St. Patrick's Oratory

Dedicated to Our Lady of Fatima

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE
6:30 a.m. | 8:00 a.m. | 10:00 a.m. High Mass

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE
Monday 8:00 a.m.
Tuesday 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 8:00 a.m.
Thursday 8:00 a.m.

Friday - Holy Day of Obligation
Octave of the Nativity of Our Blessed Lord Jesus Christ
8:00 a.m. | 10:00 a.m. High Mass | 6:00 p.m.
Saturday 9:00 a.m.

HOLY DAY MASS SCHEDULE
6:00 p.m. High Mass

CONFESSION SCHEDULE
Sunday 9:30a.m. - 9:55a.m.
Daily - See Page 2 - Confession Schedule

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
Tuesday 3:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

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Provincial Superior

The Reverend Canon Antoine Boucheron
Rector

Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest

Stay in the Manger

During this octave of Christmas, we are not in Green Bay, but rather in Bethlehem, watching an event that is repeated in each one of our souls. God has come down to us. He came because He loves us. This Child is a gift from God Himself who loves us and who is saving us. Today, He is making Himself known.

Let us not forget the star, the famous star of the East, is also there to show us this love. But the star is not the Light. The star only shines at night, but it shines thanks to a light coming from somewhere else. It shines thanks to the light of the sun; and the Sun is in the manger. This star which makes the Wise Men rise and follow, is bowing before another star, one which is more beautiful, more real and definite. It is the tribute of one star to another.

Having faith in the manger will always lead to faith. Our God who has made Himself known to us still remains hidden. Faith is like the star in the night, for it is already shining, but not enough to let us see everything.

What is important is when we get to see it face to face. Alas, this is not for now. Today the King of Heaven has made himself known to the kings of the Earth. We must be little before Him if we want to welcome Him faithfully.

A very young lady is the new star in our night. The ever so sweet Virgin Mary is becoming our own star. "Mary, mother of God, was meditating on all these things in her heart." What Mary had to meditate on was mainly her son's fate.

Holy Communion transforms us into living mangers; we carry Jesus the Savior in our hearts.

Canon Antoine Boucheron

Sunday, December 27, 2020 - Sunday within the Octave of Christmas

Liturgical Calendar: December 27 - January 3, 2021

Sun., Dec., 27 **6:30 a.m.**	**SUNDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF CHRISTMAS** (2nd Cl., W) Commemoration for the Pope ***Wine Blessing after Mass***	Poor souls in Purgatory *by Kirk & Bonni Kanzenbach family*	Scott LaLonde
8:00 a.m. **Low Mass**		Sophie Severson *by Paul Kessler*	Eric Lexow Daniel Lexow
10:00 a.m. **High Mass** *St. Cecilia Choir*		Dominik Bartolozzi *by Ben & Jenny Bartolazzi*	MC: Adam Mihalski Thurifer: Jacob Mihalski Acolytes: Thomas Simia & Michael Kazenbach Candle: Vic Neuman, Jacob Wood, Paul & Joshua Mihalski Crucifer: Michael Simia
Mon., Dec., 28 **8:00 a.m.**	**Holy Innocents, Martyrs,** (2nd Cl., R) Commemoration of Christmas and for the Pope	A & A Alexandrina Center *by Del & Lee Mayer*	Scott LaLonde Jean-Marie Helfenberger
	EUCHARISTIC ADORATION 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m		
Tues., Dec., 29 **6:00 p.m.**	**Fifth Day within the Octave of Christmas,** (2nd Cl., W) Commemoration for the Pope & St. Thomas of Canterbury, Bishop & Martyr	†Joseph DeGroote *by Tom & Mary Roehrig*	James Kanzenbach Michael Kanzenbach
Wed., Dec., 30 **8:00 a.m.**	**Sixth Day within the Octave of Christmas,** (2nd Cl., W) Commemoration for the Pope	†Charles & John Cary *by Rose Cary*	David Stillwell Elijah Lasee
Thurs., Dec., 31 **8:00 a.m.**	**Seventh Day within the Octave of Christmas,** (2nd Cl., W) Commemoration for the Pope & St. Sylvester, Pope & Confessor	†Dorothy Roehrig *by Tom & Mary Roehrig*	Raphael Cary Chris Cary
Fri., Jan., 1 **8:00 a.m.** **Low Mass**	**Octave of the Nativity of Our Blessed Lord Jesus Christ** (1st Cl., W) Commemoration for the Pope **Véni Creátor Spiritus Sung before 10:00 a.m. Mass** ***~ Holy Day of Obligation ~***	†Orville Frisque *by family*	Daniel Lexow Gibbon Lexow
10:00 a.m. **High Mass**		†Guieula Boyd *by Ben & Amy Smith*	MC: James Kanzenbach Thurifer: John Kanzenbach Acolytes: Michael Kanzenbach & J.M. Helfenberger Candle: Anthony Kanzenbach, Joshua & Paul Mihalski, Bobby Geck Crucifer: Elijah Lasee
6:00 p.m. **Low Mass**		†Francis Moes *by Jay & Lori Fameree*	Vic Neumann John Neumann
Sat., Jan., 2 **9:00 a.m.**	**Votive Mass of the Immaculate Heart of Mary** (3rd Cl., W) Commemoration for the Pope	†Nathan Reynolds *by Kay Reynolds*	John Kanzenbach Michael Kanzenbach
Sun., Jan., 3 **6:30 a.m.**	**FEAST OF THE MOST HOLY NAME OF JESUS** (2nd Cl., W) Commemoration for the Pope	Our children *by Mr. & Mrs. Wood*	Scott LaLonde
8:00 a.m. **Low Mass**		Veronica Lam *by anonymous*	Ben Wood Jacob Wood
10:00 a.m. **High Mass**		President Trump *by Ben & Amy Smith*	MC: Nathan Reif Thurifer: Michael Simia Acolytes: Nicholas Reif & Thomas Simia Candle: Dominik Bartolazzi, Jacob Wood, Bobby Geck, Brodie Bartolazzi Crucifer: Henry Geck

