



St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 13, 2023

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.
First Friday 8:00 a.m.
Saturday 6:30 a.m.

Confessions

First Friday of month 12:00 noon
Saturday 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
or by appointment

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Holy Day Mass Schedule (Day of Obligation)

Tuesday, August 15

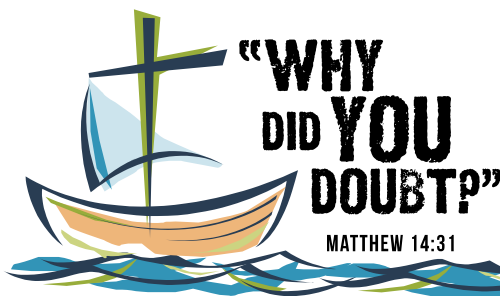
6:30 a.m. • 12:10 p.m. • 5:15 p.m. • 7:00 p.m. (Bilingual)



The money collected during the Masses on the Feast of the Assumption will be given to the Amen Center. The Amen Center is a Christian based interdenominational homeless center that works to assist families and individuals to recover from setbacks, crisis, or tragedy that will require a place of refuge for a transitional period. The center is located in Delta, Missouri.

Blessing of Backpacks

At all of the Masses on the weekend of **August 19-20**, school-aged children are invited to bring their backpacks to Church. After Holy Communion, children will be asked to stand with their backpacks and have them blessed for the upcoming school year. Whether they are carrying their first boxes of crayons to preschool or lugging a locker-full of textbooks from class to class, the backpacks are a symbol of the students' call to grow in wisdom. **All students** (public school, home-schooled, or SVS parish school) are joyfully invited to bring their backpacks. As God's gift of learning is celebrated, pray for His special blessing on students for the school year.



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• Mass Intentions •

Monday, August 14 St. Maximilian Kolbe
6:30 am Leon and Bernice Jansen ☩

Tuesday, August 15

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

6:30 am Frank Ross (living)
12:10 pm Donald G. Henson ☩
5:15 pm Living and Deceased Members of the
Glen and Bessie Grojean Family
7:00 pm St. Vincent de Paul Parish Family
(Bilingual)

Wednesday, August 16

St. Stephen of Hungary

6:30 am Sheila Ryan Family
5:15 pm Living and Deceased Members of the
St. Vincent de Paul Women's Council

Thursday, August 17

6:30 am Living and Deceased Members of
the William Biondini Family
8:00 am Principal, Teachers, and Staff
of St. Vincent de Paul School

Friday, August 18

6:30 am Allen and Jeanette Buchheit (living)

Saturday, August 19

St. John Eudes

6:30 am Richard Hagedorn ☩
5:00 pm Bessie Grojean ☩

Sunday, August 20

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am Betsy Franklin (living)
9:00 am Jim and Carol Welter ☩
10:45 am St. Vincent de Paul Parish Family
3:00 pm Norma and Tom Welch ☩
(Bilingual)

• Prayer Requests •

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



Congratulations

to these St. Vincent parishioners
as they celebrate their
Wedding Anniversaries

• 40 Years •

Keith and Chris Kanneberg

• 50 Years •

Paul and Carol Berens



Please continue to pray for
all married couples and those
preparing for marriage.

Elijah recognized the voice of God not in the strong and heavy wind, not in the earthquake, and not in the fire, but in a tiny whispering sound. May we find enough quiet in our clamorous world to hear His voice and discern what He is calling us to do and be.

SEMO Food Bank

The St. Vincent de Paul Council of Catholic Women will pack food boxes at the SEMO Food Bank in Miner, Missouri, on **Tuesday, August 15**. The volunteers will carpool from the JC Penney parking lot at 8:30 a.m. If interested, please call Carol Simon at 314-440-4467.

Ugly Quilt News

So far this year the Ugly Quilt Ministry has completed 400 bedrolls but there are many more requests. The Ministry has a number of bedrolls that still need to be tacked before being completed. **Help is needed from 8:00 - 11:00 a.m. on Monday, August 14, in the Ugly Quilt room (DePaul Center).** If you know of volunteers who are willing to help, please invite them. NDRHS students and others can use this as a time to add to their service hours. If you have questions, please contact Kathy at 473-587-5970.



