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**Church office hours:
Monday-Thursday 10:00a-3:00p**

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Mass Schedule

Saturday: 6:00 pm

Sunday: 11:00 am

Sunday: 5:00 pm (DePauw in session)

Monday: 5:30 pm

Thursday: 9:00 am

Divine Mercy Chaplet: Sunday at 3:00 pm

Eucharistic Adoration/Confessions:

1st Sunday of the month

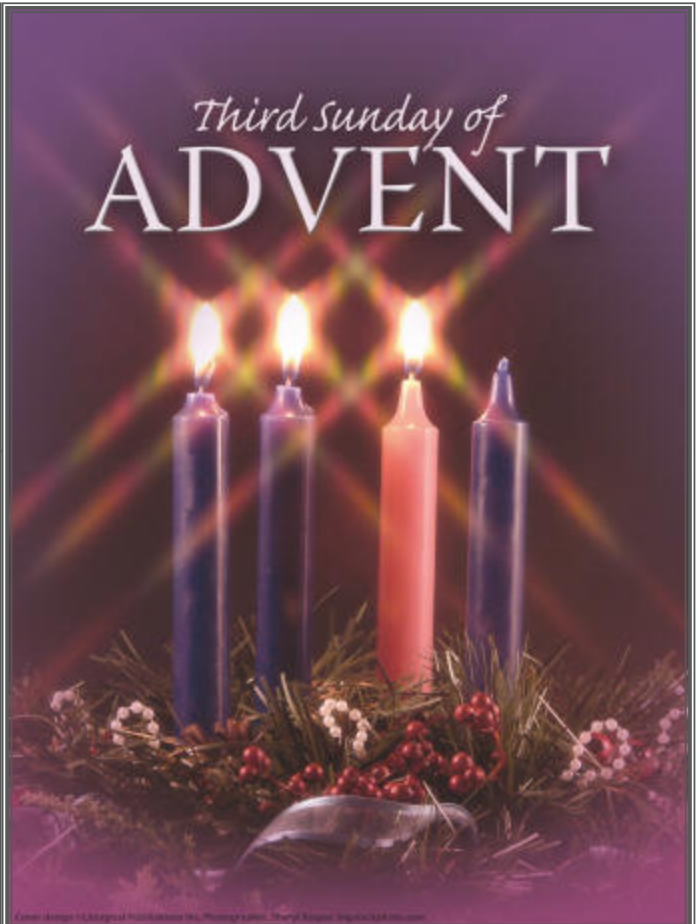
Confession: After each Mass and by appointment

Sacraments

Infant Baptism: Please call the parish office.

Marriage: Please call six months in advance to arrange a marriage date and marriage instruction appointments.

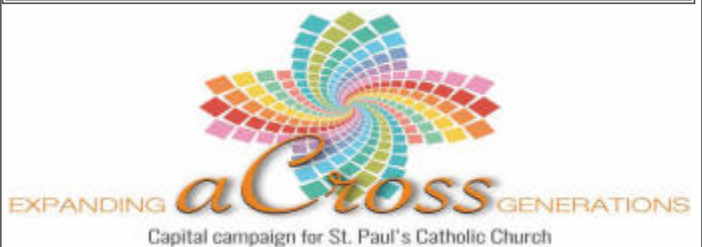
Sacrament of Anointing: If you or a loved one is hospitalized, confined to home, or healthcare facility, contact the parish office to receive the Eucharist and/or Anointing.



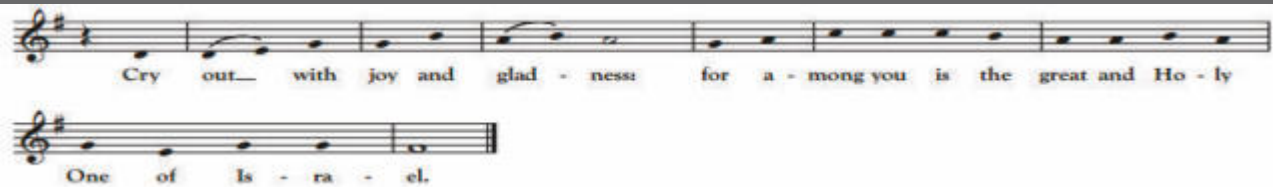
The Catholic Church has five precepts that every Catholic is instructed to use as a baseline in their relationship with Jesus Christ.

The five Precepts of the Church are:

1. Catholics attend Mass on Sundays (or the vigil on Saturday evenings) and Holy Day of obligation.
2. Catholics confess our sins at least once a year through the Sacrament of Reconciliation.
3. Catholics receive our Creator in Holy Communion at least once during the Easter Season.
4. Catholics observe the prescribed days of fasting and abstinence. We fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. We abstain from meat on the Fridays of Lent and do some form of penance each Friday of the year.
5. Catholics provide for the material needs of the Church, each according to his/her ability.



Readings and Gospel: Gather #999 Third Sunday of Advent/C



New to the Parish or Visiting?

We invite you to visit the welcome table in the narthex.

If you are new to the parish, we ask that you please register at the Welcome Table.
We are glad you are here!

