

**Religious Education Envelope:** There is a special collection envelope in your packet for next weekend to give you the opportunity to financially support our Religious Education programs. Thank you for your generosity!



**FOOD! FUN! PRIZES! It's back!** Saint Patrick's annual picnic will be held Sunday, September 26 at the double decker pavilion in Glen Maury Park in Buena Vista. Mass will be begin at 11:00 am followed by a potluck supper. The church will provide fried chicken and drinks. Please bring a generous salad, side dish or favorite dessert. The forecast calls for a lot of hungry Catholics that day. This is a great way to meet new parishioners, catch up with old friends and relax. The Knights of Columbus will be selling raffle tickets after Masses. Tickets are \$1.00 each or six for \$5.00. Cash prizes will be \$200 for first place, \$100 second place and \$50 for third place. Need not be present to win.

## *St. Patrick's International Food & Favorite Recipe Sampling Supper*



*St. Patrick Catholic Church is happy to announce its eighth annual International Food & Favorite Recipe Sampling Supper. This event will be held on **Monday, October 11, from 5:00 - 7:00 pm in the undercroft.** Come join us for the fun, fellowship, and fantastic food. Free-will donations will be accepted and all proceeds will go to the Church. There will also be a 50/50 raffle. Anyone who would like to cook a dinner or dessert, or volunteer to assist in the event, i.e., donation table, relief servers, or clean-up crew, please sign up. Sign-up sheets are located in the Narthex. Invite your friends, relatives and neighbors and experience the homemade cuisine this event is famous for.*

**The Knights of Columbus - The Abbate Agency presents: Long-Term Care Planning Seminar - August 31 at 7 PM.** Preparing for a long and healthy future begins with understanding risks that you and your family may face later in life. While we all hope to remain healthy in our later years, the reality is that most of us will need long-term care at some point in our lives. In this seminar, we will discuss some of the challenges that you may face and the solutions that you and your family should consider. We'll go through what long-term care is and how the Knights of Columbus can help you prepare. This seminar is open to all in the community. Register today to save your spot for August 31 at 7 p.m. via zoom: Register at <https://aug31.abbatekofc.com>.

**Engage!** These short weekly videos from Bishop Barron's Word on Fire Institute will continue to be sent directly to your Email addresses from our parish through Flocknote. Take advantage of the link to access the extensive WOF Digital Library for even more exclusive content. Sponsored by our AFF/NE team.

**Parish Registration:** Summer is a transitional time for many parishioners. If you are moving away from the area, please notify the parish office. If you are new, please come in and officially register.

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### COME JOIN US

The Richard F. Cayo Council  
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*"Sing joyfully to the Lord, all you lands..."*

- Are you a parishioner or resident student, age 18 or above?
- Do you attend Sunday Mass regularly?
- Can you carry a tune?
- Do you enjoy singing and/or playing a musical instrument?
- Can you give three to four hours a week in service to the Lord and your church?

*If you answer "Yes" to all of these questions,  
then God may be calling YOU to join...*

## THE SAINT PATRICK ADULT CHOIR MINISTRY

*We're a diverse group of musically inclined men and women  
committed to providing high quality sacred music  
for Sunday and Holy Day Masses and other liturgical events.*

The Choir sings at 10:30 AM Sunday Masses from September through June and at Holy Day Masses. Rehearsal is usually Thursday evening at 7 PM.

Cantors sing at 5 PM Saturday Vigil and 8 AM Sunday Masses and at Holy Day Masses, Nuptial Masses and liturgies, and Masses of Christian Burial.

Instrumentalists play monthly at the 10:30 AM Sunday Mass, at Holy Day Masses, and on special occasions.

*To join or for more information, please contact:*

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*...break into song; sing praise." --Psalm 98:4*