

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

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SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

MORNING	8:00 a.m.
NOON	12:00 p.m.
EVENING	6:30 p.m.

WEEKDAYS

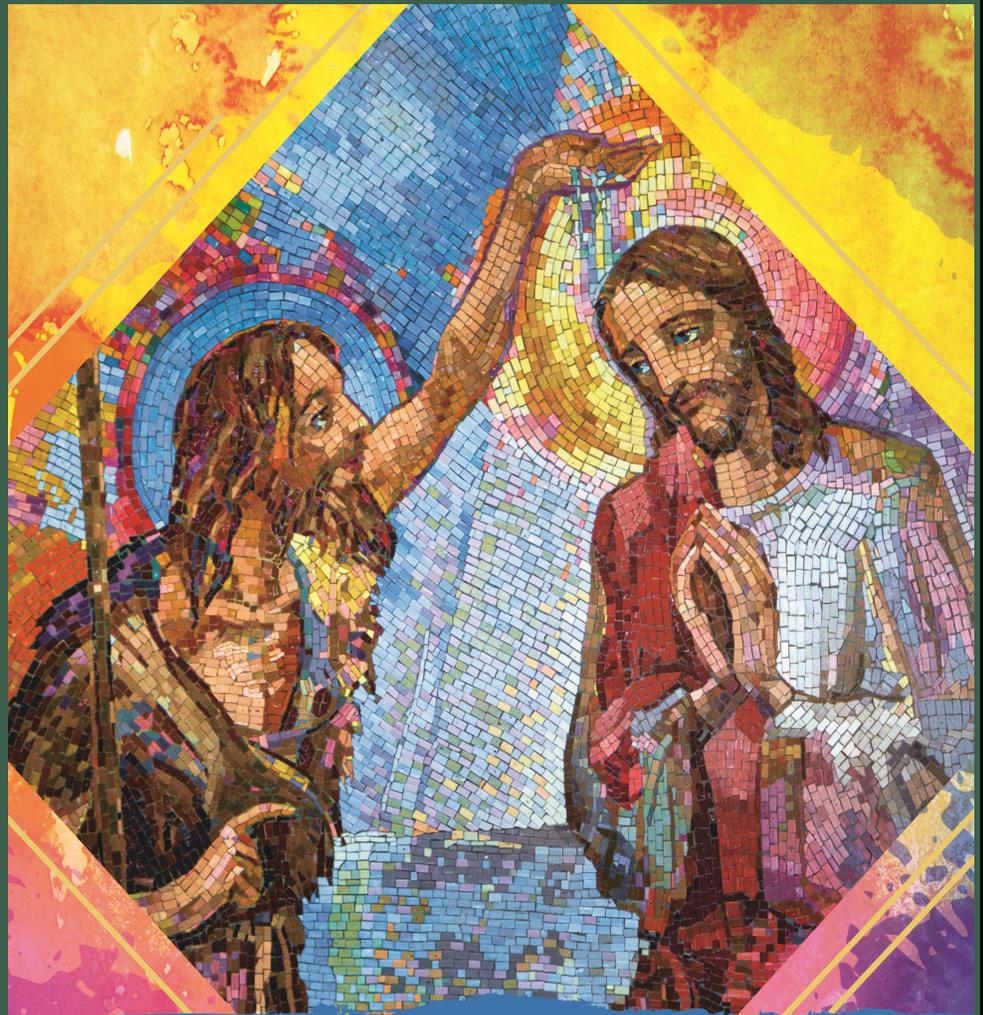
Monday/Tuesday/Thursday/ Friday
12:10 p.m.
Holy Days
12:10 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.

CONFESSION

30 minutes prior to all Masses and by request. For a request, please call the pastor at (240) 466-1339

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION*

Every Thursday
6:00 — 7:00 pm



John the Baptist's Testimony to Jesus .

John 1: 29-34

John testified further, saying, "I saw the Spirit come down like a dove from the sky and remain upon him. I did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water told me, 'On whomever you see the Spirit come down and remain, he is the one who will baptize with the holy Spirit.'*

Now I have seen and testified that he is the Son of God."

John 1:32-34

*Confession is available during adoration.



Welcome to
St. Vincent de Paul

No matter how long you plan on being in the neighborhood, please consider this your home parish. Registration forms are located in the back of the church and on our website (www.svdpc.org).

GOSPEL MEDITATION

January 15, 2023 - 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

When I was a kid, I remember the priest at Mass announcing, “The Lamb of God!” Frankly, it struck me as nonsense. I thought: Why in the world does God have a lamb? And where is this lamb?

