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PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday through Thursday 8:30 am - 8:00 pm Friday 8:30 - 4:30 pm

LITURGY:

Weekend Mass: Saturday 4:30 pm and Sunday 8:30 am, 10:30 am and 5:00 pm

Weekday Mass: Monday through Friday 8:00 am

Tuesdays and Thursdays 5:30 pm

Holy Days: 8:00 am, 12:05 pm and 5:30 pm

SACRAMENTS:

Baptism: To arrange a baptism and begin the required preparation class, call 480-998-3843 a minimum of three months in advance.

Marriage: Arrangements must be made a minimum of nine months in advance. Call the Parish Office for an appointment.

Reconciliation: Saturday 3:00 - 4:00 pm

Anointing of the Sick or Communion to the Sick: To request either sacrament, call the Parish Office.

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First Down with Fr. Eric5 0 40 30 20 10

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Dear Friends,

The month of May has traditionally been a time when our children receive the sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist here at St. Patrick. The children have been preparing to receive these two sacraments through formation, guided by their parents and families, and our staff and parishioners. Our Diocese offers these two sacraments in the 3rd grade.

The two dates for these Masses are Saturday, May 3, and Friday, May 9. We welcome Fr. Jess Ty, the Pastor of Our Lady of Joy in Carefree, and the head of our

Deanery (parishes in this area), to represent the Bishop at these two Masses. We congratulate all the children on receiving these sacraments.

This coming Friday, our **GET ON THE BUS** ministry will be welcoming families to the parish to enjoy breakfast and take buses to see their mothers or family members at Perryville prison. Thanks to Katie Woodward, who heads this ministry, along with a good number of parishioners who have been preparing for many months to screen and help the family members get ready to visit their loved ones. This year, we have seven buses ready to go this coming Friday. We will give a report next Sunday at the Masses and invite parishioners to help support the ministry with an offering in envelopes to help cover the expenses of this great outreach.

Next Sunday is Mother's Day, and our parish will welcome all Mothers and have a special blessing for them.

Peace in Christ,

Fr. Eric



Christian Disciples in Mission Living Beyond Sunday

BY ERIC TAMAYO,
Pastoral Associate

The Socrament of Confirmation

I invite you all to pray for the students in our Confirmation program as they prepare to receive the sacrament of Confirmation this month. The sacrament of Confirmation is an important moment in the Christian life as they will receive the special outpouring of the Holy Spirit which brings an increase and deepening of baptismal grace. It would be wrong to think of Confirmation as a graduation, rather confirmation marks the start of being a true witness of Christ to the world.

The sacrament of Confirmation is necessary for the completion of baptismal grace. By the sacrament of Confirmation, we are more perfectly bound to the Church and are enriched with the strength of the Holy Spirit. In this way we become true witnesses of Christ. As witnesses of Christ, we are challenged to spread and defend the faith by both word and deed. During Confirmation the person is anointed with a perfumed oil called chrism. This is the same oil used in baptism. The anointing highlights the name of "Christian" which means anointed and is derived from Christ himself whom God anointed with the Holy Spirit. The traditional use of oil also directs us to a deeper meaning of the sacrament. Oil was often placed on wrestlers preparing for a match to make it more difficult for their opponent to hold onto them. In a spiritual sense the oil used in Confirmation is also meant to make it difficult for the evil one to get a hold of us. Oil cleanses as an anointing before and after a bath. So we

are cleansed of sins. Perfumed oil was also used in preparing a body for burial. In this way Confirmation prepares the faithful for whatever lies ahead knowing that both in life and in death we are the Lord's.

As the word Confirmation suggests, this sacrament both confirms and strengthens baptismal grace. By anointing the confirmand receives the "seal" or "mark" of the Holy Spirit. With this mark the confirmed person receives the power to profess faith in Christ publicly in union with the Church. Confirmation is an essential and indispensable part of Christian life. Every baptized person not yet confirmed, can and should receive the sacrament of Confirmation. Confirmation is a sign of unity in Christ and provides the graces we need to be true witnesses of Christ. I invite you, along with the entire community of St. Patrick, to pray for those preparing to receive the sacrament of Confirmation in the coming month.











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As we mourn the death of Pope Francis, I am reminded of stewardship through his lens. Pope Francis emphasized that giving, praying, and serving are not mere actions, but expressions of a heart transformed by God's love. He reminds us that true giving involves offering not just material goods, but also time, attention, and compassion to those in need. In prayer, Pope Francis teaches that we encounter God's mercy and are drawn into a deeper relationship that fuels our mission in the world. He viewed serving others especially the poor and marginalized—as central to living out the Gospel. For Pope Francis, these practices are interconnected and must flow from humility and a sincere desire to imitate Christ. Ultimately, he calls us to make our lives a gift for others, guided by faith and animated by love.