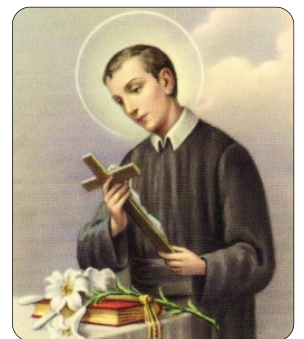
SEMO Area Ultreyas are normally held the third Saturday of each month. The next one will be held at St. Ambrose Parish, Chaffee, on **Saturday, August 19, 2023**. Morning prayers begin at 9:00 a.m. in the church with grouping, refreshments, and socializing to follow. Come share the joy with fellow Cursillistas. De Colores!

Saint Gerard's Circle

Saint Gerard's Circle is a ministry for mothers of young children in the St. Vincent de Paul Parish. (Public, private, homeschool, and not in school yet mommas are all welcome!) The goal is to provide friendships and support within the parish, a Catholic foundation for children, a continuation of spiritual guidance for members and families, and to encourage community involvement. Saint Gerard's Circle will hold its membership drive after Masses the weekend of **August 19-20**. Look for members in the gathering area. They will have information showcasing monthly meeting dates and events.

The first meeting will be held at **7:00 p.m. on Thursday, August 24**, in the lower meeting room. Moms are asked to bring a favorite book they enjoy reading themselves as well as a favorite children's book to share with the group. Books do not need to be faith based. However, new ideas are always welcome of religious books that can be rotated into the cry room.

Saint Gerard's Circle is hosting a Back-to-School picnic on **Sunday, August 27, from 5:00 - 8:00 p.m.** in the parish center gym. Bring your families and a dessert to share. Please RSVP to the Facebook group or contact Emily Huey at 615-483-3089 as the meal and water/lemonade will be provided.



May He Rest in Peace

Sympathy is extended to the family of
Bob Luttrell, brother of Jane Klobe.

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

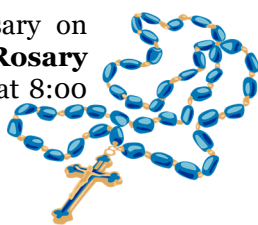


Baptismal Prep

Parents and godparents are required to attend a baptismal preparation class before a child is baptized in the Catholic faith. The next class is scheduled for **Sunday, August 20, at 2:00 p.m.** and will be held in the upper meeting room. Contact the parish office to register and to fill out a baptismal registration form.

Rosary Walk for Beginning of School Year

Join Father Rick and Father Alex as they pray a Rosary on **Wednesday, August 23** (the first day of school). The **Rosary Walk** will start at the front doors of the school building at 8:00 a.m. Come and walk with others while praying for the protection and the guidance of the Holy Spirit for the new school year. Everyone is welcome!



Thursday Bible Study

Beginning August 24, 2023 • 1:00 - 2:45 p.m.
Upper Meeting Room, St. Vincent de Paul Church

Register by calling 335-7667 (parish office) or 335-1538

The Victory of Christ is an excellent first step in how to read and understand the Book of Revelation. Professor Ian Boxall, D.Phil, in 12 DVD lectures, explains how the early Christians witnessed the victory of Christ over the forces of evil and chaos. There is an \$8.00 fee to cover the cost of study guides available to those who register by August 21. Please consider registering for this 10-week program as you look forward to sharing this often misunderstood book.



All married couples and religious who previously took part in a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend are invited to a community meeting on **Sunday, August 27, 2023, from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.** at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 316 S. Spanish Street, Cape Girardeau. If planning to attend, RSVP to Alicia Schumer at 573-225-8776. Please bring your dialogue journal.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter presents weekend experiences for married couples to rekindle romance, enhance meaningful communication, and deepen and renew commitment. The next weekend experiences will take place on **September 29 - October 1, 2023, and December 1 - 3, 2023**, in St. Peters, Missouri. If you have not previously attended a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend, sign-up now! For more information or to apply, go to www.me.org, or call Terry and Eric Engholm at 314-649-7317.



