St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church

Parish Mission

We are one Church: loving Jesus, serving Jesus, and sharing Jesus.

Parish Vision

We are a vibrant Catholic church serving a diverse community in a safe and welcoming environment where we care for all people along their faith journey.

Core Values

Discipleship • Hospitality Serving • Worship

Weekend Masses

Saturday, 5:00 p.m. Sunday 7:30, 9:00, 10:45 a.m., 3:00 p.m. (Spanish)

Weekday Masses

Monday 6:30 a.m. Tuesday 6:30 a.m. Wednesday 6:30 a.m., 5:15 p.m. Thursday 6:30 a.m. Friday 6:30 a.m. Saturday 6:30 a.m.

Confessions

Saturday 3:30 - 4:30 p.m. or by appointment

This weekend St. Vincent Parish welcomes Bishop Edward Rice! Twenty-seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time October 3, 2021

The Discipleship Committee introduces

Coffee and Christ

Sundays after the 9:00 a.m. Mass

All parishioners are invited to the very first **Coffee and Christ** which will take place in the lower meeting room this Sunday, October 3, 2021, following the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Coffee and Christ is an opportunity to learn more about the Catholic faith, grow in relationship with Jesus, and connect with other members of the parish.

The first session will be **"Presence: The Mystery of the Eucharist"** and will run every Sunday from October 3 - 31. There is no need to sign up. Come when you can. The schedule will be as follows: 10:00 - 10:30 a.m. Coffee and socialization 10:30 - 11:00 a.m. Praver/Video

11:00 - 11:30 a.m. Discussion





October 3, 2021 • 2:00 - 3:30 p.m. CORNER OF WILLIAM AND SILVER SPRINGS RD

Join thousands of Christians nationwide to peacefully and prayerfully stand before God on behalf of preborn children. Participants will stand 10-feet apart, going up the sidewalk on the corner of William and Silver Springs Road. Parking will be available on the lower ends of Best Buy and Logan's parking lots as well as the old Toys-R-Us parking lot. There are crosswalks for you to walk on. Parking attendants will be available.



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Mass Intentions

Monday, October 4 St. Francis of Assisi 6:30 am Earl Schweitzer 🕏

Tuesday, October 5

Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos 6:30 am Sister Mary Ellen Neeves 🕆

Wednesday, October 6

St. Bruno, Blessed Marie Rose Durocher
6:30 am Jesus Reyes ⊕
5:15 pm Living and Deceased Members of the Harrison and Marshall Families

Thursday, October 7 Our Lady of the Rosary 6:30 am Leonard and Joyce Jansen ⊕

Friday, October 8

6:30 am Living and Deceased Members of the Sharon Coleman Family

Saturday, October 9

St. Denis, St	. John Leonardi
6:30 am	Greg Swoboda 🕆
5:00 pm	Living and Deceased Members of the
	Barney and Coena Stubenrauch Family

Sunday, October 10

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time7:30 amSt. Vincent de Paul Parish Family9:00 amJeff Bohnert ⊕10:45 amMarvin and Ruth Ann Urhahn ⊕3:00 pmJesus Salvador Reyes ⊕(Bilingua)and Thomas Reyes (living)

Prayer Requests

Please remember the sick, the hospitalized, and those who care for them. Pray also for the homebound of the parish.



Livestreamed Masses

Each weekend, the Mass celebrated here at St. Vincent is livestreamed and available to view on the St. Vincent de Paul Facebook page (<u>https://www. facebook.com/svcape/</u>). The video is also available to view after Masses on the parish website (www.svcape.com). Most of the live feeds will be at the 5:00 p.m. Saturday evening Mass to allow for the longest viewing time. he phrase in today's psalm, "May you see your children's children," is really a prayer for a long life. The good steward knows that every day is a gift from God, to be lived with joy and thanksgiving. "May the Lord bless us all the days of our lives!"

The Sacrament of Confirmation



• Congratulations to the following members of St. Vincent de Paul Parish who are celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation this weekend. Please pray for them as their lives are enriched with the gifts of the Holy Spirit.