To make a one-time or recurring gift, please go to stpatcc.org/give.



Join the St. Patrick Team!

- Do you have a passion for Social Justice?
- Do you love to advocate for those less fortunate than yourself?
- Do you love to do outreach in the community?

If so, St. Patrick would love for you to join our Social Justice and Outreach Team. We have two positions currently available:

Coordinator of Social Justice and Outreach Ministry - Full Time

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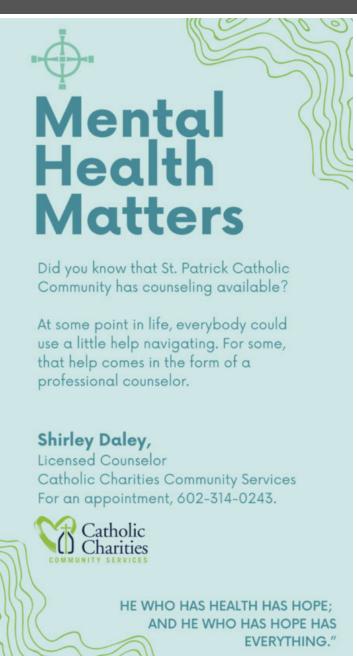


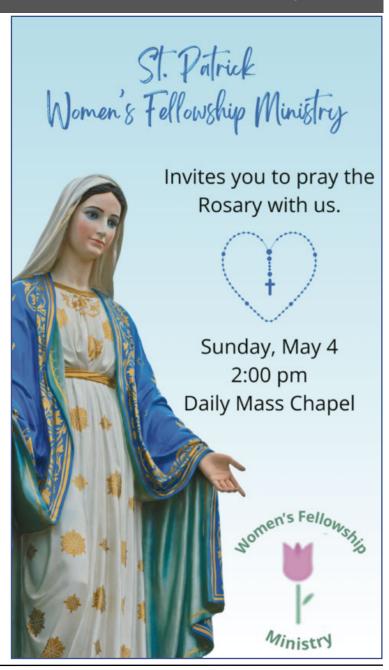














Hey, Teens!

Can you encourage kids in sports. crafts. being on stage...
We need you!



We need Volunteer Ministers for our Missoula Children's Theatre! Missoula Children's Theatre is a touring company that teaches our campers all about theater and produces a play with them in just one week. This year our show is HERCULES! and it's going to be a week of fun! No theatre experience necessary.

Who: High Schoolers and Adults!

When: July 21 - July 26 with performances on July 25 & 26

Where: Here at St. Patrick

What: Opportunities to help with small groups.

games, crafts, music and much more!

How: Sign up to serve today!

Register Here



Contact: Renée Genetti at rgenetti@stpatcc.org



St. Patrick's Annual Baseball Outing

Arizona Diamondbacks vs Seattle Mariners

Tuesday, June 10 at 6:40 pm

Group Ticket with Luxury Bus Transportation -- \$55 with comfortable seats, air conditioning, and a bathroom!

Group Ticket without Bus Transportation -- \$35

Everyone is Welcome!!

For any questions or to reserve your tickets, (while supplies last,) please email Ed Capps at mensclub@stpatcc.org.



A NEW MINISTRY FOR FAMILIES WITH YOUNG CHILDREN



OPPORTUNITIES TO MEET OTHER FAMILIES WITH YOUNG CHILDREN FOR FUN, PRAYER, SERVING, AND DOING LIFE TOGETHER

SPRING CALENDAR

MAY

17 - Families at the Train Park, 9-10am, McCormick-Stillman Train Park 18 - Family Mass, 10:30am, Church

JUNE

2 - 6 - Vacation Bible School, 9 to noon, Church

WHAT TO EXPECT

Train Park Family Ride - Join families at the Train Park for fun & fellowship!

Family Mass - Singing Angels Children's Choir, Child Readers, Homily geared for families, and more. All are welcome!

Vacation Bible School - Register your youth age 4 through rising 5th grade for VBS. Volunteer Ministers, 6th grade through adults are needed!



Contact: Renée Genetti, Coordinator of Young Families rgenetti@stpatcc.org, 480-998-3843 x223





If you are like me, we live most of our lives running on empty and hardly ever do something nice for ourselves.

