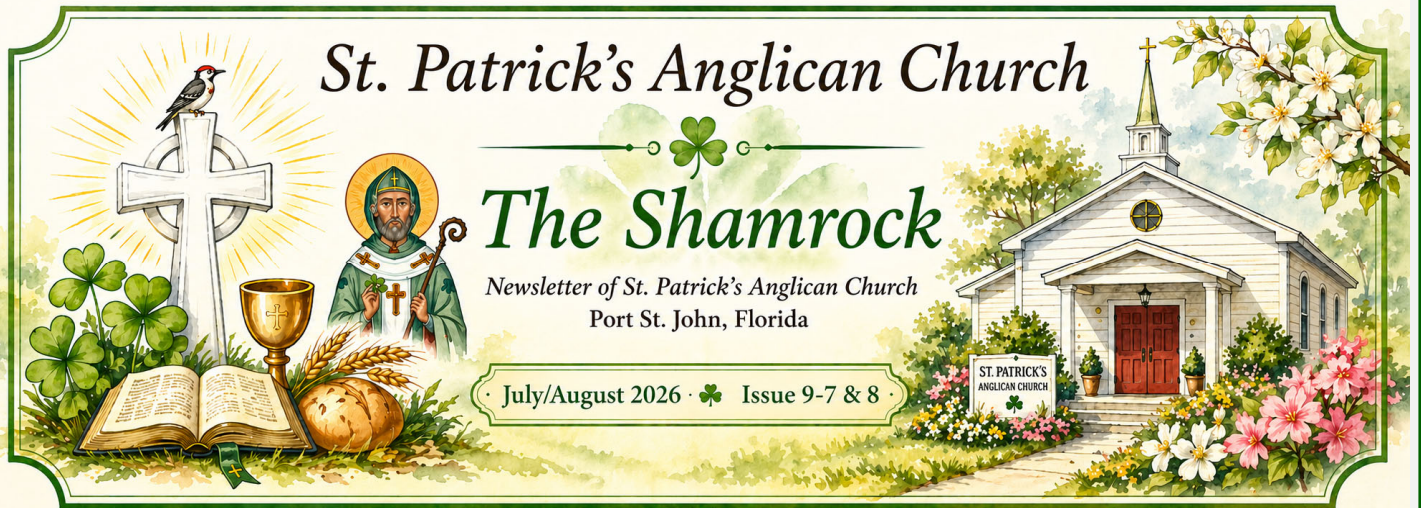




Fr. Mike's Musings

Over the years, especially as a parent, I had come to think of the summer as the time when our business would slow down, and we would have time, take time, to relax and unwind. This year has seemed different. The persistence of our phones to consistently re-engage us with our busyness has been relentless. Perhaps because the summers seem hotter, people have shorter tempers, and conversations heat up more quickly than we would like. Our disagreements over the world and our politics spill over into conversations and judgments about every aspect of life.

I was recently in conversation with the priests of our Diocese when a colleague singled me out to ask if I had been able to take my daily hour of conversation and prayer with God. He didn't mean to ask whether I was praying daily because he knew that I did. But those prayers I was saying were about the needs of the parish and family, dutifully being thankful for blessings, and going about the business of talking with God about our lives. What my friend was asking was whether I was taking time to just hang out with God and to listen to what He wanted me to know about Him and His plan for my life. My reaction, of course, was to be defensive because my friend struck a nerve that rattled me. How could I have let that part of my prayerfulness evaporate, especially since it was the most important and powerful part of my ministry and my life?

I have made a point of regaining that time to hang out with God and just hear and know Him. To be truthful, I have only been able to reclaim 10 or 15 minutes a day, but I am trying to stretch toward that whole hour. If your summer seems busier, less restful, and more stressful, I invite you to join me in trying to re-establish the joy of having God as our best friend, the friend we take the time to be with and love.

God bless you all. Father Michael

Prayer List & Pastoral Needs

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God."
— Philipians 4:6

At St. Patrick's, we are committed to lifting one another in prayer and offering support through all of life's seasons. If you or someone you know is in need of prayer or pastoral care, we encourage you to share those needs with us.

