

Welcome to our Catholic Parishes

Immaculate Conception

703 12th Avenue | Fulton, IL 61252

Saint Patrick

1201 N. Bluff Street | Albany, IL 61230



December 19, 2021

4TH SUNDAY OF ADVENT



When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the infant leaped in her womb, and Elizabeth, filled with the Holy Spirit, cried out in a loud voice and said, "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb." - Lk 1:41-42

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MISSION STATEMENT OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION AND ST. PATRICK CHURCHES

"To become Disciples of Jesus, nourished by the Sacraments and supporting each other in Faith, as we bring Him to our Community and the World in Witness, Service, and Love."

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS
Business Manager:
 Mon, Tues, Wed, and
 Thurs: 9 am–4 pm
 Friday: OFF
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 Tues, Wed: 9 am–3 pm
 Friday: 9 am–Noon

Events Of The Week

Saturday, December 18, 2021

11:00 am Penance Service @ Prince of Peace
 3:30 pm Confessions @ IC
 4:10 pm Rosary Before Mass @ IC
 4:30 pm Mass @ IC

Sunday, December 19, 2021—Fourth Sunday of Advent

7:15 am Confessions @ SP
 8:00 am Mass @ SP
 9:40 am Rosary Before Mass @ IC
 10:00 am Mass @ IC

Monday, December 20, 2021

No Mass
 9:00 am Decorate IC Church for Christmas
 3:00 pm Divine Mercy & Rosary @ IC Hall

Tuesday, December 21, 2021—No Services Today

9:00 am Decorate IC Church for Christmas
 No Adoration, Confessions, Rosary or
 Mass @ IC
 6:30 pm Advent Penance Service @ St Mary,
 Morrison

Wednesday, December 22, 2021

8:00 am Mass @ IC
 7:00 pm Catholic Radio KXJX 92.5 FM

Thursday, December 23, 2021

8:00 am Mass @ IC
 4:30 pm Adoration & Confession @ SP
 5:30 pm Mass @ SP

Friday, December 24, 2021—Christmas Eve

Parish Office Closed
 No Morning Mass @ IC
 4:30 pm Vigil Mass @ SP

Saturday, December 25, 2021—Christmas Day

10:00 am Christmas Mass @ IC
 No Confessions or Rosary
 4:30 pm Christmas Mass @ IC

(Mass counts as Christmas & Weekend Obligation)

Sunday, December 26, 2021—The Holy Family of Jesus,

Mary and Joseph
 7:15 am Confessions @ SP
 8:00 am Mass @ SP
 9:40 am Rosary Before Mass @ IC
 10:00 am Mass @ IC

Monday, December 27, 2021—Parish Office Closed and No Rosary Monday

SCRIP Mission Statement: The Mission of our SCRIP Program is to provide for the Children of Immaculate Conception and St. Patrick Parishes, both physically and spiritually, in their religious education.

Next SCRIP Order Date: Monday, January 24, 2022

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULES

Saturday Mass: 4:30 pm @ IC
Sunday Mass: 8:00 am @ SP and 10:00 am @ IC

RECONCILIATION / CONFESSION

IC: Tue. 4:30pm—5:15pm; Sat. 3:30pm—4:15pm
SP: Thrs. 4:30pm—5:15pm; Sun. 7:15am—7:45am

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

† *For the Repose of the Soul*

Mon.	Dec. 20	No Mass	
Tues.	Dec. 21	No Mass	
Wed.	Dec. 22	8:00 am	† Margaret Fuegan
Thur.	Dec. 23	8:00 am 5:30 pm	† Charles McGowan No Intention Listed
Fri.	Dec. 24	4:30 pm	People of the Parish
Sat.	Dec. 25	10:00 am 4:30 pm	† Theresa Soesbe † Howard & Helen Foster
Sun.	Dec. 26	8:00 am 10:00 am	People of the Parish Irv & Mary Sanderson 60th Wedding Anniversary

Annual Community Christmas Dinner

Community Christmas Dinner at the Fulton Fire Station on Christmas Day (December 25) has been canceled. A big thank you to everyone who was going to donate desserts and volunteer.



