



St. Vincent de Paul Parish

July 2, 2023

The Thirteenth 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

Reconciliation: Individual confessions are heard 1/2 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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WELCOME!

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St. Patrick, Irishtown
7631 W. North Gratiot Co. Line
Church for Occasional Use



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

July 2, 2023

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>)	Don Moeggenberg
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Jackie Loomis (<i>Secretary</i>)	Tom Moomey
Brenda Faber-Gruss	Craig Shanteau
Cindy Gall	David Spindler
Roger Jacobs	

Parish Finance Council

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

Community Prayer

Monday, July 3

Eph 2:19-22/Jn 20:24-29

No AIM Ministries

Tuesday, July 4

Gn 19:15-29/Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday, July 5

Gn 21:5, 8-20a/Mt 8:28-34

St. Vincent: 10:00am Mass

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

Thursday, July 6

Gn 22:1b-19/Mt 9:1-8

St. Vincent: 10:00am Morning Prayer

Friday, July 7

Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67/Mt 9:9-13

Saturday, July 8

Gn 27:1-5, 15-29/Mt 9:14-17

St. Vincent: 4:00 Rosary

St. Vincent: 4:30pm Mass

Sunday, July 9 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Zec 9:9-10/Rom 8:9, 11-13/Mt 11:25-30

St. Vincent: 9:30am Rosary

St. Vincent: 10:00am Mass

Please hold in Prayer:

Zack G., Cindy, Joe & Mary Esther Ramon, John Florian, Kendall Lalone, Frank Lapinski, Jerry McCaul, Nancy Scovill, Scott Smith, Emily (Burch) Jackson, Zora Walsh, Teresa Arnold, Ryan Noyes, Larry Noyes, Sister Marie Kopin, Kinsley & the Binkowski Family, Donna Lefever, Nursing home residents, and the sick and the homebound.

VBS!

Save the date August 14, 15, 16!

Vacation Bible School for Pre-School through 5th grade

Nativity of the Lord Parish, Alma will host this year.

Good News!

Happy Anniversary to Larry & Joyce Noyes, God has blessed them with 52 years together.

Thank you for the prayers on our behalf.

As we pray for all of you too.

Mark your Calendars

The Shepherd Area Historical Society Annual Ice Cream Social July 10, 2023 @ 6:00pm at the Veteran's Memorial Park

The Central Michigan Area Concert Band will be performing @ 7:00pm

Bring your own chair—Everyone Welcome
Donations are welcome (for building repairs)

Blood Drive

St. Vincent de Paul Parish Hall

Friday July 28, 2023

11:00am to 4:45pm

Stewardship

General Collection	July 1 & 2	Yr. to Date
June 24 & 25 Collection	\$ 4,927.00	\$ 285,660.87
Weekly Budget	\$ 5,343.75	\$ 277,875.00

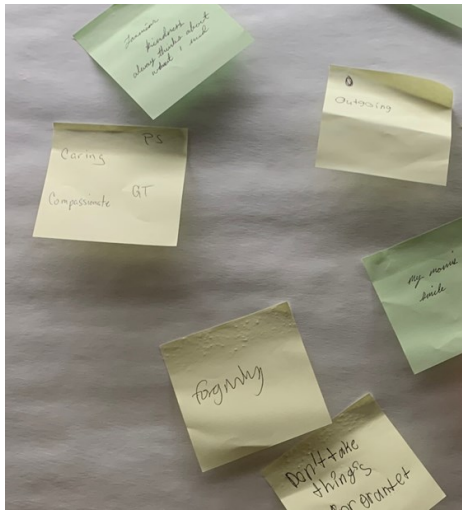
Designated Funds Contributions

Building Improvement Fund	\$	45.00
St. Leo Cemetery	\$	80.00
St. Patrick Cemetery	\$	20.00
St. Vincent Cemetery	\$	25.00
Parish Outreach	\$	45.00
Priests' Retirement	\$	700.00

Dear Friends in Christ,

This year's Youth Encounter Service for the Diocese of Saginaw has wrapped. You have heard me speak about this fantastic program before. On Sunday nights after feeding all the participants we have a safety meeting, followed by small group activities.

This year we added a new activity. Responding to concerns about weak or nonexistent relationships with Jesus, we wanted to create a bridge to knowing Jesus. Participants were invited to think about their close friends and what traits they admired most in them. Each participant thought of 5 different people, friends, parents and siblings, teachers, and mentors.



When we came back to the large group, we stuck the sticky notes to paper on the wall in our prayer space. Then we talked about the traits we saw, those that we saw multiple times, and the effects those traits had in our lives

And finally, we noticed that for the most part, all of those traits were also shared by Jesus.

In this year of the Eucharistic Revival, we seek not only Christ in the Eucharist but also the qualities and traits of Jesus in those around us.

Peace and blessings,

Deacon Todd

Wow! What a Couple of Weeks It's Been!

We are all so thankful that Heather has joined our St. Vincent's Crew. She's new to all this, so please give her a little reminder of what you need when you come in or call.

As for me, I've fallen into a pot of jam! A farewell party would never have given me the warm wishes and hugs that I received these past couple of weeks. It feels like I've been at one of those fancy college commencements where someone is bestowed an honorary degree, but I've been given an honorary "cousin-ship." That gift from all of you is highly coveted and will never be taken lightly. The receipt for your gift says love and friendship, and a feeling like I'm the cousin moving on to other things.

Love and respect to you all! - *Joyce Riley*



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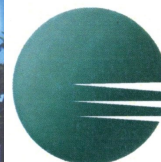
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