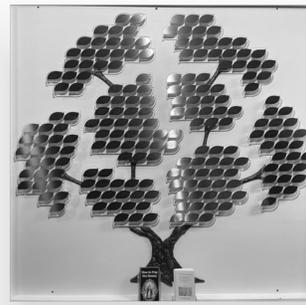
John the Baptist sees Jesus coming toward him and announces, “Behold the lamb of God.” His Jewish listeners knew what he meant. God’s lamb is the thing that is sacrificed at the Jewish Passover and consumed by the participants. For almost a thousand years, lambs were ritually slaughtered and eaten in Jerusalem at Passover. The lamb meant sacrifice, freedom from sin, and communion with God. The Baptist is saying in effect, “This man will be ritually sacrificed and consumed so that God’s people may be free from sin and united to God.”

It’s crucial to relate to Jesus as a friend, brother, teacher, and Lord of our lives. But we should also learn to interact with Him as our lamb of God. That means we intentionally place on him our sins, sadnesses, and hopes, and offer him to God. Then we consume him to make us free. This is what we do at every Mass. That’s why he is the Lamb of God.

— Father John Muir©LPi

Wedding Anniversary Mass
to Celebrate the Vocation of Marriage

This year, Bishop Roy E. Campbell will celebrate the Mass to Celebrate the Vocation of Marriage on Saturday, **February 11, 2023, 10:00 a.m.** at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. This celebration is to highlight the witness to the Catholic vocation of marriage and the beauty of God’s plan for married life. Couples must register with their parish office to attend the Mass and/or receive a certificate from Cardinal Wilton Gregory in honor of their anniversary year **by January 20, 2023.**



Our church is 119 years old and we need your help... purchase a “leaf”.

In 2003, St. Vincent de Paul Parish celebrated its 100th year anniversary.

GOD has greatly blessed our parish community and continues to bless it with your kindness and generosity.

The opportunity is being provided to honor present members and to remember those who have gone before us and have contributed to God’s ministry of this parish church to the community over these 100 years.

By purchasing a Leaf, we will be able to continue to make the necessary repairs and updating in our church.

To date, with your donations, we were able to replace the old carpet in the sanctuary with new tile; repaired and repainted the sanctuary walls; purchased a new altar and a new ambo; installed a new crucifix; bought a statue of our Patron Saint and acquired a LED signpost for the parish. There are still many things to do and we rely on your support.

The basic tree was purchased by the church as seen above. Forms can be found at the base of the tree or you can donate online via our website. Please do not forget to give us the message you want inscribed in your leaf. Thank you so very much and may our Lord reward you a hundredfold.

For more information, please contact the Parish Office at (202) 488-1354 or go to our website at (www.svdpc.org)

January 19, 2022 —Vans for Life is hosting a pro-life fundraising dinner at the Museum of the Bible with keynote Speaker Kirk Cameron (www.KirkCameronEvent.com) .

Tickets are free to this event. We are a Catholic pro life organization that provides mobile pregnancy center vans across the country.

To register, go to vansforlife.org.



Join us on Facebook at St. Vincent de Paul
<https://www.facebook.com/stvincentdepaul>



Reflect and Respond : Questions of the Week

1st Reading — *Isaiah 49:3, 5-6*: The prophet Isaiah spoke of how God, through Israel, would show his “glory” to all people and have his “salvation reach the ends of the earth.” What do you imagine the world will look like when this happens?

Responsorial Psalm — *Psalms 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10*: Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will.

2nd Reading — *1 Corinthians 1:1-3*: Today’s reading is the opening greeting of Paul’s first letter to the Corinthians. Paul tells the believers in Corinth that they (and all believers) are “sanctified” (blessed) and “called to be holy.” What do you think it takes to be blessed and holy?

Gospel — *John 1:29-34*: In today’ Gospel reading we hear John the Baptist testify that Jesus is the Son of God. If you had the chance, what would you tell people about Jesus?

PLEASE PRAY FOR

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| Janelle Baliko | Evelina Jones |
| Joyce Fredricks | Jose Masini-Soler |
| Mary Honablew | Doris Tabbs Stewart |
| Mary Ingram | Frances White |

Please contact the office to add other parishioners in need of prayer to the bulletin.

If you would like to have a Mass offered for a particular intention or individual (*living or deceased*), please contact the office **(202) 488-1354**. The Mass Stipend is \$10, and you will receive a card signed by the Celebrant indicating when the Mass is being offered.

Mass Intentions for the Week of January 15th

- January 15 — Mrs. Carolyn Brown
- January 15 — Mrs. Bridget Cahill
- January 15 — Mrs. Bridget Czapiewski
- January 16 — Mrs. Sarah Balough
- January 17 — Melissa Bartol
- January 19 — Mrs. Lisa Blaha
- January 20 — Jim Erickson+

Online / USPS Giving — Out of town for a few weeks? Don’t worry, you can still give to St. Vincent de Paul online.

