

BLESSED TRINITY CATHOLIC PARISH



Saint Patrick, Lodi

Saint Michael, Dane

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.....Judy Pulvermacher

Parish Cemeteries

Saint Michael Cemetery.....Dean Clemens

Saint Patrick Cemetery.....Mary Gamer

Registration

New parishioners are most welcome to the parish.

All are invited to register in the parish office or online.

Holy Mass Schedule

Sunday

Saturday Vigil 4:30 pm (Lodi)

Sunday 8:00 am (Dane)

Sunday 10:00 am (Lodi)

Weekday:

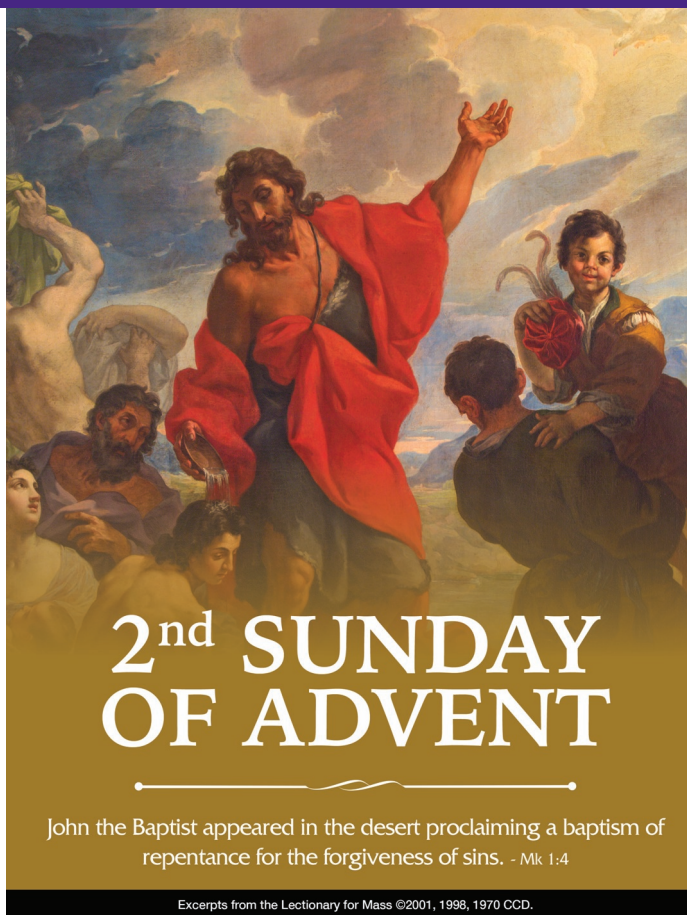
Tuesday 8:00 am (Lodi)

Wednesday 8:00 am (Dane)

Thursday 8:00 am (Lodi)

Friday 8:00 am (Dane)

December 10, 2017
The Second Sunday of Advent



John the Baptist appeared in the desert proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins. - Mk 1:4

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Friday 8:30 - 9:30 am (Dane)

Saturday 3:30 - 4:15 pm (Lodi)

Sunday 7:30 - 7:50 am (Dane)

If these times do not work, Father is more than happy to set up a time that works for you, please call him directly.

Additional Advent Confessions With Adoration

Tuesdays, December 12 and 19

6:30 - 7:30 pm In Lodi

Thursday, December 21

6:30 - 7:30 pm in Dane

Eucharistic Adoration

Friday 8:30 - 9:30 am (Dane)

Sacrament of Baptism

Our Baptismal Preparation Program is required for parents and God-parents who wish to have a child baptized. Please call the parish office in advance to register for the class and the baptism.

Sacrament of Marriage

The common policy of the Diocese of Madison requires a six month minimum notice before the date of marriage.

Sick Calls or Team Care

Please notify the parish office if you or someone you know would like Holy Communion at home, is in the hospital, or in need of Team Care.



