

St Patrick's Parish Bulletin



Mission Statement

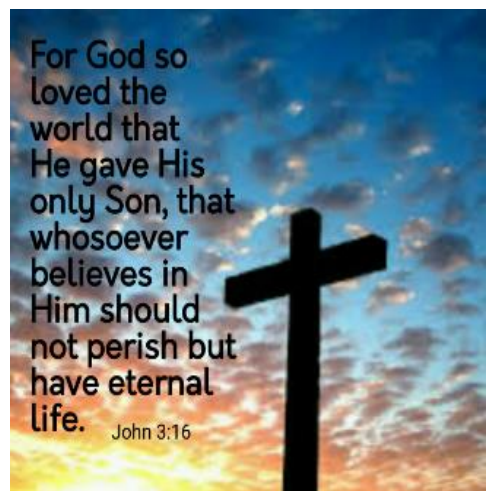
While honouring its Irish heritage, St. Patrick's Parish has a unique mission to live and share the teachings of Jesus Christ with Roman Catholics who worship in the English language in the Diocese.

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Easter Sunday, April 11th & April 12th 2020

It's at that intersection of hope and pain that Jesus transforms us – he walks with us on that journey. Easter Sunday is the story of our faith. This Easter let's take the opportunity to reflect on our own journey of transformation. With Mary, we can re-live and remember those three phases of hope, grief and joy, to truly appreciate and celebrate the transforming gift that is the resurrection of Jesus in our life.



For God so
loved the
world that
He gave His
only Son, that
whosoever
believes in
Him should
not perish but
have eternal
life. John 3:16

“According to the Scripture: Jesus must rise from the dead.”
(John 20: 1-18)

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Ministers and servers	Saturday April 11 th 16:00	Sunday April 12 th 10:00	Saturday April 18 th 16:00	Sunday April 19 th 10:00
READERS	-----	-----	-----	-----
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There was no collection for the weekend of April 4th and April 5th.

Mass			Mass Intentions	
Day	Date	Liturgy	For	From
Saturday	April 11 th (16:00)	Easter Vigil	Mary Walsh Hennessey	Mary Lou & Edward Murphy
Sunday	April 12 th (10:00)	Easter Mass	O'Donnell McCauley families	Constance O'Donnell
Monday	April 13 th (11:30)		Drouin's family deceased	Drouin Family
Tuesday	April 14 th (11:30)		Langis Family deceased	Drouin Family
Wednesday	April 15 th (11:30)			
Thursday	April 16 th (11:30)			
Friday	April 17 th (11:30)		Katheleen Murphy	Steven Neatt
Saturday	April 18 th (16:00)		Jeanine Dumas	Succession Jeanine Dumas
Sunday	April 19 th (10:00)		Gemma (Louise) Walsh Henriette Robichaud McGarretty	Ellen Walsh Robie McGarretty
ALL LITURGY CELEBRATIONS ARE PRESIDED BY THE PRIEST WITH NO PARISHIONERS IN ATTENDANCE				



Schedule of the Mass at Ste-Anne-de-Baupré, from April 9th to April 11th:

-Holy Thursday 19:30 -Good Friday, Way of the Cross: 7:45

-Good Friday celebration: 15:00 Easter Vigil: 19:30



Celebration of the Easter Vigil

Unfortunately, because of the coronavirus, it's only Richard and Father Lussier who will celebrate the Easter Vigil in the church. Father will bless the Paschal Candle that will be used in the future. The Easter Vigil Mass will take place in the church on Saturday April 11th and we will pray for our parishioners.



Special measures during Coronavirus for Parish Office

For the safety of everyone, we will follow the recommendations of public health officials and advise parishioners and volunteers not to come to the parish office until further notice. We will continue to monitor and follow the recommendations provided by the proper Authorities. If you have urgent matters with the office, please call us to make arrangements.

«Then the other disciple who had reached the tomb first also went in; he saw and believed»

Today, «is the day when the Lord has acted», as we shall be singing throughout Easter time. As this is the expression of Psalm 117 that fills out the celebration of our Christian faith. The Father has resurrected Jesus Christ, His beloved Son, whom He indulges in because His Son has loved to the point of giving his life for all of us.

Let us live this Easter with plenty of joy. Christ has risen: so let us celebrate it full of joy and love. Death, sin and sadness, have today been defeated by Jesus Christ... and He has opened the doors to a new life, the real life, the life we owe to the grace of the Holy Spirit. Nobody should be sad. Christ is our Peace and our Path forever and ever. Today, He «fully reveals man to man himself and makes his supreme calling clear» (Vatican Council II, Gaudium et Spes 22).

The great sign the Gospel gives us today is that Jesus' tomb is empty. We have to look no more among the dead for He who is alive has risen. And his disciples, that later on will see him risen, that is, will experience him alive in a wonderful meeting in faith, also realize his tomb is empty. An empty tomb and apparitions will be the great signs for the believer's faith. The Gospel says that «finally the other disciple, who had reached the tomb first, also went inside. He saw and believed» (Jn 20:8). Through his faith he realizes that the emptiness and the linen cloths lying flat and the napkin rolled up in its place, were all signs God had been there, signs of the new life.

Love can see signals where others cannot and small signs may suffice.

«The other disciple whom Jesus loved» (Jn 20:2) was led by the love he had received from Christ.

The “seeing and believing” of the disciples must also be our aim. We renew our paschal faith. That Christ be our Lord in everything we do. Let his Life revitalize ours and let us renew the grace of the baptism we have received. Let us become his apostles and disciples. Let us be guided by love and announce to all our happiness to believe in Christ. Let us be hopeful witnesses of his Resurrection.

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