Connor Adams | St. Michael the Archangel Nicholas Bledsoe | St. Isidore Kyle Boehme | St. Francis of Assisi Hunter Bonham | St. Christopher Kate Buchheit | St. Blaise Addison Clippard | St. Teresa of Calcutta Addison Craig | St. Monica Jackson DeBrock | St. Anthony of Padua Mia DeLuca | St. Elizabeth of Hungary Peter Dittmer | St. Ignatius of Loyola Brett Dohogne | St. Sebastian Sophia Emmons | St. Gianna Beretta Molla Madisvn Erbst | St. Hope Nicholas Gaeta | St. Raphael the Archangel Kolby Grimes | St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Logan Groves | St. Eligius Nathan Harris | St. Nathan the Prophet Lacie Helm | St. Cecilia Tracie Helm | St. Thecla Mackenzie Hicks | St. Valentine Lainey Huck | St. Monica Marshall Huston | St. Francis of Assisi

Clarke James | St. Joan of Arc Jase Limbert | St. Peter Jacob Mahnke | St. Joseph Dominic Mattes | St. Dominic Savio Lillian Michael | St. Felicity Sydney Mizicko | St. Cecilia Reid Morgan | St. Patrick Zane Nelson | St. Patrick Isabella Palmer | St. Elizabeth of Portugal Kathryn Prost | St. Catherine Laboure Lindsey Ringstaff | St. Elizabeth of Hungary Silvia Schallberger | St. Fermin Emmy Sexton | St. Bernadette Mya Shaffar | St. Teresa of Calcutta Charlotte Spence | St. Philomena Aidan Stiegemeyer | St. Augustine John Stovall | St. Joseph the Worker Lvdia Strohmever | St. Joan of Arc Courtney Tatum | St. Sebastian Tel Williams | St. Christopher Lance Wilson | St. Sebastian

The Saint Vincent de Paul Parish Ministry of Consolation is pleased to offer

A New Season of *Harvesting Our Tears*: an 8-session Grief Support Program

If you are grieving the loss of a loved one and would like support through your grief journey, this program may be for you. *Harvesting Our Tears* is an 8-session, faith-based program that helps participants understand the grieving process and develop ways of working *through* grief in an environment of understanding and support.

Harvesting Our Tears is for anyone who has suffered the loss of a spouse, child, parent, sibling, friend. You can be assured of support in your grief journey, a place to share your story, and confidentiality. This is a peer support program and does not entail professional counseling.

The group typically meets once per week; the meeting day and time determined once the group is established.

If you are interested in registering or learning more about *Harvesting Our Tears*, please leave your name with the parish office staff at 573.335.7667 **or** call or text one of the team members: Gerry Strohmeyer 573.270.3786 or Cindy Heischmidt 573.275.4617.

May They Rest in Peace

Sympathy is extended to the families of: **Milton Walter,** brother of Delbert Walter; and **Alex Powderly,** a member of the St. Vincent de Paul Parish family.



May they and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.



The Blessing of Pets and Animals

You are invited to bring your pet to the church to celebrate the blessing of pets on the great feast day of St. Francis of Assisi. St. Francis had a great love for animals as expressed in his Canticle of Creatures. The blessing will be behind the church and in front of the new rectory. It will take place on

Monday, October 4, at 3:30 p.m. If your pets are friendly with other animals, they can be on the grass. Otherwise, it might be best if they stayed in your vehicle and the blessing be brought to them. You can also pray and bless your pets and animals at home using this prayer.

Blessed are you, Lord God, maker of all living creatures. You called forth fish in the sea, birds in the air, and animals on the land. You inspired St. Francis to call all of them his brothers and sisters. He even tamed the Wolf of Gubbio. We ask you to bless this pet. By the power of your love, enable it to live according to your plan. May we always praise you for all your beauty in creation.

Blessed are you, Lord our God, in all your creatures! Amen.

Go Deeper!

Consider donating pet food or gently used blankets and towels to local animal shelters on this special day. The Feast of St. Francis of Assisi provides an opportunity to teach children about endangered or abused animals and what can be done to help. A container will be available for you to donate items in the gathering area during the weekends of October 2-3 and October 9-10.

Share Your Story of Your Pet

If you cannot be at the Pet Blessing on Monday, send a photo of your pet and how your pet blesses you! Email to contactus@svparish.com. Photos and stories of how your pet is a blessing to you will be compiled and shared on social media on the St. Vincent Parish Facebook page.

Women's Council

Please join the Council of Catholic Women for their monthly meeting on Monday, October 4, 2021, at 6:30 p.m. in the lower meeting room. Father Randy Tochtrop will give a presentation on St. Joseph. Please feel free to bring statues or images of St. Joseph that you have in your home. All women of the parish are invited to attend.

Congratulations to **Jerry and Katy Drury** as they celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary. Please continue to pray for all married couples and those preparing for marriage.



