



St. Vincent de Paul Parish

December 28, 2025

FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

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

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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 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.

Knights of Columbus meets on the 3rd Thursday of each month. @ 7:00pm

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.



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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.

Pastoral Council	<i>Chairperson</i> - Dave Spindler
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Worship Opportunities

Monday, December 29

1 Jn 2:3-11; Lk 2:22-35

Tuesday, December 30

1 Jn 2:12-17; Lk 2:36-40 -66

Wednesday, December 31

1 Jn 2:18-21; Jn 1:1-18

Thursday, January 1

Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God

Num 6:22-27; Gal 4:4-7; Lk 2:16-21

St. Vincent de Paul: 10:00 AM Mass

Friday, January 2

1 Jn 2:22-28; Jn 1:19-28

Saturday, January 3

1 Jn 2:29-3:6; Jn 1:29-34

St. Vincent de Paul Parish: 4:00 PM Rosary

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

Sunday, January 4

EPHANY OF THE LORD

Is 60:1-6; Mt 2:1-12

St. Vincent de Paul Parish: 9:30 AM Rosary

St. Vincent de Paul: 10:00 AM Mass



Marianne Jones, Barb Smith, Judy Florian, Pam & Dave Kusbel, Melisa Peak, Larry Lethorn, Scott Smith, Harold Moeggenborg, Jim Kanine, 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, Jackie Enriquez-Aguirre, 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.

This week at our Parish

Wednesday, December 31, 2025

Parish office closed. New Year's Eve

Thursday, January 1, 2026

Parish office closed. Happy New Year!

Next Year at our Parish - Planning ahead

Thursday, April 9, 2026

SVDP - Hosting the Right to Life Dinner

Sunday, September 27, 2026

50th Anniversary Dedication Mass and Dinner of St. Vincent de Paul Church

Monday - Friday, October 26-30, 2026

Parish Pilgrimage

More information to come next year 2026!

Stewardship

General Collection	12/20-21/2025	Year to Date
Sunday & Holy Day Collection	\$5,945.00	\$ 136,225.65
Weekly Budget	\$ 5,796.00	\$ 139,104.00
Capital Campaign	\$ 1,000.00	
Christmas	\$ 600.00	
Food Pantry	\$ 2,115.00	
Religious Retirement	\$ 545.00	
St. Leo Cemetery	\$ 290.00	
St. Patrick Cemetery	\$ 625.00	
St. Patrick Maintenance	\$ 610.00	
St. Vincent de Paul Cemetery	\$ 5.00	
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LAST WEEK TO ORDER

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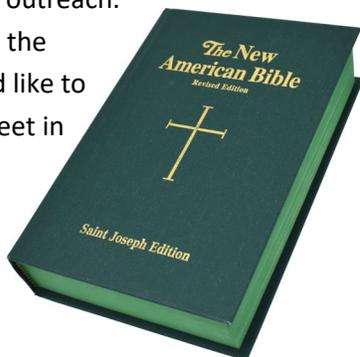
The New American Bible Saint Joseph Edition.

These Bibles are available just over cost of production to ensure God's Word is accessible to everyone in our community and for ministry outreach.

Please leave your name and the quantity of bibles you would like to purchase. On the sign up sheet in the gathering area.

They are \$15.00 each.

Payment is not needed until they arrive at the end of January 2026.



As we celebrate the newborn King. May the peace of Christ bring hope to your heart this season. Christmas 2025.



Year-end reminders

Thank you for your generosity to St Vincent de Paul Parish We know many supporters want to get one last donation to us for tax credit in the 2025 calendar year.

The Parish Office will be closed December 24 - 26. Donations may be dropped off any other day(s) during normal business hours. Mailed contributions must be post-marked by December 31.

2025 Contribution Statements

If you would like to receive your 2025 contribution statement via email or a paper copy please call the office or email.

Thank you



Thank you to all who participated in the **Choir** on Christmas Eve! Your time and talents were appreciated and helped your fellow parishioners enjoy and reflect upon the words of the season through the songs you sang.

"Glory to the newborn King!"

Mary Moeggenborg

Director of Music Ministry





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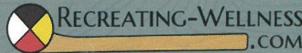
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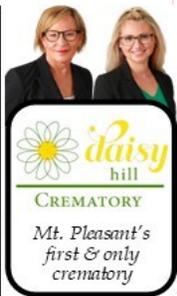
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