

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

The second collection today is for the school. Thank you for your support!

The Holy Name Society will meet after the 9 am Mass.

Mrs. Ledbetter will have some items (used children clothes and toys) for free, after the 9 am Mass, in the basement.

We will be collecting “cash and coins” during Advent for the Capital Campaign after both Masses, in the vestibule, today and next Sunday. Thank you for your support!

The Altar and Rosary annual Christmas Craft and Gift Store will be today and next Sunday after both Masses. There will also be a raffle for a beautiful St. Michael statue. Anyone wanting to contribute a basket should contact Mrs. Fischer at 605-290-0910. All proceeds will go toward altar needs. Thank you in advance!

Fr. Kowalewski will be on retreat this week. Please keep him in your prayers for a fruitful retreat!

Ember Days are this Wednesday, Friday and Saturday. These are traditional days of fast and partial abstinence. They are observed by taking one principal meal at which meat is taken. The other two meatless meals should not together equal the main meal. Friday is, of course, a day of full abstinence. These days are set aside at the beginning of each season to thank God for the blessings during the last season and ask for protection during the next.

The Christmas School concert will be on Friday at 7 pm in the basement followed by a potluck.

The lower school will be hosting their annual Reader's Auction on January 30, 2026. The Auction was set up to encourage students to read good books. To make our auction even better, we are looking for either monetary or donated items. If you are interested in donating, please drop off items at the lower school or contact Mrs. Nancy Gallegos (text at 303-915-8841). Thank you.

REFLECTION

“The more a soul concentrates its desires and affections on God, the more it will be freed from earthly cares. It will no longer be troubled about anything, knowing that only one thing is necessary, ‘to seek God,’ and that in God it will find everything it needs. Hence to draw near to God, is to find not only true joy, but also peace. In Him it has everything, and God alone suffices.”

“My God and my Savior, I believe in You, I trust in You. I seek for You, yet I know that You are near me, and in me: near me, hidden under the Eucharistic veil; in me, by grace. O Lord, make me know You! Do not permit it to happen to me as to the Jews: You were living in the midst of them and they knew You not. Grant that my soul may always have a lively faith; increase my faith, for faith is the light by which I can know You on earth.” St. Catherine of Sienna *Divine Intimacy*, pages 44-46.

MASS AND SERVER SCHEDULE

Monday		12/15/25	Advent Ferial	
7:15 am	Ac1	(server needed)		
7:15 am	Ac1	De la Torre, Gideon	Our Lady's Altar	
7:15 am	Ac1	De la Torre, Aedan	St. Joseph's Altar	
Priory Mass: 7:25 am - Mr. Schmitt				
11:25 am	Ac1	Gaydosh, Ephraem	Ac2	Gilmor, Martin
11:25 am	Ac1	Cantelmi, Joseph	Our Lady's Altar	
Server Practice Low Mass 3:45-4:30 pm				
Tuesday		12/16/25	St. Eusebius	
5:45 am	Ac1	Holm, James		
7:15 am	Ac1	Bushnell, Cyprian		
7:15 am	Ac1	Gilmor, Augustine	Our Lady's Altar	
7:15 am	Ac1	Mr. Schmitt	St. Joseph's Altar	
11:25 am	Ac1	Romero, Jose Maria	Ac2	Murray, Christopher
Wednesday		12/17/25	Ember Wednesday	
5:45 am	Ac1	Pfeiffer, Timothy		
7:15 am	Ac1	Ledbetter, Warren	Ac2	Ledbetter, Xavier
7:15 am	Ac1	Ballard, Maximus	Our Lady's Altar	
7:15 am	Ac1	Conder, David	St. Joseph's Altar	
11:25 am	Ac1	Bushnell, Roman	Ac2	Eddy, William
Thursday		12/18/25	Advent Ferial	
5:45 am	Ac1	O'Neill, Timothy		
7:15 am	Ac1	Mr. Schmitt		
7:15 am	Ac1	Olson, Luke	Our Lady's Altar	
7:15 am	Ac1	O'Neill, Anthony	St. Joseph's Altar	
11:25 am	Ac1	O'Neill, Sean	Ac2	Bushnell, Leo
Benediction at 6:30 pm	MC	Gilmor, Augustine	Th	Gilmor, John
	Ac1	Gilmor, Martin	Ac2	Gilmor, Kieran
Friday		12/19/25	Ember Friday	
7:15 am	Ac1	Conder, Mark		
7:15 am	Ac1	Linnebur, Logan	Our Lady's Altar	
7:15 am	Ac1	Conder, Thomas	St. Joseph's Altar	
Priory Mass: 7:25 am - Mr. Schmitt				
11:25 am	Ac1	Cantelmi, Patrick	Ac2	Harbaugh, Theodore
Saturday		12/20/25	Ember Saturday	
7:15 am	Ac1	Gilmor, Augustine	Ac2	Gilmor, Martin
7:15 am	Ac1	Gilmor, Joseph	Our Lady's Altar	
Priory Mass: 7:25 am - Mr. Schmitt				
8:00 am	Ac1	Bushnell, Roman	Ac2	Bushnell, Leo
Polishing after the 8am Mass				
Sunday		12/21/25	Fourth Sunday after Advent	
7:00 am	Ac1	Harbaugh, Theodore	Ac2	Gallegos, Christopher
7:30 am	Ac1	Cantelmi, Joseph	Our Lady's Altar	
7:30 am	Ac1	Cantelmi, Patrick	St. Joseph's Altar	
9:00 am	MC	Gaydosh, Ephraem	Th	Linnebur, Logan
	CB	Murray, Declan		
	Ac1	Romero, Jose Maria	Ac2	Murray, Christopher
	TB	Murray, Alexander	TB	Gaydosh, Judah
	TB	Romero, Pedro	TB	Gavdosh, Conan

