St. Patrick Catholic Church
San Francisco’s Historic Landmark #4
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Parochial Vicar ~ Rev. Linh Nguyen
Deacon ~ Rev. Mr. Ferdinand Mariano
Priests in Residence ~ Rev. Raphael Laizer
Parish Manager ~ Linda Benson
Secretary & Receptionist ~ Victoria Wicklund
Music Coordinator ~ Charles Corpus
Liturgical Wedding Coordinator ~ Virginia Dilim
Religious Education Coordinator ~ Nenette Murata
RCIA Coordinator ~ Rev. Mr. Ferdinand Mariano

August 04, 2019 ~ Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Teach us to number our days aright,
that we may gain wisdom of heart. ~ Psalm 90:12

St. Patrick Church neither sells this bulletin
nor asks for donations on the street.
August 04, 2019 ~ Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ Year C

Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23; Ps 95:1-2,6-9; Col 3:1-5,9-11; Lk 12:13-21

Listen carefully to the voice of the Lord (Ps); set your heart on what will last forever (2). We only fool ourselves (1) if we believe that our possessions will bring us happiness and life. Instead, “grow rich in the sight of the Lord” (3).

Using Our Time Wisely

A jar of honey lasts practically forever. The oldest jar of honey ever discovered was over five thousand years old. Honey is quite different from market-fresh produce, then; because most fruits and vegetables last only a few days, we treat them carefully. At this time of summer, we rush to find recipes for cherries and cucumbers so we won’t waste a single one. We wouldn’t feel that same urgency about honey.

In our own way, we are as delightful and fragile as ripe produce. Today’s readings urge us not to spoil, but to make good use of our limited time on earth. Ecclesiastes reminds us that because God provides for us now and always, we can manage our daily affairs without anxiety. Saint Paul encourages the Colossians to keep thoughts of heaven in everything they do, and Jesus himself asks us to treasure not earthly wealth, but God alone.

Treasures From Our Tradition

Apart from the period from Thanksgiving through Christmas, the summer is a favored time for family reunions. We trace family trees and recall our origins. Worship has a family tree as well, and the way we celebrate today has been influenced by various styles and customs through the centuries. We are Western Christians of the Latin Rite. By far, we are the most numerous Western Christians, but there are other ritual families as well. The Archdiocese of Milan in Italy follows the Ambrosian Rite, Toledo in Spain preserves the Mozarabic Rite and the Arab language, and Lyons in France is home to the Gallican Rite. Other liturgical families, such as the Celtic in Ireland and the Sarum in England, faded away after the Reformation. Until recent times, members of some ancient religious orders such as Carmelites and Trappists followed a pattern of Mass that varied slightly from the plan observed in Latin Rite parishes.

Isn’t the Catholic Church the same everywhere? Not at all. It never has been! The existence of so many liturgical families in the West reminds us that unity, not uniformity, is what the Church seeks to achieve among her children. We are united in faith, but wonderfully diverse in rituals, ceremonies, languages, customs, and spirituality.

Archdiocesan Annual Appeal Update

Thank you to everyone who has made a donation to our 2019 AAA. If you haven’t donated yet, please consider making a donation.

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Online Giving now available

Please Pray for our Holy Father’s Intention for August

Pope’s Intention: Families, Schools of Human Growth. That families, through their life of prayer and love, become ever more clearly “schools of true human growth”. 
Religious Education Classes
The staff and catechists of St. Patrick Church are dedicated to helping your children grow in faith and be closer to God. As parents, you are the primary educators of your children and are their best teachers. Your children learn the most from the example you set when you pray together and actively participate in Mass and the sacraments as a family.

Our Religious Education Program is designed to assist you in the faith formation of your children. Enroll your child after all Masses every Sunday in August. First-time students must provide a valid baptismal certificate. Classes begin on Saturday, September 7th and run through May. Class hours are from 10:00 - 11:30 a.m.

Are You Someone or Do You Know Someone Who…
- ...has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic?
- ...has a child over the age of seven who has not been baptized?
- ...was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist?

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) is an opportunity for you to come together in a small group to learn more about the Catholic faith. Sessions focus on the teachings and experience of Church and prepare individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist during the Easter season. You are welcome to participate in the process with your questions, your insights, and your faith story in a warm accepting setting. For information please contact the parish office during normal business hours.

No One’s Enemy
May I be no one’s enemy, and may I be the friend of that which is eternal and abides.

~ St. Eusebius of Vercelli

The Effects of Prayer
Whoever prays much by night, that person’s face is fair by day.

