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#### **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., 8:00 a.m. Friday 6:30 a.m., 8:00 a.m. Saturday 6:30 a.m.

#### Confessions

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

Third Sunday of Easter May 1, 2022

## Diocesan Development Fund

The Diocesan Development Fund Campaign (DDF) is the annual campaign for the Diocese of Springfield-Cape Girardeau and today is **DDF Sunday!** The funds raised through this annual campaign advance the diocese's mission through a host of ministries that assist families, parishes, and the diocese as a whole. DDF is vital to the life of the Church in southern Missouri. If you have not already done so, please complete

and return your DDF pledge card today. For online donations to DDF, simply go to **www.dioscg.org** and follow the prompts. Transactions are totally secure.

For more information about the Diocesan Development Fund, a video is available to view on the diocesan website.



God of all goodness, source of all blessings, open our hearts to receive Your love, and strengthen our efforts to build up Your Church in southern Missouri.

Help us to be good and faithful stewards of the gifts You have given to us. Guide us as we discover new ways to serve You in serving our neighbor.

Bless all those who participate in the DDF Campaign. May we share our gifts of time, talent, and treasure as true disciples in our One Church, from East to West: Loving, Serving, and Sharing Jesus. **Amen** 



## Best Wishes Deacon Jonathan!

A reception will be held after all Masses this weekend to thank Deacon Jonathan Tolberd for his time here at St. Vincent. Deacon Jonathan, a student at Kenrick Theological Seminary, has been assisting on weekends for the past year. He will celebrate his Priestly Ordination on May 28 in the



Diocese of Wichita, Kansas. Please keep Deacon Jonathan in prayer as he begins his ministry serving God and His people in the Holy Catholic Church!

#### Mass Intentions

Monday, May 2 St. Athanasius

6:30 am Joe McKeon む

Tuesday, May 3 Sts. Philip and James

6:30 am No Mass

#### Wednesday, May 4

6:30 am Bernadina and Christina Hoernig ♣ 5:15 pm Living and Deceased Members

of the Dean Heimes Family

#### Thursday, May 5

6:30 am Bill Loos ₽

8:00 am Living and Deceased Grandchildren of the Tom and Mary Higgins Family

#### Friday, May 6 First Friday

6:30 am Living and Deceased Members of the Barney and Coena Stubenrauch Family

8:00 am Joan Conner ₽

#### Saturday, May 7

6:30 am Living and Deceased Members of the Margarita Alaniz Family

5:00 pm Living and Deceased Members of the St. Vincent de Paul Women's Council

Sunday, May 8 Fourth Sunday of Easter

7:30 am John Montgomery &

9:00 am Martin "Junior" VanGennip 다

10:45 am Collin McGuire ₽

3:00 pm St. Vincent de Paul Parish Family

#### Prayer Requests

Please remember the sick, the hospitalized, and those who care for them. Pray also for homebound St. Vincent parishioners.

#### **Women's Council**

The end-of-the-year potluck dinner for the St. Vincent's Council of Catholic Women will be held at 6:00 p.m. on Monday, May 2, 2022, in the lower meeting room. New officers will be installed.

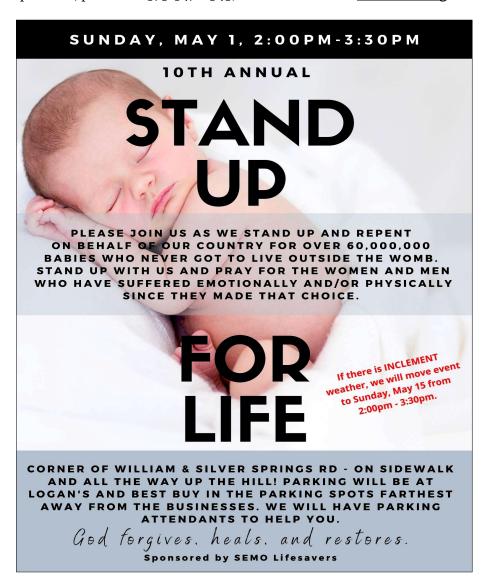
All women of the parish are invited to attend. Please bring a dish to share.

