

# The Catholic Community of St. Vincent de Paul

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**Masses:** Saturday Vigil at 3:45 p.m., Sunday at 8:30 a.m.

**Parish Office Hours:** Monday through Thursday, 9 am to 3 pm  
Closed Friday

**Reconciliation:** Available before 3:45 p.m. Mass weekly; seasonal communal services

**Sacrament of the Sick:** Celebrated communally several times yearly and upon request

**Parish Registration, Baptism and Marriage preparation:** Please contact the Parish Office.

Engaged couples need to contact the parish at least SIX months before the proposed wedding date.

Godparents must be confirmed practicing Catholics over 16 years old.

**Faith Formation and Youth Ministry:** Please contact the Parish Office or check website for registration.



2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"Now I have seen and testified that he is  
the Son of God." - Jn 1:34

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## Parish Staff

Rev. James Donlon, *Assisting Priest*  
Gary Surman, *Deacon*  
Stephen Mawn, *Interim Administrator*  
Kathy Burgin, *Music Director*  
Rachael Surman Rys, *Office Manager*  
Veronica Schmidt-Henzler, *Bookkeeper*  
Karen Brueck, *Trustee*  
Connie Vrooman, *Trustee*  
Deb McAllister, *Faith Formation Facilitator*  
Greg Rys, *Campus Ministry, SUNY Cobleskill*  
Ted Krisowaty, *Youth Ministry*  
Patrick Kilpeck, *Youth Ministry*

*Please access our website*

**[stvincentdepaulcobleskillny.com](http://stvincentdepaulcobleskillny.com)**

*for more detailed information about our parish,  
Sacramental and Liturgical celebrations,  
committees, parish events, and  
Prayer and Scripture groups,  
and for Parish/Faith Formation registration forms.*

## PRAYER AND WORSHIP

## WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday Vigil Mass 3:45 PM

Sunday Mass 8:30 AM

Weekend of January 18-19**Bonnie Cummings** req. by Kelly and George Takacs**Maurice Kelliher** req. by his wife Theresa**Mary Portman** req. by Frank and Chris Lennon**Lori Patryn Smith** req. by John and Joan Rose**Ronald Stark** req. by Leo and Marie McAllister**John White** req. by his wife PeggyWeekend of January 25-26**Bertha Alley** req. by her sister Kathleen Callahan**Jim Drew** req. by Rose Marie Joyce**Mary Lennon** req. by Frank and Chris Lennon**Doreen Martini** req. by John and Joan Rose**Lee Mielewski** req. by the Pindiak family**Beverly Radez** req. by Leo and Marie McAllisterMid-day Prayer

The Prayer Group meets on Wednesdays at noon for Prayer, a short Scripture reading, reception of the Eucharist, and the Rosary. Please consider joining us.

## Sacramental Ministers:

*Jan. 18 at 3:45PM*

Sacristan: K. Krisowaty

Lectors: RM Joyce, R. Surman

Eucharistic Ministers: T. Krisowaty, G. Surman,  
V. Massarotti, G. Rys, B. Callahan*Jan. 19 at 8:30PM*

Sacristan: B. Stark

Lectors: K. Livingston, C. Stark

Eucharistic Ministers: C. Vrooman, B. Dooley  
K. Walchko, J. Swift, N. Panarese, K. Scott*Jan. 25 at 3:45PM*

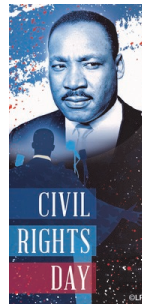
Sacristan: J. DeSando

Lectors: RM Joyce, K. Krisowaty

Eucharistic Ministers: J. VanBuren, G. Surman,  
T. Krisowaty, R. Surman, B. Callahan*Jan. 26 at 8:30PM*

Sacristan: J. &amp; J. Rose

Lectors: D. Mayott, R. McAllister

Eucharistic Ministers: C. Vrooman, P. and P. Kilpeck,  
J. Swift

The parish office will be closed  
Monday, January 20  
in observance of  
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.

Financial Peace University

Are you ready to take control of your money? Financial Peace University (FPU) is a nine-lesson course designed to help you build a budget, dump debt, grow your wealth, and leave money stress behind! Each lesson, taught by Dave Ramsey and his team of financial experts, is based on biblical wisdom and common sense. In your FPU group, you'll be motivated and encouraged by others just like you. When you sign up for FPU, you'll get your member workbook and one free year of Financial Peace membership, with access to exclusive online tools to help you on your journey.

