



# St. Vincent de Paul Parish

April 17, 2022

Easter Sunday

The Resurrection of Our Lord

## Life In Our Community

*Children's Faith Formation:* Contact Mary Moomey for information.

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

*Food Pantry:* Call to set a Friday appointment. Food donations welcomed on the first weekend of each month, or at our office Monday-Thursday., 10am-3pm.

*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 begin in the 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 January

*Reconciliation:* Individual reconciliations prior to Masses., none on Holy Saturday..

*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**

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## WELCOME!

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

**APRIL 17, 2022**

**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**

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

**Parish Finance Council**

Doug Dodge ( <i>Chairperson</i> )	Kim Recker
Leah Rau ( <i>Vice-Chair</i> )	Sam Moeggenberg
Liz Bacon ( <i>Secretary</i> )	Bob Wachowski

**Parish Office Hours:** Mon. through Thurs., 9am—4pm

**Community Prayer**

**Monday, April 18**

Acts 2:14, 22-33 / Mt 28:8-15

**Tuesday, April 19**

Acts 2:36-41 / Jn 20:11-18  
St. Vincent: 6:30pm Book Study *No Greater Love*

**Wednesday, April 20**

Acts 3:1-10 / Lk 24:13-35  
St. Vincent: 11:00am Funeral Mass for Joshua Lukens  
St. Patrick: 6:00pm Evening Prayer & Potluck

**Thursday, April 21**

Acts 3:11-26 / Lk 24:35-48  
St. Vincent: 10:00am Morning Prayer

**Friday, April 22**

Acts 4:1-12 / Jn 21:1-14

**Saturday, April 23**

Acts 4:13-21 / Mk 16:9-15  
St. Vincent: 4:30pm Mass

**Sunday, April 24**

The Second Sunday of Easter  
Acrs 5:12-16 / Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19 / Jn 20:19-31  
St Vincent: 10:00am Mass

**Knights of Columbus Garage Sale**

The Fund Raising **Garage Sale** will be held at the St. Vincent Church Hall  
April 21 (Thurs. noon-5pm)  
April 22 (Friday, 8am-5pm) and  
April 23 (Saturday, 8am-noon).

**Drop off donations** (no clothing, please)  
April 20 (Wednesday, 3-7pm) or  
April 21 (Thursday, 9am-noon).

*If you need pick-up, call  
Bob 989-854-2831 or Bill 989-330-5935.*

*The Knights send a **THANK YOU** to all who supported their Tootsie Roll Drive! Over \$5,400 was raised for their special needs projects!*

**Please hold in Prayer:**

✠ Lawrence Wezensky, People of Ukraine, Norm Burmeister, Frank Lapinski, Kinsley & the Binkowski Family, nursing home residents, essential workers, the sick and homebound.

*(Names are deleted after a period of time. Call if you'd like a name back on the list.)*

**Responding with a Heart of Mercy in Our World**

*Thursday April 21, 7pm Sacred Heart Mt. Pleasant*  
Lori Becker, from our Diocese, will be presenting "Responding with a Heart of Mercy in Today's World". Love and compassion seem to be running low due to struggles we are experiencing. In this presentation we will refill our hearts of Mercy.

**Food Pantry**

Thanks for your support!. The pantry always needs noodles & pasta, cereal, Kleenex, toilet paper, laundry detergent, liquid dish soap, cake mixes, canned fruit, Hamburger Helper, & condiments.

<u>Stewardship</u>	<u>April 10, 2022</u>	
Building Improvement Fund	\$	75.00
St. Vincent Cemetery	\$	5.00
St. Leo Cemetery	\$	75.00
St. Patrick Cemetery	\$	30.00
St. Patrick Repair & Maintenance	\$	120.00
Parish Outreach	\$	130.00
Misc. Donation	\$	50.00
Food Pantry	\$	90.00
<b>General Collection</b>	<b>Collection</b>	<b>Year to Date</b>
April 10 Collection	\$ 3,906.00	\$211,350.13
Weekly Budget	\$ 5,027.00	\$206,107.00

## EASTER SUNDAY, THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD

### **Who is Graduating?**

We would love to honor your high school and college graduates at an upcoming Mass, and we would love to see them in caps & gown. Call the parish office and let us know!

### **Please Stay for the Egg Hunt After 10am Mass**

An Easter Egg hunt will be held after our 10am Mass on Easter Sunday. Join in!

### **Lay Ministry Applications**

Interested in becoming a lay minister? Participate in a virtual meeting on Sat., April 23, 1:30-3pm. For information and the link, contact Deb, [dpopielarz@dioceseofsaginaw.org](mailto:dpopielarz@dioceseofsaginaw.org) or 989-797-6660.

### **Focus on Life**

Right to Life of Central Michigan will host its annual benefit dinner on April 21 at Buck's Run. Reservations are \$20 student / \$30 person / \$180 for a table of 8. For information call Pastor Ted Orwig, 989-572-8829.

### **Migrant Ministry**

Our diocese invites you to join in support for migrants. You may make donations payable to the **Catholic Diocese of Saginaw (with Migrant Ministry in the memo line)** and mail to **5800 Weiss St., Saginaw, MI 48603**.

### **Divine Mercy Sunday**

St. Paul the Apostle Church, Ithaca will celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday on April 24 from 2-4 pm. The celebration will include Eucharistic Adoration, Reconciliation, readings about St. Faustina and the Divine Mercy message, and music. You are also invited to attend a potluck following.

### **Marriage Preparation Workshop at Diocese**

An in-person workshop for engaged couples will be April 23, 9am-4pm at the Center for Ministry. Cost is \$40/person, lunch & beverages provided. Register at [mcoss@dioceseofsaginaw.org](mailto:mcoss@dioceseofsaginaw.org).

### **Preparing for First Communion May 1**

They're still preparing and we're still praying. Our First Communicants are::

<b>James Baker</b>	<b>Grant Leonard</b>
<b>Emery Bellinger</b>	<b>Oliver Mikek</b>
<b>Joey Funk</b>	<b>Ava Neuhaus</b>
<b>Amelia Hoppe</b>	<b>Landen Neuhaus</b>
<b>Emily Johnson</b>	<b>Evelyn Rau</b>
<b>Cade Lalone</b>	<b>Blayne Smith</b>

### **Christ is Risen; he is Risen indeed!**

We gather this morning in the brilliant light of Christ's Resurrection from the dead. I write these words as we prepare to enter the Sacred Paschal Triduum.

On Holy Thursday, Christ gathers and eats with his disciples, and we celebrate the institution of the Eucharist. Christ's very Body and Blood, which will be offered up for our sins, and the sins of the world become our food for life and the source and the summit of our faith.

On Good Friday, Jesus says yes to the Father's will and becomes the unblemished lamb whose sacrifice once and for all is offered up. The cross, an instrument of torture and death, will be forever changed into the symbol of our salvation upon His rising from the dead.

We gather in the darkness on the Easter Vigil to celebrate the glorious light of the resurrected Christ entering the world. The bright light of the Vigil fire that breaks the darkness of the night is just a glimmer of the light that Christ brings into this world and shares with each of us.

I pray you to have a joyful Easter season, and may God bless you abundantly.

With much love,

Deacon Todd



### **Jobs at our Diocese**

A part-time position for Virtus Compliance Coordinator has been posted at [www.saginaw.org](http://www.saginaw.org). Apply by April 20 to Diocese of Saginaw, Attn Bob Zondlak, 5800 Weiss St., Saginaw MI 48603. Include a letter of intent, resumé & references.

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