

<p>Fr. Gary Brethour, <i>Pastor</i> Fr. Brian Wirth, <i>Assistant</i> Fr. Bernard Lorenz, <i>Hispanic Ministry</i></p> <p>Louise Colson, Bookkeeper/Secretary Emergency Only: 308-340-0817</p> <p>Website: http://www.stpatsmccook.com</p>	<p>St. Patrick Catholic Church <i>East 4th and F Street</i> Rectory Office: 612 East 4th Street Mailing Address: P.O. Box 1040 McCook, NE 69001-1040 Phone: 308-345-6734</p> <p>WELCOME to St. Patrick Catholic Church. We hope you feel at home and among friends here. If you are a visitor for a day, we pray God's speed on your journey. If you are looking for a parish community, we would be delighted to welcome you to our parish family. Please introduce yourself. Registration forms are available in the entry racks of the Church or contact us any time at 345-6734.</p>
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<p>MASS SCHEDULE: SUNDAY: Saturday Vigil Mass: 6:00 PM Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, & 11:00 AM, 4:00 PM (in Spanish) DAILY: 6:45 A.M. -- Monday-Friday 8:00 A.M. -- Saturday HILLCREST NURSING HOME: cancelled until further notice</p>	<p>CONFESSION SCHEDULE: WEATHER PERMITTING OUTDOOR CONFESSIONS MONDAY—FRIDAY 6:30 am (at the Grotto on the West side of the church) SATURDAYS 4-5:30 pm</p>	<p>ST. ANN CHURCH (Rural McCook, NE) SUNDAY MASS: 8:00 AM (Outdoor Confessions ½ hour before Mass) SACRED HEART CHURCH (Rural Hayes Center, NE) SUNDAY MASS: 10:00 AM (Outdoor Confessions ½ hour before Mass)</p>
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ST. PATRICK SCHOOL (345-4546): *Rebecca Redl, Principal, Barbara Bortner, Secretary.* Grades K-8. Tuition for 2020-21: \$1,750/student. Diocesan Education Fee of \$225.00 per student. Tuition assistance available. Please log on to your FACTS account to set up your payment plan <https://online.factsmgmt.com/signin/43QNN>. If you are new to our school or have any questions, please contact the St. Patrick School Office (308-345-4546) for assistance. School offers: Band, Vocal Music, Spanish, Art, Athletics, Student Council, Hot Lunch, Advanced Math, & Literature.

LITTLE KNIGHTS PRESCHOOL (345-4546): *Laura Miller, Teacher, Bryn Jordan, Preschool Aide.* 612 East 3rd St. Preschool: Tues & Thurs: 9-11:15 am; 3-Day Pre-K: Mon-Wed-Fri, 9-11:15 am; 4-day Pre-K: Mon, Tues, Thurs & Fri: 1-3:15 pm.

CCD PROGRAM: Grades K-8, Wednesday evenings during school year, 7:00-8:15 pm. (For children not attending St. Patrick School.)

CYO/GODPARENT PROGRAM: Religion program for Grades 9-12. For more information, contact the rectory at 345-6734.

RCIA (RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS): Classes held on Thursday evenings from 7:00-8:30 pm in the School Library. Call the rectory at 345-6734 for information.

LEGION OF MARY: *Carol Lashley (340-8401):* Catholics reaching out to the community in imitation of Mary.

BAPTISM: Call the Rectory to arrange pre-baptismal class and to schedule baptism.

MARRIAGE: Call for an appointment to begin preparation **at least 6 months** before your proposed wedding date.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING: Kate Siegfried RN, BSN, FCP-345-5812

FAMILY COUNSELING: For information or to schedule appointments, call The Immaculate Heart of Mary Counseling Center of Catholic Social Services - 1-800-961-6277.

PROJECT RACHEL: Healing the wounds of abortion. Don't suffer any longer from guilt, despair, psychological or spiritual problems. Private, sensitive and confidential - 1-800-964-3787.

CATHOLIC MOTHERS FOR CHRIST: Phone Cassie Spencer at 340-2931 for more information.

