

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	May 17	4:00 PM ~ Suzette Croteau by the parish
Sunday	May 18	8:00 AM ~ Claire Becotte (4th anniv) by her family
Sunday	May 18	11:00 AM ~ Norman J. McGrath by his children
Monday	May 19	9:00 AM ~ Jeannette Chapman (35th anniv) by Marc Brouillette
Tuesday	May 20	9:00 AM ~ All our Mother's Day Intentions
Wednesday	May 21	9:00 AM ~
Thursday	May 22	9:00 AM ~
Friday	May 23	~ No Daily Mass on Fridays
Saturday	May 24	4:00 PM ~ Sylvia Corliss by her family
Sunday	May 25	8:00 AM ~ Mary Mack by Tim & Jenn McNeaney
Sunday	May 25	11:00 AM ~ Ken Moore by Debbie, Eric & Ryan Couture

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 was \$2,754

Online donations totaled \$434

Mother's Day intentions totaled \$410

Thank you very much!!!

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

May 25 - Energy Needs

May 29 - Ascension

June 1 - Catholic Communications

June 8 - Maintenance & Repairs

June 15 - Father's Day

June 22 - Energy Needs

June 29 - Peter's Pence

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.

Saturday, May 24 at 4:00 PM

(EM) MaryRose Sideleau

(L) Peter Webster

(AS) Paula McMaster

Sunday, May 25 at 8:00 AM

(EM) Charlene Arsenault

(L) Ernie Turcotte

Sunday, May 25 at 11:00 AM

(EM) Lynn Trinque

(L) Lisa Musgrove

(AS) Matt Paul

Summer Meat Raffle - Plan to Attend!!

We will hold a Summer Meat Raffle THIS

Saturday, May 17 at 6:00 PM

at the Baldwinville American Legion.

Also at the Meat Raffle we will Raffle off a

Cuisinart BBQ Propane Smoker

(on display at the front entrance of church).

Tickets for the Smoker are \$5 each on sale now!

PARTNERS IN CHARITY APPEAL

Our Partners in Charity Appeal continues. As you know, this appeal is a lifeline for more than two dozen agencies and ministries which provide charitable, pastoral and educational services that complement what we can provide at the parish. We help those in need, regardless of race, creed or circumstance, to find hope. Pledge envelopes are available in church, or visit partners-charity.net to donate securely online and note our parish so that it is counted towards our target. **Your gifts, which total \$20,760, have surpassed our parish goal of \$20,000! Thank you very much!**

MEMORIAL DONATIONS

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

MINISTRY TO THE SICK

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

YOUTH VOLLEYBALL

Fr. Luke at Annunciation Parish in Gardner will be coaching a team for the diocesan volleyball league this year and students from our parish are invited to join. The team will be co-ed and play on Monday evenings beginning June 9th - mid August. Weekly practice will be held at Holy Rosary and will be scheduled at the mutual convenience of those who sign up. To be eligible students must currently be in grades 7-12. All those who register will have the opportunity to play. There is no cost to play however we will be asking parents to take turns driving to games. Any students who would like to join please go to the annunciationgardner.org parish website and sign up as soon as possible under youth volleyball registration.

THANK YOU!

Thanks to all who donated so generously to The Knights of Columbus Baby Shower. These baby care items are being delivered to The Care Net Pregnancy Resource Center in Fitchburg, a valuable resource for those young mothers as they are presented with caring for a new baby.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - CCD

Classes have ended for the summer. We encourage you to please continue to take your children to Mass. Just because classes have ended, Church has not.

Special Thanks to our dedicated teachers:

Lynn Trinke, MaryRose Sideleau, Tim Paul, Mary Ehnstrom, Renee Paul, Lynn Murray, Rosemary Reynolds, and Deacon Jim Connor.

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

The Otter River Council Knights of Columbus will conduct a food drive for The Templeton Food Pantry on Saturday May 31st from 8am until Noon at St. Martins Church parking lot, 248 State Rd. in Otter River. All non perishable food items as well as gift cards and cash are acceptable. With less government funding, your help is needed more now than ever. Please help if you can.

VBS

All children from Kindergarten through Grade 6 are welcome to attend Vacation Bible School this July 14-18 from 9am-12pm at St. Edward's in Westminster. Adult & teen volunteers are always welcome. Cost is \$40 per child. They include fun games, science experiments, songs and tasty treats. We also learn about saints and things that are truly special about our Catholic faith. For register call Heather Heersink at 978-874-1559 or email at youthminster@stedwardconf.org.