

We remember in prayer:

Lori Arp, Christine Atterbury, Anne Boone, Paul Buchanan, Rodney Butterfield, Fred Carpenter, Fallon Carter, John Casey, Mary Casey, Sandy Cross, Donna Davis, Marjorie Ellison, Kathy Enderle, Andy Fowler, Bridget Gillespie, Holly Gladbach, Belinda Goff, Rosanne Hamilton, Julie Hamann, Lynn Ellen Haugh, Emmett Hertal, Charlie Higinbothom, Sarah Jackson, Keeley LeBleu, Jeremy Loder, Steve Lupcho, Emma & Larry Ludwig, Fallon Milford, Mike Morris, Linda Owens, Ron Paalhar, Bobby Parker, Jewell Phillips, Olivia Robinson, Jim Schrader, Carl Schreiner, Sybil Schreiner, Ron Sears, Bob Sims, Rick Smith, Margi Speichinger, Regan Tate, Jim Timmons. People of Ukraine, Gaza, Isra-



el. All affected by natural disasters For all care givers.

We know that our prayer for others help!!! If you know of people who need our prayer, let us know. We will be happy to include them on our list. There are many needs to pray for: peace in many places around the world, everyone we promised to pray for.....

Note: If you asked us to put someone on the prayer list.. .. please let us know when they can be taken off the list.

OCIA: Order of Christian Initiation for Adults.

The next class for OCIA is Tuesday, Dec. 9 at 5:15 in the rectory. Please join us if you are interested in learning more about the Catholic Church.



Please take time to complete the CATHOLIC STEWARDSHIP RENEWAL form. Consider the ways that you can share your TIME and TALENT with your parish community, the CHURCH. Check the list, maybe you will be inspired to add a new ministry to your list of volunteer roles.

In case you can't find your copy.....There are extra Stewardship packets on the desk in Church.

Forgiveness
Is the
Foundation
for Reconciliation

Communal Reconciliation Service Wednesday, December 10 at 6:00 p.m. Prepare your soul for Christmas.

Immaculate Conception Church

313 N Livingston St Brookfield MO 64628 660- 258-2507

Cemetery website: <https://www.cemify.com/cem/immaculate-conception-church>

email rectory@icbrookfield.org

Website icbrookfieldchurch.org

OUR MISSION:

TO PROCLAIM CHRIST...TO BE COMMUNITY...

TO SERVE...

TO CELEBRATE

December 7, 2025



Second Sunday of Advent

Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.

We must recognize and repent of our sins in order to be prepared for the Lord's arrival in our lives. The kingdom of heaven is still at hand, glimpsed when we are reconciled with God and our neighbor.

Parochial Administrator-
Rev. Fr. C. Paschal Ihediohanna
Pastoral Associate-Sister Mary Rost SSND

Sacraments: Contact Sr. Mary for preparation

New Parishioners: We are happy to welcome you to our parish. Contact Fr. Pascal, Sister Mary or fill out the registration paper on the desk in Church

Pastoral Council Members

Meets 1st Wed. of month

- Catherine Black
- Brian Brockman
- Emily Gordon
- Roger Hulett
- Bryant O'Kane
- John Kremer
- Bill Paalhar
- Kathy Seckington
- Jane Walgren

Finance Council Members

Meets every other month

- Chair- Roger Hulett 816-616-5034
- Susie Abeln 660-412-2010
- Tyler Gordon 660-734-1278
- Clydene Loyd 600-258-9000
- Pat O'Kane 660-895-5440

Mass Times

Sunday 9:00 a.m.

**Rosary at 8:25

***Reconciliation*: Sundays 8:30-8:55

The Wednesday Mass is at 8:30

Mass Intentions

Dec 7 Ray & Doris Dennis

Dec 8 Martha Claire Flynn @5:30pm

Dec 10 Rosemary Falconer

Dec 14 Virginia McCurry

Dec 17 Boone Family

Dec 21 Billy Yaeger

Church Attendance

Nov 2 176

Nov 9 179

Nov 16 188

Nov 30 151

Birthdays & Anniversaries

12-7 Chelsea Stillwell

12-9 Holly Sensenich

12-11 Ashton Brockman

**Have you turned in your Stewardship Form?????*

We have 49 and counting!

PLEASE RETURN SOON!



Thank you to everyone who took time to ring the Salvation Army Bell!

Please mark your calendars

Church Schedule till January 1

Monday, Dec. 8 is a Holy Day of Obligation

8:15 a.m. St. Bonaventure

5:30 p.m. Immaculate Conception

Reconciliation

Dec. 10 6:00 p.m. Brookfield

Dec. 11 6:00 p.m. Marceline

Christmas Eve

4:00 p.m. St. Bonaventure

6:00 p.m. Immaculate Conception

Christmas Day

8:00 a.m. Hurricane Branch

10:00 a.m. St. Bonaventure

New Year's Eve

4:00 p.m. St. Bonaventure

6:00 p.m. St. Raphael

New Year's Day

9:00 a.m. Immaculate Conception

10:45 a.m. St. Bonaventure



Meet for Breakfast

Dec. 7 after the 9:00 Mass School Basement

Celebrate our parish feast day

Stewardship of Treasure

Needed for Nov. . . . \$16,835

Nov 2 \$3,413

Nov 9 \$1,460

Nov 16. \$3,948

Nov 23 \$3,172

Nov 30. \$2,154

Still Needed for Nov \$2,688

Improvement Fund.....\$10

Cemetery.....\$50

Vocations/Priest.....\$25

Looking Ahead:

Father McCartan Christmas Play is Sunday, Dec. 7 at 12:30

The Community Christmas Concert is HERE Sunday, Dec. 7 at 2:00 p.m. Come and enjoy the music.

The Ladies Auxiliary will have a Cookie Sale on December 14. Plan to purchase cookies for your holiday gatherings. They will welcome all donations of cookies, candies, etc. (In the School Multipurpose Room)

The PSR Christmas program will be December 14 after the 9:00 Mass.

Why Catholic: Dec 7

4. A Mass is invalid

a. If fewer than half the people present hold hands during the Our Father.

b. If the priest omits the opening sign of the cross and the Nicene Creed.

c. If the priest celebrates Mass while he is in the state of mortal sin.

d. If the priest ad libs any part of the canon.

e. None of the above.



The names for the Christmas Baskets should be here this week for you to choose from.. The baskets need to be delivered on Saturday, Dec. 20. You can deliver to the family you choose OR bring your items to Church on the morning of Dec. 20 for parishioners to deliver.

Diocesan Christmas Assessment is \$1,322. Please give what you can.