

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.

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time February 9, 2025

World Day of Marriage and National Marriage Week

Marriage is a Vocation!



Today is the celebration of World Marriage Day. Take time to pray for your spouse and each other as you give thanks to God as you lift up your marriage to Him. Do something special for your spouse this weekend to show your gratitude for his/her YES! Your goal in this Vocation

of Marriage should be to get your spouse to heaven. Take time to ponder in your heart how you can do that, starting right now.



Mirror Subscription Renewal Weekend

This weekend, **February 8-9**, is set aside to renew your subscription to the diocesan newspaper, The Mirror. The cost is \$14 for a year for biweekly print issues. There is an envelope in your packet of contribution

envelopes or you can pay through your Faith Direct account. Your Mirror payment is appreciated. It is a policy of the Diocese that all families have an opportunity to receive The Mirror. Thank you for your support of the diocesan newspaper's ministry.



?? Bible Quiz ??

In Luke's account of Jesus calling the first disciples from their work as fishermen to follow him and "fish for men." which disciple is not named?

Answer: D (See Luke 5:1-11)

- A. James B. John
- C. Simon

D. Andrew

THEN I HEARD THE VOICE OF THE LORD SAYING. "WHOM SHALL I SEND? WHO WILL 80 FOR US?" "Here I am," I said; "Send Me!"

ISalaH 6:8

Mass Intentions

Monday, February 10 St. Scholastica

6:30 am Scott Koch &

Tuesday, February 11 Our Lady of Lourdes

6:30 am Tom LeGrand ₽

Wednesday, February 12

6:30 am Anne Amelunke &

5:15 pm Ann and Robert Drury ⊕

Thursday, February 13

6:30 am Albert Hauer (living)

8:00 am Paul Hendrickson ♣

Friday, February 14

Sts. Cyril and Methodius

6:30 am Living and Deceased Members

of the Kevin McMeel Family

8:00 am Jane Stephens &

Saturday, February 15

6:30 am Mary Schultz ₺

5:00 pm Paul and Alline Scherer ⊕

Sunday, February 16

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am Shawnique Buchheit (living)

10:00 am Living and Deceased Members

of the AB and Judy Miller Family 3:00 pm St. Vincent de Paul Parish Family

(Bilingual)

Prayer Requests

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



End of year contribution statements have been prepared and mailed. If you



do not receive yours soon, please contact Rose at the parish office by calling 573-335-7667.



In today's readings, both Isaiah and Peter hear the call of God and feel themselves unworthy. But, reassured by the Lord, both answer and follow. Do I hear the Lord asking, "Whom shall I send?" Am I prepared to answer, "Here I am. Send me!"?

Pre-School/Pre-K/Kindergarten Registration

Registration for Preschool and Pre-K is taking place now for the 2025-2026 school year.

- Preschool and Pre-K registration for parish children with no siblings in school will be held on Tuesday, February 11, from 7:30 a.m. 5:00 p.m. in the upper meeting room.
- Registration for non-parish children with siblings in school will be held on **Thursday**, **February 13**, **from 7:30 a.m. 3:30 p.m.** in the school office.
- Open registration for all non-parish children will be held on **Wednesday**, **February 19**, **from 7:30 a.m. 3:30 p.m.** in the school office.

Registration for Kindergarten will take place next week for the 2025-2026 school year.

- Kindergarten registration for Baptized parish children and nonparish children with siblings in school will be held on **Thursday**, **February 20**, from 7:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. in the school office.
- Open registration for all non-parish children will be held on **Thursday, February 27, from 7:30 a.m. 3:30 p.m.** in the school office.

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**, **February 16**, **2025**, **at 4:30 p.m.** and will be held in the upper meeting room of Church. Contact the parish office to register and



Dead Theologians Society - This Sunday

DTS (**Dead Theologians Society**) is a gathering of High School teens from across the region. Meetings are hosted monthly on the **third Sunday from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.** in the old convent here at St. Vincent. Each meeting consists of snacks, fun and, of course, prayer! Time is spent praying for the dead and learning about different saints. The motto of DTS is **Mortuum Mundo**, **Vivum In Christo** (**Dead to the World**, **Alive in Christ**). Grab a few friends and make plans to attend!

