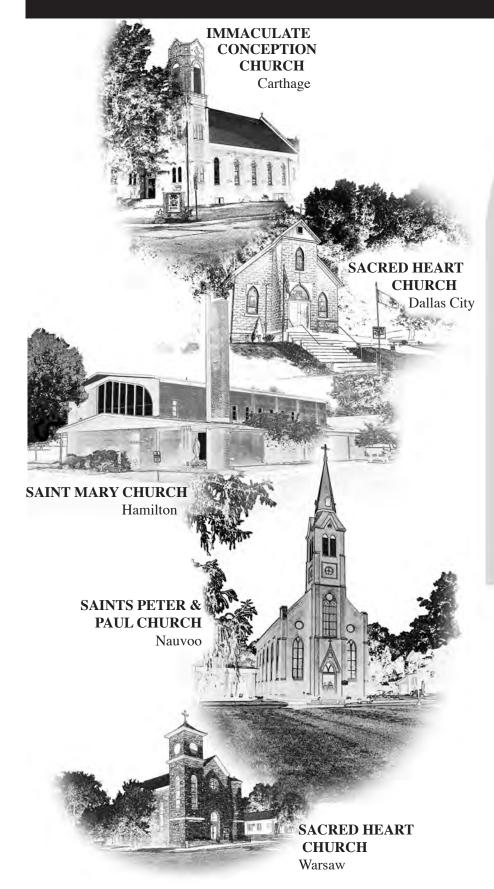
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### WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday** 4:00 p.m. Carthage 5:30 p.m. Hamilton

**Sunday** 8:00 a.m. Warsaw

10:00 a.m. Nauvoo Noon Dallas City

# FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

November 27, 2022

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**Location of Our Parishes** 

**Immaculate Conception** 

125 N. Fayette St. Carthage, IL 62321

**Sacred Heart** 

90 W. Fifth St.

Dallas City, IL 62330

St. Marv

560 Lakeview Ave. Hamilton, IL 62341

Sts. Peter and Paul

190 N. Wells St. Nauvoo. IL 62354

**Sacred Heart** 8th & Webster St. Warsaw, IL 62379

Confession schedule: 15 minutes before daily Mass, 30 minutes before weekend Masses at Carthage

Warsaw Nauvoo **Dallas City After Mass** at Hamilton

Or any other time by appointment

"On The Q/T..."

From the Office of Readings, Liturgy of the Hours, Monday, 1st Week of Advent: "Beloved, now is the acceptable time spoken of by the Spirit, the day of salvation, peace, and reconciliation: the great season of Advent....This holy season teaches us that Christ's coming was not only for the benefit of his contemporaries; his power has still to be communicated to us all. We shall share his power, if, through holy faith and the sacraments, we willingly accept the grace Christ earned for us, and live by that grace and in obedience to Christ....When we remove all obstacles to his presence he will come, at any hour and moment, to dwell spiritually in our hearts, bringing with him the riches of his grace."

On to the question from Fr. Tony:

Picture this: God the Father, Son and Holy Spirit has finally come to the point that the entire universe is ready for Jesus Christ to come again - except for one thing: something that has to be straightened out in your life. That one thing that needs to be "made right" in you is the only thing that's preventing his coming, with an entirely transformed world, and human bodies and souls united in an eternal transfigured existence. What comes to your mind? Got it? There: there's your project for Advent this year!

Week's Mass Intentions

November 28, (Advent Weekday; Is 4:2-6, Mt 8:5-11) Monday: Nauvoo-Deacon Bill Gray, by Mickey and Beth Knipe 8:00 a.m.

Warsaw-Norma Fuller, by Greg Fuller 5:30 p.m.

Tuesday: November 29, (Advent Weekday; Is 11:1-10, Lk 10:21-24) 8:00 a.m. Carthage-Lawrence Cokel, by John and Sherry Huston

Hamilton-Bob Ebeling (L), by Milly Golemo 5:30 p.m.

November 30, (St. Andrew, Apostle; Rom 10:9-18, Mt 4:18-22) Wednesday: Dallas City-Ed and Katherine (L) Symmonds, by Deacon Tony Herdrich 5:30 p.m.

December 1, (Advent Weekday; Is 26:1-6, Mt 7:21, 24-27) Thursday:

8:00 a.m. No Masses

Friday: December 2, (Advent Weekday; Is 29:17-24, Mt 9:27-31)

8:30 a.m. Nauvoo-Phyllis Frey, by Rita Allen

Saturday December 3, (St. Francis Xavier, Priest; Is 30:19-21, 23-26,

Mt 9:35-10:1, 5a, 6-8)

4:00 p.m. Carthage-Esther Cokel, by IC Catholic Women's Club 5:30 p.m. Hamilton-John and Bernadette Gollhofer, by Jan Olson

Sunday December 4, (Second Sunday of Advent; Is 11:1-10, Rom 15:4-9,

Mt 3:1-12)

8:00 a.m. Warsaw-Simon Bentzinger (L) for healing, by Debbie Bavery

10:00 a.m. Nauvoo-For the People

12:00 p.m. Dallas City-Frances Markey, by Mike and Diane Heisler

### Rosary Intention for December: Families.

Carthage - Connie Kreps prayerwarrior1919@yahoo.com or 309-333-9483

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Saturday – 4 p.m. Mass Sunday - 10 a.m. Mass

**Live-Streaming Schedule** 

Monday, Tuesday & Friday

8:00 a.m. – Mass

Wednesday-5:30 p.m.

Noon - Rosarv

3:00 p.m. - Chaplet of Divine

Mercy

Masses for Christmas You figured there would have to be changes. Here's what we're doing this year December 24-25, 2022.

