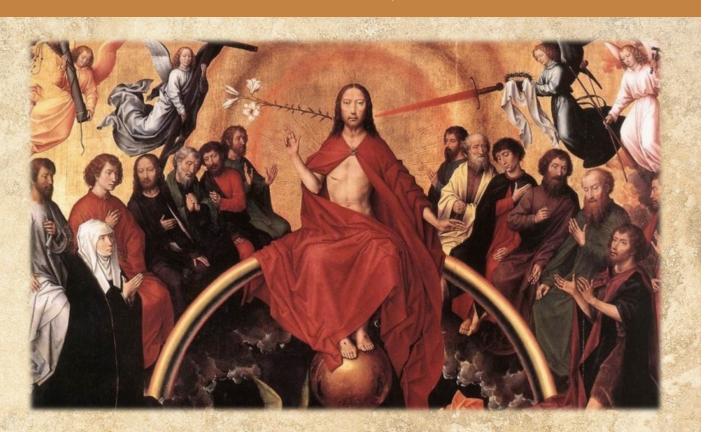
# St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time November 18, 2018



# **OUR PARISH MISSION:**

We are a welcoming, loving, growing family called by Christ to share, experience, and celebrate God's presence and loving redemption.

# **PARISH OFFICE HOURS:**

Monday -Thursday 8:30 am-3:00 pm Friday 8:30 am - 12:00 noon

### **WEEKEND MASSES:**

Saturday 4:00 pm, 6:00 pm Sunday 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 pm (Noon)

# **DAILY MASSES:**

Monday - Saturday 8:00 am

### **CONFESSIONS:**

Saturday 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm Wednesday 7:15 am - 7:45 am 1st Friday 7:30 am

### **EUCHARISTIC EXPOSITION:**

Tuesday 8:30 am - 9:30 am, Friday 8:30 am - 3:00 pm

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# Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

# **November 18, 2018**

# MINISTRIES/CLUBS

# If interested in participating, please see contacts below: Altar Linens: Linda Tedesco \_\_\_\_\_(352) 330-0220 Altar Servers: Bob Rizzi \_\_\_\_\_(352) 430-2388 Paul Danis \_\_\_\_\_\_ (352) 750-0440 Caring Neighbors Ministry: Terri Williams\_\_\_\_\_(352) 399-2894 Choir: Becki Pishko \_\_\_\_\_ music@sumtercatholic.org Council of Catholic Women: Roberta Cheever \_\_\_\_\_\_(352) 750-3529 Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Donna Pelech \_\_\_\_\_\_ (901) 286-7997 Faith Formation: Frank Webber \_\_\_\_\_\_ (352) 643-7017 Filipino Choir: Medy Gameng \_\_\_\_\_\_ (757) 810-6727 Filipino Ministry: Merly Soliven-Lavengco\_\_\_\_\_(352) 753-6086 Finance Committee: Dick Dart \_\_\_\_\_(352) 330-0220 Food Pantry: Betty Anne & Thom Horning \_\_\_\_\_(352) 748-0778 Grief Support Group: Don Valentine \_\_\_\_\_(352) 633-0969 Hospitality Ministry: Steven & Connie Accurso\_\_\_\_(352) 638-2142 Knights of Columbus: Mario Acevedo \_\_\_\_\_ (352) 750-1350 Library Helpers: Jane Nelson \_\_\_\_\_ (352) 751-4547 Ministry of Consolation: Barbara Harding \_\_\_\_\_\_(352) 446-0657 Ministry to the Sick: Mary Wresh \_\_\_\_\_(352) 748-3639 Money Counters: Lorna Powell \_\_\_\_\_\_(352) 753-9470 New Parishioner Mentoring: Joan Puleo \_\_\_\_\_(352) 259-8007 New Parishioner Welcoming: Jack Bambury \_\_\_\_\_ (352) 350-6230 Nursing Home Mass Helpers: Crestina Vaught \_\_\_\_\_\_(352) 751-4892 Office Helpers: Star Ciccio\_\_\_\_\_(352) 330-0220 Our Mother's Attic: Michael Leahy\_\_\_\_\_(352) 689-0128 Outreach Ministry: Sheila Duffy \_\_\_\_\_(352) 689-0129 Readers: Sally Thomas \_\_\_\_\_\_(352) 751-4713 Sacristans: Carol Jakubiak \_\_\_\_\_(352) 430-0923 Senior Singles Club: Fran Into\_\_\_\_\_(352) 753-2088 Soup Kitchen: Donna Slider\_\_\_\_\_(352) 748-1008 Spiritual Friendship Club: \_\_\_\_(352) 212-6048 Mariagnes Moran \_\_\_\_ Tech Group: Bob Carberry \_\_\_\_\_ (352) 259-1305 Ushers: Gil Van Nostrand \_\_\_\_\_(352) 430-0004

