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Last weekend, Old St. Patrick’s celebrated our patronal feast day in grand style! As you know, we hosted public officials, civic dignitaries, parade queens, grand marshalls, and countless others who came to celebrate the contributions our Irish ancestors have made to this city and country through the gifts of family, faith, and hard work. During my homily on St. Patrick's Day, my main message to the people of God was that, at times in our lives, we often "get stuck" in our ways of living life, manifested in so many ways. We get stuck in archaic ways of "doing" church; we get stuck in old habits; we get stuck in bad attitudes; we get stuck in lifeless relationships; and we often get stuck in politics, compromising the common good and our moral values.

Using the experience of the Transfiguration, I suggested that although Peter, James and John wanted to "stay put" and get stuck on the mountain in their tents where it’s safe, Jesus told them it’s time to go back to the city and transform it for the good. Make it Holy. Likewise, St. Patrick himself was a Missionary who refused to let slavery hold him back. Therefore to be on "mission" means that we must keep moving forward, proclaiming the gospel with our lives despite the hardships and resistance we will face. Cardinal Cupich has asked us to share this letter with all of you. It is extremely significant and I hope and pray you will join me in this most important cause of protecting vulnerable human life. Abortions that could happen up to the moment of birth is beyond belief. Prayer and action are needed to stop such disturbing legislation in Illinois.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Father Tom Hurley

By Fr. Tom Hurley
Sunday, March 24, 2019

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

With this letter I write to you about a development that should disturb us greatly, both as citizens and as disciples of Jesus, the Lord of life.

Recently, two bills have been introduced in the Illinois House and Senate. The first, House Bill 2495 and Senate Bill 1942, both identical pieces of legislation, seeks to strip unborn persons of any protection– or even consideration– under the law and declare abortion to be a "fundamental right" and matter of health care. The end result is that an abortion could be obtained at any stage of pregnancy, including late term, for any reason and without any regulation. The law would no longer guarantee any modicum of humanity or compassion for any unborn person in Illinois, even if they are partially born. This legislation also repeals the Abortion Performance Refusal Act, which protects doctors, nurses and hospitals who refuse to permit, recommend, perform or assist in abortion. In so doing, rights of conscience, especially religious objections, will be lost.

The second piece of legislation House Bill 2467 and its identical Senate Bill 1594, repeals the Illinois Parental Notice of Abortion Act. This law, upheld unanimously by the Illinois Supreme Court just six years ago, has the common-sense purpose of ensuring that parents would be part of the life-altering decision of their minor child in the case she seeks an abortion. This effective law has reduced abortions performed on minors by fifty-seven percent.

As citizens of a state and people of faith who care about the common good, I urge you to join me and my brother bishops in an effort to defeat this radical departure from current law and practice in our state. Please reach out your State Representative and Senator to urge defeat of these bills. You can find the name of your appropriate politicians and their contact information at https://www.ilcatholic.org/take-action/action-center/. To find out more about these bills, please consult the Catholic Conference of Illinois website, www.ilcatholic.org, or call the Office of Human Dignity and Solidarity at 312-534-5355 for further information.

Entrusting our efforts for all life, from the moment of conception until natural death, to the care of our Blessed Mother, I am,

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Archbishop of Chicago
During Lent we have asked some of our church members, friends, and staff to respond to a one-word prompt. The word prompts reflect some of the themes we will be hearing in the Sunday Gospels.

_Temptation... Awe... Change... Forgiveness... Judgment... Passion_

**Third Sunday of Lent | March 24, 2019 | "Change"**

It's easy to get set in our habits and attitudes. Sometimes the notion of us changing seems too hard to even consider. The thought of us doing things differently can make us strongly resist in our heads and hearts. "Change" can threaten our ego, encroach on our comfort, diminishes our sense of control and conjure up logical reasons within us to simply stay the same.

Our inner selves might say: “I understand the situation very well so why should I change what I think? There are systems in place that have worked out nicely (for us) for years, so why change now? Others don't seem to worry about, so why should I?” Do these sound familiar?

That’s why Jesus, the Gospels and the Lenten Season are calls for us to think about, pray on and actively work at changing to make sure ours are God's ways. Then, and only then, do we truly live as disciples.

I hope I won’t scandalize anyone here by saying that the Catholic Church needs to change. For better or for worse we all know change comes slow (we’re talking glacial here). I’ll be honest, change scares me. But as I reflect on this prompt in light of our current state of crisis, while changing scares me, not changing scares me even more.

As a youth minister, I constantly think about how dramatically my relationship with God has changed since I myself was a youth ministry kid. I know that being easily changed is not wise, and that’s not what I’m suggesting. I am aware of the times in my own life when I have changed most deeply. Those times have always been movements toward greater holiness. That is change that doesn’t scare me.

In the wake of the Church’s sex abuse crisis, the Church needs to embrace deep and transformative change.

Change makes us uneasy. It’s the threshold between before and after. If you’ve ever watched any home improvement show, I’m talking about the part of the show where the house is ripped apart, a few issues are uncovered, and the homeowners think to themselves, “What have we done? This will never be done!”

