



Prayers to My Favorite Saints

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SAINT PATRICK

Patron of Ireland

389 – 461 Feast: March 17



SAINTE Patrick,
I pray that I am able
to embrace strangers
with the same love and respect
you showed the Irish.

Please help me to pray often
to all the Persons of the Blessed Trinity,
keeping in mind the image of the shamrock:
three leaves and one stem.



Did you know?

Saint Patrick was born in Scotland.
Pirates captured him when he was sixteen.
He became a Bishop in 432.



SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI

Patron of Catholic Action

1181 – 1226 Feast: October 4



SAINT Francis,
you are probably best known
for your love of the poor
and of all God's creatures.

Help me to care for the poor
by small acts of sacrifice.

May I treat those I meet
with kindness,
always remembering
that they are my brothers and sisters.



Did you know?

Saint Francis was a prisoner of war for
almost two years.

He abandoned worldly ways and lived the life
of the poor.

He was the founder of three Franciscan Orders.