

St. Cecilia Catholic Church

NOVEMBER 28, 2021
FIRST WEEK OF ADVENT

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— Mass Times —

Saturday (Vigil): 4:30pm

Sunday: 8:30am & 11:00am

Monday: 6:30pm

Tuesday-Friday: 8:00am

1st Saturday of Month: 8:00am

— Reconciliation —

Monday: 6:00-6:30pm

Saturday: 3:30-4:00pm

1st Saturday of Month: 7:30am

Anytime by Appointment

Readings: #993/(year C)

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Weds.	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
DECEMBER 2021 Black=CHURCH; Blue=FLC; Green=HALL; Purple=Church Conf Rm; Red=Off Site & Holiday			1 8 Mass 9 Food Pantry 10 RENEW 7 Choir	2 8 Mass 6:30 RCIA	3 1st Friday 8 Mass 9-3 1st Friday Home Visits	4 1st Saturday 7:30 Reconcil 7:45 Rosary 8:00 Mass 10:30 Funeral 3:30 Reconcil. 4:30 Mass
5 Advent 2 8:30 Mass 9:30 Adult Study 9:30 PSR 11:00 Mass 1 1st Reconcil Class 3 1st EucharistClass	6 6:00 Reconcil 6:30 Mass 7:00 Adult Study 7:00 Choir	7 30th Anniversary Fr's Ordination 8 Mass 8:30 Quilters 10:30 Adult St 6 Mass-Immac. Conc. Vigil 7 KC Meeting	8 Immacul Concep 8 Mass 9 Food Pantry 10 RENEW 7 Choir	9 8 Mass 10 Mass @ Eden 6:30 RCIA	10 8 Mass	11 3:30 Reconc 4:30 Mass
12 Advent 3 8:30-12:30 Reception for Fr's 30th w/ KC 2nd Sunday Breakfast 8:30 Mass 9:30 Adult Study 9:30 PSR 11:00 Mass-Grace Notes Sing 1 1st Reconcil Class 2 Penance Service at St. Boniface 3 1st EucharistClass	13 6:00 Reconcil 6:30 Mass 7:00 Adult Study 7:00 Choir	14 8 Mass 8:30 Quilters 10:30 Adult St 6:30 SJN Board Meeting	15 8 Mass 9 Food Pantry 10 RENEW 6:30 Advent Penance Service 7 Choir	16 8 Mass 6:30 RCIA	17 O Wisdom 8 Mass	18 O Adonai 3:30 Reconc 4:00 Rosary 4:30 Mass
19 Advent 4 O Root of Jesse 8 & 10:30 Rosary 8:30 Mass 9:30 PSR 11:00 Mass 2:00 Parish Christmas Pageant	20 O Key of David 6:00 Reconcil 6:30 Mass 7:00 Choir	21 O Radiant Dawn 8 Mass 8:30 Quilters 7 KC Officers' Mtg	22 O King of All Nations 8 Mass 9 Food Pantry 10 RENEW 7 Choir	23 O Emmanuel 8 Mass 10:30 Mass @ Meridian	24 CHRISTMAS EVE 3 Reconciliation 4 Mass 12 Midnight Mass	25 CHRISTMAS DAY 10:00 Mass 3:30 Reconc 4:30 Mass
26 Holy Family 8:30 Mass 11:00 Mass	27 Office Closed 6:00 Reconcil 6:30 Mass	28 Office Closed 8 Mass	29 Office Closed 8 Mass 9 Food Pantry 7 Choir	30 Office Closed 8 Mass 6:30 RCIA	31 NEW YEAR'S EVE 6:30 Mass- Mary, Mother of God Vigil	



Office Information

Monday — Thursday 9:00 am—1:30 pm
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Mass for the Week

This week's intentions:

Saturday, November 27

4:30pm For Louis "John" Aleman III

Sunday, November 28

8:30am For Dale Fortner

11 For St. Cecilia Parishioners

Monday, November 29

6:30pm For The Reform of the Clergy

Tuesday, November 30

8:00am For Dennis Cuypers

Wednesday, December 1

8:00am For Rosemary Perry

Thursday, December 2

8:00am For James Kobler

Friday, December 3

8:00 am For Bob & Dorothy Kubicek

Saturday, December 4

8:00 am For Mary Jo Peck

4:30pm For St. Cecilia Parishioners

Sunday, December 5

8:30am For Dorothy Kubicek

11:00am For Rose Leach Newman

*To schedule a mass intention call
LeAnne Scheibal at 618.623.9153*

ST. CECILIA HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK!