THAT MAN IS YOU (Men's group): Phone the Rectory at 345-6734

ALTAR SOCIETY (1st Tues.)
President: Peggy Been -----340-7260
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Cassie Spencer-----340-2931

MASS SCHEDULE - St. Patrick Church

Monday, October 12

6:45 am.....Anna Montey
8:00 am.....Bev Kolbet +

Tuesday, October 13

6:45 am.....Jon & Ronda Graff
8:00 am.....L/D Jim & Sandi Pettera Family

Wednesday, October 14

6:45 am.....Virgil & Evelyn Lytle+
8:00 am.....Frank, Bea & Mark Miriovsky +
6:30 pm Mass in Spanish.....Priest's Intention

Wed. October 14 Hillcrest Nursing Home Masses cancelled until further notice

Thursday, October 15

6:45 am.....Fallen Away Catholics
8:00 am.....Laura & Ryan Johnson Family
7:00 pm Mass in Spanish @ Hayes Center
..... Priest's Intention

Friday, October 16

6:45 am.....L/D Burns-Hammrick Families
8:00 am.....Monica Lecon
7:00 pm Mass in SpanishPriest's Intention

Saturday, October 17

8:00 amCandi Brennan+

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday, October 17

6:00 pm.....Victor & Geraldine Gonzales+

Sunday, October 18

7:30 am.....Robert McKillip+
9:00 amFor Our Parishioners
11:00 am.....L/D Joseph Colling Family
4:00 pm Mass in Spanish.....Priest's Intention

Iglesia de San Patricio (Church of St. Patrick) (409 Calle F) (409 East F Street) Padre Bernard Lorenz- (308) 414-1195 **Confesiones:** antes de la Santa Misa.

MISSIONS:

ST. ANN CHURCH

Sunday, October 18

8:00am.....Priest's Intention

SACRED HEART CHURCH

Sunday, October 18

10:00 am.....Jeremy Curran+

PRAYER CHAIN: 340-7946

SCHOOL NEWS - Mon. Oct. 12 No School. Teacher's In-service. Tues. Oct. 13 Volleyball 1 PM @ Maywood. Wed. Oct. 14, 8th grade photo field trip. Thurs. Oct. 15, 3rd grade 1 PM field trip to Arboretum. Fri. Oct. 16 ends 1st quarter. Sat. Oct. 17 Volleyball Tournament @ Benkelman. Mon. Nov. 2 No School. Bishop's Day Off.

THAT MAN IS YOU! — 8 pm, Sun. Oct. 11 in the Church basement. TMIY exposes many of the cultural problems that affect men in their personal & family life & helps them to formulate a response. Call Mike Tines at 340-4876. This week's speaker discusses Mary's role in the family.

ONLINE GIVING — Go to www.stpatismccook.com and follow the link to Our Sunday Visitor. Easy to register. Flexible contribution options.

CONTRIBUTIONS for the week of 10/4/20: St. Ann: \$165.00; Sacred Heart: \$345.00; Peter's Pence \$10.00; St. Patrick: \$6,519.00 adult envelopes; \$405.19 Peter's Pence; Online Giving: \$2,927.00; St. Patrick, St. Ann and Sacred Heart parishes must still pay operating expenses during the COVID-19 pandemic. Your continued contributions are needed.

ST. PATRICK PARISH

Fiscal Year July 1, 2020-June 30, 2021

SUNDAY BUDGETED COLLECTIONS	\$474,052.30
Less Collection since July 1, 2020	\$119,978.54
Remaining Amount Needed (474,052-119,978.54)	\$354,073.76

Southern Nebraska Register	\$8,520.00
So. NE Register Collected to date	\$3,715.75
Southern Nebraska Register-Shortfall	\$4,804.25

Total needed by June 30, 2021 (354,073.76+4,804.25) \$358,878.01
Remaining weekly collection needed (new avg.) \$9,444.16

FALL FESTIVAL — Sat., Oct. 10, 5-8 pm: Burgers & pies **DRIVE-THRU!!NOTICE:** Sun., Oct. 11 events are cancelled due to the recent increase in local Covid 19 cases. (Our goal since the beginning of Fall Festival planning is to keep public Masses and school open.)

