



# ST. STANISLAUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

December 4, 2022

## Second Sunday of Advent

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**BAPTISM:** Contact Monsignor Cox regarding preparation sessions and scheduling

**PENANCE:** Saturday 4:30-5:00 p.m. or by appointment

**MARRIAGE:** Contact Monsignor at least six months in advance for preparation and scheduling

### MASS INTENTIONS: Dec 5 thru Dec 11

<b>Monday:</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>
<b>Mass Intention:</b>	† Joe, Agnes & Georgia Hagenhoff
<b>Tuesday:</b>	<b>5:30 pm</b>
<b>Mass Intention:</b>	The Living & Deceased Members of the Markway & Veit Families
<b>Wednesday:</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>
<b>Mass Intention:</b>	† Gladys Kempker
<b>Thursday:</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>
<b>Mass Intention:</b>	† Barbara Rackers We also remember in prayer, Catherine Siebeneck
<b>Thursday:</b>	<b>6:30 pm</b>
<b>Mass Intention:</b>	† Ruth Roseborough
<b>Friday:</b>	<b>8:00 am</b>
<b>Mass Intention:</b>	† Lucy Kolb
<b>Saturday:</b>	<b>5:30 pm</b>
<b>Mass Intention:</b>	† Roger Wilbers, Charles & MaryAnn Braun, Ray & Edith Staley
<b>Sunday:</b>	<b>7:30 am</b>
<b>Mass Intention:</b>	† Kara Carr, Betty Kroll and Dennis Holtmeyer
<b>Sunday:</b>	<b>10:30 am</b>
<b>Mass Intention:</b>	People of Parish

### Perpetual Adoration Chapel

Open Holy Hours

1:00-2:00 pm Saturday afternoon ( 4th only)

1:00-2:00 am Sunday morning

Please call Donna at 680-1470 to sign up for these Holy Hours

### The Feast of the Immaculate Conception

This is the Mass schedule for the Holy Day of Obligation

Wed, Dec 7 6:30 pm Mass at St. Margaret

Thurs, Dec 8 8:00 am All School Mass St. Stanislaus

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**Prayer Hotline:** Contact Lillian Veit at 636-3937 or Clara Anne Eaton at 635-5301 for prayer line requests or to be added to the prayer line.

### Bishop McKnight's December Prayer Intention for our Local Church

During the holiday season, may our self-centeredness be replaced with generosity; our frustration with compassion, our anxieties with patience, and our intolerance with understanding. We pray to the Lord.

### Christmas Poinsettia's for Church

You will find an envelope in your December packet marked "Offering for Christmas Flowers". If you would like to have a loved one remembered on the Christmas Poster, please send their names with your donation by December 7.

### Spiritual Opportunities

The Second Week of Advent: Gives us the opportunity to prepare our hearts in faithful waiting, celebrate the birth of Jesus, and ready ourselves for his second coming. It is a beautiful chance to reflect on the ways prophecy has been fulfilled and to ponder what the future (promised to us through prophecies) will bring. Psalm: 46-10-11. "Be still, and know that I am God, I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth." The Lord almighty is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.

Faith Step: Make space in your schedules for prayer and meditation to help us to better see God at work in our lives and in our world.

### Area Advent Penance Services

St. Cecilia	Tuesday,	Dec 6	7:00 pm
St. Andrew	Monday,	Dec 12	7:00 pm
I C	Tuesday,	Dec 13	7:00 pm
St. Michael	Wednesday,	Dec 14	7:00 pm
St. Francis	Thursday,	Dec 15	6:00 pm
St. Peter	Tuesday,	Dec 20	7:00 pm
St. Martin	Wednesday,	Dec 21	7:00 pm

### Women of Wardsville Crochet Ministry

One of our ministries is making prayer shawls. If you have a loved one with a serious illness or going through chemo, radiation, etc. we would love to present them with a prayer shawl. Please call Mary Kay Hoelscher at 573-230-6227 for more information.

### Keeping Christ in Christmas Rosary Rally

You are invited to join the Legion of Mary as they pray the Rosary on Saturday, Dec 10 at 8:30 am in the church.

**Church Cleaners:** Kathy Linnenbrink CHR, Jill Linnenbrink, Missy Wilbers, Ben Wilbers, Julie Middleton  
Please clean church before the week-end of December 10 and 11.

### **Christmas Concert at St. Stanislaus**

Gabe Rackers and Landon Wink are excited to share their talents with you this holiday season, on Sunday, December 11th at 1:00pm. These vocalists living in Macomb, Illinois are happy to call Western Illinois University their Alma Mater, where they studied voice! This Bass and Tenor duo have put together an hour long Christmas concert that will tell the story of Christmas completely in song. It is a freewill donation concert in which all proceeds and new toys donated at this event will go straight to Toys for Tots. This concert will have no stops and is sure to take your breath away. They look forward to having a packed house!

