



Church of Saint Vincent de Paul

Albany, New York



"When they were eating, he took bread, said the blessing, broke it, gave it to them, and said, 'Take It; this is my body... then he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them... 'This is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed for many.'"

---Mark 14:22-24



June 6, 2021
The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ



THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST~ JUNE 6TH, 2021

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



Saturday, June 5th

5:00PM Parishioners of St Vincent de Paul

Sunday, June 6th

8:30AM Parishioners of St Vincent de Paul

11:00AM Robert Jones

dates Remember

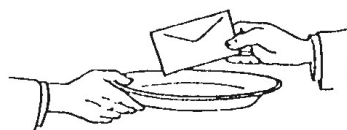
06/09 Counters 1:00PM (L)

06/10 Young Adult Meeting 6:30PM (L)

06/12 Mass 5:00PM (C)

06/13 Mass 8:30AM (C)
Mass 11:00AM (C)

(C) Church, (G) Grotto, (PC) Parish Center,
(PH) Parish Hall, (L) Lounge, (MTG 1) Meeting Room 1,
(MTG 2) Meeting Room 2



Gifts for God

COLLECTION UP TO May 26th, 2021:

	<u>In Pew:</u>	<u>E-Giving</u>	<u>Total</u>
Regular:	\$3,794.00	\$3,297.50	\$7,091.50
Food Pantry:	\$1,410.00	\$534.00	\$1,944.00
Rainy Day:	\$250.00	\$700.00	\$950.00
Other:	\$907.00	\$65.50	\$972.50

Would you like to begin receiving offertory envelopes?

Give the Parish Office a call at 518-489-5408 or you
may also sign up for e-giving on our website at:

<http://stvincentalbany.org/donate>

*Thank you for your generosity and regular financial support
of our parish community!*

Did you know?

St. Louise De Marillac, (1591 – 1660) after whom our special fund to support innovative projects is named, met St. Vincent De Paul in 1625. He became her spiritual advisor. She devoted the rest of her life to working with him, helping to direct the Ladies of Charity in their work of caring for the sick, poor and neglected. In 1633 she set up a training center in her own home for candidates seeking to help in the work. This was the beginning of the Sisters (Daughters) of Charity, a religious community of women, innovative in its day for its public, rather than cloistered life.

Welcome to All

(but especially visitors, pilgrims and those seeking a spiritual home)

We hope you will find St. Vincent's hospitable, prayerful and inclusive. COVID safety regulations are relaxing but will continue to impact us with regard to many aspects of parish life.

- ♦ Masks must continue to be worn when inside the building.

- ♦ Vaccinated people may sit in closer proximity but unvaccinated people must maintain six feet or three chairs distance from unrelated individuals.

(Unvaccinated children will sit with their families, of course.)

- ♦ Lectors and cantors serving at the pulpit may remove their mask while fulfilling their ministry.

- ♦ Gatherings for conversation may take place, however, we will wait until September to resume our Hospitality ministry (coffee hour) after Sunday Mass.

- ♦ We will continue to follow all our hygiene and cleaning protocols. Given the CDC assessment that the virus is not transmitted via contact surfaces we will dispense with wiping down the chairs after Mass.

However, the buckets and Lysol will remain in the parish hall if someone desires to wipe down their own chair.

- ♦ We will continue the practice of leaving the windows open during the week and cracked open, even when the AC is on to allow for good ventilation.

- ♦ We will continue to live stream Masses, including into the parish hall.

If you would like to know more about this parish, please check our website: www.stvincentalbany.org. If you would like to register or speak with a member of the parish staff, please call 518-489-5408

or email: pld@stvincentalbany.org.

We look forward to hearing from you!

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Open Position: Parish Pastoral Care Minister

St. Vincent's has an opening for a part time (fifteen hours per week) pastoral care minister. The position responsibilities include:

- ♦ Visiting parishioners in their homes, nursing homes and other congregate settings,
- ♦ Organizing special projects at holiday times
- ♦ Managing related administrative tasks.

We hope to fill this position by July 1. Please contact Elizabeth for further information or to apply. The application deadline is June 16, 2021.

God Is On Your Side: A Statement from Catholic Bishops on Protecting LGBT Youth

At the May Pastoral Council meeting the membership discussed and discerned to add the name of our parish to the statement titled above.