THANK YOU Auction item DONORS & BUYERS. Your generosity and creativity is amazing! Especially considering the limited timeline!

ONLINE AUCTION—PLEASE login and bid on auction items. We have so many great items. There are also monetary donation options if you simply want to support us! **AUCTION** closing Oct. 11th at 7pm with pickup Monday, October 12th, 9am-11am. Cash, check or credit card at pickup.

BUYERS' PREMIUM -The Fall Fest online auction buyers premium all goes to St. Patrick Church & School. The fee is to raise additional funds. We depend on your goodness and God's mercy. The fee does not go to Old West Reality & Auction. They are donating all their time and services. Without Old West Reality & Auction's donated help and expertise, we would have been stuck. Please thank them!!

OLD WEST REALTY:- oldwestrealityandauction.hibid.com

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SOUL OF: Rosleen Lockhorn, Bev Kolbet.

LDCCW October Pro-Life Diaper Drive The Lincoln Diocesan Council of Catholic Women (LDCCW) is sponsoring the 11th Annual October Pro-Life Diaper Drive, collecting diapers throughout the month of October in each of the Lincoln Diocese parishes. A baby in one year will use approximately 2,100 diapers, that's an average of only 6 diapers per day. The LDCCW goal is to collect 90,000 diapers. **Diaper sizes 4, 5 and 6 are most needed.** Your assistance is greatly appreciated. Thank you to those that have already donated. Listen to Spirit Catholic Radio for Diaper Drive announcements.

OUTDOOR CONFESSIONS — Mon-Fri, at 6:30 am (at the grotto on the west side of the church) and Sat. 4:00-5:30 pm (weather permitting at Rectory parking lot and grotto). Please watch flocknotes for alternative times or place if the weather is bad. Or call for an appointment.

RCIA CLASS — 7 pm Thurs. Oct. 15 in the School Library. If you are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith or wish to grow in your faith, RCIA is for you. Everyone is invited. Enter the school through the northeast doors. Please call the rectory at 345-6734 if you have questions.

ULTREYA Sun. Oct. 18 3:30 pm @ Church basement.

CCD meets 7-8:15 pm, Wed. Oct. 14 for grades K-6. NO CLASSES for Grade 7-8. We need a teacher for grade 7-8 please.

CCD TEACHER NEEDED for Grades 7 & 8 (combined). If you are interested, call Fr. Brethour at 345-6734.

COUNSELING SERVICES — Immaculate Heart of Mary Counseling Center has free counseling sessions for people who may be suffering during the COVID pandemic from loneliness, anxiety, or depression, especially in elderly folks.

The Immaculate Heart of Mary Counseling Center (IHMCC) with Catholic Social Services of Southern Nebraska supports mental health for the Diocese of Lincoln through the use of telehealth. Telehealth is offered through an electronic health platform that maintains confidentiality and is HIPPA compliant. In order to participate, you must have a computer, tablet, or smartphone with an external or integrated webcam, an external or integrated microphone and an internet connection (no applications or software to download). Visit their website at immaculateheartcounseling.org or call 402-489-1834 or the CSS office at 1-800-961-6277 for info.

FORMED.ORG — *Thanks to the Bargain Bazaar for paying for a new year of subscription.* Formed has many Fatima audio books, movies and other programs for adults and children.

To register, go to formed.org. Click on "I belong to a parish." Enter St. Patrick, McCook. Complete your name and email address. Click on "sign-up" and you are registered.

OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL RETREAT HOUSE Upcoming in-person and on-line retreats: **Oct. 16-18** (Women): A Biblical Walk from Nazareth to Jerusalem with Fr. Jay Buhman. **Oct. 16-17** Men on Fire Conference w/the John Paul II Healing Center @ St. Peter's Church, Lincoln. Info and registration at 402-786-2705 or at goodcounselretreat.com.

