



St. Patrick's Parish

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APRIL 5 - 11

MASS TIMES

SATURDAY • 5PM

SUNDAY • 9AM
• 11AM
• 1PM
• 4PM

WEEKDAY
MASSES
TUES-SAT 9:00AM

Rosary
Tue - Sat • 8:20am
Sun- 8:15am

Reconciliation
Friday
12:00pm - 1:00pm
Saturday 3:30pm - 4:50pm
or by appointment

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Office Hours

Monday
Closed
Tuesday-Thursday
9:30 am - 3:00pm
Fridays
9:30 am- 12:00pm




JESUS OUR GREATEST HOPE!
Presenter: Suzanne Kitt

Bring the whole family for a meaningful evening centered on hope, faith, and the love of Jesus. Through inspiring stories and reflections, discover how Jesus is present in our daily lives, guiding us, strengthening us, and helping us carry life's challenges together.

Together we will explore:

- How children and students understand hope today
- How faith can strengthen your family's daily life
- Encouragement for carrying life's struggles with confidence and peace

New Addition:
Including a peaceful **Half Hour of Adoration with Divine Mercy Chaplet and Benediction**, offering a sacred time for prayer, reflection, and encountering Christ together as a Family.

**Friday, April 10th
7pm-8:30pm**



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Upcoming Events at St Patrick's Parish

Office will be closed from **Wednesday, April 1st at 12pm until April 7th**

Suzanne Kitt presenting at St. Patrick's Parish **April 10th 7-8pm**

the Infant Jesus of Prague Devotion **April 17th @7pm**

EPHPHATHA - Be Opened



The Church calls the Easter Vigil the greatest and most noble of all solemnities. It is the night when we do not simply remember what God has done but engage our senses and our souls through the Word proclaimed and the rich, sacred symbols of the liturgy. The Vigil invites us to walk through the entire story of salvation and reminds us that God's saving work is not abstract or distant, but lived, encountered, and proclaimed in fire, light, water, and sacrament.

The Vigil begins in darkness, reflecting the emptiness of the world without Christ. It recalls the chaos before creation, the fear of enslaved Israelites, the sorrow of exile, and the grief of the tomb. It also echoes our own experiences: moments of uncertainty, struggle, sin, and loss. Into this darkness, God acts. The new Paschal Candle is lit, proclaiming that Christ enters our night and declares once again, "Let there be light." As the flame is passed from candle to candle, the church fills with light, reminding us that God's love is never exhausted but grows stronger as it is shared.

From this light, the Church leads us through salvation history—from creation, through covenant, exodus, and prophecy—revealing again and again a God who creates, frees, heals, and restores. This story, marked not by human perfection but by divine mercy, reaches its fulfillment in Jesus Christ, risen from the dead.

In Baptism, we pass from death to life. In Confirmation, we are strengthened by the Holy Spirit. And in the Eucharist, the risen Christ gives Himself completely, remaining with us as nourishment for the journey.

PONDER IN GOD'S PRESENCE:

"The greatest love story of all time is contained in a tiny white host."

TOGETHER
in ACTION
2026

PARISH GOAL **\$74,296**

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together in action.

GOAL!

The 2026 Together in Action (TIA) will raise:

\$2 MILLION

7.55%	Diocesan Ministries
3.05%	Calgary Catholic Immigration Society
1.8%	Mission Council
8.7%	Elizabeth House
26%	Indigenous Reconciliation Fund
22.9%	Care of Retired Priests
21%	Hospital Chaplaincy & Pastoral Care
9%	Catholic Conference of Catholic Bishops

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But someone will say, "You have faith and I have works." Show me your faith without works, and I BY MY WORKS WILL SHOW YOU MY FAITH.

JAMES 2:18

HOW TO GIVE?

stpatrickcalgary.com/online-donation/
Select Collection Option Together in Action

GIVE ONLINE

»»» CATHOLICYC.CA/TIA

The Jubilee Year of Saint Francis

Jan 10, 2026 to Jan 10, 2027

St. Patrick's
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C.W.L. Corner

Huge thanks to Sr. Dianne Turner for her presentation on St. Francis of Assisi and Franciscan spirituality this past week.

Next up: On Tuesday, April 14, we will welcome Gustavo Avila, Community Safety Officer, who will speak on the very important topic of **fall and fire prevention.**

Time: 10:00 a.m.

ALL PARISHIONERS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND.

IT'S A BIG WORLD. LET'S PROTECT IT TOGETHER™



Divine Mercy

Sunday *April 12, 2026*

All are invited to join Bishop McGrattan for a beautiful grace-filled Feast of the Divine Mercy Celebration beginning at 1:30pm with Eucharistic Adoration and opportunity for the Sacrament of Penance.