IS CATHERINE'S CUPBOARD ON YOUR GROCERY LIST?

• The Week Ahead •

Monday, October 4 6:00 pm Women's Council

Tuesday, October 5

10:00 am	Mass at Heartland Care
6:00 pm	Tuesday Evening Bible Study
6:00 pm	Confirmation Parent Meeting
6:30 pm	St. Francis DeSales
7:00 pm	First Reconciliation Parent Meeting

Wednesday, October 6

8:00 am	Ugly Quilt Ministry (8:00 - 11:00 am)
	(8:00 - 11:00 am)
	Wednesday Women's Bible Study
10:00 am	Mass at Chateau Girardeau
3:00 pm	Divine Mercy Holy Hour
6:00 pm	Parish School of Religion
6:15 pm	Parent Faith Enrichment

Thursday, October 7

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9:00 am	Maxine's Shareable Wearables
	(9:00 - 11:00 am)
9.00 am	Thursday Women's Bible Study
1:00 pm	Thursday Afternoon Bible Study
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Friday, October 8

9:30 am Communion Service at Arbors/Auburn Creek

Saturday, October 9

9:00 am	Maxine's Shareable Wearables
	(9:00 am - 12:00 noon)
3.30 pm	Reconciliation

Sunday, October 10

9:00 am Children's Liturgy of the Word 10:00 am Coffee and Christ 12:00 pm Evangelization Summit



Readings - October 3, 2021 Wisdom 7:7-11 • Hebrews 4:12-13 Mark 10:17-30

Collection - September 26, 2021		
Collection	\$11,306.14	
E-Tithing	\$20,660.00	
Total	\$31,966.14	
Weekly Budget	\$31,450.00	
Difference (7-1 to 9-26)	\$ 9,041.47	

Thank you for being good stewards of God's gifts!

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St. Mary Cemetery News

If you have flowers on the graves at St. Mary Cemetery, they should be picked up by Wednesday, October 6. Also pick up vases, etc. that you wish to keep.

St. Mary Cemetery, established in 1903, has served the Catholic community for over a century and is a Catholic cemetery open to the surrounding area. The Cemetery is also available for non-Catholic family members. For information on purchasing a cemetery plot, please contact Robert Stricker at 573-334-5466 or contact your local funeral home.

Project Melchizedek

The Diocesan Vocations Office is beginning a new movement to promote vocations called Project Melchizedek. Men, ages 16-40, who have an interest in the vocation of priesthood are invited to a meal and discussion on a chapter of the book, *To Save a Thousand Souls*, six evenings during the fall. Local Knights of Columbus Councils will host the meals and discussions. Area priests will act as facilitators. If you were unable to attend the first meeting in September, you are invited to the next meeting on Monday, October 4 at the Knights of Columbus Council 11205, 2222 Kingsway Drive, in Cape Girardeau. For more information, please contact Father Alex Sutachan, Regional Vocation Recruiter at 573-335-7667.

Confirmation Session for Eighth Grade Parents

If you have not yet attended the mandatory Parents' Session for your 8th grade child who is preparing for Confirmation in October 2022, then make plans to attend the **last** of four workshops **this** Tuesday, October 5, at 6:00 p.m. in the Church. This session will be an overview of the **Chosen** program by Ascension Press and will show you the areas in which your child will participate. The parents' session will give you information about your involvement in your child's preparation for this Sacrament. Just one parent will need to attend. Please bring a pen to fill out the registration material.

First Reconciliation Parent Meeting

A meeting for all parents of students preparing for First Reconciliation will be held on **Tuesday**, **October 5**, at 7:00 p.m. in the church. It is mandatory that at least one parent attend this meeting (preferably the Catholic in an interfaith marriage); children need not attend. Registration forms need to be completed at this meeting and must include a copy of the child's Baptismal certificate. Please bring a copy to the meeting. (Baptismal certificates must be obtained from the church of Baptism; please do not contact the school office for a copy.) A child will not be registered for his/her second grade sacraments or receive study materials until paperwork is complete.

If your child has *not been baptized* in the Catholic faith and wishes to celebrate the sacrament of Reconciliation and Eucharist in the future, please contact Kathy Hotop-Raines at 335-7667. In order to celebrate First Reconciliation and First Communion a baptized child should be regularly attending Mass on the weekend, be registered in the parish and have regularly attended religion classes for at least one full year before beginning sacrament studies.

