

Most Holy Trinity Parish

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December 4, 2016



Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church and School

Advent Prayer Service

Sunday, December 11, 2016

Prayer Service: 4 p.m.

**PLEASE RSVP BY
DECEMBER 2**

To Ms. Allison Pittman
at 314-231-9014 or
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**MOST HOLY TRINITY
CATHOLIC CHURCH**

3519 North 14th Street
St. Louis, MO 63107

**All faiths are welcome, we hope you can join us
as we celebrate the Season of Advent.**



We pray, enkindle in our hearts your justice,
as we wait the day of the Lord and prepare to
welcome the One who is coming.

Parish Mass Schedule:

4 PM Saturday (Rectory Chapel)

9:30 AM Sunday (Church)

9 AM Wednesday School Mass
during school year (Church)

Noon to 1 PM Wednesday
Eucharistic Adoration

Sacramental Preparation/RCIA
please call the rectory office

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Mrs. Jessica Kilmade, Principal

Food Pantry / Utility Assistance:

Provided by OLPH Food Pantry/
St. Vincent de Paul. Serves
residents of the 63107 zip code.

Open: Tuesday, Thursday,
Saturday from 9 AM - noon

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Theme of Today's Holy Mass

Reform your lives; live in God's peace so that justice may flourish.

MASS INTENTIONS

12/4	Sunday	Second Sunday of Advent
	9:30 AM	Jesus Zuniga
12/5	Monday	Advent Weekday (2)
12/6	Tuesday	Advent Weekday (2)
12/7	Wednesday	St. Ambrose
	9:00	School Prayer Service
12/8	Thursday	Immaculate Conception of BVM
		Prayer Service in Chapel
12/9	Friday	Advent Weekday (2)
12/10	Saturday	Advent Weekday (2)
	4:00 PM	John Conway
12/11	Sunday	Third Sunday of Advent
	9:30 AM	Dottie Cooke

Please pray for our sick ...

Helen Barber, Barbara Bledsoe, Father Rich, Jean Fannon, Anthony Green, Mary Green, Charles Jones, Sr. (Rocky's father), Tillie Plouder, Karen Racusin (Kim Lenz' sister), Glen Rhine, James Smith, Sharon Ann Ryan, Dorothy Schulte (Don McFarland's mom), the Usanga's.

Last Week's Collection

11/27	
\$ 842.00	Parishioner Envelopes
50.00	Loose
20.00	Building & Maintenance
21.00	Special Collections
\$ 933.00	Total - Thank you

Liturgical Roles for Next Week

December 10 & 11



Saturday	
Lector	Gail Guelker, SSND
Eucharistic Minister	
Sunday	
First Reading	Korky Buhr
Second Reading	Madonna Buhr
Eucharistic Ministers	Nancy Lemond
	Donna Lindsay
	Kenneth Patterson
	Ann Russek
Cross Bearer	Elizabeth Hopson
Sacramentary	S. Janice

Readings for This Week

Monday	Is 35: 1-10/ Ps 85: 9ab and 10. 11-12. 13-14/ Lk 5: 17-26
Tuesday	Is 40: 1-11/ Ps 96: 1-2. 3 and 10ac. 11-12. 13/ Mt 18: 12-14
Wednesday	Is 40: 25-31/ Ps 103: 1-2. 3-4. 8 and 10/ Mt 11: 28-30
Thursday	Gn 3: 9-15. 20/ Ps 98: 1. 2-3ab. 3cd-4/ Eph 1: 3-6. 11-12/ Lk 1: 26-38
Friday	Is 48: 17-19/ Ps 1: 1-2. 3. 4 and 6/ Mt 11: 16-19
Saturday	Sir 48: 1-4. 9-11/ Ps 80: 2ac and 3b. 15-16. 18-19/ Mt 17: 9a. 10-13
Sunday	Is 35: 1-6a. 10/ Ps 146: 6-7. 8-9. 9-10/ Jas 5: 7-10/ Mt 11: 2-11

Please keep the Lemond family in prayer as Mike and Nancy niece Sandy passed away this past week. *May she rest in eternal peace.*

Fr. Rich is recuperating at St. Luke's Surrey Place, Canyon Creek Room 12 located at 14701 Olive Blvd. in Chesterfield, MO 63017.

Second Sunday of Advent December 4, 2016

*There shall be safety on all my holy mountain...
On that day, the root of Jesse shall signal...
God's glorious dwelling*

Isaiah 11:1-10



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Our entry into Advent ...

like the entrance rite of every Eucharist, is most effective when it is most expansive. When our arms are fully open, we welcome God to embrace all of us, every part of us.

As Christians, we must be about the reform of our nations as well as of our Church. We must be about reconciliation with our families and our friends. And we must be about the acknowledgment of our own failure.

What does such penitence lead to? Not sadness, but "glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth."
John Kavanaugh, SJ

Gatherings of the Week

Wednesday

- 9 am, School Mass in Church
- Noon—1 pm Eucharistic Adoration

Thursday

- Feast of the Immaculate Conception (Holy Day of Obligation), 12:10 PM, Eucharistic Prayer Service in Chapel
- 7 PM, Choir Practice

Today

Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Confessors (Msgr. Schneider, Msgr. Griesedieck, and Fr. Ralph) will be available following the Liturgy of the Word. We will have a special time of reflection to do an examination of conscience. Come, then to one of the confessors to celebrate this great sacrament of healing and wholeness. Coffee and donuts after mass in the back of church.



And, please welcome

Seminarian Mateo Salam from the Diocese of Belize City/Belmopan. He is a pre-Theology I student.

Tuesday, Dec. 8.

Feast of the Immaculate Conception - Eucharistic Prayer Service

12:10 in the chapel.

Mary's yes choice has consequences for all humanity; through her the Savior of the world was born. Similarly, our own yes choices have consequences for humanity. It is through the yes of each one of us that God chooses to make the risen life of the Son present in our world today.

Sunday, Dec. 11. Advent Prayer Service-4:00 PM.

The students of Most Holy Trinity Catholic School and Academy will lead us in prayer with the violins and drums, the singing and dancing, offering a practical way to "stay awake" this sacred season (see back page of bulletin for more info.)

RCIA: Interested in learning more about the Catholic faith or in being confirmed? Please contact S. Janice at the Rectory 241.9165