3-PART EVANGILIZATION SERIES — **Oct. 28** (The Meaning & Values of the Cross), and **Nov. 18** (Experiencing the Resurrection). "In the midst of this cultural chaos, the simplicity of the gospel is the answer. Jesus is calling us to a deeper repentance in order to experience his resurrection." The workshop is free. Registration is required if you wish to participate on ZOOM. Go to lincolndiocese.org/evangelization. Questions? E-mail Annette-Wemhoff@cdolinc.net.

PLANNED GIVING — Just as we plan to ensure financial health for our families, we must plan for the health of our faith families. Your planned gift to our parish will provide financial support to allow our parish to continue serving the Catholics of this area. You have a wonderful Catholic heritage. Pass it on! For a personalized plan or more information call Chris Raun at 402-488-2142 x105 or Chris-Raun@catholicgift.org or Les Mach at 402-443-6180 or Les-Mach@catholicgift.org.

Annual Bishop's Appeal for Vocations. This appeal goes toward the education of our seminarians studying for the priesthood. This year's goals: St. Pats \$16,250.00. St. Ann's \$270.00. Sacred Heart's \$860.00. Make checks out to "Bishop's Appeal for Vocation." Please be generous. Pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

LUCKY IRISH CALENDER WINNERS: Oct. 4: Samantha Brown; Oct. 5: Jeremy Kolbet; Oct. 6: Scott & Katie Schnieder; Oct. 7: PB & Marilyn Fornoff; Oct. 8: Amy Burns; Oct. 9: Alesia Schmit; Oct 10: St. Patrick School

SUNDAY MASS AT ST. PATRICK CHURCH — Our Sunday Mass is being recorded and uploaded on YouTube. Go to www.stpatsmccook.com and click on the Sunday Mass.

"Francis of Assisi during Difficult Times" Retreat

Everyone is invited to attend a one-day retreat entitled "Francis of Assisi during Difficult Times" facilitated by Sister Rochelle Kerkhof OSF, Grant Deanery Youth Coordinator. It will be held in Stratton, NE. @ St. Joseph Catholic Church on Oct. 19th from 9:30-3:30 CT. There will be Holy Mass and a free will offering. No babysitting provided. All are invited to bring a little salad or desert to share. Meat will be provided for lunch. The obvious Covid 19 restrictions will be observed. For more info and to register RSVP by Oct. 12th by calling Fr. Bernard Lorenz @ 308-414-1195

Covid News The McCook area has seen an increase this past week in positive cases. McCook Community Hospital asks the public to not get complacent about Covid. Please remember to follow these practices: *Wear a mask to protect those around you. (You may have Covid and don't even know!) Even with no symptoms or mild symptoms, we can unknowingly expose those with underlying health conditions to Covid. *Try to touch your face and mask as little as possible. *Social distance. If you cannot socially distance, please wear a mask. (When traveling with a non-family member in a car, remember to wear a mask.) *Wash your hands often. Use hand sanitizer when you cannot. *If you are asked to quarantine, stay in quarantine until you receive your test results.

Residents of Nebraska are encouraged to continue using the FREE Test Nebraska program to test for Covid19. Due to an increase in those wanting to be tested for Covid, Community Hospital has added drive-through TestNebraska events every Wed. in Oct. from 8 to 10 AM at the Red Willow County Fairgrounds. Dates are Oct. 14, 21, and 28. Preregistration is encouraged @ TestNebraska.com.

St. Theresa Circle—meeting 11:30 AM, Wed. Oct. 14 @ Senior Center. Please call Senior Center for reservation 345-1760. Call Pat Glebe for more info. 308-777-2100.

Big Give McCook— Nov. 5, 2020. Please be generous for our school. New math textbooks are quite expensive.

Pictorial Directory—"With limited staff there have been delays. We are looking at the end of November." (This is their response to our inquiry.) Thank you for your patience.

Lucky Irish Calendars— Have been mailed. There are extra calendars in the back of the Church. The proceeds from the calendar sales will be used to purchase new math textbooks for the school. If you have any questions, please call Bob Burns 308-340-8837.

Voters Guide—the back page of Oct. 2nd Southern Nebraska Register has the Nebraska Catholic voter guide. Please keep it for handy reference.

Go to: NEBRASKACATHOLICVOTER.COM.

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