SCHEDULE:

1:30pm Eucharistic Adoration/Confession
Divine Mercy Reflection (Sr. Katrina)
Chaplet of Divine Mercy

3:00pm HOLY MASS - Bishop McGrattan followed by Lunch in the Hall 

(Music will be led by the Sisters of Divine Mercy)

"Mankind will not have peace until it turns with trust to My mercy." (Diary, 300)

Jesus, I Trust in You

Our Lady of the Assumption
7624 - 39th Ave NW
Calgary, AB, T3B 1X3
For more info, please contact Sr. Katrina (587)755-1019

Jesus I trust in You.




Sisters of Divine Mercy
sistersofdivinemercury.org

St Patrick's Music Ministry: Seeking Choir Director!



We are seeking a **qualified choir leader** to build and lead a new **adult Sunday 1pm choir**.

choir and this role are critical to lead the congregation in song. Key responsibilities include selecting music appropriate for the mass, leading rehearsals and directing during mass.

A complete volunteer position description is **available at the parish office**.



ONLINE VIA ZOOM

Natural Family Planning

NEW *dates*

THURSDAY,
◆ **APRIL 16, 2026 OR**
◆ **MAY 28, 2026**
From 7 pm to 9 pm
Zoom (link will be shared)

The Diocese of Calgary invites you to a workshop that explores Natural Family Planning (NFP) as a method that provide couples with the means of achieving or avoiding pregnancy based on natural signs of fertility.

It is a practical and ethical aid in married life, which intersects the deepest levels of spousal relationship.

■ **Speaker**
Rikka Borras, RN (Certified Marquette Method Natural Family Planning Nurse)



Register online or call 403-218-5521



YOU ARE CALLED YOU BELONG



VOCATIONS 2026 RALLY

Speak, Lord

YOUR SERVANT IS LISTENING

MAY 31 TRINITY SUNDAY | **10 AM TO 4:30 PM (11 AM MASS)**
ST. MICHAEL CATHOLIC COMMUNITY, CALGARY

Speakers
KEYNOTES
Fr. Brian Duggan
Michelle Diment
Bishop William T. McGrattan
Our MCs: Fr. Santiago Torres and Francesca Ambrosino

PANELISTS
Sr. Katrina Le, SDM
Br. Aldin Canobas, OFM
Fr. Nathan Siray
Sergio & Mary Plazas

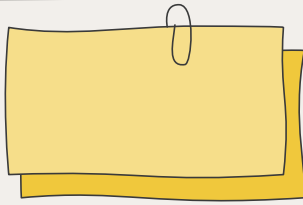


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FREE ADMISSION, MASS, TALKS, PANEL DISCUSSION, COMPLIMENTARY LUNCH, INTERACTIVE BOOTHS, Q&A



Bulletin Submissions

is there an event you want **featured** in the weekly bulletin?
Please email the details to

Bulletin@stpatrickcalgary.com

Deadline to send information for an upcoming bulletin is
Wednesday of that week

Senior's Group



St. Patrick's Senior's group is inviting new members to join them for playing card games (Bridge, Cribbage, Canasta) and fellowship.

Gatherings are on
Wednesdays at 1:00PM
in the Parish Hall.
No registration required.

Adoration at St. Patrick's



"One who I call to a life of reparation must not fall into lukewarmness and the lack of generosity. These things are the very opposite of what a call to reparation signifies. I have called you and set you apart to live day after day in My presence and to adore my Eucharistic Face."

**Fridays from
9:30am until 12pm**

SSVP



SSVP is collecting donations for the poor every **THIRD WEEKEND** of the month. Please support the less fortunate ones in our community

New to St. Patrick's? Welcome !