Sunday, November 28-1st Advent

8:30 am Mass

9:30 am PSR

9:30 am Adult Study

11:00 am Mass

1:00 pm 1st Reconciliation Class

3:00 pm 1st Eucharist Class

Monday, November 29

6:00 pm Reconciliation

6:30 pm Mass

7:00 pm Adult Study

7:00 pm Choir

Tuesday, November 30

8:00 am Mass

8:30 am Quilters

10:30 am Adult Study

Wednesday, December 1

8:00 am Mass

9:00 am Food Pantry

10:00 am RENEW

7:00 pm Choir

Thursday, December 2

8:00 am Mass

6:30 pm RCIA

Friday, December 3-1st Friday

8:00 am Mass

9:00 am-3:00 pm 1st Friday Visits

Saturday, December 4-1st Saturday

7:30 am Reconciliation

7:45 am Rosary

8:00 am Mass

10:30 am Diane Zarlingo Funeral

3:30 pm Reconciliation

4:30 pm Mass

Sunday, December 5-2nd Advent

8:30 am Mass

9:30 am PSR

9:30 am Adult Study

11:00 am Mass

1:00 pm 1st Reconciliation Class

3:00 pm 1st Eucharist Class



Faith Formation



Life-long catechetical formation is needed to prepare us to be disciples of our Lord and stewards of His creation. We offer programs for all ages—please join us!

Faith Formation Focus

1st Sunday of Advent
November 28, 2021

GOSPEL – Preparing for Jesus' coming.

SAINT – St. Andrew (Nov. 30)

DOCTRINE – Advent

SERVICE – K of C Christmas Crib

Articles, videos, online links & activity pages on these topics can be found on STCPARISH.org



Life Question: If you know Jesus will come again on Monday, how will you spend the weekend?

Gospel Question: What do you imagine salvation in Christ will be like for Earth & its people?

Adults: Watch & discuss **episode 1** of ***FORGIVEN*** this week on FORMED.org.



Christmas Crib

This Advent, the KC's invite you to purchase baby items for "A Beacon of Light" Pregnancy Help Center.

- Pick a gift tag from the crib.
- Purchase the item on the gift tag.
- Return the item to the crib (unwrapped).



Faith formation is a life-long process. Join us as we learn about our faith.

Weekly Schedule

Sun @ 9:35 am - **PSR (K - 8) & Adult Study**
Mon @ 7:00 pm - **Adult Study**
Tues. @ 10:30 am - **Adult Study**
Wed. @ 10:00 am - **RENEW**
Thurs @ 6:30 pm - **RCIA**

Scheduled As Needed

Baptisms, Funerals, Weddings
Call office to schedule.
1st Reconciliation, Confirmation & 1st Eucharist
Sundays at 1 & 3 pm - see website for details.

St. Cecilia is dedicated to sharing the Catholic faith to the next generation & community!



FALL FEST

Our preschool and kindergarten classes recently participated in their first annual Fall Fest. All of the students had the opportunity to hammer pumpkins, make a

picture frame, play in a bounce house, do various arts and crafts, make applesauce, and get their picture taken photo booth style. They ended their day by gathering together for a special lunch celebration! **Happy Thanksgiving!**

**December 7, 1991
Fr. Donald Patrick
Gibbons was ordained
as a priest!**



**Let's thank him for his service!
We'll celebrate Father Gibbons at
the Knights of Columbus 2nd
Sunday Breakfast, December 12th**

Please join us in the Parish Hall!