The statement is as follows:

As Catholic Bishops in the United States, we join with the Tyler Clementi Foundation standing up for at-risk LGBT youth in our country. As we see in the Gospels, Jesus taught love, mercy and welcome for all people, especially those who felt persecuted or marginalized in any way; and the Catechism of the Catholic Church teaches that LGBT people are to be treated with "respect, compassion and sensitivity." All people of good will should help, support and defend LGBT youth, who attempt suicide at much higher rates than their straight counterparts; who are often homeless because of families who reject them; who are rejected, bullied and harassed; and who are the target of violent acts at alarming rates. The Catholic church values the God-given dignity of all human life and we take this opportunity to say to our LGBT friends, especially young people, that we stand with you and oppose any form of violence, bullying or harassment directed at you. Most of all, know that God created you, God loves you and God is on your side.

Notification:

The annual St. Vincent DePaul parish corporation meeting will be held on June 16 at 8 a.m. via Zoom. Participants will include: Canonical Pastor, Friar Mark Reamer OFM; Parish Life Director, Elizabeth Simcoe; Parish Trustees, Katrina Consiglio, Paul Larrabee; Stewardship Council Chair, Colleen Thapalia and Members, Diana Bangert Drowns and Al Turo.

Dr. Kim Harris – Follow Up Webinar: Awareness of Racism

Dr. Kim Harris who inspired us with her reflections on the "Black Experience in the U.S. Catholic Church" on March 3rd will hold a follow up conversation on our community's awareness and response to racism in light of recent events on Wednesday, June 9th at 7PM via Zoom.

Please email Dave Rowell at daverowell52@gmail.com or contact him at 518-729-4550 to register for the webinar or ask any questions. You will subsequently receive the link for the June 9th event.

Dr. Harris is the Assistant Professor of African American Thought and Practice in the Department of Theological Studies at Loyola Marymount University.

Beyond teaching courses on Black Liberation and Womanist theologies, Harris leads music in a variety of liturgical and academic settings. A liturgist, composer and recording artist, she presents lectures on the music of the Black Catholic experience, the spirituals of the Underground Railroad and the freedom songs of modern Civil Rights Movement. She is a member of the Black Catholic Theological Symposium and the North American Academy of Liturgy and an academic member of the African American Catholic Center for Evangelization in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles, as well as a liturgical consultant for the Archdiocese of New York Office of Black Ministry.



Grief, Faith and the Lessons of COVID

Sunday June 13 at 12:15 p.m. in the church

(to allow sufficient space for physical distancing.)

Amy Biancolli will discuss her own experiences with grief and her evolution of faith in the pandemic, including her decision to worship from home, which meant contemplating the presence of Jesus in a new way. More than 30 years after converting to Catholicism, she felt her faith challenged and transformed in unexpected ways. Amy will start by telling her story but hopes others will join in sharing their own. The event will be live-streamed on St. Vincent's Facebook page. Membership in Facebook is not needed to access the page.

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:00 P.M. Vigil
Sunday 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.
6:30 P.M. (September-May)

PARISH CENTER 984 Madison Avenue

FOOD PANTRY Monday, Wednesday, Thursday
12:30-2:30 PM ~ (518) 694-3153

PRESCHOOL (518) 482-5346
www.stvincentspreschool.com

OFFICE HOURS Monday - Friday, 9:00 AM- 3:00 PM

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FACEBOOK www.facebook.com/stvincentalbany

PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE FOR:

- ♦ **Pastoral Care** - Visits to homebound parishioners, hospital patients or nursing home residents.
- ♦ **Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults** - Membership in the Roman Catholic Church.
- ♦ **Infant Baptism** - Celebrated monthly (except during Lent)
- ♦ **Reconciliation** - By appointment or 4:45PM Saturdays
- ♦ **Matrimony** - At least 6 months prior to your hoped for date.
- ♦ **Bereavement Ministry** - is available through the parish office. Please call and ask for Sr. Eleanor Guerin.
- ♦ **Making Funeral Arrangements in Advance** - The death of someone we love is a deeply painful and trying time. Making funeral arrangements when family members live out of town or have conflicting ideas can add further difficulties. St. Vincent's invites you to consider preparing your funeral arrangements in advance. This might mean selecting readings, music and ministers for the liturgy. These choices can always be adjusted, too, if circumstances change.

