



St. Vincent de Paul Parish

January 26, 2025

THIRD 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 Monday - Wednesday to set a Friday appointment.

Food donations are welcomed on the first weekend of each month, or at our office Monday-Thursday, 10am-4pm.

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
Church for Occasional Use



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

January 26, 2025

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.

Pastoral Council	<i>Chairperson</i> - Dave Spindler
<i>Vice-Chair</i> - Nancy Scovill	<i>Secretary</i> - Jackie Loomis
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Jerry Jaloszynski	Zach Lobsinger
Kim Recker	Bob Wachowski

Worship Opportunities

Monday, January 27

Heb. 9:15. 24 - 28 / Mk 3:22 -30

Rescheduled

Tuesday, January 28 **Pastoral Council Meeting 6:00 pm**

Heb. 10:1 - 10 / Mk 3:31 - 35

Wednesday, January 29

Heb. 10:11 - 18 / Mk 4:1 - 20

St. Vincent de Paul: 10:00 AM

St. Patrick Church: 6:00 PM Evening Prayer - Potluck follows

Thursday, January 30

Heb 10: 19 - 25 / Mk 4:21 - 25

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

Friday, January 31

Heb 10: 32 - 39 / Mk 4:26 -34

Saturday, February 1

Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 / Mk 4:35 - 41

St. Vincent de Paul: 4:00 PM Rosary

St. Vincent de Paul: 4:30 PM Mass

Sunday, February 2

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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

St. Vincent de Paul: 9:00 AM Rosary

St. Vincent de Paul: 10:00 AM Mass w/Children's Dismissal for the Liturgy of the Word.



In our prayers...

Zora Walsh, Emily (Burch) Jackson, MK, Mark Moeggenborg, Jim Kanine, Doyle Walker, Bill McClintic, Joe Wood Dorothy Huber, Ryan Noyes, Steve Gall, Donna Lefever, Zack G., John Florian, Kendall Lalone, Frank Lapinski, Jerry McCaul, Nancy Scovill, Scott Smith, Teresa Arnold, Larry Noyes, Sister Marie Kopin, Kinsley & the Binkowski Family. Nursing Home residents, and the sick and the homebound.

If you are aware of someone that would like to be added to... or taken off our prayer list. Please contact the office.

Cor is a program for all Catholic men striving to grow in holiness.

February 1, 8:00 AM.

Cor is a program for all Catholic men striving to grow in holiness **and become the men God created them to be.** We are using the series Men of the Word Session 10, Resurrected Lord is the subject.

The **Cor** group meets in the Parish Social Hall each month on a Saturday at 8 AM.

If you have any questions, please call Steve Bacon.



Please wish Happy Birthday to Ron Chrans he just turned 91 years old young!

2024 Contribution Statements

If you would like to receive your 2024 contribution statement via email or a paper copy please call the office.

Thank you

Stewardship		
General Collection	1/19/2025	Year to Date
Sunday & Holy Day Collection	\$ 5,412.00	\$ 183,854.87
Weekly Budget	\$ 5,796.00	\$ 173,880.00
Parish Outreach	\$ 50.00	
St. Patrick Cemetery	\$ 75.00	
St. Patrick Repair & Maintenance	\$ 100.00	
St. Vincent Cemetery	\$ 100.00	
St. Vincent de Paul Maintenance	\$ 50.00	

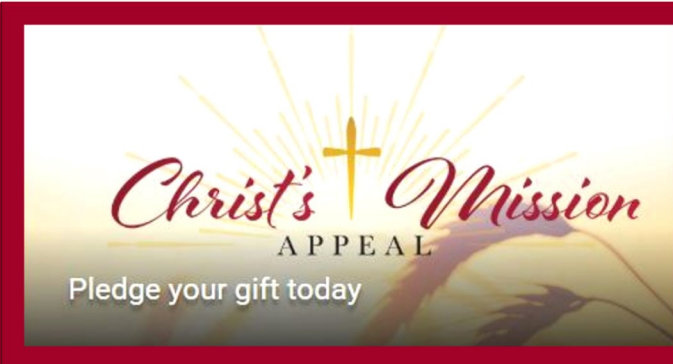
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FIRST FRIDAY WITH BISHOP GRUSS

Come celebrate the monthly gathering, known as First Friday with Bishop Robert Gruss. Mass begins at 11:00 a.m. and takes place at the Cathedral of Mary of the Assumption, 615 Hoyt Ave. Saginaw.

ALL ARE WELCOME to attend Mass without registering.

Following Mass, you are invited to join Bishop Gruss for a meatless lunch at noon and an informal presentation. Due to limited seating of 150 in the Lower Level of the Cathedral, please register if you plan to attend the presentation and lunch.



89 families have returned their pledge cards totaling \$38,765.00 or **64% of our \$60,890.00 goal.**

If you have not done so already, please consider supporting our Christ's Mission Appeal.

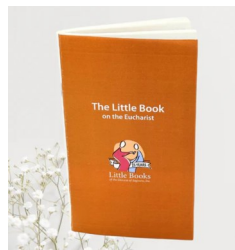
For your convenience, envelopes are available on the tables located in the gathering area or you may give online at www.saginaw.org/appeal.

Thank you

Next week please pick up your copy in the gathering area

Little Book on the Eucharist

Thirty reflections offer an opportunity to meditate on the great mystery of the Eucharist, allowing you to experience the depths of Jesus' love and the gift he gives of himself in Holy Communion.



Saturday, February 1, 2025

Saint Patrick's will host Euchre at 6:00 pm.

In the social hall. \$5.00 Donation

Please bring a snack.

Everyone is welcome!



Dear Friends in Christ,

This weekend is the 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time. Since Jan 26, 2020 we have also celebrated it as the Sunday of the word of God. Pope Francis instituted this celebration in his apostolic letter *Aperut illis* "He opened it to them" taken from Luke's Gospel when Jesus opens the scriptures to the disciples on the road to Emmaus.

This day is to be "a Sunday given over entirely to the word of God so as to appreciate the inexhaustible riches contained in that constant dialogue between the Lord and his people." It is important for us to remember that sacred Scripture is not a dead, trapped in the past story, but rather, words from a loved one that challenge, comfort, instruct or illuminate in a new way whether we are hearing it first or 100th time.

I encourage you to spend some time with your bible today reflecting again on the readings. Perhaps use today as an opportunity to make a resolution for the year to spend time letting God speak to you through sacred scripture.

Peace and blessings, Deacon Todd

PS. Helpful bible links

USCCB Daily Readings

<https://bible.usccb.org/readings/calendar>

Bible in a Year Podcast

<https://youtu.be/BW0gXbEVYgA?si=d12BGHpUP2KPyTpj>

Meijer Simply Give Benefits the Food Pantry

The Meijer Simply Give donation cards are now available in the gathering area of church.

This program will run from December 29, to March 29

These cards are only good at the

Mt. Pleasant Meijer.

Benefiting our Food Pantry with each donation of \$10.00.

Meijer's of Mt. Pleasant will donate the same.

Double Match day will be held on March 1st and March 22nd.

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