



# St. Vincent de Paul Parish

October 20, 2024

## Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

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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-Wednesday 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:* Thursday 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.



St. Patrick, Irishtown  
7631 W. North Gratiot Co. Line  
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St. Vincent de Paul, Shepherd  
168 E. Wright Ave.  
Parish Church

**October 20, 2024**

**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.


**Please hold in Prayer:**

Mark Moeggenborg, Jim Kanine, Doyle Walker, Julie Hall, Bill McClintic, Bob Wagner, Anonymous, Donna Kelly Kinkead, Jackie Enriques-Aguirre, Joe Wood, Dorothy Huber, Ryan Noyes, Steve Gall, Mick Feltman, Donna Lefever, Zack G., John Florian, Kendall Lalone, Frank Lapinski, 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.

<b>Pastoral Council</b>	<i>Chairperson</i> - Dave Spindler
<i>Vice-Chair</i> - Nancy Scovill	<i>Secretary</i> - Jackie Loomis
<i>FC Liaison</i> - Cindy Gall	Brenda Faber-Gruss
Roger Jacobs	Sue McQueen
Don Moeggenberg	Judy Moldenhauer
John Walsh	
<b>Finance Council</b>	<i>Chairperson</i> - Leah Rau
<i>Vice-Chair</i> - Doug Dodge	<i>Secretary &amp; PC Liaison</i> - Liz Bacon
Jerry Jaloszynski	Zach Lobsinger
Kim Recker	Bob Wachowski

**Donna Doepker will be turning 102  
on November 3, 2024**

If you would like to send her a card .  
Her address is:  
207 W. Cottage Street POB 215  
Shepherd, MI 48883



**All Parishioners that served in the Military.**  
We would like to recognize you for your service.  
Please submit your service branch of the military via email [office@stvincentdp.com](mailto:office@stvincentdp.com) or call 989-828-5720



**Worship Opportunities**

**Monday, October 21**

Eph 2:1-10/Lk 12:13-21

**Tuesday, October 22**

Eph 2:12-22/Lk 12:35-38

**Wednesday, October 23**

Eph 3:2-12/Lk 12:39-48

St. Vincent de Paul: 10:00 AM Mass

St. Patrick: 6:00 pm Evening Prayer - Potluck follows

**Thursday, October 24**

Eph 3:14-21/Lk 12:49-53

St. Vincent de Paul: 10:00 AM Morning Prayer

**Friday, October 25**

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

**Saturday, October 26**

Eph 4:7-16/Lk 13:1-9

St. Vincent de Paul: 4:30 PM Mass-

K of C Pasta Dinner for Vocations 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

**Sunday, October 27**

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jer 31: 7-9/Heb 5:1-6/MK 10:46-52

St. Vincent de Paul: 10:00 AM Mass

**Christmas Outreach**  
We are happy to accept any items you may have for our stocking/adult gift bag items for this years' Christmas Outreach program.  
The focus now is for bar soap and adult size tooth paste.  
Thank you for your support.

**WORLD MISSION SUNDAY October 20, 2024**  
"Go and Invite Everyone to the Banquet"

World Mission Sunday is a special day that unites Catholics worldwide in prayer, solidarity, and support for the Church's mission efforts.

**Stewardship**

<b>General Collection</b>	<b>10/13/2024</b>	<b>Year to Date</b>
Sunday & Holy Day Collection	\$ 2,984.00	\$ 73,741.25
Weekly Budget	\$ 5,796.00	\$ 92,736.00
Capital Campaign	\$ 315.00	
Parish Outreach	\$ 65.00	
Saint Leo Cemetery	\$ 80.00	
St. Vincent Cemetery	\$ 66.00	
St. Vincent Repair & Maintenance	60.00	

## Sacramental Preparation

These classes are for children 7 and older to prepare for the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Communion which usually takes place in early May. Classes will start on Thursday October 24, 2024 at 6:30 pm in the church. We usually meet 4 or 5 times before May. We will need at least one parent to attend the sacramental class with their child. A schedule of future sacramental preparation classes will be available soon.

Registration forms are in the gathering area. For questions, please contact Mary Moomey.



## Halloween Help Needed

We will hand out candy in front of the church entrance once again and are in need of candy to pass out. Please drop bags at the parish entry-way or office. Also looking for a couple of festive volunteers to help Deacon Todd with candy duties that evening. Evening Prayer to follow.

Dear Friends in Christ,

What a wonderful experience on Wednesday night being the hands of Christ working with Rise Against Hunger to package 30,456 meals for those in need. This food will be shipped, along with financial support and expertise to help make a community sustainable. We didn't bite off more than we could chew, but it was close. Nevertheless, the SVDP community and its friends accomplished this mission. It is a privilege to be a part of such a wonderful group of people.

Coming up is All Saints Day and Mass will be here at 10:00 AM. Next weeks bulletin will also include mass times for other local parishes, so you can attend a Mass on this Holy Day that fits your schedule. We will also celebrate Evening Prayer after Trick or Treating on the 31st. You are also invited to drop off framed photos of loved ones for our memorial table. Please put your name and phone number on the back.

Peace and blessings, Deacon Todd

ST. MARY UNIVERSITY PARISH

# RESPECT LIFE MASS

Join Vicariate Five of the Diocese of Saginaw in celebrating the Respect Life Mass!

OCTOBER 26TH | 9:00 AM  
1405 S. WASHINGTON ST.  
MT. PLEASANT, MI 48858

There will be a collection for women's hygiene products and baby diapers. Please consider donating!

## Diocesan Day of Enrichment

# Go! Make Disciples



Keynote Speaker



Julianne Stanz is the Director of Outreach for Evangelization and Discipleship for Loyola Press.

GREAT HALL BANQUET & CONVENTION CENTER  
5121 BAY CITY RD, MIDLAND

November 2, 2024  
8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

### Breakout Presenters:

Fr. Stephen Blaxton, Fr. Matthew Gembrowski, Fr. Marc Hopps, Fr. Adam Maher, Fr. Bill Rutkowski, Deacon Mike Houghton, Don Buchalski, Kellie Deming, Nick Jorgensen, Taylor Piotrkowski, Keri Tarrant, and Dani Tenbusch

- Early Bird Registration: \$75
- Registration after September 25: \$100
- Includes continental breakfast, lunch buffet, afternoon snack, and beverages

REGISTER AT THE LINK BELOW, SCAN THE QR CODE, OR CALL AMY DORE AT 989.797.6654:

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION LINK  
(AUGUST 28 - SEPTEMBER 25):



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