**Less Than 0.01% Gluten Hosts & Personal P.A.
Receivers are available.**

Readings for the Week of June 6th 2021

Sunday: Ex 24:3-8; Ps 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18; Heb 9:11-15;
Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

Monday: 2 Cor 1:1-17; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Mt 5:1-12

Tuesday: 2 Cor 1:18-22; Ps 119:129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 135; Mt 5:13-16

Wednesday: 2 Cor 3:4-11; Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 8, 9; Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: 2 Cor 3:15—4:1, 3-6; Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14;
Mt 5:20-26

Friday: Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9; Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 (3); Eph 3:8-12, 14-19;
Jn 19:31-37

Saturday: 2 Cor 5:14-21; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12; Lk 2:41-51

Next Week: Ez 17:22-24; Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16; 2 Cor 5:6-10;
Mk 4:26-34

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Katrina Consiglio

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Website: [www.strose.edu/officesandresources/
spiritual_life](http://www.strose.edu/officesandresources/spiritual_life)

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Our Weekly St. Vincent's Minute

During the COVID-19 emergency, many of us have missed seeing each other in our usual places - at Mass, at Faith Formation, at our coffee hours, at meetings, etc. We'd like to feature a one minute video clip each week on Facebook of a different St Vincent's person/family - to give us a small window to say hi & catch up. Please consider submitting a little 30-60 second video to:

- ♦ Say Hi!
- ♦ Share a bit of family news (new baby, kid grew 4 inches, started a new hobby - you get the idea)
- ♦ Share what you value about our parish and what you are looking forward to in the upcoming months

We miss seeing you!

Please send your submission to communityenrichment@stvincentalbany.org We will send you a confirmation email that we received it and we'll alert you when it will be featured on Facebook (We're only featuring one per week) If you have questions on the process of doing this, please email them to communityenrichment@stvincentalbany.org or call the parish office and leave a message & contact number and someone will contact you.



Providing Assistance to Those in Need

Thanks to the on-going generosity of you, our parishioners, St. Vincent's is able to provide emergency assistance when needed. This is managed through gift cards or checks written to businesses or landlords, for example. We do this because cash can be lost stolen or misused. Addictions can take precedence over critical needs.

From time to time the staff hears of parishioners being approached in the areas around the church by individuals requesting financial help. While you may provide assistance, if you feel called to do that, you are under no obligation to do so. Please feel welcome to direct these individuals to a member of the parish staff.

Liturgical Ministers for June 12-13, 2021

Writer: Tim O'Brien

Writer for June 19: Barbara DiTommaso

Saturday, 5:00 pm

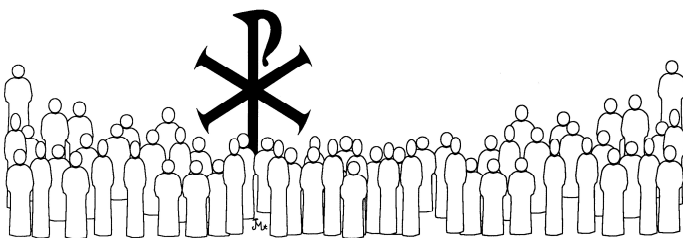
Presider : Fr. Tom Hayes
Acolyte: Elizabeth Simcoe
Readers: Beth McCarthy
1 Needed
Eucharistic Ministers: Anne Tyrrell
1 Needed
Liturgical Coordinator: Rosemarie Tobin
Minister of Hospitality: **1 Needed**

Sunday, 8:30 am

Presider Fr. Tom Hayes
Acolyte: Elizabeth Simcoe
Readers: Andre Castagna
Jean Stern
Eucharistic Ministers: Deacon Marty Beckman
Sally Beckman
Mary Oill
1 Needed
Liturgical Coordinator: Mary Anne Young
Ministers of Hospitality: Kerry Flynn
1 Needed

Sunday, 11:00 am

Presider: Fr. Tom Hayes
Acolyte: Elizabeth Simcoe
Readers: Christina Lombardi
Martha Mock
Eucharistic Ministers: Diane Marcil
Erin Knoerl
Paul Zullo
Angela Warner
Liturgical Coordinator: Susan Lundberg
Ministers of Hospitality: Dave LaFleur
1 Needed
Children's Liturgy: Meg McCarthy
Veronica Ministry: Jennifer Richard-Marrow



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