# **CLERGY**

Fr. Pedro (Peter) Puntal, Pastor	(352) 330-0220
Fr. John McCracken, Parochial Vicar	(231) 233-4429
Fr. Howard King	Retired
Fr. Cromwell Cabrisos	Retired
Fr. Vitalis Ozokpor	_ Prison Chaplain
Dn. Dana McCarthy	_ (352) 750-9875
Dn. Dan Miller	_ (352) 753-1996
Dn. Daniel Pallo	(352) 391-9338
Dn. Walter Price	_ (352) 633-9693
Dn. Greg Senholzi	_ (352) 350-6345
Dn. Rossini Alcos	(815) 483-0154
Sr. Dn. Frank Campione	
Sr. Dn. Claude Curtin	
Sr. Dn. Byron Otradovec, T.O. Carm	_ (352) 330-0775
Sr. Dn. Richard F. Radford, Ed.D	_ (352) 430-4634
Sr. Dn. Richard Stevens	(612) 270-3373

## **COMMUNITY SUPPORT**

Outreach - (352) 689-0129 - 1102 N. Main Street (Route 301), Hours: Tuesday and Thursday 10 am - 1 pm by appt. only

Food Pantry - (352) 748-0778 - 1102 N. Main St. Suite B, Wildwood, Hours: 2nd & 4th Fridays and Mondays following 2nd and 4th Fridays, 9 am - 12 pm

Our Mother's Attic Resale Shop (352) 689-0128, 115 S. Main St. (Route 301), Wildwood Hours: Monday - Friday 9:30am - 4pm, Saturday 9:30am - 2:30pm

#### PARISH CONTACTS

Director of Operations	Cindi Van Nostrand
Office Manager	Star Ciccio
Accountant	
Operations Assistant	Carmen Kreeger
Administrative Assistant	Joyce Prendergast
Accounting Assistant	Diane Bachand
Liturgical Assistant	Linda Tedesco
Ministry Assistant	Beverly Turczyn
Communications Assistant	Krysten Bracaglia
Maintenance Supervisor	Todd Besecker
Maintenance	Tony Autera
Maintenance	Joe Voss
Maintenance	Lee France
Maintenance	Tim Scott
Grounds Keeper	Wally Patrick
Faith Formation Director	Frank Webber
Faith Formation Clerical Assis	stant Sheryl Sharry
Director of Liturgy Comm	

# **CHURCH CALENDAR & ACTIVITIES**



In honor of Dan & Pat MacGinley's 5oth Wedding Anniversary

To request altar flowers for a \$30 donation or a sanctuary lamp for \$25, please come to the church office to make arrangements. For more information, call the office at (352) 330-0220, or go to www. sumtercatholic.org to make a payment.

In loving memory of Nicholas Pietromonaco by Rosemarie Pietromonaco



### **CHURCH ACTIVITIES CALENDAR**

Saturday, November 17 - St. Elizabet	th of Hungary
KOC Necrology & Mass	
Rosary & Devotions	
Reconciliation	.3:00p-3:45p ch
Sunday, November 18 - 33rd Sunday	<u>in Ordinary</u>
<u>Time</u>	•
FF Youth Ministry Knights of Christ	6:00p-8:00p sh
<u> Monday, November 19 - Weekday</u>	
Rosary & Devotions	.8:30a-9:00a ch
R.C.I.A	.9:30a-11:00ash
SCC Meeting	.5:00p-6:30psh
KOC Officers & Directors Meeting	.6:00p-8:00psh
<u>Tuesday, November 20 - Weekday</u>	
Rosary & Devotions	
Eucharistic Adoration	
Caring Neighbors Meeting	
Wednesday, November 21—The Pres	sentation of the
Blessed Virgin Mary	
Bible Study	
Rosary & Devotions	
Filipino Choir Practice	
Bible Study	.5:3op-6:3oppr
Thursday, November 22 - St. Cecilia	
Eucharistic Adoration	
Rosary & Devotions	.8:30a-9:00a ch
<u>Friday, November 23 - Weekday</u>	
Rosary & Devotions	
Saturday, November 24 - St. Andrew	
Rosary & Devotions	
Reconciliation	.3:00p-3:45p ch
Sunday, November 25 - Our Lord Jesus	s Christ, King of

# **Weekly Reading**

Sunday	Mal 3:19-20a; Ps 98:5-6, 7-8, 9; 2 Thes 3:7-12;

Lk 21:5-19

Sunday

Tuesday

Dn 12:1-3; Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11;

Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32

**Monday** Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 & 6; Lk 18:35-43

Rv 3:1-6, 14-22; Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5;

Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday Rv 4:1-11; Ps 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 19:11-28 Thursday Rv 5:1-10; Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b;

Lk 19:41-44

Sir 50:22-24; Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9, 10-11;