In a way, they are right! Over the span of 2 years, my life has gone through periods of incredible change: Purchasing my first home, getting married, starting a new job, earning a promotion, being a part of 2 families, and we’re just about to take on adoption! These changes are all incredibly different from one another but they all taught me the same lesson.

Be Patient.

Change is rarely fast. We have grown accustomed to a fast paced world and that falsely leads us to believe that change can be just as fast. Sure small changes can be quick and painless, but change that challenges us to be better, more loving, and more receptive to the truth take much longer – but won't it be worth the wait?

Vincent Guider is a Chicago native, a member of the Old St. Patrick's Staff and Director of the North Lawndale Kinship Initiative.

Carly Ann Braun is a youth minister and Catholic Worker interested in good food, community, and intentionally living Gospel values. When she's not drinking coffee at her desk, she's probably roller skating.

Kevin Funk has been involved at Old St. Pat’s for several years and leads our Gay+ Group.
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Thank you to all who joined us over St. Patrick’s Day weekend! *Photos by Mike Lyons*
SPIRITUAL MAKEOVER: BECOMING A NEW CREATION
Back by popular demand, a women’s retreat | April 5 - 7, 2019

What is it about the quiet that invites us deeper – the darkness that wraps herself around us or the stillness that urges us to ponder? No doubt about it, something about the quiet calls us home.

“Come inside,” she whispers. “Come rekindle the fire.”

Join us for a women’s weekend of renewal In the midst of the city. We will pause together at the Cenacle Retreat House just minutes from Lake Michigan to assess our spiritual homes, consider opportunities for our own interior makeovers and strengthen our foundations. Together, we’ll pray ourselves into a new creation in anticipation of the coming Easter season. Sign up by March 15 for Early Bird pricing! Act quickly, as space is limited to 35. Please go to bit.ly/2DegvSJ for pricing and to register.

The retreat will be facilitated by Laura Field, Kathleen Quinn, and Al Gustafson. Registration fee includes meals, retreat direction, materials, and housing for the weekend. You may choose to request a ‘single’ room (no roommate) or ‘double’ room (you will be assigned or can request a specific roommate).

OSP BOOK CLUB
Sunday, April 14 | 9:30 am to 11 am | 711 W. Monroe Library

April’s book is Educated by Tara Westover. All are welcome to our April meeting on Sunday, April 14.

Questions? Please contact Eileen Sutter at ehsutter@gmail.com.

FOURTH ANNUAL SPRING BREWING
Monday, April 29 | 5 - 7:30 pm | Caffé Baci - 225 W. Wacker Dr.

ENTRY TICKETS (INCLUDES BEER AND WINE & DELICIOUS FOOD)
$30 Before April 17th
$35 At the Door

BREWING FOR A GOOD CAUSE
Join us at Caffé Baci after work for drinks, food and fun.

LOCATION
CAFFÈ BACI
225 W. Wacker Dr
Chicago, IL

BENEFITTING
Blessed Sacrament Youth Center
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http://bsyc.org/donate

visit us at oldstpats.org
This March we lift up environmental justice, providing resources and opportunities to educate, connect, and advocate for healthier communities and enter in on the many ways we are called to care for our common home.

**Upcoming Programs:**

**FOOD JUSTICE & CRITICAL RACE THEORY: A CHICAGO AND GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE**

Thursday, March 28 | 6:30 pm - 8 pm | North Lawndale Skyline Conference Center
3750 West Ogden Avenue, 4th Floor, Chicago, IL 60623

Have you ever heard of food insecurity? Food deserts? Grocery gaps? Join Michele Kelley, Associate Professor, UIC School of Public Health for a discussion highlighting the forces that produce the hunger and food injustice which harm the planet, its people, our health and our economies.

Find out what actions we can take to reduce food injustice locally and beyond.

Sponsored by Old St. Pat's, UIC School of Public Health, and The Center for Faith and Community Health Transformation (A partnership between Advocate Aurora Health and UIC Office of Community Engagement and Neighborhood Health Partnerships).

Register here: tinyurl.com/yyfcbu93

**Questions? Contact:** Kayla Jackson, kaylaj@oldtstpats.org

**EUCHARISTIC ADORATION & BENEDICTION**

*Prayer – Fasting – Almsgiving*

Thursday Evenings
March 28, April 4, April 11
6 - 6:45 pm | Old St. Patrick’s Church

Lent is a season of conversion and transformation – in deepening one’s relationship with self, with neighbor, and with God – this comes through the experience of prayer.

In the midst of life’s busyness, Lent is an opportunity in taking time to be silent and still. May Eucharistic Adoration at Old St. Pat’s be an oasis in the midst of life’s noise to quietly pray and adore Jesus Christ in the Blessed Sacrament.
LENTEN EVENINGS OF REFLECTION

For generations, Christians have leaned heavily on the spiritual practices of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving as ways to prepare for Easter. The choice of these three practices is by no means an arbitrary one. People of faith have relied on these practices because they can be powerful tools of personal transformation, because in a very real way they resonate with the rhythms of resurrected life.