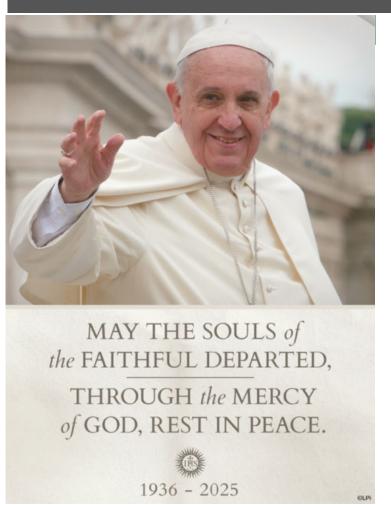
Come join us to Fill your Well!! Wednesday, May 14 at 6:30 pm in the Church

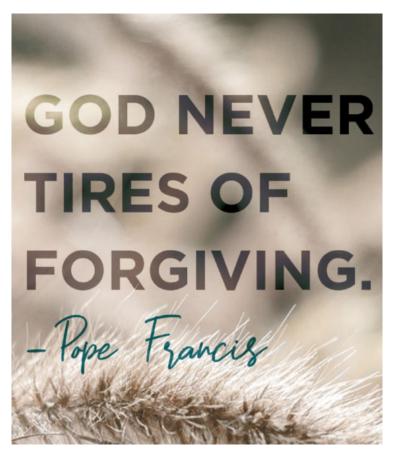
This is chance to recharge, reflect and be renewed in your faith. There will be songs to sing, and silence to sit in, and stories and scripture to be inspired by!

Come and join us. You deserve a full tank of refreshing calm and hope to face the coming weeks ahead!!!

Bring a friend...See you Soon!







Mass Readings

Third Sunday of Easter

First Reading: Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41 Second Reading: Revelation 5:11-14 Gospel Reading: John 21:1-19

Next Sunday:

Fourth Sunday of Easter

First Reading: Acts 13:14, 43-52 Second Reading: Revelation 7:9, 14b-17 Gospel Reading: John 10:27-30

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, May 5

8:00 am †Wanda Cook

Tuesday, May 6

8:00 am \$\frac{1}{2}\text{Ler Ames}

Wednesday, May 7

Thursday, May 8

8:00 am †Maureen Pallari 5:30 pm †Michele McCollow

Friday, May 9

8:00 am For the people

Saturday, May 10

4:30 pm Noah Beck Ritter

Sunday, May 11

8:30 am PRosalia Zetah 10:30 am PMary Stravers 5:00 pm PLorraine Hughes

If you would like a specific Mass Intention offered for someone, living or deceased, please come to the Parish Office to schedule one.

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may enhance

your mental

health and

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quality of life:

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and creative

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negative

thoughts

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Find meaning

in everything



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Even practicing a few of these habits daily can build coping skills by increasing:

- Exercise
- Balanced nutrition
- Quality sleep
- Relaxation and meditation
- Goal setting
- Social support

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professionals and resources available, including:

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- Chaplains
- health consultants
- Psychiatric nurse practitioners

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Parishioner References Available

Cancer Support This support group is for those dealing with the effects of cancer in their lives and their families' lives. Group meets virtually the first Wednesday of the month, September to May, 7:00 - 8:30 pm. For more information please contact Gloria Yturralde at 602-370-7042.

CARE and SUPPORT AT ST. PATRICK

Divorced/Separated The "Catholic Divorce Survival Guide" is a twelve part program of sharing, comfort, and healing for divorced or separated people. It is a journey of learning, reflection, and prayer. All are welcome. This course is offered in the spring and fall. For more information contact Benny Jetson at 602-920-1671 or Therese Mexas at 480-278-3805.

Family, Personal Support Catholic Charities Counselor available Mondays from 9:00 am - 4:00 pm. For an appointment call 602-749-4405. Fees based on sliding scale.

Annulment Support—A group of annulment ministers help people navigate the system of annulments in the Phoenix Diocese. For an appointment call 480-264-4319.

Prayer Support Small Christian Communities is a support for people who have a desire to pray with others in a supportive community. For prayer requests email to weprayforyou@stpatcc.org.

Grief Support Help and encouragement after the death of a loved one GriefShare is a special weekly Monday or Tuesday seminar and support group designed to help you rebuild your life. We know it hurts, and we want to help. Please contact Kathleen Trilk at ktrilk@stpatcc.org.

Benefits Assistance Program Assistance with Medicare and other health insurance benefits available for seniors, the disabled and caregivers. For information, please call Connie Jada at 480-998-3843 ext. 138.

The Next Chapter A group for men and women further along on their grief journey to address the ongoing needs after the loss of a loved one through spiritual, educational and social activities. Please contact Peg Bohnert at thenextchapter@stpatcc.org.