1 Cor 1:3-9; Lk 17:11-19

**Friday** Rv 10:8-11; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131;

Lk 19:45-48

 Saturday
 Rv 11:4-12; Ps 144:1, 2, 9-10; Lk 20:27-40

 Sunday
 Dn 7:13-14; Ps 93:1, 1-2, 5; Rv 1:5-8;

Jn 18:33b-37

#### MASS SCHEDULE - November 17 - November 25

Sat.	8:00a	Fr. McCracken		Parishioner's Intentions
	4:00p	Fr. McCracken	†	Patricia Porretto
	6:oop	Fr. Puntal	+	Antoinette Srsich
Sun	8:00a	Fr. McCracken	+	Richard Pelletier
	10:00a	Fr. McCracken	+	Ron Poitinger
	12:00p	Fr. Puntal	+	Patty Rizzo
Mon	8:00a	Fr. Ozokpor	+	Frank & Anna Lazorick
Tue	8:00a	Fr. Puntal	†	Florence McClory
Wed	8:00a	Fr. McCracken	†	Joanne Zatorski- Goldman
Thur	8:00a	Fr. Puntal		The Jordan Family
Fri	8:00a	Fr. King	+	Felicita E. Sanchez
Sat	8:00a	Fr. King	+	Daisy Amador
	4:00p	Fr. McCracken	+	Bertrand & Rita Pratt
	6:oop	Fr. McCracken	+	Anthony Tremaglio
Sun	8:00a	Fr. McCracken	+	Al Napoliello
	10:00a	Fr. McCracken		Parishioner's Intention
	12:00p	Fr. King	†	George Upton

<sup>\*\*</sup>Priest schedules above are subject to change\*\*

## **OFF-SITE MASS INTENTIONS**

Saturday, Nov 17	† Bob Ling
Sunday, Nov 18	† Joseph Bollentino
-	† John Laneve
	† Teresa Cramer
Wednesday, Nov 21	Julie Barrett
Thursday, Nov 22	† Cordy Chase
Friday, Nov 23	† Cordy Chase
Saturday, Nov 24	Laura Scanlon
Sunday, Nov 25	The Pearson Family
	† John O'Neil
	† Larry Harding

# PRAYER

#### **PRAYER GROUP**

**Emmanuel Charismatic Prayer Group:** Meets each Thursday at 6:30 pm in the Social Hall. Everyone is invited to attend and experience the movement of the Holy Spirit, with song, praise & worship. For info call Marge DuBuc (248) 255-6154 or Terry DeLucia (352) 751-1762.

Marian Servants of the Word Incarnate: Please contact Mary Jane Haggerty at (352) 205-8182.

**Small Christian Communities:** Meets twice monthly with focus on the Gospel and exploring personal faith journeys through prayer, discussion and Christian fellowship. Please contact Connie Accurso at (352) 638-2142.

**St. Therese Lay Carmelite Community:** The lay Catholics belong to the Carmelite Order and follow the Rule of Carmel, living the Gospel and following the example of the Blessed Virgin Mary and Elijah. For information call Daisy Kalarithara at (352) 304-5130.

Parish prayers follow the 8 am Mass with cards handed out to allow attendees to share in the prayers.

**Tuesday** - PRAYER FOR PRIEST includes Adoration, 8:30-9:30 am and Rosary.

Wednesday - Rosary for Life.

Thursday - Prayers for our parish.

**First Friday of each month** - Sacred Heart of Jesus including Divine Mercy chaplet, prayer of Reparation and Rosary.

**First Saturday** - Immaculate Heart of Mary includes Fatima prayers of Reparation and Rosary.

### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Through Him, With Him, In Him All things are possible

Tuesday: 8:30 am—9:30 am Friday: 8:30 am—3:00 pm

Please come and spend some quiet, prayerful time with the Lord. Adoration and Benediction following the 8 am Mass Tuesday & Friday.

For info or to schedule an hour on Friday to spend with the Blessed Sacrament, please contact Cathy Catalano at (352) 323-0833 or by email catherine352@comcast.net.

The Marian Servants of the Word Incarnate offer to pray with you during these hours of Eucharistic Adoration.

### PRAYER CARDS ARE AVAILABLE

Are you praying for something special? Bring prayer cards to Adoration on Friday and place them in front of the Blessed Sacrament. Your prayers will be placed on the altar during weekend Masses.





