

# The Grapevine Newsletter

St. Bruno Parish, Dousman

Thursday, December 11, 2025

I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit.

--John 15:5



NOVEMBER 29-DECEMBER 15

## ST. BRUNO'S ANNUAL Giving Tree

**YOUR GENEROSITY HELPS LOCAL FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS IN NEED EXPERIENCE HOPE, WARMTH, AND DIGNITY THIS CHRISTMAS SEASON.**

Spread the joy of the season by choosing a tag from our parish Giving Tree and helping a neighbor in need. Your simple act of generosity can bring warmth, hope, and love to someone's Christmas. *Thank you to all who have participated.*

# Kids' Christmas

CONCERT

17  
DEC, 2025

**ST. BRUNO PARISH & SCHOOL**  
6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

226 W. Ottawa Ave., Dousman | [www.stbrunoparishschool.com](http://www.stbrunoparishschool.com)

Join us for our joyful School Christmas Concert as our students share the spirit of the season through music and song! Come celebrate together and let their beautiful performance fill your heart with Christmas cheer.

# What's New

## Christmas @ St. Paul & St. Bruno

### Christmas Eve:

St. Paul: 3:30pm Choir Concert  
4pm Mass & 6pm Mass

St. Bruno: 3:30pm Children's Choir  
Concert

4pm Mass

### Christmas Day:

St. Paul: 9am Mass

St. Bruno: 10:30am Mass

### New Year's Day:

St. Bruno: 9am Mass

\*Please note change in location\*

### Epiphany:

St. Bruno: 10:15am Mini Choir Concert  
Before Mass (Regular Mass Times)

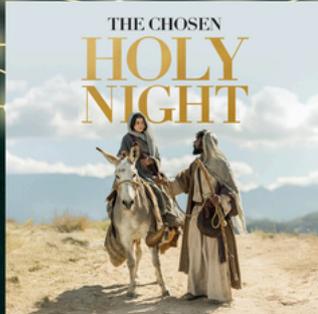


## Spread the Joy of Christmas

This holiday season, let the spirit of giving shine brightly. Your generous contributions help our parish community thrive and support those in need. Scan the QR code to easily make a donation to St. Bruno Parish and share the joy of Christmas with others.



Thank you for your kindness and generosity!



## THE CHOSEN: HOLY NIGHT MOVIE PARTY

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 16

6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

### FEATURING

POPCORN SODA MOVIE COZY WARMTH

ST. BRUNO PARISH  
226 W. OTTAWA AVE., DOUSMAN

\*NO COST TO ATTEND

## RSVP to The Chosen: Holy Night Movie Showing **HERE!**



make a joyful noise.

St. Paul's new handbell choir will be playing their first Masses at the 5:30 pm Mass and 9:00 am Mass on December 13th and 14th.

“Mary sustains our journey toward Christmas, for she teaches us how to live this Advent Season in expectation of the Lord. For this time of Advent is a time of waiting for the Lord, who will visit us all on the feast, but also, each one, in our own hearts. The Lord is coming! Let us wait for him!” --Pope Francis



# What's New

**Thank you to everyone who joined us for our Adult Advent Retreat at St. Paul this past Saturday!**

Your presence, prayer, and openness to the quiet work of the Holy Spirit helped make the morning truly beautiful. As we prepare our hearts for the coming of Christ, your participation reminds us of the hope and renewal this season brings. We invite all of you to join us again next year as we continue to grow together in faith and anticipation of our Savior's birth!



"ADVENT IS THE TIME WE ARE GIVEN TO WELCOME THE LORD WHO COMES TO ENCOUNTER US, AND ALSO TO VERIFY OUR LONGING FOR GOD, TO LOOK FORWARD AND PREPARE OURSELVES FOR CHRIST'S RETURN."

**POPE FRANCIS**



**4 WAYS TO SAVOR ADVENT**

- Seek reconciliation**: Go to Confession and invite your friends and family to go as well during the Advent season.
- Volunteer your time**: Serve lunch at a local soup kitchen before you head to your family celebration.
- Make homemade presents**: Invite your friends and family to make homemade gifts. It can be a nice, personal gesture with your loved ones.
- Don't use up all your Christmas spirit**: For Catholics, Christmas begins (it doesn't end) on December 25. Keep your sense of expectation alive for the "Octave of Christmas".

**SOURCES**  
 Our Sunday Visitor (www.osv.com) • "How to savor Advent" Perpetual Learner (www.adventus.wordpress.com) • "5 Tips for Living Advent" **CatholicLink**



**The parish offices will be closed:**

**Christmas Eve & Christmas Day  
New Year's Eve & New Year's Day**



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