NAMI Family Support Group - This group is a free, confidential and safe place, open to family members, partners and friends of individuals living with a mental illness in order to support each other. Group meets the first and third Tuesdays of the month, 6:00-7:30 pm in the House of Mercy/Pope Francis Room. Questions: email:

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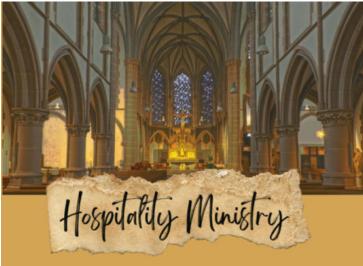


Advanced Theological Studies

with Fr. André

The next meeting will be held on **Monday,May 19** at 9:00 am in Fenlon Hospitality Center.

Future Dates: 6/16



Are you looking for a way to serve the St. Patrick community, but not sure where to start?

The 10:30 Hospitality Ministry is for you!

All that is required is a friendly personality and a welcoming smile. The Hospitality Ministry greets, seats and assists with the collection and Communion. It's an easy and rewarding way to serve. If you are interested in hearing more, please contact Jan Sagnella via email

hospitalitysun1030@stpatcc.org.

COMMUNITY NEWS



SATURDAY, MAY 10, 2025

6:30 a.m. - Registration 7:30 a.m. - Shotgun Start

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Diane Kar 480-998-3843 ext. 209 dkar@stpatcc.org ROCK45 will be going to KTR for a special **End of Year Celebration** on May 5. Meet at KTR at 6:30 pm and pick up will be at 7:45 pm. Further details have been sent in our weekly program emails. Permission slips and KTR waivers are needed on all participants. We look forward to seeing all our ROCK45 friends at this special event. Admission is FREE for those registered in ROCK45 or EDGE. Questions? Please email Diane Kar at **dkar@stpatcc.org** or call 480-998-3843 ext. 209.





Matt Curran 480-998-3843 ext. 206 mcurran@stpatcc.org

Instagram: @stpatrickedge sptheedge.org

Edge Final Meeting at KTR - Monday, May 5

Our last meeting of the year is happening at KTR! Let's make it a night to remember. Sign in begins at 6:30 pm and pickup 7:45 pm. Check your email for St. Patrick Permission Slip AND KTR online waiver. Let's celebrate an amazing year together. Can't wait to see everyone there! If you have any questions please email **hreid@stpatcc.org**.



Jesse Rodriguez 480-998-3843 ext. 205 jrodriguez@stpatcc.org

Website: splifeteen.com Facebook Page: facebook.com/splifeteen Instagram: splifeteen "Life Teen Summer Camp is around the corner, happening July 6 - 11 in Julian, CA! This is an unforgettable week where teens will encounter Christ through the sacraments, powerful prayer experiences, small group discussions, and dynamic speakers who foster authentic community. Beyond the spiritual, campers will also enjoy ropes courses, obstacle challenges, messy games, free time, and three delicious meals plus a snack each day. We'll depart the morning of July 6 and return the evening of the 11.

Scholarships are available, so please don't hesitate to reach out if cost is a concern-we want every teen to have the opportunity to go! To register go to our website **www.stpatcc.org/ltcamp."**

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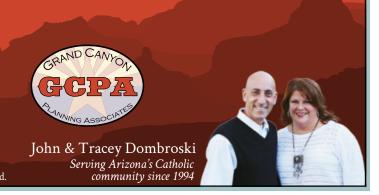
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Family Faith Formation is our at home catechetical program, where we support parents with enriching materials to bring faith alive in the home. Questions? Please contact Renee Genetti (**rgenetti@stpatcc.org** or 480-998-3843 ext. 223).



Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) is our weekly formation program for children age 4 through 3rd grade, incorporating Montessori principles to help children hear and respond to the loving call of Jesus, the Good Shepherd, who has loved them first and calls them by name. Classes meet after school and early evening for an hour and a half, once a week, September through April. Contact: Renee Genetti at rgenetti@stpatcc.org, 480-998-3843 ext. 223.



"CLOW is offered at both the 8:30 and 10:30 am Masses for children in grades Pre-K-4th. We are always looking for caring adults who can help facilitate the program during Sunday Mass times. No prior knowledge is needed and training is provided. Please contact Yasmine Rodriguez (yrodriguez@stpatcc.org) at the parish office if you would like to find out more about CLOW.



Young Disciples is a program for potty-trained preschool aged youth, 3-5 years old to encounter the gospel through story, puppets, drama and song. This program is available at both the 8:30 and 10:30 am Masses. Contact: Yasmine Rodriguez at **yrodriguez@stpatcc.org**.











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