

Weekend Mass Sunday 10:00am (Livestreamed) Saturday 4:30pm

(Masks required if you aren't immunized)

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St. Vincent de Paul Parish

August 29, 2021 The Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Life In Our Community

Children's Faith Formation: Registration has started for this year. Contact Mary Moomey for information.

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

Food Pantry: Call the office Mon. or Wed. between10am & 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.

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.



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

AUGUST 29, 2021

<u>Parish Mission Statement</u>: 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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Parish Office Hours: Monday through Thursday, 9am—4pm

Community Prayer

Monday, August 30

1 Thes 4:13-18 / Lk 4:16-30

Tuesday, August 31

1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11 / Lk 4:31-37

Wednesday, September 1

World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation

Col 1:1-8 / Lk 4:38-44 St. Vincent: 10am Mass

St. Patrick: 6:00pm Evening Prayer & Potluck

Thursday, September 2

Col 1:9-14 / Lk 5:1-11

St. Vincent: 10:00am Morning Prayer

Friday, September 3

Col 1:15-20 / Lk 5:33-39

Saturday, September 4

Col 1:21-23 / Lk 6:1-5

St. Vincent: 4:30pm Mass

Sunday, September 5

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 35:4-71 / Jas 2:1-5 / Mk 7:31-37

St Vincent: 10:00am Mass Live & Livestreamed

Please hold in Prayer:

Dorothy Huber, Evelyn Burtovoy, Ed Filhart, Mary Lou Willoughby, Joe Kelso, Joshua Lukens, Sr. Marie Kopin, Janice Blanchard, Richard Bernard, Pansy Thaller, Betty Langlois, Rosie Kenny, 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.

Food Pantry Double Match Days:

The pantry always needs noodles, cereal, Kleenex, toilet paper, laundry detergent, liquid dish soap, cake mixes, canned fruit, Hamburger Helper, condiments & toothbrushes.

Faith Formation

If you didn't register at the parish picnic, please call the parish office or email Mary Moomey, Director. Classes will begin September 19, and will be right after Mass, approx. 11:15-12:15. (Information on sacramental preparation will be published soon.)

Looking Ahead

The **preschool** teachers for West Midland Family Center are coming and going from our building getting ready for this year's classes. They do home visits before classes start here, so we won't see the little ones until mid September. Their school week will be Monday through Thursday.

The next **Red Cross Blood Drive** scheduled in St. Vincent's parish hall will be on Friday, Sept. 24. Mark your calendars now to help save lives.

Stewardship		A	August	22, 2021	
Building Improvement *			\$	88.00	
St. Patrick Repairs & Maintenanc			e \$	20.00	
St. Leo Cemetery *			\$	95.00	
St. Patrick Cemetery *			\$	30.00	
St. Vincent Cemetery *			\$	85.00	
Food Pantry *			\$	87.50	
Parish Outreach *			\$	90.00	
* Includes July on-line donations.					
	Gener	al Collecti	on Ye	Year to Date	
August 22, 2021	\$	3,637.0		u. 10 Dulo	
July On-Line	\$	4,362.5	0 \$ 2	7,753.50	
Weekly Budget	\$	5,027.0	•	0,216.00	

Our Parish Will Hire a Maintenance Specialist

With the retirement of Steve Gall in September, St. Vincent de Paul Parish is looking for a full-time Maintenance Specialist for year-round work. We need a detail-oriented and reliable individual who will help clean and maintain parish properties so they are protected for generations to come. This position comes with a comprehensive benefits package including access to; medical and dental insurance, paid time off, 403B and MCC Lay Retirement Plan. Competitive wage and training provided. For information or to apply, call our office, 989-828-5720 or bookkeeper@stvincentdp.com

Our Lady of Hope (Clare, MI) is Hiring!

- Preschool Teacher for next school year will plan and implement an appropriate learning environment, preferably a practicing Catholic. Bachelor's degree in Early Childhood Education or a child related field, or an Associate's in early childhood development with experience teaching preschool. Submit resume to Our Lady of Hope Preschool, Attn M Gray, 106 E Wheaton, Clare 48617
- Caregiver for before and after-school program to help plan and implement an appropriate environment for children K-6. At least 18 years of age with a high school diploma. Hours Mon.- Fri., 6:45-8am and 3-5:30pm. Submit resume to: Our Lady of Hope Preschool, Attn M Gray, 106 E. Wheaton Ave. Clare 48617

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience

Take a time out from life to refresh your marriage and faith by attending a weekend experience at the Augustine Center in Petoskey Oct. 1-3, or Weber Center in Adrian November 19-21! Apply at wwme.org and put MI in the search bar. Questions? Call Chris & Darla Vinton at 269-953-8287.

<u>Two Catholic Grief Recovery Series</u> will be held for those who couldn't attend ours.

- Our Lady of Peace, Bay City, Mon., Sept. 13-Oct. 25, 6-8pm. Register with Linda, 989.892.6031.
- * St Christopher, Caro, Tuesdays, Sept. 14-Oct. 26, 1-3pm. Register with Paul, 309.339.8222.

These are for any adult grieving a death three months ago or longer. Presented in conjunction with the Office of Respect Life, Saginaw Diocese.

Dear Friends in Christ,

I pray you are all safe and well, as the past 16 hours were a little crazy with our Tuesday storm and power outage. The power went out right as the planning committee for "A Disciple's Walk with God" was sitting down for a meal and meeting.



Life throws many curveballs at us, and we need to pay attention and swing when we can. We had a wonderful time working together by candlelight and the lights on our cell phones.

Staying in one spot may be comfortable, and walls may give us a sense of peace. But we are called to Discipleship, and that requires a commitment to relationship and growth. In this process, we will all work together to go in Love, Forgiveness, Humility, Patience, Selflessness, Kindness, Attentiveness, Contrition.

Please see our registration teams after mass the next few weekends and they will be happy to answer your questions and get you registered.

Peace and blessings,

Deacon Todd

Rosary Before Mass

We will pray the Rosary before Mass on the first, third, and fifth Sundays of the month. On the second



and fourth Sundays, we encourage silence for those who prefer silent prayer.

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