

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

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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
To Be Announced

CONFESSION

30 minutes prior to all Masses and by request. For a request, please call the pastor at 202-968-5009

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION*

Every Thursday
6:00 — 7:00 pm

*Confession is available during adoration.

Live Stream — <https://svdpinfo.org/category/livestream/>

Newsletter — <https://svdpinfo.org>

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Vigilant and Faithful Servants.
Luke 12:32-48 or 12:35-40

*Be sure of this:
if the master of the house had
known the hour
when the thief was coming, he
would not have let his house be
broken into.*

*You also must be prepared, for
at an hour you do not expect,
the Son of Man will come.”*
Luke 12:39-40



South Capitol & M Street, SE—Navy Yard Metro

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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

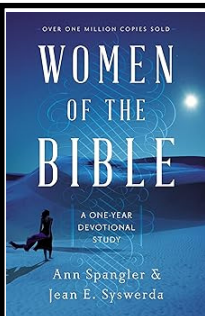
August 10, 2025 — 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

There was a young mother in my parish community who was depressed due to financial strain. She prayed for help. One morning before Mass, she placed on the counter a zip-lock bag filled with jewelry and old coins. Smiling, she explained she had been fixing an old cabinet and found the items hidden deep within the walls of her home. One particular coin could be worth as much as \$900,000. The contents of the bag—previously unknown to them—were now their prized possession. Their plans changed that week. They had to learn how much it was worth.

This week, the Lord tells us, **“For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be” (Luke 12:34)**. Our lives revolve around what we treasure. When we discover the treasure the Father gives us—the kingdom of God—everything changes. We might not know its precise value, but we rearrange our lives around it. The joy of this discovery should never be far from our minds.

Sometimes we go through times when we can't find this treasure. It seems hidden. Or it appears like dirty old coins and worthless jewelry in a Ziploc bag. But how crazy would my parishioners be if they tossed it away without knowing the cash value? How much crazier are we if we center our hearts on any treasure except that of Jesus and his kingdom? Remember, the Father is pleased to give it to us. That's why we put our hearts there, even when it is hidden.

- Father John Muir



New Women's Bible Study Beginning July 10th, 7pm

Ladies, you're invited to join our new Women's Only Bible Study. We'll be reading Women of the Bible by Ann Spangler and Jean E. Syswerda

Come grow in faith, community, and sisterhood as we reflect on how God continues to work in and through women today. All women are welcome—bring a friend!

For more information, please contact Amanda Schnurr at 609-213-0058 or amandaschnurr28@gmail.com.

SVDP DATES TO REMEMBER

St. Vincent de Paul's combined "AA and NA" group's (St Vincent de Paul M Street Group) Please contact Teague Foltz at (224) 613-1348 or by email at foltz-teague@gmail.com for a meeting.



The next Food Pantry will be on August 23rd, 8:00 - 10:00am.



If you'd like to donate or volunteer, please contact Teague Foltz, Claudia King or the office.



Our church is 122 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 .

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.

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; and installed a new crucifix 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 are located 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)



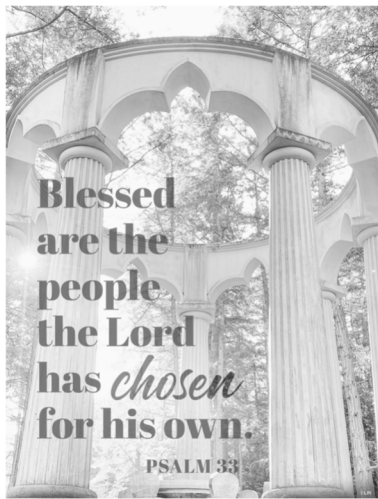
NATS MASS

Getting to St. Vincent's on game days may take a little more time.

To plan ahead, here are the upcoming Sunday Nationals' home games.

August 17—11:35am

August 31—1:35pm



Reflect and Respond : Questions of the Week

1st Reading — *Wisdom 18:6-9*: The Book of Wisdom speaks of having faith and courage in the knowledge of God's providence. What do you pray for God to provide for you and your family?