The next **Cursillo** opportunity for men will be February 20-23 at Pinecrest Camp and Conference Center in Fredericktown, Missouri. The women's weekend will be March 20-23 also at Pinecrest. Cursillo is a three-day learning and sharing experience of what it truly means to live as a Christian. If you are looking for more in your faith life; if you want to know how to live out your baptismal calling and are looking for a life-long method to carry you through on your journey, Cursillo may be for you! For more information go to https://dioscg.org/cursillo/.

May They Rest in Peace

Sympathy is extended to the families of: **Harold Ward**, father of Kent Ward; **Joyce Dunn**, grandmother of Daniel Dunn; and **James Earl McArthur Jr.**, brother of Therese Klipfel.

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



A Note from Father Rick

Last weekend, we announced our capital campaign for St. Vincent de Paul Parish. Building on our rich heritage, we've selected the capital campaign theme of *Extending the Mission ... Building on the Cornerstone of Christ* with the intent of drawing from our Vincentian legacy while planning for our parish's future for decades to come. Our goal is to combine prayers and service from the church community with a well-organized, clearly defined, and transparently communicated capital campaign to provide the financial resources to enhance the discipleship, hospitality, service, and worship elements of our parish community.

This campaign will secure the future of St. Vincent de Paul Parish by raising a minimum of \$7 million. The updated worship space, gathering space, school updates, and Parish Family Center supports our mission to be a welcoming community formed around the Eucharist and open to the workings of the Holy Spirit.

Additional news and information about the important effort will be provided throughout the course of our campaign. To help provide more information for parishioners' consideration, several communication tools are available for *Extending the Mission ... Building on the Cornerstone of Christ*:

- Parish website
- Gathering Space TV/Slide show and architectural renderings
- Weekly bulletins
- Campaign leadership team and volunteers

"You are making a tremendous difference helping the parish move ahead with this multifaceted project. Don't be bashful in pledging your money. Please consider your gift carefully and think what a difference you will make."

~ Trent Summers ~

Total Dollars Raised: \$4,915,700 Percent Towards Target: 70%

If the weather is bad and St. Vincent de Paul School has been cancelled ... activities and events at the parish will also be cancelled for the same day. This would include evening activities also (unless you hear otherwise from the event leader). For up-to-date info, please check KFVS cancellations on television and website. Also, if it is on the weekend and your driveway/street is compromised because of ice/snow, please feel free to live-stream the Mass from either St. Vincent or another Mass option.

The Week Ahead

Monday, February 10

7:15 am St. Vincent de Paul Society 8:00 am SVS Confirmation Class

Tuesday, February 11

7:30 am Preschool/Pre-K Registration 8:00 am SVS Confirmation Class 10:00 am Communion Service at Heartland Care

6:00 pm Tuesday Evening Bible Study

Wednesday, February 12

8:00 am Ugly Quilts
9:00 am Wednesday Morning Bible Study
9:00 am Mass at Veterans' Home
1:30 pm 33 Days to Eucharistic Glory
3:00 pm Divine Mercy Holy Hour

6:00 pm Parish School of Religion 6:15 pm 33 Days to Eucharistic Glory

Thursday, February 13

7:30 am Preschool/Pre-K Registration
9:00 am Maxine's Shareable Wearables
(9:00 - 11:00 am)

9:00 am Thursday Women's Bible Study

5:30 pm Centering Prayer

Friday, February 14

Saturday, February 15

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

6:00 pm Prayer Ministry

Sunday, February 16

Prayer Ministry after Masses

10:00 am Children's Liturgy 4:30 pm Baptismal Prep

6:30 pm Dead Theologians (Youth Min.)



Readings - February 16, 2025

Jeremiah 17:5-8 1 Corinthians 15:12, 16-20 Luke 6:17, 20-26

Collection - February 2, 2025

Collection	\$ 35,526.76
E-Tithing	\$ 352.00
Total	\$ 35,878.76
Weekly Budget	\$ 35,000.00
Difference (7-1-24 to 2-2-25)	\$ 58,309.38

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

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- 3. Enter your name and email.

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ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



Job Opportunities

St. Vincent de Paul School is seeking an Assistant Principal for the 2025-2026 school year. This candidate should have experience in Catholic education and a commitment to fostering the mission of St. Vincent de Paul Catholic School. Applicants should be an active Catholic, have a Missouri teaching certification, (administrative certification a plus) and hold a master's degree in School Administration. Interested candidates may contact Kay Glastetter, kglastetter@svcape.eduk12.net, or call the school office at 573-334-9594.