### **Upcoming Local Events**

- ◆ Christmas Concert Fundraiser, Sunday December 4, St. Francis Xavier Church in Taos, 2:00 pm
- ◆ St. Nick Night, Sunday December 4, Immaculate Conception Church in Loose Creek, 4 to 6:30 pm
- ◆ Nativity Scenes and Music in the Capitol Rotunda and South Lawn Tuesday, Dec 6, 11 am to 3 pm
- ◆ Jefferson City Cantorum Christmas Concert, Saturday, December 10, 7 pm, Miller Performing Arts Center
- ◆ Young Adults Advent Mini Retreat, Dec 10 9 am to 2 pm Chancery Building
- ◆ St. Thomas Holiday Market, Sunday Dec 11, 10 am to 2 pm, St. Thomas School Gym
- ◆ Gabe Rackers Christmas Concert, Fundraiser for Toys for Tots, Sunday, December 11 at St. Stanislaus 1:00 pm

For additional details on these Fun Holiday Events, please see the flyers in the back of church.

### **CAN YOU HELP?**

*The Spirit is given to each of us for the good of all of us.*  
Corinthians 12:7

#### **STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL MEMBERS NEEDED**

- **Prayer Commitment** - Reflect and pray about stewardship in your personal life and the life of the parish.
  - **Time Commitment** - Meetings bi-monthly plus participation on one other key task, special project or event (Hospitality, Prayer, Formation, Service, Small Group Study).
  - **Educate, Engage, and Empower Commitment** - Actively seek to learn more about the spirituality of stewardship to engage others and empower them to live a stewardship way of life.
- Group Process Commitment** - Willingness to work in a group process of prayer, consensus building, planning and successful implementation of parish stewardship activities.

If interested please contact Gary & Dana Wilbers at 619-8700 Gary [gwilbers@goascend.biz](mailto:gwilbers@goascend.biz) or Dana 619-8701 [dwilbers@goascend.biz](mailto:dwilbers@goascend.biz)

Your gift of time will help our parish become a more vibrant community of faith.

### **Important School News**

#### **School Christmas Concert Date Change**

The Christmas Concert will be held on Wednesday, December 7 at 1:30 pm and 6:30 pm in the school gym. Everyone is invited.

Christmas break will begin on December 16. School will be released at 12:30 pm that day. There is no bus service that day. School will resume on Wednesday, January 4.

St. Stanislaus Student Council will be selling t-shirts and hoodies to continue the 140 year anniversary of St. Stanislaus. Order forms will be in the back of the church and need to be returned to the school office by December 5th. Thanks!

### **Summer Picnic Brainstorming Meeting**

**Tuesday, December 13**

**6:00-7:30pm, School Cafeteria**

Please come and share your ideas of ways to improve our annual events - what worked and what needs improvement. Trends are moving toward more carry-out dinners and less dining-in tickets sold. Special focus will be on ways to improve both the carry-out experience and the dine-in experience, but all aspects are open for discussion. Everyone is welcome; shift leaders and supervisors are especially encouraged to attend.

### **Bulletin Announcement**

Covenant Network Catholic Radio fills the airways with inspirational and educational programming that will help prepare your heart and mind to welcome the Christ Child at Christmas. Listen to Catholic radio on KHJR 88.1 FM. You can also listen anytime on our Covenant Network App or at [OurCatholicRadio.org](http://OurCatholicRadio.org).

### **Collection Numbers for Nov 27, 2022**

#### **Parish Collection:**

Sunday Offering	\$	7,200.00
Loose Cash & Checks	\$	2,483.05
Archdiocese for Military Services	\$	270.00
Human Development	\$	140.00
Christmas Offering	\$	20.00
Christmas Flowers	\$	170.00

#### **Other Collections:**

Samaritan Center	\$	344.00
Capital Improvements	\$	10.00
Ladies Sodality	\$	70.00

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR FALL SUPPER 2022

	<u>EXPENSES</u>	<u>INCOME</u>	<u>PROFIT</u>
DINNER/CARRYOUTS	\$18,648.78	\$31,927.00	\$13,278.22
MEAT COLLECTION/ DONATIONS	-0-	1,060.00	1,060.00
COUNTRY STORE	-0-	4,709.75	4,709.75
BEER	646.68	1,754.50	1,107.82
RAFFLE	2,112.94	6,117.00	4,004.06
BINGO	25.00	679.50	654.50
SANDWICH/SODA	141.42	227.00	85.58
GAMES	-0-	474.00	474.00
SALE OF MEAT/LEFTOVERS	-0-	793.00	793.00
ADVERTISEMENT	476.00	-0-	(476.00)
MISCELLANEOUS	<u>1,230.33</u>	<u>100.00</u>	<u>(1,130.33)</u>
	<b>\$23,281.15</b>	<b>\$47,841.75</b>	<b>\$24,560.60</b>

**2022 NET PROFIT-----\$24,560.60**  
**2021 NET PROFIT-----\$19,795.05 (rev. 02/14/22)**  
**2020 NET PROFIT-----\$34,002.65 ( rev. 01/04/21)**  
**2019 NET PROFIT-----\$24,992.05**  
**2018 NET PROFIT-----\$25,080.69**

2022 - served 2,144 adults, 91 children = 2,235  
 2021 - served 2,141 adults, 68 children = 2,209  
 2020 - total served = 2,080  
 2019 - served 1,674 adults, 96 children = 1,770  
 2018 - served 1,907 adults; 94 children = 2,001

