



ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH

807 TYLER STREET • WALKERTON • IN 46574



Nov. 28, 2021

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT



Pastor: Rev. Donald Davison, C.P.P.S
Secretary: Nancy Kochanowski
Finance Manager: Carol Sherk
Music Director: Anna Chaffee
Rel. Ed. Director: Barb Blad

Daily Masses

Tuesday, 5:30pm
Wednesday-Friday, 8am
Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00pm
Sunday Masses:
8:00am & 10:30am
Holy Day Masses: See Mass
Schedule

Sacrament of Baptism:

Call Parish office to arrange.

Marriage:

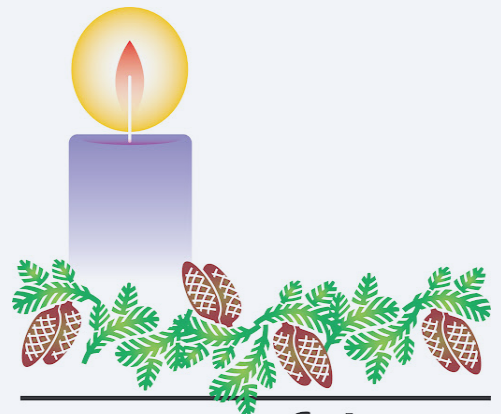
At least 6 months preparation is required. Call the pastor.

Anointing of the Sick/Communion:

Please keep us informed of the sick and homebound, particularly in serious illness. If you know of any parishioner homebound or in the hospital, please let us know.

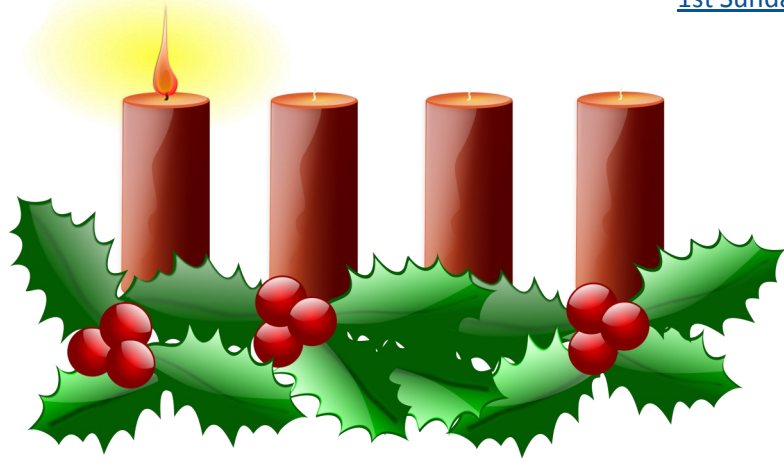
Penance/Reconciliation:

Sat., 4pm or by appointment



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Jesus, I trust in You



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, November 27

5pm Lewis Pierson +

Sunday, November 28

8am Julie Brems Birthday

By Beem Families

10:30am For the People

Tuesday, November 30

5:30pm St. Patrick's Veterans

Deceased and Living

By Dennis & Linda Holland

Wednesday, December 1

8am Jerry Schmeltz

By Groves Family

Thursday, December 2

8am Jim Martin +

By Dennis & Linda Holland

Friday, December 3

8am Warren White +

Saturday, December 4

5pm Wegenka Family +

By Lorraine Borton

Sunday, December 5

8am Tod Brems Birthday

By Beem Families

10:30am For the People

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday, December, 4 5:00 pm

Proclaimer: Bob Rudecki

EMHC: Sheree Rudecki

Servers: Julia Rudecki

Sunday, December 5, 8:00 am

Proclaimer: Cassie Phelan

EMHC: Tim Krohn

Servers: Izzy Kogiones

Sunday, December 5, 10:30 am

Proclaimer: Joyce Palmateer

EMHC: Dave Guseilla

Servers: Nora & George Guseilla

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Low gluten hosts available please see Father if you are requesting this.

Bins in the back of church are for plastic bags & food pantry donations.

Masses by Bishop Rhoades are available at diocesefwsb.org, [youtube.com](https://www.youtube.com)

1st SUNDAY OF ADVENT, Year C... The **1st Sunday of Advent** symbolizes Hope with the "Prophet's Candle" reminding us that Jesus is coming. This Sunday gives us the opportunity to center our thoughts on hope. It's a beautiful chance to remember the hope God offers to us. Galatians 4:4-8 says: "But when the right time came, God sent his son, born of a woman, subject to the law."

UPCOMING HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION... Wednesday, December 8 is the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception and Saturday, December 25 is the Nativity of the Lord.

MASS SCHEDULE FOR CHRISTMAS... Mass schedule for Christmas and New Year's is in the back of the church and on our website www.saintpatricks.church. Christmas Day is a Holy Day of Obligation (the Nativity of the Lord); therefore, you will be obligated to attend 2 Masses to fulfill your obligation...one for Christmas Day and one for Sunday Mass. St. Patrick's is offering two Masses for Christmas on Friday, Dec. 24 at 4:00 PM and Saturday, Dec. 25 at 10:00 AM. On Saturday will be the regular Mass at 5:00 PM and Sunday at 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM to fulfill your Sunday obligation.

CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT... Thank you for your generous support last week for the second collection.

