

Saint Vincent de Paul

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Liturgy Schedule

Saturday 5:00 pm Vigil
Sunday: 9:00 am
Monday, Wednesday, 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 prayed every Friday after the 8:30 am Mass.

Rosary is prayed at 8:05 am Monday-Wednesday-Friday.

Eucharistic Adoration is held on 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 Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion 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 (OCIA) is the process by which adults are brought into the Catholic Faith through the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. The OCIA 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.



FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**MONDAY, February 5, St. Agatha**

8:30 am (JP) Edward & Kenneth Schenosky
(B-Days)

TUESDAY, February 6, St. Paul Miki & Companions

7:00 pm (JP) Mass at St. Patrick Parish

WEDNESDAY, February 7, Weekday

8:30 am (JP) Mark Lachendro, Jr.

THURSDAY, February 8, Weekday

8:30 am No Mass

FRIDAY, February 9, Weekday

8:15 am (JP) Mass at St. Patrick Parish
NO MASS AT SVDP

SATURDAY, February 10, St. Scholastica

5:00 pm (Fr. Manning) Kathleen Vlana

SUNDAY, February 11, Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am (JP) Finucan & Passafiume Family
(Living & Deceased)

THE MERRY PLOUGHBOYS BENEFIT CONCERT: Calling all music lovers! The Merry Ploughboys, one of Ireland's finest bands, are coming to town for their 22nd anniversary benefit concert on Friday, February 9th at the Music Box Supper Club. Opening act, the Craic Brothers 3 will start the show at 7pm. The band's repertoire is nothing short of amazing, with Irish ballads, rebel songs, drinking songs, and national tunes that capture the soul of contemporary Ireland. Tickets are \$100 each and include an Irish plated dinner and two drink tickets. Proceeds support St. Augustine Health Campus in providing health care and social services to the chronically ill, medically complex, and aging members of our community. Register online at www.StAugMinistries/concert or call 216-939-7711.

NIGHT AT THE RACES

The Saint Ignatius of Antioch Athletic Association will hold their annual fundraising event, A Night at the Races, in the McIntyre Center on **Saturday, February 17th at 8:00 pm.** This is the only fundraiser sponsored by the Athletic Association, and proceeds directly support parish programs for the youth of our community such as boys and girls basketball, volleyball, cross country, and track and field. The basketball program alone enrolls over 300 children from our community. Doors open after the 5:00 pm Vigil Mass at 6:00 pm, dinner is at 6:30 pm and Post Time is 7:30 pm. **Tickets are \$25 per person** and includes dinner and beverage. Tickets are available at the St. Ignatius Parish House. For questions please contact Pat McDaniel at 216-857-7325. You won't want to miss the delicious food, basket Raffles and all the fun! St. Ignatius is located at 10205 Lorain Avenue.

LENTEN DEVOTIONS AT AM 1260 THE ROCK

Lent is a great time to change your habits. Turn off the noise and turn on Catholic radio! Join us for Lenten Devotions, daily Mass, Rosary, apologetics and much more on AM1260 The Rock. Tuesdays at 3 PM we will air the Devotion to the Holy Face of Jesus and Fridays at 3 PM Stations of the Cross for Priests. The Chaplet of the Divine Mercy will continue to air on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays at 3 PM throughout Lent. Go to <https://am1260therock.com> or call us at 216-227-1260. We wish you a fruitful and peaceful Lenten journey and we will keep you in our daily prayers.

THEOLOGY ON THE ROCKS WEST

Join us **Monday, Feb. 12** at Copper Cup (Ironwood Café) 688 Dover Center, Westlake. *The Chosen!* Join us as Deacon Will Yoho & his wife Liz discuss the series, the actors, what it is like to be a part of the action and the upcoming season! Cost is \$15 per person which includes light appetizers & refreshments. Cash bar is also available. Register in advance: www.theologyontherockswest.com. Doors open at 6:30pm. Program begins at 7:00pm.

DAILY PRAYERS

Do you like to begin your day with prayer? Do you need some prayer time during your lunch hour? Do you like to end your day with prayer? The Diocese of Cleveland is pleased to offer daily audio prayers delivered to you via email every morning. The prayers are led by a variety of clergy from the diocese and provide a simple way to create and sustain a prayerful relationship with God. Sign up at dioceseofcleveland.org/my daily prayers.





Dear Parish Family!

Over the next two weeks we will have two opportunities to experience the Eucharist in action. Certainly we will experience the Eucharist in action in our celebrations of the Mass as we receive Jesus; Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity. Our reception of His Body and Blood within us is what leads us to action. As we receive Jesus into us, we are called to bring Him into the world. I am grateful for the many ways that you already do that. I know how much you love our faith and how central a part of your life it is. Thank you for all that you do and all that you are!

Next weekend we will have an opportunity to put our faith into action through our annual Catholic Charities appeal. This appeal is very familiar, I'm sure to all, as we do it year in and year out. This year, we hold our appeal the weekend before Ash Wednesday. As we pray about how we are being called to give alms, this appeal presents a wonderful opportunity to be the Eucharist in action. I invite each of us to prayerfully consider a generous gift to this year's appeal. Your gift goes directly towards helping someone who, perhaps, needs a hand up. Your gift goes directly towards helping to change someone's life.

This weekend, you'll find in our bulletin our annual financial report from both this past fiscal year & the previous fiscal year as well. There were some challenges, which have now been taken care of in getting last year's report out in time. Even though the year may have already passed I wanted to make sure that those numbers were gotten to you as well. Going forward it is my plan to get this report to you every year well before February, so it's my hope that you'll see another report for this fiscal year sometime this coming fall.

At each Mass this weekend a member of each parish's Finance Council will be sharing with us after the homily some highlights of our report. I want to thank our Finance Council for all their help in making sure that we do our best to be good stewards of the gifts that you have given to us. Their advice and their expertise are an invaluable resource to our parish! They have helped to guide and support the recent capital improvement projects that we've undertaken. ***We've been able to complete the much-needed work of waterproofing the church basement as well as updating our speaker system in the church, helping to enhance our celebration of Mass. (We've been able***

to tear down the Lighthouse, a building that had hosted numerous parish meetings over the years, but that had become unable to be used anymore due to many issues that would have been too costly to repair. We also were able to upgrade the lighting system in the school to a more environmentally friendly & energy efficient system). Thank you too, to all of you for your continued generosity in our offertory. Your support helps our parish continue to be a place where Jesus is made known & encountered. I know and recognize that we'll be navigating some uncertain waters over the upcoming months as I've written and talked about over the past few weeks. I am convinced that if we walk this path together, centered of course in Our Lord Jesus Christ, we will be able to navigate the road ahead.

Have a blessed week!
Fr. John

Parish Giving

Offertory for January 28, 2024: \$2544.00

Assessment: \$60.00

Immaculate Conception: \$3.00

Christmas: \$4.00

Initial Offering: \$25.00

Solemnity of Mary \$65.00

Catholic University: \$57.00

Maintenance: \$56.00

Latin America: \$434.00

Votive Lights: \$4.00

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2023 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

If you would like to receive a statement detailing your contributions to St. Vincent de Paul Parish please complete this form and return it to the Parish Office via the offertory collection basket at Mass or by mail. Thank you for following these guidelines which will enable us to process your requests more efficiently.

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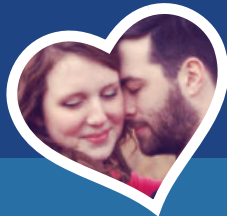
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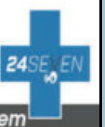
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