



# St. Patrick Catholic Church

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### Mass Schedule

Monday through Friday.....8:00 a.m.  
Saturday (Vigil).....6:00 p.m.  
Sunday.....8:30 a.m.

### Devotion

**Adoration** (Temporarily on hold)  
Wednesday .....8:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.  
**Novena to O.L.P.H.**  
Wednesday..... 8:00 a.m.  
**Novena to Sacred Heart of Jesus**  
First Friday.....8:00 a.m.

### CHURCH DIRECTORY

#### PASTOR

Rev. Boniface-Blanchard M. Twaibu

#### Deacons

Rev. Mr. Emith Fludd  
Rev. Mr. Tony Murray

**Parish Secretary:** Anna Doward

**Parish Accountant:** Penrose Gardiner

**Religious Ed. Director:** Nereida Washington

**SPYM Director:** Nereida Washington

**Music Director:** Alvin Milligan

#### Sacristans

Barbara Lancaster  
Nancy A. Soto  
Patricia Santiago

#### ICM Sisters

Sr. Claina Letang  
Sr. Florine Bailey  
Sr. Mary Dasari

#### Temporary Office Hours:

Tues - Thurs & Fri: 9 - 12noon & 12:30 - 4 pm

### SCHOOL DIRECTORY

#### SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Rev. Boniface-Blanchard M. Twaibu

#### Assistant Principal

Ms. Lydia Davis

#### Office Manager

Sr. Mary Dasari, ICM  
Ms. Deslin Simmons, Volunteer

#### School Concession Manager

Ms. Hermitta Florent

#### After School Program

Sr. Claina Letang, ICM

**School Accountant:** Ms. Penrose Gardiner

**Librarian:** Ms. Linda Garvin

**Cafeteria Manager:** Ms. Denise Joseph

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### MASS INTENTIONS

**SATURDAY, October 24**

**6:00PM.** - Dale James. God's Blessings & Perseverance/  
Sr. Claina Letang, ICM

**SUNDAY, October 25**

**8:30AM.** + Peter Samuel, Death Anniversary /Family

**MONDAY, October 26**

**8:00A.M.** - Teyonn K. St. Rose, Birthday Blessings & Good  
Health/Family

**TUESDAY, October 27**

**8:00A.M.** + Andre J. Duval, Repose of Soul/Duval family

**WEDNESDAY, October 28**

**8:00A.M.** - Simone Roserie, Birthday Blessings/Family

**THURSDAY, October 29**

**8:00A.M.** - Ludwig Armstrong, Birthday Blessings/Anna Doward

**FRIDAY, October 30**

**8:00A.M.** - Simone Gaston. Birthday Blessings/Family

**SATURDAY, October 31**

**6:00 P.M.** + Francois Marcellin, Death Anniversary/Marie  
Marcellin & family

### SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE WEEK

**SUNDAY:** Eph 22:20-26  
1Thes 1: 5-10  
Mt 22:34-40

**MONDAY:** Eph 4:32-5:8  
Lk 13:10-17

**TUESDAY:** Eph 5:21-33  
Lk 13:18-21

**WEDNESDAY:** Eph 2:19-22  
*Saints Simon & Jude, Apostles*  
Lk 6:12-16

**THURSDAY:** Eph 6:10-20  
Lk 13:31-35

**FRIDAY:** Phil 1:1-11  
Lk 14:1-6

**SATURDAY:** Phil 1:18-26  
Lk 14:1, 7-11

### ***PRAY FOR THE SICK & SHUT-INS***

*Please pray that they may find comfort and healing in Christ.*

Steve Alexander, Olivia Anger, Nicholas Andrew, Marilyn Bailey, Eric Belcher, George Bondieumaitre, Debra Bruce, Virginia Burke, Fred Calvillo, William Carino, Ninon Gussman Carr, Norma Carillo, Paulette Christopher, Victorino Cruz, Daphne Davis, Matthew Donelley, Anna D'Souza, Norma Dyer, Harold Fisher, Sr., Leona Garvey, Kimberly Fludd,, Elsie Galloway, Johnetta Goodloe, Sarah Gordon, Dr. Amy Hardin, Anselmo Heyliger, Enis Hilaire, Urla Isaac, Lidia Jiminez, , Eleanor Johnson, Alma John, Ann Joseph, Electra Joseph, Rose Joseph, Edwin Josiah, Jeannie Krigger, T'Agho Lopez, Chamarla Louis, Felina Artigo, Gwendolyn Lucas, Kathleen Smith-Maccow, Marla Matthew, Carlos Matus, Luz Melendez, Beverly Nesbitt, Bevon