

Advent Angel is Here!

The Saint Thomas Advent Angel Tree is in our church filled with angels representing an opportunity to provide Christmas blessings to people in our community. Saint Thomas Parish families and non-parish families, referred to the Advent Angel Ministry, have listed a few of their needs and gift wishes.

Our 2021 Advent Angel Tree provided gifts for over 30 families (9 that were sponsored), food baskets for 4 families, and comfort with 18 prayer requests. Thank you for sharing your blessings with others!

Details

After praying about how God is calling you to help, choose your angel(s) from the tree or consider helping to carry gifts, sort and/or deliver.

- The white angels show gift requests.
- The purple angels are for food baskets.
- The blue angel on white angel requests daily prayer for a family.

You may pick an angel(s) any day from now until they are gone.

Gift Requests

When you buy your gift(s), please remember a gift receipt for each item. Place the gift receipt with the item(s), then wrap your gifts and attach a blank tag plus the original angel on the top.

Please return all gifts to the tree by 5 pm Mass on Saturday, December 17.

Food Baskets

If you chose a Food Basket Angel, please bring the donation to the sidewalk outside the Ministry Center.

Please return food baskets between 9 and 11 am Masses on Sunday, December 18.

Prayers

If you chose a Prayer Angel, please pray for the family every day through the Feast of the Holy Family on December 30.

Other Ways To Help

Volunteer to help on Sunday, December 18:

- Carrying gifts from the Church to the Ministry Center after 9 am Mass.
- Sorting and tagging gifts after 9 am Mass.
- We begin gift delivery at 11 am Sunday, December 18. Please check in at the Ministry Center after Mass for any additional deliveries that have not been completed.

This is a wonderful way to share the joy of Christmas with others and to celebrate the birth of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

If you or your family can bless the ministry with carrying, sorting, tagging or deliveries or if you have any questions, please contact Allen or Diane Senninger at adventangel@stthomasgr.org.