



St. Vincent de Paul Parish

May 13, 2018

The Ascension of the Lord

Life In Our Community

School Age Faith Formation: Classes resume in the fall.

Praise & Worship: On the 1st, 3rd, and 5th Tuesdays at 7pm at our St. Vincent site.

Food Pantry: Call the office Mon.-Thurs. between 10 & noon to set Fri. appointment. Food collection at Masses 1st weekend of each month.

K of C: 2nd Wed. of month. 7:30pm

Bulletin Mail or email list: call our office.

Televised Mass: View a taped Mass on Cable channel 191 on Wed. 11am & 4pm, Friday 9am, or Sat. 10:50am.

Adult Faith Formation at St. Vincent: Watch for coming opportunities!

Hearts & Hands: Call for information on this craft & social group.

Bulletin Deadline: Wednesday, 3:00pm

Parish Hall Rental Bookings:

St. Patrick: Call Betty, 989-463-2503

St. Vincent: Call Theresa, 989-828-6003

Sacramental Information

Baptism of an infant: Contact the parish office.

Adult Baptism/Confirmation (RCIA): Classes resume this fall. Call the parish to be on the class list.

Elementary Sacramental Preparation: Enrollment in parish faith formation program required. Call the office for additional information.

Reconciliation: St. Vincent site. Saturdays at 4pm for private Reconciliation.

Marriage: Contact parish office no less than six months prior to wedding date.

Sacrament of Anointing of Sick: Please contact us before a surgery, during hospitalization or if experiencing a change in health.

Hospitalized/Homebound Ministry: Please call the office to arrange for Eucharist or for a pastoral visit.

Funerals: Please contact us before or after contacting the funeral home.

Mass
Saturday 4:30pm
Sunday 9:30am

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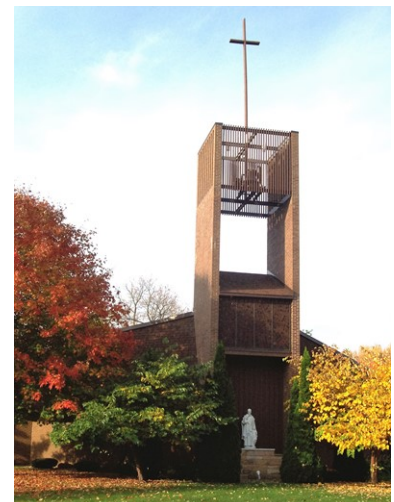
Steven Gall
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WELCOME!

No matter what your present status in the Catholic Church; No matter what your current family or marital situation; No matter what your past or present religious affiliation; No matter what your personal history, age, background, race or color; No matter what your self-image or esteem; You are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved, and respected at St. Vincent de Paul Parish.



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St. Vincent de Paul, Shepherd
168 E. Wright Ave.
Parish Church

May 13, 2018

Parish Mission Statement: St. Vincent de Paul Parish is a Christian community dedicated to proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ as taught by the Roman Catholic Church through word, sacrament, and service.

Parish Vision Statement: St. Vincent de Paul Parish is called by its Lord and Savior Jesus Christ to serve his people through living the message of the Gospel, giving service to the poor, comforting the suffering, and providing strength through the Sacraments of the Roman Catholic Church. We strive always to meet the needs of the broader community through a variety of ministries which reach out through our parish family to those with whom we live, work, and play. As disciples of Jesus Christ, we seek to establish and maintain a lifelong and vital relationship with him so as to grow each day in knowing, loving, and serving the Lord and one another.

Parish Pastoral Council

Walter Ballauer
Jerry Degruise
Kaye Hemerline
Bev Kalmar
Jackie Loomis

Don Kenny
Sue McQueen
Tom Moomey
Craig Shanteau
Helen Thrush
Kaylie Willoughby

Finance Council

Bill Daniels
Doug Duffy
Marie Green
Aaron Lloyd
Brent Moeggenborg
Zachary Lobsinger
Tish Mallory
Mary Lou Willoughby

Office Hours

Parish Office: Mon.-Thurs. 9am-4pm / Fri. 9am-1pm
Faith Formation Dir. Mary Moomey: Mon. 9am-1pm
Dr. Green: Please call for appointment

Community Prayer

Monday, May 14

Acts 1:15-17, 20-26 / Jn 15:9-17
St. Vincent: 8:30am Word & Communion Service

Tuesday, May 15

Acts 20:17-27 / Jn 17:1-11a
St. Vincent: 7:00pm Praise & Worship

Wednesday, May 16

Acts 20:28-38 / Jn 17:11b-19
St. Vincent: 8:30am Word & Communion Service
St. Patrick: 6:00pm Word & Communion Service

Thursday, May 17

Acts 22:30; 23:6-11 / Jn 17:20-26

Friday, May 18

Acts 25:13b-21 / Jn 21:15-19

Saturday, May 19

Acts 28:16-20, 30-31 / Jn 21:20-25
St. Vincent: Wedding
St. Vincent: 4:00pm Rosary
St. Vincent: 4:30pm Mass

Sunday, May 20

Pentecost Sunday
Acts 2:1-11 / 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 / Jn 20:19-23
St. Vincent: 9:00am Rosary
St. Vincent: 9:30am Mass

K of C Corner

“A false self-image is flimsier than gauze, but it often acts as a barrier, a set of heavy locked doors that prevent others from entering and enjoying real friendship and communion with us.”