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Collection Boxes at both IC and SP and the Parish Office.
THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.



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**Our next Parish Blood Drive will be
Wednesday, January 19, 2022, at IC Parish Hall.
Make an appointment now at BloodCenter.org**

**Christmas Season 2021
IC and SP Service Schedule**

**CHRISTMAS (Solemnity) Christmas Eve and Day,
Friday, Dec. 24, 2021, and Saturday, Dec. 25, 2021**

- Friday, Christmas Eve, December 24, 2021,
4:30 pm Vigil Mass at St. Patrick
 - Saturday, Christmas Day, December 25, 2021,
10:00 am Mass at Immaculate Conception
4:30 pm Mass at Immaculate Conception*
- *Note that this Mass counts as Xmas Day and for Holy Family Vigil Mass on the following Sunday.

**HOLY FAMILY (Solemnity) First Sunday after
Christmas, December 26, 2021**

- Sunday, The Holy Family, December 26, 2021,
8:00 am Mass at St. Patrick
10:00 am Mass at Immaculate Conception

**MARY, MOTHER OF GOD (Solemnity) Saturday,
January 1, 2022 (NOT an Obligation this year)**

- Friday, December 31, 2021, 4:30 pm Vigil Mass
at St. Patrick (*And join us to celebrate New Year's Eve!*)
- Saturday, Jan. 1, 2022, 10:00 am Mass at IC

**THE EIPPHANY OF THE LORD (Solemnity) Second
Sunday after Christmas, January 2, 2022**

- Saturday, Jan. 1, 2022, 4:30 pm Vigil Mass at IC
- Sunday, Jan. 2, 2022, 8:00 am Mass at St. Patrick
- Sunday, Jan. 2, 2022, 10:00 am Mass at IC

IC CHURCH CHRISTMAS DECORATING

9:00 am Monday & Tuesday, Dec. 20 & 21, 2021
Everyone is welcome to help! Please join us!

**IC Counters for Wednesday, December 22, 2021,
6:30 pm at IC Hall (with masks) are:**

Vicki Allshouse Nick Leonard
Andy Simmons



Never Underestimate "The Power of Prayer"

Please send your prayer requests for the Prayer Chain to the Parish Office, or go to our website and fill out the request form. If you have questions regarding the Prayer Chain, please call Doreen at the Parish Office.

Cleaning Altar Linens for December 2021

St. Patrick Church — Janet Price
Immaculate Conception Church — Marge Hook

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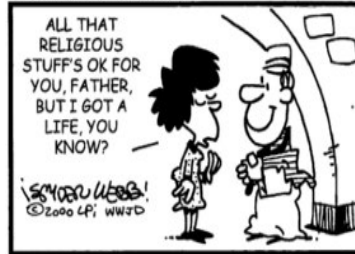
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In order for any contributions made out to St. Patrick Church or Immaculate Conception Church to be applied to your 2021 Taxes as donations, must be submitted to the Parish Office, on or before, the following date:

- Regular weekly Church Offerings must be in the Parish Office by Thursday, December 30, 2021; or you can drop them in the Black Mail Box in front of the Parish Office by Friday, December 31, 2021.

4TH SUNDAY OF ADVENT



CHRISTMAS WEEKEND, DECEMBER 24, 25 & 26, 2021

**Christmas Vigil Mass, Dec 24
Friday, 4:30 pm @ SP**

Lector: Dick Blair
Greeters: Lori Lisius
Ushers: Volunteer

**Christmas Morning Mass, Dec 25
Saturday, 10:00 am @ IC**

Brenda Woods
Tony Kuebel
Brenda Woods

**Christmas Mass, Dec 25
Saturday, 4:30 pm @ IC**

Lector: Sue Amman
Greeters: Pam Donoho
Ushers: Jan Hanson

**Dec 26
Sunday, 8:00 am @ SP**

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Janet Price
Volunteer

**Dec 26
Sunday, 10:00 am @ IC**

Brenda Woods
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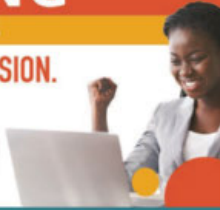
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