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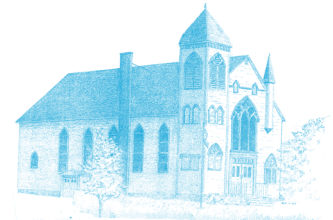
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**St. Columba
& St. Patrick**



**St. Mary
of the Assumption**



St. Vincent de Paul

October 4, 2015 ~ 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Open your hearts to life!



Respect Life

Our Cluster Vision Statement: The people of our churches, St. Columba/St. Patrick, St. Mary of the Assumption, and St. Vincent de Paul, strive to live the sacramental life together through vibrant liturgical worship, loving service, and life-long faith formation for spiritual growth. Through wise use of our gifts, leadership, and shared resources, we are one community of Catholics worshipping our God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Guided by the Holy Spirit, we embrace an atmosphere of belonging and discipleship to make visible the life and work of Jesus Christ.



Liturgies of the Week

Saturday, October 3

5:00 pm (C) Hank Cox by Ruth Coyle
5:00 pm (V) Jim Barnard by the Barnard family

Sunday, October 4 ~ 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am (M) People of the Cluster
9:00 am (C) Mary Coppini by the family
10:00 am (V) Florence Becker by the Becker families
11:00 am (M) Martha Och by Alex & Catherine Gilbert

Monday, October 5

8:30 am (V) Bob Cravatta
by Linda Smith & the Cravatta family

Tuesday, October 6

9:00 am (M) Marian Bartle by Lou & Kay Angeline

Wednesday, October 7

8:30 am (C) Marion Cory by Virginia Ferazoli

Friday, October 9

12:00 pm (C) Glauco Riggi by the People of the Cluster

Saturday, October 10

5:00 pm (C) Brian Ganzhorn by the People of the Cluster
5:00 pm (V) People of the Cluster

Sunday, October 11 ~ 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am (M) Suzanne Quatro by Josephine Saeva & Family
9:00 am (C) 6th Anniversary James Murphy
by Kathy Murphy
10:00 am (V) Florence Becker by the Becker families
11:00 am (M) Joseph & Rose Saeva

Sunday, October 25: **Annual Blue Mass** for Law Enforcement, Cathedral of the Sacred Heart, 11:15 The Most Reverend Salvatore R. Matano, Bishop of Rochester, will be the principal celebrant and homilist at each of these Masses.



The Sanctuary Candle at **St. Columba's**
Burns in loving memory of
Glauco Riggi,
requested by the People of the Cluster.

The Sanctuary Candle at St. Vincent's
burns in loving memory of
Florence Becker,
requested by the Becker family.

Week at a Glance

Sunday, October 4 ~ Respect Life Sunday

9:00 am St. Mary's Choir (M)
9:15 am Word Break (M)
10:00 am Preschool (V)
10:00 am Children's Liturgy of the Word (V)
10:00 am Holy Hour (Eucharistic Adoration) (C)
11:00 am Grades 7 & 8 (V)
12:30 pm Pet Blessing (V)
2:00 pm Dr. Gacioch Presentation (M)

Monday, October 5

9:00 am & 7:00 pm Prayer Shawl (V)
2:00 pm & 7:00 pm Living Like Francis (M)

Tuesday, October 6

4:30 pm Gr. 1-6 Faith Formation (V)
7:00 pm Cluster Council (V)
7:00 pm Human Development (V)

Wednesday, October 7

10:30 am Bible Study (V)
6:15 pm Faith Formation (C)
6:30 pm Bells (V)
7:00 pm St. Mary's Liturgy (M)
7:30 pm St. Columba's Choir (C)
7:30 pm St. Vincent's Choir (V)

Thursday, October 8

10:00 am Bible Study (V)

Friday, October 9

Saturday, October 10

Sunday, October 11

9:00 am St. Mary's Choir (M)
9:15 am Word Break (M)
10:00 am Preschool (V)
10:00 am Children's Liturgy (V)
11:00 am Children's Liturgy of the Word (M)



We welcome into the family of the Lord
Vincent Mark Coccia,
son of Mark & Karen Coccia,
who will be baptized at **St. Mary's** on
October 4, 2015.

