



St. Vincent de Paul Parish

October 25, 2020

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Life In Our Community

Children's Faith Formation: Classes first and Third Weds. of each month 6:30-7:30pm.

Praise & Worship: See page 2 for organized prayer at this time.

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

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.

Adult Faith Formation: Opportunities will be announced.

Bulletin Deadline: Wed. at 10:00am

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.

Weekend Mass
Sunday 10:00am
Saturday 4:30pm
(Mask & Social Distancing Required)

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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.



St. Patrick, Irishtown
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Church for Occasional Use



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

OCTOBER 25, 2020

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 life-long 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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Parish Office Hours: Monday through Thursday. Please call to schedule an appointment, 828-5720.

 <https://www.facebook.com/stvincentdepaulparish/live>

 https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCKJiKp-n1SCdqz_PMY_7tQ

Community Prayer

Monday, October 26

Eph 4:32—5:8 / Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday, October 27

Eph 5:21-33 / Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday, October 28

Eph 2:19-22 / Lk 6:12-16

St. Vincent: 10:00am Mass

Thursday, October 29

Eph 6:10-20 / Lk 13:31-35

Friday, October 30

Phil 1:1-11 / Lk 14:1-6

Saturday, October 31

Phil 1:18b-26 / Lk 14:1, 7-11

St. Vincent: 4:30pm Mass

Sunday, November 1

The Solemnity of All Saints

Rv 7:2-4, 9-14 / 1 Jn 3:1-3 / Mt 5:1-12a

St Vincent: 10:00am Mass

Please hold in Prayer:

Victoria Newcomb, Betty Langlois, Nancy McClintic Hopson, Sr. Marie Kopin, Barbara H., Rosie Kenny, Randy Apple, Karen Lee, Mary Louise Smith, Bob Dell, Ella Kenny, Cathy, Mike Ley, Mary Ann Slack, Janice Blanchard, Ed Filhart, 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 home-bound

Cemetery Clean Up

Please remove all decorations from our cemeteries by the end of October.

The Traveling Chalice

To host the Traveling Chalice for Vocations for a week, call the office or email Deacon Todd .

Daylight Savings Time Change: Nov. 1

Yes, we'll be turning our clocks back one hour at 2am on Sunday, Nov. 1.

Donations on-line

click on this icon on our website, or visit <https://osvhub.com/stvincent-de-paul-church/funds>

(Use Microsoft Edge, Google Chrome or Firefox as your browser.)



Stewardship

Oct. 17 & 18, 2020

Building Improvement	\$	78.00
St Leo Cemetery	\$	75.00
St Patrick Cemetery	\$	35.00
St Vincent Cemetery	\$	30.00
Food Pantry	\$	30.00
Parish Outreach	\$	125.00
World Missions	\$	480.00
Cemetery Paving	\$	150.00

	General Collection	Year to Date
Oct 17/18 Collection	\$ 2,950.00	\$ 62,002.10
Weekly Budget	\$ 4,625.00	\$ 74,000.00

Tech Help Needed

Are you tech savvy and interested in liturgy? We are in need of another person to help with the ministry of livestreaming Mass. This ministry helps us not just reach those who cannot be present at Mass, but also helps us increase Mass capacity with people present in the social hall. If you are interested in learning more please contact Joshua Lukens or Steve Catrell. You can also call the parish office and we will ask Joshua or Steve to get in touch with you.

Christmas Outreach

Thank you to all who donated items for Christmas Outreach. You have been very generous. We will leave the collection box in the entrance to the church.

From the Diocese www.dioceseofsaginaw.org

All Souls' Day is a time for honoring and remembering our loved ones who have died, however these memories may trigger grief and sadness, especially if the loss is recent. The Diocese of Saginaw has specially trained grief ministers, called Befrienders and Compassionate Companions who offer a loving and a listening presence to those who are suffering, by connecting through phone calls, emails, and visits in person.

In addition, the Catholic Grief Recovery Series is offered several times per year. The Grief Recovery Series is a six-week program which enables you to become aware of the process of grief, how it affects your life and offers support as you move forward in the process of healing. For more information, please contact Mary Moomey in our parish office or Lori Becker at the diocese at 989.797.6652.

A new webinar called "Why do Catholics Celebrate the Day of the Dead (All Souls' Day)" may be found on the diocesan website at www.saginaw.org/all-saints-souls. It shares different cultural traditions, the meaning of All Souls' Day and ways to honor your loved ones. A wonderful opportunity to bring families together to learn more about All Souls' Day.

Dear Friends in Christ,

Regardless how each of us is planning on voting in the upcoming general election, it's hard to deny that we are all hurting. In times of strain and strife, the love and mercy of God can seem distant. In these times, we don't turn away from God because he seems distant. Instead of turning away we must turn toward the source of life and love.

Inserted in this week's bulletin are the prayers for the first day of a Novena for Faithful Citizenship. I encourage us all to take the time to pray this during the next nine days. When you sit down to pray, alone or with family, do your best to set aside any partisan blinders. Remember that before all things that we may be, or wish to be, we must first be faithful disciples of Jesus.

Go to <https://www.usccb.org/resources/novena-faithful-citizenship> for the digital copy of the Novena. If you are unable to access the Novena online and need help for the other days, please contact the parish office.

Peace and blessings,

Deacon Todd S. Lovas



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