Easter speaks to us of union with God, a lived intimacy with the Divine Source of Life. The practice of prayer leads us into a deeper, more intimate relationship with God.

Easter speaks to us of letting go - of risking the life and the world we know for a life and a world of even greater purpose and deeper meaning. The practice of fasting trains us to let go of the familiar, to make do without the seemingly indispensable, to overcome our fear of change, to embrace growth in our lives today.

Easter speaks to us of restored relationships, of forgiveness and reconciliation, of people knowing themselves to be beloved daughters and sons of God, of people living as sisters and brothers. The practice of almsgiving brings to light our dependence on each other and the need for both mercy and justice in all our relationships.

This Lent, we invite you to be with us for three special evenings as we reflect on the ancient spiritual practices of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving and their continuing power to deepen our life in the spirit. Won’t you please join us!

**Wednesday, March 27**

**Fasting from Indifference and Isolation:**
* A Spirituality of Risk

led by John Horan
7 – 8:15 pm
625 W. Adams Street

**Wednesday, April 10**

**The Practice of Almsgiving: Reconciling Our Relationship with the World through Mercy and Justice**

led by Beth Knobbe
7 – 8:15 pm
Old St. Patrick’s Church
(includes Sacrament of Reconciliation)

**John Horan** was one of the founders of North Lawndale College Preparatory Charter High School (NLCP) back in 1998. John currently serves as President Emeritus of North Lawndale College Prep and has worked with Old St. Patrick’s Church in the establishment of PHOENIX HALL, a residence for unstably housed students.

He holds a Masters in Divinity from the University of St. Mary of the Lake. He and his wife Mary live in Chicago’s Edgewater community.

**Beth Knobbe** lives an intentional single life and is passionate about sharing her faith with others. She earned a Master of Divinity degree from Catholic Theological Union in Chicago, and she has a Bachelor of Science degree from Briar Cliff University. She currently serves as a relationship manager with Catholic Relief Services, working with dioceses and universities to engage Catholics in living their faith in solidarity with the poor around the world. Beth has traveled extensively and also shares her time writing and speaking about the spiritual life. She is the author of Party of One: Living Single with Faith, Purpose, and Passion (2011) and Finding My Voice: A Young Woman’s Perspective (2009).
HARMONY, HOPE, & HEALING

We're looking forward to singing with you at the 11:15 am mass. Thank you for joining us!

Don't forget to get your tickets to Heart Beat 2019 on April 28. For tickets visit harmonyhopeandhealing.org/heartbeat-2019 or call the Harmony, Hope & Healing office at 312-466-0267.

CRS RICE BOWL SUNDAY - NEXT SUNDAY, MARCH 31 AT ALL MASSES

This year, Old St. Pat’s is choosing to celebrate “Rice Bowl Sunday” - one Sunday when we invite everyone to bring in change (and cash or checks!) to support the critical work of Catholic Relief Services around the world and in our own city. We have physical “rice bowl” kits in the back of church for you to take home and bring back next week or you can simply bring in your donations and know that you will be joining hundreds of thousands of people around the country who are sacrificing and giving resources to the Rice Bowl campaign this Lent.

crsricebowl.org

OFFSITE/INSIGHT

Monday, March 25 | Carmelite Spirituality Center | 8419 Bailey Road Darien, IL

Dying to Be Happy: Discovering the Truth About Life
By Chris Stepien – Beacon Publishing, 2016

It's time.

If you knew you were going to die today, what would you do? How would that reality change you? Would you be more forgiving, more merciful?

Embracing our mortality — on a daily basis — is key to happiness in this life and the next. That’s the Gospel truth! Because if you can lie to yourself about the fact you're going to die, you can lie to yourself about anything.

So, let’s wake up for heaven’s sake.

Join Catholic author, Chris Stepien, as he shares the life-changing inspiration he gained from his wife Ellen’s breast cancer diagnosis. That experience led him to write his latest book from Beacon Publishing and Dynamic Catholic, Dying to Be Happy: Discovering the Truth About Life.

Format: 6:30 p.m. Refreshments and Welcome | 7:00 p.m. Presentation | 8:15 p.m. | Prayer and Announcements | 8:30 p.m. Program concludes. A free will donation to cover our meeting room costs is much appreciated.

Offsite/Insight West Coordinators: Joan Noe, noe.joan6@gmail.com, Mary Kay Slowikowski, 630-985-7570 or marykayslowikowski@gmail.com. Old St. Patrick’s staff contact: Bob Kolatorowicz, bobk@oldstpats.org or 312-831-9379.
**GREEN NOTES FROM OSP GREEN TEAM:**

Food Waste and What We Can Do about It

“We think it's really important to pursue efforts for nutrition and improving environmental outcomes simultaneously. As we improve our diet quality, we should be thinking about the multiple strategies we have to make sure food isn’t being wasted at the same time.”