Contact Kathy Krisowaty at 518-234-9590 for more information, or sign up at [fpu.com/1091038](https://fpu.com/1091038). Classes will be on Monday nights at 7pm in the church hall beginning January 27th. Let 2020 be the year you find financial peace!

As you do your own grocery shopping, please purchase non-perishable items for our food pantry at Catholic Charities. Please drop off donations at Mass or at the parish office during office hours. Monetary contributions are also greatly appreciated and can be placed in the collection in an envelope marked "**Food Pantry.**" Thank you for keeping the less fortunate in mind as you shop.

Canned or boxed soups  
Tuna/Hamburger Helper  
Canned meats/Tuna  
Coffee, Tea, or Hot Cocoa  
Rice or Pasta  
Vegetable Oil  
Mac 'n Cheese  
Baby food  
Condiments like ketchup and mayonnaise

Canned vegetables  
Canned fruits  
Peanut Butter  
Jelly or Jam  
Nutella  
Crisco  
Tomato Sauce  
Diapers (all sizes)



## Stewardship

### Offertory Collection January 11-12:

Regular: \$2591.00

Building Fund: \$46.00

Utility Fund: \$420.00

### **Thank you for your generosity!**

Average weekly offertory needed to cover net operating expenses: \$3,415.38

The Bishop's Appeal has begun. If you responded to the letter mailed by the diocese to your home, you do not need to complete an envelope as well - your donation will be credited to our parish by the diocese. Our assessment is approximately \$37,000.00. We have received about \$11,500 so far in pledges (does not include pledges sent directly to the diocese).

## Music Ministry

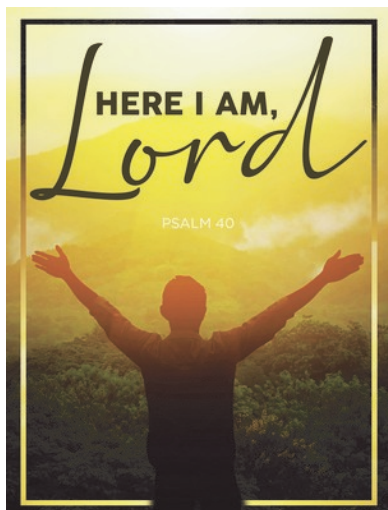
The **Sunday choir** rehearses on Wednesdays at 4:30 pm. All singers are welcome - please join us!

**Youth Choir** practices on most Wednesdays from 5:30 - 6:15 PM and sings during Communion on Faith Formation Sundays. Rehearsals in January and February are on 1/15, 1/22, 1/29, 2/5, and 2/26.



## **Christian Service Support Team**

If you need help in any way or if you know someone who needs a helping hand, please call the church office at 518-234-2892 and we will try get someone to assist you. Even if you are not sure if it is some-thing we can help you with, please call and let us decide - we want to help. This service is free of charge and open to all.



## **Family Faith Formation**

### **Youth Ministry**

Faith Formation is on hold at the moment. Classes will resume once all catechists have completed the current diocesan-approved VIRTUS training.

All sacramental preparation will continue as scheduled.

## **First Eucharist**

Parent/Child meetings:

Sunday, March 29 after Mass

Tuesday, May 19 at 6 PM



Classes will be held on Tuesdays at 3:30 PM on:

March 24 & 31

April 7

May 5 & 26

June 2

Celebration of First Eucharist: June 7 at the 8:30 AM Mass



## **Confirmation 2020**

Classes/Living Stations rehearsals will be held on Sunday at 6 pm on:

February 9

March 8, 15, 22, 29

April 5 dress rehearsal

Living Stations performance on April 5 at 8 pm

If you have an announcement or information to be added to the bulletin or the website, please drop it off at the parish office, email to [vincentdepaul@albany.twcbc.com](mailto:vincentdepaul@albany.twcbc.com), or call the office at (518)234-2892.

Information needs to be received by Tuesday morning at the latest for that week's bulletin. Information received after this will be in the weekend mass announcements and/or next week's bulletin.

Is there information about our parish, our church, or our faith that you would like to see in the bulletin or on our website? I am always looking for ideas - please share yours! Thank you!

