

# St. Patrick & St. Joseph Parishes

Dec. 23	Sat	5:30pm	- St. Patrick	+	Fred Ysusi
24	Sun	8:00am	- St. Joseph		People of Both Parishes
		10:00am	- St. Patrick	+	Vincent Thummel
24	Sun	5:30pm	- St. Patrick		Christmas Eve Mass - People of Both Parishes
25	Mon	Midnight	- St. Joseph		Christmas Midnight Mass - Special Intention
25		8:00am	- St. Joseph		Christmas Day Mass - People of Both Parishes
25		10:00am	- St. Patrick		Christmas Day Mass - Special Intention
26	Tues	<b>No Mass</b>			
27	Wed	<b>No Mass</b>			
28	Thurs	<b>No Mass</b>			
29	Fri	<b>No Mass</b>			
30	Sat	5:30pm	- St. Patrick	+	James Hoffman
31	Sun	8:00am	- St. Joseph		People of Both Parishes
	Sun	10:00am	- St. Patrick	+	Kenneth Hendrix



## St. Patrick Parish

Dec. 30 / 31	5:30pm	10:00am
<b>Servers</b>	Olivia Tadlock	Jay Brown
	Brendon Gahagan	Jakob Aguilar
	Ava Teichgraeber	Lena Aguilar
<b>Greeters /Gifts</b>	Andrew Ouellette Family	Herman & Elaine Colvin
<b>Lectors</b>	Matt Godinez	Jacqueline Smoot
	Dennis Peters	Catherine Bowman
<b>Accompanist</b>	Rita Smith	Mike Aylward
<b>Cantor</b>	Dave Peter	Brian Gahagan
<b>Rosary Leader</b>	Martha Hendrix	Eric Holmes

## St. Joseph Parish

Dec. 31	8:00am
<b>Servers</b>	Xavier Bauer
	Landon Bauer
<b>Greeters/Gifts</b>	Clint Hillmon Family
<b>Accompanist</b>	Tim Weilert
<b>Cantor</b>	Tim Weilert
<b>Lector</b>	Barb Sigler
<b>Rosary Leader</b>	Edward Harner
<b>Cleaners</b>	Kathy Butler
	Jan Baker



*New Years' Day is not a Holy Day of Obligation this year, Father Linnebur will have 8:00am Mass at St. Patrick and Fr. Scaletty will have 8:15am Mass at St. Joseph on January 1st!*

**St. Patrick Catholic Church** rectory will be closed on Monday, December 25th, Tuesday, December 26th and New Years' Day, January 1st!

**St. Patrick Catholic Church Choir** will be singing at 5:00pm on Christmas Eve, (30 minutes prior to the 5:30pm Mass). We hope the music will help all of us to better prepare our hearts and minds for the celebration of the birth of Jesus.

**Thank You** to all who helped decorate St. Patrick & St. Joseph Catholic Churches for Christmas!

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# Fourth Sunday of Advent

# Dec. 24, 2017

**Christmas Call to Sharing 2017** - "Let us remember that love lives through sacrifice and is nourished by giving. Without sacrifice, there is no love."

*St. Maximilian Kolbe*

Please consider a gift this year to Christmas Call to Sharing for the benefit of the education of seminarians and our retired priests. Fr. Michael Linnebur

**No Masses** at St. Patrick Catholic Church this week after the Christmas Mass on Monday, Father Scaletty will have 8:15am Mass at St. Joseph Tuesday - Friday. Everyone welcome!

**No PSR** this week at St. Patrick or St. Joseph.

**A REALLY GREAT WAY TO BEGIN THE NEW YEAR:** 2018 Adult Religious Education: A Biblical Walk Through the Mass at St. Patrick Parish Center and St. Joseph Parish Hall. This five-part video presentation by Edward Sri takes participants on an exciting tour of the Liturgy as he explores the biblical roots of the words and gestures we experience at Mass and explains their profound significance. See why we say what we say and do what we do every week at Mass. The words and gestures will be seen in a new light, giving new life to the liturgical experience.

**St. Patrick** series begins Thursday, January 11, 2018 at 7:00p.m. - 8:15p.m. and will continue every Thursday until February 8<sup>th</sup>. Please make your reservation asap with Facilitator Kathy Wicker by calling her at 620-212-2386 or email: [wicker\\_chanuteks@hotmail.com](mailto:wicker_chanuteks@hotmail.com) This is needed to make sure we have enough materials for every participant when we begin.

**St. Joseph** series begins on Sunday, January 7, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. – 8:15 p.m. and will continue every Sunday through February 4<sup>th</sup>. Please make your reservation asap with Facilitator Karen King by calling her at 620-431-8823 or email: [kking@ashleyclinic.com](mailto:kking@ashleyclinic.com).

Participants at both parishes will receive a book and workbook. There is no charges for these classes.

**St. Patrick & St. Joseph Catholic Church Calendars** will be at the church entrances, please pick up one per family after Mass. Thank you to St. Patrick & St. Joseph Knights of Columbus for providing these calendars for us!

**St. Patrick & St. Joseph "Good News" items are due January 2nd.** Please get your "Good News" to Sandy at St. Patrick rectory or send your email to [salonzo@stpatrickchanute.org](mailto:salonzo@stpatrickchanute.org)

Check out St. Joseph web page @ [stjosephhumboldt.org](http://stjosephhumboldt.org)

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**St. Joseph Catholic Church Mass** January 5th at 8:15am followed by Adoration until 5:00pm. If you have an hour scheduled, please come at that time, if you don't have an hour scheduled come at any time during these hours of Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. This adoration is offered for vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

**St. Joseph Knights of Columbus** meeting January 4th at 7:00pm (following Mass) at the Parish Hall.

**WHO ARE YOU following?** In our first reading, we witness King David being called to build the temple – a sacred place to house the Ark of the Covenant. In the gospel, we see Mary being called to carry the infant Jesus – the New Covenant. And today, if you take the time to look in a mirror, you will see a baptized Christian, called to carry Jesus in his/her heart and share Him with everyone he/she encounters. There is beautiful continuity from the Old Testament to the New Testament, and from sacred scripture to you and I. It is one of the most beautiful gifts we could receive on this Christmas Eve. Today, find a moment of silence. Humble yourself before God and give thanks.

## HAVE A BLESSED CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR!

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR MANY PRAYERS, YOUR GIFTS, YOUR GENEROSITY AND YOUR LOVE. LET US CONTINUE TO PRAY TOGETHER FOR A BLESSED NEW YEAR.**

**FR. MICHAEL LINNEBUR**