

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

**Sun., Nov. 27th** - 1st Sunday of Advent.

**Mon., Dec. 28th** - Liturgy Committee Meeting at 7pm, Parish Office.

**Thurs., Dec. 1st** - Women's Bible Study meets at 10:30am. Knights of Columbus meets at 7:30pm, St. Andrew's.

**Fri., Dec. 2nd** - Eucharistic Adoration follows 8am Mass from 8:30am - 4:30pm. Prayer Group meets at 1:30pm.

**Sun., Dec. 4th** - 2nd Sunday of Advent. Hospitality follows 9am Mass in the Hall. Religious Ed follows 9am Mass.

**Thurs., Dec. 8th** - The Immaculate Conception. Holy Day of Obligation. Mass at 9am and 6pm, St. Andrew's. Women's Bible Study meets at 10:30am.

**Fri., Dec. 9th** - Eucharistic Adoration follows 8am Mass from 8:30am - 4:30pm. Prayer Group meets at 1:30pm.

**Sat. Dec. 10th** - Advent Day of Reflection from 9am - 2pm, Parish Hall.

**Sun., Dec. 11th** - 3rd Sunday of Advent. Hospitality Sunday follows 11am Mass at St. Thomas.

**Mon., Dec. 12th** - Our Lady of Guadalupe. Mass at 6:00am, St. Andrew's.

**Thurs., Dec. 15th** - Advent Penance Service at 6:30pm, St. Andrew's.

### SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

**Sunday:** First Sunday of Advent

**Wednesday:** St. Andrew

**Thursday:** World AIDS Awareness Day

**Friday:** First Friday

**Saturday:** St. Francis Xavier; First Saturday

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Monday:** Is 4:2-6; Ps 122:1-9; Mt 8:5-11

**Tuesday:** Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17;

Lk 10:21-24

**Wednesday:** Rom 10:9-18; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 4:18-22

**Thursday:** Is 26:1-6; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a; Mt 7:21, 24-27

**Friday:** Is 29:17-24; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Mt 9:27-31

**Saturday:** Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Ps 147:1-6; Mt 9:35 — 10:1, 5a, 6-8

**Sunday:** Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Rom 15:4-9; Mt 3:1-12

FIRST  
SUNDAY OF

Advent



NOVEMBER 27, 2022

"You also must be prepared,  
for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come."

MATTHEW 24:44

### OFFERTORY PROGRAM

Thank you to all who have turned in their Offertory Commitment cards. Please begin your new commitment the first week of December.

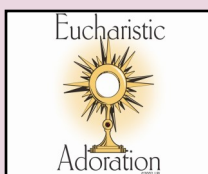
\*\*\*There are extra commitment cards in the vestibule should you need one.

Thank you!



### St. Andrew, our Patron Saint Feast Day - November 30th

St. Andrew was Peter's brother, and were both fishermen living in Capernaum. He was led to find Jesus after following John the Baptist and listening to John's testimony. He brought Peter with him, and Jesus told both of them He would be making them "fishers of men." They readily accepted the invite and left everything to follow Jesus. After the crucifixion of Jesus, Andrew preached in Scythia and along the Black Seas as far as Kiev. He is the patron saint of Ukraine, Romania, Russia, and Scotland. St. Andrew was crucified, but on an X shaped cross at his request rather than the Latin cross like the one used for Jesus because he did not feel worthy to be crucified the same way.



Friday, December 2nd

8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Next week's 2nd Collection is for:

Church Maintenance



Next Sunday is Hospitality Sunday, following 9am Mass in the Hall.

- ♦ Drinks are provided.
- ♦ Food donations are appreciated.

All are welcome!



**THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

**HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION**

**Thursday, December 8th  
Mass at 9:00am and 6:00pm  
St. Andrew's**

**Advent Day of Reflection**

St. Andrew's Parish has formed a new ministry called "Joyful Hope Ministry."

The first event will be an Advent Retreat Day titled "Pay It Forward" to be held on:

**Saturday, December 10th  
9am - 2pm, Parish Hall**



The feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe will be celebrated with a Mass at:

**St. Andrew's  
Monday, December 12th  
at 6:00 a.m.**

Reception to follow in the Parish Hall.



The Angel Giving Tree is up in the vestibule. Help someone who might otherwise go "without" this Christmas. **Pick an angel of your choice from the tree and return your wrapped gift by December 18th. Attach the angel to the envelope or gift.** Thank you for your generosity in helping those in need in our community.

**CHRISTMAS AT AVALON CONVALESCENT HOSPITAL**

There is a basket in the vestibule with a list of items residents most use and desire. Some ideas are: lap blankets, scarves, writing tablets, warm socks, no skid slipper socks, body wash, hair accessories, word search books, etc. Please do not wrap, however, a bow/ribbon and a note makes it personal and thoughtful. **Please return to the basket by Dec. 18th.**

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FUNDRAISER**



The Knights of Columbus will be selling raffle tickets with a chance to win statues of the Holy Family. **Tickets are \$5 each or 5 for \$20.** Tickets will be sold after Mass.



**VISIT OUR WEBSITE**

**[www.standrewcatholicparish.com](http://www.standrewcatholicparish.com)**

**Online Giving** is available. You can make a one-time donation, or a recurring donation.

**Pray for ...**

Mike & Robin Abruci, Barbara Adams, Kathryn Allen, Resi Bihlmeir, Mike and Katie Blankenship, Danny Brandy, Yolanda Colin, James Cowger, Boyer Crayton, Emma Cummings, Bonnie Danielson, Fred Eschen, Mary Eschen, Nancy Gaytan-Guardado, Vanessa Gaytan-Guardado, Daniel Green, Remy Hamann, Harris Family, Adela Hawkins, Marian Hewitt, Bernadette Janbier, Daisy Kasun, Judy Kent, Agnes Koos, Gini Kuntz, Leyva Family, Sue Lipscomb, Cynthia Lloyd, Pat Lombardi, Lucia Machado, Kristi Mariani, Shirley Mariani, Anna Matsuo, Kkathy Mayhew, Barbara McKenna, Jeanne Mienke, Carol Minihane, Dalton Mitchell, Edie Montanucci, Debie Moreno, Ella Musil, Pat Nelson, Emily Nerat, Kenneth Nichols, Ron Nunes, Douglas Obujen, Bruce Olson, Kim O'Connell, John & Veronica Pargett, EJP Linda Patterson, Payton, Shirlee Peters, Barbara Pettigrove, Anthony Potter, Joanne Quintana, Toni Rambo, Katharine Reiff, Rafael Rodriguez, Ted Rookstool, Steve Routt, Dee Shelton, Henry Siefert, Nick Smith, Sharon Smith, Barbara Snow, Jill Thompson, Tracy, Michael Vasquez, Jean-Jacques Vitrac, Janet Vallergera, Valerie Young, Charli Zumbach

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Nov. 26th – Dec. 2nd**

**Our Lady of Fatima, West Point**

Sat. 4PM - Open

**St. Andrew, San Andreas:**

Sat. 6PM - Open

Sun. 9 AM - Open

Mon. 8 AM - Open

Tues. 8 AM - Open

Thurs. 8 AM - Open

Fri. 8 AM - All Souls in Purgatory

**St. Thomas Aquinas, Mokelumne Hill**

Sun. 11 AM - † David and Marie Placido

**Weekly Offering**

**Last week's Sunday Offertory : \$2,135**

**Sunday Offertory last year: \$2,125**

***Thank you for your much needed generosity to the parish!***