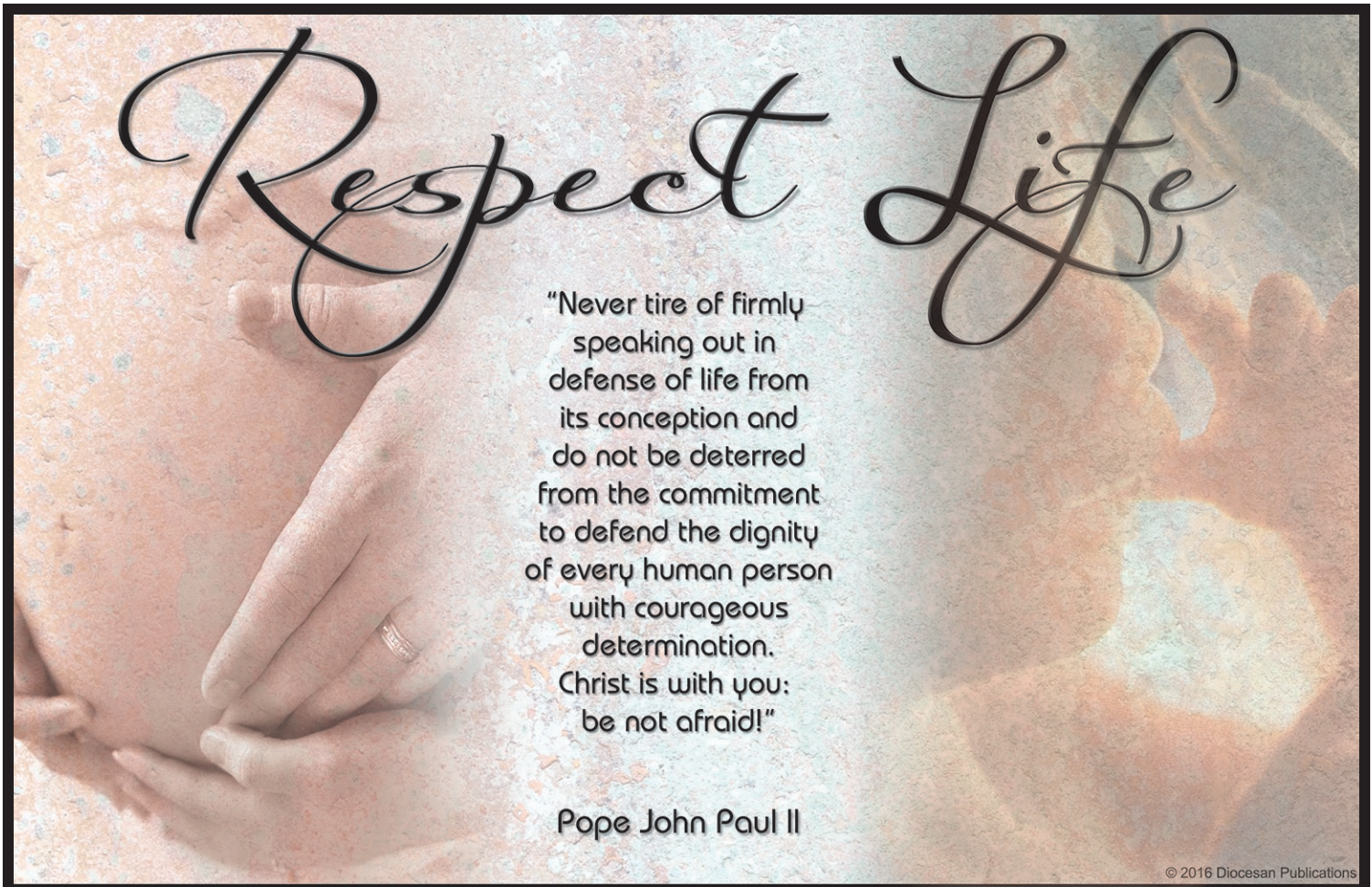


Respect Life



"Never tire of firmly speaking out in defense of life from its conception and do not be deterred from the commitment to defend the dignity of every human person with courageous determination. Christ is with you: be not afraid!"

Pope John Paul II

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St. Patrick: Please remember the following people in your prayers this week: Reese Baird, Carl Bialeschki, Nancy Brown-Smith, Floyd Debolt, Vida Freidlein, Betty Harden, Mary Humer, Paula Ingram, Patty Kirby, Barbara Kleiss, Henry Kocher, Frank Norton, Margaret Ostrum, Cathryn Pfeffer, Barbara Smith, Jay Warfel, Jim and Audrey Sheehan and requested prayer intentions.

**Saturday, October 1st@ 4:00pm Mass**

Lector: Heather Baird

Gifts: Offer Assistance

Ushers: Larry Meyer, Jim Hand

EMHC: Annette Wishall, Gerald Kocher, Gerard Kocher

Servers: Max McCabe

Sunday, October 2nd@ 10:00am Mass

Lector: Charlie Huber

Gifts: Stierwalt Family

Ushers: Tony Battaglia, Gary Ducey

EMHC: Michele Ducey, Jon Baker, Rick Bates

Servers:

Saturday, October 8th@ 4:00pm Mass

Lector: Randy Wojan

Gifts: Offer Assistance

Ushers: Jeff Ping, Jared Ping

EMHC: Heather Baird Gerald Kocher, Gerard Kocher

Servers: To be announced

Sunday, October 9th@ 10:00am Mass

Lector: Jim Kleiss

Gifts: Winters Family

Ushers: Alan Schwenk, Kevin Wilhelm

EMHC: Gary Ducey, Beth Hewing, Teresa Kleiss

Servers: To be announced

Collection for the Week of September 25th, 2016

Regular Envelopes	\$1935.00
Loose Collection	\$181.71
Catholic Charities.....	\$115.00

Total \$2231.71

Mass Stipend	\$20.00
Cemetery	\$100.00

Thank you for your generous gifts to God and parish!

