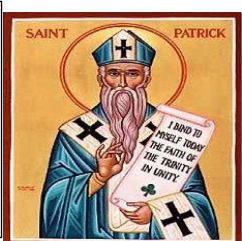


DECEMBER 3, 2023  
FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT  
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**OUR MISSION STATEMENT**  
St. Patrick Church, Tipton is a welcoming and believing community, committed to seek a deeper spirituality by encountering God in liturgy, prayer, scripture and ministering to the needs of each other and the community at large. All are welcome with open hearts, open minds, and open doors.

**MASS TIMES**  
Saturday 5:00 pm  
Sunday 8:30 am  
Tuesday 7:00 pm  
Confessions: half hour before Mass or on request

**MASS INTENTIONS**  
Dec 2 Sat 5pm: Scott Huebner  
Dec 3 Sun 8:30am: Melvin Schwartz  
Dec 5 Tues 7pm: NO MASS  
Dec 8 Fri 7pm: Feast of the Immaculate Conception - Parish  
Dec 9 Sat 5pm: Paul Huebner  
Dec 10 Sun 8:30am: Tommie Shields  
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**LITURGICAL ROLES**  
Saturday, December 9, 2023 – 5 PM  
Please Volunteer

Sunday, December 10, 2023 – 8:30 AM  
Opening/Petitions: Cindy Notter  
Lector: Susan Musynski  
Greeters: Pearl Windergerst & Margaret Ahne  
Minister: Teresa Fruth

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:**  
Sat 4:30-5:00 PM Sun 8-8:30 AM  
Enter through the outside Sacristy door.

**CELEBRATIONS 12/03/23-12/09/23**  
  
**Birthdays:**  
None  
  
**Anniversaries:**  
None

**Pray for those sick, suffering or recovering** Dylane Doerr, Keith Huebner, Brian Kennedy, Ava Kern, Evelyn Marquardt, Lily June Schmidt, Jim Vaseska, Toby Wells, *Send names to [akgregson@gmail.com](mailto:akgregson@gmail.com)*



**No Donut Sunday in December**  
  
**Feast of The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary**  
Friday, December 8, Mass at 7pm. This is a Holy Day of Obligation. No Mass on Tuesday, December 5.  
  
**Parish Council Meeting**  
Monday, December 11 at 7pm.  
  
**Christmas Soup Kitchen**  
Our next Soup Kitchen will be Saturday, December 23, 2023. We will be doing the meal,

serving and cleaning up. Another parish will be doing desserts. We would like to pass out small bags of cookies for them to take with them. Sign up will be the weekends of December 10 and 17. We know it is a busy time, but please sign up if you can. Any questions, call Theresa Watters @ 618-458-7762

**Annual Food Drive**  
Runs until Jan. 6, 2024.

**Coat Drive**  
Runs from now until December 17<sup>th</sup>. Thank you!

**Vocations Corner**  
Today's Gospel tells the story of a young girl who receives a most special request from God – become the Mother of His Son. WOW! How would we respond to such a call? Yet we are called each day by God to follow our given vocation in life – mother, father, brother, sister, grandparent, uncle, aunt... We are called to live in Christ and to bring others to Christ. Do you have a call to the Priesthood? The Consecrated Religious Life: Let Mary's "FIAT" be an example of how to answer our Lord.

PARTNERSHIP CORNER

**Our Lady of Good Counsel – Renault:**  
  
Mass Time: Sunday - 10:30 am  
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November 26 2023	
Envelopes	\$1650.00
Campaign/Human Development	85.00
Christmas Flowers	90.00
Loose	135.00
Total	\$ 1960.00

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