Christmas Eve: Nauvoo - 4:00 p.m. Carthage - 7:00 p.m. Dallas City - 10:00 p.m.

Christmas Day: Warsaw - 8:00 a.m. Hamilton - 10:00 a.m.

Each subsequent year, our churches will move to the next Mass time; for example, in 2023, Christmas Eve: 4 p.m. Mass at ICC. 7 p.m. Mass at SHDC. 10 p.m. Mass at SHW. Christmas Day: 8 a.m. Mass, SMH. 10 a.m. Mass, SSPN. And so the cycle continues, every year. Keep in mind two things: first, Fr. Tony's own health and stamina; second, each church will have the opportunity to benefit from the more favorably scheduled Masses.

**Masses for the Immaculate Conception** Wednesday, December 7: 5:30 p.m. at SHDC. 7:00 p.m. at ICC. Thursday, December 8: 8:30 a.m., SPPN (SPPS children). 5:30 p.m., SHW. 7:00 p.m., SMH. A rotation of churches for more favorably scheduled Masses will be more difficult here, because we want SPPS to know that Mass on Holy Days is a part of the life of the school.

**Diocesan Adoration Schedule** A specially designed and crafted Monstrance to symbolize our unity in devotion to the mystery of the Eucharist is being borne from church to church throughout the diocese. Three of our churches are involved very soon; the other two, later in 2023. Here's what the schedule looks like. On Thursday evening, December 1, ICC will host a Holy Hour of Adoration of the Holy Eucharist from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m., and from 3:00 to 4:00 p.m. before the Saturday evening Mass at ICC on December 3. The Monstrance then moves to SHW for a period of Adoration from 7:00 to 8:00 a.m., just before the Sunday morning Mass at SHW on December 4. Another Adoration period takes place Monday, December 5, from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. Next in line is SHDC, where Adoration will take place from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. on Wednesday, December 7, just before the evening Mass; and then on December 8, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. And the Monstrance is borne to Raritan, from that point on.

Mass in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe will be Monday evening, December 12, 5:30 p.m. at ICC, with dinner to follow in the parish hall.

**Blessed Art, December 3 and 4** Your support and solidarity with Palestinian Christians is deeply appreciated by Blessed Art; and for our purchases, we receive absolutely beautiful religious articles. Please see whether your gift giving plans can include stopping by at the end of our Masses to see what Blessed Art has to offer!

**Warsaw Friendship Baskets!** We are once again collecting non-perishable foods, personal items, household products, and new toys for this year's Christmas Baskets to be given out soon. Please place any items you would like to give in the designated box in the vestibule at Warsaw Sacred Heart Church by Sunday, December 4. Cash donations can be dropped off at Hill Dodge Bank or given to Diane Heisler. Thank you and Merry Christmas!

Alleman 1853 Knights of Columbus will be sponsoring a Christmas German Kris Kringle Market on Saturday, December 3 from 2:00 - 5:00 p.m. in Nauvoo at the KC Hall. We ask the ladies of Sts. Peter and Paul (or gentlemen ©) to supply baked cookies to sell that day. Cookies can be dropped off between 10:00 a.m.-Noon. *Many activities and fun to participate in so don't miss out on this one!!!!!!!* See you there!

**Alleman 1853 Knights of Columbus** would like to thank all members, family members and friends who helped or supported us in any way in our fall fundraisers- Grape Festival, Octoberfest, Pumpkin Walk, Bingo. The generosity of everyone never fails to amaze us. Thank all of you again.

**St. Mary's Parish** is going Christmas Caroling after 5:30 p.m. Mass on December 10 -- weather permitting. We will carol at the homes of 4 of our members who don't get out much to help make their Christmas Season a bit brighter. Afterwards we will return to the church hall for soup, hot coffee, hot chocolate, etc. Please join us for this Christmas Jolly Making Time!

**IC CWC** will host its annual Christmas Party on Monday, December 5 beginning at 5:00 p.m. All members are invited to bring a favorite holiday dish and small gift for the exchange game. Location is parish hall.

Well, now that everyone has had a chance to catch their breath, thank-you's need to be made for the SSPP Annual Fall Dinner! This was the second year it was carry-out only, and we once again sold out before the serving times were over! This HUGE undertaking wouldn't be possible without the hard work of Connie McCarty & Vicky Cuthbert, who have the organization of this event down to a science! They have the committees set up to succeed and call in lots of help to make sure everything runs smoothly! They doubled the amount of turkeys this year from last year, and plan on increasing the numbers again in the coming year! When the figures settled out, we served just under 500 meals, and what has been deposited is now over \$6000!!! Thanks to all the committees that worked, the candy ladies who did a presale candy again that was a big hit, and especially Trevor Knipe & SPPS school, who made it easy for us to set up and work out of the school on Sunday too! We look forward to next year and seeing if we can sell out of even more candy & turkey dinners!!!

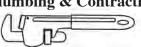
-The SSPP Catholic Women's Club Officers

Attention ladies of SSPP Parish: You may have noticed that there have been NO social events this year or business meetings. That is due to the fact that SSPP Catholic Women's Club is <u>STILL</u> in need of a President. Michaela Knipe resigned at the end of her term in June, but to date, we still have had no one step up to take over this role. We cannot proceed with any new business until we have a President in place. Maria Hopp is still taking care of Treasurer duties and Sheila Poppe has remained on as Secretary as well. The Officers & Executive Members will meet once in December to approve paying all bills before the end of the year. We need a functional Women's Club to take care of many chores & events in the parish, as well as to build a strong fellowship of women in our parish family. Please talk to Michaela, Maria or Sheila if you are interested or have questions. It isn't a hard job, but we just need to have a leader to keep us moving forward!



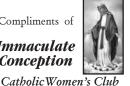


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