

# Saint Patrick's Church

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## Parish Staff

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## Music Ministry

Carol Martin - Director of Music  
Sandra DiCienzo - Organist  
Tim Marrie - Pianist and Soloist  
Anthony Scaringi - Pianist and Organist  
Ashley Gallardi - Soloist

## Office Hours:

Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. - 12:00, 12:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.  
Closed on Weekends & Holidays

## Sunday Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday 8:00, 9:30, 11:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

## Weekday Mass Schedule

Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m.

## Reconciliation

Saturday 4:30 p.m.  
or by appointment

## Baptism

Once monthly at 1:00 p.m. on Sunday  
Preparation for Parents  
and Godparents required.

## Marriage

Please contact the parish office  
at least six months in advance.  
Preparation weekend is required.

## Schools

St. Patrick School (905) 354-6631  
St. Mary School (905) 354-7744

## Diocese of St. Catharines (est. 1958)

Most Rev. Gerard Bergie, D.D., Bishop  
Most Rev. John A. O'Mara, D.D., Bishop-Emeritus

Parish Established 1858  
Church Dedicated 1895



**New Parishioners are asked to complete a parish registration form.**

## PENTECOST SUNDAY



### Saturday, June 3 St Charles Lwanga & Companions

**5:00** Gautier & Hunt Family *req. by John & Anna Hunt*

Bridget Mundier *req. by the Family*

### Sunday, June 4 Pentecost Sunday

**8:00** People of the Parish

**9:30** Raffaele Fabiano *req. by Children & Grandkids*

Bill Woods *req. by Battista & Marie Sacco*

**11:30** Sebastiano Sam Radice *req. by the Family*

Angelo Radice *req. by Antonietta Radice & Family*

**7:00** Bruna Panucci *req. by the Family*

Oscar Bonaguro *req. by the Family*

### Monday, June 5 St Boniface

**8:00** Kaz Dykas *req. by Carolyn Dykas*

John MacDonnell *req. by Jeanne Lea*

### Tuesday, June 6 St Norbert

**8:00** Irma Amadio *req. by Ange Martin*

Tony Strangis, Catherine & Augustino Stragis *req. by Helen Strangis*

### Wednesday, June 7

**8:00** John & Rosaleen O'Brien *req. by the Family*

Loretta Bagnulo *req. by the Family*

### Thursday, June 8

**8:00** Julie Roberto *req. by Kate Connors & Family*

Patricia Patterson *req. by M. Formica*

### Friday, June 9 St Ephrem

**8:00** Ola Manuel *req. by Wilf*

Gianni 'Johnny' Bonaldo *req. by Juliet Fasano*

### Saturday, June 10

**5:00** M/M Ted Tremblay *req. by Don & Donna Cormier*

Anthony Hung Nguyen, Paul Le Su & Paul Pham Chanh *req. by the Nguyen Family*

### Sunday, June 11 The Most Holy Trinity

**8:00** Bruno Pietrobbon *req. by the Family*

Aldo & Pat Visentin *req. by Marilyn Lococo*

**9:30** James, Elmira & Danny Dick *req. by Yvette Dick & Colette Empey*

Lydia Shannon, & Dec'd Shannon & Coscarella Fam. *req. by the Fam.*

**11:30** Patricia Patterson *req. by Jim & Dora Spencer*

Ralph Fabiano *req. by his Wife: Lula & Children*

**7:00** People of the Parish

### 2017 Church Envelopes & 2016 Tax Receipts

Please make sure you pick up your Offertory Envelopes & Tax Receipts as soon as possible. They are at the main doors of the Church today. Many thanks.

### CHANGE FOR LIFE Baby Bottles for Hannah House

Pick up a Baby Bottle to help support **Hannah House**. Fill the bottle with either coins, bills or a cheque. Bottles will then be returned to St. Pat's Church on June 18, Father's Day.

Hannah House provides women, ages 21 and under, with a safe environment to share the joys of pregnancy and gain effective parenting skills, when it seems there is nowhere left to turn.

### Mount Carmel Spiritual Centre Presentations:

Separated & Divorced Healing Ministry Support Group meets every second & fourth Monday of the month, from 7 - 9pm at Mt Carmel Spiritual Centre.

**June 26th will be the last meeting until the Fall.**

For information call 905-356-4113 or 905-684-0154

**Carmelite Spirituality Group** ...You are invited to Mt Carmel Monastery on the second Sunday of each month to explore Carmelite spirituality.

Mt Carmel Spiritual Centre, 2 - 5pm [www.carmelniagara.com](http://www.carmelniagara.com)

Come, Pray and Live the experience of Fatima: 100th anniversary  
Last chance to book the extraordinary Pilgrimage to Fatima/Portugal and  
Southern Spain with Spiritual Leader Father Peter Rowe

Dates: August 16 - 28, 2017

Deadline for reservations: Monday June 5, 2017

Call Ineke Brinkman: 905.988.9100, ext. 2

**Rest in Peace...** We pray for the souls of Bette Anne Chevalier, Colleen Barber, Pellegrino Iuliano, Wilhelmina Ostrander and Giacomo (Jack) DeGiorgio. May they rest in peace. Please remember their families in your prayers.

