# Reverse Advent Calendar

Each day add an item to a box.

After Christmas, donate the contents to
the St. Cronan Food Pantry.

Items can be brought to 1202 So. Boyle, 63110

Monday-Friday, 9:00-3:00

December 1	Cereal Bars
December 2	Can of Spam
December 3	Rice Mixes (Knorr)
December 4	<b>Boxed Potatoes</b>
December 5	Macaroni & Cheese
December 6	Canned Fruit
December 7	Canned Peas
December 8	Canned Tuna
December 9	Granola Bars
December 10	Applesauce (Plastic Jar)
December 11	<b>Caned Sweet Potatoes</b>
December 12	Canned Chicken
December 13	<b>Baked Beans</b>
December 14	Box of Crackers
December 15	Package of Rice
December 16	Package of Oatmeal
December 17	Package of Pasta
December 18	Spaghetti Sauce
December 19	Healthy Choice Soups
December 20	Canned Chili
December 21	Canned Corn
December 22	Muffin Mix (add water only)
December 23	<b>Canned Carrots</b>
December 24	Conned Creen Boons



## St. Cronan Catholic Church Feast of Christ the Healer

November 24, 2024

### **Mass Information**

SUNDAY – 8 a.m. and 10 am. SATURDAY VIGIL – 5:00 pm. Wednesdays – 8:00 am. Sacrament of Reconciliation by appointment.



**Decorate for Advent:** We will decorate for Advent after the 10:00 Mass on Sunday, November 24. If you can stay to help, please do – we need to raise the Advent Wreath in the middle of Church, which requires the tall ladder.

**Poinsettia Fund Raiser!** Just in time in decorate your home or office for the Christmas Season! Poinsettia sales will take place in the back of church after each mass until Dec. 1. Or you can order online until noon on Dec. 2 by using this link to our website. https://stcronan.org/news-events/announcements

Delivery will take place after all the masses on Dec. 8. See the fly-

er in back of church for more details. All proceeds benefit the programs of St. Cronan. Don't need any poinsettias for your home? No worries...you can purchase a flower for church. Just notate that on your order sheet. This is our biggest fundraiser of the year. Thanks so much for your support!

**THANK YOU!** Thank you to all who contributed to the Catholic Campaign for Human Development last week. If you would still like to contribute, simply drop your donation into the collection basket, making sure that you notate "CCHD".

Mass on Thanksgiving Day will be at 9am. The Church office will be closed on Thanksgiving Day and Friday, November 29.



Prayers: John Gozdzialski; Tom and Madonna Kuciejczyk-Kernan; Joseph Kuciejczyk (brother of Madonna and Sr. Janet); Nick and Shirley Ambrose; Kathy Hunn's niece Lisa and her brother Jon; Mary Truetken; Pam (cousin of Donna Zuroweste); Laura Krueger's mother, Evelyn Puleo; Marie and Roland Martir's grandson, Camden and daughter, Carrie; Sr. Pauline's niece, Laura Rettke; Bob Barnicle; Sandra Ward's family and her friend Anita; Sr. Mary Ellen (friend of Nick Ambrose); Jim Chapin (friend of

Marty Spies); Pam Schaefer; Joe and Janice Fairless; Eileen Heidenheimer's friends, Joe and Laura; Brian Klinkhardt and his mother, Susan Klinkhardt, friends of Judith Santamaria; Andrew Moll's brother, Michael; Saralou Hendrickson; Mary Solomon's friend, Jesse Koenig; former parishioner Sr. Louis Lears and her family; Shelly Kurtz's Great-Great Nephew, Louis Barricklow; Fr. Gerry's little buddy, Ben Zevely; Colleen Wallace's cousin, Katy Rosolowski; Sheryl Renken's brother, Dan Engelman; Mary Solomon; Dan Stout; Trish Curtis' brother, Skip Curtis; Kathleen Absts' grandson, Matthew Peters, Fr. Jack, Gavin Barrett-Hayes, Marcy Soda.

Immigrant and Refugee Ministry. St. Cronan is part of the coalition of parishes working on this initiative. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact IRM Coordinator Kevin Kuehl, 772-1525, ext 204, MigrantMinistrySTL@gmail.com, or visit our office at St. Pius V Rectory. Envelopes are in the back of church if you care to make a donation. Make checks payable to St. Pius V. The IRM has a newsletter that can be accessed here: https://mailchi.mp/284456337e7a/celebrating-6-months-ofirm

#### **Catholic Worker Events:**

Monday November 18th at 6pm: Round Table discussion on Pope Francis's teachings on the economy (see our website stlcatholicworker.org for readings)

- Weekly vigil and sign holding at Boeing in St. Charles (Unless it's raining or snowing-- meet at Hardees on Tuesdays at 6:45am: 2701 MO-94 St. Charles MO 63301)
- Last Sunday of the month potluck (this month 11/24 at 5pm). All are welcome to come and bring their own dish or beverage to share.
- Burrito Volunteers needed Tuesday evenings at 4:30pm & Saturday Mornings at 10am-12pm. We make burritos to distribute to unhoused encampments around the

Feel free to text or call Lindsey with any questions: 702-769-3937. All Events at 8617 Mora Ln St. Louis MO 63147 (unless otherwise specified).

Black Lives Matter Vigil, takes place the third Friday of the Month at the corner of Manchester and Kingshighway, 4:30-5:30 p.m. The next vigil will take place on Friday, November 22. Please join us!





Advent Lessons and Carols: The Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet invite you to join us for a guided meditation and a reflective journey as we prepare ourselves for the birth of our Lord. Sunday, Dec. 8 at 2 p.m. CT Carondelet Motherhouse (6400 Minnesota Ave., St. Louis, MO 63111) The event is free. Learn more and register online by Nov. 24 at csisl.org/events

**Surrounding our community with love:** When one member of the Body suffers, we all suffer. With the events occurring this week and the perceived repercussions, the St. Cronan Community would like to be pro-active in understanding and addressing the pain and fear that is prevalent right now in our community and in our country. As a result, we are gathering people to discuss the actions we might take as a community to ease some of the fear addressing the issues that have come forward this week, especially the threat to Creation and climate change, the dangers implicated for migrants, and the inherent trauma that will be suffered by our LBGTQIA+ siblings and their families. If you are interested in addressing these issues please sign up on the sheets in the church vestibule.





10am

### You are cordially invited!

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2024 6 PM | THE CHRISTY

5856 Christy Boulevard, St. Louis, MO 63116

**COCKTAILS** 6 pm DINNER & PROGRAM 7 pm MUSIC 8-10 pm | FReSH RAIN TICKETS \$100/person | \$800/table of 8

ATTIRE Semi-Formal PARKING Complimentary Parking in The Christy Parking Lot

To order tickets online or view sponsorship information, please visit midtownstl.org/holiday-gala

#### **Parish Center Offices**

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