



St. Vincent de Paul Parish

September 19, 2021

The Twenty-Fifth 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. 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.

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. Starts in October

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!

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

SEPTEMBER 19, 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

Jackie Loomis (<i>Chairperson</i>)	
Kaylie Willoughby (<i>Co-Chair & Secretary</i>)	
Cindy Gall	
Roger Jacobs	Nancy Scovill
Don Moeggenberg	Craig Shanteau
Judy Moldenhauer	Tim Sieracki
Tom Moomey	David Spindler

Parish Finance Council

Leah Rau (<i>Vice-Chair</i>)	
Liz Bacon (<i>Secretary</i>)	Zack Lobsinger
Bill Daniels	Kim Recker
Doug Dodge	Bob Wachowski

Parish Office Hours: Monday through Thursday, 9am—4pm

Community Prayer

Monday, September 20

Ezr 1:1-6 / Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday, September 21

Eph 4:1-7, 11-13 / Mt 9:9-13

Wednesday, September 22

Ezr 5:5-9 / Lk 9:1-6

St. Vincent: 10:00am Mass

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

Thursday, September 23

Hg 1:1-8 / Lk 9:7-9

St. Vincent: 10:00am Morning Prayer

Friday, September 24

Hg 2:1-9 / Lk 9:18-22

Saturday, September 25

Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a / Lk 9:43b-45

St. Patrick: 4:00pm Wedding

St. Vincent: 4:30pm Mass

Sunday, September 26

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Nm 11:25-29 / Jas 5:1-6 / Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

St Vincent: 10:00am Mass *Live & Livestreamed*

Please hold in Prayer:

Mary Lou Duffy, Dorothy Huber, Evelyn Bur-tovoy, 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

The pantry always needs noodles, cereal, Kleenex, toilet paper, laundry detergent, liquid dish soap, cake mixes, canned fruit, Hamburger Helper, condiments & toothbrushes. Thanks so much to all those who faithfully give.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience

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

Mass Ministry Schedule

Our next ministry schedule will begin in October. If you have input on your availability, please contact the parish office by Sept. 20.

<u>Stewardship</u>	September 5, 2021	
Building Improvement	\$	158.00
St. Leo Cemetery	\$	75.00
St. Patrick Cemetery	\$	75.00
Food Pantry	\$	210.00
Parish Outreach	\$	15.00
	September 12, 2021	
Building Improvement	\$	3.00
St. Patrick Repair & Maintenance	\$	300.00
St. Leo Cemetery	\$	75.00
St. Patrick Cemetery	\$	470.00
St. Vincent Cemetery	\$	30.00
Food Pantry	\$	15.00
Parish Outreach	\$	155.00
Mission Co-Op Appeal	\$	752.00
	General Collection	Year to Date
Sept. 5, 2021	\$ 2,880.00	\$ 34,527.50
Sept. 12, 2021	\$ 3,742.00	\$ 38,269.50
Weekly Budget	\$ 5,027.00	\$ 55,297.00

Welcome Back Faith Formation!

Please note that we will be doing some schedule shifting.

Sept. 19-October 10: We will meet on Sundays right after Mass (approx. 11:15-12:15).

October 19-December 7: Faith Formation for children and youth will shift to Tuesday evenings and will be incorporated into our *Disciples Walk with God* family program. After supper with their families in the hall, children and youth will break into their own classes (at approximately 6:30pm).

Teens will have the option to join the adult discussions or participate in special youth activities which are being organized.

I'll be happy to answer any questions you have.

—*Mary Mooney*

From Our Diocese

2021 Rice Bowl Grants Available Our Diocese is pleased to announce that 2021 Rice Bowl Grant Applications are available online at [2021 Rice Bowl Grant Application](#). These are made possible through the annual Catholic Relief Services Operation Rice Bowl collection held during Lent. 25% of the gifts collected in our diocese remain local. Grants will be awarded to parishes and/or local organizations that address local hunger, shelter, clothing and poverty alleviation. Application deadline is Oct. 10. For information contact Lori, 989.797.6652.

40 Days for Life Pray to end to abortion. A vigil begins Sept. 22 at 7am and will continue daily, 7am-7pm, through Oct. 31. Sign up for one hour of prayer at the Women's Center, 3141 Cabaret Trail S., Saginaw, MI 48603. Invite family, friends and neighbors to pray together as a group. For details and to sign up contact Lori Becker at 989.797.6652.

Do you believe God might be calling you to serve as a Permanent Deacon?

If so, please contact Dr. Dan Osborn in the Office of the Permanent Diaconate by the end of October since a key application deadline is approaching. 989-797-6662 or diaconate@dioceseofsaginaw.org

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

Free Class! The Path to Financial Wellness

Do you need assistance with your finances? This class will cover the following: Budgeting, Debt Reduction, Savings, Investing, and Retirement Planning. We we'll meet for 5 weeks (9/30, 10/7, 10/14, 10/21, and 10/28) from 6:30-8:00pm in the St. Vincent social hall.

The class is open to all in our community and will be led by Ryan Hohlbein and Doug Dodge. To sign up, call or text Doug Dodge at (989) 289-1670. There is no charge for the class, only your commitment to take control of your finances.

22nd Annual Into the Light Cancer Walk

Community Cancer Services will hold its annual walk Sept. 21 at Isabella County Fairgrounds, 4pm-10pm. The Cancer Survivors Celebration is at 7pm with a survivors walk immediately after on the luminary lit path. To purchase a luminary, form a team, or for information contact Suzanne, 989-644-2504, 989-621-4096, or go to www.isabellacommunitycancer.org

If you know of someone needing financial help with cancer expenses, they may call Vanda Barker at 989-772-2524.

K of C Ceremony (you're invited!)

Our Knights of Columbus Exemplification of Charity, Unity and Fraternity (degree ceremony) will take place at St. Vincent DePaul church this Sunday, (Sept. 19th) at 12:00 noon.

All Knights and their families and guests are encouraged to attend as well as anyone considering becoming a Knight, or Knights interested in earning a 2nd and 3rd degree.

Call Bill at 989-330-5935 for info.

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