Call the Church Office:
321-802-1311

Submit Online:
stpatrickspsj.org/prayer-concerns

You are never alone — your church family is praying with you.

St. Patrick's Anglican Church UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

Spaghetti DINNER

— to benefit —
Mike & Lee Brady
*who recently lost their
home in a fire.*

♥ Please note: Mike & Lee are
without homeowners insurance.

Saturday, September 12th

— 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM —

\$20.00 per ticket

**Salad • Dinner • Bread
Dessert • Drink**

*Tickets available in the Parish Hall
or Church Office.*

ALL PROCEEDS WILL GO TO THE BRADY'S.



SCHOOL SUPPLIES & BACKPACKS

for Fairglen Elementary School



We are collecting school supplies!
The school supplies list is available
in the narthex and parish hall.



You can bring supplies
to the parish hall.



Supplies will be delivered to
Fairglen Elementary before the
first day of school (**August 10**).



This is one of the community
service projects St. Patrick's has
participated in for the **last 10 years**.



BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS

Sunday, August 9th
AT THE 10:00 AM SERVICE

Students, teachers, and school staff are
invited to bring their backpacks
for a special blessing!

— Thank you for helping us support our students and our community! —
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MONTHLY EVENTS

AT ST. PATRICK'S



First Friday Family Fun Night! 4th of July Celebration of America Service & BBQ

Friday, July 3, 2026 | 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM

Bring a Side Dish!

Friday, August 7, 2026 | 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM

More fun planned – Stay Tuned!



Beginning Bridge

Thursdays
1:00 PM – 3:00 PM
Parish Hall

Curious about bridge or ready to brush up on the basics? Join our friendly beginner group! We'll cover the fundamentals, simple strategies, and enjoy plenty of supervised play.

No partner or experience needed!

Veteran Visits

Sunday, July 26, 2026 | 2:30 PM

Sunday, August 23, 2026 | 2:30 PM

Following church, we will travel to visit local and other veterans at:

ALWYN C. CASH
STATE VETERANS NURSING HOME
5255 Raymond St
Orlando, FL 32814

Come bring encouragement, conversation, and gratitude.



Veterans, Veteran Spouses & First Responder Breakfast

Saturday, July 25, 2026 | 9:00 AM
Saturday, August 29, 2026 | 9:00 AM

Join us for a hot breakfast and warm fellowship as we honor those who have served and those who serve today. We'll share a brief prayer of thanksgiving and encouragement, and take time to check in and support one another.



Parish Work Day

Saturday, July 18, 2026 | 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM
Saturday, August 15, 2026 | 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Help care for our church inside and out! There will be plenty of projects for every age and task for every ability. Please come lend a hand!



Afterwards, stay for Our Famous Gourmet Hot Dogs with all the fixings – the perfect reward for a morning of service and fellowship!



No Building & Grounds Ministry Meeting in July and August.
Resumes in September.



Ladies Lunch Out (and Gentlemen Too!)

Sunday, July 19, 2026
• July 19 – Margarita Island
Sunday, August 16, 2026
• August 16 – Backwoods on Grissom

Location to be announced soon. Please let Carolyn or Andrea know if you plan to attend. Carpools is available. Let's get together for food, fellowship, and fun!



Ladies Fellowship & Craft Group

Monday, July 20, 2026 | 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM
Monday, August 17, 2026 | 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM

All ladies are invited to join us for fellowship, creativity, and fun! Bring a current project or just come to enjoy the company. Light snacks and drinks will be provided.

☘ – All are welcome – Come be part of our parish family! ☘

PICTURES WORTH *A Thousand Words!*

Moments of Faith, Fellowship & Community



HELP US STOCK UP!

CHURCH STORAGE NEEDS

for Upcoming Events in July, August & September

Your generous donations help us be ready to serve!

- 🍀 Bottled Water
- 🍀 Large To Go Containers
- 🍀 Iced Tea, Lemonade & Punch
- 🍀 Individual packages of potato chips, cookies, and granola bars



FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION

FAIRGLEN ELEMENTARY & Parishioners in Need

Let's fill the Food Pantry Box and send blessings to the students, families, and parishioners who count on us.

