

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

DECEMBER 21, 2025

*Advent,
Awaiting the coming of
Christ*



Today's Readings: Is 7:10-14 Ps 24:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 Rom 1:1-7 Mt 1:18-24

ST. ISIDORE CHURCH Laingsburg, Michigan

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Saturday Mass: 5:30 pm – **Sunday Mass:** 9:00 am
Confession: Wed. 5:30 to 6:20 pm & after Mass until 7:30

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Saturday Mass: 4:00 pm – **Sunday Mass:** 11:00 am
Confession: Saturdays 3:00 to 3:45 pm and
Thurs. 5:30 to 6:20 pm
Web Address: <http://saintisidoreholyfamily.org>

Sacrament of Baptism
Sacrament of Matrimony
Anointing of the Sick
Last Rites
Please contact the office
For emergencies call the Rectory at
517-651-6617

ST. ISIDORE, LAINGSBURG**MASS SCHEDULE
FOR THIS WEEK**

Saturday — Dec 20— (5:30 PM) † Charles & † Dorothy Kendall by the Family
Sunday — Dec 21 —(9:00 AM) † James Rowley by the Family
Christmas Eve—Dec 24— (6:00 PM) For Our Parish Families & All Souls in Purgatory
Christmas Eve —Dec 24—(11:00 PM) For all Families of Our Parish
Christmas Day—Dec 25—(9:00 AM) For the Intentions of Bishop Boyea
Friday —Dec 26—(8:30 AM) † Marianne Stein by Barbara Negus
Saturday — Dec 27— (5:30 PM) † Clif Tobias by Shirley & Family
Sunday — Dec 28 —(9:00 AM) † S.S. Basgall by Chris & Kay Basgall

HOLY FAMILY, OVID

Saturday—Dec 20— (4:00 PM) Special Intentions of Fr. Gordon by Bob & Roni Vanitvelt
Sunday— Dec 21—(11:00 AM) † Margaret Williams by Heather, Dominic & Kim
Tuesday — Dec 23— (12:10 PM) † Marian Shipley by the Family
Christmas Eve—Dec 24 -(4:00 PM) For All Families of Our Parish
Christmas Day—Dec 25—(11:00 AM) For the Intentions of Bishop Boyea
Saturday—Dec 27— (4:00 PM) Special Intentions of Fr. Anthony by Bob & Roni
Sunday— Dec 28—(11:00 AM) † Janina Mikulionis by Ramune

**ADORATION**

St. Isidore Church- Wednesdays

5:30—6:20 pm Adoration & Confessions
6:30 pm Mass
Adoration & Confessions Following Mass
Until 7:30 pm

Holy Family—Thursdays

WEEKLY OFFERTORY

Dec 13 & 14, 2025

St. Isidore Offertory- \$8,209
Holy Family Offertory - \$2,895
Online Offertory - \$1,475
TOTAL: - \$12,579

Please Pray for the Sick of our Parish

Names included should be parishioners, their relatives and friends.

ROSARY BEFORE MASS—HOLY FAMILY

Saturdays 3:30 pm

ROSARY BEFORE MASS—ST. ISIDORE

Sundays 8:30 am—Thurs. & Fri. 8:05 am

MONTHLY DEVOTIONS

1st Wed. of Month—St. Isidore—6:30 PM
Rosary and Litany of St. Joseph after Mass

1st Friday of Month—St. Isidore—8:30 AM
Litany of Sacred Heart after Mass

1st Saturday of Month—Holy Family



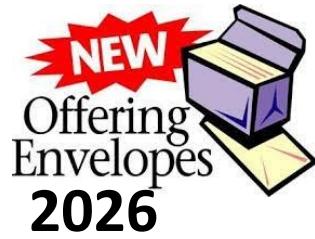
Please contact the office to put names on the prayer list.

Remember all of our service members in your prayers.

Nita Hughes	Jan Smith	Shirley Kalocy	Gary Lundquist	Jeff Watson	Steve Izdebski
Craig Henning	Tammy Smith	Liz Miller	Mildred Tejkl	James Parros	Crystal Eifert
Ken Latz	Napoleon Martinez, Jr.	Kvalevog Family	Michelle Houska	Therese Bruso	Mike Balcom
Pam Morgan	Gloria Costello	Dale Coggins	Lorie Mumby	Jim Thering	Ken White
Dan Schwart	Tom Hulbert	Michelle Hurst	June Lee	Tuffy Wolfrom	Dave Bitner
Beverly Adcock	Chris Basgall	Usher Jackson	Nick & Lucinda Dunay	Nancy Kienitz	Roman Eifert
Olivia Klein	Elaine Stewart	Chuck Hazard	Joe Lorio	Judy Eyde	Steve Len
Jan Bozung	Margaret Lane	Jerome Smith	Marie Hurst	Doug Maki	Juile Wells
Rick Smith	Tamera Bodine-Wilson	Jamie Lester	Cheryl Hurst	Ron, Charlene, John, Russ Ginther	Linda Pung
Hugh Smith	Ernest Carr	Melissa Becker	Trenton Hurst		Pease Family