### Please pray for those who are hospitalized:

Winifred Andrews, Baby Noah, Helen Lelievre, Mary Brennan, Lena Grespan

### Please pray for those who are ill

Mary Power, Erika Bell, John Nicks, Melissa Brideau, Anna Hunt, Matteo Parente, Samuel Potapczyk, Loreto Rey, Frances Comeau, Mary Creamer, Mary Lawrence, Leon Dopke, Bernard Martin, William JA De Foe, Emily Hanover, Leo Martin, Drago Bicanic, Baby Victoria, , Nancy Weiss, Bob Marshall, Gerry Laffrady, Wendy & John Calder, Pauline Miner, Edna McDonell, Gloria Smelko, Fran Smelko, Fr Tony McNamara, O.Carm., Maria Melchiorre, Conner Hawkswell, Vicki Lea-Dawson, Jeannette Fabian, Donna Cormier, Maria Rosiana, Danielle Barranca, Lucy Rizzo, Barbara Phillips (Murray), Audrey Vendramin, Jeanne Lea, Stan Manning, Iole Mancini, Alice Dalton, Baby Maximus, David & Patrick Kealey, Joanna Daniels, Ray Sexton, Francesco Albanese, Mary Ann O'Shea, Rosalyn Dagleish, Kelly Detlor Kitty Decicco, Evelyn Rose Baker, Jozefa Bilski, Charlene Shannon, Dr. Andy Fisher, Rebecca Evans, Marie Massolin, Maria Guerin, Anna Vergalito, John Jefferson, Todd Reid, Jill Leronowich, Vince(Jim) Baldassarro, Nancy Jean Rose, Guiseppina Paonessa, Patrick McCarthy, Norman Horth, Muriel Pivamyik, Helen Lelievre, Tom Hilton, Walter Wallace, Stefanie Borin, John Cox, Joyce Weaver, Kerrie Szuch, Faith Amadio, Margaret Smith, Carmella Modenti, Margaret Waghorn, Theresa Poirier, Carlo Trasmundi, Vito Fuccillo, Baby Hope, Cheryl D'Amizio, Kelly Laslo, Francois Chayer, Julie Nicholson, Alessia Commisso, Vicki Dubeau, Donna Bradley, Mary Jo O'Kell, Baby Sebastian, Lorraine Murray, Patricia O'Reilly, JoAnne Biamonte Ely, Pepper Martin Jr., Vital & Emmanuel Chayer, Trina Washington, Shirley Machulla, Baby Gabriel Paraskevopoulos, Brian Smith, Lorraine Spence, Patricia Desrosiers, Helen Rotella, Maria Benevento, Jeanne S, Michelle Price

**Please help us update our list of those who are homebound, infirm, or hospitalized by calling the parish office.**

### Collections

May 27 & 28: \$5,387.00

Many thanks for your generosity!

### Baptism Schedule for 2017

Baptisms will be celebrated in St. Patrick Church at 1:00 PM on: **Sunday, June 25, July 23 & Aug 27**

A **mandatory** meeting for **Parents and Godparents** will be held in the Church on **Tuesday, June 13, July 11 & Aug 15** at 7:00 pm.

### Sacrament of Baptism

*Congratulations on the birth of your child! If you wish to have your child baptized, please register in the parish (if you haven't already done so). One of the parents must come into the parish office, meet with the pastor or his designate, so we can complete the proper forms, and gather all the necessary information. We encourage parents and Godparents to make an effort to attend liturgies in the parish community. We also have a special evening of preparation for parents and Godparents! Many blessings!*

**CWL News...** St. Patrick's CWL will hold their **Pot Luck dinner and meeting on Wednesday June 7 at 6:30 pm in the Hall. All are invited to attend and please bring your favourite dish to share.**

Diocese of St. Catharines - Year of the Rosary - A Marian Event  
Saturday, June 24, 2017 9am - 2:30pm at Mt Carmel Spiritual Centre  
Cost \$20 (includes lunch) pay at the door  
Register by June 8, 905-684-0154 ext 207

**A special collection will be taken up next weekend for the Education of Seminarians & Clergy. Envelopes are available at the doors of the Church today. Please be generous.**

### Weekday Rosary

*Every morning at 7:30, the Holy Rosary is prayed in St. Patrick Church.  
Keep Mary in mind, and Jesus will grow in your heart!*

Please refer to the Bulletin Boards at the back and side entrances of the Church for many important notices and events.



