

December 8, 2024

Second Sunday of Advent
Mass Intentions

Dec. 9, 2024, Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary – Holy Day

8:00 a.m. † Guy Bixel
7:00 p.m. † Justin Hinen

December 10, 2024, Tuesday
NO MASS

December 11, 2024 Wednesday
5:00 p.m. † Joyce Pawlak

December 12, 2024 Thursday
8:00 a.m. † Patricia Hayden

December 13, 2024, First Friday
8:00 a.m. † Jeff Dunlap

December 14, 2024 Saturday
5:00 p.m. † Jerry & Jean Zorger

December 15, 2024 Sunday
8:00 a.m. † Ed Peters
10:30 a.m. Parishioners

Liturgical Ministers for December 14th & December 15th

Lectors

5:00 p.m. Kevin Rupp (1)
Bryan Smethers (2)
8:00 a.m. Bill Duffy (1)
Kristen Swonger (2)
10:30 a.m. Jacob Alles (1)
Don Neff (2)

Hospitality Ministers

5:00 p.m. Carl Brown, Van Reed
8:00 a.m. Charles Jansen, Mike Sands
10:30 a.m. Mike Sedor, Kim Sedor

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion

5:00 p.m. Leanna Andreas, Tom Andreas & Teresa Dowell
8:00 a.m. Dick Buchanan. Sara St. Clair & Nicholas Steill
10:30 a.m. Brad Clifford, Kristin Rentschler, & Scott Smith

Altar Servers

5:00 p.m. Brenleigh Smethers, Not Filled
8:00 a.m. William Renninger, Annalise Swonger
10:30 a.m. Clare Alles, Henry Alles

Collections for December 1, 2024

Adult Offering Envelopes	\$ 2,408.00
Loose	\$ 445.00
Candles	\$ 33.00
Repair	\$ 175.00
Religious Education	\$ 65.00
Flowers	\$ 40.00
Total in pews:	\$ 3,166.00
<u>Online Collections</u>	
Reg. Envelopes	\$ 1,970.00
Repair Fund	\$ 175.00
Second collection	\$ 105.00
Other	\$ 25.00
Total Online	\$ 2,275.00

St. Vincent DePaul Corner

December 2, 2024

Families served **32** Total people **77**
New Clients **1** Gas cards **2**

Needs: toilet paper, canned tomatoes, peanut butter, and cereal

Your ongoing support whether that is financial, food donations, volunteering of your time, talent and last, but not least, your prayers are each examples of Jesus calls for us to love our neighbor. If you would like to help with St. Vincent DePaul, please contact the office and leave a message for Sara St. Clair. Thank you so very much for your ongoing

support!

Please keep in mind that St. Vincent DePaul Food Pantry is open EVERY Monday from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00p.m.

If Monday falls directly on a holiday, the pantry will not be open.

The Giving Tree

The "Giving Tree" is now lite, and decorated with lots of ornament tags. Each tag has gift ideas, along with age and sex of a person needing some extra joy this Christmas. Please consider taking a tag, so, we can empty the Christmas tree and add some joy to the holidays. When you take an ornament tag, please find the tag number in the roster book, and enter your name, phone number, and email by the tag number.

Gifts need to be wrapped, with the ornament tags are attached and visible. Please have all the gifts wrapped and back to the church by Tuesday, December 17th. For questions, please contact Sue Jansen, 812-746-7346, sjansen53@yahoo.com. Thanks for your generosity!



Christmas at the Diocesan Museum this year! Over 130 Nativity Sets from all over the world are on display at the Diocesan Museum from now until Jan. 11. The Museum is free and open to the public at 1103 S. Calhoun St., Fort Wayne. Tuesdays through Saturdays. 10am to 2pm. Closed holidays. Free admission and free parking at the Cathedral next

door. A handicap entrance is at the side entrance. Come enjoy all the different cultures and artists who celebrate this great feast.

Second collection

December 7th & 8th we will be having a second collection for the Retirement fund for Religious. These funds help our Priests and Sisters in retirement, after they have spent their lives giving their time to us.

Monday, Dec. 9th, Holy Day of Obligation

We will be celebrating the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception on Monday the 9th of December. This is a day of Holy Obligation and we must attend one of the two Masses are available to attend. We will have 8:00 a.m. Mass and 7:00 p.m. Mass.

Parish Advent Penance Service

Please mark your calendar for Thursday the 12th of December starting at 6:00 p.m. We will have plenty of Priests available to hear confessions that evening. It is a wonderful way to spend the evening in this busy holiday season.

Change in Mass Time

With winter starting and our daylight ending earlier. Fr. Cyril was approached about the possibility of changing the Mass time for Saturday evenings. After consideration and listening to what the parishioners would like, he has decided.

Starting January 4, 2025, Confessions will be starting at 3:00 p.m. and Mass will be at 4:00 p.m. If you have any questions, please contact Fr. Cyril.