

Saint Vincent de Paul

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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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 8:05 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.

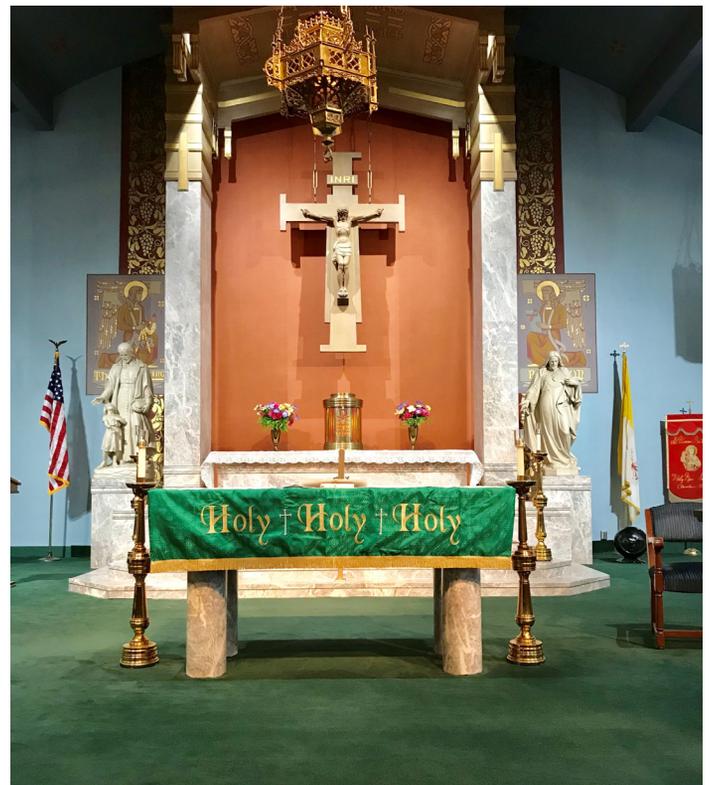
Funerals: Arrangements are to be made at the Parish Office before publication of the death notice.

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.





MONDAY, October 8, Weekday

8:30 am Frank Dirk

TUESDAY, October 9, Weekday

8:30 am All Souls

WEDNESDAY, October 10, Weekday

8:30 am Christine & George Grilli

THURSDAY, October 11, St. John XXIII, Pope

8:30 am People of the Parish

FRIDAY, October 12, Weekday

8:30 am Francis Von Alt (B-Day)

SATURDAY, October 13, Weekday

5:00 pm McFadden Family

SUNDAY, October 14, 28th Sunday Ordinary

Time

8:00 am Bride Ann Sweeney

10:30 am Carmela Vitanza

**Respect
Life
Sunday**



TAKING RISKS, FINDING BLESSINGS

For many people today, Jesus' teaching on marriage can sound disturbingly unpromising. But we must bear in mind that these teachings, like the Church's teachings on marriage today, want to say something essentially positive about human relationships: that in the joining of husband and wife we have one of the original blessings of God upon humanity, a blessing that was not lost in humanity's fall into sin. Jesus speaks of marriage in connection with the story of Creation: "From the beginning of creation, God made them male and female." God, seeing that it is not good for Adam to be alone, first makes animals and brings them to Adam, to see if he can find in any of them one who can assuage his loneliness. But it is only when God makes the woman from Adam's own rib that Adam finds the partner in whom his freely given love can find an answering echo.

FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH

Please join us for the recitation of the Chapter of Divine Mercy along with Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament this Sunday, October 7th at 3:00pm in the church. Come and celebrate the Lord's Mercy. There will be no live stream of the Divine Mercy hour today. It will resume on Sunday, November 4th.

DEVELOPMENT OF THE UNBORN CHILD WK#27

My nervous system is continuing to develop so I can breathe and swallow better. It also helps keep my body at the right temperature so I won't get too hot or too cold. Yeah for my nervous system!!

WK#28: I now weigh about two pounds and am about 12 to 13 inches long. I only have 12 weeks to go...so guess I'll have to grow a whole lot from now on.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY RAFFLE

Remember to buy your monthly raffle tickets and return them in the sealed envelope by dropping them in the collection basket. Donation:\$2.

PSR ANNUAL FALL FESTIVAL

Will be held on Sunday, October 14, 2018 from 11:45am to 2:00pm. Please contact Virginia Hueter at 216-215-8328 for more details.