--Meredith Niles, Researcher, University of Vermont

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<td>In the United States, 30 to 40% of the food supply is wasted. Waste occurs at multiple steps in the food production chain: at the level of the individual farmer; at points in the distribution chain, including the retail level; and at home with the consumer. It is estimated that $218 billion dollars of food was wasted in 2017 in this county. The average American household wastes about 400 pounds of food a year, or about one pound at day.</td>
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The fallout from this food waste is serious. Wholesome food is going to landfills instead of being consumed, even as some people in this country go hungry. The resources used to grow, transport, prepare, and then discard food could have been used for other more beneficial purposes. Food waste is the single biggest component of waste going to municipal landfills. As this food decomposes in the landfill, it generates methane, a potent greenhouse gas. Food waste is the third largest source of methane production in the US.

**Steps You Can Take to Reduce Food Waste**

1. Purchase only what you can use when shopping.
2. Manage portion sizes so no one gets more food than they can eat.
3. Freeze extra portions for future use.
4. Create a “Use Now” space in your refrigerator for food that is reaching the end of its edible life, and prioritize the contents of that space for snacks and meals.
5. Create a “Stock Box” in your freezer where you store vegetable scraps like the tops of carrots and onions, potato peels, and any leftovers that can be used for stock. When the container is full, make stock for homemade soups and sauces.
6. Compost your food waste to improve your garden soil and recycle nutrients, reducing your reliance on fertilizers.
7. Consider imperfect produce from www.imperfectproduce.com. This young company fights food waste by finding a home for “ugly” produce. It sources directly from farmers, and delivers it to consumers for about 30% less than grocery store prices. For more information, visit their website.

**FOOD JUSTICE DISCUSSION AT NORTH LAWNDALE**

Are you interested in learning about other important food justice issues? Join us for a discussion led by Michele Kelley, Associate Professor, UIC School of Public Health, at the North Lawndale Skyline Conference Center, 3750 West Ogden Avenues, 4th Floor, Chicago, IL 60623 on Thursday, March 28 from 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm. Learn more about food insecurity, food deserts, and grocery gaps, and find out what actions we can take to improve food justice locally and beyond.

Register here: tinyurl.com/yycfu93

**OSP CREATION CARE TEAM WELCOMES YOU!**

Are you interested in social justice and the environment? Want to be a faithful steward for our common home? Then connect with OSP's Creation Care Team. For more information, contact Kayla Jackson at (312) 798-2399 or kaylaj@oldstpats.org
THE OLD TESTAMENT BOOK CLUB... And They Say Catholics Don’t Read the Bible!

Remaining Sundays: March 24, April 7
6:15 pm Gathering & Refreshments | 6:30 pm Session Begins | 7:30 pm Session Ends
Old St. Pat’s Ministry Center (Rectory) 718 W. Adams Street, Conference Room

Shatter the stereotype! Continuing with a series we offer intermittently throughout the year, we are excited to present a slightly different approach to Scripture Study … think book club!

Participants will be asked to pre-read the selection for each session (none are longer than just a few pages) and be ready to engage in lively discussion around some of the most familiar, and perhaps not so familiar, stories from the Old Testament. Our focus for this series is the Books of Samuel, considered by many the best piece of writing in the Old Testament. Come join us!

You are welcome to join us for all or any of our discussions. We ask that you please bring a Bible. The New American Bible, Revised Edition is recommended, but other translations are fine.

It will also help us provide our best hospitality and to prepare the correct number of materials if you can let us know which sessions you plan to attend by contacting Bob Kolatorowicz at bobk@oldstpats.org or 312-831-9379 no later than the Thursday before each scheduled session. Thanks!

THE NEXT CHAPTER
Thursday, April 18

Please join us for dinner at Athena restaurant at 5 pm and Holy Thursday mass at OSP! Please contact Judy Marshman (jmarshman@att.net) so we can provide hospitality and a reservation for you.

Please also save these Sunday dates: May 19, June 23, & July 21

Deb Wilson will join us to share MEDITATION as stress relief. Mary Nerburn will share an exciting JOY presentation. We all look forward to sharing together.

MEN’S GROUP’S MARCH MADNESS

Thank you to all who participated in the March Madness Sweet 16 Bracket which supports Foundations Youth Ministry.

Sweet 16 Viewing Party
Thursday, March 28 | 6 pm to 9 pm | 625 W. Adams.

All men are welcome to join the Men’s Group of Old St. Pat’s to watch the first game of the Sweet 16 round of the NCAA Basketball Tournament. Fellowship, food, basketball & beer (and, yes, wine too)!!!

tinyurl.com/OSP-NCAA16
MASS & DINNER
Sunday, March 31 | After 5 pm Mass
Santorini’s - 800 W. Adams

Join us for dinner at Santorini’s, the classic Greek Town establishment just walking distance from OSP!

There is free valet parking and we will do separate checks.

