

ST. PATRICK PARISH, FALLOWFIELD



We are a vibrant and engaged faith community committed to building up one another in Christ. We are nourished by the sacraments, and our shared service to one another and the wider community.



FIRST READING

Wisdom 3.1-9

SECOND READING

Revelation 21.1-5a, 6b-7

GOSPEL

Luke 7.11-17

Psalms 116

I WILL WALK BEFORE
THE LORD, IN THE
LAND OF LIVING.

Gospel Reflection

In Luke 7:11–17, Jesus encounters a funeral procession for the only son of a widow. Moved with compassion, He tells her not to weep and restores her son to life. This miracle is more than an act of power—it is an expression of divine mercy. Jesus not only sees her pain but steps directly into it, transforming grief into joy.

The scene reveals a God who does not remain distant from human suffering. The widow, doubly vulnerable in her loss, becomes the focus of Christ's tender concern. Without being asked, Jesus acts—reminding

us that His compassion is not earned but freely given.

The crowd's awe—"God has visited His people"—echoes the truth that in Christ, life itself has visited humanity. Each time we experience loss or despair, this story calls us to remember that Jesus stands beside us, ready to restore hope.

Let us, then, become bearers of His compassion: attentive to those who mourn, courageous enough to reach out, and confident that no situation lies beyond the reach of His life-giving love.

November 2 All Soul's Day

Today we gather in prayer to remember all those who have gone before us. In the midst of grief and loss, we trust in God's infinite mercy and the promise of eternal life through Jesus Christ. This day invites us to pause, to reflect, and to offer prayers for the faithful departed, asking that they may rest in peace and be welcomed into the joy of God's presence.

Our remembrance is not only for those we personally knew, but for all who have lived and died in faith. By praying for the dead, we participate in the communion of saints, joining our hearts with theirs and acknowledging that love endures beyond death. Let us open our hearts in prayer, offer our intentions, and find comfort in God's promise of resurrection and life everlasting. in God's enduring love.

Masses and Intentions

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• People of the Parish
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• † Amneris Temelini by Rick and Marie Temelini• † John and Gerrie deKemp by Jim, Pat and the family• † All Souls Intentions
Sunday	11:00 a.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• † Monique Boucher and Gerard Morand by Dianne and Pierre Boucher• † Gerry Goodfellow by the family• † Madeline McDonald by Anne-Marie Goodman• † Margarete, Geni and Almindo Sinhoro by Gilmar Sinhoro
Tuesday	9:00 a.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• † Estella delRisco by Ian and Amanda Sinclair
Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• † Deceased members of the Parish by the St. Patrick Legion of Mary
Thursday	9:00 p.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• † Gail McEvoy by Garry McEvoy and the family
Friday	9:00 a.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• † Members of the Murphy Family by Anne and Alan Gordon

Reconciliation: Saturdays 4-4:45 p.m. in the sacristy or by appointment



Speak life and encouragement into the hearts of the broken.



November 4

Memorial of St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop

St. Charles Borromeo (1538–1584), Archbishop of Milan, led with prayer, courage, and compassion during a time of great upheaval. He cared for the sick during a plague, guided the clergy with integrity, and worked tirelessly to reform the Church. He reminds us: “Be sure that you first preach by the way you live.” His life encourages us to keep God at the center of all we do, serve others faithfully, and live our faith in a way that inspires those around us.

“If we wish to make any progress in the service of God we must begin every day of our life with new eagerness... and have no other view or end in all our actions but the divine honor.”

News & Events

Christmas Bazaar

Sunday, Nov. 29th



Get into the holiday spirit at the St. Patrick’s CWL Christmas Bazaar! Discover over a dozen vendors offering handcrafted items and Christmas gifts. Kids can find special presents at the White Elephant Table, with gift wrapping available. Enjoy seasonal treats at the Christmas Café, and best of all, admission is free!



New Year’s Eve Dance

Wednesday, Dec. 31st





The Knights of Columbus invite you to celebrate New Year’s Eve in style! Join us for an unforgettable evening of great food, music, dancing, and celebration as we welcome 2026. Mark your calendars and get ready for a night bigger and better than ever. Tickets go on sale in the coming weeks — and don’t miss out on our early bird pricing!

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Support your parish while preserving your memories!