If you or a loved one are in need of the Anointing of the Sick or confession at home, please call the Parish office for a priest visit

# PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR ILL PARISHIONERS:

Mary Bresser Sally Bowron John Goniea Nancy Kelly Charlene Howard Joseph & Linda Ann Cardillo **Julie Barrett** Pacita Noblejas Jason Morris Mary Kay Werner Tim Heiser Maureen Vallo Robert Rosene **Ernest Meyers** Lisa Camp Jennifer Connolly As of November 12, 2018

# PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR RECENTLY DECEASED:

John Laneve Anthony Fusina **Edward Sanchez** Eugene Daudelin Nicholas Verhagen Walter Caspers Daniel Patrick Buckley Larry Harding Jack Catalano Margaret Geruldsen-Draude Patrick McNulty Virginia Nee Marguerite P. Wiseman Michelle Ballenger Lawrence McAllister Jerry Villareal Joseph Farriella

# **HOLY COMMUNION**

## FOR THE HOMEBOUND

Our Ministers to the Sick bring the Eucharist to the homebound and those in care facilities who are not able to come to Mass. If you or a relative would like the Eucharist brought to your home or care facility, please call our Ministry to the Sick Coordinator, Mary Wresh (352) 748-3639.

If you would like to serve the Lord by bringing Him to our parishioners, please call Mary Wresh at (352) 748-3639. Our Ministers to the Sick attend special training so they are confidently prepared and can focus on the Eucharist and our parishioner during their visit.

# AT THE HOSPITAL

When you or a loved one is in the hospital, please inform the staff at registration or later that you are Catholic and would like to be on the Catholic list so Chaplains and Ministers to the Sick know you are there and can visit you.

# **ANOINTING OF THE SICK**

If you or a family member is in need of an anointing of the sick, please call the Parish Office at (352) 330-0220.

Attendance - Nov 3 - Nov 4, 2018
4:00 pm1, 275
6:00 pm633
8:00 am941
10:00 am1,185
12:00 pm1,007
Total 5,041
Offertory - Nov 3, 2018 - Nov 4, 2018 (includes credit/debit card donations)
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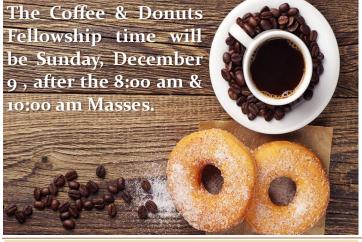


As of November 2018, we received

\$425,631.06 81.6% of our financial goal of \$521,904

Thank you for responding and touching other lives with your generosity.

# **COFFEE & DONUTS**





A warm welcome to our newly registered parishioners. We are pleased to have you worshipping with us.

> **Daniel & Linda Anderson Patrick & Colette Cummings** Charles & Sharon Gladziszewski **Richard & Joanne Grant** Joseph & Katharine Guarini Michael & Rose McGinn Thomas & Elizabeth Mever Erick & Magdalena Rivera



# CALLED TO PRAY



You pray for the hungry. Then you feed them. That's how prayer works!

**Pope Francis** 

# SONG SELECTIONS

### **Prelude:**

Jesus Hope of the World

# **Processional:**

Gather the People

## Gifts:

Eye Has Not Seen

## **Communion:**

Cup of Life Outpoured I Can Only Imagine

### **Meditation:**

Surely the Presence

#### **Recessional:**

Stay Awake, Be Ready

# **ADULT FAITH FORMATION**

# NEW SMALL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITIES NOW FORMING

Mixed Communities
Couple's Communities
All Women's Communities
All Men's Mixed Singles Communities

### ALL ARE WELCOME

**FIND OUT** what Small Christian Communities are all about. **FIND OUT** how you can join a small community for *Prayer*,

Faith Sharing, and Socializing.

FOR DETAILS CALL: Connie Accurso (352) 638-2142 stvincentscc@gmail.com or Frank Webber (352) 643-7017 faithformation@sumtercatholic.org

### CATHOLICS RETURNING HOME PROGRAM



This program offers an opportunity for those who have been away from the church to renew their Faith and learn how the Church has changed over the years. It will be offered again in early 2019. For more information, contact Deacon Dan Pallo at (352) 391-9338.

### CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHINGS ONE DAY RETREAT!

American Bishops state that <u>Catholic Social Teaching</u> is "an essential part of the Catholic Faith" that "far too many Catholics are not familiar with." You are invited to an inspirational, thought provoking retreat focused on the need for charity and justice in our community, world and church. It is geared to remind us that we are created in the likeness and image of God.

When:

Saturday, December 1, 9 am - 3 pm Where:

St. Vincent de Paul Parish Hall **Key Presenter:** 

David O'Brien (Parishioner with a Masters Degrees in Divinity and Peacebuilding from Notre Dame.)

Registration:

Fee of \$15 covers Continental Breakfast and lunch.

Please register at reception desk in the parish office. For more information email or call Frank Webber, faithformation@sumtercatholic.org.(352) 643-7017.

**QUESTION OF THE WEEK:** from the Ultimate Catholic Quiz How many popes have been of Jewish descent?

A. Only one, Peter

B. Two, Peter and his immediate successor, Linus

C. Only three of the first four popes; after the Jewish Council of Jamnia (ca. A.D.8o) which promulgated the finalized Jewish canon of the Bible, no further popes of Jewish descent were elected.