Liturgical Ministers Schedule October 10 & 11

St. Columba - St. Patrick

Communion Ministers:

5:00 PM G. Bubel & P. Lent
9:00 AM T. Robinson & D. Wing

Lectors:

5:00 PM T. Hendrickson
9:00 AM S. Boylan & D. Bullen

Altar Servers:

5:00 PM N. Ceserano
9:00 AM A. Richter & V. Molisani

Greeters:

5:00 PM B. Figenschier
9:00 AM D. Pullyblank & E. Bickford

Rosary Leader for 5:00:

9:00: Ann Connelie

Sacristan for October: Mary Taylor



St. Mary of the Assumption

Communion Ministers:

8:00 AM M. Miller / M. LaDue
11:00 AM G. Kist / D. Allen

Lectors:

8:00 AM K. Dinolfo / J. Loftus
11:00 AM S. Robinson / D. Fay

Altar Servers:

8:00 AM P. Ireland
11:00 AM S. Rocha

Ushers:

8:00 AM R. Gentile / J. Saeva
11:00 AM S. Lenhard / L. Rocha

Sacristans:

8:00 AM K. Carl
11:00 AM D. Treat

Dustbusters: K. Frederick / S. Lenhard

Children's Liturgy: J. Arbelo



Team: Hosea

Sacristans:

5:00 PM K. Kleve
10:00 AM L. Smith, M. Wallace

Communion Ministers:

5:00 PM A. Maher, K. Barnard
10:00 AM P. Damiani, N. Jones, M. Schleyer

Lectors:

5:00 PM R. Phillips, D. Eisele
10:00 AM C. White, M. Flaherty

Altar Servers:

5:00 PM Z. Blank, A. Phillips
10:00 AM E. Flaherty, A. Flaherty

Ushers:

5:00 PM T. Maher, K. Vigilante
10:00 AM M. Allen, M. Allen

Prayers of the Faithful: J. Dudek



Sacrificial Giving ~ 9/26

St. Columba - St. Patrick

Attendance..... 219
Sunday Offering.....\$3219.50
Online Giving.....\$0.00

Amount needed weekly to meet budget..... \$3,200.00

Sacrificial Giving Counters for September 28:
Team # 1 ~ Betty Minisce & July Skelly

St. Mary of the Assumption

Attendance..... 265
Sunday Offering.....\$4,211.00
Online Giving.....\$150.00

Amount needed weekly to meet budget..... \$4,100.00

St. Vincent de Paul

Attendance.....277
Sunday Offering.....\$4,307.00
Online Giving..... \$235.00
Patrick Place.....\$115.00

Amount needed weekly to meet budget..... \$4,100.00

Stewardship Thought

When we show our gratitude to God by sharing our talents and resources, we multiply them throughout our parish and community. Christ's miracle of the loaves and fishes occurs again and again and again whenever we give freely of ourselves to others. Just as in the parable, we will find ourselves fulfilled, less empty than we have ever been.

LCCC update \$1,316 thanks, again!

Tammy Hall of Livingston County Catholic Charities wishes to thank St. Columba donors again for contributing to the 2015 Second Collection Parish Appeal in August. The total amount from St. Columba is \$1,316.00. The total amount received across the county as of September 23 is **\$9,990.37!** "The funds collected are a blessing and will definitely help a lot of folks in Livingston County," Tammy says. We thank her for speaking to us on behalf of the needy of Livingston County.

Hospital Visits

If a loved one would like a visit from our pastoral staff, you are invited to call the parish office and let us know. Hospitals, assisted-care facilities, nursing homes, comfort care homes and hospices usually cannot let us know because of privacy laws. So please don't hesitate to let us know if a loved one needs a visit, Holy Communion or anointing.

Dear Friends

Dear Friends,

Something weird is going on and I need to get to the bottom of it. I'll bet Bonaparte knows.

Fr. John: Bonaparte are these yours?

Bonaparte: What?

Fr. John: These holy cards of St. Francis. I'm finding them in my coffee cup, hair brush, shoes, in the refrigerator. What gives?

Bonaparte: I just wanted to remind you that there is a pet blessing this weekend.

Fr. John: Yes, I know there is a pet blessing this weekend.

At St. Vincent in the parking lot at 12:30 on this Sunday, Oct. 4th.

Bonaparte: Well you didn't write about it in last week's bulletin and I thought you forgot.