Confession Schedule: December 27 – January 3

Sunday, December 27.....9:30 a.m. - 9:55 a.m.
Monday.....7:30 a.m. - 7:55 a.m.
Tuesday.....5:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.
Wednesday.....7:30 a.m. - 7:55 a.m.
Thursday.....7:30 a.m. - 7:55 a.m.
Friday.....9:30 a.m. - 9:55 a.m.
Saturday.....8:30 a.m. - 8:55 a.m.
Sunday, January 3.....9:30 a.m. - 9:55 a.m.
Upon appointment.....Call the rectory

Adoration Schedule

Tuesday.....5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Friday.....No Adoration

Public Devotion Schedule

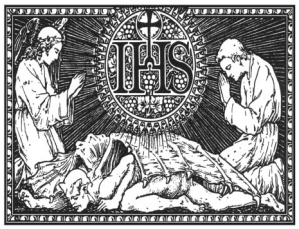
Divine Mercy Chaplet
Friday.....3:00 p.m.

Church Open for Prayer - Schedule: Dec. 28 - Jan. 2

Monday.....7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.
Tuesday.....4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday.....7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.
Thursday.....7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.
Friday.....7:00 a.m. - Noon | 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Saturday.....8:00 a.m. - Noon

New at St. Patrick's ? | Please register as a member
To register as a new member or if you have recently moved?
Please send your new contact information to **roehrigtrrmmr@hotmail.com**

Welcome to Our Church



JANUARY
MONTH OF THE HOLY NAME OF JESUS

The month of January is traditionally dedicated to the Holy Name of Jesus. After the Blessed Virgin Mary conceived by the Holy Spirit, the angel Gabriel appeared to St. Joseph and told him that the Child would be called Emmanuel, meaning "God with us." According to Jewish law, on the 8th day after his birth a male child was to be circumcised, receive his name, and become a full member of God's people. According to the traditional Roman liturgical calendar, the Feast of the Circumcision of Jesus was celebrated on January 1st, eight days after Christmas, the same day that He was given His sacred name. Currently we celebrate the Octave of Christmas on January 1st and honor the Holy Name of Jesus on January 3rd. For Catholics, Jesus' sacred name is the object of a special devotion symbolized by the monogram "IHS," sometimes called a Christogram, which is the first three letters of the Greek spelling of His name.

