



ST. PATRICK PARISH

YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO

PASTOR

Very Rev. Msgr. Robert J. Siffrin

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Bill Bancroft
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PARISH CUSTODIAN

Steve Inglis

RECTORY HOUSEKEEPER

Christine Silvestri

MASSES

Sunday, 11:00 a.m.
Monday - 8:30 a.m.

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

Mondays, 8:30 a.m.

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SAINT PATRICK PARISH PRAYER

Loving God, as a parish community,
nourished by your Word and Eucharist,
we ask you to grant us wisdom, courage
and generosity so that we might:

- welcome others without prejudice;
- embrace works of charity and justice;
- lift the burdens of the needy;
- and show reverence for one another
and for all creation.

Make our parish a beacon of hope and
a sign of peace in our valley
as we continue to praise you with our
voices and the witness of our lives.
To you, O God, be the glory forever
and ever. Amen.

ST. PATRICK, PRAY FOR US.

MISSION STATEMENT

As a multi-cultural parish family,
Saint Patrick's is dedicated to enriching
the spiritual life of our community
through faith in Christ and the Eucharist.
We are a welcoming sign of permanence
amidst a neighborhood of change, striving
to provide love, trust and support to all.



**Pictures of Groover Roofing & Siding
replacing the rectory roof.**



As We Journey Together, May Christ Light Our Way.

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,



In contrast to last Sunday's celebration of the Church, the feast of St. John Lateran – the Cathedral of Rome and indeed the whole world- in its beauty as a building and as the living Body of Christ, we see in the Gospel today a Church being attacked, repressed and crucified. These last weeks of the Church Year remind us of the judgement and suffering of our Church in the face of evil, sin and death. But the reality of judgement and salvation are like two images of the same coin. Salvation for God's people and the damnation of the wicked are two aspects of the world today and tomorrow. Let us be people of hope and charity. Let us be faithful witnesses of the Good News!

The invitation and challenge that I offer to you and me is to reaffirm our commitment to Jesus and to trust in him. We are called to be genuine disciples and to love our brothers and sisters in Christ. We may be tempted to run away from suffering and pain, but the crosses we bear are the way to follow our Lord more faithfully. The more we recognize God's love for us amid suffering and disappointment, the more open we might be ready to love and support others who are suffering. Sometimes being with friends or family who are in pain the more we can simply comfort them by our presence and our bringing the comfort of our Savior to them.

As we approach the end of our Church Year, we stop and thank God for his gifts to us. Help us to serve the poor in our midst.

Please help us to be a parish that reaches out to those who are not here with us. Do you know anyone who has drifted from their relationship with the Lord, or someone who has not come to know the Lord? If you do, then welcome them to come with you to worship with us. Also, consider inviting people to join us in the OCIA. We are looking for parishioners who would be willing to bring Communion to the homebound or to become involved in ministries in the parish. We will be distributing information about ministries and services in the parish.

We are doing well with the annual appeal, but if you have not yet pledged to the Annual Appeal, please be generous! A special thank you to everyone who has already contributed, let's all of us help the poor and support the mission of the Church!

Thank you to parishioners who are beginning to call the office to let us know about family or friends who are in nursing homes or are confined to their home.

Please support our Religious Education program. Please contact Sr. Regina if you have children of school age or know of someone who does not have a connection to a parish.

With my daily prayers for you and your families, I remain.

Sincerely in Christ,
Msgr. Robert J. Siffrin

RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS

A lifetime of service deserves care in return.

"Thanks to your generosity, we can provide the very best care to the sisters in our community," says Sister M. Stephanie Belgeri, 73, a member of the Sisters of St. Francis of the Martyr St. George in Alton, Illinois. Donations to the Retirement Fund for Religious provide housing, medical assistance, and essential support for thousands of aging religious. Please consider giving next week.

ADVENT MUSIC

For the past several years, we have been blessed with benefactors who have underwritten guest musicians during the Advent season.

The memorial contribution is \$100, and your memorial will be acknowledged in the bulletin. Please call the rectory at 330-743-1109 if you are interested.

HOSPITALITY SUNDAY

Join us next Sunday after Mass for coffee & donuts sponsored by Tom & Jolene Mastramico.

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday, November 16

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:00am Al Cervello

Monday, November 17

St. Elizabeth of Hungary

8:30am Denise Skowron

Sunday, November 23

Christ the King

11:00am Patsy & Theresa
Mastramico

Monday, November 24

St. Andrew Dũng-Lac

8:30am Stan Mussler

Stewardship at St. Patrick

Regular (53 envelopes)	\$4,010.00
Visitor	202.00
Electronic Giving (26)	1,003.00
Weekly Budget Amount	8,700.00
Difference	- 3,485.00
Novena	51.00
Preservation	195.00
Archdiocese for the Military Collection	804.00

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Attendance at Mass: 151

The Sanctuary Candle burns

November 15 thru November 21
in memory of
Val Eicher
from Ed & Mary Lou Palguta.

SVDP DINING HALL

St. Pat's will be staffing the St. Vincent de Paul Dining Hall Monday, November 24 - Wednesday, November 26. If you would like to volunteer, please call Jackie Lucarell at 330-545-1110.

THANKSGIVING MASS

Join us on Thursday, November 27 at 10am for our Thanksgiving Mass!

PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

World Day of Cloistered Life –
November 21st

"By your perseverance you will secure your lives." (Luke 21:19)
Consider the hidden yet powerful witness of those in cloistered religious life. Is God calling you to a life of prayer and contemplation? Talk to your priest or reach out to the Diocese of Youngstown Office of Church Vocations at vocations@youngstowndiocese.org.

NATIONAL COLLECTION FOR THE ARCHDIOCESE FOR THE MILITARY

On behalf of His Excellency, the Most Reverend Timothy P. Broglio, Archbishop for the Military Services, USA (AMS), thank you to all those who contributed to the National Collection for the AMS last week. Thank you for supporting the men and women, and their families, from our own parish and diocese who serve and protect this great nation, and who defend the freedoms we hold dear. Please pray for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and military chaplaincy.

#iGiveCatholic

#iGiveCatholic takes place on #GivingTuesday, December 2nd. The advanced giving phase starts tomorrow, Monday, November 17 and runs through Monday, November 30th. Due to the repairs on the church's exterior windows and the rectory roof and chimneys, our preservation fund has been significantly impacted. Your participation in this year's campaign will help us **"Rebuild our Preservation Fund."** Gifts can be made by check or cash directly to St. Patrick's, visiting our website (stpatsyoungstown.com), or igivecatholic.org. We thank you for your prior generosity, and we hope you will consider supporting our parish during this year's campaign.



12 DAYS OF CHRISTMAS GIFT CARD RAFFLE

Tickets: \$12

One winner will be randomly selected to win the gift card of the day. Your ticket will be entered into all 12 drawings.

First drawing is on December 1.

Sponsored by the Parish Life Committee