D. More than three

E. None of the above

**See answer at bottom of Family Formation Page** ©2016 By Karl Keating, Publisher Ignatius Press.

THERE WILL BE NO CLASS THIS THURSDAY "Acts of the Apostles: The Spread of the Kingdom", the third program in "The Great Adventure Bible Study" featuring Jeff Cavins, continues Thursday, Nov 29, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm in the Social Hall with session #8. The second part of the course will be presented on Tuesdays Feb. 5 - Mar 5, 2019. For more information, please email or call Frank Webber at faithformation@sumtercatholic.org or (352)643-7077.

# "Jesus Of Nazareth and the Gospels" Tuesday, December 4, 2 pm — 4 pm

Ed Latimer is a teacher and fellow parishioner with extensive background in biblical studies. He will be providing a basic presentation on gospel events and biblical stories. This will help you understand the historical, societal and religious backgrounds of Jesus' time; this includes providing historical context alongside modern geography and architecture. The presentation follows Jesus from birth until his death as well as the resurrection. Registration helps us in planning, but walk-ins are welcome.

To register, email or call Frank Webber at faithformation@sumtercatholic.org (352) 643-7017.
Please provide name, email address and phone number.

#### WOMEN OF GRACE FOUNDATIONAL STUDY AT ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Information and Registration Session: Thursday, January 10, 2019 from 9:30 to 10:30 am Study Dates Thursdays, January 24, 2019 to March 21, 2019 9:30 to 11:30

Learn how you can embrace your gift of authentic femininity and dignity as a daughter of God. Based on Johnnette Benkovic's book, Full of Grace: Women and the Abundant Life. In this nine-week foundational study, you will explore prayer, Sacred Scripture, Church documents and teachings, the Catechism, the lives of women saints and the example of Our Blessed Mother. You will become better equipped to fulfill your call and mission as a Woman of Grace in the world today.

Facilitator: Sue Garza For more information contact (352) 750-6349 or (913) 269-4352 or email suegarza50@yahoo.com

Adult Bible Study with Deacon Dana is held on BIR Wednesdays, at 8:45 am and 5:30 pm in the prayer room. All are welcome!



**"the Word Among us"** for Advent is available in the Narthex. Suggested donation is \$2.00.

Director of Faith Formation: Frank Webber, (352) 643-7017 or faithformation@sumtercatholic.org

Administrative Assistant: Sheryl Sharry, (352) 643-7053 or assistant-faithformation@sumtercatholic.org

# **FAMILY FAITH FORMATION**

### **CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION**

Faith Formation for grades Pre-K--8th are held every Wednesday evening from 6:15 pm - 7:45 pm. We begin in the church with a 15 minute prayer service for parents and children before classes meet in the Social Hall. For more information, contact Frank Webber or Sheryl Sharry in the Faith Formation office.

Liturgy of the Word for Children is celebrated on Sundays during the 10:00 am Mass. All children are invited.



# THE KNIGHTS OF CHRIST YOUTH GROUP

Dave and Judy Hasman (352) 461-0062 All meetings are held in the social hall from 6:00 pm- 8:00 pm

# THERE WILL BE NO YOUTH GROUP MEETING NEXT WEEK - HAPPY THANKSGIVING

Tonight, November 18, we will finish wrapping the Christmas presents for the Wildwood Snack Pack Program. In addition, the teens will help the Faith Formation program with their Christmas wrapping. All the teens will be bringing in food items for the Church Food Pantry donation box.

On December 2nd, we will be having an outside activity.



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**Inspirational Resources for Faith For Formation** 



Parish code: QGK74Q

#### TO SIGN IN GO TO: www.sumtercatholic.formed.org

### Paul VI: The Pope in the Tempest



Pope Paul VI was a leader in the Catholic Church as priest, bishop, cardinal and pope through one of the most difficult periods in its history—From the Fascist regime and World War II to the constitution of the Italian Republic, from the Second Vatican Council to the protests and the terrorist attacks of the 1960's and 1970's. This exciting and insightful film covers fifty years of history that changed the Catholic Church and the world. Paul properior Tomposities a torry that draws emotion and

VI: The Pope in Tempest is a story that draws emotion and lessons from history itself, dramatically mixing stunning reconstructions and real film footage.

### ANSWER FOR THE QUESTION OF THE WEEK

D. No one knows how many popes have been of Jewish Descent, but in the eleventh and twelfth centuries there were three: Gregory VI, Gregory VII and Anacletus II. Add Peter to their number, and you get more than three.

# **PARISH HAPPENINGS**

# ARE YOU CALLED TO SERVE? THEN WE NEED YOUR HELP ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED

IF YOU ARE INSPIRED
TO RESPOND TO
GOD'S CALL TO
SERVE AT HIS ALTAR
PLEASE CONTACT
BEVERLY TURCZYN
AT (352) 330-0220

# ANGEL TREE 2018 FOLLOW UP INFORMATION

Angel Tree tags are now available! We will be serving the families from our surrounding community with presents for their children. If you would like to pick up a tag, they will be available in the baskets by the Christmas Trees in the narthex. We ask that the minimum spending be \$35 for each child.