Contact Marion O’Connell if you would like to join us! moconnell33@gmail.com or (312) 819-7453

LUNCH AT SEASONS 52
Saturday, April 13 | 11:30 am - 1:30 pm | Seasons 52 | 3 Oakbrook Center, Oakbrook, IL 60523

Join Encore for lunch at Seasons 52 in Oakbrook!

Please contact Eileen Brady at eileenbrady@comcast.net for reservations.

SAVE THE DATE!

For the First Time in Many Years Encore will have their own event within the Block Party! Burnell music is coming to play and their will be lots of dancing.

You won’t want to miss this evening!

Saturday, June 22 at the World’s Largest Block Party

Doubt Play at Steppenwolf

Thank you so much to all who registered for the Doubt play outing at Steppenwolf.

The OSP block is sold out, but tickets may still be available through the box office.

Mention you are with OSP and join us at the post performance “mix and mingle!”
The First Friday Club of Chicago welcomes...

The Honorable Patrick J. Kennedy, Former U.S. Congressman (D, R.I.)
Commissioner - President’s Commission on Combating Drug Addiction
and the Opioid Crisis

Who will address the topic:
“Challenging One of the Last Social Taboos – Discrimination Against
Mental Health, Addiction, and Other Brain Diseases”

In a society today where almost anything goes, certain topics and issues are not discussed in polite company or even in private. Mental health and drug addiction lead the list.

We can talk about having cancer, ALS, acute diabetes, heart disease, anxiety, and high blood pressure, but we find it difficult, if not impossible, to admit to bipolar disorder, alcoholism, or chemical dependency. After all, people may think less of us. It could cost us our job or stand in the way of a promotion. The world sees a human weakness, not a neurological or psychiatric disease. In fact, it was only in 2010 that the Federal Parity Act began requiring health insurance companies to treat illnesses of the brain such as depression and addiction in the same way they treat illnesses of the body.

The standard-bearer and perhaps the person most responsible for challenging taboos around mental health and addictive diseases is former Congressman Patrick J. Kennedy, son of the late Senator Ted Kennedy. During his time in Congress, Kennedy sponsored and was the lead architect of the Federal Parity Act. And more than ten years ago, Patrick Kennedy broke his family's code of silence when he publicly acknowledged having bipolar disorder and being a recovering alcoholic. As of 2018, Mr. Kennedy says he has been sober for more than six years.

Patrick Kennedy represented Rhode Island's First Congressional District from 1995 through 2011, sponsoring dozens of bills to increase understanding and treatment of addiction and other brain disorders. Since leaving Congress in 2011, he founded the non-profit Kennedy Forum to lead a national dialogue on mental health and addiction involving advocates, business, and government. Locally, Kennedy Forum Illinois works to end discrimination against people with mental health and addiction challenges here in our state. Kennedy also cofounded One Mind, an organization that funds “open science” research on brain diseases, encouraging scientists to widely share their findings about Alzheimer's, Parkinson's, ALS, addiction, depression, and other diseases. His 2015 book, A Common Struggle: A Personal Journey Through the Past and Future of Mental Illness and Addiction, chronicles his own struggles along with his political advocacy supporting mental health and addiction care.

To make your reservation, please visit our website: www.firstfridayclubchicago.org/events by Monday, April 1, before 5 pm. The lunch fee is $45 for First Friday Club members and $55 for non-members.

For additional information please call (312.466.9610) or email: ffcc@firstfridayclubchicago.org
WHO IS MY NEIGHBOR?

Lenten Evenings of Reflection
As companions on the journey through Lent to Easter, we invite you to join us at our Lenten Evenings of Reflection!
See page 7 for details.

Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction
Prayer – Fasting – Almsgiving
Thursday evenings in the church.
See page 6 for details.

Third Sunday of Lent | Sunday, March 24
7, 8, 9:30, 11:15 am and 5 & 8 pm Masses in the Church

OSP Next Vespers and Grilled Cheese Night
Friday, March 29
See page 14 for details

Fourth Sunday of Lent | Sunday, March 31
7, 8, 9:30, 11:15 am and 5 & 8 pm Masses in the Church

OSP Parents and Tots Group
Easter Egg Hunt and Celebration!
Sunday, March 31
See page 15 for details.

Fifth Sunday of Lent | Sunday, April 7
7, 8, 9:30, 11:15 am and 5 & 8 pm Masses in the Church

Fish Fry | Friday, April 12
Young adults, families, and members of all ages are invited to join us for our fourth annual Fish Fry!
To register please go to: bit.ly/2HxZCGv
Contact: Foundations | foundations@oldstpats.org

Lenten Email Reflections
Are you trying to add more prayer to your routine this Lent? Sign up at tinyurl.com/yykbb8ka to receive daily or weekly reflections curated by Old St. Pat’s staff and leaders.

Lent 2019

Palm Sunday | April 14
Masses: 7, 8, 9:30 (Church, Hall, 625) 11:15 am (Church, 625)
5 & 8 pm Masses in the Church

Holy Thursday | April 18
Mass of the Lord’s Supper
7:00 pm | Old St. Patrick’s Church
Night Watch
9 pm - 12 am | Old St. Patrick’s Church
More Holy Thursday details coming soon.