“Keeping Up Appearances”
Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori
Columbia Magazine, April 2018

Please hold in Prayer: Ed Filhart, Anna Hoffman, Doug Sharrar, Deb P., R.E., Evelyn Trudell, Donna Meyer, Paulette Schieber, Binkowski Family, Jennifer Romero, Ella Kenny, and the sick and home-bound.

Celebration Breakfast!

Join us for breakfast June 3 after the 9:30 Mass to celebrate Deacon Jerry’s ordination to priesthood.

Graduating?

Please call the parish office. We’d like to honor you at Mass on June 10. (And we love caps and gowns!)

Parish Directories

Some are available for purchase in the parish office

Thank You! Thank You!

The Knights of Columbus express their thanks and appreciation to the parish for your help with the garage sale during the festival. It was a tremendous success!

Our Gifts to the Lord

April 29, 2018

Building Improvement	\$	184.00
St. Leo Cemetery	\$	70.00
St. Patrick Cemetery	\$	105.00
St. Patrick Flooring	\$	900.00
Food Pantry	\$	206.00
Evangelization	\$	25.00
Hall Rental	\$	25.00

Regular Collection

Collection

Fiscal Year to Date

April 29	\$ 5,930.00	\$ 203,071.49
Amount Budgeted	\$ 4,925.00	\$ 211,775.00



Goal: \$40,737.00
Pledged: \$11,298.00
Needed: \$29,439.00

By giving to CSA you minister to shut-ins. Our diocese coordinates televised Masses for those who cannot attend at the parish. Your gift reaches out to them.

All Settled In and Here To Stay

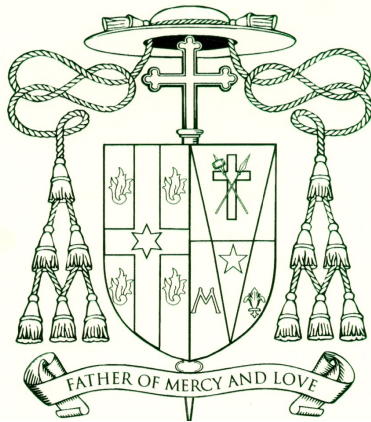
The Hearts and Hands Craft Group is growing and thinking of new ways to share. They will meet again on May 16 in the St. Vincent Church Library at 9am. No "enrollment" necessary—just show up and have a cup of coffee. Have a craft you're working on? Bring it along. If you just want to observe and see what's going on—you're welcome to do just that! (Donations of yarn and fabric that can be cut for quilt blocks are welcome!)

One More Special Day

This weekend Eddie Radtke joins us at the table for Eucharist for the first time. Please take a moment to congratulate him on this spiritual milestone in his life. Congratulations, Eddie!

Monthly Smorgasbord Dinner

Shepherd United Methodist Church invites you to dinner on Thurs., May 24, 5-6:30pm. Enjoy Swiss steak, baked chicken, and all the fixings!



*Most Reverend Joseph R. Cistone
and*

*The Church of the Diocese of Saginaw welcome you to the
Ordination to the Order of Priesthood
of*

**Jerome Peter Green
and
Adam Patrick Maher**

*through the Imposition of Hands, Prayer of Ordination
and Anointing of Hands
on*

*Friday, June 1, 2018, at 2:30 p.m.
Cathedral of Mary of the Assumption
615 Hoyt Avenue, Saginaw, Michigan 48607*

Diocese & Bishop's News & Notes

www.saginaw.org

A **Prepare/Enrich Seminar**, offered by The Christian Service Office of our diocese, is scheduled for Sat., June 8, 9am-5:30pm at the Center for ministry in Saginaw. This seminar may be used as part of a marriage preparation program for engaged couples. Cost is \$80 (includes online assessment and lunch). To register contact Linda Milco at 989-797-6660 or lmilco@dioceseofsaginaw.org by May 31.

Save the date for the **Mass for Freedom** with Bishop Joseph Cistone on Wednesday, June 27 at 6:30pm at Holy Family Catholic Church, 1525 S. Washington Ave., Saginaw.

A **Diocesan Marriage Preparation Program** is scheduled for Saturday, August 25 from 9:00am -5:30pm. Please register by August 15. Cost is \$85. To register, please contact Linda Milco at 989-797-6660 or lmilco@dioceseofsaginaw.org. The next diocesan workshop is scheduled for October 6, 2018

The diocesan offices involved with Respect Life will sponsor a **Disability Awareness Conference** on Aug. 1, 9am-4pm, at Holy Spirit Church, Shields. The day begins with Mass, followed by the keynote, breakout sessions, panel discussions, and more. Registration fee of \$20 includes materials and lunch. All are welcome. For more information contact Lori Becker, 989-797-6652.

The Office of Hispanic Ministry is sponsoring a pilgrimage to Mexico City and the Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe February 23-28, 2019. Please contact the Office of Hispanic Ministry 989-797-6646 or email hispanicministry@dioceseofsaginaw.org. Visit canterburypilgrimages.com/allpilgrimages/saginaw for more information.

Do You Send Donations Electronically?

If you call your bank to make a donation to the parish, please call the parish as well to let us know if the donation is for something special (like CSA). The bank checks do not note what the donation is for. Unless we hear from you, the donation will go in the general fund for operating expenses.

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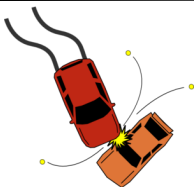
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