



St. Vincent de Paul Parish

June 16, 2019
The Most Holy Trinity

Life In Our Community

Children's Faith Formation: Classes resume in the fall. Watch for information about Vacation Bible School !

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

Food Pantry: Call the office Mon., Wed., or Thurs. between 10am & noon to set Friday 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: Cable channel 187 on Sun. at 2pm., Cable channel 191 on Wed. 11am & 4pm, Fri. 9am & Sat. 10:50am

Adult Faith Formation: Wed., June 19, 9am, Bible Study in St. Vincent Church Library

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

Bulletin Deadline: Wed. at noon

Parish Hall Rental Bookings:

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

St. Vincent: Call the parish office

Sacramental Information

Baptism of an infant: Contact the parish office.

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

Elementary Sacramental Preparation: Enrollment in parish faith formation program required. Call Mary Moomey in our parish office for more information.

Reconciliation: St. Vincent site. Private Reconciliation Saturdays at 4:00pm.

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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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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Church for Occasional Use



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

June 16, 2019

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.



Fr. Stephen Blaxton (center) at his Mass of Thanksgiving here in our parish on June 9 with Deacon Todd Lovas and Fr. Fred Kawka.

K of C Corner

“This week, I challenge you to deepen your relationship with the Holy Spirit by praying the words ‘Come Holy Spirit’ as you begin your daily time of prayer, your workday or an activity at home. Secondly, I challenge you to invite a friend or family member who is not active in their faith to join you at Mass or eucharistic adoration.”

Challenge by Chaplain Archbishop Wm. E Lori
Columbia Magazine, June 2019

Please hold in Prayer: †Mary Ann Monte, Ken Helinski, Mary Yates, Terri Grierson, Larry Noyes, Joshua Morgan, Kim Craven, Anna Hoffman, Bonnie Skalitsky, Jim Platt, Jim Langlois, Tom Krafft, Frank Lapinski, Delores Miller, Binkowski Family, and the sick and homebound.

Saginaw Priests’ Retirement Fund Collection

Please give today to the Saginaw Priests’ Retirement Fund. Gifts go directly to the priests’ pension plan and are invested and held in a trust account. The plan provides for pensions and medical benefits of our retired priests and the future retirement of active priests.

Community Prayer

Monday, June 17

2 Cor 6:1-10 / Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday, June 18

2 Cor 8:1-9 / Mt 5:43-48

St. Vincent: 7:00pm Praise & Worship

Wednesday, June 19

2 Cor 9:6-11 / Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

St. Vincent: 8:30am Word & Communion Service

St. Patrick: 6:00pm Word & Communion Service

Thursday, June 20

2 Cor 11:1-11 / Mt 6:7-15

St. Vincent: **NO 4:30pm Meditation today**

Friday, June 21

2 Cor 11:18, 21-30 / Mt 6:19-23

St. Vincent: 8:30am Word & Communion Service

Saturday, June 22

2 Cor 12:1-10 / Mt 6:24-34

St. Vincent: 4:00pm Rosary

St. Vincent: 4:30pm Mass

Sunday, June 23

Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Gn 14:18-20 / 1 Cor 11:23-26 / Lk 9:11b-17

St. Vincent: 9:00am Rosary

St. Vincent: 9:30am Mass



MANY PARTS; ONE CHURCH

CSA | Catholic Services Appeal
Diocese of Saginaw

During Holy Week the Chrism Mass gathers representatives of all parishes of our diocese. At the Mass, the oils of the sick and the oils of catechumenate as well as Holy Chrism are blessed and distributed to be used throughout the year for sacraments and anointing the sick. This celebration is planned by the Office of Liturgy, partially funded by your CSA gifts.

Our Gifts to the Lord	June 9, 2019	
Building Improvement	\$	18.00
St. Leo Cemetery	\$	75.00
St. Patrick Cemetery	\$	145.00
St. Patrick Repairs	\$	20.00
Evangelization	\$	25.00
Saginaw Priests’ Retirement	\$	125.00
Catholic Services Appeal (CSA)	\$	440.00
Food Pantry	\$	50.00

Regular Collection	Collection	Year to Date
June 2, 2019	\$ 3,920.00	\$ 247,221.25
Weekly Budget	\$ 4,875.00	\$ 243,510.00

Summer Fun! Save the Date!

Vacation Bible School is July 15-19, 9am-11:30am. Our program this year is *ROAR! African Adventure!* Registration forms will be available starting next weekend.

Shepherd Community Picnic Donations Needed

Silent Auction: unique gifts and items to bid on.

Please contact Marie Green or Jan Hetherington.

Kids Treasure Chest: little prizes for game players.

Please contact Connie Moeggenborg or Kim Recker .

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June 17 is the Deadline to give input for next quarter's Mass Ministry Schedule. Call the office!

Bible Study: This summer Bible Study will be once a month. The next meeting is June 19 at 9am in the St. Vincent Church Library..

Many Thanks

I thank you, the people of St. Vincent's, for all the cards, good wishes and blessings for my 55th anniversary of priesthood. As always, you outdid yourselves with a beautiful Mass, lovely dinner, with warmth and appreciation. It's my turn to say "thank you" for being so kind and thoughtful. It has been a joy to be part of St. Vincent's these past years.

God bless you.

-Fr. Fred



Farm to Table Dinner

All the fun is on August 8!

Enjoy this French inspired dinner in the middle of Second Street in Shepherd and listen to The Palooka Brothers!

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| 6pm | 6:30pm |
| Appetizers | Dinner |
| Music | Door Prizes |
| Silent Auction | |

Only 150 tickers will be sold at \$30 per ticket. Buy them at Shepherd Bar or Mitchell's Deli. Don't wait!

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,
 With all the local schools out as of this weekend many of us may be traveling a bit more often. Whether our adventures take us to warm beaches and cool waters, flowing rivers or majestic forests, quiet family time or bustling city life, God is with us. I am hoping for your help with a project I think might be fun for all, whether you travel or not. When you are gone away, and go to Mass at the local parish where you are visiting, snap a photo or two and share them with me at deacontodd@stvincentdp.com. I am starting a SVDP parish travels album on Facebook, and I would like to also post a print of the picture on the bulletin board in the gathering space so that we can all see where we celebrate when we are away.

Below is a picture of my Dad and I at Holy Cross Hungarian Church in Detroit. This was his childhood parish, and this is also where Erin and I will be for mass this coming weekend. Please consider helping with this fun project, and remember that no matter where we go, we go with God, and celebrate with him as well.

Peace and blessings,

Deacon Todd



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