

Church of the Magdalen

~1st Sunday of Advent~

November 27, 2022



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:30pm

Sunday: 9:30am and
11:30am

Monday–Friday: 8:00am

RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:30pm–4:15pm

Wednesday: 6:00pm–7:30pm

ADORATION

Wednesday: 6:00pm–7:30pm

ROSARY

Monday–Friday: 7:30am

PERPEPTUAL HELP DEVOTIONS

Tuesday after 8:00am Mass

FIRST SATURDAY HOLY HOUR

9:15am

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From the Desk of Fr. Fallon

Happy Advent!

I hope you had a great Thanksgiving! But now it's time to enter into a season of waiting and preparation. The best way to prepare for Christmas is to live out the Advent season.

To be honest, I'm not too great at waiting. I'd like to understand what's happening and what's going to happen. I think in some way it reassures me when I know what's happening, like I have some control over the situation.

But Advent teaches us that's not the case, in life or in the life of Christ. Ask Mary and Joseph about control, or the Magi, or any of the prophets or disciples for that matter. Advent reminds us the Lord is in charge and has a plan. He will take care of us and provide for our needs. Just look at how He led and took care of all those I just mentioned. He'll take care of us, too.

SO, WAITING.

But not idle. We carry on in preparation, aware the Lord will do good things, *through us*. Waiting is not idleness; we have to be at work doing what we're called to as Christians, proclaim the coming of the Kingdom! How is the Lord asking you to actively prepare while we wait for Christmas?

May we be found ready when He comes.

Fr. Fallon

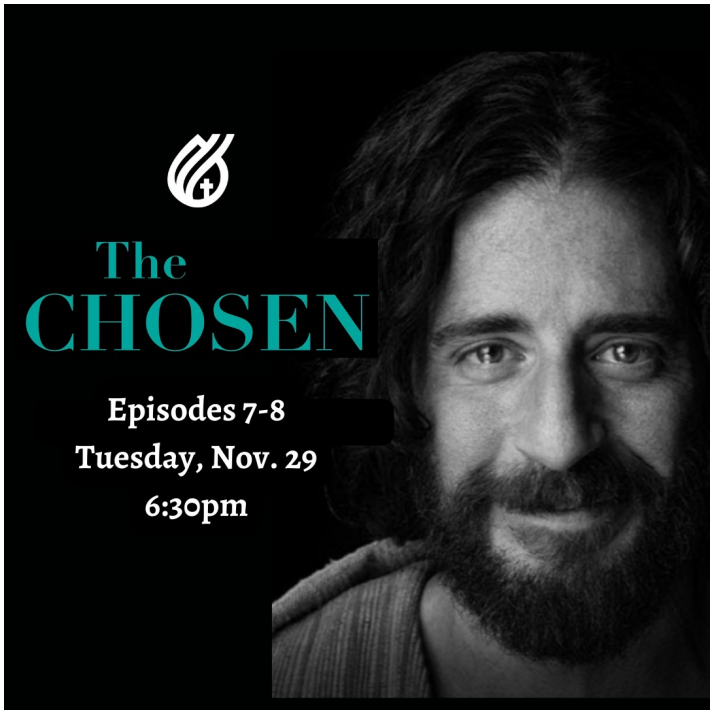


1ST SUNDAY OF Advent



MAGDALEN YOUNG ADULT NIGHT
**CANONIZATION
 & THE AMERICAN
 SAINTS-IN-WAITING**
 WITH GUEST SPEAKER
 DCN. GERRY QUINN, JCL

MONDAY NOV. 28, 7PM



**The
 CHOSEN**

Episodes 7-8
 Tuesday, Nov. 29
 6:30pm

**SCAN TO MAKE
 YOUR GIFT:**




MAKE A ONE-TIME GIFT OR
 ENROLL IN RECURRING GIVING AT
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**The Weekly Offertory Collection
 for the weekend of November 20
 will be posted
 in the December 4, 2022 Bulletin**

Thank you for your gifts to God and our Parish!

Stewardship Reflection

“Therefore, stay awake! For you do not know on which day your Lord will come.” - Matthew 24:42

People who have had health issues or near-death experiences generally have a greater appreciation for each day being a gift from God. The rest of us usually take for granted that we will be around tomorrow. But when you start to look at each day as a gift, you realize all the little miracles that happen daily and you begin to see God’s active presence in your life. You grow in gratitude, each day, for all that we have been given.



