



St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church

Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time
November 17, 2024

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
Service • Worship

Weekend Masses

Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.,
3:00 p.m. (Spanish/English)

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

Confessions

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

Parish Office Hours

Monday - Friday
8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.



The Source and Summit ...
Eucharistic Revival 2022-2025

Walk With One
The Greatest Love Story

Okay ... now that you have talked to God about “walking with” another person, how about we get together and pray for those individuals?

Father Rick will have a Holy Hour in Church at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 26, and on Tuesday, December 3. Each night will be the same. In the presence of the Blessed Sacrament, you can share your journey so far with how your “Walk with One” is doing. If you do not have a person identified yet, no worry ... this may be the night God speaks to you who that person is to be. Since we are close to Advent, we will make this a time of prayer, and we will focus on our walk to Bethlehem. No RSVP is needed ... just show up in Church on either of those nights.

For more, go to <https://www.eucharisticrevival.org/walk-with-one> and investigate more.

What is a

Spiritual Bouquet?

A spiritual bouquet is a beautiful, Catholic tradition of offering prayers, charitable acts, and sacrifices to someone else to express joy, best wishes, or comfort in sorrow and often in commemoration of a special occasion. They are devotional acts and prayers said on behalf of someone else and for their intentions.

During the weekends of **November 23/24, November 30/December 1,** and **December 7/8,** spiritual bouquets will be gathered for **Bishop Emeritus John Liebrecht's 40th Episcopal Anniversary.**

During the weekends of **December 7/8, December 14/15,** and **December 21/22** bouquets will be gathered for **Diocesan Seminarians** and **Jordan Huff** who is discerning consecrated life with the Dominican Sisters of St. Cecilia.

Spiritual bouquet forms will be available in the Gathering Area.

Heaven and earth
will pass away,
but my
words
will not pass away.

MARK 13:31

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• Mass Intentions •

Monday, November 18

The Dedication of the Basilica of Sts. Peter and Paul

6:30 am Living and Deceased Members
of the Bobby Dean Family

Tuesday, November 19

6:30 am Abby Jansen ☩

Wednesday, November 20

6:30 am Rita Glueck ☩

5:15 pm Living and Deceased Members
of the Erin Nabe Family

Thursday, November 21

The Presentation of the of the Blessed Virgin Mary

6:30 am John Montgomery ☩

8:00 am Leonard Jansen ☩

Friday, November 22 St. Cecilia

6:30 am Gene Friese ☩

8:00 am **No Mass**

Saturday, November 23

St. Clement I, St. Columban, Blessed Miguel Agustin Pro

6:30 am Living and Deceased Members of the
Anthony and Patricia Grasso Family

5:00 pm St. Vincent de Paul Parish Family

Sunday, November 24

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

8:00 am Living and Deceased Members
of the Schlatt and Ruga Families

10:00 am Paul and Aline Scherer ☩

3:00 pm Parker Motley (living)
(Bilingual)

• Prayer Requests •

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

Congratulations to ...

Todd and Margaret Buersmeyer
as they celebrate their
15th wedding anniversary.



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

► Sign Up for FORMED

1. Go to FORMED org/signup and
2. Enter your parish zip code (63701)
or name to select your parish
(St. Vincent de Paul).
3. Enter your name and email.

The readings today speak of the end of the world and the coming of the kingdom. The bishop's pastoral on stewardship says clearly that "that life to come" is in continuity with this present life through the human goods, the worthy human purposes, which people foster now." May our good stewardship help us to be numbered among the chosen on the last day!

Rosary Prayer Group

The Holy Rosary will be prayed this **Sunday, November 17, at 1:30 p.m.** at the **St. John Henry Newman Center**, Cape Girardeau.



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, November 19, 2024**. 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.

Dead Theologians Society This Sunday



Join us for DTS

Every 3rd Sunday 6:30 - 8:00pm

The Old Convent @ St. Vincent

ALL HIGH SCHOOL TEENS WELCOME

DTS is a gathering of High School
Teens from across the region.

We host monthly DTS meetings
right here at St. Vincent.

Each meeting consists of snacks, fun,
and of course prayer! We spend time
praying for the dead and learning
about a different saint.

The Motto of DTS is
Mortuum Mundo, Vivum In Christo
Dead to the World, Alive in Christ

Grab a couple friends and
make plans to join us this month!

St. Gerard Circle News

Mothers, give yourself the evening off and join other mothers from St. Gerard Circle to reflect on this season of life!

St. Gerard Circle is hosting their monthly meeting this **Thursday, November 21, at 7:00 p.m.** in the lower meeting room of church. Gather with other mothers for an evening filled with faith and fellowship.

St. Gerard Circle is a ministry for mothers of young children in 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, continuation of spiritual guidance for members and families, and to encourage community involvement.