2026 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

The new envelopes are out at both parishes. If you have not had offertory envelopes in the past and would like them now, please email or call the office. A number will be assigned and they will be available for pick up on the following weekend. **If you have had envelopes in the past and they are not out, please notify the office and they will be out for the next weekend.**



QUILTING QUIPS. . . . The Holy Family Christmas Store will be closing after this week-end's Mass. The store is set up on the big quilting tables. We hope you will take a minute or two to stop in after Mass. So far, we will be contributing over \$1,600 to the area food banks. Thanks to all the quilters who made the products and you for buying something! We can't do it without the support of everyone. Again, thanks to everyone!

-- The Quilting Group. . .

Merry Christmas to All!



OFFICE HOURS

The office will be **closed Dec. 24 & 26** for Christmas.

The office will also be **closed on Dec 31 & Jan 2.**

The bulletin will be printed on **Tuesday both weeks.**

Office hours will be mornings at Holy Family & afternoons at St. Isidore for both Tuesdays.



CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S MASS SCHEDULE

Christmas Eve—Dec. 24

4:00 pm Holy Family
6:00 pm St. Isidore
11:00 pm St. Isidore

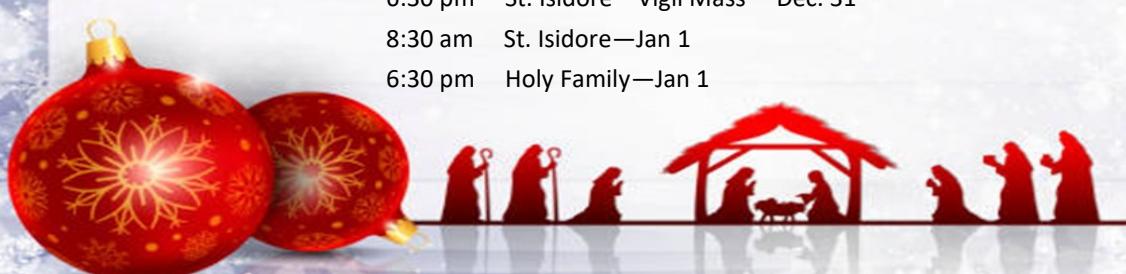
Christmas Day—Dec. 25

9:00 am St. Isidore
11:00 am Holy Family

New Year's Day -Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

(Holy Day of Obligation)

6:30 pm St. Isidore—Vigil Mass— Dec. 31
8:30 am St. Isidore—Jan 1
6:30 pm Holy Family—Jan 1



PARISH ACTIVITIES

Mondays—7:30 pm—“Zoom” online Rosary

NO QUILTING—Dec. 25 or Jan. 1

RELIGIOUS ED. FORMATION—(REF)

Holy Family

Class Time—Sunday: 9:50 am—Before Mass

St. Isidore

Class Time—Sunday: 10:15 am—After Mass

More info: marystevens@stisidorechurch.org



STEWARDSHIP for SAINTS & SCHOLARS

Stewardship for Saints and Scholars Update

The Stewardship for Saints and Scholars campaign continues to make great progress across the Diocese of Lansing. Here at St. Isidore Holy Family, our parish has raised \$120,185 toward our goal of \$465,000.

If you haven't yet had the chance to submit your pledge card, please take a moment to prayerfully consider your gift and turn in your card. Every commitment brings us closer to strengthening our parish and supporting Catholic education, faith formation, and parish life.

Make checks payable to:

Stewardship for Saints and Scholars

Do Not make check out to the parish.

Donating online: dioceseoflansing.org—click on *Stewardship for Saints & Scholars* icon.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #12044

Upcoming Events:

Jan 7—Business Meeting—7:00 pm

Jan 18—Pancake Breakfast



Knight of the Month: Brett Lundie

Family of the Month: Sharon & Bruce Gillespie

To become a Knight, visit kofc.org/join

KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS POSTER WINNERS

Emma Klein, Olivia Klein, Lillian Raska, Phuong Tran, Tony Tran, Dominic Porta, Roman Porta, Declan Burgett, Parker Burgett, and