If you are unable to attend the parent meeting, please contact Mrs. Raines (<u>kraines@svcape.eduk12.net</u>) to schedule a private meeting with Mrs. Raines and Father Rick.

Young Adult Disciples Night

On Thursday, October 7, i.d.Cape (young adults) will host their monthly Disciples' Night at the old convent. Doors will open at 6:15 p.m. and the livestreamed talk will begin at 7:00 p.m. All young adults in their 20's and 30's are invited. See the event on Facebook or email idCapeinfo@gmail.com for more information. Please email to RSVP. Come and bring a friend!



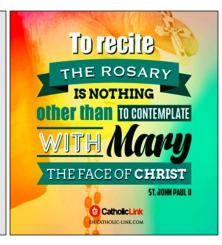
The Knights of Columbus Council 11205 will hold their Drive for Persons with Developmental Disabilities next weekend, October 9-10, 2021. The Knights will be at the exits of the church after each Mass to accept donations.

• Discipleship Corner • **October is the Month** of the Holy Rosary

Pray the Rosary October 7 Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary

> **Helpful Resources for Praying the Rosary**

Hallow App • Laudate App www.theholyrosary.org www.usccb.org/how-to-prav-the-rosarv



You are invited to the

Options for Women Pregnancy Help Center 9th Annual Banquet

Tuesday, October 12, 2021 **Knights of Columbus Hall** 3305 N. High Street • Jackson, Missouri

Registration begins at 5:30 p.m. • Dinner and Program start at 6:30 p.m.

Featured Speaker: Sydna A. Masse, CEO and Founder, Ramah International, Inc.

If interested in attending, please contact the Options for Women office at 573-339-2032 for reservations.

Thank You

Thank you to everyone who made last weekend's Parish Feast Day celebration possible! A special word of thanks goes to the Parish Council for their encouragement.

Thank you to the Workday Teams including ...

- Team Deacon Mark, coordinator, who cleaned and organized the Parish Center pantry and Vincent's Vittles closet
- Team Virginia Sander and company who helped with coffee/donuts and lunch for Feast Day Workers in the DePaul Center Gym
- Team Bob Janota who helped to relocate items from the top floor to another floor in the old Notre Dame Convent and also move winter items down to Maxine's Shareable Wearables
- Team Kathy Berkbigler who helped people create Ugly Quilts in the DePaul Center
- Team Hugh Protzel for setting up tables and chairs for the Feast Day and Vincent's Vittles dinner
- Team Tedd Powers and Deacon Tom Schumer for helping trim plants at the parish and plant bushes at the new CCM Newman Chapel at SEMO

Thanks also to ...

- PCCW for running the bingo on Saturday afternoon
- Knights of Columbus Council 11205 for helping provide lunch
- St. Vincent Men's Association for helping with Vincent Vittles
- Knights of Columbus Council 1111 for coordinating the beer garden
- So many others who gave of themselves to make this a good day!

St. Vincent de Paul would be pleased!

2021 Rosary for Life

The Association of the Miraculous Medal in Perryville, Missouri, invites you to participate in our annual "Rosary for Life." This event will take place on Saturday, October 9, at 9:00 a.m., at the National Shrine of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal. Please gather at the Welcome Center next to Shrine the Church. Weather permitting, the Rosary will be prayed at the Miraculous Medal Moments area. In case of inclement weather, the Rosarv will be recited in the Shrine Church. Following the Rosary, two speakers will talk about the preservation of life. Please invite your family and friends to attend this event in which we ask the Blessed Mother to intercede for the protection of life. For more information about this event. please watch for updates or call 1-800-264-6279 and ask for Frank.

The Search Video series at St. John Henry **Newman Center**

The Search, produced by the Augustine Institute, featuring Chris Stefanick, is an innovative video series that tackles the key questions of every human heart. In seven beautifully filmed episodes, Chris Stefanick and experts from multiple fields of science, medicine, psychology, art, and religion examine your place in the larger story of existence. Whether you're a practiced inquirer or a jaded skeptic, *The Search* will speak to you. You may be reassured by some parts, and challenged by others. Either way, you'll find a lot here to think about.

Please join the College Knights of Columbus Council #15294 and the St. Thomas Aquinas Institute of Catholic Studies at the John Henry Newman Center at Southeast Missouri State for The Search. It will begin on Thursday, October 14, at 6:30 p.m. and run for six consecutive weeks. Registration is not necessary.



Extend mercy towards others, so that there can be no one in need whom you meet without helping. ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

