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St. Vincent de Paul Parish

July 12, 2026

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

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.

Parish Hall Rental Bookings:
St. Patrick: Call Betty, 989-463-2503
St. Vincent: Call the parish office

Bulletin Deadline: Thursday at 10:00am

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

July 12, 2026

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	*Chairperson* - Dave Spindler
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Finance Council	*Chairperson* - Zach Lobsinger
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Bob Wachowski	

Readings for the Week of July 13

Monday, July 13
Is 1:10-17/Mt 10:34-11:1

Tuesday, July 14
Is 7:1-9/Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday, July 15
Is 10:5-7, 13b-16/Mt 11:25-27
St. Vincent De Paul Parish : 10:00 AM Mass

Thursday, July 16
Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19/Mt 11:28-30
St. Vincent de Paul: 10:15 AM Morning Prayer

Friday, July 17
Is 38:1-6, 21-22

Saturday, July 18
Mi 2:1-5/Mt 12:14-21
St. Vincent de Paul: 4:30 PM Mass

Sunday, July 19
Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Wis 12:13, 16-19/Rom 8:26-27/Mt 13:24-43
St. Vincent de Paul: 10:00 AM Mass

✞Eleanor Moeggenberg, ✞Peggy Sztuczko, Gloria Fox, Mimi Wilmont, Mary Foote, Barb Smith, Judy Florian, Pam & Dave Kusbel, Melisa Peak, Larry Lethorn, Joe Wood, 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.

Our CMACB concert with the Historical Society's Ice Cream Social is Monday, July 13 at 7 pm in the Shepherd Park.
Hope to see you there ☺ Judy Degruise

Finance Council Meeting - Monday, July 20, - 6:00 PM

SVDP 50th Dedication Anniversary Committee Meeting - Thursday, July 30, at 11:00AM

SVDP Mobile Food Pantry, Friday, July 31, 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
Sign up Sheets in the gathering area

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COMING SOON

your chance to serve others

YOU WILL WANT TO BE A PART OF THIS

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General Collection	**7/4-5/2026**
Saturday & Sunday Collection	$ 3,364.00
Food Pantry	$ 25.00
St. Leo Cemetery	$ 50.00
St. Patrick Cemetery	$ 55.00
St. Vincent De Paul Cemetery	$ 50.00
Peter's Pence Collection	$ 160.00
Priest Retirement	$ 100.00

Help Kids Gear Up for School!
Shepherd's **Blue Jay Back to School Bash** is almost here! We are collecting new school supplies to help local students in need start the year strong.
Most Needed Items:

- **Folders:** 3-prong with pockets
- **Notebooks:** College or wide-ruled
- **Writing Tools:** Pens (blue or black), highlighters, colored pencils (12-pack), and crayons (24-pack)

Desk Supplies: Glue sticks, pencil-top erasers, regular erasers, and rulers
To contribute, please place your items in the tote in the gathering area, before **Monday, August 10th**. Thank you!

ALL MEN OF THE PARISH WELCOME

There will be a COR meeting, hosted by, Steve Bacon on Saturday July,18 at 8:00 am breakfast will be served.

Shepherd Knights of Columbus Council in the fourth degree will be selling raffle tickets. Please see Steve Bacon.

There has been lots of great work happening at our cemeteries. Thanks Zack, Steve and Mike for helping coordinate the spring cleanups.
Work was recently completed on the statues and altar at St. Vincent de Paul Cemetery. Thank you Mike Turnwald for all your hard work coordinating this effort. Beautiful results

The Year of the Holy Spirit online store is now open!

Looking for a way to celebrate this special year and share your faith with others? You can now order official Year of the Holy Spirit merchandise, including T-shirts, polos, long-sleeve shirts, coffee mugs, tumblers, stickers, magnets, yard signs, flags and more.
https://yearofholyspirit.itemorder.com

Bishop Gruss proclaimed a Year of the Holy Spirit from Pentecost 2026 to Pentecost 2027,inviting all of us to deepen our relationship with the Holy Spirit and become more open to His presence and guidance in our daily lives.

Every item is a simple way to witness to your faith, start conversations and help spread devotion to the Holy Spirit throughout our Diocese

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