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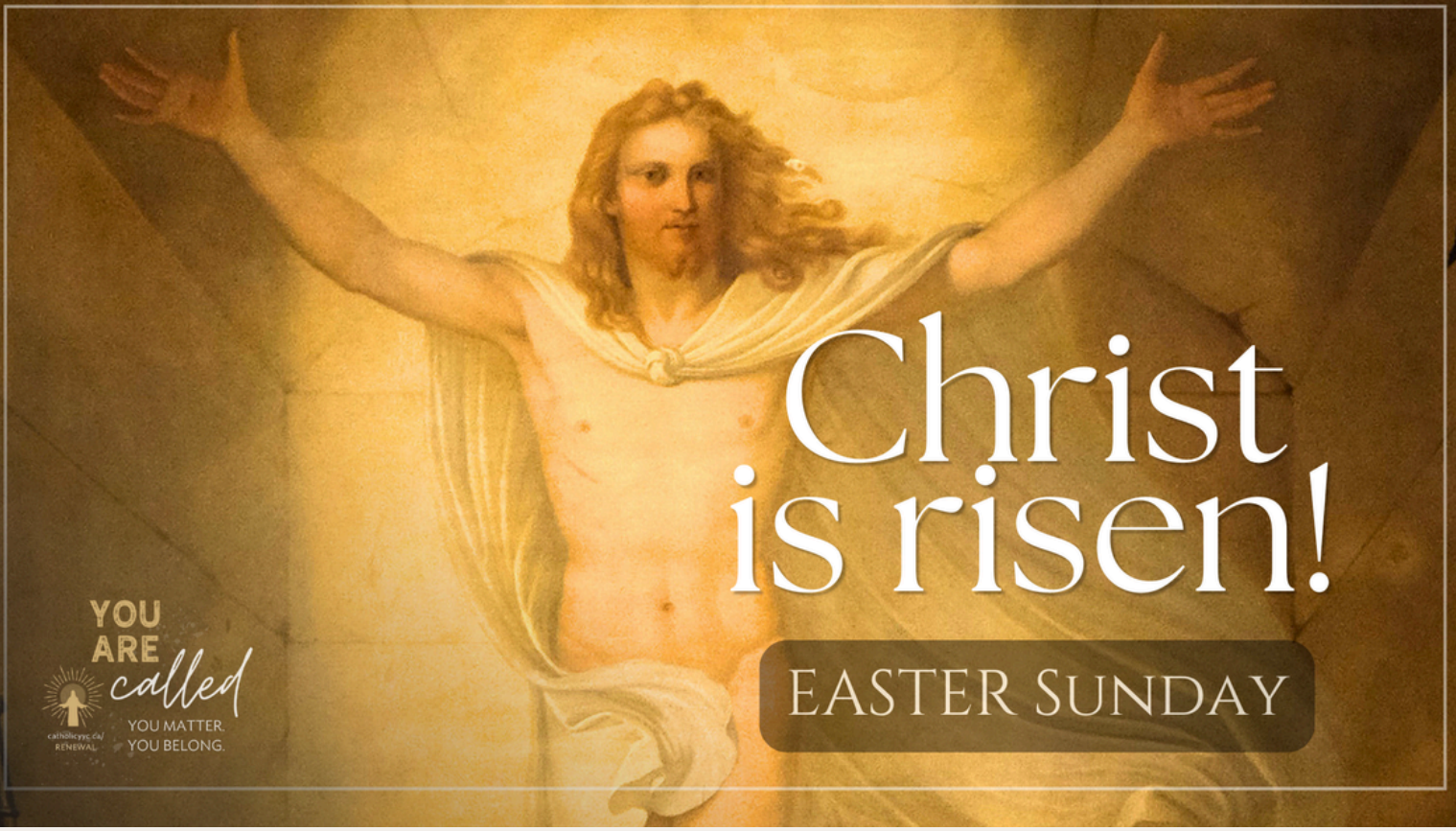
We are pleased to have you join us.

To register for our Parish community, please visit our website **HERE.**

Kid's Corner

The stories of transformation of the past three Sundays – the woman at the well, the healing of the blind man, and the raising of Lazarus – now culminate in the final act of transformation in the Son of God. Everything is upside-down: the One without sin feels total abandonment and suffers an innocent death. The God who surprised us in Bethlehem again surprises us at the cross. Everything seems an utter failure, yet everything has been transformed forever.

Kids Bulletin This Sunday
Kid's Coloring Page this Sunday
Sunday Connections



Christ is risen!

EASTER SUNDAY

**YOU
ARE
called**
catholicpc.ca
RENEWAL
YOU MATTER.
YOU BELONG.

Mass Intentions

(RS) Repose of the soul,

(SI) Special Intention

Tuesday 7	9:00am	CWL Members (SI)
Wednesday 8	9:00am	Antonia Becerra (RS)
Thursday 9	9:00am	Isabelo Esperida (RS)
Friday 10	9:00am	Lelanie Palisada (RS)
Saturday 11	9:00am	Bishop Henry (RS)
Saturday 11	5:00pm	Fernando & Teresita Nidoy (RS)
Sunday 12	9:00am	Cenona Pono (RS)
Sunday 12	11:00am	Rose & Joseph Mendez (RS)
Sunday 12	1:00pm	Alfred Ndolo & Family (SI)
Sunday 12	4:00pm	Parishioners (SI)