



St. Vincent de Paul Parish

July 5, 2020

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Life In Our Community

Children's Faith Formation: We hope classes can resume in the fall. Watch for information.

Praise & Worship: See page 2 for organized prayer at this time. Our church is open noon -3pm for individual prayer Mon.-Sat.

Food Pantry: Call the office Mon., Wed., or Thurs. between 10am & noon to set Friday appointment. Food donations may be left in our church 9am-3pm.

K of C: Normally 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. Watch Mass on Utube on Sundays at 11am at <https://youtu.be/iecS8GiXKeE>

Adult Faith Formation: Will resume when health concerns allow.

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 tentatively 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 when environmental conditions in general improve.

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 (Suspended)

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WELCOME!

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7631 W. North Gratiot Co. Line
Church for Occasional Use



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

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

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 Judy Moldenhauer Kaylie Willoughby
 Tom Moomey

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Community Prayer

Monday, July 6

Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22 / Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday, July 7

Hos 8:4-7, 11-13 / Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday, July 8

Is 61:1-3abcd, 8c-9 / Acts 1:3-8 / Mt 5:1-12a
 St. Vincent: 10am Mass

Thursday, July 9

Is 61:1-3abcd, 8c-9 / Acts 1:3-8 / Mt 5:1-12a
 St. Vincent: *7pm Mass for Confirmation & First Eucharist Families only*

Friday, July 10 (No Church service today)

Hos 14:2-10 / Mt 10:16-23

Saturday, July 11

Is 6:1-8 / Mt 10:24-33

Sunday, July 12

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Is 55:10-11 / Rom 8:18-23 / Mt 13:1-23
 St Vincent: 10am Mass

Please hold in Prayer: Randy Apple, Karen Lee, Gene Glowacki, Mary Louise Smith, Bob Dell, Ella Kenny, Cathy, Jerry Degruise, Mike Ley, Mary Ann Slack, Janice Blanchard, Ed Filhart, Terri Grierson, Larry Noyes, Joshua Morgan, Kim Craven, Anna Hoffman, Bonnie Skalitsky, Jim Platt, Jim Langlois, Tom Krafft, Frank Lapinski, Delores Miller, Kinsley & the Binkowski Family, and the sick and homebound.

Mass This is a reminder that St. Vincent's will live streaming mass Sunday at 10:00 a.m.
 Access on YouTube: <https://youtu.be/iecS8GiXKeE>

or Facebook at https://m.facebook.com/story.php?story_fbid=603967003808991&id=168186839240
 (You do not have to have a Facebook account to access the mass. It is open to the general public.)

Sharing Christ's Love

It was suggested that it might be nice for parishioners to send cards to those in extended care facilities, who are restricted in the visitors they can receive. If you get a chance, drop a card in the mail with a kind word to the following people:

- Ida Clark, c/o Maplewood, 1945 Churchill Rd., Mt Pleasant, MI 48858
- Lorna Nartker, c/o Stone Lodge, 415 N. Chippewa St., Shepherd, MI 48883

If you know of someone else who could use some sharing of Christ's love, contact the parish office for inclusion in next week's bulletin. Make sure you have permission from the individual or a family member.

Stewardship	June 28, 2020	
Building. Improvement	\$	63.00
St. Patrick Cemetery	\$	50.00
St. Vincent Cemetery	\$	10.00
St. Vincent Cemetery paving	\$	50.00
St. Patrick Utilities	\$	40.00
St. Patrick Repair & Maintenance	\$	100.00
Food Pantry	\$	100.00
Parish Outreach	\$	30.00
Rice Bowl	\$	76.95
Diocesan Priests' Retirement	\$	175.00

	General Collection	Year to Date
June 28, 2020	\$ 2,859.00	\$ 242,765.54
Weekly Budget	\$ 5,273.00	\$ 274,196.00

FREE Short Term Counseling from Community Mental Health for Central Michigan

Community Mental Health for Central Michigan (CMHCM) has FREE short term therapy available during the Covid-19 crisis. Many are suffering with depression, loneliness, grief, fear, anxiety and more during this time.

The local office number is 989-772-5938, or you may call Mary Moomey 989-560-1107 or visit the website at <https://www.cmhcm.org/>. Please share this information with anyone in need.

GRIEF SUPPORT DURING COVID-19

As our lives change due to the COVID-19 pandemic, we are realizing the impact it has had on our lives. We recognize the need to enhance our grief support to those who have suffered the death of a loved one during this time of crisis. Compassionate Companions Ministry was developed by the Office of Respect Life at the Diocese of Saginaw in response to these difficult times. This ministry offers a loving and a listening presence to families of those that have recently died, through phone calls, emails and eventually in person visits. If you or a loved one is in need of someone to talk to we invite you to call the parish office 989-828-5720. In addition, if you are interested in participating in this ministry, please call contact numbers above for info.

Continued Prayers for Our Sacramental Class

Our young members now have dates to look forward to! Logan Schaufele will be confirmed at the 10:00am Mass on July 8. On July 9 Addison Christianson, Silas Huber, Gabriel Rau, and Rylan Smith will be confirmed and receive Eucharist for the first time.

Lay Ministry Application Period Extended

Is God calling you to do more? To let God's light shine through you in service to others? To learn more about your Catholic faith? Do you feel a stirring in your heart to become a Commissioned/ Missioned Lay Minister?

If you answered 'Yes!' to any of these questions, please contact Kellie Deming, Coordinator of Lay Ministry, at kdeming@dioceseofsaginaw.org or 989.797.6609 to set up a virtual meeting. The application period for the program beginning in September of 2020 has been extended until July 31.

Dear Friends in Christ,

I have some updates for you. First the paving process at St. Vincent de Paul Cemetery is moving ahead steadily. This Friday the back half of the main drive will be formed up in preparation for pouring concrete on Monday. For now, we ask that when visiting the cemetery you continue to park on East Pleasant Valley road and walk in. We will post online when the pavement is ready for vehicle traffic. Also please note there will be a transition step from grass to pavement so please use caution while walking around.

It was recently discovered while working at the cemetery that the left post of the arch at the entrance is severely corroded. Mike Turnwald will be working with the fabrication company to get this repaired. This will likely require removal of the arch and return to the manufacturing facility. We will keep you informed of this.

The parking lot at St. Vincent de Paul was restriped this week and we made an adjustment to a handicap space. The space in front of the light pole facing 5th street was blocked off. When this space was used in the past cars often hung out into the traffic lane, impeding other drivers. A handicap space was created to the right of the light pole as well as one to the left. The left space should be van accessible with the space in front of the pole now left open. Thank you for your help using the marked spaces appropriately.

Peace and blessings,

Deacon Todd



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