Responsorial Psalm — *Ps alms 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22 (12b)*: Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

2nd Reading — *Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12*: Hebrews cites Abraham as the model of faith and trust in the Lord. Who would you hold up today as a role model for our faith?"

Gospel — *Luke 12:32-48 or 12:35-40*: Jesus teaches the disciples to be vigilant and prudent with the gifts God has given to each of us. What are some of your gifts that you share with others?

PLEASE PRAY FOR

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| Janelle Baliko | Jose Masini-Soler |
| Delores Gibson | Doris Tabbs Stewart |
| Mary Honablew | Andrew Thomas |
| Mary Ingram | Angela Waters |
| Evelina Jones | 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 August 10th


August 10	Kristina Gorski
August 12	Taylor Dunn
August 15	Mary Gorski

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) or scan the QR code below to set up 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 Gospel.



WEEKLY READINGS

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 10, 2025

- Sunday:** Wis 18:6-9/Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22 (12b)/Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12/Lk 12:32-48 or 12:35-40
- Monday:** Dt 10:12-22/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/Mt 17:22-27
- Tuesday:** Dt 31:1-8/Dt 32:3-4ab, 7, 8, 9 and 12/Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
- Wednesday:** Dt 34:1-12/Ps 66:1-3a, 5 and 8, 16-17/Mt 18:15-20
- Thursday:** Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17/Ps 114:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mt 18:21—19:1
- Friday:** *Vigil:* 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2/Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14/1 Cor 15:54b-57/Lk 11:27-28 *Day:* Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16/1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56
- Saturday:** Jos 24:14-29/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 11/Mt 19:13-15
- Next Sunday:** Jer 38:4-6, 8-10/Ps 40:2, 3, 4, 18 (14b)/Heb 12:1-4/Lk 12:49-53

OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 10, 2025

- Sunday:** 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time
- Monday:** St. Clare, Virgin
- Tuesday:** St. Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious
- Wednesday:** Sts. Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs
- Thursday:** St. Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr
- Friday:** The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- Saturday:** St. Stephen of Hungary
- Next Sunday:** 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time



PARISH INFORMATION

Saint Vincent de Paul CC

Food Pantry

Distribution is the fourth Saturday of the month from 8:00-10:00am. Please note the next Pantry date: August 23, 2025.



SVDP Sodality

Sodality meets every 1st 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.
Office Phone: (202) 488-1354
Email: pastor@svdpdc.org
Website: www.svdpdc.org

Join us for a special Holy Hour

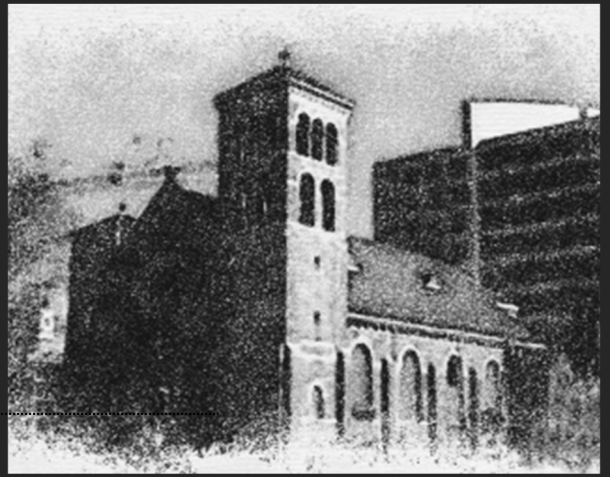


6:00pm
Every Thursday
Adoration
Confession

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>.



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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.

Classes will begin in September 2025.

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Email: pastor@svdpdc.org

The St Vincent de Paul Parish will be holding a combined "AA and NA" Group. The name of the Group will be the "St Vincent de Paul M Street Group" and meetings will be held bi-weekly on Saturdays at 12:00PM.



For information or questions please contact Teague Foltz either at mobile number 224-612-1348 or email at foltzteague@gmail.com.

This is an open meeting, which means open to non-alcoholics and non addicts family members etc.