Mass Intentions

Saturday, December 9

4:30 pm † David Otto (SP)

Sunday, December 10

8:00 am † Albert, Joan & Eugene Deans (SM)

10:00 am People of Blessed Trinity Parish (SP)

Tuesday, December 12

8:00 am † Living & Deceased Members of the Isaacson & May Families (SP)

Wednesday, December 13

8:00 am † Patricia Mack (SM)

Thursday, December 14

8:00 am † George Buckley (SP)

Friday, December 15

8:00 am † Helen Niesen (SM)

Saturday, December 16

4:30 pm † John Kasting (SP)

Sunday, December 17

8:00 am † Living & Deceased Members of the Thomas Taylor Family (SM)

10:00 am People of Blessed Trinity Parish (SP)

(SM) Saint Michael • (SP) Saint Patrick

† Rosary prayed 30 minutes before weekday Masses †

Adoration & Benediction

Friday 8:30 am - 9:30 am - Dane (Confessions)
Devotion to Sacred Heart

Saint Patrick Church Liturgical Roles

Saturday, December 16 at 4:30 pm

Minister of the Word 1 - Anna Zimmerman
2 - Sharon Schmidt
Commentator Marnie Harrington
Comm. Min. Matt Zeman, Ken Clemens
Servers Corbin Schilling, Colin Harrington
Greeters Dawn Duchesneau

Sunday, December 17 at 10:00 am

Minister of the Word 1 - Dana Quigley 2 - Julia Detert
Commentator Patricia Clemens
Comm. Min. Cookie Quigley, Scott Clemens
Servers Kody Sellner, AJ Karls
Greeters Bea Pierquet

Saint Michael Church Liturgical Roles

Sunday, December 17 at 8:00 am

Minister of the Word Elizabeth Keichinger, Barb Taylor
Comm. Min. Carol Deans
Servers Ben Meinholz, Jacob Treichel
Greeters Judy Pulvermacher

Religious Education Calendar

All RE events are at Saint Patrick Church, Lodi unless otherwise specified..

PS3-KND: Sunday, 9:45-11:00 am
December 10, 17

GR. 1-5: Wednesday, 3:15-4:30 pm
December 13*, 20

GR. 6-8: Wednesday, 6:15-7:15 pm
December 13, 20*

GR. 9: Wednesday, 7:30-8:45 pm
December 13, 20*

*gr. 3-9 opportunity for confession

NO CLASSES December 24-January 3.

Sunday PS-K classes resume January 7.

Wednesday 1-9 classes resume January 10.

Family Faith And Life Note:

Next Wednesday, December 13, our grade 3-5 RE students will have the opportunity to go to confession during class time; grade 6-9 the following week. RE second graders will celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time Saturday, December 16. There is no sin, no matter how serious, that God can't forgive. There is no sin, great or small, that God doesn't want to forgive. God is always waiting for us to come to him in the Sacrament of Penance so he can forgive our sins, heal our souls from the effects of sin, and give us the grace to avoid sin in the future. The 5 steps to making a good confession: Examine our conscience; Sorrow for our sins, Intent to avoid sin in future, Confess sins to a priest; Do the penance the priest gives us.

Love Begins Here

Registration for Love Begins Here starts on December 15th. Registration will be done online. More information to come on how to register. Contact Geno Finn.

High School Advent Party

Wednesday, December 20th - 7:30pm - 9pm All High School students are invited to attend. We will join together to celebrate the coming of Christ on Christmas. Come for the time of your life. Games will be played. Food will be eaten. Prizes will be won. Please bring a snack to share.

Support Our Parish Teens

Help support the parish teens going to Frassati Fest. Next weekend, December 16-17, we will be selling baked goodies after all the masses. All funds raised will go towards helping these teens attend an amazing life changing retreat.



Advent Confession Times - With Adoration

6:30 - 7:30 pm Tuesdays - December 12 and 19 in Lodi.
6:30 - 7:30 pm Thursday, December 21 in Dane.
We need at least 1 person who is willing to sit with our Lord for the one hour Adoration time during Confessions. Please contact Father Scott if you would be here one of these hours to keep watch with our Lord.