Good Friday | April 19
Sacrament of Reconciliation: Individual Confessions
10 - 11:30 am | Old St. Patrick’s Church

Liturgy of the Passion and Death of Our Lord
12 pm & 5:30 pm | Old St. Patrick’s Church

Stations of the Cross Service
3 pm | Old St. Patrick’s Church
Contact: Tom Micinski | tomm@oldstpats.org

Holy Saturday | April 20
Easter Vigil
8 pm | Old St. Patrick’s Church
Contact: Tom Micinski | tomm@oldstpats.org

Easter Sunday | April 21
Mass Schedule:
7 am (Church)
8 am (Church, Hall)
9:30 am (Church, Hall, 625, Gym)
11:15 am (Church Hall, 625)
1 pm (Church)
No 5 pm or 8 pm Mass

visit us at oldstpats.org
OSP Next is the community for Young Adults at Old St. Pat’s! There’s no “signing up” - if you’re here, you’re part of the community!

Simply join us anytime for one of the events or opportunities listed. Email OSPnext@oldstpats.org with any questions.

Want to stay up to date with OSPNext events? We’ve made it even easier for you!

Go to goo.gl/elWLGA to access the OSPNext calendar and/or add it to your own personal calendar.

OSP NEXT VESPERS AND GRILLED CHEESE
Friday, March 29 | 6:30 - 9:00 pm | Ministry Center Dining Room (Rectory)

Please join us for a Lenten Vespers service at 6:30 pm in the Old St. Pat’s Community Center (the rectory just west of the church) and stay for a fancy grilled cheese and wine party afterwards, from 7 - 9 pm.

Tickets for the grilled cheese party are $8 in advance and $10 at the door. In order to provide our best hospitality, we’d love for you to sign up in advance.

Register here: bit.ly/2HhpqX2

OSP NEXT LEADERSHIP MEETING
Sunday, March 24 | After 5 pm Mass - Tonight! 718 W. Adams - Dining Room (OSP Rectory)

We invite everyone to join us for our leadership meeting. We will gather for dinner and conversation, and then plan some events together. We will meet in the rectory dining room on the third floor immediately following 5:00 Mass. You can either ring the bell by the front door on Adams St. or walk behind the altar after Mass. We will finish in time for people to go to 8:00 Mass, too.

Everyone is welcome, whether you’ve just arrived in Chicago or been here for years!

OSP NEXT WOMEN’S BIBLE STUDY
Sundays | 4 - 5 pm | 718 W. Adams (Board Room)

OSP Next’s Women’s Bible Study is back for spring! This group is open to all young women, from Biblical experts to those just starting their journey. Our study is a perfect way to be part of a small, close-knit faith community in the city. Join us for wine, snacks, and real conversations of how we can translate the Bible into our lives today.

We will meet on Sundays in the rectory at 4 pm before Mass through April 7. For more information, please contact Patty at (262) 894-5244 or Pattyanewby@yahoo.com.

Next meeting: Sunday, March 24 at 4 pm

OSP NEXT MEN’S BIBLE STUDY
Mondays, 7 - 8 pm | 711 W. Monroe, Room 21

Are you a man who’s interested in growing in faith by engaging with the scriptures? Come join the second session of OSP Men’s Bible Study! If you’re not very talkative, that’s ok! You can participate as much or as little as you like.

If you have a Bible, that’s a plus but we will discuss necessary materials at your first meeting. Hope to see you there! Please contact Nathan at nathangartlan@gmail.com with any questions.

Next meeting: Monday, March 25 at 7 pm

APRIL BOOK CLUB
Monday, April 22 | 7 - 8:30 pm | The Book Cellar

For our April book, we are reading Hillbilly Elegy: A Memoir of a Family and Culture in Crisis. This memoir by J. D. Vance is about the Appalachian values of his Kentucky family and their relation to the social problems of his hometown of Middletown, Ohio, where his mother’s parents moved when they were young.

Newcomers are always welcome! Just read the book and show up.
Join Catholic Theological Union for a special 50th Anniversary Blessed are the Peacemakers Trustee Dinner

April 24, 2019
Hilton Chicago Grand Ballroom
5:30 pm Reception | 6:30 pm Dinner

This year we will recognize the contributions of two extraordinary faith leaders whose lives of service have made a profound difference in our world.

Fr. Jack Wall
Diakonia Award
A great friend of CTU, Fr. Jack Wall represents an exceptional model of “pastor” to the Church here in Chicago and across the country.

Sr. Helen Prejean, CSJ
Blessed are the Peacemakers Award
Sr. Helen Prejean has worked to spark meaningful and necessary dialogue about the abolition of the death penalty.

