



Honoring our
Heroes

St. Patrick

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**Prayer Requests**

Please remember the following people in your prayers this week: Reese Baird, Nancy Brown-Smith, Vida Freidlein, Mary Humer, Paula Ingram, Patty Kirby, Miss Barbara Kleiss, Henry Kocher, Frank Norton, Cathryn Pfeffer, Zoey Smith, Jay Warfel, Jeff Holt, Nancy Henry, Helen Birtcher, Katelyn Humer, Theresa O'Brien, Tammy Mayer, Ina Eckstein, Emily Colbert, Zachary Hufford, Jo Church, John Henry Baird and requested prayer intentions.

Financial Corner from May 18th, 2019**General Fund**

Regular Envelopes \$1138.00
Loose Collection \$19.06
Candle..... \$472.05

Total\$1629.11

Separate Funds

Mass \$10.00
Food Pantry \$30.00

ADA Fund

Money Pledge..... \$9,615.00
2019 Goal \$26,268.00
Last Year's Balance..... \$6,941.00

**Mass Schedule****Saturday, May 25th**

4:00pm/Rita Cler

Wednesday, May 29th

8:00am/Daryl Millsap

Friday, May 31st

8:00am/Wayne Debolt

Saturday, June 1st

4:00pm/Mary Rees

Wednesday, June 5th

8:00am/Bill Schweighart

Friday, June 7th

8:00am/Betty Hettinger

Saturday, June 8th

4:00pm/Richard Breen

Wednesday, June 12th

8:00am/Paul & Mary Moore

Friday, June 14th

8:00am/Eugenia Fitzgerald

Saturday, June 15th

4:00pm/Skip Hartman

Confession Schedule

Saturdays 3:15-3:45 pm at Tolono

Wednesdays 7:15-7:45 am at Tolono

Fridays 7:15-7:45 am at Tolono

Any other time by appointment

**Father Fredi Office Hours**

Wednesdays 9:00 am to 10:30 am

Fridays 9:00 am to 10:30 am Or by Appointment

**Saturday, May 25th@ 4:00pm Mass**

Lector: Randy Wojan

Gifts: Volunteers

Ushers: Jim Hand, Denny Morgan

EMHC: Jon Baker, Annette Wishall, Rick Bates

Saturday, June 1st@4:00pm Mass

Lector: Jon Baker

Gifts: Volunteers

Ushers: Larry Meyer, Alan Schwenk

EMHC: Rick Bates, Christine Schwenk, Marlene Breen

Passion Play Trip

All parishioners are invited on a 10-day tour to Germany & Austria on June 16-25, 2020 for the Oberammergau Passion Play that occurs only every 10 years. Highlight cities also include Munich, Salzburg and Vienna. Detailed Itinerary and registration for this tour of a lifetime can be found at steviejaytravel.com Passion Play tickets are limited. A tour preview will be presented on Tuesday, April 30, 2019 at 5 pm at the IHotel Conference Center in Champaign. Please contact Mary Beth Kurasek at marbeth@steviejaytravel.com or (217)840-8724 if you plan to attend the tour preview.

**Pro-Life Opportunities**

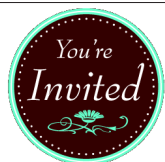
Contact your federal Representative to ask them to sign the Discharge Petition. This would allow a vote to be called for the Born Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act. Babies who survive a botched abortion should be afforded the same protections given to a baby born prematurely. Infanticide is a human rights issue and should be bipartisan. Discharge Petition can be signed anytime the current Congress is in session until 2020. The petition needs 218 signatures. All 199 Republications have signed it as well as 3 Democrats. Simply send an automatic email to your federally elected Representative using the link below and encourage everyone you know to do the same. www.prolifeweekly.com

St. Patrick 2019 ADA

The 2019 Annual Diocesan Appeal is now underway in our parish. Your support of this year's Appeal ensures that essential charitable, educational and pastoral ministries of the Diocese of Peoria are continued and carried forward. Thanks to all who made a pledge to the Annual Diocesan Appeal. No gift is too small, and our parish is trying to reach 100% participation. If you have not yet made a gift to the ADA, we invite you to do so today. There are envelopes in the vestibule. Every dollar raised to make our goal supports important diocesan services and every dollar raised over our goal will be returned to the parish to help us pay tuition cost. Previous ADA balance from 2018-\$6,941. New balance for 2019 \$26,268. Total ADA balance owed \$33,209.

God loves
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giver!

2 Corinthians 9:7

**Ecumenical Leaders Reception**

Please join us for an afternoon of fellowship at OSF HealthCare Heart of Mary Medical Center on Monday, June 3rd from 2:00-3:30 pm. The reception will give you the opportunity to network with other Champaign County spiritual leaders and hear from hospital leadership. Dr. Jared Rogers, president, will provide an overview of the OSF Mission and the latest in community resources available from OSF HealthCare. Pastoral Care Manager, Paul Bittorf, will offer information on providing spiritual care at the hospital. Please RSVP by emailing Paul Bittorf at paul.g.bittorf@osfhealthcare.org or calling (217) 337-2487.



By listening attentively to the Spirit promised by Jesus, the early Church resolves the question whether Gentile converts need to observe certain Jewish ritual practices. All are called to dwell in the heavenly Jerusalem, founded on the twelve apostles of the Lamb.

**Summer Social at St. Mary's in Pesotum**

Join us for our annual Summer Social on Sunday, June 2nd, serving from 12 pm until 2:30 pm at St. Mary's Church Hall, 1247 Cty Rd 200 North, Pesotum. We will be serving Sidney Dairy Barn Ice Cream, Italian Beef, Hotdogs, Potato Salad, Chips, Desserts, and drinks for a minimal price. There will be exciting raffles and lots of family fun including FREE Games, Face Painting & a Bounce House for the kids! Mark your calendars now!

**Landscape Assistance Needed**

The garden committee is in need of help with watering and weeding the flower beds around the church. Confirmation students can earn service hours by helping out with the garden committee. Anyone who is willing to help out in this much needed area, please call Carol Miller at 355-8413.

Cemetery Mowing Collection

Will be having a special collection for the cemetery to help with the mowing cost for the summer. The collection will be taken up after communion today. The cost to mow the cemetery for 7 months is \$3,640.00. As of May 15th, 2019, we have a balance of \$3,010.00 in the Cemetery Fund. If you would like to donate you may use your Cemetery envelopes provided in your regular envelopes or mark a plain envelope "Cemetery Fund". Thank you for your generous support in this area.

**Parish Office Closed**

St. Patrick Parish Office will be closed on Monday, May 27th in observance of Memorial Day. We will reopen on Wednesday May 29th at 8:30 am.

Altar & Rosary News**Dues are "due"**

Please turn in your Altar & Rosary Society annual dues this April & May. The annual dues are \$3 and can be put into the weekend collection in the provided pink envelopes or in a regular envelope marked "A&R". Thank you!

**Monicals Pizza Fundraiser**

On June 24th, St. Patrick will be having a fundraiser at Monicals Pizza in Tolono. For every ticket, St. Patrick will get 20% back in profit. All proceeds will go to the general fund to help cover tuition for the 2019/2020 school year. In order for us to receive the 20% off, you will need to take a flyer with you. The flyers will be available the first of June. Thank you for your continued support of our Parish!