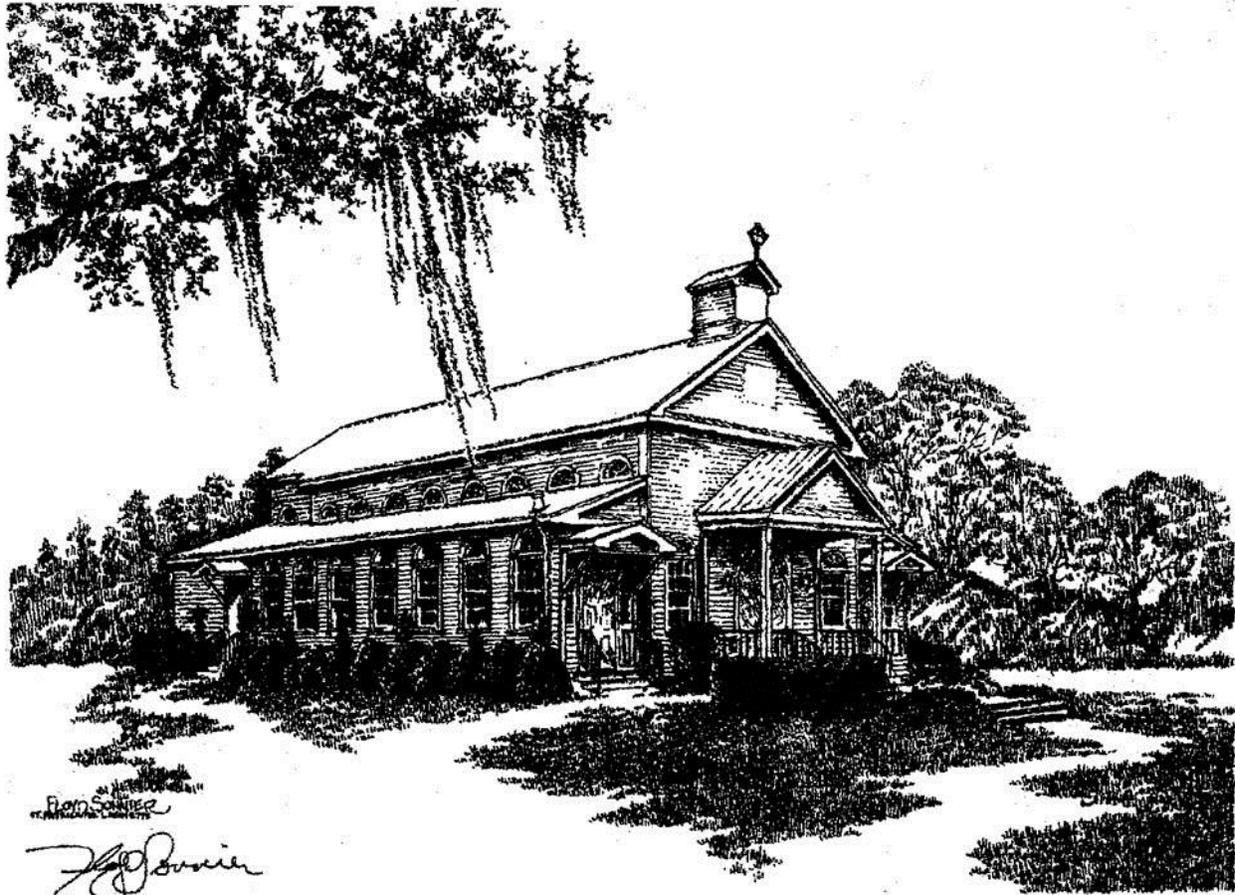


# St. Patrick Catholic Church

*October 14, 2012 - Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time*



L'Église St. Patrick

### **Office Hours**

Monday – Thursday: 8:30 am – 3:00 pm; Friday 8:30 am – 12 noon

### **Celebration of the Eucharist**

Saturday: 4:00 pm – Sunday: 8:30 & 10:00 am

Monday through Friday: 7:30 am

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday: 3:00 – 3:30 pm and Weekdays: 7:15 am

### **Baptisms**

Parents are encouraged to call the Church during pregnancy to avoid delays of the sacrament

### **Weddings**

Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance to allow time for preparation



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# *Welcome to St. Patrick Church*

## **Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

*October 14, 2012*

### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

#### **Saturday, October 13-- Vigil of the Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

4:00 PM: Edna & Melba Parker;  
Janell Thomas; The Edmund Reggie Family;

#### **Sunday, October 14-- Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:30 AM: Claire D. Sawyer  
Ewing Latimer; Pat McGreery  
10:00 AM: Parishioners of St. Patrick's

#### **Monday, October 15-- St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church**

7:30 AM: Ewing Latimer

#### **Tuesday, October 16-- St. Hedwig, Religious; St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin**

7:30 AM: J. C. Chargois

#### **Wednesday, October 17-- St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr**

7:30 AM: Dr. Tommy Comeaux & Dorinne;  
Col. Clark Comeaux & Catherine (living);  
Col. Kimberly Fedele (living)