**Mass Bags
 for Kids**

Kids, pick up a blue Mass tote every Sunday for a new activity to learn about Jesus



THE GIVING TREE

St. Vincent de Paul Parish Conference

It is you that makes the Magic happen.

Our Christmas Giving Tree, with suggested ornaments, is for our generous Parishioners & Friends for *gifting* to children in our Neighbors In Need Families. The ornaments suggest the general needs that the families we are serving have requested.

It is suggested that Gift Card denominations be \$ 25.00 or less.

That is Our Mission this Reason for the Season!

SVDP November Food Drive

Dish Soap/Cleaning items Weekend Nov. 26

Monetary donations will also be collected thru November 26.

Thanks to The First Catholic Ladies Slovak Association who has offered a challenge grant match up to \$600.00 that is collected and payable to our St. Vincent de Paul Society this month!

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS

9:15am in church
Saturday, December 3, 2022

"SEE. MY DAUGHTER. MY HEART ENCIRCLED BY THORNS WITH WHICH UNGRATEFUL MEN PIERCE IT AT EVERY MOMENT BY THEIR BLASPHEMIES AND INGRATITUDE. DO YOU, AT LEAST, STRIVE TO CONSOLE ME..."

-OUR LADY TO SR. LUCIA OF FATIMA. 1925

MAGDALEN YOUTH MINISTRY & ST. GABRIEL'S YOUTH MINISTRY

White Elephant Christmas Social

COME IN YOUR UGLIEST, FLUFFIEST, ITCHIEST CHRISTMAS SWEATER!

Bring a wrapped, silly/joke gift.

7:30-9:00PM
WEDNESDAY,
DECEMBER 21

@ ST. GABRIEL'S
6303 NOTTINGHAM AVE.

This Week in Our Parish

Monday, November 28, 2022

Mass	8:00a
Quilters	9:00a
YA Night	7:00p

Tuesday, November 29, 2022

Mass	8:00a
The Chosen Night	6:30p
SVDP Meeting	6:45p

Wednesday, November 30, 2022

Mass	8:00a
Adoration/ Confession	6-7:30p
St. Monica Club	7:00p

Thursday, December 1, 2022

Mass	8:00a
Senior Social	8:30a

Friday, December 2, 2022

Mass	8:00a
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Saturday, December 3, 2022

First Saturday Devotions	9:15a
Confessions	3:30p
Mass	4:30p

Sunday, December 4, 2022

Mass	9:30a
Donut Sunday	10:30a
Mass	11:30a
Youth Ministry	12:30p

CHURCH OF THE MAGDALEN

DONUT SUNDAY



Sunday, December 4, 2022 after the 9:30am Mass
Hosted by the Knights of Columbus



ST. MONICA CLUB

praying for our loved ones who
are away from the Church

Last Wednesdays of the month
7pm in church

Wednesday, November 30, 2022

DECK THE HALLS OF GLENNON HOMES TOUR

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3 • 10AM - 3PM

St. Louis Homes + Lifestyles and the Glennon Guild are pleased to present a self-guided tour of four homes beautifully decorated for the holidays by some of St. Louis' top design teams and talented homeowners. Best of all, proceeds from the tour support the children cared for by SSM Health Cardinal Glennon Children's Hospital!

Scan the QR code for more information
and to purchase tickets!



<https://www.glennon.org/deck-the-halls-of-glennon-homes/>



SENIOR SOCIAL

Thursday, December 1, 2022 8:30am Parish Hall

2023 Church of the Magdalen Calendars

... available at the church entrances

These beautiful religious calendars are a gift to all parishioners, friends and visitors donated by brother and sister, Sebastian and Jackie Giardina of John's Appliance. Their generosity is in loving memory of their dear brother *Jasper* and parents *John and Minnie Giardina* founder of John's Appliance.