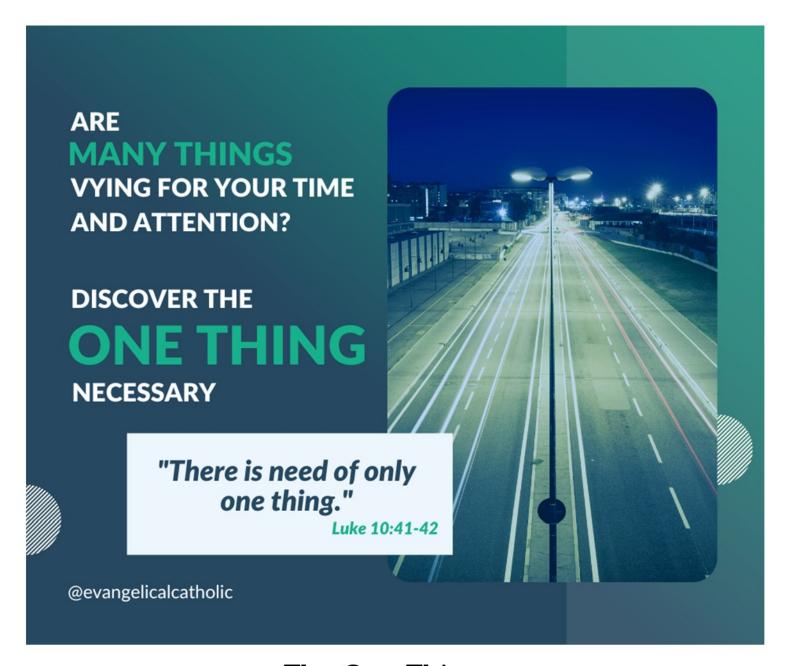
St. Vincent de Paul School is currently accepting applications for a **Fifth Grade Teacher**. The candidate should have a current Missouri teaching certificate. Preference will be given to practicing Catholics. Interested candidates may contact Kay Glastetter, <u>kglastetter@svcape.eduk12.net</u>, or call the school office at 573-334-9594.

St. Vincent de Paul School is currently accepting applications for an **Art Teacher**. The candidate should have a current Missouri teaching certificate. Preference will be given to practicing Catholics. Interested candidates may contact Kay Glastetter, <u>kglastetter@svcape.eduk12.net</u>, or call the school office at 573-334-9594.

St. Vincent de Paul School is currently accepting applications for a part-time **Technology Teacher**. The candidate should have a current Missouri teaching certificate. Preference will be given to practicing Catholics. Interested candidates may contact Kay Glastetter, <u>kglastetter@svcape.eduk12.net</u>, or call the school office at 573-334-9594.

Notre Dame Regional High School is accepting applications for a full-time **Theology Teacher** for the upcoming 2025-2026 school year. A bachelor's degree in Theology is preferred. Applicants should submit a cover letter, resume, and a list of references to Principal Paul Unterreiner at paulunterreiner@notredamecape.org by February 21, 2025.

Notre Dame Regional High School is seeking applicants for a **Freshman Girls Volleyball Coach**. This is a part-time position for the fall sports season and during off-season practices. Interested applicants should submit a cover letter, resume and list of references to Jeff Graviett at jeffgraviett@notredamecape.org.



- The One Thing – Making Prayer the Fuel and Flame of Your Life

One of the most common resolutions among Christians is to "pray more." This desire is beautiful, but amidst a very busy daily life filled with work, family, social and other engagements, it can be extremely difficult to put this desire into actual practice. Yet the fact remains: prayer is vitally important for the sake of our own hearts and sanity. In the Gospel (Luke 10:42), Jesus told Martha that only one thing is needed above all else ... and that was to spend time listening attentively to Him. How can we realistically do this today? Join us in Church on Tuesday, February 18, at 6:30 p.m. for a night of inspiration, prayer, discussion, and practical tips on how to put God first. The presenter and guide will be Mari Pablo from Evangelical Catholic. For more information, contact the Parish Office at 573-335-7667 or Julie Schuchardt at 573-450-7727.

What is the Purpose of Attending - The One Thing -

The primary goal is to inspire participants to take the 30-day **1% Challenge Prayer Pledge**. What does this consist of? Here is the testimony from a married man and father on what the pledge did for him and his family.

