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41 Oliver Street
Chatham, NJ 07928

November 15, 2026

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 AM
Daily Masses
Monday-Friday: 8:15 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday 4:00-4:30 PM

Office Hours
Monday - Thursday
9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Friday
9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
(enter on Washington Avenue)

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November 15, 2026 - 33rd Week of Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions

Saturday	November 14	
5:00 PM	People of the Parish, Jacqueline Otero	
Sunday	November 15	
8:00 AM	Rodolfo Martinez, Barbara & Jerry Medina	
9:30 AM	Peggy Conroy, Susan Fidler Kiraly	
11:00 AM	Hugh McFarland, Karen Brodbeck	
Monday	November 16	
8:15 AM	Cordelia Collatrella	
Tuesday	November 17	
8:15 AM	Patrick Breheny	
Wednesday	November 18	
8:15 AM	Mary Ann Visocchi	
Thursday	November 19	
8:15 AM	Kathy Householder	
Friday	November 20	
8:15 AM	Intentions of Brian McAuliffe	
Saturday	November 21	
5:00 PM	Deceased Members of Lobo Family, Carol Zoni	
	Robert William Carter	
Sunday	November 22	
8:00 AM	Thomas Michael Moran, Carol Zoni,	
	Robert William Carter	
9:30 AM	Jose Amado Rojas, Carol Zoni, Margaret Conroy	
11:00 AM	Paulette and Salvatore Greco, Carol Zoni,	
	Edwin and Nancy Peterson	

Please Pray

We pray for all who are ill and for all our deceased.



Sunday Offering - November 8, 2026



Our parish relies on your donations to support the day-to-day running of the parish, sustain our ministry, support faith formation, maintain parish property, and enable charitable outreach. Your generosity is most appreciated!

Cash/Checks: $5,539 Online Giving: $3,662

Total: $9,201

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



First Reading: Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31
This passage from Proverbs extols virtues which a worthy wife possesses – fidelity, industriousness, skill, charity to the poor, and fear of the Lord.

Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 5:1-6
Once again, Paul reassures the Thessalonians, who are anxious about the coming of Christ, that they need not fear being unprepared because they are "children of light."

Gospel: Matthew 25:14-30
Jesus narrates the parable of the talents – in the story, the silver pieces given to the three men. Two of the men invest their coins and double their worth, but the third buries his coins in the ground and earns no return. The message of Jesus is that we must use to the fullest the talents we have received

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Advent 2026
Sponsorship & Prayer Intentions

Consider sponsoring an Advent candle for a living or deceased loved one - even yourself. All names will be listed in the bulletin and remembered by the priests at the Masses for that particular weekend.

Sponsorship cost:
$25 per INDIVIDUAL name, $50 per FAMILY name.
Sponsorships must be submitted by the previous weekend to ensure printing in the parish bulletin.

Visit our website to fill out the form below and donate online. Alternatively, place the following information and required contribution in a clearly marked envelope in the collection basket. Please print clearly.

Name of person(s) or family to be prayed for:

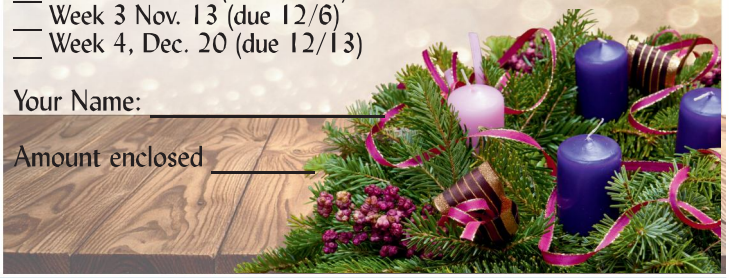
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__ Week 1 Nov. 29 (due 11/22)
__ Week 2, Dec. 6 (due 11/29)
__ Week 3 Nov. 13 (due 12/6)
__ Week 4, Dec. 20 (due 12/13)

Your Name: _____

Amount enclosed _____



Music for Masses

Mass of Renewal #93, 94, 96, 98, 100, 101



Gathering: Come, Ye Thankful People,Come #702
Psalm: Ps. 128--Blest are those who love you, happy those who follow you, blest are those who seek you, O God.
Gifts: I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light #682
Communion: We Are Many Parts #550
Meditation 5pm, 11am: How Great Is the Miracle--S. DeFord
Meditation 9:30am: Goodness of God--J. Johnson/J. Ingram
Recessional: Here I Am, Lord #539

Thanksgiving Food Drive

Help make a Thanksgiving meal possible for our neighbors



November 1–22, 2026

Drop off self-stable food donations in the open bay of the garage.

Suggested items: canned vegetables and fruit, boxed mashed potatoes, gravy, beans, rice, and stuffing mix.

Frozen turkey or ham donations:

Please take them to the back parking lot of Chatham United Methodist Church, 460 Main Street, Chatham, NJ, on Wednesday, November 18, 2026, between 1-3 PM. They will be given directly to guests of the Chatham Community Food Distribution.

Due to a lack of cold storage, we cannot collect turkeys at St. Patrick. Instead, please consider donating a grocery store gift card to help cover the cost of a main course.

EVERY DONATION MAKES A DIFFERENCE.

Deck The Halls of St. Patrick School

Help us spread holiday cheer by sending a Christmas card to SPS!



Whether you're a current, graduated, or future member of our community, we'd love to display your family's card on our halls and walls this season.



Please send your card to:

Saint Patrick School
45 Chatham Street
Chatham, NJ 07928.