Visit our website (www.svdpc.org) and donate online. You can give either a one-time donation, or recurring weekly or monthly donations from your checking account or credit card.

You could also send your check/money order (**Please NO CASH**) to 14 M Street SE, Washington, DC 20003 c/o St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church.

You will be supporting our mission of sharing the

MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY
‘I HAVE A DREAM’

WEEKLY PRAYER

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 15, 2023

- Sunday:** Is 49:3, 5-6/Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34
- Monday:** Heb 5:1-10/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4/Mk 2:18-22
- Tuesday:** Heb 6:10-20/Ps 111:1-2, 4-5, 9 NS 10c/Mk 2:23-28
- Wednesday:** Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4/Mk 3:1-6
- Thursday:** Heb 7:25—8:6/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17/Mk 3:7-12
- Friday:** Heb 8:6-13/Ps 85:8 and 10, 11-12, 13-14/Mk 3:13-19
- Saturday:** Heb 9:2-3, 11-14/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9/Mk 3:20-21
- Next Sunday:** Is 8:23—9:3/Ps 27:1,4, 13-14 (1a)/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 15, 2023

- Sunday:** 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
- Monday:** Martin Luther King Day
- Tuesday:** St. Anthony, Abbot
- Wednesday:** January 18-25 is the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity
- Friday:** St. Fabian, Pope and Martyr; St. Sebastian, Martyr
- Saturday:** St. Agnes, Virgin and Martyr
- Next Sunday:** 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time



PARISH INFORMATION

Saint Vincent de Paul CC

Food Pantry



Distribution is the fourth Saturday of the month from 9:00-11:00am. Please note the next Pantry date: January 28, 2023.



SVDP Sodality

Sodality meets every 1st Sunday at 11:00am.

Next meeting: February 5, 2022.

Join the Sodality for Bible study every 3rd Sunday at 11:00am

Sick, Shut-ins, Hospital & Nursing Home Visits

If you, or someone you know, would like to be visited by a priest for Holy Eucharist, Reconciliation, or Anointing of the sick, please do not hesitate in calling the office to make arrangements.

Funeral Arrangements

Please speak with our pastor,

Fr. Michal Sajnog.

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Join us for a special Holy Hour



6:00pm

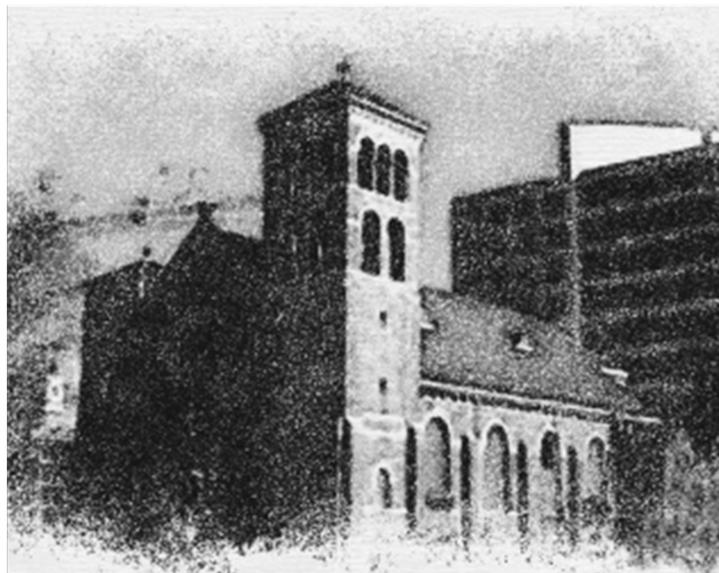
Every Thursday

Adoration

Confession

Marriage

Please contact the parish office (202) 488-1354. Marriage preparation is available for couples who wish to marry at St. Vincent de Paul or at another parish. See information on our website: <https://svdpdc.org/marriage>.



RCIA

Are you interested in learning more about the Catholic faith?

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a process of conversion and spiritual formation for individuals who are interested in living the Christian life in the Catholic tradition.

If you would like more information or to inquire about how to participate in RCIA, please contact our pastor, Fr. Michal Sajnog.

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NO MARRIAGE IS BEYOND HOPE

The Retrouvaille marriage program is for couples with marital problems that want marriage help. Those who are considering marriage separation and those who are already separated or divorced are encouraged to consider the Retrouvaille Program. There is always hope of reviving your relationship.

For more details, please contact us at
443-400-7017,
3015@HelpOurMarriage.org or
www.HelpOurMarriage.org

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HANDS



DON'T TOUCH
YOUR FACE



KEEP YOUR
DISTANCE