GREATER CHICAGO FOOD DEPOSITORY AND OUTREACH
Help Stamp Out Hunger in Chicago

We have been partnering with the Greater Chicago Food Depository here at OSP for over 25 years. By volunteering at GCFD, our Outreach Partners (Su Casa, The Boulevard, and House of Mary and Joseph Shelter) receive food credits for their programs. These food credits help feed the residents while providing nutritional food items too.

UPCOMING DATES:

Saturday, April 13
8:30 am - 11:15 am
8:30 am - 11:15 am
(Every second Saturday)
Contact:
Mary Beth Riley
mbriley07@yahoo.com or 630-655-9447

Tuesday, April 9
9 am - 12 pm
(Every Second Tuesday)
Contact:
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Mark your calendar for the OSP Parents and Tots Group Easter Egg Hunt and Celebration!

OSP’s Parents and Tots Group Easter Egg Hunt and Celebration
March 31
10:30 am - 12 pm
FXW Cafeteria and Courtyard
Greet the Easter Bunny
Enjoy an Egg Hunt
Arts and Crafts
Contact Kellydolyniuk@gmail.com with questions!

For more information, please visit ctu.edu/events
Jesus said to them in reply, “Do you think that because these Galileans suffered in this way they were greater sinners than all other Galileans? By no means! But I tell you, if you do not repent, you will all perish as they did!” - Lk 13:2-3

**Sunday, March 24, 2019**
Readings: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 11 [8a]/1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12/Lk 13:1-9

Mass Remembrances:
- 7:00 am    Alma E. Guzman-Cisneros
- 8:00 am    William Cowhey (†)
- 9:30 am    Ellen Neubauer (†) Edward Mansell (†)
- 11:15 am   Helen Ulias (†) Charles “Chuck” Edwards (†)
- 5:00 pm    Virginia Ann Kelleher (†) Polly Dwzilewski (†) Dorothy Jordan (†)

Book of Patrick: Jim & Charlie Donnelly, Gilbert Gonzales, Joseph E. Stewart, Mary Ellen Waldron

**Monday, March 25, 2019**
Readings: Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Ps 40:7-8, 8b-9, 10, 11 [8a, 9a]/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38

Mass Remembrances: Frank and Helen Piwowar (†)


**Tuesday, March 26, 2019**
Readings: Dn 3:25, 34-43/Ps 25:4-Sab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9 [6a]/Mt 18:21-35

Mass Remembrance: Molly Fetzer


**Wednesday, March 27, 2019**
Readings: Dt 4:1, 5-9/Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20 [12a]/Mt 5:17-19

Mass Remembrance: Hannah Metzler (†)

Book of Patrick: Mary Jo Calderulo Dwyer, Harper Nola Northcutt Heinzte, Edward Keldon, Lorraine Mathews, Agnes Ptak, Tara Quan, Dr. Richard Rust, Dorothy Spellman, Thomas E Leonard, Renee Marie Graykowski

(†) = Deceased

**Thursday, March 28, 2019**
Readings: Jer 7:23-28/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 [8]/Lk 11:14-23

Mass Remembrance: Myrtle Alberts (†)

Book of Patrick: Sister Mary of the Holy Child, Dorothy Jurkash, Kaelan Mondragon, Cynthia & Robert Piech, Robert M. Regan, Tom Egan

**Friday, March 29, 2019**
Readings: Hos 14:2-10/Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17 [cf. 11 and 9a]/Mk 12:28-34

Mass Remembrances: Joan Harper (†), Sherron Leggio (†), Fred Mikkil (†)

Book of Patrick: Patrick J. Bradley, David John Bulger, Lillian May Kilroy Campbell, John D. Caruso, Marcy C. Cruz, Patrick Devine, Mary C. Lynch, John Francis McShane, Thomas O’Donoghue, Krzysztof Sikora

**Saturday, March 30, 2019**


**Sunday, March 31, 2018**
Readings: Jos 5:9a, 10-12/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [9a]/2 Cor 5:17-21/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

**Prayer Requests**

For Those Who Are Sick
Jeanne McConnell, Mary Lally, Tim Carney, James FitzGibbon

For Those Who Have Recently Died
Deacon Bill Sullivan, Gloria Ann Carney, Jeanne V. Lally, John F. Carney

Please contact Bernadette Moore Gibson at 312-798-2389 for Pastoral Care Services.

**Saints of the Day for March 24**

**Saint Oscar Arnulfo Romero**
(d. March 24, 1980)

The night before he was murdered while celebrating Mass, Archbishop Oscar Romero of San Salvador said on the radio: “I would like to appeal in a special way to the men of the army, and in particular to the troops of the National Guard, the police, and the garrisons. Brothers, you belong to our own people. You kill your own brother peasants; and in the face of an order to kill that is given by a man, the law of God that says ‘Do not kill’ should prevail.

“No soldier is obliged to obey an order counter to the law of God. No one has to comply with an immoral law. It is the time now that you recover your conscience and obey its dictates rather than the command of sin.... Therefore, in the name of God, and in the name of this long-suffering people, whose laments rise to heaven every day more tumultuous, I beseech you, I beg you, I command you! In the name of God: ‘Cease the repression!’”

