

ABOUT US

Celebrate the holiday season at the annual Ferdinand Christkindlmarkt, held the third full weekend in November. Explore more than **225** decorated booths, across eight sites throughout town, featuring handcrafted gifts, Christmas décor, antiques, art, regional food, wine, and craft beer. Live entertainment and **FREE** family-friendly activities add to the magic of the weekend. Constructed in 2025, a 32-foot German-made Christmas pyramid at the historic Wollenmann House is a must-see during your visit! The four-tiered display celebrates the town's German heritage with historical figures, illuminated beautifully each evening throughout the holiday season. It's a must-see attraction!

FREE Site Admission, Parking, Transportation, Events, & Activities

FOR MORE INFO:

www.ferdinandchristkindlmarkt.com

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For lodging packages or more info, call Visit Dubois County at 800-968-4578 or go to www.duboiscountychristmas.com



Christkindlmarkt is made possible by Ferdinand Tourism Commission and Visit Dubois County

PARKING & SHUTTLE TIPS

Make your visit easy! Park your vehicle and walk to a designated shuttle stop at one of the site locations to take advantage of our **FREE shuttle service!** The shuttle service connects all eight sites! The Green (North) and Red (South) routes make it easy to explore the entire event, and many sites are also a short walk apart.

Shuttle maps are available at each location or by scanning the QR code in the Info section on this brochure.



SITE LOCATIONS:

Saturday: 9 AM - 5 PM EST

Sunday: 10 AM - 4 PM EST

Community Center: 1710 Community Dr

Tri-County YMCA Antique Markt: 131 E 16th St

Forest Park High School: 1440 Michigan St

Includes: Practice Gym, Junior High Gym, Cafeteria, Auditorium, & Lower Commons

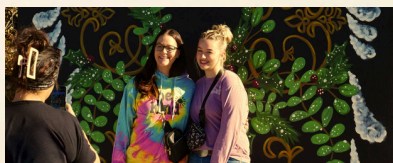
Monastery Event Hall: 840 E 10th St

Ferdinand American Legion: 425 Main St

Ferdinand Elementary Gym: 402 E 8th St

Pyramid (Wollenmann House): 1150 Main St

Ferdinand Library Kids Zone: 112 E 16th St



29TH ANNUAL



FERDINAND, INDIANA

NOVEMBER 21 - 22, 2026



FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20

All times in EST

6:30 PM: Opening Ceremony (MC)

7:00 PM: Dinner - \$45/person (MC)



Experience the Christkindl appearance on the Monastery Hill during the 6:30 p.m. EST candlelit ceremony.

After, enjoy baked goods in the crypt or delight in dinner at the Monastery with live music (\$45 per plate, reservations required, more info via QR code).



EVENT SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21

All times in EST

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Markt Sites Open

10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Monastery Immaculate
Conception Church Tours (MC)

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Ice Skating Rink (LIB)

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Face Painting (LIB)

**10:30 AM, 11:30 AM,
12:30 PM, 2:30 PM**

Children's Crafts (JHG)

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Balloon Twisting (LIB)

**11:00 AM, 12:00 PM,
1:00 PM**

Live Glockenspiel (AUD)

**12:15 PM, 1:15 PM,
3:15 PM**

Marionette Theater (AUD)

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Santa Visits (LIB)

2:15 PM, 3:30 PM

Mrs. Claus Story Time (LIB)

7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Sounds of the Season

Philharmonic Concert (MC)



SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22

All times in EST

10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Markt Sites Open

9:45 AM - 11:00 AM

St. Ferdinand Church Mass with
German Hymns (SF)

10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Ice Skating Rink (LIB)

11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Face Painting (LIB)

11:00 AM, 12:00 PM, 1:00 PM

Live Glockenspiel (AUD)

11:15 PM, 1:15 PM

Marionette Theater (AUD)

11:30 AM, 12:30 PM, 1:30 PM

Children's Crafts (JHG)

12:30 PM - 3:00 PM

Monastery Immaculate Conception
Church Tours (MC)

Saturday & Sunday

Grotto Lights at night (MC)

Christkindl & Saint Nicholas
appearances at markt sites



All Events & Activities are **FREE**
unless denoted otherwise

Key: MC-Monastery Crypt; LIB-Library; JHG-Junior High Gym;
PG-Practice Gym; AUD-HS Auditorium; SF-St. Ferdinand Church