We ask that all presents be brought in by Sunday, December 9th, 2018 to the back of the church or into the Parish Office during normal office hours. It is extremely important that you attach the Angel Tag securely on the bag of presents you intend you give. Please do not wrap the presents, however we appreciate wrapping paper donations. Thank you!



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I have exciting news! St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church is partnering with *Faith Direct* – the leading eGiving program for Catholic churches across the country. This will make it easier for you to support our parish and the important ministries we offer. Through *Faith Direct* you can make your contributions to St. Vincent de Paul via automatic payment from your checking account or credit card.

This is a great way to simplify your giving. It is a costeffective and environmentally-friendly way for us to receive your gifts. This will eliminate having to write checks or searching for envelopes on the way out the door.

You should have received information in the mail or through email. If not, please visit www.faithdirect.net to enroll securely online. Our parish code is **FL914**.

# We have officially launched.

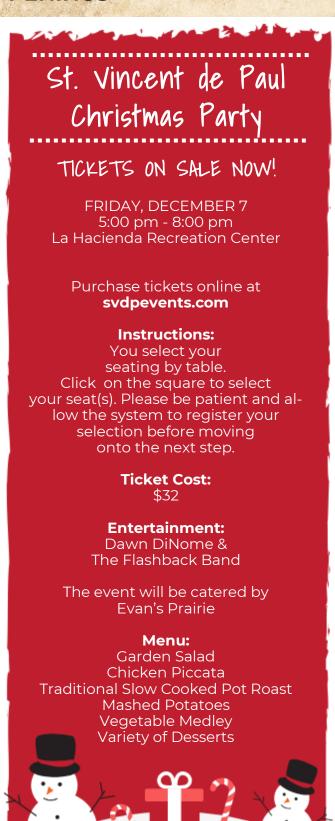
I hope you will consider signing up today. Thank you so much for your continued support of our parish. May God bless you and your loved ones!

Sincerely in Christ,

Fr. Peter Puntal Pastor

### **CANCELING WESHARE**

Faith Direct has officially launched. We are going to be transitioning from our current WeShare system over to Faith Direct. If you are a current online giver on WeShare, please go to their website and cancel your account. You will have to log in to your current account on WeShare with your username and password. If you need further assistance, you can contact Krysten Bracaglia at (352) 330-0220. We are planning on being completely transitioned by the end of December. Thank you.





# EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION NEEDED

We need those who would like to serve as Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion for our 10 am and 12 pm Masses.



If you are inspired to respond to God's call to serve, please contact Donna Pelech at (901) 286-7997

### **CCW DONATIONS NEEDED**

Donations are needed for prayer shawls and lap robes for those who are ill, nursing home residents, and for anyone who needs comfort. We are in need of the following:

**Prayer Shawls** 

3 skeins of one color (160z - 180z) Lion Brand Homespun worsted weigh 4 ply (any brand)



### **Lap Robes**

4 skeins (24 oz) worsted weight 4 ply (any brand) Caron 1 lb skeins any color

Also, we have other sewing projects, such as sewing clothing for children from underdeveloped countries. We are in need of the following:

New or gently used pillow cases New or gently used twin-bed flat sheets Various large pieces of material.

All donations can be placed in the brown container in front of the Parish Hall. We thank you for your donations and may God bless you!

# FRAGRANCES IN CHURCH



Be considerate of your fellow parishioners. Please avoid using perfumes or colognes that aggravate symptoms of people that are undergoing chemo, have severe allergies, or respiratory issues.

## **SENIOR SINGLES CLUB**

Come join the Senior Singles Club for our Christmas party on Friday Dec 14 from 4:30 pm - 7:30 pm at Seabreeze Recreation Center. This will be catered by Pasta Faire and entertainment is by Jillian O'Neill. Cost is \$25.00 prepaid. Contact Marlene at mafcjf@yahoo.com or (352) 753-2212. Checks made payable to Marlene Ferrero, 1902 Sagamore St., The Villages 32162. Deadline is Wednesday Dec. 5.

# UPCOMING OFFICE CLOSURES

The Parish Office will be closed on Thursday, November 22 and Friday November 23

There will no be Adoration on Friday, November 23

Adoration will take place on Thursday, November 22 from 9 am - 10 am

The church will be closed
Thursday following
Adoration and will be closed
Friday following the rosary.

Thank you for your understanding and have a blessed Thanksgiving!