An Act of Consecration to Mary Immaculate Patroness of the United States of America

(Proclaimed under this title in 1846)

In Honor of the New Year

Most Holy Trinity: Our Father in Heaven, who chose Mary as the fairest of your daughters; Holy Spirit, who chose Mary as your spouse; God the Son, who chose Mary as your Mother; in union with Mary, we adore your majesty and acknowledge your supreme eternal dominion and authority. Most Holy Trinity, we put the United States of America into the hands of Mary Immaculate in order that she may present the country to you. Through her we wish to thank you for the great resources of this land and for the freedom which has been its heritage. Through the intercession of Mary, have mercy on the Catholic Church in America. Grant us peace. Have mercy on our President and on all the officers of our government. Grant us a fruitful economy born of justice and charity. Have mercy on capital and industry and labor. Protect the family life of the nation. Guard the innocence of our children. Grant the precious gift of many religious vocations. Through the intercession of our Mother, have mercy on the sick, the poor, the tempted, sinners–on all who are in need. Mary, Immaculate Virgin, Our Mother, Patroness of our land, we praise you and honor you and give ourselves to you. Protect us from every harm. Pray for us, that acting always according to your will and the Will of your Divine Son, we may live and die pleasing to God.

The Celebration is Just Beginning!

Christmastide is a season, one that lasts 40 days. The carols, the feasting, the lights, the joy, have only just commenced. We are about to rejoice in an octave (and more!) of the radiant splendor of the birth of Christ, the Messiah.

The Church so rejoices in the birth of her Bridegroom and Savior that she simply revels in the joy! The Octave of Christmas is studded with important feasts, some accompanied with extra devotions and blessings. On Dec. 26 the feast is for St. Stephen, the Protomartyr, the 27th celebrates St. John the Apostle with the blessing of wine. The 28th is the Feast of the Holy Innocents whose intercession is so much needed today. The 29th is given to St. Thomas a Becket.

After the Octave of Christmas, there are more important feasts. Of course Jan. 1st is a holy day of obligation and features the circumcision of the Christ Child that commemorates the first time His blood was shed for us. The Holy Name of Jesus is celebrated on January 3rd. On the Vigil of Epiphany, the important and beautiful blessing of the Epiphany water takes place. The manifestation of the Savior to the world occurs on the Feast of Epiphany, the 12th day of Christmas, Jan. 6th. And then there is the Octave of Epiphany and the season of Epiphany itself which runs until the Feast of the Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary on Feb. 2nd, which is also known as Candlemas Day.

Special efforts to make daily Mass during this blessed season will be rewarded with many graces that will keep the Christ Child in our hearts for much longer; exactly what He desires for us.

Reunión de los fieles hispanos

Muchas gracias a todos los feligreses y visitantes hispanos que asistieron a la reunión del 13 de diciembre de 2020. Fue muy bien recibida y, por lo tanto, me gustaría anunciar una segunda reunión para el 7 de febrero de 2021 después de la misa de las 10:00 am. Haré algunos bocadillos mexicanos. No dudes en traer algo para compartir si lo deseas. ¡Usted y sus familias son bienvenidos!

Monday, December 28 - 8:00 a.m. Mass

Mass for A&A Volunteers | Special Collection for A&A Center

The Holy Innocents (1st c.) are the children mentioned in the account of Jesus' birth in Matthew's Gospel (2:16-18). When the Magi came to Jerusalem to find and adore the Baby Jesus, the newborn King of the Jews, King Herod requested that they inform him of the Child's location under the pretense of offering Him adoration, too. After paying the Child homage and offering Him their gifts, the Wise Men were warned in a dream not to betray Jesus' location, and departed for their home country by another route. Meanwhile the Holy Family was warned by an Angel to flee into Egypt. King Herod fell into a jealous rage over the Magi's failure to report back to him. He ordered all the baby boys aged two years and under to be killed, according to the appearance of the Bethlehem Star to the Three Wise Men, in an attempt to kill the Baby Jesus. These baby boys died not only for Christ, but in his stead. The Church venerates them as martyrs. It it is uncertain how many children were killed, whether a small number, or in the thousands. The Latin Church instituted the feast of the Holy Innocents in the fifth century. The Basilica of St. Paul Outside the Walls in Rome is believed to possess the bodies of several of the Holy Innocents. Their feast day is commemorated on December 28th.

The Restoration of St. Patrick's Oratory

Thank you all for your continued commitment to the worthwhile cause of restoring our church to a new level of beauty and inspiration by supporting our fundraising efforts.

Every event, no matter how big or small brings us one step closer to beginning of the next Phase of our beautification project.

CAN YOU HELP US REACH OUR GOAL OF $140,000?