Welcome Table Hosts:

Hosts will resume Jan. 6th

We Need You St. Paul's Families!

DePauw mass/dinners are at 5:00p on Sundays. Please sign up to help with this great ministry!
The sign up is in the narthex on the east side bulletin board.

2nd Semester Available

Please be sure to turn in receipts for reimbursement if you like.

Please email the office with any questions!



Please check the inserts for Dec. 8-9 totals.

PLEASE do not include 50/50 contributions in with your regular offertory envelopes/checks. The counter ladies thank you for your help!

ONE PARISH



Monday, December 17, 2018

NO Daily Mass

Thursday, December 20, 2018

NO Daily Mass-NO Adoration

Saturday, December 22, 2018

+Betty Bruner~Senior Center Friends

Sunday, December 23, 2018

Pro-Populo~Putnam County Families

1. Individual Mass stipends are \$10.00 as a suggested amount.
2. Any person may offer a Mass stipend for any pious intention:
 - a. deceased family member(s) or friend(s);
 - b. chronically ill persons;
 - c. other intentions, usually listed as "special intention."

Please call, email, or stop by the church office to schedule an Intention anytime.

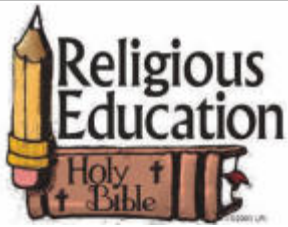
Cards are available.

Readings for the Week of December 17, 2018

- Monday, December 17, 2018:** Isaiah 11:1-9; Numbers 16:1-19; Hebrews 13:7-17
- Tuesday, December 18, 2018:** Isaiah 11:1-9; Numbers 16:20-35; Acts 28:23-31
- Wednesday, December 19, 2018:** Isaiah 11:1-9; Micah 4:8-13; Luke 7:31-35
- Thursday, December 20, 2018:** Psalm 80:1-7; Jeremiah 31:31-34; Hebrews 10:10-18
- Friday, December 21, 2018:** Psalm 80:1-7; Isaiah 42:10-18; Hebrews 10:32-39
- Saturday, December 22, 2018:** Psalm 80:1-7; Isaiah 66:7-11; Luke 13:31-35

Advent Prayer

All-powerful God, increase our strength of will for doing good that Christ may find an eager welcome at his coming and call us to his side in the kingdom of heaven, where he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen



Christmas Food Baskets Project
Thank you for your donations!

NO RE Classes: Dec. 16th, 23th, 30th
Class resumes Sunday, Jan. 6th

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

December 22-23

	Saturday 6:00	Sunday 11:00
Eucharist	Kaiser, Rock-H	Cain, Linda-H
Eucharist	Schott, Norb	McCall, Jeff
Eucharist	Volunteer Needed,	Howard, Mary
Eucharist		Geier, De De
Eucharist		Miller, Andrew
Hospitality	Singer, Carl-H	Plamondon, Stacy-H
Hospitality	Singer, Margaret	Martinez, Wilson
Hospitality	Zeronik, Mark	Martinez, Dayan
Hospitality	Zeronik, Pat	Martinez, Lorena
Hospitality		Lewis, Lori
Reader	Kaiser, Mary Beth	Batto, Teresa
Reader	Huter, Judi	Pride, Murray
Server	Kaiser, Paige	Bieniek, Kenadie
Server	Gillen, Claire	Norris, Luke
Video		Gill, Glen



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

No Thursday Adoration on Dec. 20th.



No WEEKDAY Masses the week of Dec. 17th.
Father Hollowell will be on retreat.
Please keep him in your prayers!

Please be sure to check your inbox, social media, and the bulletin for Christmas mass schedule.



Thank you to everyone that took a tag this year!
 Please return gifts **(unwrapped)** with tags attached by **Sunday, Dec. 9th.**
Thank you!



URGENT! Please prayerfully consider donating a couple of hours a month to a ministry. Hospitality, Lector, Eucharistic Minister, Sacristan, Server...
We are in great need of Communion Call volunteers.
 Please call or email the office for details.
We need you!

Thank you to all of our volunteers!

Sponsor a new hardback hymnal in honor or memory of a loved one. The sponsor sheet is in the bulletin today. Please turn in your form to the office or place in the offering basket. Please call or email the office if you have questions!



NO DePauw Mass on Sundays.
Mass/dinner will resume on Jan. 27th at 3:00p.

Please sign up to help with a dinner 2nd semester! Sign up sheet on the narthex bulletin board.

Prayer for Vocations

O God, Father of all Mercies, Provider of a bountiful Harvest, send Your Graces upon those You have called to gather the fruits of Your labor; preserve and strengthen them in their lifelong service of you.
 Open the hearts of Your children that they may discern Your Holy Will;
 inspire in them a love and desire to surrender themselves to serving others in the name of Your son, Jesus Christ.
 Teach all Your faithful to follow their respective paths in life guided by Your Divine Word and Truth.
 Through the intercession of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary, all the Angels, and Saints, humbly hear our prayers and grant Your Church's needs, through Christ, our Lord. Amen

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