My wife and I can so easily get into what we call "roommate mode."

We get so busy, run so fast, work so hard,
do good and necessary things for each other and our family.

Dishes need to be washed, laundry folded, bills paid, meals cooked,
the kids driven to soccer practices, we attend Church events, etc.

Yet even in all this good activity done in the name of our marriage and our family,
we can miss one another, even grow distant from one another.

This is what we mean by roommate mode, and we both know when we're in it.

There's little to no closeness:

no slow, wasteful time together; no intimacy.

And there's only one way to get out of roommate mode and become more connected; It is to spend more time doing the following:

sit down, talk, and listen to one another.

That's it, there's no other cure for "roommate mode" than time and communication.

We need to look one another in the eyes, talk, and listen.

"How was your day?"

"How did that event go you were nervous about?"

"Thank you for taking care of that, I really appreciate it."

"How are you doing? Really?"

The 1% Challenge is an invitation to get out of roommate mode with God.

Don't stop doing good things to serve God through your vocation.

But build in some regular "sit down, talk, and listen" time each day.

Slow down for 15 minutes, look the Lord in the eye, and talk and listen to your Father who loves you.

There is no charge for this event because the Knights of Columbus in the State of Missouri have provided a grant to our Diocese to offer this event here at St. Vincent de Paul. Please take advantage of this wonderful time of growing more appreciative of your relationship with God and your loved ones.

Tuesday, February 18 at 6:30 p.m. in Church. Please RSVP the Church Office (573-335-7667) if you need childcare.

Vincent's Vittles

The next Vincent's Vittles meal will be on **Saturday**, **February 22**. Plan to attend and invite a friend! Individuals and groups are welcome to participate in this rewarding ministry. Please contact Deacon Mark if interested!

Thursday Afternoon Bible Study

February 27 - April 10, 2025 • 1:00 - 2:45 p.m. St. Vincent de Paul Parish Upper Meeting Room Register at the parish office, phone 573-335-7667 or 573-335-1538

The study this Lent is **The Passion and Resurrection Narratives of Jesus** by Stephen J. Binz (Liturgical Press). Each writer provides a profoundly distinctive contribution to the understanding of Jesus and his saving acts; they are a living reality for the present. Through the reflection on these accounts, you will more fully understand the central events of Christian faith.

Each meeting will include discussions and DVD instruction. There is a fee of \$8.00 to cover the cost of commentaries available for those who register by February 24.



All married couples and religious who previously took part in a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter** weekend are invited to a community meeting on the **second Sunday of each month from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.** at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 316 S. Spanish. If planning to attend, please 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 www.encount.com, or call Terry and Eric Engholm at 314-649-7317. Upcoming dates include ...

- April 4 6, 2025, St. Peter's, Missouri
- June 13 15, 2025, St. Peter's, Missouri
- August 1 3, 2025, Cape Girardeau, Missouri

IS CATHERINE'S CUPBOARD ON YOUR GROCERY LIST?

Upcoming Events

Breakfast and Bake Sale Sunday, February 9, 2025 7:30 - 11:30 a.m. St. Joseph Church Apple Creek, Missouri

Meal includes sausage, scrambled eggs, fried potatoes, biscuits, gravy, fruit, homemade coffee cake and drink. Adults \$10, Children \$5, Under age 5 free

All-You-Can-Eat Breakfast Sunday, February 9, 2025 7:30 - 11:30 a.m. St. Denis Parish Center

Benton, Missouri

Meal includes homemade pork sausage, ham, eggs, biscuits, gravy, fruit salad, and drink Goodwill donation accepted

Annual Dinner
Sunday, February 9, 2025
10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
St. Augustine Catholic Church
Kelso, Missouri

Meal includes pork loin, chicken and dumplings, mashed potatoes, green beans, slaw, dessert, and drinks. Adults \$15, Children \$7, Under age 5 free

All-You-Can-Eat Fish Fry Friday, February 14, 2025 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus Hall

Advance, Missouri

Meal includes fish, chicken,
mac and cheese, baked beans,
hush puppies, fries, slaw.

Adults \$15, Under age 15 free
with adult paid plate

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@syparish or call 573-335-7667. A parish registration form is available at http://www.sycape.com/Parish/.

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