

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH

Est. 1789—the oldest Parish in Southeast Missouri

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ONE CHURCH, EAST TO WEST : LOVING JESUS, SERVING JESUS, SHARING JESUS

Mass Schedule				Intention
Nov. 30	SAT	4:00 pm	Vigil, First Sunday of Advent	Parish
Dec. 1	SUN	11:00 am	First Sunday of Advent	+Carolyn Porter Allred
Dec. 2	MON	12:15 pm		+George Bock
Dec. 5	THU	12:15 pm		Judy Dowd
Dec. 6	FRI	12:15 pm	First Friday Adoration	+Necie Marshall
Dec. 7	SAT	4:00 pm	Vigil, Second Sunday of Advent	+Prentiss Smith
Dec. 8	SUN	11 am	Second Sunday of Advent	Parish

DATE	LECTOR	EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTER OF THE Holy Eucharist	COLLECTION COUNTERS
Nov. 30	Edward Riley	Malinda Grunwald, Joella Jones	Lynette Fowler Casey Rost
Dec. 1	Allison Fowler	Kim Hall, Glodine LaValle	
Dec. 7	Tammy Bennett	Christy Jones, Peter Rost	Chrissy Hodges Volunteer
Dec. 8	Jo Crouthers	Jo Crouthers, Becky McKay	

Week of	November 24	Total Collection	\$2464.00
Collection	\$1864.00	Weekly Budget	\$3,750.00
Online/Other	\$600.00	Difference (7-1-24 - 11-24-24)	-\$29,036.00
Total	\$2464.00	Thank you for being good stewards of God's Gifts!	
2nd Collection	\$614.00		

This weekend, Nov. 30 & Dec. 1- there is a second collection for Christmas flowers.

Sun. Dec. 1- First Sunday Adoration at 4 p.m.

No **RCIA** class tonight. The Rite of Acceptance will be at the 11:00 a.m. Mass. The next class is on **Sun., Dec. 8th at 4 p.m..** The topics are: The Early Church and Church History. All are welcome to attend!

Lighting the Way to Hope”, Sunday, Dec. 1, at The National Shrine of Our Lady in Perryville. Mass will begin at 5:00 p.m. A tree near the Shrine Church will be lit at 6:00 p.m. in honor of the Advent and Christmas seasons. More information on the bulletin boards at each entrance.

Mon. Dec. 2 - Rosary at **4 p.m.** at the church. The **Finance Council** will meet at **5:30 p.m.**

Monday, Dec. 9th -The Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception. This is a **Holy Day of Obligation** and all Catholics are expected to attend Mass. Masses are scheduled at 7 a.m. and 12:15 pm.

Saturday, December 14 @ 6:30 am, we will celebrate the often-forgotten tradition of the *Rorate* Mass.

Advent Decorating: We will decorate for Christmas on **Monday, December 16 @ 5:30 pm.** This is a HUGE task requiring many volunteers. Thank you for all you do!

Thank you for donating to Catholic Charities of Southeast Missouri. We collected a total of \$614.

The flowers on the altar are in memory of Jack & Pat Cravens Ripley by their daughters.

Holiday Mass Schedule			
	Christmas Eve	Christmas Day	New Year's Day
New Madrid	4 pm Children's Mass	11 am	12:15 pm