101st ANNIVERSARY OF THE MIRACLE OF THE SUN

Following the 8:00am Mass Saturday, October 13th, a public Eucharistic Procession with Rosary will be walked from St. Charles Borromeo Church to St. Frances de Sales in Parma. If you are unable to walk in the procession, you may meet us at St. Francis de Sales, for Prayers, Benediction, Divine Praises, & Reposition. Refreshments will be served afterwards. "Sacrifice yourselves for sinners and say many times, especially when you make some sacrifice: O Jesus, it is for love of You, for the conversion of sinners, and in reparation for the sins committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary."

~Our Lady to Sr. Lucia July 13, 1917



Dear Parishioners,

We received word that Deacon Billy Malcolm passed away in North Carolina on September 24th. Deacon Billy's funeral was held this past Tuesday at St. Ignatius of Antioch Church. Deacon Billy was assigned to our parish on April 15, 1997. This was in addition to his assignment to St. Ignatius. Deacon Billy concluded his assignment on May 1, 2008 when he was granted retirement status. Deacon Billy was kind, generous and faithful to his diaconal ministry especially to the sick and suffering. He spent countless number of hours visiting the sick in hospitals and nursing facilities and comforting the dying.

When I was here on my internship in 1997-1998, Deacon Billy would pick me up to accompany him to the hospitals and nursing homes every Tuesday morning. I learned a great deal from him with regards to visiting the sick and dying. This would become an important part of my priestly ministry so much so I would volunteer to become a hospital Chaplain. I will be ever grateful to Deacon Billy for awakening in me that love to serve the sick and dying. May God reward him for his faithful service.

Sunday is Respect Life Sunday. It helps to serve as a reminder that as Catholic Christians we have the responsibility to promote the sanctity of life from conception to natural death. Often many focus on only one aspect of being Pro-Life and that's the abortion issue. It's an extremely important issue and it is very good that they are doing that. However, that's only one part of having respect for life. Others include the use of fetal stem cells, euthanasia and/or legally assisted suicides, in vitro fertilization, contraception, and the death penalty. The bottom line is God is the author of life. We are gifts to one another. Only God has the right to take our life back to him. We pray this weekend for the wisdom to understand this and the courage to promote the dignity of all life.

Last week the fence and gate were installed alongside the school and entrance to the ramp. Now the grass can be planted in that section. The brick layers are waiting for the sandstone to arrive to finish the 2 caps. I chose a sandstone color sealant for the new steps. This will probably be applied before the railings arrive. The work on the grout of the front steps and railings should be completed this weekend.

As I write this the west parking lot is scheduled to be closed beginning this Thursday evening and remain closed until Saturday afternoon. Weather permitting, that lot will be completely repaved and striped. Also, on Thursday night the rectory parking lot is scheduled to be closed for patching Friday. It will be ready to drive on later that evening. However, after the Divine Mercy Liturgy this Sunday afternoon, the rectory lot will again be closed overnight and all day Monday. Weather permitting the lot will be seal coated and striped. Hopefully doing this will delay its replacement. Those attending the 8:30am Mass tomorrow, Monday, are asked to park in the newly paved west lot. The front entrance of the church should be open that day.

I will be attending the Diocesan Priest Convocation beginning Tuesday afternoon and continuing to Friday afternoon. Fr. Clancy will be manning the ship while I'm away. I'm sure he'll do a fine job.

Lastly, there are still Grateful Giving Envelopes in the pew. Please fill out a commitment card if you have not done so already even if you do not wish to make any changes. I've received a number of positive statements about the program as well as a few negative. The positives by far outnumber the negative. Again, thank you for your understanding. I will continue to keep you updated as I receive the results. Have a blessed week.

Peace,
Fr. Ken Wallace



BLANKET SUNDAY COMING SOON

The weekend of October 13-14 marks the 32nd Annual Blanket Sunday Collection to aid the needy. This collection is sponsored by the Diocesan St. Vincent de Paul Society. Due to lack of storage space, we will gratefully accept your donation and do the shopping for you, making your money go even further with bulk purchases of blankets and other items needed by the homeless and disadvantaged. So "blanket" someone for the winter—and give yourself a warm feeling! You may also donate online at www.svdpcle.org.

Parish Giving

For Sunday, September 30th amounted to \$4044.99 with 170 envelopes used. Catholic Communications: \$86.00. Thank you for your continuing generosity to St. Vincent de Paul and those we serve.