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Andrea Ruth Bommarito
on
November 13, 2022
at
Church of the Magdalen

Father Brian Fallon—Celebrant



George David Schmidt
on
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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 4:2-6; Ps 122:1-9; Mt 8:5-11
 Tuesday: Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17;
 Lk 10:21-24
 Wednesday: Rom 10:9-18; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 4:18-22
 Thursday: Is 26:1-6; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a;
 Mt 7:21, 24-27
 Friday: Is 29:17-24; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Mt 9:27-31
 Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Ps 147:1-6;
 Mt 9:35 — 10:1, 5a, 6-8
 Sunday: Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17;
 Rom 15:4-9; Mt 3:1-12

*Please pray for the sick, in the hospital,
 and homebound of our Parish*

Val Bianco; Shirley Birkenmeier; Rich Brutine;
 Juanita Donatti; Mary Elkins; Ellen Gianella;
 Dolores Greer; James Havranek; Esther Huber;
 Dolores Hughes; Laverne Kammer; Tom LaForest;
 Larry Loftus; Katie Marek; Irene Mazzola; Jackie
 McGilligan; Peter Messineo, Jr.; Richie Meyer;
 Ray Miles; Kris Onanian; MaryAnn Merli; Pat
 O'Neal; Marietta Palguta; Anna & Jacob Potje;
 Nancy Sewester; Leonard Szuba; Christine Taylor;
 Anne Turek; Lois Zitzmann; Francis Zulauf; and
 for all caretakers.

Lectors

Saturday, December 3, 2022 4:30 PM
 Amy Schroff

Sunday, December 4, 2022 9:30 AM
 Mary Dooling

Sunday, December 4, 2022 11:30 AM
 Gillian McManemin

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Servers

Saturday, December 3, 2022 4:30 PM
 Volunteer

Sunday, December 4, 2022 9:30 AM
 Maya and Zoey Sahin

Sunday, December 4, 2022 11:30AM
 Veronica Jakul

Mass Intentions

Monday, November 28, 2022
 8:00 A.M. Urban Foshage

Tuesday, November 29, 2022
 8:00 A.M. Larry Lynch.

Wednesday, November 30, 2022
St. Andrew, Apostle

8:00 A.M. The Roeper Family

Thursday, December 1, 2022
 8:00 A.M. Jeff Esserman

Friday, December 2, 2022
 8:00 A.M. Msgr. Louis F. Meyer

Saturday, December 3, 2022
 4:30 P.M. Ed Howard

Sunday, December 4, 2022
Second Sunday of Advent


9:30 A.M. Dory Leal

11:30 A.M. For the People of the Parish

2022

DECEMBER

CHURCH OF THE
MAGDALEN

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27 9:30 & 11:30am Mass Bible Study, 10:30am Youth Group, 12:30pm	28 Young Adult Night, 7pm	29 St. Vincent de Paul meeting, 6-45pm	30 6-7:30 Adore/Confess St. Monica Club, 7pm	01 Senior Social, 8:30am YM 6-8pm	02	03 Devotions, 9:15am Confessions, 3:30pm Vigil Mass 4:30pm
04 9:30 & 11:30am Mass Donut Sunday Youth Group, 12:30pm	05	06	07 Immaculate Conception Vigil 5:30pm; Adore/Confess	08 Immaculate Conception Mass 8am YM 6-8pm	09	10 Confessions, 3:30pm Vigil Mass 4:30pm
11 9:30 & 11:30am Mass Bible Study, 10:30am Youth Group, 12:30pm	12 Barcia, 7:30pm at The Golden Hoosier	13 Knights of Columbus meeting, 6pm Soup Kitchen, 4:30pm	14 6-7:30pm Adoration & Confession	15 Advent at The Well, 7pm	16	17 Confessions, 3:30pm Vigil Mass 4:30pm
18 9:30 & 11:30am Mass Bible Study, 10:30am Youth Group, 12:30pm	19	20	21 6-7:30pm Adoration & Confession	22 YM Homework Help, 6pm & YM Caritas, 7-8pm	23	24 Christmas Eve Mass, 4:30pm
25 Christmas Day Mass, 9:30am	26	27 St. Vincent de Paul meeting, 6-45pm	28 6-7:30 Adore/Confess St. Monica Club, 7pm	29	30	31 Confessions, 3:30pm Vigil Mass 4:30pm
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Notes:

~Daily Mass is celebrated Monday-Friday at 8:00am.

~The Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception (Dec. 8) is a holy day of obligation.

~Barcia is a monthly night of community and conversation at The Golden Hoosier bar. All are welcome every second Monday of the month!

~The St. Monica Club meets every last Wednesday of the month to pray for our loved ones who have fallen away from the Church. This month will prayer only, 7-7:30pm.

~Advent at The Well is a night of Advent prayer, reflection, and praise and worship music.

~There will be no Donut Sunday on New Year's Day, January 1.

~Please note the parish office will be closed the week between Christmas and New Year's Day.

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