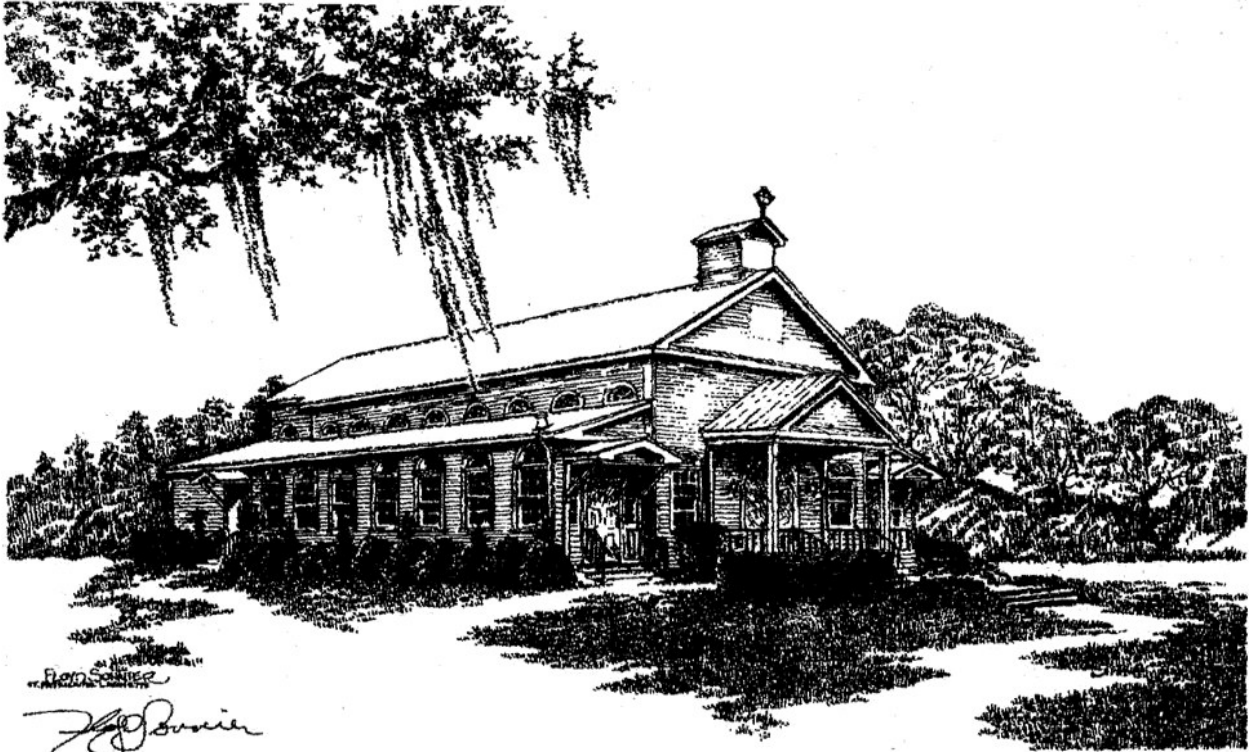


St. Patrick Catholic Church

June 8, 2025 – Pentecost Sunday



L'Église St. Patrick

Office Hours

Mon-Thurs:
9 a.m.-12 noon and 1-3 p.m.
Fri: closed

Holy Mass

Saturday: 4 p.m.
Sunday: 8:30 & 10 a.m.
Monday-Friday: 7:30 a.m.

Confessions

Saturday: 3:20-3:50 p.m.
Weekdays: 7-7:25 a.m.

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, June 7

4 p.m.: Dr & Mrs Leonard Rolfes; Dayna Foreman; Lois & Ruby Delahoussaye; Mickey Jung; Mike Guilbeau

Sunday, June 8

8:30 a.m.: John P Zagar; Dayna Foreman

10 a.m.: For parishioners

Monday, June 9

7:30 a.m.:

Tuesday, June 10

7:30 a.m.: Dacen Borkowski

Wednesday, June 11

7:30 a.m.: Cally Lege *living*

Thursday, June 12

7:30 a.m.: Kreamer family

Friday, June 13

7:30 a.m.: Darlene Gesser

Couples retreat

Al and Susan Cain will be leading a couples retreat, September 5-7 at St Charles College in Grand Coteau. gcretreats.org for more information.

WCI marriage retreat

A three-day retreat for spouses, July 18-20, at St Charles College in Grand Coteau sponsored by the Wojtyła Community and Institute. See wojtylaci.com to register.

Favre School of Spiritual Direction

A three-year program to become a spiritual director will be held at Grand Coteau Retreats. This is a two-week intensive program once a year for three years. Session 1 of 3 will be held Sunday, July 6 through Friday, July 18. For more information go to <https://tinyurl.com/mr48vsc5>.

Retrouvaille weekend

Hope and renewal for struggling marriages. Contact Bill & Missie at 985-232-5963 or visit helpourmarriage.org.

Strive (for Catholic Men)

A resource and community for men who wish to break away from pornography use. Visit strive21.com.

Bloom for Catholic Women

Bloom provides healing for women affected by their husband's pornography use/addiction. Therapeutic and spiritual online courses to heal the betrayal trauma. For more information visit online at bloomforcatholicwomen.com.