CONFESSION SCHEDULE					
Monday	December	15	—	—	
Tuesday	December	16	7:15-7:50 am	Fr. Robinson	
Wednesday	December	17	11:25 am-12:10 pm	Fr. Haynos	
Thursday	December	18	11:25 am-12:10 pm	Fr. McBride	
			6:30 pm	Fr. May	
Friday	December	19	—	—	
Saturday	December	20	7:15-7:55 am	Fr. Robinson	
Sunday	December	21	6:30-7:25 am	Fr. Haynos	
			7:30-8:00 am	Fr. McBride	
			8:30-8:55 am	Fr. McBride	
			9:00-10:30 am	Fr. Kowalewski	

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK IN OUR PARISH:

Irene Smith, Kristin Zarlengo, Tom Able, Carita Bandel, John Di Cino,
Liz Liagin, Sharon Linnebur, Marianne Matel, Antonija Michieli,
Michael Nevin, Andrew Pearson, Bill Simons, Lillian Zedan

CHURCH FINANCIAL REPORT			
Collections:	December 7	November 30	November 23
1st Collection	\$4,808.50	\$3,335.51	\$3,365.00
2nd Collection		\$1,183.86	\$1,002.00
2nd Collection Purpose		SSPX Foreign Mission	Building Maintenance
Future 2nd Collections:	Purpose	Expense Report:	November
		Collections:	\$31,832.84
		Expenses:	\$25,343.49
December 21	Christmas Flowers	Excess:	\$6,489.35
December 28	Building Maintenance		
Capital Campaign	\$3,215,800.00	Capital Campaign	\$1,730,290.00

WAYS TO GIVE

THERE ARE MANY SIMPLE AND CONVENIENT WAYS TO DONATE TO ST. ISIDORE PARISH:

1. THE KIOSK LOCATED IN THE VESTIBULE
2. AT <https://app.securegive.com/saintisidore>
3. TEXT TO: GIVE AT 720-807-SSPX (7779)

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

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SAINT ISIDORE THE FARMER

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH AND ACADEMY
Offering the
TRIDENTINE LATIN MASS

GAUDETE SUNDAY
DECEMBER 14, 2025



SOCIETY OF ST. PIUS X

Fr. Paul Robinson, Prior
Fr. Patrick McBride, Pastor
Fr. Dominic May, Assistant
Fr. Joseph Haynos, Principal