Please check the Facebook page for more details: Saint Gerard Circle- St. Vincent de Paul Parish- Cape Girardeau, MO.

IS CATHERINE'S CUPBOARD ON YOUR GROCERY LIST?

May They Rest in Peace



Sympathy is extended to the families of:

Marvin Moro, brother-in-law of Kathy Berkbiger;

Jeffrey Hobson, a member of the St. Vincent de Paul Parish family; and

William "Bill" Bohnert, 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.*

American Red Cross Blood Drive

Monday, November 25, 2024 • 1:00 - 5:00 p.m.

St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church • Lower Meeting Room

Please call 1-800-REDCROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter: StVincentDePaulChurch to schedule an appointment.



Mass of Remembrance

*Our annual Mass of Remembrance will be celebrated
Monday, November 25, at 5:15 p.m.*

As we close the month of November, in which the church celebrates the communion of saints and all souls, a special Mass will be celebrated to commemorate our loved ones who have gone before us. Please join us November 25 as we celebrate the lives of all who remain close in our hearts and commemorate, in a special way, St. Vincent parishioners who passed into eternal life this past year.



JOIN US FOR OUR

Charlie Brown Inspired FRIENDSGIVING FEAST

RSVP Here



**Tuesday Nov 26, 24 @ 6:00pm
@ the Old Convent @ St. Vincent
High School Teens only**

Bring a food item to share!



• The Week Ahead •

Monday, November 18

8:00 am SVS Confirmation Class

Tuesday, November 19

8:00 am SVS Confirmation Class

9:30 am Communion Service
at Fountainbleau

5:30 pm OCIA

6:00 pm Tuesday Evening Bible Study

Wednesday, November 20

9:00 am Wednesday Morning Bible Study

10:00 am Mass at Capetown

1:00 pm Jesus and the Eucharist Small Group

3:00 pm Divine Mercy Holy Hour

6:00 pm Parish School of Religion

6:00 pm Jesus and the Eucharist Small Group

Thursday, November 21

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

9:00 am Thursday Women's Bible Study

5:00 pm Centering Prayer

5:00 pm School Board

7:00 pm St. Gerard Circle

Friday, November 22

Saturday, November 23

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

3:30 pm Reconciliation

Sunday, November 24

10:00 am Children's Liturgy of the Word

11:30 am Alpha



Readings - November 24, 2024

Daniel 7:13-14 • Revelation 1:5-8
John 18:33b-37

Collection - November 10, 2024

Collection	\$ 14,586.78
E-Tithing	\$ 38,629.34
Total	\$ 53,216.12
Weekly Budget	\$ 35,000.00
Difference (7-1-24 to 11-10-24)	\$ 9,780.26

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

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Vincent's Vittles

The next Vincent's Vittles meal will be on **Saturday, November 30**, and will be hosted by the Wibbenmeyer and Huber families. Plan to attend and bring a friend!

Advent - Starting December 1!

Give *yourself* a Gift! Choose from one of these top-rated Advent programs:

From Ascension —



Join Fr. Mike Schmitz's first-ever Advent program. Every day, Fr. Mike will dive into the daily readings. It only takes a few minutes a day. Commit. Grow. Be inspired. Learn. Join at: www.ascensionpress.com/FrMikeAdvent.

From Dynamic Catholic —



Most people spend the month before Christmas feeling busy and overwhelmed. Don't let that be your story! Join *Dynamic Catholic* for **Best Advent Ever** and get ready to slow down, reconnect, and rediscover the peace of the Christmas season. Join at: www.dynamiccatholic.com/advent24.

St. Vincent de Paul Men's Association Christmas Celebration

All men of the parish, 18 and older, are invited to the annual St. Vincent de Paul Men's Association Christmas Mass and Dinner on **Monday, December 2**. Mass will be celebrated at **6:00 p.m. in Old St. Vincent Church**, 131 S. Main Street. Immediately following Mass and Christmas carols, there will be a smoked chicken dinner held at **Kohlfeld Distributing**, 4691 E. Jackson Boulevard, (North Kingshighway). Bring a friend to celebrate the Christmas season in fellowship with the men of St. Vincent de Paul Parish. If you have questions, contact Craig Schumer at cjschumer@hotmail.com or at 573-380-1105.

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 573-335-7667. A parish registration form is available at <http://www.svcape.com/Parish/>.

Name _____

Address _____

Email _____ Phone _____

☐ I am new to Cape Girardeau.

