



St. Patrick's Episcopal Church

A Joyful Community of Faith

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The Sunday News

October 8, 2017

Welcome to St. Patrick's!
 If you are visiting, please sign the guest book near the doors to the Sanctuary.
Be sure to list your email, so we can keep you informed about activities at St. Pat's.
 Following the 9:30 a.m. service join us for coffee, refreshments, and food in the Parish Hall.

Last week's attendance was 279 humans, 37 dogs, 1 horse and 1 rabbit. It's important to remember that we are a community, and regular church attendance is the foundation of our life together.

Please remember to keep your pledge current.

St. Patrick's Goals...

- To be a Church that Cares*
- To be a Church that Welcomes*
- To be a Church that Grows in the Spirit of Christ*
- To be a Church in which our Children can grow*

THE FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR ARE GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD
by Michael Schwind in celebration of Bridgette Roman's birthday.

On the Calendar:

Birthdays

- 8th Cameron O'Riley, Virginia Tuttle
- 9th David Cousino, Brian Kemerling, Nicole Noteman, Steve Parker
- 10th Nancy Johnson, Rebecca Kelty, Linda Koegel, Aidan Poling, Maggie Rapp-Bogges, John Brian Russo
- 11th G.W. McCarthy, Rick Sicker, Melanie Smith
- 12th Jeff Beuter, Kyle Brown, Wayne Holliday, Owen Rapp, Matthew Robinson
- 13th Rick Mason, Rob O'Mery

Anniversaries

- 8th Phil & Rosie Newlon
- 10th Phil & Amy Powell
- 14th Steve & Jane Keeran

This Sunday in:

PreK-K: In this Sunday's reading from the Gospel of Matthew, Jesus tells the parable that compares the kingdom of God to a king's feast. In today's homily, children participate in the telling of the story.

1st-5th: After the Israelites crossed the Red Sea and finally escaped from the bondage of Egypt, they wander in the Sinai desert for many weeks before coming to the foot of the holy mountain of Sinai. This is where they see that God himself resides. Moses goes up the mountain to pray to God. After three days, the mountain shakes and the voice of God calls Moses. God gives him what we know as the Ten Commandments, which God carves on two stone tablets, to give to the Israelites.

Adult Forum: Forgiveness is a process. Learn about that process, and what you can do to enhance it, at today's adult forum

Confirmation & Senior High Sundays: Returning to its regularly scheduled time of 4:00-5:00pm, we will discuss the reality of evil, the frailty of our human nature, and the grace of God.

Ministries

- Today **Garage Sale Large Item Pick Up**
Donation drop off 9 a.m.- 4 p.m.
Holy Eucharist at 8:00 a.m.
Holy Eucharist at 9:30 a.m.
Acolyte Training at 10:45 a.m.
Adult Forum at 11:00 a.m.
Sacred Circle 3 at 11:00 a.m.
Confirmation Class at 4:00 p.m.
Holy Eucharist at 5:30 p.m.
Acolyte Training at 6:15 p.m.
- Mon 9th **Garage Sale Set Up/Drop off 9 a.m.-7 p.m.**
EfM Extension at 9:30 a.m.
EfM Extension 2 at 7:00 p.m.
- Tue 10th **Garage Sale Set Up/Drop off 9 a.m.- 4 p.m.**
Men's Group at 6:45 a.m.
Staff Meeting at 10:45 a.m.
Stewardship Meeting at 7:00 p.m.
- Wed 11th **Garage Sale Set Up/Drop off 9 a.m.- 4 p.m.**
WeJoySing at 9:15 a.m.
St. Arbuck's at 10:00 a.m.
Spiritual Direction at 10:15 a.m.
Holy Eucharist at Noon
HIS Place at 6:00 p.m.
Vestry at 7:00 p.m.
- Thu 12th **Garage Sale Set Up/No more donations**
Purls of Wisdom at 10:00 a.m.
Care Sacred Circle at 1:00 p.m.
Children's Choir at 5:50 p.m.
EYC (Youth Group) at 6:00 p.m.
Handbells at 6:30 p.m.
EfM at 7:00 p.m.
Adult Choir at 7:30 p.m.
- Fri 13th **Garage Sale Set Up**
Garage Sale Prevue at 5:00 p.m.- 7:00 p.m.
- Sat 14th **Garage Sale at 8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.**

Worship in Pink:

Remember to wear pink NEXT Sunday to increase awareness of breast health and decrease the incidence of breast cancer in our community. Breast cancer in its earliest stages can be removed. Follow up testing may be needed to monitor the situation. If breast cancer is diagnosed early, there are many treatment options available, these are tailored to individual situations, and the 5-year survival rate can be as high as 99%. Family and friends can encourage screening too.

This month's theme: On Our Way to the Promised Land

You are invited to come join the conversation. Join the "God's Time Conversations" group on Facebook to discuss spiritual issues in the context of our everyday our lives. It is a "closed" and accepting group so you can feel comfortable posting your thoughts without the worry of judgement or trolls. "Closed" just means that the members are vetted as people we know to be appropriate for the group. To join, search for this group on Facebook and click "Join". We look forward to having you in the conversation.

Thursday, October 12th...

Family Night Supper- Canceled due to Rummage Sale preparations. Dinner returns next week.

