



Veterans Day

HONORING ALL WHO SERVED



A Grateful Nation Remembers.



St. Patrick

Roman Catholic Church
Catholic Diocese of Peoria
212 E Washington St
P.O. Box K
Tolono, IL. 61880
217-485-1129

Pastor

Fr. Fredi Gomeztorres
gomeztor@yahoo.com

Parish Trustees

Larry Hewing
Alan Schwenk

Secretary

Heather Baird
officeofstp@gmail.com

Office Hours

MWF 8:30-11:00

Website

www.stpatricktolono.com

Altar & Rosary

Marlene Breen
217-485-6500

Parish Center Rentals

Call Parish Office

Finance Council Members

Larry Meyer, Sharon Morgan
Tom Tempel & Trustees

CCD Coordinator

Deacon Don Koeberlein
217-369-8453

ddkoby@aol.com

Food Pantry Coordinator

Jan Blaney 217-621-5694
Carol Miller 217-355-8413

Catholic Charities Coordinator

Kim McAvoy 217-637-2395

**REQUESTS
FOR
PRAYER**

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, Frank Norton, Cathryn Pfeffer, Zoey Smith, Jay Warfel, Jeff Holt, Nancy Henry, Helen Birtcher, Katelyn Humer, Theresa O'Brien, Tammy Mayer, Ina Eckstein, Jo Church, Becky Benson, Freida Woodcock, Gerald Fiscus, Greg Baird Sr., John Henry Baird and requested prayer intentions.

Financial Corner from November 2nd, 2019**General Fund**

Regular Envelopes \$2145.00
Loose Collection \$48.00
Religious Education \$40.00

Total \$2233.00

Separate Funds

Food Pantry \$95.00

ADA Fund

Money Pledge \$17,090.00
2019 Goal \$26,268.00
Last Year's Balance \$6,941.00

**STEWARDSHIP**

Managing God's Gifts To Us

**Mass
Schedule****Saturday, November 9th**

4:00pm/Richard Breen

Wednesday, November 13th

8:00am/Daryl Millsap

Friday, November 15th

8:00am/Don Spencer

Saturday, November 16th

4:00pm/Jeff Ping



In response to an attempt to ridicule his teaching about life after death, Jesus again proclaims a resurrection from the dead, that life is indeed stronger than death itself. This is our eternal consolation and hope. Then will our joy be truly fulfilled.

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

**LITURGICAL
MINISTRIES****Saturday, November 9th@4:00pm Mass**

Lector: Jon Baker

Gifts: Volunteers

Ushers: Jim Hand, Denny Morgan

EMHC: Sharon Morgan, Vera Tempel, Annette Wishall

Saturday, November 16th@4:00pm Mass

Lector: Beth Hewing

Gifts: Volunteers

Ushers: Tom Tempel, Alan Schwenk

EMHC: Mike Miller, Carol Miller, Jon Baker

Altar & Rosary News**Pecans & Caramel Apples!**

St. Patrick Altar & Rosary are selling fresh Georgia pecans. \$10.00/1 lb. bag for either pieces of halves. To order call Marlene 485-6500

Chili Supper

We are planning to have a CHILI SUPPER ON SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10TH FROM 4:00PM TO 6:00PM at the Parish Center. There will also be a 50/50 raffle. All proceeds of this event are going to our Parish. Any questions, please call 485-6500.

Thank you

Thank you to everyone who donated baby clothing, bibs, wipes and money to the pro-life baby shower! The donations were received by received by Birthright of Champaign-Piatt Counties with much appreciation. Birthright is a pro-life crisis pregnancy center which offers free pregnancy tests, diapers, baby clothing and loving, non-judgmental support to pregnant women.

