



St. Vincent de Paul Parish

April 25, 2021

The Fourth Sunday of Easter

Life In Our Community

Children's Faith Formation: 1st & 3rd Wed. at 6:30 at St. Vincent de Paul.

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 by 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:
Call Mary Moomey in our parish office for more information.

Reconciliation: Individual reconciliations prior to Masses.

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 (Livestreamed)
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
7631 W. North Gratiot Co. Line
Church for Occasional Use



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

APRIL 25, 2021

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

Beverly Kalmar Nancy Scovill
 Jackie Loomis Craig Shanteau
 Don Moeggenberg Timothy Sieracki
 Judy Moldenhauer David Spindler
 Tom Moomey Kaylie Willoughby

Finance Council

Liz Bacon
 Bill Daniels
 Doug Dodge
 Zachary Lobsinger
 Tish Mallory
 Bob Wachowski

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

Community Prayer

Monday, April 26

Acts 11:1-8 / Jn 10:1-10

Tuesday, April 27

Acts 11:19-26 / Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday, April 28

Acts 12:24—13:5a / Jn 12:44-50
 St. Vincent: 10:00am Mass *Livestreamed*

Thursday, April 29

Acts 13:13-25 / Jn 13:16-20
 St. Vincent: 10:00am Morning Prayer

Friday, April 30

Acts 13:26-33 / Jn 14:1-6

Saturday, May 1

Acts 13:44-52 / Jn 14:7-14
 St. Vincent: 11:00am Funeral (Anna Hoffman)
 St. Vincent: 1:00 Wedding
 St. Vincent: 4:30pm Mass

Sunday, May 2

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Acts 9:26-31 / 1 Jn 3:18-24 / Jn 15:1-8
 St Vincent: 10:00am Mass *Livestreamed*



K of C Corner
Thanks for making our sale a BIG success!

And this only shows part of your help! Thank you!

Please hold in Prayer:

Joe Kelso, Jacob Moeggenborg, Evelyn Burtoyov, Joshua Lukens, Sr. Marie Kopin, Fr. Joe Fix, Janice Blanchard, Al Dickman, Richard Bernard, Pansy Thaller, Betty Langlois, Pat Welgs, Nancy McClintic Hopson, Rosie Kenny, Randy Apple, Bob Dell, Ella Kenny, Cathy, Mike Ley, Mary Ann Slack, Ed Filhart, Larry Noyes, Joshua Morgan, Jim Platt, Tom Krafft, Frank Lapinski, Delores Miller, Kinsley & the Binkowski Family, nursing home residents, essential workers, and the sick and homebound.

Bible Study

Adult Bible Study has resumed. Meetings are every Thursday at 10:45am in the St. Vincent room of the school. All welcome to attend this morning of conversation, camaraderie, and scripture.

Beal City K of C Golf Outing May 22

You are invited to join this 4 person scramble (\$60 per person) at Lake Isabella's Pines Gold Course. Registration at 8am with a 9am shotgun start. To register call Abe, 989-506-3308.

Stewardship April 17 & 18, 2021

Building Improvement	\$	13.00
St Leo Cemetery	\$	100.00
St Patrick Cemetery	\$	105.00
St. Patrick Utilities	\$	10.00
St. Patrick Repair/Maintenance	\$	120.00
Rice Bowl	\$	37.16

	General Collection	Year to Date
April 17 & 18	\$ 2,124.00	\$ 203,388.78
Weekly Budget	\$ 4,625.00	\$ 194,250.00

Parish Pastoral Council

Our parish has an opening on our parish Pastoral Council. Please fill out this nomination form and return it to the office or drop it in the collection basket. Nominate yourself or someone else you believe would be a good Council member. Council members must practicing Catholics and registered members of the parish, participants in parish worship life (in attendance at weekend Mass), and at least 18 years of age.

I nominate _____ for parish Pastoral Council.

From our Diocese

To assist families in Safe Environment/Virtus concerns, Bishop Gruss has authorized the ***Knights of Columbus Protecting Our Children Guide for Families*** to be made available to all Catholic households with youth. The Guides are free and in our entries. Please feel free to take one.

If you are a victim/survivor of clergy abuse or know of someone who is, you are urged to make direct contact with local law enforcement and the Michigan Attorney General’s investigation hotline at 844-324-3374. You are also welcome to contact the Victim Assistance Coordinator at our diocese, victim.assistance@dioceseofsaginaw.org or 989-797-6682. The Coordinator can assist victims in obtaining counseling services.

If you have cause to suspect a child or young person is being neglected or abused by anyone, immediately contact the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services on their 24 hour hotline, 855-444-3911. If you are currently witnessing abuse or neglect, call 911.

Online: Road to Emmaus, God’s Presence Changes Everything

The pandemic has impacted our lives in many ways. As we reflect on the scripture *Road to Emmaus*, we’ll see that our Lord has been with us the whole time and there is hope. This free webinar includes instructions, handouts and materials to use individually, or you can create your own small group. You determine the date and time that works for you, but you must register. Contact Lori, lbecker@dioceseofsaginaw.org or 989-797-6652.

Quarterly Financial Report June 1, 2020—March 31, 2021

	1st Quarter July-Sept 2020	2nd Quarter Oct-Dec 2020	3rd Quarter Jan-Mar 2021	4th Quarter Apr-Jun 2021
Balance Sheet				
General Fund *	\$ 173,811.14	\$ 188,508.27	\$ 227,719.22	
St. Vincent Cemetery	\$ 89,287.12	\$ 90,713.99	\$ 91,786.69	
St. Leo the Great Cemetery	\$ 128,271.39	\$ 132,307.00	\$ 133,575.42	
St. Patrick Cemetery	\$ 152,424.62	\$ 154,859.06	\$ 156,686.62	
Directed Contributions	\$ 43,934.89	\$ 38,518.05	\$ 46,341.92	
Total Assets	\$ 587,729.16	\$ 604,906.37	\$ 656,109.87	\$
Total Liabilities	\$ 37,600.00	\$ 37,600.00	\$ 38,998.85	
Total Net Assets	\$ 550,129.16	\$ 567,306.37	\$ 617,111.02	\$
Income & Expense Statement				
Total Income	\$ 61,606.30	\$ 164,153.26	\$ 297,704.20	
Total Expense	\$ 74,943.09	\$ 160,312.84	\$ 244,059.13	
Total Excess Income/-Expense **	\$ (13,336.79)	\$ 3,840.42	\$ 53,645.07	\$

* General fund includes the balance of our checking, savings and petty cash accounts. It is buoyed this fiscal year by the reception of PPP loans, one of which has already been forgiven. While we are in good shape financially, these balances are the total available funds to operate the parish. This equals slightly more than 6 months operating expense.

** Note the \$53,645.07 in excess revenue includes directed income that goes beyond general operating funds, and that we have worked extra hard to limit expenses this year. Thank you for your continued support to keep Saint Vincent de Paul parish financially stable.

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