May God reward your generosity!

Canon Antoine Boucheron

Calendar of Upcoming Events

Catechism Classes - Christmas Break 12/29 & 01/05

TODAY - Sunday, Dec. 27 - Wine Blessing after each Mass

Monday, December 28 - Feast of the Holy Innocents

Mass for A&A volunteers | Special collection for A&A Center

Friday, January 1

Octave of the Nativity of Our Blessed Lord Jesus Christ

8:00 a.m. Low Mass | 10:00 a.m. High Mass | 6:00 p.m. Low Mass

January 3 - Children's Coin-Box Collection for Africa

Filled Coin-Boxes to be dropped off in church on Sunday, January 3

Monday, January 4 - St. Jerome Book Club

6:30 p.m. in the Rectory

Saturday, March 13 - Feast of St. Patrick Gala - Fundraiser

Tickets coming soon - Swan Club De Pere

Sunday, May 30 - First Communion

St. Patrick's Oratory at the 10:00 a.m. Mass

Christmas Flowers

Thank you for helping decorate the Oratory for the Feast of the Nativity of Our Savior. Last Sunday **$1,326** was given for the special flower collection. If you haven't had a chance to donate, please use any envelope marked with "Christmas Flowers" and place it in the collection basket. Please mention your intention.

Your intention will be commemorated during the entire Octave of Christmas.

ST. PATRICK'S CALENDAR RAFFLE

Join in the fun for another year!

All parish members are encouraged to buy & sell the Calendar.

Calendar Raffles available for purchase between Sunday Masses, including after the 10 am Mass

Available Now until sold out!

Drawings April 2021-March 2022

- **$4,800 in Cash Prizes with 10 chances to win each month**
- **Prizes Drawn First Saturday of each month: 1-$150, 1-$50, 8-$25**
- **$10 per Calendar Raffle**
- **All Proceeds Going to the Restoration Fund**
- **Last year's raffle netted over $5,000 for the Restoration Fund**
- **Winning tickets re-entered for following months' drawings**

The new updated Calendar Raffle is a great way to promote St. Patrick's Oratory, ICKSP, and the traditional Latin Mass.

Questions: Contact Gary at 920-257-8466 or Kathy at 330-631-7252

2021 DONATION ENVELOPES

Please pickup your 2021 Donation Envelopes in the side entrance of the church today. Just a reminder; please do **not** use the previous years envelopes as the number changes annually.

Need Envelopes? Contact Mary at roehrigtrrmmr@hotmail.com

All recorded envelope donations and donations made by check are tax deductible.

Exodus 90

Exodus 90 is a ninety-day spiritual exercise for men based on three pillars: **prayer, asceticism, and fraternity**. All three of these pillars are essential aspects of the Christian life. It is for this reason that taking up this spiritual exercise requires taking up all three of these pillars both simultaneously and humbly.

Exodus 90 begins **January 4, 2021**, and ends on Holy Saturday, **April 3, 2021.** If we can get a big enough group of men at St. Patrick's willing to accept the challenge (preferably at least 5 men), we'll move forward with scheduling weekly meetings at a time and location that works for everyone.

For more information about Exodus 90 please visit exodus90.com or contact Eric Brandt at (920) 450-2326 or email ericrossbrandt@gmail.com .

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COIN BOX COLLECTION FOR AFRICA | NOW - JANUARY 3

Please Drop off your filled Coin Boxes Next Sunday, January 3 in the marked "Coin Box" drop off bins. One is located in front of the first pew inside the church and one in on the table in the back of church.

May God reward you and your children in your generosity!

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All Scrip profits go directly to St. Patrick's Oratory.

Thank you for your continued support!

Collections

Weekly Collection December 27th: $5,995.00

Monthly Collection Goal for December: $14,000.00

Quarterly Collection Goal for Oct/Nov/Dec: $43,000.00

Become a Member of the Legion of Mary

This lay organization was approved in 1931 for the United States, and gives glory to God and service to others through the sanctification of its members.

A weekly meeting is conducted with prayer and a planning & discussion session. Projects might include visitation of the sick or newly baptized, Pilgrim Virgin Statue rotations, or whenever the Priest needs help.

Please come join us in the Ramp Room across from O'Brien hall from 9:00am—10:00am any Sunday. If you have any questions please contact Scott LaLonde: 920-660-9832 or Debbie Bouchonville: 920-619-1626

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