~ Islamic saying

Ministers Schedule
Aug 10 - 11, 2019
Saturday, 5:15 p.m.
Presider - Fr. Senic Cirera
Readers - Arlene Ambata, Barbara Villanueva
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - Barbara Villanueva, Amy Mohler, Luzviminda Grajales, Mary Josue, Jeannette Chafe

Sunday, 7:30 a.m.
Presider - Fr. Senic Cirera
Readers - Julius Vedasto, Vida Ventura
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - Therese Guintu, Vida Ventura, Julius Vedasto, Cathy Bohol, Albert Chin, Tessie Gallardo

Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
Presider - Fr. Linh Nguyen
Readers - Cristin Salangsang, Jim Blacksten
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - Ligaya Gementera, Malou Pulanco, Celso Mangoba, Rose Mangoba, Rufina Oviedo, Ben Banatao

Sunday, 12:00 p.m.
Presider - Fr. Senic Cirera
Readers - Judy Labaria, Ellen Gayapa
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - Sandra Cea, Mary Josue, Fe Macatangay, Jeannette Bird, Trini Raymundo, Carlito Pantig, Giulia Pattini

Sunday, 5:15 p.m.
Presider - Fr. Linh Nguyen
Readers - Mark Gayapa, Charles Rosh
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion - Zachary Dul-dulao, Teng Sullivan, Luzviminda Grajales, Mary Josue

Pastor AI®

"I assure you, my going to a PG movie isn't a sin. What is a sin is the price of this popcorn with a soda."
Today’s Readings

First Reading — Vanity of vanities! All things are vanity! (Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23).

Psalm — If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts (Psalm 90).

Second Reading — You too will appear with Christ your life in glory (Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11).

Gospel — For though one may be rich, one’s life does not consist of possessions (Luke 12:13-21).


Christ is all in all.
Mass Intentions for Aug 04 - 10

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Saints & Special Observances

Monday: optional memorial ~
The Dedication of the Basilica of Saint Mary Major

TUESDAY: FEAST ~
THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

Wednesday: optional memorial ~
St. Sixtus II, Pope, and Companions, Martyrs
optional memorial ~ St. Cajetan, Priest

Thursday: Memorial ~ St. Dominic, Priest
Friday: optional memorial ~
St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin, Martyr

SATURDAY: FEAST ~

ST. LAWRENCE, DEACON, MARTYR

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Readings for the Week

Monday: Nm 11:4b-15; Mt 14:13-21
TUESDAY: Dn 7:9-10,13-14; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Lk 9:28b-36
Wednesday: Nm 13:1-2,25-14:1,26-29a-34,35; Mt 15:21-28
Thursday: Nm 20:1-13; Mt 16:13-23
Friday: Dt 4:32-40; Mt 16:24-28
SATURDAY: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Jn 12:24-26

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Wis 18:6-9; Ps 33:1,12,18-22; Heb 11:1-2,8-9 or 11:1-2,8-12; Lk 12:32-48 or 12:35-40

Schedule of Sacraments

Eucharistic Celebrations
Sundays ~ 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 12:00 p.m., 5:15 p.m.
Family Mass on 2nd Sunday at 12:00 p.m.
Tagalog Mass on 1st Sunday at 2:00 p.m.
Charismatic Mass and Healing Service on 3rd Sunday at 2:00 p.m.
Monday through Friday ~ 7:30 a.m., 12:10 p.m. & 5:15 p.m.
Saturdays ~ 7:30 a.m. & 12:10 p.m. ~ 5:15 p.m. Vigil Mass

Sacrament of Baptism (infants and children)
Baptismal Prep Class ~ Every 1st Saturday at 9:00 a.m.
Sacrament of Baptism ~ Every 2nd and 4th Saturday at 10:00 a.m.
Please call the parish office at least two months before the preferred date of Baptism. All Baptisms are scheduled through the parish office and Baptismal classes are required for all first time parents and godparents.

Sacrament of Marriage
You must first be a registered and active parishioner for at least six months prior to arranging a marriage at St. Patrick. Arrangements for this celebration must be made at least six months in advance. No date may be reserved without first consulting with the Pastor.

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)
Tuesdays and First Fridays ~ 11:30 a.m. & 4:30 p.m.

Parish Meeting Schedule

Adult Choir…………………………………... Thursdays, 6:30 p.m.
Altar Servers………………………………. 3rd Sunday, 10:30 a.m.
Charismatic Prayer Group………………….. Sundays, 1:30 p.m.
Forever Young Ministry………………….. Sundays, 10:30 a.m.
Legion of Mary ~ Patrician Meeting…….. Sundays, 2:00 p.m.
Liturgical Lay Ministers………………….. Last Sunday, 1:30 p.m.
Our Lady of Fatima Devotees…………… as announced
Parish Pastoral Council…………………... 1st Saturday, 2:00 p.m.
Sacred Heart of Jesus Devotion………… 1st Monday, 6:15 p.m.
St. Vincent de Paul Society…………….. 1st Friday, 6:00 p.m.
Young Adult Choir (SPYCO)…………….. 4th Saturday, 6:30 p.m.

Worries

Don’t tell me that worry doesn’t do any good. I know better. The things I worry about never happen.

~ Anonymous

Welcome to St. Patrick!!
Welcome to all of our out-of-town visitors,
Thank you for worshipping with us!!