# WHY OUR CATHOLIC APPEAL MATTERS

We inspire giving to fund God's work. Founded in 2007, The Foundation has raised more than \$370 million to support 27 life -changing ministries including Catholic education and formation, food, health and housing assistance for families in need, seminarian education, retired priests, and outreach programs such as Catholic Charities of Central Florida.

OCA provides critical support for:

Seminarians and retired priests **Tuition** assistance Health and housing care to people in need Faith programs for children, families and adults Assistance for migrant workers Assistance for the disabled Outreach programs such as Catholic Charities of Central Florida

In 2017, Our Catholic Appeal helped fund the following in our local areas (Lake, Marion, Sumter Counties)

3,601 people assisted with medical care and family stability 790 Catechists forming youth to be leaders in Christ 1,567 Catholic School students learning & growing in the faith 234 youth attended vocations retreats 7 Diocesan Seminarians preparing for the priesthood 461 Adults and infants baptized and welcomed as **Catholics** 

Your contributions also fund Deacon and Priestly Formation Liturgical Minister Training, Safe Environment Training, Liturgical Celebrations, Construction & Technology Support, Sacramental Marriage Preparation, Communications, Media and more.

We still need \$96,272.94 Your generosity is greatly appreciated.







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# **Mark Your Calendars!**

# Immaculate Conception Vigil - Friday - 12/7/18 4 pm

# **Christmas Party**

Fri - 12/7/18 La Hacienda Rec Center 5 pm - 8 pm

# Immaculate Conception Mass - Saturday - 12/8/18 8 am & 10 am

# **Christmas Concert and Pageant**

Thurs - 12/13/18 6 pm - 8 pm

# **Christmas Masses**

**Vigil** - Mon - 12/24/18 4 pm, 6 pm, & 8 pm **Mass** - Tues - 12/25/18 8 am, 10 am, & 12 pm

# **Solemnity of Mary**

**Vigil**- Mon - 12/31/18 4 pm **Mass** - Tues - 1/1/19 8 am, 10 am

# Find Your Greatness Allen Hunt

Sat - 2/23/19 St. Vincent de Paul 9 am - 1 pm





# BUILDING THE WAY TO HEAVEN CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

# Did You Know...

# Tax Planning Qualified Charitable Distributions

If you are 70-1/2 or older, you may direct a contribution be made directly from your IRA Required Minimum Distribution (RMD) to a qualified charitable organization. You will be able to exclude that amount from the taxable portion of your IRA distribution without requiring you to itemize using charitable donations as an expense. Consult your IRA Administrator and/or financial advisor for details. Please include your name and designated fund for proper allocation.

# **Stock Gifts**

If you have questions regarding stock gifts, please contact Susan Hunt at (407) 246-4803 or email her at shunt@cfocf.org. Just a reminder that in order to take full advantage of the tax laws surrounding the gifting of appreciated securities, the shares must be held by you for at least one (1) year. You must let Susan Hunt know the parish that is to be the beneficiary, and the fund that the proceeds should benefit: (offertory, Capital Campaign, Our Catholic Appeal). No handling fee is to be charged.

# WE ARE ALL ONE FAMILY - Join Us!

## **Ouestions:**

Please call Marco Robles at (407) 246-7185 if you have questions concerning your Building the Way to Heaven campaign pledge or payments' schedule.

### Campaign questions:

Please email stvincentchurch@sumtercatholic.org or call Rich Cole at (352) 753-2055. It may take up to 4 weeks to receive your gift acknowledgement. Thank you for your patience and generosity.

As of November 2018 \$3,526,031.81 has been pledged 50% of our goal of \$7.1 million

Thank you for your sacrificial gift.

# OUR MOTHER OF MERCY OUTREACH SERVICES

# **Prayer for Thanksgiving**

God, source and giver of all things, we give you thanks on this **Thanksgiving Day** for the beauty of the whole of creation. We give you thanks for the blessings of family and friends: both those gathered around this table, and those who are present only in our hearts. We give You thanks for this food, prepared by loving hands. For the graces You provide to nourish our bodies, minds, and hearts. Help us to be faithful stewards of all that has been given us. May we reflect that which we have received to all we meet, especially the less fortunate in our midst. Amen"

We like to think that across our country, tables are filled with traditional food for Thanksgiving; however, that isn't the case in many food-deprived households. Many adults need to have rent, electricity, and often car repair bills paid prior to the purchase of food. Locally, your contributions help many families and seniors to prevent hunger and to know that God does love them.

Some households don't have the resources to cook an elaborate feast. That is why, packaged or canned potatoes, stuffing mixes, canned meat, bread mixes, and canned fruit are needed along with hot chocolate.

The Food Pantry will be opened the day after Thanksgiving on its regular schedule.

May you and your loved ones praise God for your blessings during the feast of Thanksgiving. Our ministry is the face of the Catholic Church in many ways; together, we make a difference.



