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December 1, 2019 - First Sunday of Advent

This week's Mass Schedule & Events

Sun. 01 8:30 a.m. Mass for All the people of the parish
 Mon. 02 8:00 a.m. Mass for † Clarence Mohr
 Tue. 03 8:00 a.m. Mass for † Susan Raccagno
 Wed. 04 6:30 p.m. Mass for † Joe & Jonah Martin
 Thur. 05 Mass at Chapman
 Fri. 06 9:30 a.m. Mass for † Alice Vogelsberg
 Adoration ~ 8:30 a.m.
 Sun. 08 8:30 a.m. Mass for Living/Dscd Mbrs St. Ann's CCW
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Liturgical Assignments Sunday, December 8, 2019

Greeters: Pat Ryan Family
Lectors: Doug Francis & Don Hellwig
Servers: Luke Riordan & Matthias Baxa
Gift Bearers: Jim Howard Family
Eucharistic Ministers: Bob Martin, Dan Winingham & Tom Ryan

Our Military Men & Women serving our country ~ Kevin Daniels, Mason Campbell, Clayton & Marissa Kuhn, Matthew Lutz & Terry Tracy.



ICC ~ Sunday Offering ~ November 24, 2019

Weekly Goal:	2,150.00	
Loose Plate:	118.00	Goal needed every week to meet
Envelopes:	1,092.00	budget:
Children's:	2.00	\$2,150.00
Difference:	-938.00	

Special Coll.: 48.00 (Food Bank)

Envelopes used: 22 out of 65 = 33%

Please Remember ICC in your Will!



Prayer Requests

Tara Bush, Wayne Kemper, Betty Bowden, Wayne Rziha, David Caldwell, Fred Klucas, Tyran Owens, Richard Warner, Steven Copeland, Terry & Gary Johnson, Greg Hopper, Kayly Schoming, Brenda Gamboa, Luke & Mary Yetter, Tallie Baetz, Stan Knaus, Sharon Robinson, Jacey (Prochazka) Yanek, Janice Brungardt, Eloyd Owens, Shirley Aylward, Raelynn Lupita Daniels Perez, Carol (Smith) Sheedy, Kathy Chapin, Karen Robinson, Ambre Zvolanek- Honeywell & Norma Odell .

RECONCILIATION TIMES: If anyone would like to take the opportunity to go to Reconciliation, Fr. John is available every Sunday from 7:45 a.m. and Wednesday's 5:45 p.m. until the end of the Rosary - he will be back by the confessional.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: No Rel. Ed. this week.

FOOD BANK DONATIONS: We will continue to collect food for the food bank through the month of December. Thank you for your generous gifts!

COMMUNAL PENANCE: We will offer Communal Penance on Sunday, December 8th right after Mass.

BIRTHRIGHT TREE: Please remember the mothers and babies at Birthright this year. A tree will be in the back of church for new or gently used clothing. Birthright doesn't accept food or toys except for formula. Baby clothing, bottles, formula and mothers-to-be clothing is welcomed. Please leave your items under the tree. Many thanks and prayers are always needed.

Have a wonderful & blessed week!

MASS TIME FOR TRAVELERS: For nationwide Mass times and locations: call Mass Times (1-858-207-6277) or on the internet at www.Masstimes.org. You will need the zip code of where you are going.

SEWING/CRAFT DAY: Our next sew/craft day will be on Saturday, December 7th from 9 to 4 p.m. in the parish hall! All are welcome!



INTRODUCING FORMED: Check out Formed.org - it has lots of movies, books, Bible Studies, as well as faith formation. Here is how you can register - and yes, this is all free! Registering for FORMED is easier than ever:

- 1 Go to formed.org/signup
 1. Select your parish
 2. Register with your name and email address
- Check that email account for a link to begin using FORMED

If you have questions, give Daylene a call in the office!

KNIGHTS NEWS: The Knights will have their December meeting at the Schmaderer home on Saturday, December 7th starting at 5:30 pm. All Knights and potential Knights are welcome. Please bring a snack or dessert. Spirits will be provided.

GORILLA FAMILY CHRISTMAS PROJECT: Operation Gorilla Family Stuff the Buss - these donated items will be part of baskets for our angel Tree Families!!!

Suggestions: Can goods, paper products, dish & laundry supplies, hygiene items, baby supplies, snacks, crackers, pasta, PB&J, pudding, cake mixes, quick meals, juice, cleaning supplies. Any and all things that keep a family fed and comfortable! Please check the expiration date if you are donating from your personal pantry!!

Last year this project supplied over thirty baskets to families in our Solomon Community ~ if you prefer to donate cash it will be used to supplement the baskets with gift cards and additional items ~ send or bring your donation to the District Office ~ any questions, give us a call at 655-2541.

The "Stuff the Bus" will be here at ICC on Sunday, December 8 through the morning.

PARISH COUNCIL: Parish council will meet right after breakfast.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

"Praying the Rosary is like stepping back from the crazy, noisy, busy world and into a calm, quiet, peaceful heaven."

Matthew Kelly ~ *Rediscover the Rosary*

DIocese VOCATION PRAYER: Lord God, in your tender mercies you give your holy people every good gift. We turn to you today in our need, asking that you bless our Diocese with an abundance of vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Inspire us with your Holy Spirit to help young men and women hear your call and respond with joyful hearts. We also ask that you bless our priest and all who serve us in the Church today. May they know every grace and joy as you bring to completion the many good works begun in them. We ask this in faith, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Question of the Week

Theme: *Waiting, hoping, and preparing.*

Adult Question: As you prepare to re-welcome Christ into your heart while you prepare for Christmas, what does Isaiah call you to do? What does Isaiah call us as a people to do?

Youth Question: The Gospel tells us we don't know when the Son of Man will return. If he were to arrive today, would you be ready for him? What is one thing you can do during Advent to prepare for his coming?

Children Question: What can you do to be ready for God to come into your heart and your life?

CATHOLIC CHARITIES THRIFT STORE: Donations: If you would like to donate items or volunteer at the Catholic Charities Thrift Store, contact Cara Ivey, Volunteer Coordinator, at 785-825-0208 ext. 216 or cicvey@ccnks.org. Information regarding Catholic Charities Thrift Store is also available at www.ccnks.org.

Now Open Saturdays!!



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HOURS:
Wednesday 9am - 4pm
Thursday 9am - 4pm
Friday 9am - 2pm
Saturday 9am - Noon

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Hotline 1-800-593-3330

Alcoholics Anonymous

Meets every Sunday at 8 p.m. in the parish hall & Wednesday mornings at 8 a.m. also in the parish hall. These are open meetings and all are welcome!

St. Patrick's ~ Sunday Offering ~ November 3/17, 2019

Weekly Goal: \$250.00

Envelopes:	857.00	YTD Goal:	4,750.00
Special Coll.:	00.00	Amt. Given:	<u>4,877.00</u>
		Difference:	+127.00

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