violence.
- Respond if violent or aggressive individuals enter the facilities.
- Prepare for, avoid and safely react to an active aggressor situation.

Training will be led by Officers Chad Knode and Rick Hannah of the Columbus Division of Police. Together, they bring nearly 60 years of exemplary service and serve as Subject Matter Experts **(SME).** Attendees will have the opportunity to ask direct questions and engage with the experts.

Even if you have attended ***C.R.A.S.E.*** training in the past, significant updates have been made and attendance is strongly encouraged.

All are welcome, and the following groups are **highly encouraged** to attend:

- Ushers
- Lectors
- Hospitality Ministry
- CCD Catechists and Aides
- Choir members
- Special Events Coordinators (Youth Group, American Heritage Girls, etc.)
- Volunteers and helpers

This training session is open to all interested parishioners over the age of 16 years old.

Reserve your place by:

- Calling the parish office: (614) 224-9522
- Emailing: **office@stpatrickcolumbus.org**

Any questions please direct them to Bobby Russell, Chief, Safety & Security, St. Patrick Church, **bobbyrussell@stpatrickcolumbus.org**.

2027 PASTORAL COUNCIL NOMINATIONS

Prayerfully consider nominating yourself or a fellow parishioner to serve on the St. Patrick Church Pastoral Council. Nominees must be at least 19 years of age and permanently living in the greater Columbus area. Representatives on the Pastoral Council advise the pastor on important matters, facilitate communication between the pastor and parishioners, and sponsor several parish events throughout the year. In this council, which is presided over by the pastor, "the Christian faithful, together with those who share in pastoral care by virtue of their office in the parish, assist in fostering pastoral activity" (*Code of Canon Law* 536.1). The Pastoral Council collaborates with the pastor to support the spiritual, social, and service goals of the parish. The Pastoral Council is strictly consultative in nature, and is regulated by the norms laid down by the diocesan bishop (*Code of Canon Law* 536.2).

Two (2) positions on Pastoral Council will be open for this coming year, 2027. These positions will fill the vacancies of two councilors who are fulfilling their terms.

Parishioners are invited to submit their own name or the name of another parishioner whom you feel would be a good candidate. (Before nominating someone else, please ask for his or her permission.) All nominees must be registered members of St. Patrick Church. All nominees will be contacted to discuss the responsibilities and to answer questions.

There are no elections. With hopes for a significant number of nominations, the pastor will select the new councilors from the nominees after prayerful discernment, and consultation with the parochial vicars and the members of the nomination committee.

The council typically meets on the second Tuesday of the month (except July and August) from 7:00pm-8:30pm. Members serve a three-year term, which may be renewed for a second consecutive term.

Please submit your nomination on the tear out section below and return to the parish office.

NOMINATIONS
will be accepted until 2:00pm on Monday, November 30, 2026

The council has 12 members. The present members (who are not eligible for nomination) are listed below, with the expiration of their present terms:

Beth Atkinson	(2026)
Joe Testa	(2026)
Chris Chenault	(2027)
Marian Hyden	(2027)
Martiana Klui	(2027)
Don Williams	(2027)
Daniel Heitzenrater	(2028)
Rich Kozlowski	(2028)
John Paul Munhall	(2028)
Sam Dean	(2028)
Jim Haninger	(2029)
Mike Melliere	(2029)

NOMINATION TO SERVE ON ST. PATRICK PASTORAL COUNCIL

Name:_____

Contact Phone #_____ Email:_____

Is this a self-nomination_____ or recommended nomination of another parishioner?_____

Please describe your reasons for this nomination: _____

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ST. PATRICK'S 2027
MARCH FOR LIFE PILGRIMAGE



Depart: Thursday, January 21st – early morning
Return: Sunday, January 24th – around 1am
Our pilgrimage tentatively includes: Vigil Mass for Life at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, National Monuments, Saint John Paul II National Shrine, Prayer at Planned Parenthood, Conference

This is a pilgrimage open to families. It would be wonderful if minors could be accompanied by an adult, but they are still welcome alone. It is a great family experience if possible!

Cost: $150/person to cover transportation, housing, and food.
Scholarships for individuals and family groups are readily available.
We will be sleeping on the floor at Sacred Heart Church in Bowie, Maryland.
We can accommodate families with infants.

Protecting God's Children (PGC) is required for anyone 18 and older. PGC classes and fingerprinting should try to be done before the end of 2026. **Anyone who had fingerprinting done before February 2022, must have it redone.** The sooner this is done, the better. More information and instructions can be found on the parish website (link below).