Every Item Makes a Difference! ❤️





St. Patrick's Anglican Church

July & August 2026



JULY 2026

AUGUST 2026

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		Midweek Mass 6:00 PM (Live & Streamed)	1	2	3 First Friday Family Fun Night! 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM	4
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12 Trinity 6	13	14	15 Midweek Mass 6:00 PM (Live & Streamed)	16	17	18 Parish Work Day 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM (See Below)
19 Trinity 7 Ladies Lunch Out Ladies Fellowship & Craft Group 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM	20	21	22 Midweek Mass 6:00 PM (Live & Streamed)	23	24	25 Veterans, Veteran Spouses & First Responder Breakfast 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM
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30 Trinity 13 Healing Service	31					

SUMMER STUDENT VACATION PROGRAM

CREATE • GROW • CARE

July 5th - August 9th

Learn. Serve. Grow in Faith.

Christian Education Opportunities



Adult Sunday School

Gospel of Matthew
Sundays at 9:00 AM
May & June



Student Sunday School

Starts September 13th
with a Study of the Saints
for 4th-8th Grade
(Leave following
announcements)

WEEKLY RHYTHM



SUNDAYS
8:00 AM Mass
10:00 AM Mass
(Live & Streamed)
facebook.com/StPatspsj

5th Sunday
Healing Service
(Live & Streamed)



MONDAY - FRIDAY
Morning Prayer
8:00 AM
(Live & Streamed)
facebook.com/StPatspsj



WEDNESDAYS
Midweek Mass
6:00 PM
(Live & Streamed)
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BIRTHDAYS

JULY

- Aubree Allen
- Arianna Johnson
- Rufugio Martinez
- David Otero
- Abigail Rios-Lugo
- Sheenagh Rivera
- Olivia Short
- Linda Simmen

AUGUST

- Jacob Crouse
- Grace Gonzalez
- John McFall
- Marshall Schroeder
- Greg Spak
- Sandy Thomas
- Joseph Thomas
- Mandy Valko



ANNIVERSARIES

- Fr. Mike and Carolyn Kerouac
- Mr. & Mrs. Alberto and Sheenagh Rivera
- Mr. & Mrs. Jeffrey and Linda Simmen



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St. Patrick's Anglican Church is a caring loving community. Please join us for one of the Sunday or Weekday Services.

The Diocese of the Eastern United States is a vibrant and growing family of parishes serving our Christian family from Pennsylvania to Florida. As members of , The Anglican Catholic Church, we are part of Christ's One, Holy, Catholic, and Apostolic Church. Our teaching and practice are based soundly on the Holy Bible and the traditional Book of Common Prayer.

Archbishop Juan Garcia

Bishop William Bower, SSC

Rev. Fr. Michael Kerouac, Rector

Rev. Fr. Tim Gouge, Vicar

Service Times

Sunday Communion Service

8:00 AM Service – Live

10:00 AM Service –Live & Streamed

5th Sunday Healing Service and

Fellowship –August 30th, 2026

Wednesday Communion Service

6:00 PM Service—Live & Streamed

Morning Prayer Services

Mon.-Tues.-Wed.-Thurs.– Fri.

at 8:00 AM



Vestry: Senior Warden: Andrea Mustafa;; Acting Junior Warden: Linda Simmen; Treasurer: Jeff Simmen; Secretary: Linda Gould Vestry at Large: Lionel Felix, Lea Taylor-Malarae, John McFall & Mike Brady

PLEASE
PLACE
STAMP
HERE



5TH SUNDAY
Parish Pot Luck
& HEALING SERVICE
SUNDAY, AUGUST 30TH





Blessing
of the
ANIMALS

SATURDAY,
OCTOBER 3, 2026
10:00 AM
IN THE MEMORIAL GARDEN
*WEATHER PERMITTING



Reminder!
COOKIE WALK
& Vendor Sale
Homemade Cookies • Unique Vendors • Great Gifts

SATURDAY,
DECEMBER 12TH
9:00 AM – 1:00 PM

ACCEPTING
VENDOR
SIGN UPS!