

Parish Family of Saint Vincent de Paul Baldwinville, Massachusetts



PASTORAL STAFF

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 8:00 and 11:00 AM
Weekday: 9:00 AM Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
Holy day: 9:00 AM & 6:30 PM

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Plans may be made by contacting the pastor or deacon at least one month ahead.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Confessions are heard Saturdays from 3:15 to 3:45 PM or by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Plans may be made by contacting pastor at least one year prior to the intended wedding date.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

Please notify us when a parishioner is homebound or hospitalized so that we may visit and offer the sacraments of the Church.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM (C.C.D.)

Held Sunday mornings 9:45-10:45 September - May
Mrs. Jennifer McNeaney, *Safe Environment Coordinator*
Mrs. MaryRose Sideleau, *Sacraments Catechist*
Deacon James Connor, *Confirmation Catechist*

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (R.C.I.A.)

If you are interested in the process leading to membership in the Catholic Church, please contact Mrs. Susan Turcotte, *R.C.I.A. Coordinator* at (978) 939-8969.

REGISTRATION & E-MAIL

All are welcome to join our parish family.
Please call the rectory at 978-939-8851 or fill out a registration form found at church entrances.
E-mail us at stvindepaul05@aol.com
Follow our website at saintvincentcatholicchurch.com

BULLETIN COPY DEADLINE

All items for the parish bulletin must be submitted in writing to the rectory office by the previous Sunday.



Mass Intentions



Saturday	January 4	4:00 PM ~ Yvonne Daigle (5th anniv) by Pete & Dot Gallant
Sunday	January 5	8:00 AM ~ Michael Brewer by his wife & family
Sunday	January 5	11:00 AM ~ Katherine (Kathleen) Bumbaco by the Kistner family
Monday	January 6	9:00 AM ~ Rachel Boudreau by her husband, Ray
Tuesday	January 7	9:00 AM ~
Wednesday	January 8	9:00 AM ~
Thursday	January 9	9:00 AM ~
Friday	January 10	~ No Mass on Fridays
Saturday	January 11	4:00 PM ~ Francis Edmands, Sr. by his son, Frank
Sunday	January 12	8:00 AM ~
Sunday	January 12	11:00 AM ~ Claire Becotte by Maureen, Patty & family

YOUR SACRIFICIAL OFFERING

Thank you to all who make up their weekly stewardship offerings when away or sick. The expenses of our church and the welfare of employees continue regardless of attendance.

We especially thank all who use our parish Online Giving. It has kept our weekly offering steady. We encourage you to consider it as an alternative to your weekly envelopes. It is easy to sign up for it. Simply register online on our website at <https://saintvincentcatholicchurch.com>. Click GIVE ONLINE/DONATIONS and a secure form will appear, then decide how often you wish to donate. You may change amounts or cancel at any time.

Last weekend's collection will be printed in next weekend's bulletin.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

- January 5 - Catholic University of America
- January 19 - Fuel Offering
- January 26 - Jan Maintenance & Repairs
- February 2 - Feb Maintenance & Repairs
- February 9 - Catholic Home Missions
- February 23 - Fuel Offering

LITURGICAL ROLES

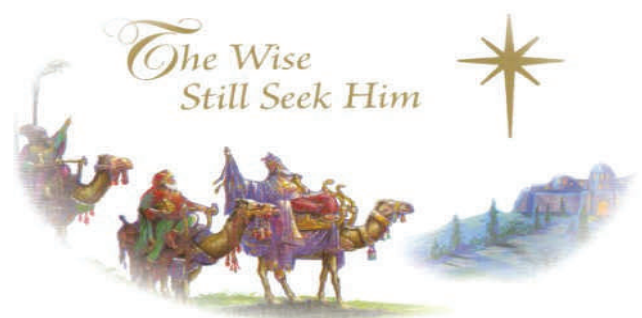
The new schedule is available in the Sacristy or can be found on our parish website under the religious education/ministry schedule tab.

POLICY FOR DAILY MASS DURING WINTER

If school is delayed or cancelled on a day that we have morning Mass, that Mass will be cancelled and the intention will be rescheduled.

PROMISE TO PROTECT

If you have been abused or victimized by someone representing the Catholic Church, please believe in the possibility for hope and help and healing. A report can be made to (508) 929-4363 or The Office of Healing and Prevention, The Diocese of Worcester, 49 Elm St, Worcester 01609.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - CCD

Classes will resume on January 5, 12 & 26 from 9:45-10:45 AM for all grades K-10.

CONFIRMATION & FIRST COMMUNION

The celebration of the Sacrament of Confirmation for our candidates has been scheduled for Friday, May 2, 2025 at 7:00 PM in Our Lady of the Holy Rosary Church in Gardner. First Communion will take place here at St. Vincent's on Mother's Day Sunday, May 11 at 11:00 am.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK

Please call the rectory when someone is moving to a nursing home, in the hospital or in need of prayers. Arrangements can be made for communion or a visit.

PARISH REGISTRATIONS/CENSUS

Are you registered in the parish? We ask that all parishioners eighteen years or older, register in the parish. If you do not receive parish mail or envelopes, you may not be registered. Please call the rectory or download forms on our website.

TEMPLETON FOOD PANTRY

Donations of non-perishable food may be left in the front entrance of church. Located at Senior Drive in Baldwinville, open on Tuesdays from 9 am to noon; Thursdays from noon to 3 and 5 to 7 pm; and Saturdays from 10 am to noon.

You may also send monetary donations to:

PO Box 189, Templeton MA 01468

Thanks to all who donated to our Food Drive.

MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like to schedule a Mass in memory of a loved one, an anniversary or any special intention, call the rectory at 978-939-8851 or email us at stvindepaul05@aol.com. The requested offering for a Mass is \$10.

MEMORIAL DONATIONS

We are grateful for the Memorial Donations and Bequests that parishioners have made in their obituaries & wills.

THANK YOU

Thank you to all who helped make the Christmas Services so meaningful and beautiful. Special Thanks to Deacon Jim Connor and the music ministers, those who donated to the Christmas flowers, those who cleaned the Church, to all who contributed that could not attend, and also to all who attended the Christmas services and Masses during this again challenging year. Thank you!!!

THANKS FROM FR FRAN & DEACON JIM

We are both grateful for all the cards and gifts over Christmas. Thank you so much!

PARISH DONATIONS FOR 2024

Individual contribution amounts for tax deductions made to St. Vincent de Paul Parish for 2024 will be mailed out soon. Any donations to Festival Events, Memorial Donations, or payments made to Partners in Charity are not included and may be added in according to your records.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BIN

We have clothing donation bins in our parking lot to benefit the Saint Paul Society. Donations of good condition used clothing and shoes will support the individuals and families in our community in need www.svdpworcester.org.