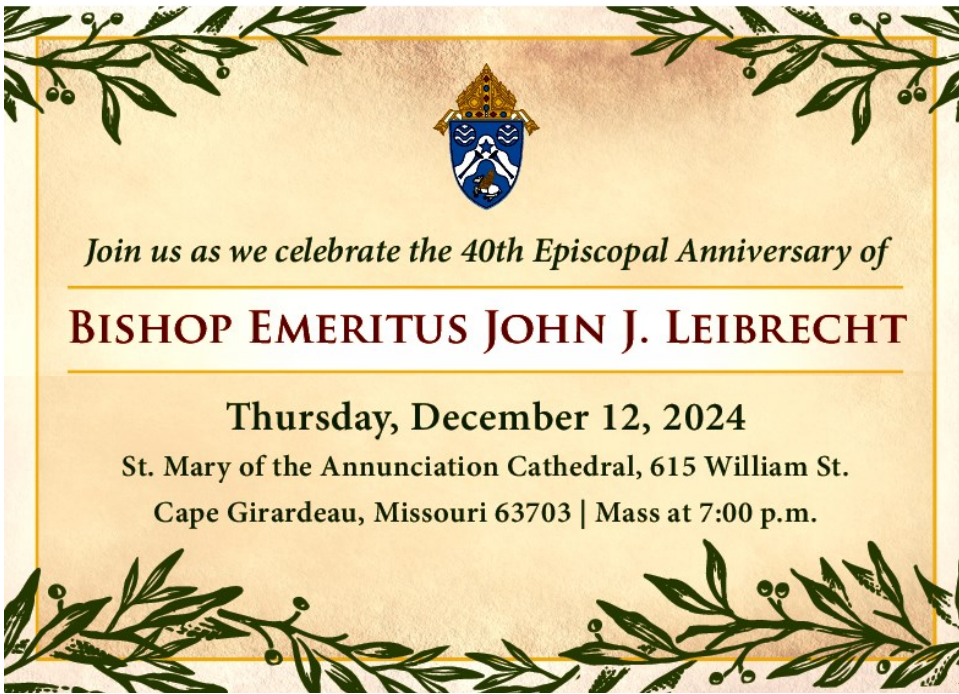
☐ I have been attending St. Vincent Parish and would like to register as a member.

☐ I would like to learn more about the Catholic faith.

☐ I am new to St. Vincent de Paul Parish.

☐ I would like to sign up for Faith Direct.

☐ Please change my address to the one shown above.



Reservations at Capacity

All seats are now reserved for **Advent by Candlelight on December 2**. Thanks to a fantastic response, reservations are now being added to a waiting list. Due to demand, please contact Laura Delgado at 573-225-0999 if you need to cancel. Those on the waiting list will be contacted if a seat becomes available.

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, December 15, at 4:30 p.m.** and will be held in the upper meeting room of Church. An additional class will be held on December 15. Contact the parish office to register and complete a baptismal registration form.

Church Year Cycle C lector workbooks may be picked up in the sacristy after Masses or at the parish office between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday - Friday.

Positions Available

St. Vincent de Paul School is currently accepting applications for a **part-time teacher's aide** for kindergarten. The position is five days a week, mornings only. The school is also seeking a **full-time custodian** for the current school year. Hours are 11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Monday - Friday. Applicant must complete Virtus training and a background check. For an application or more info, please contact St. Vincent de Paul Parish office at 573-335-7667.

Notre Dame Regional High School is looking for a committed individual to **coach the Notre Dame Boys' Tennis Team** for the spring 2025 season. Practices begin March 3 and are held in the afternoons after school with matches held throughout the season. Notre Dame is also looking for a committed individual to **coach the Notre Dame Cheer Team** for the 2024-2026 season. Tryouts are held in April with the coaching position starting in the spring of 2025. Please contact Athletic Director Jeff Graviett at jeffgraviett@notredamecape.org if you are interested in applying for either position. The application window will close December 2, 2024.

Hams for the Holiday

Again this year, St. Vincent de Paul Parish will partner with St. Mary's Food Pantry to provide holiday hams to needy families in the area.

If you would like to purchase a ham for a family, place \$15 (cash or check) in a marked envelope and drop it in the collection basket at weekend Masses. You may mail a check to St. Vincent Parish, 1913 Ritter Dr., Cape Girardeau, MO 63701. Please write "Ham Donation" in the memo line. You may also donate electronically by visiting faith.direct/MO885 and checking "Ham Donation."



All married couples and religious who previously took part in a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter** weekend are invited to a community meeting on the **third Sunday of each month from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.** at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 316 S. Spanish. If planning to attend, RSVP to Alicia Schumer at 573-225-8776.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter presents weekend experiences for married couples to rekindle romance, enhance meaningful communication, and deepen and renew commitment. Sign up now as space is limited. For more information or to apply, go to wwme.org, or call Terry and Eric Engholm at 314-649-7317. Upcoming dates include ...

- **December 6 - 8, 2024, St. Peter's**
- **January 31 - February 2, 2025, St. Peter's**
- **April 4 - 6, 2025, St. Peter's**

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