



# Saint Patrick Catholic Church

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*Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe*



**Celebration of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass**

*Saturday, 4:00 pm ❖ Sunday, 10:00 am*

Wednesday and Thursday, 9:00 am

First Friday, 10:00am

Holy Days of Obligation, 6:30 pm

**The Sacrament of Reconciliation**

One hour before each Mass until Fifteen minutes before Mass or by appointment

## First Sunday of Advent

**FIRST READING:** (Isaiah 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7) 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading (1 Corinthians 1:3-9) Gospel (Mark 13:33-37)

### **PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS IN THE HOSPITAL OR ON HOSPICE:**

Vita Collins and Carrie Odell. Please keep all the sick and their caregivers in your prayers.

**OUT OF RESPECT** for the privacy of our parishioners, names of those who are in the hospital are not listed in the bulletin without prior approval by the individual or an immediate family member if the individual is unable to speak for themselves.



**PRAYER BOOK:** The prayer book in the narthex is available for all prayer requests. Please pray daily for these requests.

**PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS:** Especially our families, friends and loved ones who are currently in active military service: Brett King (Stateside) Delia King (Stateside), Jason King (Stateside) Please keep all of our brave men and women in your prayers. **Please call the office to add to or remove names from this list.**

**PLEASE JOIN OUR PARISH!** We would love to have you as a registered member of St. Patrick. If you would like to join our parish, please pick up a Census Card in the narthex, fill it out and put it in the collection basket.

**Christ the King:** Tending the needs of others is a gift of service to God as well as those in need. Imagine that you chose to serve God as a deacon, priest, brother, or sister. What do you think/feel about this choice?

**(Matthew 25:31-46)** Let us pray for those in need of the basic necessities of life, that we may respond generously as we would to Christ. **(Vocation View is sponsored by Serra Club)**



**SPIRIT** is taking orders for our Annual Fruit Basket Sale. See any SPIRIT Youth or Youth Leader to place your order. All orders are due by December 13th. Baskets can be picked up after Mass on the weekend of December 19th and 20th. The Fruit Baskets are \$25.

**FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION** is Tuesday, December the 8<sup>th</sup>. Mass will be here at 6:30 pm. There will be a 10:00 am Mass at St. Stanislaus.

### **PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS WHO ARE UNABLE TO LEAVE THEIR HOMES**

Mickey Davidson, and Linda Karch. Please keep these, all the homebound, and their caregivers in your prayers. If you know of any parishioner who should be added to or removed from this list, please contact the office.

**FAITH FORMATION** No Class the week of Thanksgiving, November 25th. Classes resume in the classrooms on December 2nd at 6:30 pm. Please do not arrive before 6:15 pm. Thank you.

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY:** Weekly handouts for Children's Liturgy of the Word will be on a table in the Narthex for children's use since we have not resumed the Sunday morning CL during Mass at this time.

**RCIA** will continue on Tuesday, November 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm. Please bring your mask and join us in the St. Joseph Hall.

**PECAN SALE:** The Ladies Auxiliary will be selling Pecans after Mass starting. Cost is \$12.00 per pound. The Ladies will be in back of church after Mass.

**FAREWELL DVD:** Doris Moody has "limited edition" DVD's of a movie production compiled from nearly 1,000 photos collected for Fr. Vernon's farewell reception. These photos were displayed via projection on the wall during the reception. If anyone wants a copy, please contact Doris Moody ([ragtopmom@gmail.com](mailto:ragtopmom@gmail.com)). There is no charge but rather suggest that you donate food or cash to the St. Vincent de Paul Society as they gear up to provide Thanksgiving and Christmas meals for those in need.

**THE CHURCH OFFICE** will be closed Thursday and Friday, November 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> for the Thanksgiving Holiday.

**THANKSGIVING DAY MASS** will be at 9:00 am



**ANGEL TREE AND PENNIES FROM HEAVEN** The Angel Tree continues this weekend! We still have children on the tree! You are asked to buy the suggested gift or any age appropriate gift(s) and return the gifts **unwrapped** in a plastic bag with the angel attached no later than Sunday, December 13<sup>th</sup>. The Pennies from Heaven money and the Lavender Angels money are for gifts for shut-ins and for those in need during the holidays. Please put your monetary donation in the envelope and place the Lavender Angel in the collection basket. **THANK YOU** for your support of this ministry and for your generosity.

**NOVEMBER ALTAR OF REMEMBRANCE:** You are welcome to bring photos of your deceased loved ones to add to our Altar of Remembrance. The Altar will be in place Through November 30.

## **2<sup>nd</sup> Collection**

## **Weekly Mass Schedule**

	↩	Saturday	11/21	4:00 pm	Vita Collins & Carrie O'Dell – H
		Sunday	11/22	10:00 am	For the People
		Monday	11/23	No Mass	
		Tuesday	11/24	9:00am @ St. Stanislaus	
		Wednesday	11/25	9:00 am	Jerry McGehee - †
		Thursday	11/26	9:00am	Pastors Special Intentions
		Friday	11/27	No Mass	
My Christmas Gift	↩	Saturday	11/28	4:00 pm	William Carter- †
to the Church		Sunday	11/29	10:00 am	For the People



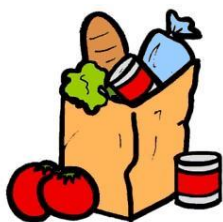
distancing.

**SVDP MEETING:** SVDP Meeting - SVdP will meet after Mass on Sunday, December 6 in St. Joseph Hall. Please wear your mask and practice social

**SHOP AT AMAZONSMILE:** Amazon will donate a portion of any online purchase to SVdP. Simply click the icon on the SVdP page on St. Patrick website to place your order. Donations will be computed by AMAZON and automatically transferred to our account.

## **PLEASE HELP THE SVdP PANTRY**

Mustard & Ketchup  
Cereal  
Flour  
Jellies  
Mayo  
Corn Meal  
Mac & Cheese  
Crackers  
Canned goods  
Cooking oil



**Christ the King:** Today as we celebrate Christ the King, we hear Jesus say: "...whatever you did for one of the least brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me." **Knowing that we find the face of Christ in the poor, this month, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to serve families by providing food and assistance with utility bills. Thank You!**

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### **December Ministry Schedule**

#### **Sunday Lector**

December 6 - Anita Skocik

December 8 - Tuesday (Immaculate  
Conception) 6:30 pm Pam Palmer

December 13 - Pete Parrish

December 20 - Gracie Dougherty

#### **December Server**

December 6 - Rodney Shiflett

December 8 - Tuesday (Immaculate  
Conception) 6:30 pm Nalani Lukela

December 13 - Skyler Blanchard

December 20 - Molly Vendt



### **PRAYER TO SAINT MICHAEL**

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do Thou oh Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen

**ST. MICHAEL PRAYER** cards are available in the narthex if you would like a copy of this prayer on cardstock.