SAVE THE DATE

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Griffin Gala

FEBRUARY 19, 2022



Want to share your Griffin pride and bring the magic of FMCHS campus to your home for the holidays? Make a donation of \$50 or more, and you will receive this ornament designed by McGivney student, Maddie Burkhart.



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As disciples of Jesus Christ, we actively participate in worship, faith formation, and community outreach.

Are you a male between the ages of 32 and 57? Are you interested in becoming a deacon?

If you answered yes, there is an informational meeting **THIS Sunday, November 28, 1:00-2:30 pm, at St. Francis Parish Center, 1721 College, Quincy, IL**

Permanent Diaconate Formation begins in the fall of 2022. Applications are being accepted at this time.

If interested, and if married, wives are welcome and encouraged to attend. For questions, email Deacon Sorrell or visit dio.org/diaconate.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

**A Beacon of Light (ABL)
Pregnancy Help Center in Maryville Illinois
is seeking an Executive Director.**

The ideal candidate will have a Pro-Life heart and a genuine love and vision for a woman and family experiencing an unexpected pregnancy. The Executive Director will oversee the daily operations of the center, its programs, and staff in keeping with ABL's mission and vision as established by the Board of Directors.

Experience in management, medical, and/or non-profit fields as well as bachelor's degree are preferred but not required. Position requires at least 20 hours/week.

The leader we seek will have excellent oral, written and interpersonal communication skills and the ability to be a team leader.

Please send letter of interest, resume, and references to re-sume@ablpregnancyresources.org

NOVEMBER 28, 2021



FIRST
Sunday
OF *Advent*

There will be signs in the sun, the moon, and the stars.
... When these signs begin to happen,
stand erect and raise your heads
because your redemption is at hand.

Luke 21:25, 28

**National Shrine of Our Lady
of the Snows**

**Way of Lights Volunteer
Request**

**Tuesdays, Dec. 7 & 14
10:00—12 noon**

The Nativity Stories

SAINT LUKE PRODUCTIONS PRESENTS



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Friday, December 3, 2021

7 pm

St. Jerome Catholic Church

Troy, IL

Admission:

Free-Will Offering

Suitable for Ages 10 & Up

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ST. CECILIA CHURCH—SEASON OF STEWARDSHIP TIME, TALENT & TREASURE

As a Diocese, we are committed to discipleship & stewardship.
We recognize that everything we have comes from God and that He has given
us gifts not just to use for ourselves but also to share with others!

GOOD DEEDS HERE!

ST. CECILIA FOOD PANTRY

As a Parish family we
continue to help **families**
with groceries & utili-
ties each week!



ITEMS NEEDED:

**Grape Jelly, Sugar, Mixed Vegetables,
Pineapple, Rice Krispies Cereal, Oil,
Laundry Soap, Bar Soap**

Your Generosity is Appreciated!

If you would like to be a Pantry Volunteer,
please contact Bernie Guy-Marshall at
618.344.9950 or guymarshall60@yahoo.com

PARISH GENEROSITY REPORT

FISCAL YEAR 2020/2021 (July 1, 2020-June 30, 2021)

Weekly Generosity	Weekly Totals	Fiscal YTD
Oct25-Nov 7, 2021	\$ 13,686.93	\$ 477,028.58
Online Giving	<u>6,388.00</u>	<u>203,130.37</u>
Total	\$ 20,074.93	\$ 680,158.95
Budget Goal (\$9,800/wk)	<u>19,600.00</u>	<u>695,800.00</u>
Difference	\$ 474.93	\$ (15,641.05)

Add'l \$467 contributed to Haiti, Dioc Special & Restricted
Add'l \$4,990 contributed to the Elevator Project

ST. CECILIA MASS COUNTS

Nov 20/21: Not available at time of print.
Nov 13/14: 4:30=97; 8:30=97; 11=101; Total=295
Nov 6/7: 4:30=97; 8:30=89; 11=97; Total=283
Oct 30/31: 4:30=82; 8:30=85; 11=97; Total=264

**Go GREEN—Give online @ [https://
www.osvhub.com/stc-parish/](https://www.osvhub.com/stc-parish/)**
Thanks for your generosity!