#### **Thursday, October 18-- St. Luke, Evangelist**

7:30 AM: Dr. Charles Stewart

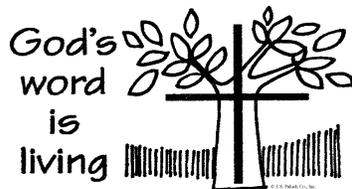
#### **Friday, October 19-- Saints John de Brebeuf and Isaac Jogues, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs**

7:30 AM: Ewing Latimer

#### *Altar Flowers*

*In memory of:*

**Dr. Tommy Comeaux & Dorinne**



#### **Non-Liturgical Devotions**

**Daily Rosary:** Monday - Friday 6:55 a.m.

**Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena:** Tuesday 7:15 a.m.

**Rosary for Priests:** Wednesday 7:00 a.m.

**Chaplet of Divine Mercy:** Thursday 7:15 a.m.

**Pro-Life Rosary:** First Friday of the month 7:00 a.m.

#### **Shamrocks—Friday, October 19:**

Dee Boudreaux; Andre Arceneaux; Anne Meleton; Betty Fournet; Charlotte Privat

#### **Out of Town**

Fr. Keith will be going on vacation, from noon on Sunday, Oct. 14<sup>th</sup> through Friday, Oct. 26<sup>th</sup>. Please pray that he and his traveling companion, Fr. Mike Guidry, will be safe on their travels.

#### **Looking for Recommendations**

We are inviting you to serve as our own local "Angie's List", as we seek competent and dependable persons or companies to perform maintenance and repair work on our property. We are looking for someone to do pressure washing of our church. We are looking for someone who can do concrete work in our parking lot. We are looking for recommendations for an excellent painter. And if you know someone who can paint our statue of the Blessed Virgin near the hall, we would be grateful. If you know of someone you can personally recommend, please contact us at the office. Note that all potential workers must be able to provide a certificate of sufficient liability insurance.

#### **Next First Friday:**

Nov. 2nd, 2012

#### **Topic:**

Baptized in the Paschal Mystery



### Sung Prayer

We are pleased to welcome back our cantor, Amanda Fontenot, after her adventure of bringing twins, Addison and Grant, into the world. Going forward, she will usually be leading us in song at our Saturday evening Mass. On Sunday mornings, we will usually have Shana Sampia with us, who joined us recently after Claire Gamble headed to New York for graduate school and who graciously sang at all our Masses while Amanda was out. We are grateful to these talented and committed ministers, including accompanists Mickie Sibley and Faye Drobnic, who lead us in sung prayer each weekend. Please continue to support their efforts by singing enthusiastically at Mass.

### Nursing Home Eucharistic Ministers Workshop

The Central Region of the Diocese of Lafayette invites all Nursing Home Eucharistic Ministers, as well as anyone interested in this ministry, to attend “A Special Call to Serve: Nursing Home Eucharistic Ministry” on **Saturday, October 20**, from 9:00—11:00 a.m. at St. Genevieve Catholic Church (Rosa Mystica Hall), 417 East Simcoe Street, Lafayette. This workshop will focus on both the spiritual aspects of this special ministry as well as practical and important guidelines for serving in this ministry. **All those who currently serve and those interested in serving should attend.** Light refreshments will be served and all are welcome. Pre-registration is not required. For more information, please contact Mary Bergeron (654-8682 or [ejbmg@bellsouth.net](mailto:ejbmg@bellsouth.net)).

### Total Consecration to Jesus through Mary

Deacon Cody Miller will be conducting 5 week course on the total consecration to Jesus through Mary according to St. Louis de Montfort a St. Pius X Church in Lafayette beginning on **November 5, 2012 at 7:00 p.m.** in the Church. Classes will be every Monday for 4 weeks, culminating in the Consecration Mass on Monday, December 8, 2012 at 7:00 p.m. in the Church. Please call and register for the Consecration class early because of limited seating and get the Consecration book fee of charge. The Consecration Mass will be said by Fr. Hugh Gillespie SMM, author, missionary and evangelist of the Montfort Missionaries. The Consecration Mass is open to all to attend. For more information on the seminar contact Deacon Cody at: 337-849-7963; or 337-856-5936, or [cajunfreshman@usa.net](mailto:cajunfreshman@usa.net)

### First Fridays – A Year of Faith

We remind you to mark your calendars on each First Friday through next November (except July) for our parish observation of the Year of Faith. On each of those evenings, beginning at 6 pm, we will have an hour of Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with prayers, readings, and teaching on topics of faith. The topics are drawn from the first twelve chapters of the book, Keys to the Council: Unlocking the Teaching of Vatican II, by Richard Gailardetz and Catherine Clifford. You are invited to acquire the book and read the chapter of the month, in preparation for the First Friday gathering. (*The book is published by Liturgical Press, Collegeville, MN, and can be ordered through Crossroads Bookstore or your favorite bookseller.*) Our first gathering will be on **Friday, Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>, at 6 pm**. The topic for the evening will be “Baptized into the Paschal Mystery”. More information on these evenings as well as other observances for the Year of Faith can be found on our website, [stpat.org](http://stpat.org).

