



# St. Vincent de Paul Parish

July 11, 2021

## The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Life In Our Community

*Children's Faith Formation:* Classes have finished for this year. Program resumes in fall.

*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:* 2nd Wed. of month. 7:30pm

*Bulletin by Mail or email:* 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. Bible Study Thursdays, 11am.

*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**  
*(Masks required if you aren't immunized)*

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## WELCOME!

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

**JULY 11, 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  
Jackie Loomis  
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Tom Moomey

Nancy Scovill  
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Timothy Sieracki  
David Spindler  
Kaylie Willoughby

**Finance Council**

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

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

**Community Prayer**

**Monday, July 12**

Ex 1:8-14, 22 / Mt 10:34—11:1  
St. Vincent Room in School: 5:30-7:00pm Grief Recovery Meeting

**Tuesday, July 13**

Ex 2:1-15a / Mt 11:20-24

**Wednesday, July 14**

Ex 3:1-6, 9-12 / Mt 11:25-27

**St. Patrick: 6:00pm Mass (followed by potluck)**

**Thursday, July 15**

Ex 3:13-20 / Mt 11:28-30  
St. Vincent: 10:00am Morning Prayer

**Friday, July 16**

Ex 11:10—12:14 / Mt 12:1-8

**Saturday, July 17**

Ex 12:37-42 / Mt 12:14-21  
St. Vincent: 4:30pm Mass

**Sunday, July 18**

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Jer 23:1-6 / Eph 2:13-18 / Mk 6:30-34  
St Vincent: 10:00am Mass *Live & Livestreamed*

**Please hold in Prayer:**

✠ Sherri Bradford, Dorothy Huber, Evelyn Burtovoy, Mary Lou Willoughby, Joe Kelso, Ed Filhart, Joshua Lukens, Sr. Marie Kopin, Janice Blanchard, Richard Bernard, Pansy Thaller, Betty Langlois, Rosie Kenny, Randy Apple, Bob Dell, Cathy, Ella Kenny, Mike Ley, Mary Ann Slack, Larry Noyes, Jim Platt, Tom Krafft, Frank Lapinski, Delores Miller, Kinsley & the Binkowski Family, nursing home residents, essential workers, and the sick and homebound.

**Update on Joshua Lukens:** He has been released from the hospital and will be staying in S.E. Michigan for the time being. Send cards to our office and we will forward. Continued prayers always appreciated.

**Employment Opportunity**

Our Lady of Hope Parish in Clare has an opening for the Parish Secretary position, 25 hours per week. A complete job description and application are available in the parish office and at [www.olhclare.org](http://www.olhclare.org). If you have questions regarding this position, please contact their Parish Office at 989-386-9862. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled.

**Life in Our Parish**

Miss **Riley Wiltse** will join us at the table on Saturday, July 10 at the 4:30pm Mass. She will receive Holy Eucharist for the first time. We wish her many blessings and offer her our sincerest congratulations!

**Parish Picnic**

Have you marked August 15 on your calendar as a red letter day? We'll celebrate Mass outdoors at 10am on Sunday morning (*no Saturday Mass that weekend*) and then turn our attention to our picnic. Don't miss the fun!

**Stewardship July 4, 2021**

Building Improvement *	\$	100.00
St Leo Cemetery *	\$	85.00
St Patrick Cemetery *	\$	125.00
St. Patrick Repair/Maintenance	\$	10.00
St. Vincent Cemetery *	\$	25.00
Saginaw. Diocese Priest Retirement	\$	250.00
Food Pantry *	\$	165.00
Parish Outreach *	\$	40.00

\* Includes June online donations

	General Collection	Year to Date
July 4	\$ 3,325.00	
June online	\$ 5,515.00	\$ 8,840.00
Weekly Budget	\$ 5,027.00	\$ 5,027.00

(New Fiscal Year began July 1)

## THE FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Dear Friends in Christ,

Continuing to move forward in “re-opening” and more familiar experiences, I wanted to update you on a few upcoming items. In consultation with the Diocese and the Central Michigan Health Department, we are able to have meals and events again. I met with some of the funeral luncheon people last week and they are prepared to start offering luncheons as requested. Your help is needed. If you have been a volunteer in the past, or would like to help with either providing food or helping to serve, please contact Joyce Feltman so we have up to date information.

Speaking with Marcia Griffin, we are looking to begin our Coffee & Donuts following Mass in September. In the summer it was always hit or miss on attendance, so the 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> of September will be our kickoff. This will coincide with our Mission Co-Op weekend where we will hear from and support Franciscan Works – Liberia Mission. This is a great opportunity to chat with the speakers more after Mass.

Finally some very important information regarding for those who use or are interested in online giving. Effective the end of July we will be terminating our usage of Our Sunday Visitor Online Giving and Switching to ShelbyNext Giving. ShelbyNext is the church management software we utilize in the office for pretty much everything. Making the switch will benefit the parish in seamless operation of gift tracking, better rates on fees and simplifying the work of the bookkeeper.

If you are a current user of OSV online giving, we ask that you log into your account and pause then cancel any and all recurring gifts, and delete any payment methods you have on file. Afterward you can move over to ShelbyNext and set up a recurring gift, which will have lower fees for the Parish and simpler office tracking. You can start this transition to ShelbyNext right now, and please note, no gifts will be processed through OSV after July.

Thank you once again for your continued support of St. Vincent de Paul Parish. Finance Council will meet soon to evaluate the past year, and provide a report of last year’s finances, which appear good overall.

Peace and blessings,

Deacon Todd

### **Grief Recovery**

Our parish will be offering a Grief Recovery Group again. The group is for people who have suffered the death of a loved one. It may be a family member or friend or any significant person in their life. The loss may be recent or some time ago. The group will meet six times and offer support and education about the grieving process. The first meeting will be Monday, July 12 from 5:30-7pm in the St. Vincent de Paul room in the school. There is no cost. Questions? Call Mary Moomey, 989-560-1107.

**Food Pantry Needs:** Ketchup, mustard, noodles, cereal, Kleenex, toilet paper, cake mixes, cans of fruit, Hamburger Helper, & toothbrushes.

### **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 be practicing Catholics and registered members of the parish, participants in parish worship life (in attendance at weekend Mass at St. Vincent de Paul Church), and at least 18 years of age.

I nominate \_\_\_\_\_ for Parish Pastoral Council.



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