

Saint Vincent de Paul

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Ms. Virginia Hueter, Director of P.S.R.

Liturgy Schedule

Saturday 5:00 pm Vigil
Sunday: 8:00 am and 10:30 am
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 1:00 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: 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.



MASSSES for the WEEK

MONDAY, May 29, Easter Weekday

9:00 am Deceased Veterans

TUESDAY, May 30, Easter Weekday

8:30 am Virgenmina Dedos & Domitila
Melendez & Catalino Dedos

WEDNESDAY, May 31, The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:30 am Katherine Sullivan & Elizabeth Senesi

THURSDAY, June 1, St. Justin Martyr

8:30 am Margaret Corrigan (B-Day)

FRIDAY, June 2, Saints Marcellinus & Peter

8:30 am Special Intention

SATURDAY, June 3, St. Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs

5:00 pm Clayton Derthick (Anniv.)

SUNDAY, June 4, Feast of Pentecost

8:00 am Mary Louise & Arthur Sexton
10:30 am Joseph & Mary McKenna



SAVE THE DATE

For the 8th Annual Summer Parish Picnic! It will take place on **Sunday, June 25th, 12:00 Noon to 3:30 PM**, on the West Lawn and in the Social Hall. There will be food, games, and fellowship. As in the past, the parish will provide the burgers and hot dogs. We are asking that if you're coming to the picnic, to please bring a side dish to share with everyone. There will be a side dish tree in the church beginning June 3rd with possible side dish ideas. See you at the picnic!



WANT TO LEND A HAND AT THE SUMMER PARISH PICNIC?

Join us for an informational meeting at the Lighthouse on Thursday, June 1st at 7:00 PM. Can't make the meeting but want to help? Just call the Parish Office and leave your contact information. Someone from the Picnic Team will be in contact with you.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

HAVE YOU BOUGHT YOUR MONTHLY TICKETS?

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

He left, but He's still here. Who but the Lord could physically take leave of his loved ones, and yet truly and substantially remain with them! "Christ has gone to heaven, and at the same time He gives Himself to us as our nourishment in the sacred Host." (St. Josemaria Escriva)

As we cherish His Eucharistic presence; as we enjoy His very real presence in each other—Jesus assures us of our future presence with Him: "If I go and prepare a place for you to Myself; that where I am, you also may be." (John 14:3)

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parents are required to attend a Pre-Baptismal class. The next class will be held here at St. Vincent de Paul on Sunday, June 4th at 2:00 PM. Arrangements to be made at the Parish Office.

MEMORIAL DAY, MONDAY MAY 29TH



Memorial Day

Please join us for Mass at **9:00 am**, as we honor those who have served in the Armed Forces and give thanks for the freedoms we enjoy today. The Parish Office will be closed in observance of the holiday.

Raise the flag in honor!

PASTOR'S NOTES

Dear Parishioners,

This past January our long time Parish Secretary/Bookkeeper, Eileen HeideIman, informed me she wished to retire. Eileen made me promise that I wouldn't announce her leaving until she was officially retired or have any celebration. I honored her wishes. A week ago this past Monday was Eileen's last day. She served St. Vincent de Paul Parish for many years as a volunteer in the school and rectory and as an employee. I asked Eileen the exact amount of years she had been active here on campus and she said officially since about 1970 but in reality earlier than that. Eileen had been talking about retiring prior to my assignment here but offered to stay on until I became settled. I told her when I arrived it would be her decision to leave as she would always have her position until she decided it was time to retire. I am so grateful for all of her help and above all her friendship which started back in 1997 when I interned here. I will miss her and so will many of our parishioners. After all, Eileen was baptized here and attended St. Vincent de Paul grade school as did all of her children. She did say she would consider coming back now and then to fill in for vacations. If you wish to send Eileen a card you can drop it off at the rectory and we will see that Eileen receives it. One of the last duties Eileen did was to acclimate our new parish secretary, Mrs. Irene Smith. Irene had been the parish secretary at St. Boniface and for many years at Sts. Philip and James before they closed. Irene is a very kind person who loves the Church and is very excited to be here. She has already commented on the wonderful people she has met since being here. Welcome Irene.

Congratulations are in order to Richard Bub, Austin Hajduk, and Sergio Perez, members of our PSR 8th grade class who will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation this coming Saturday evening at St. John's Cathedral. God bless you Richard, Austin, and Sergio as you receive the final Sacrament of Christian Initiation. The others being Baptism and Holy Communion.

Finally on behalf of Fr. Clancy, Deacon Ken Hill, the staff and myself, we wish you a wonderful and safe Memorial Day weekend. Please join us for the 9:00 am Mass on Monday to give thanks for this great Country of ours and to honor all those who have

served in the Armed Forces so we could have the freedoms we possess. Our offices will be closed on Memorial Day.

Have a Blessed week.

Peace,

Fr. Ken



CATHOLIC CHARITIES

This weekend, May 27th and May 28th, parishioners will have the opportunity to support Catholic Charities during the In-Pew Commitment Weekend for the **Hungry and Homeless**. This is an opportunity, not only to support a regional initiative, but to learn more about the incredible work of Catholic Charities for those who are most vulnerable. All **NEW, INCREASED** and **ADDITIONAL** gifts for this weekend will be **matched**, up to \$100,000.

PERFECT FAMILY FUN DAY THIS SUMMER

As we celebrate Memorial Day and enter into the summer season join thousands from across our region for a day of faith, family and fun (all for FREE) at the FEST. Mark your summer calendar for Sunday, August 6, 2017 and join us in Wickliffe. All the details can be found at: www.theFEST.us. It is the perfect family day.

HONORING THOSE WHO PROTECTED OUR FREEDOM

Please consider joining us this Memorial Day in honoring the men and women of the United States Armed Forces who gave their today's for our tomorrow's in protecting the land we call home. In partnership with Riverside Cemetery, Walter Martens & Sons Funeral Home will again hold their fourth annual Memorial Day service, Monday, May 29th at 9:30 am. Memorial Day Services will take place at Riverside Cemetery, 3607 Pearl Rd., Cleveland, 44109. Services will include a candlelight memorial service. We sincerely hope that you and your family will be able to join us. For additional information, please contact the funeral home at 216-281-7111.



THE OFFERTORY COLLECTION

for May 21, 2017 amounted to \$2,990.00
Envelopes used: 173