• The Week Ahead •

Monday, August 14

7:15 am St. Vincent de Paul Society
8:00 am Ugly Quilt Ministry (8:00 - 11:00 am)
5:30 pm Home & School Parent Meeting

Tuesday, August 15

9:30 am Communion Service at Fountainbleau

Wednesday, August 16

8:00 am Ugly Quilt Ministry (8:00 - 11:00 am)
10:00 am Mass at Capetown
3:00 pm Divine Mercy Holy Hour
6:00 pm Fulfilled Book Study
6:00 pm Children's Liturgy Meeting

Thursday, August 17

9:00 am Maxine's Shareable Wearables (9:00 - 11:00 am)
5:30 pm Centering Prayer

Friday, August 18

Saturday, August 19

9:00 am Maxine's Shareable Wearables (9:00 - 12:00 pm)
3:30 pm Reconciliation
6:00 pm Prayer Ministry

Sunday, August 20

Prayer Ministry after Masses
2:00 pm Baptismal Prep
6:30 pm Dead Theologians Society (Youth Ministry)

*In observance of the
Assumption of the Blessed
Virgin Mary (Holy Day),
the parish office will be closed
Tuesday, August 15.*

Readings - August 20, 2023

Isaiah 56:1, 6-7 • Romans 11:13-15, 29-32
Matthew 15:21-28

Collection - August 6, 2023

Collection	\$ 16,019.27
E-Tithing	\$ 337.00
Total	\$ 16,356.27
Weekly Budget	\$ 34,200.00
Difference (7-1-23 to 7-30-23)	\$ 13,827.22

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

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Wednesday Morning Women's Bible Study

Please join the Wednesday Morning Women's Bible Study this fall as they learn about the Bible and Church Fathers. Learn who the Early Church Fathers were and how they shaped the way Scripture is read. It will teach you what you need to know about how the Bible took form and help you understand Scripture's relationship to tradition and, in particular, to the Sacraments. The group meets **9:00 - 10:30 a.m. every Wednesday (starting September 6)** in the upper meeting room of church. If interested, please call Rhonda Cuba at 573-979-7489.

As you are hearing a call to pray, please consider contributing some time to pray for the participants and leadership of the upcoming ALPHA series. You will be participating in a simple work of mercy and evangelization effort. Through your prayers, you will be lifting up others with love to the grace of God. Some call this "soulever" (sue-le-vee in French) or "palanca" (in Portuguese). You are also invited to pray in the sanctuary on Wednesday evenings from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. during the ALPHA evenings. You decide how much time you can offer to pray on Wednesdays at church. Soulever is powerful when many pray together in the same place. Contact Pam Saucier at 573-837-3703 if you are able to participate in prayer on ALPHA Wednesdays or can offer up "soulever" — a spiritual bouquet for the ALPHA series — on your own time.

St. Vincent de Paul, pray for us.

"Take courage, it is I. Do not be afraid." Uncertainty can sometimes bring fear along with God's call. If the Lord is truly calling you, what is needed is trust. If you are discerning your vocation, contact Father Alex at 573-335-7667 or email fatheralex@svparish.com.

Welcome to St. Vincent de Paul

If you would like to register for the parish, change your address, or simply have questions, please fill out the form and place it in the collection basket. You may also mail it to the parish office at 1913 Ritter Drive, Cape Girardeau, MO 63701. Please feel free to contact parish office staff anytime during regular office hours, Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. You may email the parish office at contactus@svparish or call 335-7667. A parish registration form is available at <http://www.svcape.com/Parish/>.

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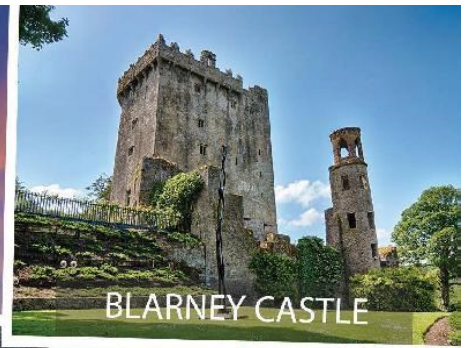
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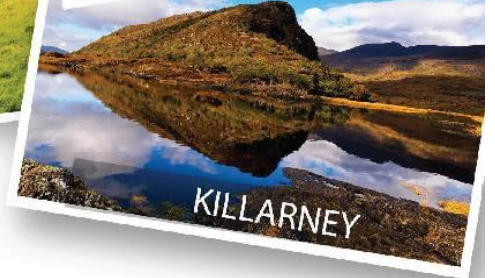
- ☐ I am new to Cape Girardeau. ☐ I am new to St. Vincent de Paul Parish.
- ☐ I have been attending St. Vincent Parish and would like to register as a member.
- ☐ Please change my address to the one shown above.
- ☐ I would like to sign up for Faith Direct.
- ☐ I would like to learn more about the Catholic faith.
- ☐ I would like to register my child/children for Parish School of Religion.



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