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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. To Register please call at 308-345-6734 or stop by the rectory on 4th street.

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

KINSHIP POINTE:

10:30 A.M. Wednesday

CONFESSION SCHEDULE:

Monday - Friday: 6:30—6:40 am

Saturdays: 4:00 - 5:30 pm and

after 6:00 pm Mass.

 \mathbf{Or} , any time by appointment, call the

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ST. ANN CHURCH (Rural McCook, NE)

SUNDAY MASS: 8:00 AM (Confessions ½ hour before Mass)

SACRED HEART CHURCH (Rural Hayes Center, NE)

SUNDAY MASS: 10:00 AM (Confessions ½ hour before Mass)

ST. PATRICK SCHOOL (345-4546): Rebecca Redl, Principal, Barbara Bortner, Secretary. Grades K-8. Tuition for 2023-24: \$2,680 per student. Diocesan technology fee of \$420.00 per student. Tuition assistance available. Please log on to your FACTS account to set up your payment plan https://online.factsmgt.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.

<u>LITTLE KNIGHTS PRESCHOOL</u> (345-4546): *Jill Koenig, Teacher.* 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, Th & Fri: 1-3:15pm.

<u>CCD PROGRAM</u>: 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.

<u>**LEGION OF MARY:**</u> Carol Lashley: Catholics reaching out to the community in imitation of Mary.

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

<u>MARRIAGE</u>: Call for an appointment to begin preparation <u>at least</u> <u>6 months</u> before your proposed wedding date.

FERTILITY CARE INSTRUCTOR: Kate Siegfried RN, BSN, FCP-

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

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MASS SCHEDULE - St. Patrick Church	
Monday, Sept. 18	
6:45 am	L/D David Haller Family
8:00	L/D O'Dea & Sekavec families
Tuesday, Sept. 19	
6:45 am	Andrew Sughroue+
8:00 am	S
8.00 dill	Gen Buns
Wednesday, Sept. 20	
6:45 am	James & Sandra Pettera & Family
8:00 am	,
5.55	
Thursday, Sept. 21	
6:45 am	Paul Douglas
8:00 am	Dustan Biegler+
2:45 pmSpanish Mass	3
7:30 pmHayes Center	
7.00 priminina y es center	
Friday, Sept. 22	
6:45 am	Melissa & Kyle Wilcox
8:00 am	L/D Jim & Dari Olson families
Saturday, Sept. 23	
8:00 am	•
6:00 pm	Pam Morello+
SUNDAY MASSES:	
Sunday, Sept. 24	
7:30 am	Carol Liess+
9:00 am	Angela & Suzanne Schaaf+
11:00 am	For our parishioners
4:00 pmSpanish Mass	•
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MISSIONS:	
ST. ANN CHURCH	
Sunday, Sept. 24	
8:00 am	Beverly Kolbet+
SACRED HEART CHURCH	
Sunday, Sept. 24	
10:00 am	Priest's Intention

<u>Confessions</u> — 6:30 am Monday -Friday & Sat. 4:00-5:30 pm, & after 6 pm Mass in the church. Or, call for an appointment, 308-345-6734.

<u>OCIA</u>— Classes will meet on Sept. 14. Catholics and non-Catholics are welcome to learn or refresh their understanding of the Faith. Class will meet @ 7pm in the school library.

<u>CCD Classes:</u> Classes meet on Wednesday evenings from 7:00—8:15 pm.

CYO classes: classes meet with their sponsors on Wed. evenings begin @ 7:15pm.

<u>St. Patrick School</u> – Progress reports coming out this week. Home volleyball games this week on Tues (vs Hitchcock Co.) & Wed. (vs. Maywood/Hayes Center) 2pm at St. Pat's gym.

Next week's Mass Schedule: Sept. 23-24

	Lectors:	Acolytes:
Sat. eve	P. Campbell	R. Jacobs/McConville
7:30 am	H. Beebe	Liess/Spilinek
9:00 am	T. Kohmetscher	Peterson/Kain
11:00 am	B. Siegfried	Wilson/Mabile

<u>Teacher's Wish List:</u> to those interested in helping our teachers to furnish their classrooms with items the will need for the school year... please visit this site: https://www.stpatrickmccook.com/newsletters#TEACHERWISHLIST

<u>Hospital Visits:</u> We try to visit all Catholics in the hospital everyday. Please be aware that we cannot find you unless you are registered as a Catholic in the local hospitals. The hospital cannot tell us you are there due to privacy laws unless you give them permission to tell us.

PRAYER CHAIN: 340-7946

<u>Online Giving</u> visit www.stpatsmccook.com and follow the link to Our Sunday Visitor. Easy to register & flexible contribution options.

Contributions - **09-10-2023**:

Assumption:	۶ \$	1,396.00 4.00
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Online Assumption:	\$ \$,

Weekly \$361.00

Your contributions to St. Patrick, St. Ann and Sacred Heart parishes are needed and greatly appreciated!

ST. PATRICK PARISH Fiscal Year July 1, 2023-June 30, 2024

Collections received since July 1, 2023: \$100,892.58 (Budgeted amount for fiscal year: \$550,000.00)

<u>Please pray for the souls of:</u> Betty Schreibvogel & Gene Slattery.

<u>Legion of Mary</u> - "Blessed are the hearts that love Mary! Blessed are those who serve her! Yes, for Mary will never allow herself to be surpassed in love by her clients." - Saint Alphonsus Liguori

<u>Life is Hard. Help is just a phone call away</u>. Need to talk to someone that you can trust? Catholic Social Services of Southern Nebraska's Immaculate Heart of Mary Counseling Center, 402-489-1834.