Fr. John: Give me a break would you? Between Fr. Ted's 40th anniversary and the pope's visit to the US, I've been a little busy, but I didn't forget.

Bonaparte: Are you taking Crookshanks and I?

Fr. John: Of course I'm taking you both – well, if I can get Crookshanks into her crate, I'm taking you both. And before you even ask, yes, you will be wearing a leash.

Bonaparte: Seriously?

Fr. John: Yes, all the pets will either be on a leash, in a crate or contained in some way. By the way, where did you get all these St. Francis cards?

Bonaparte: They're from every year you've taken me to a pet blessing.

Fr. John: Wait a minute! I've had you for three years and there are about twelve here.

Bonaparte: I sort of "borrowed" Crookshanks cards too.

Fr. John: Did you really think she wasn't going to notice? You know how she gets when you mess with her stuff.

Bonaparte: Are you going to tell on me?

Fr. John: Tell you what. You don't give me a hard time about wearing the leash and I won't tell Crookshanks you "borrowed" her holy cards. Deal?

Bonaparte: Deal. (grumbling)

God bless,

Fr. John

Patrick Place ~ FAQ

Question: In talking about Patrick Place being built I heard someone use the term "in kind". What does that mean exactly?

Answer: Good question. "In kind" actually means that you would offer a service to be done in the building of Patrick Place. Let's say you're an electrician and you come to us and say "I don't have the money to offer, but I am willing to run the wires in Patrick Place at no cost to you." So that would be offering their service instead of money. And that person would be able to get a tax write off for what it would of cost to have it done.



The church offices will be closed on October 12 in observance of the Columbus Day holiday!

Landfills Do Not Need Medicine Bottles!



Anyone on prescription medicines finds themselves a bit uncomfortable when throwing away so many empty medicine bottles. It is obvious our landfills do not need these plastic containers! Medical pharmacies and hospital facilities in Malawi often find themselves with nothing except torn pieces of paper in which to wrap medicine for their patients. This is often seen in rural hospitals and villages where the poorest of the nation try to live and survive.

You can help to change this. Save up a group of your containers when you have completed that portion of your prescription. Place them in boiling water until you are able to easily remove the labels, and the glue. Then box or bag them and send them to the Malawi Project for shipment to Malawi. It will help families in a third world country keep their medicines clean, out of reach of small children, and safe while they are being used. Malawi Project Inc., 3314 Van Tassel Drive, Indianapolis, IN 46240

Respect Life: Children and Families in Poverty

Both St. Francis Assisi and Pope Francis focus on the needs of the poor. They urge us to take effective action to reduce poverty in our communities. Several studies of the effects of child care subsidies have shown they provide critical support allowing low-income parents to maintain employment and raise their economic status. The United Kingdom cut the poverty rate from 26.1% in 1998 to 10.6% in 2010 by increasing aid for child care and other measures. This change happened during a deep economic recession. (2014 Center for Governmental Research).

Save Money Helping a Great Cause

"Save Around Rochester 2016" discount coupon books are available for sale. This is a chance for you to save money in some of your favorite places, and help out Patrick Place at the same time. Coupons are redeemable from now until the end of 2016.



Thinking about giving a "Save Around" book as a gift to someone in another city? Books are also available for many cities around the United States. Just ask us, we can special order a book for you. Allow 4 weeks for a special order book.

Books are available through the parish office or by contacting Lorrie Dombrowski at 455-5753. The cost for each book is \$20.00. The net proceeds from this fundraiser will benefit Patrick Place: A Comfort Care Home, dedicated to providing love and support for the terminally ill.

Help Patrick Place by purchasing a book. Thank you for your support of Patrick Place.

Holy Land Catholic Tour

Join Deacon David and Educational Opportunities Catholic Tours for a pilgrimage to the holy sites of Israel. Walk in the footsteps of Jesus in Bethlehem, Nazareth, Jericho, Galilee, Jerusalem and more on February 13-23, 2016. Your all inclusive price from N.Y.C. is \$2,198 and save more money by registering early. We are escorted from the beginning with a staff member from Educational Opportunity Tours and with a local Catholic Palestinian guide providing us with historical information. Day begins with Morning Prayer on the bus, Mass/Service each day at a holy site and we end the day with evening prayer. Contact Deacon David @ 281-1390.

