

# Saint Vincent de Paul

## CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### Parish Staff

Rev. Kenneth F. Wallace, Pastor  
Rev. Robert E. Clancy, Senior Parochial Vicar  
Deacon Kenneth Hill  
Mr. Michael Wilson, Music Director  
Mrs. Eileen Heidelman, Secretary & Bookkeeper  
Mr. Scott Meade, Plant Manager

### Liturgy Schedule

Saturday 5:00 pm Vigil  
Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:30 am and 12:00 noon  
Monday through Friday: 8:30 am  
Holy Day Vigil: 7:00 pm  
Holy Day: 8:30 am, and 7:00 pm  
Confessions: Saturday 3:30 - 4:30 pm or  
any time by appointment

**Baptisms** are Sundays at 2:00 pm. Prior scheduling and Parent Preparation Class are required.

**Novena to the Sacred Heart** is every Friday after the 8:30 am Mass.

**Rosary** is prayed at 8:10 am Monday - Friday.

**Eucharistic Adoration** is Saturdays, 3:30 - 4:30 pm.

**Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Benediction** is on the First Sunday of the month at 3:00 pm.

**Marriages** require a six month preparation period by Diocesan policy. Call one of the parish priests prior to setting a date.

**Funerals** are at 10:00 am. Arrangements are to be made at the Parish Office before publication of the death notice.

### Ministry to those who are Sick or Shut-In

Our Eucharistic Ministers can bring the Eucharist to those parishioners who are ill, recovering from a hospital stay, shut-in, or otherwise unable to attend the Liturgies each Sunday. Please call the Parish Office to be placed on the schedule.

**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)** is the process by which adults are brought into the Catholic Faith through the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. The RCIA meets weekly from September through April. Further information can be obtained by calling the Parish Office.

**New Parishioners** are always welcome. Please stop by the Parish Office to register at your earliest convenience. Thank you for joining St. Vincent de Paul Parish.



**MASSES** for the **WEEK**

**MONDAY, January 4, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton**

8:30 am All Souls

**FRIDAY, January 8, Christmas Weekday**

8:30 am Marion E. Gallagher (Birthday)

**TUESDAY, January 5, St. John Neumann**

8:30 am Living and Deceased of Altar and Rosary

**SATURDAY, January 9, Vigil of Baptism of the Lord**

5:00 pm Susan Molek

**WEDNESDAY, January 6, Christmas Weekday**

8:30 am For the Parishioners

**SUNDAY, January 10, The Baptism of the Lord**

8:00 am Kenneth Schenosky (Anniversary)

10:30 am Vincent Ruscitti

12:00 noon Elizabeth Lukach (Anniversary)

**THURSDAY, January 7, Christmas Weekday**

8:30 am All Souls



**HOLY NAME SOCIETY**

**HAVE YOU BOUGHT YOUR MONTHLY TICKETS?**

You can return your tickets and money in the sealed envelope by dropping them in the collection basket.

**THIS SUNDAY IS THE FIRST SUNDAY** of January. The Chaplet of Divine Mercy will be recited at 3:00 P.M. Benediction will follow.

**WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE OF NEIGHBORING PARISHES**

- Blessed Trinity** Monday: 11 A.M., Thursday: No Mass  
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 8:30 A.M.
- OLA** Mon., Tues. Wed., Fri. 8 A.M.  
Thursday: No Mass
- St. Angela** Monday through Friday: 8:30 A.M.
- St. Mark** Mon., Tues., Thurs: 8:30 A.M.  
Wednesday, Friday: No Mass
- St. Mel** Mon. & Wed.: 6:45 A.M.  
Tues. & Friday: 8:15 A.M.  
Thursday: 5:45 P.M.
- ST. PATRICK** Mon., Tues: 7:30 A.M., Wed. No Mass  
Thurs 7 P.M., Friday: 8:30 A.M.

**EVANGELIZATION**

**PARTS - PIECES - PEACE**

Lord, teach me to be generous. Whatever is mine to give, let me give it. Whatever is mine to be, let me be it. I can't save the world - but here's hoping that the tiny part of the world which I inhabit might be a little brighter, warmer, sweeter because I'm in it.

Holy Spirit, gather the people of God, scattered throughout the world like so many pieces of a broken jigsaw puzzle. Hold and heal us; warm and mellow us; mold and meld us; form and shape us into the whole and perfect image of Jesus - the Father's beloved gift of **PEACE** to the world. Amen.

# PASTOR'S NOTES

Dear Parishioners,

Just to let you in on a little secret, this article was put together on December 21st. The reason being that because of the holidays the Bulletin Company needed it for publication. With that in mind, I borrowed from Fr. Manning because everything he said is still important and relevant concerning all of the hard working people who come together and contribute to make this the wonderful parish it continues to be so...

First of all, I would like to thank all of the volunteers who spent hours decorating the Church during the Season of Advent and Christmas.

Another thank you goes to Mike Wilson, our Music Director, the Choir, and the Cantors for performing the beautiful music which helped us praise the Lord at a higher level. Mike and his team spend many hours in practice preparing for Liturgy not only for Christmas but all year long.

Thanks also goes to the Ushers, Servers, Lectors, and Eucharistic Ministers for all their hard work in making this Christmas time so holy.

Fr. Clancy, Deacon Ken, and I would like to thank all the parishioners who sent us Christmas greetings and gifts. We are grateful for your generosity.

Also, thanks to the parish staff who spent many hours to make sure everything went right.

Have a very Blessed week.

Fr. Ken Wallace



**“COUNCILMAN BRIAN KAZY** would like to invite you to his 1st Annual State of the Ward Address on Wednesday, January 6th, 2016, at 6 P.M. in Fogarty Hall at Blessed Trinity Church, 14040 Puritas Avenue. Ward 16 residents will be updated on work that the council office undertook during the previous year and on projects that are set to take place in the near future. Residents will also be given the opportunity to interact with city department, utilities, and community organizations at information tables. Bring a friend or neighbor and come learn about all that is taking place in your community!”

**GENTLE WOMAN FELLOWSHIP** - an Intra Parish Group meets on First Fridays at St. Clarence Parish, 30106 Lorain Road. **EXCEPT it will meet on January 8th this year!** 9:30, Pray the Rosary; 10:00, Attend Holy Mass; 11:00, Enjoy a Potluck Luncheon followed by a talk. Father Damien Ezeani, who's a Priest in the Orlu Diocese of Nigeria will speak on "The Fate of a Woman from the Bible." From 2006-2011, he was an Associate Pastor and he worked in a junior seminary. In 2012 he took a study leave to earn a degree in Nonprofit Administration. Currently Father is working on a Master's in Business Administration at John Carroll; helping at St. Adalbert's and Our Lady of Peace Parishes in Cleveland plus working as a Chaplain at St. Vincent Charity Medical Center. Prior to his talk, a potluck luncheon will take place. Please bring a cold salad, veggies with a dip, little cold sandwiches, fresh fruit or something similar to share. Dessert will be provided. ALL WOMEN WELCOME. No reservations needed. Questions? Call Mary at 440-458-5063.

## SUNDAY OFFERING



**THE OFFERTORY COLLECTION** for December 20th, 2015, amounted to \$8,781.00. Envelopes used - 210.