

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 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
Monday	May 26	~ No Morning Mass Today - Memorial Day
Tuesday	May 27	9:00 AM ~
Wednesday	May 28	9:00 AM ~
Thursday	May 29	9:00 AM ~ Gregoire Croteau by Denise Pelletier
Thursday	May 29	6:30 PM ~
Friday	May 30	~ No Daily Mass on Fridays
Saturday	May 31	4:00 PM ~ Prime V. Robichaud by the Strout family
Sunday	June 1	8:00 AM ~
Sunday	June 1	11:00 AM ~ Deceased Cwartkowski & Anderson family by Ann & Sue

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 \$1,889

Online donations totaled \$64

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 31 at 4:00 PM

(EM) Paula McMaster

(L) MaryRose Sideleau

(AS) Peter Webster

Sunday, June 1 at 8:00 AM

(EM) Charlene Arsenault

(L) Coral Grout

Sunday, June 1 at 11:00 AM

(EM) Lynn Trinque

(L) Allen Hopkins

(AS) Matt Paul

The Summer Meat Raffle was a Success!!

Thanks to all who attended and helped!

We made a total profit of \$1,600.

Special Thanks to our Sponsors,

our MCs Peter Webster & Mark Marion,

The Knights of Columbus & our runners,

Sue & Ernie Turcotte for the snacks, and

Nate & Sue Sawyer for picking up the meat.

HOLY DAY MASSES

Thursday, May 29 is the Ascension of the Lord, a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses will be held on Thursday at 9:00 am and at 6:30 pm.

PARTNERS IN CHARITY APPEAL

Our Partners in Charity Appeal continues. 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 \$20,810, have surpassed our parish goal of \$20,000! Thank you!**

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](#).



MEMORIAL DAY will be celebrated on Monday, May 26. There will be no daily Mass at St. Vincent de Paul on Monday as Fr. Fran will be attending the Services at the Massachusetts Veterans Cemetery in Winchendon at 9:00 AM. All are welcome.

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

FOOD DRIVE

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.



The condolences and prayers of our parish community are extended to the family and friends of Shirley Murray whose Funeral Mass was held recently. Please remember them in your prayers.