 Join us for a special Photo Scanning Fundraising Event where you can digitally preserve your old photos while supporting our church! The Pspros team will be at the church collecting your physical photos on Saturday and Sunday, November 15–16, and Wednesday, November 19. Simply scan the QR code that is in the flyers and posters, to book your preferred time and date, and be part of this meaningful event — 25% of all sales will be donated to the church to support our community.

 Visit www.pspros.ca

All Souls Intentions

During the month of November, we remember in a special way our deceased relatives and friends, through Parish All Souls Intentions Masses. Special All Souls envelopes can be found at the church entrance and in the parish office. You can also mail-in a donation from home or e-transfer to finance@stpatricksfallowfield.com. If you choose this method, please comment that it is an All Souls Intention, and provide the names of those we are praying for, your name and use masses as your password.


Sunday Missals

The new Liturgical Year begins on November 30th, the First Sunday in Advent. Sunday Missals for the 2025 – 2026 (year A) cost is \$5 per book, and Sunday Missal for Young Catholics for the 2025 – 2026 (year A) cost is \$10 per book. Can be purchased from the ushers after weekend Masses and from the parish office, during office hours (Tuesday through Friday, 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.).

Registration for the Sacraments

 There is only one month left to register for First Communion, First Reconciliation, and Confirmation. Registration closes on November 30. Families can register on our parish website. A copy of your child's birth certificate is required, so please prepare this ahead of time and register as soon as possible once registration opens.

Help Us Reach the Finish Line

 We've reached a milestone in funding the central artwork — thank you! Our fundraiser continues until we reach the diocesan limit, so your continued support helps ensure that more of our restoration funds remain available for the parish's future needs.

Remembrance Day Service

On November 8th and 9th our Parish will recognise those who have paid the ultimate sacrifice in service to Canada. Members of the parish who have served, are currently serving in the Armed Forces, police or other service organisations are encouraged to wear their uniforms or service medals to these Masses. Should you have any questions or would like to participate in this event please contact info@kofc11271.org.

Faithful Stewardship: Your Life, Your Legacy

What legacy will you leave? Join Archbishop Dampousse for a presentation on how to create an intentional, prayerful Estate Plan that maximizes your spiritual and social impact. The presentation will take place on Nov 30, 2025 from 3pm-4:30pm at Holy Spirit Parish in Stittsville, including a social with refreshments.

Sunday Smile

A woman is getting lunch ready when the phone rings.

"This is the middle school calling about your son Johnny. He's been caught telling unbelievable lies."

"I'll say he has," the woman replies, "I don't have a son."

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This week's prayers

Let us pray...

- For the renewal and growth of our parish community: that guided by the Holy Spirit, we may embrace the challenges before us with faith, wisdom, and unity.
- For the Church, called to proclaim Christ's resurrection and gift of eternal life; and for sustained joy and faith in the resurrection for all God's people who journey to God's kingdom with us,
- For the safety and recovery of the people and clergy of Jamaica and Cuba as they face the destruction of Hurricane Melissa; and for compassion and generosity in responding to the needs of those around us,
- For ears to hear the cry of the poor and hearts to share in the pain of others; and for those whose lives have influenced us and have gone before us,
- For our prayers for God's rich mercy to lead the souls of Purgatory to the gates of God's glory, and for the physical and spiritual well-being of all parishioners and families,
- In this Jubilee Year, may we be guided as pilgrims of hope. May we shine with Christ's light in the darkness and bring the essence of His love to all. May we be strengthened to be faithful witnesses of His peace and mercy,

Help our Parish Grow

Leave us a Review!

Do you share our passion for this parish? When people seek to join a parish, they often begin their search on Google. By enhancing our parish's Google rating, you can play a pivotal role in drawing in new parishioners. Join us in spreading the love for our community!



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Parish Life

- The Choir practices on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p.m. in the church.
- The Legion of Mary meets Wednesday mornings in the McGivney Lounge (after the 9:00 a.m. Mass).
- The Catholic Women's League meets on the 2nd Tuesday of the month in the Monsignor Baxter Hall.
- The Knights of Columbus meet on the 1st Tuesday of the month in the Monsignor Baxter Parish Hall.
- Children's Liturgy, for ages 4 through 9, is offered during the 9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass.



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