



St. Vincent de Paul Parish

October 31, 2021

The Thirty-First 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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7631 W. North Gratiot Co. Line
Church for Occasional Use



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

OCTOBER 31, 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 Loom (*Chairperson*)
Kaylie Willoughby (*Co-Chair & Secretary*)
Cindy Gall
Roger Jacobs
Don Moeggenberg
Judy Moldenhauer
Tom Moomey

Nancy Scovill
Craig Shanteau
Tim Sieracki
David Spindler

Parish Finance Council

Leah Rau (*Vice-Chair*)
Liz Bacon (*Secretary*)
Bill Daniels
Doug Dodge

Kim Recker
Sam Moeggenborg
Bob Wachowski

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

Please hold in Prayer:

†Mary Lou Duffy, Chris Derr, Karolyn Hoffman, Mary Lou Duffy, Dorothy Huber, Evelyn Burtoyov, 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.

Regarding Cemeteries

Please remove all decorations by the end of October so the cemetery is ready for fall clean-up.

Knights of Columbus

This weekend the K of C will host Corporate Communion at our Masses. It's a great opportunity for you to ask any questions you have about the Knights.

Community Prayer

Monday, November 1

Rv 7:2-4, 9-14 / 1 Jn 3:1-3 / Mt 5:1-12a
St. Vincent: 7:00pm Mass for All Saints Day

Tuesday, November 2

Wis 3:1-9 / Rom 5:5-11 / Jn 6:37-40
St. Vincent: 6:00pm Disciples' Walk With God
Dinner & Program

Wednesday, November 3

Rom 13:8-10 / Lk 14:25-33
St. Vincent: 10:00am Mass
St. Patrick: 6:00pm Evening Prayer & Potluck

Thursday, November 4

Rom 14:7-12 / Lk 15:1-10
St. Vincent: 10:00am Morning Prayer

Friday, November 5

Rom 15:14-21 / Lk 16:1-8

Saturday, November 6

Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27 / Lk 16:9-15
St. Vincent: 4:30pm Mass

Sunday, November 7

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
1 Kgs 17:10-16 / Heb 9:24-28 / Mk 12:38-44
St Vincent: 10:00am Mass *Live & Livestreamed*

Stewardship **October 24, 2021**

Building Improvement	\$	53.00
St. Leo Cemetery	\$	25.00
St. Patrick Repairs & Maintenance	\$	30.00
St. Vincent Cemetery	\$	10.00
Parish Outreach	\$	25.00
World Mission Sunday	\$	285.00

	General Collection	Year to Date
October 24, 2021	\$ 3,427.00	\$ 64,388.50
Weekly Budget	\$ 5,027.00	\$ 85,459.00

1st Quarter Financial Report (July-Sept. 2021)

Balance Sheet

General Fund	\$	129,411.89
St. Vincent Cemetery	\$	91,973.98
St. Leo Cemetery	\$	135,447.35
St. Patrick Cemetery	\$	158,320.94
Directed Contributions	\$	53,729.55
Total Assets	\$	688,883.71
Total Liabilities	\$	41,030.50
Total Net Assets	\$	647,853.21

Income & Expense Statement

Total Income	\$	78,701.78 *
Total Expense	\$	74,108.63
Total Excess Income/-Expense	\$	4,593.15

* Of the \$78,701.78 Total Income there are Restricted Funds of \$17,259.69 that are not available for day to day operations.

Reminder: Tuesday evenings from 6-8pm is our ***Disciples Walk With God*** program. We start with a shared meal and then break into groups. You/your family can join us anytime!

Reset Your Clock

Daylight Saving Time ends Sunday, November 7. Set your clocks back on Saturday by an hour.

Info From Health Dept.

Flu shot info: www.cmdhd.org/seasonal-flu
Covid vaccine: www.vaccines.gov/
Booster eligibility: www.cmdhd.org

Fall Caregivers Training

Tues., Nov. 9 at Commission on Aging Mt.P.

- **9:30-11:30am** Pharmacist's 15 minute meetings to discuss prescribed medications
- **11:30-noon** Lunch (Must RSVP)
- **12:10-1:00pm** Pharmacist Panel will discuss medication overload, dangerous drugs for seniors, side effects, interactions and more.
- **1:10-2:00pm** Oral Health & Techniques by Judy L. Wybenga, DDS.
- **2:00-2:30pm** Close & Evaluation Form

Please RSVP (989-772-0748) for each presentation so that enough materials are available.

Central Michigan Concert Band Concert

Under the direction of Joseph Radtke, the band will perform to benefit Cancer Services, Isabella County, on Sunday, Nov. 7, 3pm in Plachta Auditorium in Warriner Hall at CMU. Come help us salute our veterans! Sponsored by Krapohl Ford-Lincoln. (Complimentary admission, donations appreciated.)

From the Diocese: Novena to St. Joseph

In this Year of St. Joseph, we are invited to pray the Novena to St. Joseph and visit designated churches dedicated to him. This nine-day prayer, also includes Mass and Reconciliation. Prayer cards have been provided by our diocese and are in our entries. Visit <https://saginaw.org/novena-saint-joseph> for daily prayers, schedules, and other information.

Mass on All Saints Day

Fr. Fred will join us at St. Vincent de Paul Church for Mass on Monday, November 1 at 7:00pm for All Saints Day.

It's Early, BUT...

Our parish is already getting letters from agencies that assist families with Christmas. If you are inclined to put others and related tasks on your Christmas list, here are some ideas.

- * **Shepherd Tri-Township Fire Department** helped 24 children & families last year and expects to help even more this year. The department also distributed 240 care packages to senior citizens. They need financial donations (checks payable to Shepherd Tri-Township Fire Dept., mail to 410 N. Chipewa St., Shepherd 48883), donors who may adopt a family, and helpers to shop and wrap gifts. Contact Luke Meyer at 989-506-0518 or email sttdxmas@gmail.com. All help will be appreciated by the middle of December.
- * The **Salvation Army** in Mt. Pleasant needs donors who can adopt a family in Isabella County. Contact Eileen at 989-773-4663 or email eileen.palmer@usc.salvationarmy.org.
- * **Christmas Outreach** could use your financial donations, as well as new or gently used coats and winter wear. They also assist with linens, blankets, towels, and books. They also appreciate your help by mid December. Email Eileen at eileen.jennings@gmail.com.
- * **Our own Food Pantry** can always use financial donations as well as food donations. Laundry soap, dish soap, toilet paper, paper towels, etc. are frequently requested, too.
- * You can also **make a donation** to one of our cemetery funds, to our digital sign fund, or to an educational program our parish may offer.

The merrier Christmas is around you, the more merry your Christmas will be!



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