Share your festive spirit with us!

A number of children, families and vets remain unsponsored. Please consider bringing the spirit of Christmas to them!

St. Patrick 2026

Christmas in a box

Sponsor a family, a child, or veteran this Christmas.

Choose a sponsorship level, receive a personalized wish list, and fill a box with new, wrapped, labeled gifts.



Scan the QR code to sign up!
or visit: st-pats.org/christmas-in-a-box

Return boxes:
December 6, 8-11:00 AM, Fr. Ed Center

If you have questions or are unable to complete the online form, please email ChristmasInaBoxTeam@gmail.com

You're invited to a

"HOLIDAY LIGHTS" PIZZA PARTY

Thursday, December 17th 6:30PM
East/West Rooms Fr. Ed Parish Center

Calling all St. Patrick School Alumni! Join us to reconnect with old friends, see your favorite teachers, and celebrate the season together. Sing "HOLIDAY LIGHTS" with us and enjoy a special pizza party with your fellow SPS alumni!

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Let it Shine

Sharing the Talents God Has Given Us

Reading this Gospel passage, I can't help but think of the familiar adage: "When you need something done, ask a busy person." Perhaps there is some truth in that! Those who recognize their gifts and put them to use often find ways to accomplish even more.

In the parable, each servant is entrusted with silver coins, referred to as talents. How fitting that we use the same word to describe the gifts God has entrusted to each of us! We all have talents, abilities, and blessings that we are called to recognize, nurture, and share. These gifts are not simply for our own benefit or enjoyment; they are entrusted to us so that we might use them in service to God's will and purpose.

When we share our talents, they grow. They enrich the lives of others, strengthen our communities, and deepen our own faith. On the other hand, when we allow our gifts to lie fallow, they remain unused, and the good they might have accomplished is lost.

Of course, talents come in many forms. Some are readily visible, such as singing, playing an instrument, artistic ability, teaching, or craftsmanship. Others may be quieter but no less valuable: listening with compassion, offering a welcoming presence, organizing an event, visiting someone who is lonely, comforting a friend, or simply being willing to lend a helping hand.

As we enter this season of giving, let us take a moment to recognize the many gifts God has placed in our lives. How might we put them to work? Whose life might be touched by our willingness to share? After all, our greatest gifts are not measured by what we possess, but by what we give.

Join the St. Patrick BOLD Youth Ministry!

Open to all students in grades 6–12, with separate programs for Middle & High School.
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After Masses on
Saturday, December 12
and Sunday, December 13

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Mary's Christmas & Living Nativity

Friday, December 11 at 7 pm

St. Patrick Church
45 Chatham St.
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Purchasing Christmas wreaths and flowers through the HSA is a wonderful way to decorate your home with festive cheer while directly funding staff appreciation and community events.

Options Available:











Option to donate a poinsettia to the church!

Pick up items on November 24th

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ST. PATRICK - CORPUS CHRISTI

A Blessed Voice for the Gospel

Among approximately 50,000 people who attended the beatification Mass for Archbishop Fulton Sheen on September 24 were Knights of Columbus and their families. Supreme Knight Patrick Kelly, Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William Lori and other Supreme Officers were at the Mass that was presided by Cardinal Luis Antonio Tagle, a Knight of Columbus.

Archbishop Sheen was also a Knight. An internationally acclaimed media personality, he spoke with clarity and warmth on contemporary issues, challenging Catholics to be evangelists for Christ.

The Mass included the reading of an apostolic letter from Pope Leo XIV declaring Sheen blessed and establishing his feast day on Dec. 9, the anniversary of his death. The Pope described Sheen as "a tireless preacher of the Gospel … and a diligent shepherd animated by missionary zeal."

Following the Mass, Knights provided an honor guard during veneration of the relics of Blessed Fulton Sheen.

The Knights of Columbus are staunch defenders of the right to life. To learn more about the Knights in Chatham, contact John Kelly 201-213-6967.

Become a Knight, scan the QR code or visit www.kofc.com/joinus.

Liturgy of the Word with Children & Children's Church
November Sessions: 11/15 & 11/22

Liturgy of the Word with Children and Children's Church are two programs for young children offered at the 9:30 Mass on Sunday mornings. After the opening prayer, the priest celebrating the Mass will invite the children to the altar for a dismissal blessing. Catechists accompany the children to classrooms where they will hear the readings in words easy for them to understand.

Children's Church is geared to children age 3 through kindergarten. The children hear a bible story, and color. Liturgy of the Word with Children is for those in grades 1-3. The children listen to the readings of the day from the Children's Lectionary. They sing the responses and reflect on the readings.

All of the children return to church as the gifts are brought to the altar. These programs will begin on Sunday, September 27 and will be offered typically twice a month on a Sunday when Faith Formation classes meet. No sign up is required, families can decide on the spot whether their child will participate.



Help Us Hear the Word of God

$46,000 NEEDED

Support the replacement of our parish sound system

Mary, our Mother intercedes for us when we come to her in prayer and we are blessed to have the rosary as a way to join with her in prayer to our Lord.

Why not join us to pray for your special needs and those of others. Alternatively (or additionally) join us in church at 7:55 A.M. Mondays through Fridays.



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7:30 - 8:30 PM
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9:30 AM - 11:30 AM
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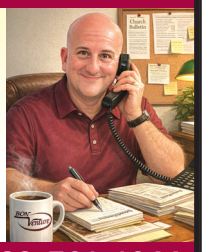
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