Each weekend, the Mass celebrated here at St. Vincent is livestreamed and available to view on the St. Vincent de Paul Facebook page (<a href="https://www.facebook.comsvcape/">https://www.facebook.comsvcape/</a>). 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.

In today's Gospel, Jesus tells Peter again and again, "If you love Me, feed my sheep." He says the same to each of us, "If you love Me, use the gifts I have given you to serve your brothers and sisters."

#### **May Procession**

You are invited to join the Association of the Miraculous Medal on Sunday, May 1, at 1:00 p.m., for their annual May Procession at the National Shrine of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal in Perryville, Missouri. The procession will form in front of Saint Mary's of the Barrens Church. Participants will pray the Rosary as they proceed to the 100-year-old grotto on the Rosary Walk. The traditional May Crowning and prayer service will be a part of this tribute to the Blessed Mother. All are welcome. You may want to bring a chair or blanket as there will be limited seating. For any questions, please call 573-547-8343, or visit our website <a href="https://www.amm.org">www.amm.org</a>.



#### **Tuesday Night Thrive**

Longing for more in your faith or in life? Join young adult Catholics (ages 18-40) from a variety of parishes as together you can seek to thrive. Upcoming Sunday Scriptures will be read and their meaning for you will be discovered. This takes place weekly on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. in the old convent. Bring a snack to share if you'd like. For info, contact Carlee at <a href="mailto:idcapeinfo@gmail.com">idcapeinfo@gmail.com</a>. Don't just live. Thrive!

## May He Rest in Peace

Sympathy is extended to the family of

**Tom Wencewicz**, a member of the St. Vincent de Paul Parish family.

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

#### **Catholic Scouting Awards**

Congratulations to the Boy Scouts from St. Vincent de Paul who will be receiving the **Light of Christ** award: Landen Boyer and Luke White. Congratulations also goes to the Boy Scouts from the parish who will receive the **Parvuli Dei** award: Owen Bahr, Bryson Lee, and Nicholas Reynolds. In addition, congratulations to Nathan Harris who will receive the **Ad Altare Dei** award. These young Scouts will receive their awards from Bishop Rice on Wednesday, May 4, at 7:00 p.m. at Old St. Vincent Church (located at the corner of William and Main Streets). A reception will follow in the Fuerth House. Please know that all involved with Scouting are invited to this celebration.

#### **Young Adult Disciples Night**

On Thursday, May 5, i.d.Cape (young adults) will host their monthly Disciples'



Night at the old convent. Doors will open at 6:15 p.m. with a meal 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 <a href="mailto:idCapeinfo@gmail.com">idCapeinfo@gmail.com</a> for more information. Please email to RSVP for the meal. Come and bring a friend!

#### **First Friday Schedule of Prayer**

Everyone is welcome to attend First Friday devotion on May 6, 2022. Please pick or choose any of the prayer opportunities below, or you can attend Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament anytime throughout the day for your own quiet prayer time. Here are some of the prayer opportunities:

6:00 a.m. Recitation of the Holy Rosary

6:30 a.m. First Friday Mass

7:00 a.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament begins

12:00 noon Confessions from 12:00 - 12:30 p.m. 3:00 p.m. Recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet

5:00 p.m. Recitation of the Holy Rosary

5:15 p.m. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament



In these days of turmoil, it is of particular urgency that we begin, or renew, devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus in the spirit of reparation that St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, a Visitation nun who lived in France in the 17th century, gives us. The practice of the nine First Fridays is a particularly powerful way to do this. Jesus gave us this devotion as a sure way of offering reparation to Him and consoling His Sacred Heart. Reparation is the way a person makes amends for a wrong one has done. Let us not waste such an opportunity, then, but rather take full advantage of the means that we are given by showing our love for Jesus and His Sacred Heart. For more information, go to www.simplycatholic.com/how-to-observe-first-fridays-and-first-saturdays/.

