



St. Vincent de Paul Parish

January 28, 2024

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Weekend Mass
Saturday 4:30pm
Sunday 10:00am

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

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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.

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.



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Church for Occasional Use



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

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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Worship Opportunities

Monday, January 29

2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13/Mk 5:1-20

Tuesday, January 30

2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30—19:3/Mk 5:21-43

Wednesday January 31

2 Sm 24:2, 9-17/Mk 6:1-6

Saint Vincent de Paul 10:00 am Mass
 Saint Patrick:6:00 pm Liturgy of the Hours during
 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Potluck

Thursday, February 1

1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12/Mk 6:7-13

Saint Vincent de Paul:10:00 am Morning Prayer

Friday February 2 The Presentation of the Lord

Mal 3:1-4/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

Saturday February 3

1 Kgs 3:4-13/Mk 6:30-34

Saint Vincent de Paul: 4:00 pm Rosary

Saint Vincent de Paul: 4:30 pm Mass

Sunday February 4

FIFTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Jb 7:1-4, 6-7/1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23/Mk 1:29-39

Saint Vincent de Paul: 9:30 am Rosary

Saint Vincent de Paul:10:00 am Mass

Please hold in Prayer:

Lynette Sova, Bill McClintic, Joe Wood, Dorothy Huber, Ryan Noyes, Nancy McClintic-Hopson, Steve Gall, Mick Feltman, Donna Lefever, Zack G., John Florian, Kendall Lalone, Frank Lapinsk, Jerry McCaul, Nancy Scovill, Scott Smith, Emily (Burch) Jackson, Teresa Arnold, Larry Noyes, Sister Marie Kopin, Kinsley & the Binkowski Family, Nursing Home residents, and the sick and the homebound.

Weekly Prayer Hours

The church is open for prayer daily from 9am to 3pm

Lay Ecclesial Ministry Application Period

The application period is Feb. 1- May 15.
 For info/questions, please contact Deb,
dpopielarz@diosaq.org, or 989-797-6660.

**Be a Game Changer
 Super Bowl Weekend**

Help Fill Our Caring Collection Bowls After Mass Next
 Weekend

Benefiting The Isabella Community Soup Kitchen
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Saturday February 10 Saint Patrick's will host

Euchre at 6:30 pm. In the social hall.

\$5.00 Donation

Please bring a snack.

Everyone is welcome!



Stewardship

1/21/2024

General Collection

Sunday & Holy Day Collection	\$17,681.00	\$ 166,186.70
Weekly Budget	\$ 5,480.77	\$ 164,423.10
Parish Outreach	\$ 25.00	
Saint Vincent de Paul Building Improvement Fund	\$ 315.00	
Saint Leo Cemetery	\$ 12.50	
Saint Patrick Cemetery	\$ 50.00	
Saint Vincent de Paul Cemetery	\$ 37.50	

Planning Ahead

Join Us, Saturday, February 3,
Family Game Night following Mass

Sunday, February 11, Coffee & Donuts
following Mass

K of C Scrapbooking Day, Saturday
February 10 in the Parish Hall 9am-9pm.
Lots of table space, snacks, beverages &
supplies available.
From The Purple Butterfly

Bishop Gruss will be joining us on
Monday March 18, 6:00 pm at
Saint Patrick's in celebration of
Solemnity transferred from Sunday.

Our parish will host a **Red Cross Blood
Drive** in the St. Vincent Hall on Friday,
April 12, 12:00 pm to 5:00 pm
To schedule an appointment, go to
RedCrossBlood.org and enter sponsor
code.
STVINCENT, or call 1-800-733-2767.

**Religious Sisters of Mercy annual Young
Women's Retreat**

Single women, ages 18-35, who love the
Church, are invited to attend the annual
Young Women's Retreat with the
Religious Sisters of Mercy in Alma on
February 16-18. Retreatants will
participate in prayer with the Sisters and
have times of spiritual reflections at the
beginning of Lent.

For more information or to RSVP by
February 9,
please email:
vocation@almamercy.org

Congratulations to our newly baptized!
Saint Vincent de Paul celebrated the
baptisms of Stacey Jo Vedrode,
daughter of Konner and Olivia Vedrode.

Nolan Robert Lark, son of Kyle and
Megan Lark.
Both baptized on January 21.
Congratulations to Stacey and Nolan's
parents.

Dear Friends in Christ,

Greetings from Savannah, GA. It's been warm, but rainy here as
we enjoy a little break. The architecture and history are always
very interesting.

It is always enjoyable to check out the local church when traveling.
Sometimes it's a simple country church, and other times it's a
minor Basilica.

Even in the midst of vacation there is always time to spend with
the Lord. Here are a few pictures from the Cathedral Basilica of
St John the Baptist.



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