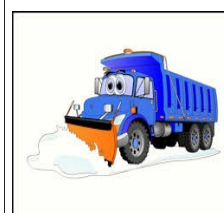
**Advent Day Retreat**

On Tuesday, December 3rd from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm there will be an Advent Day Retreat. This event is open to both women and men who desire to enrich their spiritual growth during the Advent season. This is sponsored by the Servants of the Holy Heart of Mary. The

presenters will be Sister Charlene Cesario, SSCM and Susan Amann, Director of Spiritual Ministry. Deadline to register is Friday, November 29th. A \$25 or free offering is desired. Lunch will be provided. The retreat will be held at Mercy Community, 301 N. Wright Street, Champaign. For more information or to register call Sister Charlene Cesario at 217-841-2916 or e-mail to: charlenemec@gmail.com

Request for Bid/Proposal

Bids are currently being solicited by St. Patrick's Catholic Church for Lawn Services for the parish. Properties would include the church, rectory, hall, parking lot, and cemetery. This bid is for the 2020-2023 calendar years. For more information go to the website or pick up a flyer in the back of church.

**Snow Removal Needed**

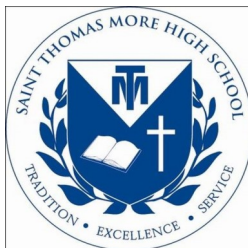
St. Patrick is in need of someone to do snow removal for the Church and Parish Center. Duties would include removal of snow from all parking spaces and sidewalks. If you or someone you know would be interested, please let the office know.

St. Thomas Moore News**Employment Opportunities**

The High School of St. Thomas More is seeking bus drivers to aid in transportation to extra-curricular events. If you are interested in driving, please contact Thomas Welte at twelte@hs-stm.org.

Fall Play

STM theatre proudly presents the hilarious off-Broadway sensation, Puffs or Seven Increasingly Eventful Years at a Certain School of Magic and Magic, Nov. 21-23. Doors open at 6:30 and the shows begin at 7:00. Admission is \$7.

**2019/2020 School Tuition Cost**

St. Patrick has received the assessments for tuition from St. Thomas Philo and St. Thomas More High School for the 2019/2020 school year. The tuition cost for St. Thomas School in Philo is \$6,000. The tuition cost for St. Thomas More High School is \$5,486.57. Our total cost for both tuition is \$11,486.57. Our restaurant fundraisers go for the tuition. If you would like to donate specifically for tuition, please put on your envelopes Tuition. Thank you!

Fulton Sheen Guild

The CU Venerable Fulton Sheen Guild, a Chartered Guild of the Catholic Medical Association, will feature a speaker at their next meeting on November 16th at 9:00 am. Fr. Chase Hilgenbrinck will speak on Integrity Restored: Healing from Sexual Addiction. While the Guild would like to reach out to Medical Professionals, the meeting is open to anyone. Please join us in the parish center and bring a friend or colleague. For more information contact: cufultonsheen@gmail.com

**Senior Potluck Luncheon**

On Wednesday, November 13th at 11:30 am, the Catholic Charities Good Samaritan Program of Champaign and Piatt Counties is sponsoring a potluck lunch at St. Patrick's Parish Center in Tolono. We will play Bingo, so please bring your white elephant items for prizes. Everyone age 55 and over is welcome, feel free to invite your friends. Turkey, stuffing, mashed potatoes, and gravy will be provided. Please bring a dish to share. Call Kim McAvoy at 637-2395 with questions.

Thanksgiving Food Boxes

The Catholic Charities Good Samaritan Program is inviting the people of the parish to help with the Thanksgiving food boxes that will be delivered to local folks in need. If you would like to make a \$2 or \$5 cash donation that will go towards the purchase of fresh foods such as chickens, vegetables, eggs, and rolls, please use one of the designated envelopes found in the vestibules and place in the collection basket during mass. **Please have all donations returned by Saturday, November 23rd.** If you have questions, contact Kim McAvoy at 637-2395. Thank you!

**Thank you!**

Thank you to Denny and Sharon Morgan for raking, blowing and bagging all the leaves. It is because of volunteers like you that we are able to maintain our beautiful gardens. We greatly appreciate all you do for our parish. God Bless!

**Thank you Veterans!**

"Every waving flag, hand-covered heart, and deeply felt prayer asking God to bless America is a declaration of thanks to all those who have served. You've shown by example what it truly means to belong to the land of the free and the home of the brave." We are truly thankful for all our veterans.