Church Women United invite you to their **May Friendship Day** on Friday, May 6, 2022, at St. John's United Church of Christ, 781 State Highway FF, Jackson, Missouri (Fruitland). Registration, light supper, and program begin at 6:00 p.m.

#### The Week Ahead

#### Monday, May 2

6:00 pm Women's Council

#### Tuesday, May 3

6:30 pm St. Francis de Sales

7:00 pm Tuesday Night Thrive (Young Adult)

#### Wednesday, May 4

8:00 am Ugly Quilt Ministry

(8:00 - 11:00 am)

10:00 am Mass at Chateau Girardeau

3:00 pm Divine Mercy Holy Hour

6:00 pm Parish School of Religion

#### Thursday, May 5

9:00 am Maxine's Shareable Wearables (9:00 - 11:00 am)

5:30 pm Centering Prayer

6:00 pm Financial Peace University

#### Friday, May 6

7:00 am Adoration

5:15 pm Benediction

#### Saturday, May 7

9:00 am Maxine's Shareable Wearables (9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon)

3:00 pm Reconciliation

#### Sunday, May 8

Happy Mother's Day!!!

9:00 am Children's Liturgy of the Word

# Congratulations to Daniel Oliver and Kaitlyn Jahnsen who were recently united in marriage. Please continue to pray for all married couples and those preparing for marriage.

#### Readings - May 8, 2022

Acts of the Apostles 13:14, 43-52 Revelation 7:9, 14b-17 • John 10:27-30

#### Collection - April 24, 2022

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Collection	\$13,587.95
E-Tithing	\$ 1,452.00
Total	\$15,039.95
Weekly Budget	\$31,450.00
Difference (7-1-21 to 4-24-22)	\$80,947.43

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

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**St. Vincent de Paul School** is seeking a **part-time school nurse** (2-3 days). Applicant should be a registered nurse with all updated certifications. For an application, please email <u>kglastetter@svcape.eduk12.net</u> or call the school office at 573-334-9594.

**St. Vincent de Paul Catholic School** is currently accepting applications for a **Sixth Grade Teacher** for the 2022-2023 school year. Applicants should be able to teach World History, Religion, and English. For an application, go to dioscg.org, call the school office at 573-334-9594 or please email <u>kglastetter@svcape.eduk12.net</u> or call 573-334-9594.

WELCOME TO THE ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH FAMILY

## **New Parishioner Reception**

Tuesday, May 10, 2022 • 6:00 p.m.

St. Vincent de Paul Parish Rectory (behind the Church)

Enjoy hors d'oeuvres while meeting other new parishioners and members of parish committees

#### **Attention: Adult Catholic Men**

You are invited to the Southeast Missouri



Wednesday, May 11, 2022 • 6:30 - 9:00 p.m. Sacred Heart Parish • Dexter, Missouri

An evening of Adoration, Confession, and a Manly Meal with discussion To plan for food, please RSVP to <a href="mailto:semocatholicmannight@gmail.com">semocatholicmannight@gmail.com</a>, or SEMO Catholic Man Night on Facebook or text 573-275-5214

#### **Inviting All Youth 1st-12th Grade!**

## TOTUS TUUS

## **Summer Youth Program**

June 12-17, 2022

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Totus Tuus ("Totally Yours") is a week long summer Catholic youth program dedicated to sharing the Gospel and promoting the Catholic faith through evangelization, catechesis, Christian witness, and Eucharistic worship. Totus Tuus is concerned not only with teaching the faith, but also igniting the hearts of young people!

Brochures are available in the gathering area. For more info, you may contact Kathy Raines, Totus Tuus Parish Coordinator, at 573-335-7667 or kraines@svcape.eduk12.net.



Scan the QR Code to register online.

