

**Saint Patrick's Church Girard**  
**Rev. James Palakudy, S.A.C., Pastor**  
**26<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Times**  
**Oct. 06th, 2019**

**Our Tri Parish Units**  
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<p>Contact Information                  Office Phone: (217) 438-6222                  Rectory Phone: (217) 438-6196</p> <p>Deacon Rick Schnetzler                  Cell Phone: (217) 971-5125                  E-mail: <a href="mailto:deaconrick2016@gmail.com">deaconrick2016@gmail.com</a></p>	<p><b>Universal- Evangelization of the Holy Spirit :</b></p> <p><b><i>That the breath of Holy Spirit engender a new missionary “spring” in the church.</i></b></p>
<p><b>FAITH FORMATION PROGRAM COORDINATOR:</b>                  St. Patrick's, P.S.R.:                  Terri Joslin, coordinator                  Phone: (217) 416-4271</p>	<p><b>BAPTISM AND MARRIAGE:</b>                  Please contact the parish office. For marriage, please contact the parish office at least six months in advance.</p>
<p><b>DIOCESAN VICTIM ASSISTANCE:</b></p> <p>Child abuse reporting and investigation number                  (217) 321-1155</p>	<p><b>ANOINTING OF THE SICK/HOME VISITS:</b>                  If you or a loved one is in need of this sacrament or in need of a visit and Holy Communion, please contact Fr. James</p>
<p><b>THE SACRAMENT OF PENNANCE</b>                  Confessions are heard beginning thirty minutes prior to the weekend Masses ant at 5:30 on Tuesdays. Appointments may also be made.</p>	<p><b>RIGHT OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (R.C.I.A)</b>                  If you are a non-Catholic and are interested in being Baptized or you are a Baptized Christian and are interested in coming into full communion with the Church, please contact Fr. James or Dcn. Rick.</p>

MASS SCHEDULES/INTENTIONS

<b>Saturday (Vigil)</b>	<b>Oct 05</b>	<b>4:00 pm Girard</b>	<b>Bill Frank ( Marcia &amp; Mike Walter)</b> 
Saturday	Oct 05	5:30 pm Auburn	Marilyn Huss (Andy & Donna Kuenstler)
Sunday	Oct 06	8:15 am Auburn	Jean Hogan (Dan & Judy Hogan)
Sunday	Oct 06	10:15 am Virden	Dcn Frank, Nickie & Paul Maynerich (Pat Allen)
Monday	Oct 07	NO/MASS	
Tuesday	Oct 08	6:00 pm Auburn	All Souls (David Dixon)
Wednesday	Oct 09	7:30 am Virden	Teri Gelles (M/M Martin Jones) THERE WILL BE NO ADORATION!
Thursday	Oct 10	7:30 am Auburn	Pro Populo
Friday	Oct 11	6:30pm	Poor Souls
Saturday	Oct 12	9:00 am	Fermin Herrera (Scott & Vicky Crye)
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Oct 12</b>	<b>4:00 pm Girard</b>	<b>Bob Donaldson (Ruthann &amp; Family)</b> 
Sunday	Oct 13	5:30 pm Auburn	Kathryn Hamblin (Catholic Women United)
Sunday	Oct 13	8:15 am Auburn	Henry Torres (Family)
Sunday	Oct 13	10:15 am	Paul McGrath

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

<b>Sat Oct 05</b>	<b>Sat Oct 12</b>
Server: Volunteers	Server: Volunteers
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Reader: Peggy Blenck	Reader: Peggy Blenck
E.M.H.C.: Diane Rogers & Peggy Blenck	E.M.H.C.: Diane Rogers & Peggy Blenck
Ushers: Volunteers	Ushers: Volunteers

Our Finance council members are **Annette Cole, Kris Eldridge, Bill Hart, George Hart, Taurie Jones, Terri Joslin, Tom Reinhart, Diane Rogers, Amy Smith, Jim Walker, and Mike Walter**. Any concerns or Ideas please let them know. Our meetings are the second Thursday of each month unless otherwise announced, at 7pm.

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS

Capital Campaign (2 envelopes)	\$ 339.00
General Fund ( 29 envelopes) (2online)	\$ 963.00
ACSA (envelopes) 2 Online	\$ 139.00
Utilities	\$ 25.00
Church Cleaning	\$ 25.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 1,491.00</b>

## Capital Campaign running totals.

Capital Campaign	Running Total
As of Sept 14	\$ 18,194.80

Church Cleaners: Oct. 3<sup>RD</sup> WEEK Lorraine Hart, Tausha Hart

If you cannot clean on the week you are scheduled you may contact Katie Prose at 217-313-0915 for a fee she will clean for you.

