The Sunday News
January 30, 2022

Stewardship: If you haven't turned in a pledge card, we encourage you to do so. The amount doesn't matter as much as knowing that, with the COVID issue, you are still part of the St. Patrick's joyful community of faith. We are the church. Want to fill one out on-line? Click HERE

2022 St. Patrick's Bible Challenge Join Father Jason in reading the entire bible in one year. By just reading three chapters of the Hebrew Scriptures, one Psalm, and one chapter from the New Testament we will complete the entire bible in one year. Father Jason will post weekly reflections on the readings on YouTube, and if you sign up for the challenge you get a text version of his reflection emailed directly to you. Register for this epic adventure on realm at https://onrealm.org/patsdublin/PublicRegistrations/Event?

Annual meeting will be held on Sunday, February 13th and options to participate will be to attend in-person or watch a livestream of the meeting on YouTube. Ballots for vestry will be mailed to you and need to be back to the church by **February 11th** to be counted. You can either mail the completed ballots back to us or drop them in the locked ballot box in the breezeway. Directions will be in with the mailed ballots and in the February Breastplate. Questions? Please call the church office.

Prayer Shawl Intergenerational Knitting Event on Saturday, February 12th 10-11:30am : Have you ever wanted to learn to knit a prayer shawl? Do you know someone who could use a prayer shawl? In honor of Valentine's day this year, we are holding a knitting clinic to demonstrate how to finger, arm, or needle knit a prayer shawl. BYOY (bring your own yarn) and join us. Sign up and get details HERE! We would love for you to join us!

Education

Children's Activities– In an abundance of caution, we are suspending in-person Sunday School for now. We still want to celebrate Epiphany with you and your family. This Epiphany, we are investigating how Jesus shared his light with the world and, through us, we are also called to share God's love and Christ's light. Let's explore together in this formation video
Children's Formation video for January 23rd

Adult Forum TODAY with *Celebrating the Saints* as we explore Church history through the lives of thirty ancient AND modern saints. These flawed people of faith from around the world and all walks of life reveal the wonders of God's grace, a grace also available to us as we strive to reflect Jesus' love and light to those around us. We will meet on **Zoom** from **11:30 am to 12:30 pm**. The curriculum is **free!** For a PDF of the curriculum and questions, contact Ben Trotter. This week we will be covering Thomas George Herbert! Click here to join the Zoom

Youth Group: IT'S LOCK IN TIME!!! January 30 will be having an ice-skating adventure and movie night!
1:00 Meet at the Chiller Dublin 1:30-3 Ice Skating
3:30 Movie "Soul Surfer" and Deep Thoughts with Tawnya
5:30 S'mores and the Fire Pit Blessing
6:00 Corinne's Birthday dinner (Canes chicken and sides)
6:30 Youth Sunday planning--come ready to sign up to serve
7:10 Circle time and dismissal at 7:30

Based upon Psalm 27:7 "Hear my voice when I call, Lord; be merciful to me and answer me."

Imprisonment usually involves things like anxiety, discomfort, fear, stress, worry and so on. What does imprisonment feel like for you?

For many of us who are physically incarcerated, we've experienced several negative side-effects of being locked up. But what about those who are in the "outside" who are experiencing imprisonment in a different way? Do you know someone who is suffering from a long-time illness? What about being in an unhealthy relationship, PTSD from a traumatic life experience, or maybe even suffering from some type of phobia? Ladies and gentlemen on the inside…in many cases there's no "out date" for these types of imprisonments. I can only imagine the countless prayers that are cried out to God daily by those who are living, or merely existing, in imprisonment though not physically incarcerated. These people need our prayer, they need hope, love and compassion. But most of all they need God. They need Him in order to overcome the fear and anxiety of their imprisonment. In many situations, their imprisonment is more severe than ours.

Let us be mindful of those imprisoned on the "outside", remembering them in our prayers, and when we're able be willing to help them out in any way possible, to the best of our ability. Just because we're on the "inside" doesn't mean we can't make a difference on the "outside." Till next time…God bless!

On the Calendar	Worship Team
Sunday, January 30 Holy Eucharist at 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist at 9:30 a.m. (Streamed) Sacred Circle at 11:30 a.m. Adult Forum at 11:30 a.m. Youth Group at 1:00 p.m. ACOA at 6:30 p.m. **Monday, January 31** EFM Extension at 9:30 a.m. **Tuesday, February 1** Men's Group at 7:00 a.m. Staff Meeting at 10:30 a.m. EFM at 7:00 p.m. **Wednesday, February 2** St. Arbuck's at 10:00 a.m. Spiritual Direction at 10:30 a.m. AA at noon Holy Eucharist at noon **Thursday, February 3** Later in the Day at 10:00 a.m.	**8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist** **Celebrant:** The Rev. Jason Emerson **Preacher:** The Rev. Jason Emerson **Readers:** Susan Jones, Annika Russo **9:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist** **Celebrant:** The Rev. Jason Emerson **Preacher:** The Rev. Jason Emerson **Music Director:** Jennifer Bell **Streaming:** Bill Eddy **Lay Reader:** Tim Redman **Lectors:** Karen Mason (OT), Kim DeAngelo (NT) **Ushers:** Wade Purcell, Steve Pearson **Greeters:** Susan & Wolf Lant **Crucifer:** Kellan Behrens **Torchbearer:** Zachary Haney **Coffee Hour:** NO Coffee Hour this week **Calendar Key** **Red:** Available on **St. Patrick's You Tube Channel** **Blue:** Meeting via Zoom only. **Black:** In person event with safety precautions in place and Zoom option may be available if you don't want to meet in person yet.

Birthdays this week:

Robbie Cook	Kathy Graff	Dennis McIntosh	Leilah Sarvis
Nicholas Cooperrider	Corinne Hallermann	Sammy Nadalin	Jane Switzer
Kennedy de Bear	Drew Kelly	Amy O'Neill	Erin Zelinski-Righter
Ben Fox	Mark MacKenzie	Margi Roehr	

Anniversaries this week:

none

Outreach

Dublin Food Pantry Drop items in the wagon in the breezeway of the church. At the top of the list, and the most needed items are: **Pancake mix (regular size), Cooking Oil (regular size) and Condensed soup (not ready to eat)**. Or, contribute online: Food Pantry

Chemo Caps Ministry: Volunteers needed. Caps will be available for family, friends, and others who might need them. The Chemo Cap basket is in the doorway of the narthex. Questions? Email rosewalker162@gmail.com