

MAY 17, 2026  
 THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD  
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OUR MISSION STATEMENT  
 St. Patrick Church, Tipton is a welcoming and believing community, committed to seek a deeper spirituality by encountering God in liturgy, prayer, scripture and ministering to the needs of each other and the community at large. All are welcome with open hearts, open minds, and open doors.

MASS TIMES  
 Saturday 5:00 pm  
 Sunday 8:30 am  
 Tuesday 7:00 pm  
 Confessions: half hour before Mass or on request

MASS INTENTION/OFFERED BY  
**May 16 Sat 5pm:** Don, Rick and Maribeth Stroh/Backes and Stroh Families  
**May 17 Sun 8:30am:** Catholic Ext. Donors  
**May 19 Tues 6:30pm:** Philip Rheinecker/Mary Lou Polacek  
**May 23 Sat 5pm:** Mary Ann Cox/Greg and Chris Heilig  
**May 24 Sun 8:30am:** Charlotte Shields /Neda Shields

LITURGICAL ROLES  
**Saturday May 9, 2026**  
 Please Volunteer  
**Sunday, May 24, 2026**  
 Opening/Petitions: Teresa Fruth  
 Lector: Theresa Watters  
 Greeters: Pearl Windergerst/Margaret Ahne  
 Ministers: Body of Christ: Chris Schuchardt  
 Blood of Christ: Margaret Wilson/Cindy Notter

Sacrament of Reconciliation:  
 Sat 4:30-5:00 PM Sun 8-8:30 AM  
 Enter through the outside Sacristy door.  
CELEBRATIONS 5/17/26-5/23/26  
Birthdays:  
 Julie Osborne May 21  
 Charles Curran May 23  
Anniversaries:  
 David and Susan Muszynski May 20  
 Chris and Melissa Schuchardt May 22

Pray for those sick, suffering or recovering  Randy Buettner, Rhonda DeSpain, Chris Heilig, Keith Huebner, Rich Kelley, Brian Kennedy, Cindy Lutman, Evelyn Marquardt, Christine Maturan, Isabella McDermott, Linda Notter, Eli Spiller, Jim Vaseska, Debbie Weilbacher, Toby Wells, *Send names to Angie Gregson @ [wasarg@htc.net](mailto:wasarg@htc.net)*

New Parishioner  
 We are happy to welcome our new parishioner, Mr. Alan Proctor!  
The Living Rosary  
 Tuesday, May 19, 2026. Mass at 6:30pm. Living Rosary at 7:00pm. Sign up will be this weekend. We need 60 people for the rosary. Any questions, call Theresa Watters at 618-458-7762.  
Charity Sewing  
 The final charity sewing day for the season will be Wednesday, May 20, 2026, at 8am in the rectory basement.  
Soup Kitchen  
 Our next Soup Kitchen is Saturday, May 23, 2026. Please sign up if you are able to help or make desserts.  
5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Collections  
 May is a 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday month. There are envelopes in the vestibule which you can use anytime during May to make your donation.

Summer Quilting  
 We will be quilting during the summer on Tuesdays. The first summer quilting day is June 2, 2026, from 1pm-4pm in the rectory basement. If you are interested in learning how to quilt, please feel free to join us and learn this great way to help support our church community.

Mark Your Calendars  
 Sunday, June 7, 2026, after 8:30am Mass. We will be celebrating Father John with a Birthday Breakfast. Renault will be joining us. Bring your favorite breakfast dish.

Vocations Corner  
 “There was never a dull moment growing up with seven siblings. Little did I know that this experience would prepare me well for Benedictine life, a life of stability in community lived in the enclosure of the monastery. Would I have become a monk if my grandmother had not prayed that one of her grandsons would become a priest; if my dad had not told me, ‘It doesn’t hurt to give God the first option’; Nothing is more beautiful than encountering Christ. I didn’t lose my family when I entered the monastery; I joined a family much larger than 10. I belong to God’s family.”  
 Fr. Caesarius Marple, OSB; Westminster Abbey, Mission, BC; Columbia Magazine April 2020

PARTNERSHIP CORNER  
Our Lady of Good Counsel – Renault:  
 Mass Time: Sunday - 10:30 am

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May 9-10, 2026

General	\$1340.00
Catholic Communications	15.00
Loose	<u>195.00</u>
	\$1550.00

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Bookkeeper: Janet Schmitz	340-2578
Bulletin/Website: Mary Lou Polacek	719-4601
Mass Intentions: Julie Osborne	314-803-6956
Funeral Luncheons: Angie Heck	939-3528
	Eileen Curran 567-7988
Liturgical Roles: Teresa Fruth	458-6683
Servers Schedule: Emily Schuchardt	967-1651
Quilting: Angie Heck	939-3528
Social Outreach: Theresa Watters	458-7762
Hall Rental: Mike and Carol Raeber	612-3241