Thursday Night EYC- Students in 6th-12th grade are welcome to join us [from 6:00-7:00pm](#). We'll begin with a creative activity entitled "What Makes Me Happy," watch a clip from the movie Daddy Day Care, and discuss the epistle reading for the coming Sunday.

Join us for a **Parish Outing to the Maize at Little Darby Creek** on Sunday, October 22. Meet in the parking lot of St. Patrick's at 3:30pm to share the ride or come straight to the Maize at 4:00pm. We will wander the maze, take a hayride, and visit the pumpkin patch from 4:00-6:00pm. From 6:00-8:00pm, we'll gather around the campfire for an Evening Service followed by a Weenie Roast and S'mores. If you plan to join us inside the Maize from 4-6pm, the cost is \$10 per person with a \$40 family maximum. (This covers base admission and activities.) OR simply come for the outdoor service and campfire fellowship. Contact Mother Cameron at assistant@pats-dublin.org or use the signup sheet on her office door if you plan to attend so we can ensure we have adequate space and food for everyone.

Children's Communion Class will be held on October 15. This class is a family learning event in which children will be able to tour the sacristy, learn about the elements, discover more fully how and why we celebrate Eucharist, and participate in making communion bread for parish use. While available to all children of the parish, this class is considered an essential component in preparation for those seeking First Communion.

HIS Place Meal on October 11th: Twice a year, St. Patrick's serves a meal at St. John's Town Street to the people who attend their Wednesday night activities. For more information, contact Kim Nelson at (614)561-5998 or the church office.

An Evening with Members of the M.T.O. Shahmaghsovoli School of Islamic Sufism at St. Patrick's on Saturday, October 28 at 6:00pm with talks on: What is Sufism?, Existence, and Sufi Zikr. Their presentation will be followed by 2 Sufi Zikr Performances. A reception will be held in the Parish Hall with time allotted for open discussion and Q&A. Followers of Sufism hold to the premise that if you discover the reality of yourself, then you will know God as well. Contact Mother Cameron by phone (614-766-2664), email (assistant@pats-dublin.org), or via the signup sheet on her door to reserve your spot by October 22!

Final Acolyte Training/Retraining this Fall: Today!

If your acolyte did not attend acolyte training/retraining in September, make sure (s)he attends one of the two make-up sessions today, October 8 at 10:45, right after the 9:30 service, or at 6:15, right after the 5:30 service. All present and new acolytes are required to attend training this fall. The acolyte roster for scheduling the November-January quarter will be drawn from those who have attended training this fall. If your acolyte did not attend the September session and is unable to be at either of the make-up sessions today, please contact Mother Cameron assistant@pats-dublin.org right away.

Today's Ministry Teams

8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

Celebrant: The Rev. Cameron O'Riley

Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Stephen Smith

Readers/CB: Stephen Norris (LR), Susan Jones (OT, NT)

Acolyte: Aidan Behrens

9:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist

Celebrant: The Rev. Cameron O'Riley

Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Stephen Smith

Deacon: The Rev. Rob Rideout

Music Director: Jennifer Bell

Readers/CB: Margaret Robinson (LR), Greg Bell (OT), Rick Mason (NT)

Acolytes: Josie Cline (Server), Sommer Rogowski (Crucifer), Kaitlyn Rogowski & Reese Cline (Torch-bearers)

Ushers & Greeters: Dale Cochran, Chris Cochran, Wade Purcell, and Rondi Pucell

Coffee Hour: Tawnya Lewis, Nadeane Howard, Dave & Elisha Cofer

Altar Guild: Eileen Pilcher, Julie Myers, and Mary Horton

Lay Eucharistic Visitors: Catherine Loveland, Dianne Clay

Counters: Tim Carty, Elizabeth Nold

Nursery: Julie Blair

5:30 p.m. Holy Eucharist

Celebrant: The Rev. Cameron O'Riley

Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Stephen Smith

Lector/Chalice: Becky Swift

Vestry News—This year the vestry has designated two areas for our general consideration: Welcoming Newcomers, and Forgiveness.

Welcome— If you are a long-time member of the Church then think of yourself as the host to those who are new. If you were hosting a dinner party you would greet people at the door, show them where to sit, and help them be comfortable.

Forgiveness— Forgiving one's self may be the hardest forgiveness. It begins with realizing that you cannot change the past, but you can change yourself.

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Garage Sale October 14th

Garage sale week is here!! Today (10/8) is Large Item Pick-up day and also marks the start of donation drop-off. We can accept donations through late afternoon Wednesday, Oct 11. No CRT computer monitors or TVs, please. If your donation is electronic or electrical, please include all power cables and a brief note on condition.

We still need volunteers, especially today for Large Item Pick-up. If you can bring food for lunch on Saturday, Oct 14th, that would be great too! Sign-up sheets are still in the narthex.

As a reminder, the sale is Saturday, **Oct 14, 8:30am – 1:00pm**. Preview Night is Friday, Oct 13, 5:00pm – 7:00pm, during which our modest prices are doubled for preview purchases. Questions? Call Mark Hanes at 614-578-0840.

Items for *The Sunday News* should be submitted to the Parish Administrator by noon Wednesday
Bring items to the office or e-mail to administrator@pats-dublin.org

The Dublin Food Pantry needs our donations of Pancake Mix and Pancake Syrup each week!