Simultaneously, Romero had eloquently upheld the gospel and effectively signed his own death warrant.

When he was appointed archbishop of San Salvador in 1977, Bishop Romero was considered a very “safe” choice. He had served as auxiliary bishop there for four years before his three years as bishop of Santiago de Maria.

Three weeks after his appointment as archbishop, Romero was shaken by the murder of his good friend Jesuit Father Rutilio Grande, a vigorous defender of the rights of the poor. Five more priests were assassinated in the Archdiocese of San Salvador during Romero’s years as its shepherd.

Romero’s funeral was celebrated in the plaza outside the cathedral and drew an estimated 250,000 mourners.
Mass Schedule

Sunday
7 am, 8 am, 9:30 am, 11:15 am, 5 pm, and 8 pm

Monday – Friday (Daily Mass)
7 am and 12:10 pm

Church is open for Personal Prayer:
Monday – Friday: 7 am – 1 pm

Reconciliation
Fridays at 11:45 am, or upon request.

Liturgical Ministry
If you feel called to serve as a Hospitality Minister, Eucharistic Minister or Lector for one of our Sunday liturgies, please contact Tom Micinski at tmicinski@oldstpats.org.

The Baptismal Program & Schedule
To schedule a baptism, please contact Lauren Gaffey at baptisms@oldstpats.org.

Nursery Service
Nursery service is available during the 9:30 am and 11:15 am Masses in the Frances Xavier Warde School building. Enter the school on Des Plaines Street.

Low-gluten Host
Old St. Pat’s has low-gluten hosts available for those members who, for health reasons, could not receive regular Communion hosts. If you would like to receive a low-gluten host, please contact Tom Micinski at tmicinski@oldstpats.org.

Sign-Language Interpreter
Upon request, a sign language interpreter can be available at the 11:15 am or 5 pm Mass on Sundays, as well as for holidays and holy days of obligation. It would be most appreciative if you would give us 5 days of advance notice. To request access to a sign language interpreter at Mass, please contact liturgy@oldstpats.org.

Old St. Patrick’s Website
Be sure to visit our website, www.oldstpats.org, for the most up-to-date information.

Livestream Services
Our 5 pm Mass is available LIVE online every Sunday. To join us, visit livestream.com/oldstpats. Questions? Contact Leanne Kelly at leannek@oldstpats.org.

Go to tinyurl.com/ospworshipaid to follow along with a worship aid PDF.

Feedback
A new opportunity for feedback is now online so you can quickly share thoughts about your experience of liturgy here at Old St. Pat’s. Go to oldstpats.org/feedback to contribute!

Wedding Schedule
If you are engaged and would like to inquire about a possible wedding date at Old St. Patrick's, please complete the wedding inquiry form and send to weddings@oldstpats.org

For general wedding information, please refer to Sacraments/Marriage at www.oldstpats.org.

Wedding Banms

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May the winds of heaven dance between you.

I. MARCH 23, 2019
Emma Kathleen Higgins & Brian William Miller
Addie Kathryn Ellspermann & Robert Anthony Menconi

II. MARCH 30, 2019
Erin Hayes & James O’Connor

III. APRIL 6, 2019
NO WEDDINGS

Book of Patrick & Mass Intentions
For Book of Patrick or Mass Intentions requests, please visit oldstpats.org/sunday-giving/book-of-patrick/ or oldstpats.org/liturgy/mass-intentions/

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For your convenience, we are providing information to make parking easily accessible for everyone who visits Old St. Pat’s. Please continue to check back on the parking availability in these lots. We will continue to have updated information for you. We appreciate your patience and understanding.  

SUNDAYS  
Parking Lot 1: Parking is available in this lot until 9:30 pm on Sundays.  
Parking Lot 2 & 3: Parking is available in these lots until 1:00 pm on Sundays.  
Lot 5: All spaces are complimentary for OSP guests. Please pull a ticket from the OSP branded parking box upon entry and use this for validation upon exit. Please utilize this lot and then kindly free up space for those attending the next Mass.  

WEEKNIGHTS (AFTER 5:30 PM)  
You may park in the roped off section of Lot 1 until 9:30 pm on weeknights (entrance on Monroe). Once this section is full, you may park in the remainder of the lot. Please retrieve a time stamped parking pass from the security desk in 711 W. Monroe and place it on the dashboard of your vehicle.  

In Lot 5 there are 100 spaces open nightly from 6pm - 11:59pm; early arrival or extended time charged at posted rates.  

SATURDAYS (Wedding Parking)  
Parking Lot 2-3: Parking is available in these lots from 10 am until 7 pm on Saturdays. Parked cars must be moved following the ceremony, to make space for wedding guests arriving after.  
Lot 5: 200 spaces are open for Wedding guests. Lot gates open for OSP guests during ceremonies; please be considerate of guests arriving for later ceremonies  

Please refer to the Directions and Parking page on oldstpats.org for more detailed parking information.