

Saint Patrick Catholic Church

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December 1, 2024

St Vincent de Paul First Sunday of Advent: As we begin Advent we are called to “wait” in joyful anticipation for the grace of Christmas to once again bless our lives. Wherever you live in our parish, there are poor families within walking distance of your home. When in need, they ring the rectory bell. They are, in effect, ringing your doorbell. Your gift in the St. Vincent de Paul poor box will help the poor celebrate the grace of God’s love this Christmas.

The next meeting will be held on Sunday, December 8th after Mass.

Knights of Columbus Council 10567 will meet on Thursday at 7 p.m. In the Charles L. Blanchard Knights of Columbus room. Mass is at 6 p.m. in the Chapel. Food will be served after Mass.

The Knights are sponsoring our annual Football Food Drive. Support your favorite team by donating non-perishable food items. The team that gets the most weight in food donated wins. All food will be donated to the St. Vincent de Paul.

SPIRIT youth are taking orders for fruit baskets. The baskets are \$35. The last day to order is December 8th and the baskets will be ready for pickup on the weekend of December 14th and 15th.

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ANNUAL “COAT DRIVE” will start November 29 and go through January 5. We will collect winter wear, (COATS, SWEATERS, GLOVES, ECT.) for the Homeless Women, Men, & Children. There will be boxes in the Fellowship Hall to put your items in. Please, Clean Items or New Only.

Our **ANGEL TREE** ministry will occur between Saturday, November 9, 2024, and Sunday, January 5, 2025. The blue and pink angels list gift suggestions from parents/guardians who need help with gifts for their children at Christmas. Please buy the suggested gift OR any age-appropriate gift and return the gift(s) unwrapped in a plastic bag, with the angel attached, no later than Sunday, December 8, 2024. The lavender angels (money donations) help those in need during this beautiful Christmas season and throughout the year. Please put your monetary donation in the envelope and place it in the collection basket. **THANK YOU** for your support of this ministry and your generosity!

Ladies Auxiliary Our party will be at 6:00 PM on Thursday 12/5 at El Vicino’s in Forestdale. Please bring 6- \$1 bills to play left, right, center. Do not bring a \$5 gift, we have worked out something else for that. We will also play the left-right story game. The auxiliary will pay for your dinner and non-alcoholic beverages.

	Tuesday	12/03	9:00am St. Stanislaus	
	Wednesday	12/04	9:00 am	Tom Marks--+
	Thursday	12/05	9:00 am	Bo Davidson--+
First Friday with an hour of Adoration	Friday	12/06	8:00 am St. Stanislaus 10:00 am St. Patrick	Rev Mon Eugene O’Conner
	Saturday	12/07	4:00 pm	Dorothy Smith--+
	Sunday	12/08	10:00 am	Eva Jean Cavender +
	Sunday	12/08	12:30 pm	Pro Populo

12/08 Readings: | Bar 5:1-9:14-16| Phi 1:4-6,8-11| | Lk 3:1-6|

Confession one hour before all Masses

- THIS IS THE SVDP FOOD PANTRY NEEDS LIST.
- MACARONI AND CHEESE--BOX SIZE
 - SUGAR--2# OR 4# BAGS
 - CORN MEAL 2 # OR 4 # BAGS --JIFFY BOXES 8.5 OZ
 - GREEN BEANS --14 OZ CAN
 - WHITE POTATOES 14 OZ CAN
 - CARROTS --14 OZ CAN
 - MIXED VEGETABLES--14 OZ CAN
 - CRANBERRY SAUCE
 - TURNIP GREENS -14OZ CAN
 - COLLARD GREENS-14 OZ CAN
 - CHICKEN NOODLE SOUP --10 OZ CAN
 - Saltine Crackers
 - Spaghetti -- 1# Box
 - White Rice-- 1 # Bags
 - Corn -- Whole Kernel or Cream Style --15 Oz Cans

December 9th- Feast of the Immaculate Conception Mass Schedule:

8:00 am at St. Stanislaus

10:00 am at St. Patrick

6:00 pm at St. Patrick (English)

7:00 pm at St. Patrick (Spanish)

Christmas Mass Schedule

St. Patrick

Christmas Eve- 6:00 pm

Midnight Mass- 12 Midnight

Christmas Day- 9:00 am

St. Stanislaus

Christmas Eve- 4:00 pm

No Christmas Day Mass