



St. Vincent de Paul Parish

October 16, 2022

The Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Life In Our Community

Children's Faith Formation: Classes follow Sunday Mass. Contact Mary Moomey for information and/or registration.

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. Registration forms in our entries.

Reconciliation: Individual confessions are heard one half hour 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
Saturday 4:30pm
Sunday 10:00am

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Parish Office Hours
Monday - Thursday
9:00 am—4:00pm

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Church for Occasional Use



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

OCTOBER 16, 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
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Jackie Loomis (<i>Secretary</i>)	Craig Shanteau
Cindy Gall	Tim Sieracki
Roger Jacobs	David Spindler
Don Moeggenberg	

Parish Finance Council

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Liz Bacon (<i>Secretary</i>)	Bob Wachowski
Bill Daniels	

Community Prayer

Monday, October 17

Eph 2:1-10 / Lk 12:13-21
St. Vincent Hall: AIM Service 6:30-8:00pm

Tuesday, October 18

2 Tm 4:10-17b / Lk 10:1-9
Mt. St. Joseph, St. Louis: 7:00-8:00pm Holy Hour for Life

Wednesday, October 19

Eph 3:2-12 / Lk 12:39-48
St. Vincent: 10:00am Mass
St. Patrick: 6:00pm Evening Prayer & Potluck:

Thursday, October 20

Eph 3:14-21 / Lk 12:49-53
St. Vincent: 10:00am Morning Prayer

Friday, October 21

Eph 4:1-6 / Lk 12:54-59

Saturday, October 22

Eph 4:7-16 / Lk 13:1-9
St. Vincent: 4:30pm Mass
St. Vincent: 4:00-7pm K of C Spaghetti Dinner

Sunday, October 23

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sir 35:12-14, 16-18 / 2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18, Lk 18:9-14
St. Vincent: 10:00am Mass

K of C Benefit Dinner

The Knights of Columbus are hosting their
Annual Spaghetti Dinner for vocations.
Saturday, October 22, 4:00-7:00pm.
In St. Vincent de Paul Parish Hall.
Cost: Free Will Offering.
Let them do the cooking for you!

Please hold in Prayer:

✠ Margaret Wysocki, Pansy Thaller, Don Kenny, Zora Walsh, Tom & Lila Weaver, Larry Lethorn, Kim Craven, Teresa Arnold, Ryan Noyes, Larry Noyes, Frank Lapinski, Sister Marie Kopin, People of Ukraine, Kinsley & the Binkowski Family, those suffering after disasters, nursing home residents and the sick and homebound.

Good News: Wow! 100! Donna Doepker will reach this milestone November 3! She deserves some recognition! Send a card to her at PO Box 215, Shepherd, MI 48883

World Mission Sunday October 23, 2022

Next weekend is our collection for World Missions. Your gift will support catechists, Religious Sisters caring for children & families, Seminarians, children in primary Schools, clinics caring for the sick & dying, and homes for orphans and the elderly. Together we can make a difference.

An envelope is in your packet, or there are extra envelopes in our entryways.

Stewardship October 9, 2022

General Collection	Year to Date
Oct 9 Church Coll. \$ 5,022.00	
Sept. On-line Coll. \$ 4,990.00	\$ 74,720.50
Weekly Budget \$ 5,343.75	\$ 90,156.25
Designated Funds Collection	
Building Improvement Fund	\$ 175.00
Food Pantry	\$ 195.00
World Mission Sunday	\$ 20.00
Parish Outreach	\$ 80.00
St. Leo Cemetery	\$ 75.00
St. Vincent Cemetery	\$ 25.00
St. Patrick Cemetery	\$ 30.00
St. Patrick Repair & Maintenance	\$ 1,757.93

Adult Study on the Eucharist

Monday Oct. 31—Monday, Dec. 5

9:00 to 10:30am.

Life is full of experiences, good and bad and in between. In all of our experiences the Eucharist can minister to us in a way that goes beyond and deeper than a remembrance or ritual to remind us of what we believe. It does that, but also much more.

The Eucharist is a Sacred Meal, a Sacrifice and a Real Presence.

Come and join us as we explore this wonderful gift! Of course we all learned about Eucharist as children, but we are adults now and there is so much more to experience.

We will use Archbishop Robert Barrons's study *The Eucharist*.

There are registration forms in the entryways. Questions? See me or Deacon Todd.

Mary Mooney

Directory Photos

Contact Jay Mingerink at 616-430-5845 if you have concerns about your directory photo, or email him at jemingerink@aol.com.

You may submit your own photo (portrait orientation best) to office@stvincentdp.com, or drop off a photo at our office. We also need your name, address, phone number and email (if you have one.) Time is running out, so submissions need to be soon!

While We Count Our Blessings...

Hurricanes have left destruction across Florida, Cuba and the Dominican Republic. Victims need food, shelter, medical care/medicines, and hope. You can assist with your credit card at <https://saginaw.org/hurricane-relief-resources>. You may also send a check to Diocese of Saginaw (Hurricane Relief), 5800 Weiss St., Saginaw, MI 48603. And, send your prayers to provide hope.

You may also send donations to the American Red Cross, 431 18th St. NW Washington, DC 20006

Saint Cecilia Sings Concert

The Saginaw Chapter of the National Association of Pastoral Musicians invites you to their 2022 *St. Cecilia Sings* Concert on Sunday, October 23 at 2:00pm at Ss. Francis and Clare Parish, 12157 Church St., Birch Run, Michigan.

The event is free of charge, but a free will offering will be taken to help support the Local Chapter of NPM and the church musicians of our diocese.

(Our parish is a member of the National Association of Pastoral Musicians and Joshua was an avid supporter.)

Attention New Communion Ministers

Our vicariate has scheduled a training session on Nov. 10, 6:30-8pm at Sacred Heart Church, Mt. Pleasant. Preregistration is not required but attendance will be taken and given to each parish.

An Invitation to a Great Conversation

Oct. 20, 7pm Parish Hall of Sacred Heart, Mt. Pleasant

You are invited to learn more about the great conversation that takes place between God and God's people. That is what the Bible is really all about, God conversing with us through the Sacred Scriptures. The Bible is the all-time best-selling book with billions of copies in print. During this get together we will talk about how the Bible was formed as well as its various literary forms such as narratives, love poetry and letters. The deepest relationships we have with others is the result of the great conversations we have had with them. Come and gain some new insights into the God that longs to engage us in conversation daily, and loves us more than we love ourselves.

Annual Christ's Mission Appeal is Underway

By now you've received a packet from our Bishop about the 22-23 Christ's Mission Appeal. Please pray about your pledge and send your gift payable to the Diocese of Saginaw in the envelope provided, or drop that envelope in our collection.

Seasons Are Changing!

Our cemeteries will need attention! Please remove grave decorations. After Nov. 1 they will be removed by parish personnel.

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