Al-Anon Meetings

Al-Anon meetings are held weekly on Tuesday at 10 a.m. and Thursday at 10:30 a.m., at St. Patrick's parish hall. Open to anyone wishing to attend.

Alcoholics Anonymous meets at St. Patrick's parish hall at 6:45 a.m., Monday through Friday (open), and at 8 a.m. on Saturday (closed).

Comunità Cenacolo

A Catholic community for recovery. Visit hopereborn.org.

Holy Family Catholic School

Holy Family Catholic School is now accepting applications for 3 and 4 year olds. They also have openings for 2nd and 3rd grade teachers. A valid Louisiana teaching certificate is preferred; however, candidates with a bachelor's degree who are currently enrolled in a teacher preparation program will be considered. Interested applicants can submit an application and resume to Loretta Williams-Durand at lwilliams@holyfamilycs.com. For more information call (337) 235-0267.

***Give thanks to the LORD, invoke his name;
make known among the peoples his deeds!
~Psalm 105:1***

Let us pray for:

Brent and Patty Prather, who celebrate their 51st wedding anniversary on June 8.

Monica Mullins, who was admitted to the hospital, but is now recovering.

Traci Bruno, Joyce Stelly, Harold Schoeffler, Kathy, Arceneaux, Merrick Stelly, Gail Roetker, and Brenda Simon for their health concerns.

Please let us know of your prayer intentions, birthdays, anniversaries, and other prayer-worthy occasions. Email us at office@stpat.org.

Online giving at St Patrick's

If you would like to contribute to St Patrick's online, please visit our website (stpat.org) and click Give Online at the top, where you will be directed to Give 52. Fill out the information and select St Patrick Church from the drop-down menu. Thank you for your support of our parish and its mission.

Collect for Pentecost

O God, who by the mystery of today's great feast sanctify your whole Church in every people and nation, pour out, we pray, the gifts of the Holy Spirit across the face of the earth and, with the divine grace that was at work when the Gospel was first proclaimed, fill now once more the hearts of believers.

From the Catechism of the Catholic Church, n. 683

"No one can say 'Jesus is Lord' except by the Holy Spirit." "God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, 'Abba! Father!'" This knowledge of faith is possible only in the Holy Spirit: to be in touch with Christ, we must first have been touched by the Holy Spirit. He comes to meet us and kindles faith in us. By virtue of our Baptism, the first sacrament of the faith, the Holy Spirit in the Church communicates to us, intimately and personally, the life that originates in the Father and is offered to us in the Son.

Baptism gives us the grace of new birth in God the Father, through his Son, in the Holy Spirit. For those who bear God's Spirit are led to the Word, that is, to the Son, and the Son presents them to the Father, and the Father confers incorruptibility on them. and it is impossible to see God's Son without the Spirit, and no one can approach the Father without the Son, for the knowledge of the Father is the Son, and the knowledge of God's Son is obtained through the Holy Spirit.

Thank you for last week's stewardship

Offerings.....	\$5,677
Building Fund.....	\$3,581

From the Pastor's Desk

As many of you noticed, I was away last weekend. I took one week's vacation to spend some time with my family on a family vacation. We made our way out west, to visit Reno-Lake Tahoe, where we enjoyed the natural beauty of that area, hiked some trails, and dipped in the clear and cold waters of Lake Tahoe. All our travels went well, and I had a wonderful time together with my sister, brother-in-law, and my niece and two nephews.

In other Guillory family news, my brother, whose marriage I presided over at St Patrick's in October 2023, will soon be a father for the first time. His wife should deliver their first child in mid-July. I'm looking forward to meeting my new niece or nephew in about six weeks!

I want to thank you for your enthusiastic and supportive reaction to the news that Bishop Deshotel has appointed me to another six-year term as pastor of St Patrick's. I'm so glad to be your pastor, so blessed to have been sent among you as your shepherd.

In these past six years since I've arrived, we've seen our parish continue to thrive as it changes and grows. St Patrick's continues to welcome new parishioners and visitors, who always remark to me on how much they appreciate our lovely little parish. St Patrick's is lovely because our church building is small and intimate, but most of all because our parishioners are so warm and welcoming: a blessing to all!

Pentecost hymn to the Holy Spirit

Holy Spirit, God of Light,
fill us with your radiance bright;
gentle Father of the poor,
make us, by your help, secure;
come, your boundless grace impart,
bring your love to ev'ry heart.

Lord of consolation, come;
warm us when our hearts are numb;
great consoler come and heal,
to our souls your strength reveal;
cool, refreshing comfort pour,
and our peace of mind restore.

Light immortal, fire divine,
with your love our hearts refine;
come our inmost being fill,
make us all to do your will;
Goodness you alone can give,
grant that in your grace we live.

Come our lukewarm hearts inspire,
mould our wills to your desire;
in our weakness make us strong,
and amend our every wrong;
guide us when we go astray
wash our stain of guilt away.

Give to ev'ry faithful soul
gifts of grace to make us whole;
help us when we come to die,
so that we may live on high;
ever let your love descend,
give us joys that never end.



In Guillory