Dear Friends:

Today is the Solemnity of Pentecost! The Birthday of the Church! The Fifty-Days of Easter Season are officially completed, but we are *always* an Easter people... during the other 315 Days!! The church is dressed in RED, representing the *tongues of fire* that came upon the disciples. Acts of the Apostles gives a vivid account of the day of Pentecost - tongues of fire, the sound of a violent wind, many languages, crowds! The Gospel is the account of the Risen Christ appearing on Easter evening. St. Paul talks about a variety of gifts, services, activities and how the same Spirit activates all of them. All of us together are formed by the Holy Spirit into one **Body of Christ**.

When we look at St. Patrick Parish, so many people are involved in ministries. Everyone speaks of God's deeds of power according to their ability! Here at St. Pat's, some are young, some are old; some are musically and vocally talented; some visit the sick and homebound; some are ushers, servers; some minister with our young people; many serve in liturgical roles; some feed the children, tend to the local poor, many share their skills around the property and in the office; so many serve behind the scenes; and **everyone, moved by the Spirit serves God... and serves the Church!** Each and every one of us make up the heart of the parish because we're all united by the **Holy Spirit**.

Every baptized person is gifted with a unique manifestation of the Spirit. The Church and our parish are strongest when we allow the Spirit to live and work in and through our lives. My prayer is that the Holy Spirit of Pentecost, will fill our hearts and homes with love, peace and joy! And may we always allow the Spirit to work in and through us... and even to change us! As St. Augustine said, "Without the Spirit we can neither love God nor keep His commandments." Happy Pentecost! Happy Birthday to the Church! Happy Birthday to all of us! Many Blessings!

Fr. Gerard



### Prayer to the Holy Spirit

Breathe into me Holy Spirit, that all my thoughts may be holy. Move in me, Holy Spirit, that my work, too, may be holy. Attract my heart, Holy Spirit, that I may love only what is holy. Strengthen me, Holy Spirit, that I may defend all that is holy. Protect me, Holy Spirit, that I may always be holy. Amen.



### Prayer for the Seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit

Grant us the Spirit of **Fear Of The Lord**...  
that we may be filled with a loving reverence toward You.  
The Spirit of **Piety**...  
that we may find peace and fulfillment in the service of God while serving others;  
The Spirit of **Fortitude**...  
that we may bear our cross with You and, with courage, overcome the obstacles that interfere with our salvation;  
The Spirit of **Knowledge**...  
that we may know You and know ourselves and grow in holiness;  
The Spirit of **Understanding**...  
to enlighten our minds with the light of Your truth;  
The Spirit of **Counsel**...  
that we may choose the surest way of doing Your will, seeking first the Kingdom;  
Grant us the Spirit of **Wisdom**...  
that we may aspire to the things that last forever;  
Teach us to be Your faithful disciples  
and animate us in every way with Your Spirit. Amen.

The Apostles were told to spread the Good News to the ends of the earth! Now I know how they got around.... they drove a Honda!  
*"The Apostles were all in one Accord." !!!! - Acts 5:12*  
And we thought they walked everywhere!

### Parish Gardens

If you feel moved to lend a helping hand around the parish gardens... weeding, trimming, pruning, planting, transplanting... come on in!!!



### !!!Project Share Needs our Help!!!

Food donations are at their lowest from June to August, and shelves often get close to being empty ... while the need doesn't diminish. According to Project SHARE, close to 9.9 per cent of Niagara households are food insecure. They feed 100 families each day! We are asked to do all we can to get them through this challenging period. Project SHARE's most needed food items include peanut butter; protein items such as canned tuna, canned salmon, canned chicken and canned beans, pasta sauce, baby food and formula; cereals. *Lord, when did we see you hungry?*

### Catholic Men's Big Breakfast -- Event in the Tent -- June 17, 2017

7:30am - 11:45am at Branches (43 Maywood Ave, St. Catharines)  
Tickets \$20 Please call to reserve 905-685-7000  
Pea-meal bacon, scrambled eggs, roasted potatoes, baked beans, coffee, tea & dessert Guest speaker: Gus Lloyd

### "I'll Fly Away" again...Spirituals & old timey Gospel Singing

by the St. Thomas More Choir & Friends  
Today, June 4 @ 2:30pm at Mount Carmel Spiritual Centre  
Tickets are \$17 each or \$40 for a family/group of 4  
and can be purchased at the Mount Carmel Gift Shop



### DID YOU KNOW?

For those of you who have Celiac Disease or are allergic to wheat products, our parish has special **Gluten-Free hosts** available. The onus is on you to let the presiding priest know before each Mass. He will ensure that he has it in his ciborium for you... or in a separate pyx. If you wish, you can also receive the Precious Blood from the Chalice. Simply, let the presider know before Mass.

Pilgrimage to St. Anne De Beaupre July 24 to July 27, 2017  
for information Please contact Maria Chiovitti @ 905-356-9794

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