Fish Fry - Thank You!

Thank you to everyone who helped with the Fish Fry and to those who came to the Fry on December 1st. We served 667 adults and 44 children. We raised \$5,000.00.



Blessed Trinity Catholic School Christmas Program

Blessed Trinity Catholic School students will host the annual School Christmas Program at 6:30 pm on Saturday, December 16th in the School Gym followed by a reception for families and friends. All are welcome to attend.

Knights of Columbus

Holiday Candy and Nut Sales after all weekend masses. They have a great variety for your holiday needs. Stop by and give them your support.

Great Stocking Stuffers!

Blessed Trinity Parish Fish Fry Gift

Certificates would make great stocking stuffers for just \$11.00. Contact Kay Kalscheur at 849-5303 to order yours.

SCRIP cards are another great gift idea and are available after masses at Saint Patrick this weekend. There are lots of choices for these cards! Products which are immediately available are: Piggly Wiggly, Copps, Subway, Walgreen's, Kwik Trip, Culvers, Pappa John's Pizza, Starbucks, iTunes, Marcus Theaters. Scrip gift cards earn rebates that help support all of our Parish Religious Education programs.



Bless Our Priests Collection

Make sure to remember the retired priests of our diocese by making a gift to the Bless Our Priests collection. This collection is used to directly support all retired priests welfare including the rising cost of health-care, long-term care and medical costs.

Please return your gift in the envelopes available at all Masses this weekend. Your generosity supports the retired priests from all 11 counties of our Diocese!

Flowers for Christmas Environment

Order flowers in honor of your loved ones. Order forms are available on the missalette stands or use the envelope provided in our monthly envelope packets.

Community Outreach Opportunities

For details, contact Cindy Fischer in the parish office.

*Giving Tree (Now thru December 20)

A few gift tags remain on our Giving Tree; please support this Advent activity to make Christmas bright for local families through your support. Thank you!

*Christmas Card Project

Thursday, December 14, 8:35 am Saint Patrick Hall Be an Advent Angel and help with addressing envelopes and writing brief notes of hope and encouragement as we send a bit of "Christmas Cheer" to parishioners living in residential care facilities, confined to their own home, etc. Christmas cards were generously donated by a local business; donations of postage stamps appreciated.

*Haven Hills

Rosary - Thursday, December 28, 10:30 am.

Birthday Party - Tuesday, December 19, 1:30-2:30 pm.

*Our House -

Social Hour - Friday, December 15 and 29, 10:00-11:00 am.

Lessons & Carols with the Madison Diocesan Choir

The Madison Diocesan Choir will present its popular Festival of Lessons and Carols on Sunday, December 17 at 4 pm at Holy Name Heights (the former Bishop O'Connor Catholic Pastoral Center) in Madison Bishop Robert Morlino will preside. All are invited and admission is free. Please bring a non-perishable food item to share with the Catholic Multi-cultural Center food party.

Bishop Morlino will bless the newly restored and installed Aeolian-Skinner Pipe Organ at the service.



Upcoming Meetings

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Thursday, December 14, 9:00 am (SP)

Pastoral Council

Thursday, December 14, 6:30 pm (SP)

RCIA

Tuesday, December 19, 6:30 pm (SP)

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Blessed Trinity Parish - Stewardship of Treasure

November 29 - December 5, 2017

	Weekly Income	Weekly Needed Offertory	Weekly Over (Short)
Offertory Income	\$8,041.99	\$8,250.00	(\$208.01)

July 1, 2017 - December 5, 2017

	YTD Income	YTD Needed Offertory	YTD Over (Short)
Offertory Income	\$157,834.13	\$189,750.00	(\$31,915.87)

The Catholic Parish of Blessed Trinity relies on the support of parishioners who generously share their time, talent and treasure. We thank you for your generosity as we proclaim the gospel message in sacrament and word.