***Please be advised that we now have a key to the dumpster, just one it is located in the cleaning closet  
Please make sure it is returned for the next cleaning crew, Thank you***

## From the Diocese

**Help pick a Patron Saint for the diocesan Campaign for Justice and Hope (DCJH).** All are invited to vote – pastors, parishioners, students, and even young children, with their parent’s assistance. The choices are - St Teresa of Calcutta, St Giles, St Joseph the Worker, and Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati? Votes can be cast at [www.dio.org/dcjh/pickapatron](http://www.dio.org/dcjh/pickapatron), or submit a paper ballot that is available in the Catholic Times’ September 15 and 29th editions. Voting ends October 6th.

**SAVE THE DATE - OCTOBER 12, 2019 ROSARY RALLY.** The 9th Annual Prayer in the Public Square Rosary Rally will be held on Saturday, October 12, 2019. Please join us to pray for America and honor Our Lady of Fatima and the Miracle of the Sun. Lincoln statue, State Capitol Building, 2nd and Capitol streets, Springfield. 12pm to 1pm. We will go inside to the Rotunda if it rains. Please contact Donna Berte with any questions or if you would like to lead a prayer. 217-622-8576

The pain and sorrow of a past abortion need not endure for a lifetime. Call Project Rachel for a confidential, non-judgmental referral to those who can help: 1-877-RACHEL-5.

## St. Patrick General

### **Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time – 13 October 2019**

2 Kings 5:14-17. Psalm 98:1, 2-3, 3-4. 2 Timothy 2:8-13. Luke 17:11-19.

**Jesus is at work.** Four things stand out in this story of ten lepers that Saint Luke alone tells. (1) Jesus is indeed powerful. (2) God, in Jesus, is full of mercy. (3) God is due all thanks and praise. (4) Even foreigners are loved, respected, and saved. Thus, Jesus is at work. So, must we be at work. This will be a busy week for us.

- To whom and in what way will I extend mercy?
- For whom and for what will I give thanks and praise to God?
- How will I embrace the alone, the sick, the outcast, the foreigner?

## PSR

Oct 9<sup>th</sup> Class

Oct. 16<sup>th</sup> Class

Oct 16<sup>th</sup> thru Nov 7<sup>th</sup> is Santa's workshop we need flour and sugar!

We are pleased to announce Saint Patrick's now provides online giving through a software called ParishSoft Giving. This is an easy, and convenient way to make one-time or recurring donations. Getting started is easy—just visit our web site [www.stpatgirard.com](http://www.stpatgirard.com) click on Donate Here and follow the instructions, don't forget to give us your envelope number. Remember all donations to your CHURCH ARE TAX DEDUTCABLE. When you participate, your gift will transfer directly into the parish bank account. And you won't have to remember to write a check or stop by the ATM on Saturdays!

Sat Oct 12<sup>th</sup> is Saint Patrick's turn to work the food pantry.

October is the month of the Rosary, we will have the Rosary read before Mass at 3:35pm on Saturdays.



Oct 5 Peggy Blenck  
Oct 12 Cindy Dorner  
Oct 19 Christine Leja  
Oct 26 Peggy Blenck

**CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE**

[www.stpatgirard.com](http://www.stpatgirard.com) online giving is now available!!!

To Cindy Dorner, Father James & The whole St. Pat's congregation. I extend my heart Thanks for the Mass celebration on my 99 birthday, I dislike being the center attention, but it felt so good be so loved you by you all. God answered my prayers not always as I asked but what he knew what has best for me, and it has been a blessing, God Bless you all and thank you.

Mrs. Leona Hacker Oct 01-19



The Virden K of C Council #2321, has a Wednesday night dinner  
at the KC Hall in Virden doors open at 5pm  
Food served 5:30-8pm  
Menu varies weekly



Queen of Hearts Drawing  
Tickets 6 for \$5.00, 30 tickets for \$20.00. Tickets sold until 7:30 pm  
Drawing is at 8pm Come join the fun!

Jackpot increases weekly

50-50 tickets 6 for \$5.00, 30 for \$20.00 sold until 7:30 pm drawing at around 7:35 pm