Eucharistic Adoration

Will be held at St. Columba this Sunday after the 9:00 am Mass. Eucharistic Adoration consists of time spent in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament. The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed in the monstrance on the altar from the end of Mass until 11:00 am. The practice of Eucharistic Adoration draws its inspiration from Christ's words to the Apostles in the garden of Gethsemane: "**Could you not watch one hour with me?**" (Mt. 25:40). Please join us and spend some time with Our Lord. If you can not spend a full hour, stay as long as you can. Any time spent in the presence of Our Lord is time well spent.

St. Columba ~ St. Patrick Social Ministry

If you know of a parishioner who has moved to a nursing home or has become homebound and can no longer get to Mass, Social Ministry would like to send an occasional card or note to let them know they are still in our thoughts and prayers. Please call Pat at the rectory at 538-2126 with the name and mailing address and we'll take care of the rest.



Cemetery Reminder

Water at Holy Angels Cemetery in Scottsville and St. Columba Cemetery in Caledonia will be turned off the first week of November.



ALTO'S NEEDED!!!!

Saint Mary's Choir is in need of some alto singers! All voice parts and levels of skill are invited and welcome to sing with us BUT we NEED some ALTO's! The alto voice range adds such a rich sound to our music. Currently, our alto section consists of two wonderful voices, one of which is really a soprano with great range! Please consider joining your choir. Think about it, Pray about it and then join us in church on Sunday's at 9:15 for rehearsal! Make a Joyful Noise Unto the Lord!!!!

The next Foodlink distribution is Friday, October 6, Jones Hall, Caledonia, 5:30 to 7:30.

Faith In Action

September seems to accelerate: Days shorten. We tend to pick up pace heading into the holiday season, which often grows even more frantic. Our to-do lists lengthen. Our minds grow full. And, often, our peace of mind gets shoved by the wayside as we take up worry, stress and agitation. Sometimes, we forget God's omnipotence. Sometimes, we remember only our own burdens, our own weaknesses. Sometimes we focus on our own responsibilities — and they are many, granted.

Try this: Create a God Jar. The concept is simply to designate a container into which you surrender your fears, troubles and pains. The simple act of writing down a problem and dropping the slip of paper into the God Jar signifies trust in the Lord. Of course, you might also add your hopes, prayer intentions and gratitude list to your God Jar, too.

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General Information

PATRICK PLACE COMFORT CARE:

www.patrickplace.org

MASS SCHEDULE : see inside bulletin.

CONFESSIONS:

St. Columba-St. Patrick: Saturdays at 4:15 pm

St. Mary of the Assumption: Sundays at 10:15 am

St. Vincent de Paul: Saturdays at 4:15 pm

(Fr. John will also be available by appointment)

BAPTISMS: For adults and children, call the office for initial interview. For infants, attendance of parents at Pre-Baptism class is required. Classes are in January, May, and September. Please plan accordingly. Call the church office for date.

MARRIAGES: Arrangements should be made with the Pastor at least six months in advance.

CARE OF THE SICK: Please call the church office if you will be in the hospital, are not able to attend Mass and would like communion, or if you would like prayers.

Readings for next Sunday, October 11, 2015

First: Wisdom 7:7-11

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 90

Second: Hebrews 4:12-13

Gospel: Mark 10:17-30

Celebrating Thomas Merton at 100 at Nazareth College:

Thomas Merton: Alive at Fourth & Walnut

A one-man, one act play portraying the life and spiritual journey of writer-monk Thomas Merton. By actor and playwright James Nagle 7:00 p.m., Tuesday, October 6, 2015

Forum, Otto Shults Community Center

"The Many Storeys and Last Days of Thomas Merton"

Showing of Film by Morgan Atkinson & Panel Discussion

7:00 p.m. Wednesday, November 4, 2015 ~ Arts Center 14

"The Zen Photography of Thomas Merton"

Lecture by Paul M. Pearson

7:00 p.m., Thursday, November 5, 2015 ~ Forum, Otto Shults Community Center.

For information, contact Christine M. Bochen, 585-389-2728



"Unity is threatened whenever we try to turn others into our own image and likeness. Unity is a gift, not something to be imposed by force or by decree."

Pope Francis

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