Registration forms and a $50 deposit are due by November 30th to hold your seat on the trip. After this, the trip opens to other churches. The remaining $100 is due by January 13th.

Make checks payable to "St. Patrick Church" with "March for Life" in the memo.
Return forms and checks with "Attn: March for Life" to:
St. Patrick Church, 280 N. Grant Avenue, Columbus, OH 43215



Registration forms available at:
www.stpatrickcolumbus.org/march-for-life

For more information, contact Lorraine Vance:
vances@embarqmail.com or 740-965-2674

Be a voice for the voiceless!

LITTLE MARGARET'S CHARITY
HELPING THOSE IN NEED
5th Sunday Collection – Next Weekend!
Your help is needed! Please donate to this month's Fifth Sunday Collection!

Little Margaret's Charity continues to assist your fellow parishioners who are struggling with various financial concerns, and downtown charities face increasing demand for their services. In 2025, donations totaled $62,129.00; assistance and charitable donations expenses were $73,410.00. So far in 2026, donations have totaled $63,051.00 and assistance to charitable groups and parishioners in need has totaled $58,830.00. Parishioner requests continue. Please ensure that we can assist those in need. **Your support is urgently needed and appreciated!**

Please use the envelope in your monthly packet or the online WeShare platform: https://stpatrickcolumbus.weshareonline.org.

Some background: Inspired by Saint Margaret of Castello, O.P., the ministry known as **Little Margaret's Charity** has served as St. Patrick's charitable arm for more than fifteen years.

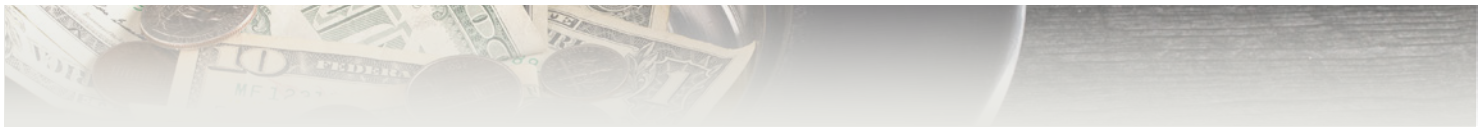
Fifth Sunday Collections: Four times a year, during the months which include a Fifth Sunday, the 2nd Collection at all Masses benefits Little Margaret's Charity.

Poor Box: Funds dropped in the poor boxes in the church also support the various causes of Little Margaret's Charity.

Donations to Little Margaret's Charity through the 5th Sunday Collection and the Poor Box support parishioners in need, as well as a number of pro-life organizations, including Ohio Right to Life, Greater Columbus Right to Life, Women's Care Center, PDHC, and Bethesda Healing Ministry. The poor and homeless of the downtown area are also aided by contributions to the Holy Family Soup Kitchen, Faith Mission, and the Community Kitchen.

Little Margaret's Charity also sponsors the Annual **Giving Tree** at Christmas. Additionally, Little Margaret's Charity exercises corporal works of mercy with **"Little Margaret's Charity: Outreach."** Volunteers are needed. Contact the Parish Office for details on how you can help!

Thank you for your generosity!



SUNDAY COLLECTION – NOVEMBER 15, 2026

	Actual	Budget	Over/(Under)
Weekly Offertory	$27,272.00	$38,054.00	($10,782.00)
Other Income *(parish activities, programs)*	$1,567.00	$608.00	$989.00
Capital Repairs Fund	$155.00	$200.00	($45.00)
Total Income:	**$29,024.00**	**$38,862.00**	**($9,838.00)**
Year-to-Date Offertory	YTD Actual	YTD Budget	YTD Over/(Under)
	$568,617.00	*$590,660.00*	*($22,043.00)*

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2nd Collections (Diocesan, Dominican, Other)

Little Margaret's Charity	$232.00
Campaign for Human Development	$976.00
Church in Africa	$500.00
LMC Giving Tree	$350.00
Seminarian Support	$120.00
Total Offerings from 2nd Collections:	**$2,178.00**

ATTENDANCE: November 14/15

5:00 p.m.	164
7:00 a.m.	202
9:00 a.m.	598
10:30 a.m.	289
12:00 p.m.	332
Grand Total:	**1,585**

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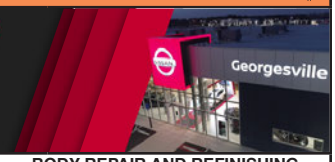
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