

Mary,
Mother
of God



St. Patrick

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St. Patrick: Please remember the following people in your prayers this week: Reese Baird, Carl Bialeschki, Nancy Brown-Smith, Floyd Debolt, Vida Freidlein, Betty Harden, Mary Humer, Paula Ingram, Patty Kirby, Barbara Kleiss, Henry Kocher, Frank Norton, Margaret Ostrum, Cathryn Pfeffer, Barbara Smith, Jay Warfel, Jeff Holt, Nancy Henry, Jim and Audrey Sheehan and requested prayer intentions.

**Saturday, December 31st @ 4:00pm Mass**

Lector: Jon Baker

Gifts: Volunteers

Ushers: Volunteers

EMHC: Becky Hand, Marlene Breen, Heather Baird

Servers: Volunteers

Sunday, January 1st @ 10:00am Mass

Lector: Jim Kleiss

Gifts: Volunteers

Ushers: Volunteers

EMHC: Teresa Kleiss, Beth Hewing, Volunteer

Servers: Volunteer

Saturday, January 7th @ 4:00pm Mass

Lector: Randy Wojan

Gifts: Offer Assistance

Ushers: Allen Burwell, Jim Hand

EMHC: Heather Baird, Gerard Kocher, Gerald Kocher

Servers: Volunteers

Sunday, January 8th @ 10:00am Mass

Lector: Charlie Huber

Gifts: Stierwalt Family

Ushers: Kevin Wilhelm, Alan Schwenk

EMHC: Marlene Breen, Teresa Kleiss, Beth Hewing

Servers: Volunteer

**Saturday, December 31st**

4:00pm/Larry Adams

Sunday, January 1st

7:30 am/Confessions

8:00am/Ivesdale For The People of St. Joseph and St. Patrick

10:00am/Tolono Lois Easton

Monday, January 2nd

NO MASS

Tuesday, January 3rd

8:00/Tolono Margaret Schwenk

Wednesday, January 4th

4:00/Adoration

5:00/Ivesdale Jack Cain

Thursday, January 5th

8:00/Tolono Lena Wilhelm

Friday, January 6th

8:00/Ivesdale Bill Bailey

Saturday, January 7th

4:00pm/Tolono Marjorie Campbell

Sunday, January 8th

7:30am/Ivesdale Confessions

8:00am/Ivesdale Chuck Bentley

10:00am/Tolono For The People of St. Joseph and St. Patrick



Due to the early deadline for this bulletin, the collection for the weekend of December 25th will be in the January 8th bulletin. Thank you!



We seek God's blessings as did Mary. Because of her Son we confidently call God.

MAY GOD
Bless Us In His Mercy.



Server Sign Up

The sign up sheet for mass servers is in the back of the church for the month of **January**. Your schedule will be in the bulletin and on the website. Thank you!

**January Liturgical Schedule**

The new Liturgical Schedule for **January** is available in the information sections of the church. It is also available on the website. Please remember if you are not available to fulfill your duties, to find a replacement. Thank you!

On Vacation!

The Religious Education Program is on vacation! Classes will resume on January 4th at 6:00 pm. Have a fantastic break!!!

**Thank You!**

The Religious Education Clothing drive was a HUGE success!!! We had over three hundred pieces of youth winter clothing donated for the Giving Place!!! All donations go right back into our community. Thank you to all who supported this worthy cause!!! God Bless your giving heart!!!

Coffee Hour

On Tuesday, January 3rd at 9:00 am, the Catholic Charities Good Samaritan Program of Champaign and Piatt Counties will host a Coffee Hour at St. Patrick's Parish Center in Tolono. Join us for warm beverages, snacks and fellowship. Contact Kim McAvoy at 637-2395 with questions.

**Website Sponsorship Available**

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**Time for Pecans!!!**

Altar & Rosary will be selling pecans again this year. The pecans are available in halves & pieces for \$10.00 per 1 lb bag. If interested, call Marlene Breen at 485-6500.

**Ecumenical Service**

Mark your calendars for the 2017 Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. On January 19th, we will host the prayer service. Come join us for worship as a community of faith!

**Vocation to the Permanent Diaconate**

Do you wonder if you have a vocation to be a Permanent Deacon? Come to an information meeting at St. Patrick Parish Center in Urbana on November 16th at 6:30 pm. There will be an overview of this vocation and an opportunity to ask deacons and their wives questions concerning the Permanent Diaconate in the Peoria Diocese. Wives are encouraged to attend. For more information, contact Deacon Brewer at 898-9111.

**Financial Peace**

Dave Ramsey Financial Peace University is coming to St. Patrick parish on January 16, 2017 in the parish center. It is a nine week class that teaches people how to dump debt, spend wisely, save for the future, and give generously. Any adult wanting to attend this event may find more information on our website at www.stpatricktolono.com Please join us for this informative class!

Schwann Information

This year St. Patrick will once again participate in a Schwan's fundraising campaign benefitting the parish. New and existing Schwan's customers can participate by ordering online, right from our campaign page (www.schwans-cares.com/campaigns/30483-st-patrick-church-of-tolono), or by ordering by phone at 1-855-870-7208, just have our campaign number handy...**30483**. Products ordered are delivered directly to your home with a portion of sales being donated back to the church. The campaign will go until January 8, 2017. Thank you to everyone that has participated.

Caring Companions Program for Seniors

The Good Samaritan Program of Champaign and Piatt Counties is working to expand its Caring Companions Program for seniors. The program provides friendly visiting, assistance with shopping, transportation to appointments, and help with other needs by matching volunteers with seniors. We are also looking for adults of all ages who can spare a little time to volunteer. Contact Kim McAvoy at 637-2395 or kmcavoy@accdop.org to request assistance or to volunteer.