CHURCH CLEANING FOR DECEMBER... Susan Kluszczinski Dec. 6; TJ Borton Family Dec. 13; Richard and Kathy Eichstedt Dec. 20; Norm & Jean Ann Beem Dec. 27

GIVING TUESDAY... This year we have joined other parishes in the diocese on November 30, 2021 for Giving Tuesday. You can log on to www.iGiveCatholic.org between November 15 and November 30; choose **Select a Partner** which would be **Diocese FWSB** or any other diocese of your choice. Under our diocese are several charities and churches including St. Patrick, Walkerton, which you can donate money too. The money donated to us will go right to our bank account.

PARISH SUPPORT FOR NOVEMBER 21, 2021

OFFERTORY

Regular Collection	
Envelopes (33)	\$ 980.00
Loose	\$ 247.00
Regular Collection Total	\$ 1,227.00
Special Envelopes	\$ 444.00
Online Giving	\$ 15.00
Total Collection	\$ 1,686.00

SPECIAL ENVELOPES

Walkerton Food Pantry	\$ 25.00
Catholic Campaign	\$ 289.00
Religious Ed	\$ 130.00

CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING... Join us on Dec 3 at 6pm for the Walkerton Christmas tree lighting, Christmas music, cookies and Mr. & Mrs. Claus at Urey Park in Downtown Walkerton across from the Community Food Pantry.

YEAR END BLOOD DRIVE, MARK YOUR CALENDERS... Plan ahead now! Upcoming blood drives at the Walkerton-Lincoln Twp Public Library are scheduled for 12/10/21. Register now at <https://givebloodnow.com/donorportal/>

LAPORTE CHRISTKINDLMARKT... 102 G. Street LaPorte, on Nov 26-Nov 28. Quality art, crafts, toys and more. Christmas everything. The Market will wrap around the ice skating rink and you'll be surrounded by the magical sights and sounds of German style Christmas markets done with small town American style!

FISH DINNER AT K of C... The Knights of Columbus council 5521 is having our monthly fish fry at our home, 61533 S. Ironwood Rd. on **Friday, December 3rd, 2021** from 5-7pm. Drive-thru style carryout (remain in your car) & dine-in seating available. Fish, shrimp, or chicken nuggets meal: Adult \$11; Children 6-12 \$4. Includes baked potato or french fries, and cole slaw or apple sauce.

BUSINESS MANAGER POSITION/ST. PATRICK CHURCH/WALKERTON... We are seeking to hire a part-time business manager for the parish. This essential member of the parish staff is responsible for supporting the pastor in the stewardship of the parish's finances, facilities and personnel. Preferred qualities are an accounting degree and experience managing financial accounts utilizing GAAP accounting for an organization/business. Computer skills include administering the website, the use of Excel, Word and Adobe. Hours are flexible. For more information, please call the parish at 586-7152. To apply, send a cover letter, your resume and application found at www.diocesefwsb.org/business . Send to Fr. Donald Davison at info@saintpatricks.church.

ALTAR ROSARY SOCIETY HOSTS COOKIE WALK... St. Michael's Altar Rosary Society and parish will have a cookie sale of assorted cookies for \$4 per pound on Saturday, Dec. 11, at the church, 612 N. Center St. from 8am to noon. All proceeds benefit the parish.

BREAKFAST WITH ST. NICK... Enjoy breakfast with St. Nick on Sunday, Dec. 12, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. with an extensive menu for adults and children. Visit with St. Nick and photos will be available. Tickets are \$12 for adults, \$6 for children and \$30 for families of four or more. All are welcome. Tickets available at the door. St Patrick Parish Center, 331 S Scott, South Bend.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Dear God, we place our worries in your hands; we place our hospitalized and infirm in your care; and we humbly ask that you restore them to health once more... Kackie Chrapliwy, Donny Wyant, Robert Moore, Jr., Danny Beem, Alice Moore, Katherine Ganger, Craig Vandenbouch, Pauline O'Hern Fraiser, Dave Noble, Ken Waite, Pat G., Jessica McGwin, Tom Rzepka, Carolyn, Linda O., Carol, Jaci Smith, Shellee Anderson, Paula L., Lydia Kolacz, Jack Vukovits, Katie JeLovcic, Lisl, Stemmelen, Bob Holland, Dave, Kaye & Linda Laney, Jaxon Bogard, Brad Schmeltz, Paul Holland, Msgr. Peter Smith, Deb VanArsdale, Mary Vukovits, Nathan Braun, Wilda Henry, Teresa Kemp, Lyla Hendryx, Michael Sentar and all parishioners who are homebound or reside in nursing homes.

NEW PARISHIONERS

We are glad you are here. To get acquainted and/or register, call the Parish Office to make an appointment during regular business hours by calling 574-586-7152.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Advent Begins: 11/28
Walkerton Christmas Tree Lighting: 12/3
Alter Rosary Society Cookie Walk: 12/11
St. Patrick S. Bend, St. Nick Breakfast: 12/12

PARISH SCHEDULE

Parish Office Hours:
Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 9am –1pm
Confession: Saturdays 4pm
or by appointment
Religious Ed Schedule: Sunday's at 9am
Coffee & Donuts: Returns in February
KofC Sponsored Pancake Breakfast:
Third Sunday of the Month

Rosary

Rosary: Sundays at 6:30pm in the church
All are welcome and encouraged to join.



PARISH CONNECTIONS

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