



**Second Sunday  
of Advent**  
**December 8, 2024**  
*All Are Welcome!*

**TODAY'S READING: WORSHIP BOOK #1006**



**This Monday, December 9,** we celebrate the Feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. It is a **Holy Day of Obligation and Mass will be celebrated in the church at 12:10 pm.**



Did you know that each month has a traditional Catholic devotion? The devotion for December is the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. It is celebrated nine months before the birth of Mary.

The Blessed Virgin Mary was preserved from all stain of original sin. This was defined by Pope Pius IX in 1854 as an article of revealed truth. She was not freed from original sin after contracting it, instead, she never contracted it.


During December when we observe Advent and a month devoted to Mary, take time to reflect on her purity and the true meaning of the birth of her son. In a season of extravagance with Christmas shopping and parties, just saying a simple prayer each day: "O Mary conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee," keeps her in our hearts and focus. It's truly a simple way to invoke someone so divine.

**LOVE TO SING?**

The choir needs a director plus more singers at each Mass. Everyone is welcome to join the choir, there is no age limit. Practice is once a week but not mandatory, from 7 – 8 pm on Mondays.

If you enjoy singing, what a joyful way to celebrate Mass! Contact the parish office if you're interested, or even just curious. They can give you all the info (and encouragement!) you need to make a decision.

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**WEEKEND MASSES**

Saturday 5:00 pm  
Sunday 8:00 am and 11:15 am

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

**MONDAY - WEDNESDAY MASSES - 12:10 PM**  
**Rosary: Mon - Wed 11:50 am - 12:10 pm**  
First Floor, Room 103 • Parish Life Center

**THURSDAY - SATURDAY MASSES - 12:10 PM**  
**11:40 am • Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet**  
**Prayed before Mass**  
**Father Wang**  
Parish Life Center • First Floor, Room 103

**CHAPEL**

**MONDAY - THURSDAY - 8 AM - 4 PM**  
Parish Life Center • St. Anthony Adoration Chapel

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

**MONDAY 4 AM - TUESDAY 8 PM**

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

**SATURDAY - 3:50 - 4:30 PM or by appointment**

**ST. ANN'S, BONNER**

Weekend Mass: Sunday, 9:45 am  
Weekday Mass: Thursday, 10:00 am

**PASTORAL TEAM**

- Pastor.....Reverend Pascal Kasanziki
- Administrative Assistant ..... Linda Greiner
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- Custodian .....George Loos
- Accompanists..... Jim Driscoll, Barb Ballas
- Bulletin ..... Kate Likvan

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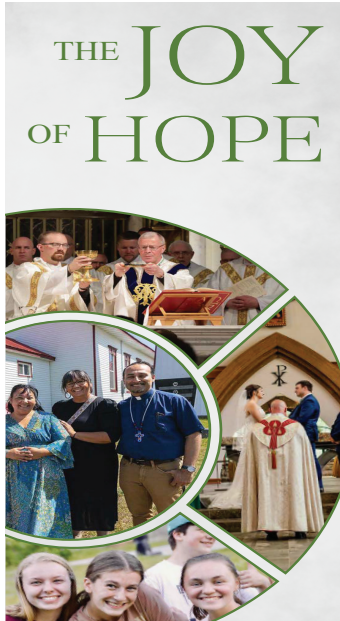
- Loyola Sacred Heart H.S. Principal .....Paul Richardson
- SJS Elementary/Middle Schl Principal/Interim...Paul Richardson
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## CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE

In a spirit of giving this holiday season, please take a gift card from our giving tree in the back of the church and return it in the red bowl beneath the tree. These gift cards will be collected to help the needy.

## ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

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Envelope Collections	\$ 3,245.00
Loose Collections	\$ 471.00
Online Giving	\$ 29.47
Holy Day Collection	\$ 20.00
Facilities & Grounds	\$ 117.00
Mass Intentions	\$ 10.00
Aid to the Needy	\$ 478.00
Religious Articles Counter	\$ 50.00
Rent	\$ 2,000.00
Fund to Other Entities	\$ 1.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 6,421.47</b>

## STEWARDSHIP NOV 1 - DEC 1, 2024

Envelope Collections	\$ 23,568.85
Loose Collections	\$ 2,375.00
Direct Deposits	\$ 1,130.00
Online Giving	\$ 1,115.32
Holy Day Collection	\$ 1,151.00
Facilities & Grounds	\$ 549.00
Donations	\$ 5.00
Veteran's Day Lunch	\$ 77.00
St. Ann's Contribution to Labor	\$ 955.01
Mass Intentions	\$ 300.00
Aid to the Needy	\$ 778.00
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Candles	\$ 85.50
Coffee & Donuts for Care Net	\$ 137.00
Rent	\$ 4,850.00
Endowment Dividends	\$ 304.23
Fund to Other Entities	\$ 2,185.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 39,848.41</b>

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## MASS INTENTIONS DEC 7 - 15, 2024

<b>Sat Dec 7</b> .....	<b>ST. AMBROSE</b>
5:00 pm	<b>Connie Slagle</b> <i>by the Harringtons</i>
<b>Sun Dec 8</b> .....	<b>SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT</b>
8:00 am	<b>Father Michael Drury</b> <i>by Candace Torrens</i>
11:15 am	+ <b>Bob King</b> <i>by the Harvey Family</i>
<b>Mon Dec 9</b> .....	<b>IMMACULATE CONCEPTION</b> <b>HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION</b>
12:10 pm.	+ <b>Theresa House</b> <i>by David House</i>
<b>Tues Dec 10</b> .....	<b>OUR LADY OF LORETO</b>
12:10 pm	+ <b>Milton Myers</b> <i>by Pam Newby &amp; Pat Myers</i>
<b>Wed Dec 11</b> .....	<b>POPE ST. DAMASUS I</b>
12:10 pm	+ <b>Kenneth Warner</b> <i>by Chris Warner</i>
<b>Sat Dec 14</b> .....	<b>ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS</b>
5:00 pm	<b>Marge Lubbers</b> <i>by the Harvey Family</i>
<b>Sun Dec 15</b> .....	<b>THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT</b>
8:00 am	+ <b>Martin Cook</b> <i>by Candace Torrens</i>
11:15 am	+ <b>Bob King</b> <i>by the Harvey Family</i>

If you or someone you know is interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, please contact the parish office or make an appointment to meet with Father Pascal.



### ST. ANTHONY PRAYER CHAIN

For someone in need of prayer,  
please contact  
**Gayle Stout at 406-543-5503.**



**JOIN US for Coffee  
& donuts after the  
SUNDAY 11:15 MASS  
in the Parish Life Center**

### MASS INTENTIONS OR BREAD & WINE OFFERING

Mass intentions are available if you'd like a Mass said for a loved one. You can also make a donation for the altar bread & wine for a week of Mass services for a suggested donation of \$25 - \$50 in the name of someone you'd like to remember or as a remembrance of birthdays, anniversaries, graduations, weddings, etc. Just call the parish office to reserve your intention.

### A LITTLE BIT OF HUMOR

There are two great financial geniuses in the Bible: One was Noah, who floated his stock while everyone else had to go into liquidation. The other one was the pharaoh's daughter, who went to the bank of the Nile and drew out a prophet.

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

*And behold, I am  
with you always,  
until the end of  
the age.*

Matthew 28:20



God blesses St. Anthony's Parish through the 40 Hours of Eucharistic Adoration Ministry occurring Mondays 4am until Tuesdays 8pm in the Adoration Chapel in the Parish Life Center.

Scheduled or substitute adorers are always needed! Come...pray...and remain in His Presence. For information about joining in this prayerful ministry, please contact the parish office or Leslee Tschida at 406-240-2861. Thank you!

### DONATION TABLE IN THE CHURCH LOBBY

You may have noticed a "Used Religious Items" table in the back of the church with different religious items on it. These are used items donated by parishioners either from estates or their private collections. Father Drury donated some of his religious items and carvings as well.

If you have religious items or books that are no longer being used from estates or personal collections, you can bring them to the religious articles counter in the church's lobby for our table. It's a good way to honor these items by letting others appreciate them.

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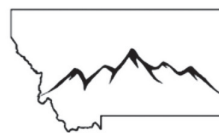


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