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#### **Journeying Through Easter**

## The Gift of Time

#### Monday, May 2

"Do not work for food that perishes but for the food that endures for eternal life." Jesus' words invite us to consider whether our efforts are spent on what is lasting or whether time is devoted only to earthly pursuits. Where do you devote your time? How might you use it to serve and lift someone else up? *Today's readings: Acts 6:8-15; Psalm 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30; John 6:22-29.* 

## Become What You Receive

#### Tuesday, May 3

When the crowd seeks a sign, Jesus replies, "I am the bread of life." The gift of the Eucharist, the Bread of Life, sustains and nourishes, while joining us to Christ and each other. St. Augustine directed Christians that, in receiving the Eucharist, "become what you are: the Body of Christ." This week when you receive the Eucharist, consider how you are joined with other members of the Body of Christ. *Today's readings: 1 Corinthians 15:1-8; Psalm 19:2-3, 4-5; John 14:6-14.* 

#### Slow Down

#### Wednesday, May 4

Jesus tells the crowds, "I will not reject anyone who comes to me." Can you say the same thing? Consider the people who seek your attention during the day. Do you take time for them or are you in a hurry to get on to the next thing in your life? In our need to accomplish tasks, it can be easy to miss the opportunity to take in the gifts another offers. This week slow down to appreciate the people that God sends on your path. Be open to the chance to allow another to enrich your life. Say a prayer of gratitude for the people who have accepted and made time for you. *Today's readings: Acts 8:1b-8; Psalm 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a; John 6:35-40.* 

## The Gift of Baptism

#### Thursday, May 5

In today's reading from Acts, first an angel of the Lord speaks to Philip, and then the Spirit directs him. With these prompts, Philip explains the Scriptures to an individual and then baptizes him. Have you ever felt nudged to do something? That may have occurred when you had an urge to contact a person. God continues to prompt his followers. In baptism, we are claimed by God and called to serve. Pray for the grace to be open to the opportunity that may come your way today. *Today's readings: Acts 8:26-40; Psalm 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; John 6:44-51.* 

## Real Presence Friday, May 6

Faith is mysterious. The gift of faith is apparent in Ananias, who knows that Saul has persecuted Christians. This gift is apparent too in Saul, who regained his sight after Ananias laid hands on him. And this gift of faith allows us to believe that the real presence of Christ is in the Eucharist. Through the power of the Holy Spirit, as the priest says the Eucharistic Prayer, the substance of the bread and wine changes and becomes the Body and Blood of Christ. While participating at Mass, listen carefully to the words of consecration. *Today's readings: Acts 9:1-20; Psalm 117:1bc. 2; John 6:52-59*.

#### What Would You Do?

#### Saturday, May 7

When Jesus asks, "Do you also want to leave," Simon Peter responds, "Master, to whom shall we go?" Many of the disciples had found Jesus' teachings hard to accept and did not believe. Today also people struggle with belief. What is your response to Jesus' query, "Do you also want to go?" Do you acknowledge the Spirit and life in Jesus' words? *Today's readings: Acts 9:31-42; Psalm 116:12-13, 14-1, 16-17; John 6:60-69.* 

#### Sunday, May 1

## Do You Love Me?

Today's readings; Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41; Psalm 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 1; Revelation 5:11.-14; John 21:1-19. In the post-resurrection stories, Jesus shows up in ordinary places. Encountering his disciples and friends at routine tasks, he draws them into an extraordinary event and often breaks bread with them, opening their eyes to God in their midst. Today, in John's account of the Gospel, Jesus watches from the shore while the disciples fish. When he directs them where to cast their net, their catch is overwhelming. Immediately, the beloved disciple recognized Jesus, responding to the abundance by saying, "It is the Lord."

Jesus invites the disciples to breakfast and afterward quizzes Peter. Three times Jesus asks, "Simon, son of John, do you love me more than these?" And to Peter's reply, Jesus says, "Feed my sheep." Peter was unsure why Jesus asked the same query thrice. Jesus, however, wanted to be sure that this apostle who had denied him three times was sure of his love.

Christ comes to us in the Scriptures and the Eucharist; he also shows up in the routines of our lives. He is found in kind words and actions of others, in prayer, and during unguarded moments of the day. He asks us the same question, "Do you love me?" Our response is found in the way we treat members of our family, neighbors, coworkers, and the marginalized.

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