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Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00p.m.

Sunday 11:00a.m.

Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00p.m.

Sunday 12:00p.m.



Heavenly Father, we thank you for the gift of Your Son Jesus Christ, who is truly present in the Eucharist. In our day, many Catholics either do not know or do not believe that the bread and wine become Your Son Jesus, truly present to us in His Body, Blood, Soul and in His Divinity. We pray that there may be a reawakening to Christ's presence in the Eucharist, as He dwells, truly present, in all the Tabernacles throughout the world. We ask these prayers through Christ our Lord, Amen.

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do Thou, O 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

At-A-Glance Parish Schedule



The Office will be closed
December 21st through January 2nd.

How Can I Continue to Contribute My Regular Offering to the Parish?

There have been questions about how parishioners can continue their contributions to the parish during this very difficult time. There are two methods. The first method is to use the online giving feature: [:// my.oneparish.com/account/login?returnPath=/](https://my.oneparish.com/account/login?returnPath=/) The other method is to mail your contributions to 202 E Washington St., Greencastle, IN 46135

We are all facing financial uncertainties. Any offertory that you can give will be greatly appreciated. If you have any difficulty with online giving please email the office and we will assist you.

Monday, December 21

Tuesday, December 22

Wednesday, December 23

Office Closed

Thursday, December 24

Office Closed

Mass 4:30p.m. & 10:00 p.m.

Friday, December 25

Office Closed - Merry Christmas

Mass. 9:00a.m.

Saturday, December 26

4:00p.m. Confessions

5:00p.m. Mass

Sunday, December 27

11:00a.m. Mass

11:45a.m. Confessions



Mass Intentions

Saturday, December 19

5:30 p.m. Father's Intentions

Sunday, December 20

11:00 a.m. +Brenda Richards (Jeff & Cathy McCall)

Monday, December 21

+Bob White (John & Jane Hopwood)

Thursday, December 24

Joe & Jackie Baumann (Dan & Kathy Benassi)

Saturday, December 26

5:00 p.m. +Bob White (Mark & Pat Zeronik)

Sunday, December 27

11:00 a.m. Father's Intentions



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Christmas Masses Information

The Nativity of the Lord - December 25th

There will be a reservation system for the Christmas Masses. Please visit St. Paul's website <http://www.stpaul-greencastle.com> sign up or call the office.

Please be sure to sign up to help us plan accordingly.

Christmas Eve	2:30p.m.	Annunciation
	4:30p.m. & 10:00p.m.	St. Pauls
Midnight Mass	Midnight	Annunciation
Christmas Day	9:00a.m.	St. Pauls
	10:30a.m.	Annunciation

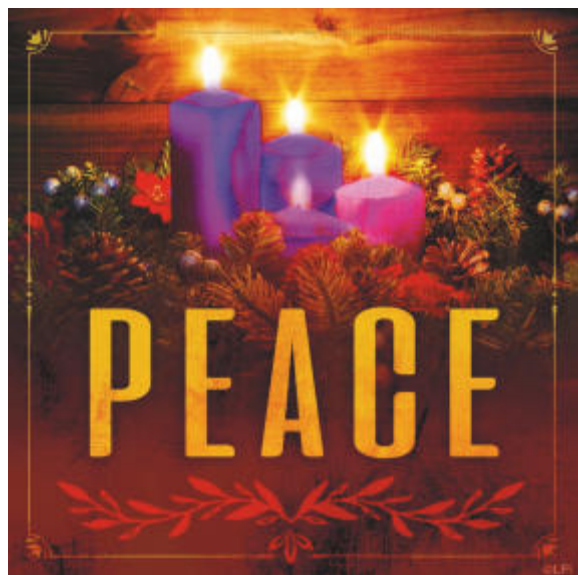
January 1, Mary, Mother of God

Vigil Mass: 5:00p.m. | Day: 11:00a.m.

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

The Journey

Advent comes along every year and will continue to do so until Jesus returns. As this season draws to a close, we can each ask ourselves, "Am I now any better a disciple of Jesus Christ and more of a steward of all my gifts than before the Advent season started?" I have been on this earth for 40+ years. I have had 40+ Advents to draw closer to God and to work on taking more seriously my baptismal call. Some have gone better than others, but I would like to think my spiritual life progressed at least a small amount during each of them.



Conversion is a process. Stewardship is about a way of living and it is about more than simply being generous when a situation calls for it.

Stewardship and conversion go hand-in-hand and we are always moving closer to holiness in Jesus Christ. Living in this way takes practice and commitment. If this Advent didn't go as you had hoped, remember is not really an end. It is just another step along your journey.

This Christmas, while you are giving and receiving gifts and hopefully spending time with those you love, may you take the time to cherish the true gift that came to us over 2000 years ago and continues to call us to this day: Jesus. Let us be grateful beyond measure for this gift above all gifts, let us continue on our journey, and let our lives give testimony to the one who leads us.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MT

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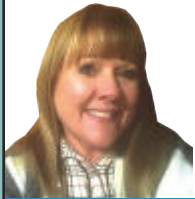
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