<u>Wish List Items:</u> Thank you to all who helped with the wish list items. We will be getting those items re-finished over the next few months as the company can accommodate the orders. Thank-you....and don't worry, there will be more opportunities for those of you who wanted to help but were unable to assist at this time. Good news is that the AC was an easy fix. It will not require a building project.

<u>Gardeners of the Parish:</u> thank-you for all the garden goodies this summer. We do appreciate the veggies. We would still like to can a few more tomatoes for tomato juice. We also could use a few squash, melons, onions and the like if you have extra. Thank you in advanced!! And God bless your generosity.

Fall Festival Pies: John & Judy Anderson will be baking pies for the Fall Festival fundraiser in the church basement. Please consider helping out.

Sept. 17 — 10:00 am Sept. 23 — 7:00 am

Sept. 22 — 3:00 pm

Order forms can be picked up at the entrances of the Church, school office or at the rectory.

<u>Gift Gala 2024</u>:

Save the date... March 16, 2024stay tuned for more info.

Lucky Irish Calendar Winners-2023:

Sept. 6 Kathy Rischling **Sept. 7** Ray Chmiel

Sept. 8 Tom Bahl Sept. 9 Dennis & Patsy Langley

Sept. 10 Austin Sis **Sept. 11** Cole Smith

Sept. 12 Becke Macfee

Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House in Waverly Call 402-786-2705, or see goodcounselretreat.org.

<u>Mass Intentions</u> - Place requests in the collection basket or the rectory drop box. Checks should be made to <u>St.</u> <u>Patrick</u>. Also include your name and phone number in case we need to clarify. Usual donation is \$10. We schedule Masses as they come in, from oldest to the most recent.

Eucharistic Holy Hour: Start filling your passport at the Holy Hour this week, Sept. 18. Holy hour begins at 7 pm. Come join us for an hour or even part of the hour to unite with Christ and His Church.

<u>Pope's Intention for Sept:</u> We pray for those persons living on the margins of society, in inhumane life conditions, may they not be overlooked by institutions and never considered of lesser importance.

2023-2024 CCD: CCD classes have begun. Thank you to those who have volunteered to help teach. We are still in need of a teacher for the 7&8 grades. The class is relatively small. One teacher could handle a combined class or two volunteers would allow a split class. Please consider helping.

Fall Festival: The Fall Festival is just around the corner! September 24th will be the 49th annual family fun event. Raffle tickets have been mailed out. Please help to make the Fall Festival as successful as possible by helping sell tickets and encourage people to join in the fun of the event. If you need more raffle tickets, they are available at the school and the rectory. Good luck! Please contact Shannon Corder for more information at 308-345-8871.

<u>Little Knights Preschool</u> has openings for our Pre-K 3-day class. This class meets Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings from 9:00—11:15am. Please visit the website for more information.... www.stpatrickmccook.com/little-knights-preschool

<u>Volunteers Needed:</u> Need something to do while the kids are in school? Volunteers are needed to help serve lunch in the cafeteria once a week or whatever works for your schedule. Duties include serving lunch and light cleanup. Lunch is provided. Hours are 10:45am until 1:30pm.

<u>Eucharistic Revival Passport:</u> check out the parishes that are stops on the diocese's Eucharistic pilgrimages. Consider taking a trip or when you are traveling, stop in for adoration and get your passport stamped. Passports available in the back of church. Met a few visitors already, one visitor had all but 2 stations visited.

Marriage Encounter: "Experiencing a heart –to-heart exchange inside our couple love". Marriage encounter Sept. 22-24 in Hastings. Call right away, space is limited. Contact Gary & Brenda Granger 303-604-6202

<u>Grief Support:</u> Are you an adult who has recently lost a loved one? Consider joining the Community Hospital's Grief Support Group. They meet every two weeks at the hospital. This is a closed group, so no new members may join after the meeting on Sept. 26. They meet at the Meadowlark Room from 4:30—6:00pm. For more information call Becky Mai 344-2650.

TMIY: 'That Man is You' meets on Sunday evening at 8 pm in the school library. Please enter through the northeast door just off the parking lot between church, school and rectory. The topic for this series of talks is "Worthy of the Call".... Sept 17 ——"Worthy of the Call"

Sept 24 ——"Staying awake in the Woke culture" Oct. 1 —— "Called to Serve"

<u>Lunch Room:</u> the lunch program will gladly accept excess garden goodies to serve the students during the week. Please consider dropping off your extra garden goodies especially cucumbers and watermelon for the kids. Thank you and God bless!!

<u>Lending Library:</u> the St. Patrick's Lending Library is open for all who are looking for a good book to read to grow and remain focused on our Faith. Please stop and check it out. Library is located by the NW entrance of the church, across from the adoration chapel.

<u>Eucharistic Miracles Display:</u> this display will be at St. Patrick parish Oct. 6—10. Please spend some time looking this display over. It will be a chance to learn about the marvelous events that have enriched our Church over the centuries.

<u>Game Feed Prep:</u> Hunting season is upon us. Please remember the Game Feed this fall. The event is in need of a variety of game for the feed. We are looking for squirrel, dove, duck, elk, antelope and many other items that can be included in the menu. As you plan your hunting/fishing trips this fall, please remember the Game Feed. St. Hubert & St. Andrew, Pray for us

P.S. Save the Date—Feb. 10, 2024

<u>Attention Duck Hunters:</u> looking for a bunch of teal to serve at the game feed...Hoping for 40-50 whole birds to smoke and serve.

Volunteers Needed for Fall Festival:

If you want to know how you can help the Parish and School Community with the Fall Festival, please use the QR Code to sign-up!



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