ST. CECILIA ELEVATOR PROJECT

GOAL: \$525,000

CURRENT FUND BALANCE: \$181,555

Thru Nov. 7th!

PLEDGES: \$40,500

BALANCE: \$302,945

Architectural Renderings, and Floor Plans are on display in
the portico.

Informational brochures including Pledge/Donation forms
are also in the portico.

PLEASE CONSIDER A YEAR-END DONATION. IT COULD:

- BE TAX DEDUCTIBLE
- SATISFY A RMD*
- QUALIFY AS A QCD**

*IRS Required Minimum Distribution. **IRS Qualified Charitable Distribution

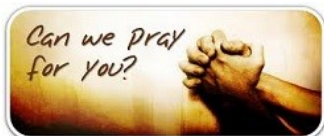
**Last weekend,
Nov. 20/21, was
the collection for
Justice & Hope
(DCJH).**

**Your donations
help so many fam-
ilies and give hope
to those living in
poverty!**

**Thank you for your
generosity.**

**You can still give
online at
www.dio.org/dcjh**

St. Cecilia is a fervent community of intentional and dedicated missionary disciples of the Risen Lord.
We serve, especially those in need, with prayer, participation, and charity.



Prayer Requests:

Mark Achenbach,
Patricia Aleman,
Debbie Armas,

Marissa Banovz, Betty Barton, Jan Brogan, Bob Buehler, Maria Carroll, Sara Cleary, Charles Cook, Tanya Craddick, Francis Family, Lisa Frew's friend Rick, Ted Fuehne, Edwin Gajewski, Sandy Gill, Mary Anne Griffin, Angie & Adalyn Hardesty, Mary Ann Hobbs, Mike Hogan, Cynthia Ann Hunter, Esther Kacer, Mary Rose Kobler, Marion Konkel, Joseph Martin, Connor McAleenan, Georgia Miller, Bill & Sue Newman, Mike Pagano, Irene Potthoff, Bruce Rhodes, Sheila Ridenbark, Doris Robinson, Nathan Rozycki, Gayle Schaake, Bob Scheibal, Marie Weiss, Mary Ann Weiss, Allison Winkler, JD Wynn, Rob Wynn, Zarlingo Family, Bob Zellerman, Florence Zielonko, StC Parish & Anonymous Prayers

If you like to add yourself or a loved one to the bulletin Prayer List, contact LeAnne
618.288.3200 office@stcparish.org

Saturday, December 4, 2021

1st Saturday Devotion

- 7:30 am Reconciliation
- 7:45 am Rosary
- 8:00 am Mass

**9:00-3:30 Adoration Cancelled
due to Funeral**

All are welcome to come for all the portions of the devotion, or stop in during the day to spend time in adoration in front of the Blessed Sacrament.



*** SIGN UP**

We cannot leave the exposed Blessed Sacrament alone.

- We need 7 adorers to SIGN UP during the hours the Blessed Sacrament is exposed.
- All others do not need to sign up for any part of the 1st Saturday devotion.

Sign Up available in the portico.



MINISTRY SCHEDULER PRO

Effective Ministry Scheduling

For assistance, contact LeAnne @ office@stcparish.org

DEC 4/5	Altar Server	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Gift Bearer	Greeter	Reader	Usher
Saturday, 4:30 PM	Annabella DeAvila Carter McKaig	NOT FILLED Frank Ley George Petrunich	Maria & Tom Carroll	Gayle & Alan Schaake	Phil Gonzales NOT FILLED	Bill Cobb Larry Dillin
Sunday, 8:30 AM	Christopher Agwuedu Georgia Samet	Frank Luitjohan Marlene Luitjohan NOT FILLED	Kate & Charles Juneau	Trauernicht Family	Tom Kissel Terry Tennant	Tom Dixon Charles Juneau
10:00 AM (Meridian) Zagorski						
Sunday, 11:00 AM	Anna Moore Colin Moore	Roger Dettenmeier Nathan Moore Kathy Weiss	Richter Family	Richter Family	Jen Moore Sharon Laswell	Ben Maliszewski Nathan Moore

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