**Saturday, October 1st**

4:00pm/Tolono Jamie Ping

Sunday, October 2nd

7:30am/Ivesdale Confessions

8:00am/Ivesdale Jack & Catherine McHale

10:00am/Tolono The People of St. Patrick

Monday, October 3rd

NO MASS

Tuesday, October 4th

8:00am/Tolono Rich Gallivan

Wednesday, October 5th

4:00/Ivesdale Adoration

5:00/Ivesdale Steve Rutan

Thursday, October 6th

8:00am/Tolono Dennis Bates

Friday, October 7th

8:00am/Ivesdale Ruth Pembroke

Saturday, October 8th

4:00pm/Tolono Cully Burwell

Sunday, October 9th

7:30am/Ivesdale Confessions

8:00am/Ivesdale Dan Laroe/Catherine Kohlmann

10:00am/Tolono Edward Pfeffer Sr.

Faith is a gracious gift from God. It can neither be earned nor bought, only responded to with works of love and service.. A vibrant faith can make us strong, loving, and wise, confident that God will guard us from all harm. He is the Rock of our salvation.

**If today
you hear His voice,
Harden Not Your Hearts.**

Website Sponsorship Available

In the weeks ahead, our parish representative from Solutio, Inc. will be setting up the advertising for our website for the year. Please consider participating in this effort since the revenue from the ads is what makes the website possible at **no cost** to the parish. It's a great way to get your name in front of the families in the parish. Advertisements may be purchased for a business, family memorial, or you can sponsor an ad supporting Catholic Charities, Knights of Columbus, Vocations, etc. Please give these ideas some thought. We need and appreciate your help! If you are interested or just curious as to prices and want more information, please contact 217-703-4452 or Sponsorship@SolutioSoftware.com.

Altar & Rosary

Would you like to add a beautiful quilt to your home? The ladies of Altar and Rosary are raffling off a one-of-a-kind quilt made by our own Sue Miller. If you would like to purchase raffle tickets, please contact Beth Erwin 217-369-2686. Raffle tickets will also be available at the Spaghetti Dinner coming in October.

**Server Sign Up**

The sign up sheet for mass servers is in the back of the church for the month of October. Your schedule will be in the bulletin and on the website. Thank you!

Coffee Hour

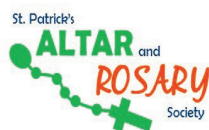
On Tuesday, October 4th at 9:00 am, the Catholic Charities Good Samaritan Program of Champaign and Piatt Counties will host a Coffee Hour at St. Patrick's Parish Center in Tolono. Join us for warm beverages, snacks and fellowship. Contact Kim McAvoy at 637-2395 with questions.

**Caring Companions Program for Seniors**

The Good Samaritan Program of Champaign and Piatt Counties is working to expand its Caring Companions Program for seniors. The program provides friendly visiting, assistance with shopping, transportation to appointments, and help with other needs by matching volunteers with seniors. We are also looking for adults of all ages who can spare a little time to volunteer. Contact Kim McAvoy at 637-2395 or kmcavoy@accdop.org to request assistance or to volunteer.

**First Communion/Confirmation**

The sign up sheets for mass attendance is in the back of the church for those candidates in First Communion and Confirmation. They will be checked weekly. If you attend mass at another church, please bring a signed bulletin from the Priest of that church. Mass attendance is part of the Diocese of Peoria requirement for these sacraments. Thank you!

**Altar & Rosary**

The St. Patrick Altar & Rosary will meet Tuesday, October 11th at 7:00 pm in the parish Hall

Knights of Columbus

Due to the increasing demand for our products and growth in our membership, the Knights of Columbus is seeking additional Field Agents for a career opportunity representing their insurance program. We offer a complete benefits package with this full-time position. In order to qualify, one must be eligible for membership in the Knights of Columbus. For more information, please contact General Agent Larry W. Biever, FICF at (309)807-2035 or send him an email at larry.biever@kofc.org.



Knights of Columbus

Rosary in October

The St. Patrick Religious Education program will be saying the rosary every Wednesday from 7:00 pm to 7:15 pm during the month of October **in the church**. All are welcome to attend! We hope you will join us for this celebration!

**Choir News!**

Can you carry a tune in a bucket? Well raise your voices for the Lord and join the choir! If you are interested in becoming a member for the upcoming Christmas season, please contact Randy Wojan at 485-5290.

Bulletin Reminder

The company that publishes our bulletin would like it submitted by Monday of every week. Therefore, if you have an item for the bulletin, please send it on Fridays. The bulletin will be sent by 9:00am on Monday mornings starting October 3rd. Thank you for your understanding and God Bless!

**Respect Life Month**

October is "Respect Life Month." There will be containers at each entrance during the entire month to collect "Pennies for Babies." Our A&R ladies will host a prolife baby shower at each entrance the weekend of October 15-16 to collect items for Crisis Nursery. Some of their immediate needs include grocery store gift cards, formula, diapers, wipes, 0-6 month sleepers, cleaning supplies, fitted crib sheets, newborn pacifiers and much more. For the complete list visit www.crisisnursery.net.

Spaghetti Dinner.

The sign up sheets for the spaghetti dinner are in the back of the church. Please consider volunteering. Thank you!

**St. Patrick New Website**

St. Patrick now has a awesome new website! It is loaded with lots of information and resources. Check it out at www.stpatricktolono.com!

Liturgical Schedule

The new Liturgical Schedule is available in the information sections of the church. It is also available on the website. Servers are not on this schedule. Please remember if you are not available to fulfill your duties, to find a replacement. Thank you!