### Bishop’s Services Appeal

Today is commitment Sunday. Your generous pledges of the Bishop’s Services Appeal will be placed in the service of Jesus Christ. The BSA is the most effective and efficient way to meeting the needs of the multitudes. Our parish goal for this year is to have every family and individual participate to the very best of their ability, in recognition and in thanksgiving for God’s many blessings. All registered parishioners should have received a special letter from Bishop Jarrell requesting a personal commitment and a pledge. If you have already responded in the spirit of stewardship and discipleship, fervent thanks and blessings are yours. **If not, please do so do, by using the pledge envelopes available here in church or by giving online @[www.diola.org](http://www.diola.org) (click on online giving) or call 337/261-5641, thank you.** God will indeed bless and reward your generosity and concern for others, of that you can be assured.

**Second Collection Next Sunday** for The Propagation of the Faith — a Pontifical Mission Society. World Mission Sunday gathers support and needs of more than 1,150 mission dioceses. Please be generous!

### STEWARDSHIP OF THE PAST WEEK

Our Response to God’s Generosity to Us  
Offertory.....\$ 3,449.76  
Building Fund.....\$ 1,257.00

*Thank You!*

## Liturgical Roles for October 2012

Date	Saturday, October 20 4:00 p.m.	Sunday, October 21 8:30 a.m.	Sunday, October 21 10:00 a.m.
Lectors	Dana Guidry	Susan Cain	Phyllis Roy
Eucharistic Ministers	Janell Venable Lois Delahoussaye Rosalind Allen	Maggie Sonnier Marla Davis Kathy Kalweit	Jerry Boudreaux Brenda DeMette Sarah Hamsher
Server	George Eaton	Fred Vallot	Harry DeMette
Ushers	Oren Spruill Joyce Stelly	William & Stephanie Bacque	Jenny Feehan Robin Roy

### Readings for the Week

Monday	Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31 — 5:1; Lk 11:29-32
Tuesday	Gal 5:1-6; Lk 11:37-41
Wednesday	Gal 5:18-25; Lk 11:42-46
Thursday	2 Tm 4:10-17b; Lk 10:1-9
Friday	Eph 1:11-14; Lk 12:1-7
Saturday	Eph 1:15-23; Lk 12:8-12
Sunday	Is 53:10-11; Ps 33; Heb 4:14-16; Mk 10:35-45 [42-45]



*Sell  
what you have  
and  
follow me*

### *From the Pastor's Desk*

Two things bring me to this week's topic. First is that last week in this space I dealt with one aspect of the 'culture of death', writing in opposition to capital punishment. The second thing is that the Komen – Planned Parenthood controversy was in the news again. The Archdiocese of Atlanta has directed Catholic institutions (parishes, etc.) to refrain from sponsoring Komen activities, while leaving individuals free to participate and/or donate as they choose. I would mention that Catholic institutions in our own Diocese have received the same wise guidance from our own bishop. Individuals may choose to support Komen, but no parish or church organization may sponsor Komen activities.

I remember earlier this year, I happened to be in the neighborhood of the Race for the Cure here in Lafayette, and saw the huge crowd moving down the street. I was left with mixed emotions, for it is heartening to see so many people take action to combat the scourge of breast cancer. At the same time I was saddened that the Susan Komen foundation continues to tarnish its image with its affiliation with Planned Parenthood.

The connection is that some Komen affiliates channel funds to branches of Planned Parenthood to fund breast cancer screening. It is certainly true that there are places that are under-served in terms of available health services, and working to provide these life-saving services is a worthy goal. (That some women do not have ready access to these services is another symptom of our broken health care system.) Funding Planned Parenthood is not the way to provide these services.

It is not about the money. Planned Parenthood does not need Komen's money to provide abortions. They make money off the extermination of the unborn. The issue is one of affiliation and recommendation. Planned Parenthood is the single largest abortion provider in the country. Their goal is to provide abortion on demand to women and to children wherever they may be. The organization deserves unrelenting condemnation.

The Komen Foundation has done tremendous work, and continues to do so. The prevalence of pink is testimony to this. As a result, Komen is trusted by many, and rightfully so. So when Komen affiliates donate to Planned Parenthood, they endorse Planned Parenthood as a trustworthy provider of health care for women and children. And that is the problem. As long as Komen continues to recommend this evil organization as a trustworthy provider of health care for women, then trust for Komen must be tempered with prudence and restraint.

*Fr Keith*