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OFFICE HOURS Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 10:00am – 2:00pm

#### MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Monday		February 21	NO MASS
Tuesday	12:00 PM	February 22	Ron Demczak requested by Rich and Mary Gotti
Wednesday	12:00 PM	February 23	Josephine Brega requested by Eileen Tomeo
Thursday		February 24	NO MASS
Friday		February 25	NO MASS
Saturday	5:30 PM	February 26	Josephine Brennan requested by Phil Brennan
Sunday	11:00 AM	February 27	The Hartey Family requested by Debi Cotugno
Sanctuary Candle 2/		2/20 - 2/26	Please call the Office if you would like to schedule the sanctuary candle to burn for a
			loved one.

## **SUPER GENEROUS SOUPER BOWL**

Thanks to all who made our "Soup for the Souperbowl" weekend a big success. We received some \$20's, \$10's, \$5's and many \$1 bills for a total of \$153.00. We collected 55 soup cans over the Super Bowl weekend. This bountiful collection will provide soup for many sessions at the Ecumenical Food Pantry on Friday evenings when we serve about 50 families. The money supports the Pantry to purchase more food items.

We are grateful to all who helped in this effort. May God bless you for caring and sharing!

## ASH WEDNESDAY

Wednesday, March 2nd is Ash Wednesday. Mass with distribution of Ashes will be celebrated at St. Patrick's at 12noon and St. Joseph's at 8:00am. Liturgy of the Word with Distribution of Ashes will be held at both Parishes at 7:00pm. Ash Wednesday is a day of abstinence (no meat for Catholics over the age of 14) and Fasting (one full meal only for Catholics between the ages of 18 - 59).

# **FOOD PANTRY VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED!**

We are in need of volunteers to serve at the food pantry one Friday each month from 6:30 to 7:30pm. For additional information please see Deacon Tom after Mass. Thank you!

#### WEBSITE

Please visit our website, www.stpatricksmilford.com for the most recent announcements, spiritual references and updates. You can also follow us on Facebook at @Saint Patrick's Church, Milford, PA and on Twitter (@stpatsmilfordpa): Church of St Patrick (@stpatsmilfordpa) Twitter. Also visit our Diocesan website, www.dioceseofscranton.org for more resources.

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Are you a Catholic man interested in deepening your faith? Helping your community? Or Getting to know other men in your parish? The John Paul II council meets on the 3rd Wednesday of every month at the church Hall, fellowship starts at 6:30pm. Please contact the Grand Knight Tom Hogan at tchogan@ptd.net or visit www.kofc.com

## SAINT PATRICK'S PRAYER CHAIN

Anyone who wishes to have prayers said for themselves or another may send via e-mail to Tom Hogan at tchogan@ptd.net or 570-872-4925.

## SAINT PATRICK'S KNITTERS

Our regular weekly meetings are held on Wednesdays at 2:00 in the Parish Hall. All are welcome to attend. If you need any information, please contact Mary Ellen Theodore at 570 296-8363.

### **OUR MISSION STATEMENT**

St. Patrick's Parish is the presence of the Catholic Church in a diverse and vibrant area of northeastern Pennsylvania. As disciples, we dedicate ourselves to hearing, learning and sharing the good news of God's Word as we reverently celebrate the presence of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. Together, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, we seek to know, love and serve God. We strive to promote a culture of love and respect for all human life and for the beautiful world in which we live. We welcome all people to participate in the spiritual and social life of our parish family.