Nicholas, Marilyn Nicks, Ann Parris, Fr. Simon Peter, Geralda Pickering, Michelle Gibbs Riviere, Carmen Russell, Henrietta Sandy, Jose Manuel Santana, Gwen Skeoch, Aurea Stamatakis, Martha Lena St. Juste, Eric Thomas, Juan Valentin, Cletina Tuitt, Vincent Urgent, Inez Walker, Deacon Oliver Washington, Ann Weikel, Inez Williams, Simeon Williams, Curtis Williams, Joseph Wilson, Ingerborg Mc Intosh, William Lang, Anita Pulpul & Kemit Lewis, Noel Lercana & Bertille Samuel, Lewis Eugene, & Vilma C. Johnson, Fanny Andrews Clarke. Keshia Tatum.

*(Please call the Church Office to add or remove names to/from this list Church)*

### **MASS ATTENDANCE – OCTOBER 17/18, 2020**

Saturday at 6:00pm Holy Mass 28/Sunday at 8:30am Holy Mass 51 Total 79

### **Preserve the Past Campaign in Progress**

Our Church restoration project is in progress and your contribution is still welcome. Please call the church office or contact a minister of hospitality for the contribution envelope.

### **SECOND COLLECTION FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 2020**

School Support.....	October 03-04
Maintenance Fund. ....	October 10-11
Dept Reduction .....	October 17-18
World Mission Sunday.....	October 24-25

# Announcements

## All Saints and All Souls Day

All Saints Day falls on a Sunday this year, following All Saint Day is All Souls Day, a day of prayer for the church suffering, the souls of our departed loved ones. The Rite of the blessings of the Memorial Tree of Lights will be held on Monday November 2<sup>nd</sup> at 8:00am Holy Mass, followed by a procession to the church graveyard for the rite of blessing of the graves. Parishioners are urged to attend.

## Annual Memorial Tree of Lights In Progress

As All Soul Day approaches, Saint Patrick Church is offering the opportunity once more to participate in our Annual Memorial Tree of Lights in prayerful remembrance of our loved ones. Envelopes are still available, the deadline to submit the envelope is next Thursday October 29. Thank you! Please request your Memorial Tree of Light from a minister of hospitality today.

## As we pray for God's protection and an end to the Covid 19. Let us continue to ponder and meditate upon this Kind and Prayerful Reminder From Cardinal Robert Sarah

...As soon as circumstances permit however, it is necessary and urgent to return to the normality of Christian life, which has the church building as its home and the celebration of the liturgy, especially the Eucharist.

- We cannot be without the banquet of the Eucharist,
- We cannot be without the Christian community, the family of the Lord.
- We cannot be without the house of the Lord, which is our home.
- We cannot be without the Lord's Day, without Sunday which gives light and meaning to the successions of days of work and to family and social responsibilities...

## Next Weekend Readers – October 31 & November 1

6:00 PM Holy Mass – Ann Doue

8:30 AM Holy Mass – Eloise Benjamin

**Bulletin announcements must be submitted to the Church Office by Wednesday at noon**

# Parish Information

## Sacrament of Baptism

Fourth Sunday of each month. Please register your children at the Church Office. Present a copy of the child(ren) birth certificate(s). Classes for parents & godparents are on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday from 6:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. each month.

## Sacrament of Marriage

Please make arrangements with parish priest 6 months before your wedding.

## Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD) Classes

Classes are held every Sunday during the school year and begin with attendance and instruction in the classroom at 8:30 a.m. followed by Mass at 10:00 a.m.

## Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) Classes

RCIA is the journey of faith by which interested persons become members of the Roman Catholic Church. The program instructs adults to enter into full communion with the Catholic Church through Baptism and/or Confirmation and Holy Communion. To register, please call the church office at (340) 772-0138.

## Sacrament of Penance

Confession is the sacrament that allows us to admit our faults and develop humility, but the most profound part is we get to experience Christ's gift of mercy.

Weekdays..... 15 min. before Holy Mass

Weekends..... 30 min. before Holy Mass

## Funerals

All funeral services begin at 10:30 a.m. Viewings at 9:30 am. No funerals are held on weekends. Arrangements must be made with the Church before funeral arrangements with the funeral home.

## Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Please call the rectory at (340) 772-0138 whenever a family member or friend is seriously ill or hospitalized.

## Parish Registration

Parishioners who are 18 years and older are invited to register at the Church Office as well as become active and contributing members. We would like to maintain an up-to-date listing of all St. Patrick parishioners. Registration also helps in providing quick services for the request and proof of miscellaneous church letters for individuals, Baptism, Confirmation, etc.

# From the desk of Fr. Boniface

My Dear Parishioners,

The central message of today's gospel is about the two great commandments of love given by God to His people and is summarized by Jesus. "Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest? "Actually, there are 613 commandments and of which 365 prohibitions and 248 other prescriptions. That is why the lawyer asked Jesus which of these 613 commandments is the greatest. Jesus summarizes these into two: Love your God which can be found in the book of Deuteronomy 6:5 and love your neighbor which can be found in the book of Leviticus 19:18 and 19:34. These two shall never be separated from each because it has the same quality, meaning and implication. For this reason, the phrase, "and the second is like it," suggests that all good works have value both as acts of love of God as acts of love of neighbor. It means as well that they are not separated from each other. We can no longer speak of the one over the other. additionally, there is a close connection between what we do to our neighbor whom we see and what we do to God whom we cannot see. In what way can we love our God whom we do not see? It is through our neighbors. Thus, when a Christian serves the poor in the name of Christ, it is actually Christ our God, in and through us, who continues to touch and console the poor. But who are my neighbors? Is it the house near to my house too? May be, but those people who are in need of our material, emotional and spiritual helps. They are in need of our concern, care, love and compassion and this is a concrete manifestation of our love for God. The Good Samaritan's account in Luke 10 and the Ministry of Mother Theresa of Calcutta teach us a lot about of God through our neighbor. Blessed Sunday!

## SAINT PATRICK'S MINISTRIES & REPRESENTATIVES

- Altar Servers: Deslin Simmons & Patricia Santiago
- Readers: Jeanne Garcia
- Saint Patrick Choir/Song leading: Alvin Milligan
- EMHC: Jeanne Garcia & Sally Cunnigham
- SPYM: Nereida Washington
- Charismatic Prayer Group: Anna Doward
- Legion of Mary: Jeanne Garcia
- Sacred Heart Society: Julia Pankey
- Men's Fellowship: (TBD)
- Church Cleaning Ministry: Mae Louise & Marian Francois
- Home Visitation Ministry: Eloise Benjamin
- Decoration Ministry: Magdalen Joseph & Winifred Hardy
- Ministry of Hospitality(Greeters/Ushers) Dorothea Cools
- Social & Event Planning Nicole Vidal

### Prayer of Saint Francis

Lord make me an instrument of your peace,  
Where there is hatred let me sow love.  
Where there is injury, pardon.  
Where there is doubt, faith.  
Where there is despair, hope.  
Where there is darkness, light.  
And where there is sadness, joy.

O divine master grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console;  
to be understood as to understand;  
To be loved as to love  
For it is in giving that we receive-  
and it's in pardoning that we are pardoned.  
And it's in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.

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