#### **FOOD DONATIONS NEEDED!**

There were 103 households that came to our parish pantry for food to feed their families. This is an increase of 11 families. Please continue donating to the food pantry for those who need food in our area.

**Food Pantry Requests** include the following: canned meats, pasta, side dishes, canned pasta w/meats, spaghetti sauce, pork & beans, pinto beans, canned fruit, canned tuna, canned vegetables, potatoes (canned or boxed,) cereal, soup, peanut butter, jelly, pasta, mac & cheese, corn muffin mix, cake mix, pancake mix, crackers, cookies, condiments, white rice, coffee, tea, paper products, cleaning supplies and toiletries. Please remember that out-of-date and opened food cannot be distributed.

Food donations may be placed in the bins in the Narthex of the church. We greatly appreciate monetary donations as well. Please make your checks payable to St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church - Food Pantry.



Thank you for your generosity!

## **OUR MOTHER'S ATTIC**

Resale shop benefiting the Soup Kitchen, Food Pantry, Lazarus Free Medical Clinic and local Outreach programs.

Hours: Monday - Friday 9:30 am - 4 pm Saturday 9:30 am - 2:30 pm

# **Your Donations Are Appreciated**

Drop-offs are welcomed Monday - Friday until 3:30 pm and Saturdays until 1:30 pm. For pickup of large items, please call (352) 689-0128 for scheduling. Please visit our store to shop and donate your household items!

**Location:** 115 S. Main Street (Rt. 301) in downtown Wildwood. The shop is a small, cream-colored building with our logo on it.

**Non-clothing Donations:** Furniture, home décor, kitchen items, children's items, linens, etc.

Total Weekly Gross Sales for Our Mother's Attic: 10/26/18 - 11/01/18 - \$7,213.00

"Help Us Help Others with Donations & Purchases"

Visit our Website www.ourmothersattic.com

# AROUND THE DIOCESE

**CURSILLISTAS** from parishes in our area meet the second Thursday of the month for Potluck Dinner at 4:30 pm and Ultreya at 5:15 pm at St. Timothy's Catholic Church, Ministry Building. De Colores! Contact: Mike and Sheila Truax flytwins@hotmail.com

### **Lake Deaton MOAMI 2019**



We are very excited to announce open registration for Lake Deaton New Covenant United Methodist Church MOAMI (Moving On After Moving In) which is co-sponsored by St. Vin-

cent de Paul Catholic Church.

This spiritual program of encouragement is for women experiencing life's transition — a move, loss of a loved one, retirement, or feelings of loneliness.

Registration will begin on Monday, November 5 at 9 AM. All registrations must be completed online through the NEW COVENANT UMC website. For information and website, please pick up a brochure in the back of the church. When registering if you have any questions please contact Jan McCoy at (352) 633-6149 or Ann Kater at (603)401-5529.

# VOCATION DISCERNMENT GROUP NOVEMBER MEETING



If you are interested in exploring your vocation to the priesthood, single, religious life or married, Fr. Mark Wajda of St. Paul Catholic Community will be leading a discernment group on Nov. 29 at 7 p.m. in the Holy Family Room at St.

Paul Catholic Community. Following meetings will be on the fourth Thursday of the month, rotating locations in Leesburg, Ocala and Clermont. If there are any questions please contact (352) 787-6354.

Anyone aged 13-30 is welcome to attend to discern where God is asking them to be. Under 18 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

#### **ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK**

**Great Lakes Carpet & Tile** 

## **BULLETIN ENTRIES**

Please direct any articles or events to the email address: bulletin@sumtercatholic.org

Submissions to the bulletin must be received in the office 14 days prior to the weekend of your request. We look forward to your contributions to this publication! Please note formatting may change.

### **CANCER SUPPORT GROUP**

Meets the first Wednesday of each month @ 9:30 a.m at St. Timothy's Catholic Church, Parish Hall, Rm. 3. This is a non-denominational group and all cancer patients, survivors, care-givers and friends are welcome. For additional information please call Michele Brady (352) 566 - 7160 or Betty Anderson (352) 753 - 4068.

### TO DONATE CLOTHING

Organizations in need of lightweight clothing include: St. Timothy's St. Vincent de Paul Society in Lady Lake, 4th Thursday from 7-11 am, (352) 753-0989; St. Paul's Catholic Church in Leesburg, (352) 787-3388; and St. Theresa's in Belleview, (352) 245-0650. Please do not place clothing in the Food Pantry baskets. They are for nonperishable food items. Laundry detergent, soap, hygiene and paper products are also appreciated.

## **NEWS FROM ST. VINCENT DE PAUL ORLANDO**

Proceeds from donated vehicles, anything working or even non-working, help St. Vincent de Paul Orlando keep the lights on and people in their homes. Donating is easy and is tax-deductible. Just call: (800) 322.8284. Thanks!



# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FOURTH DEGREE QUEEN OF THE ROSARY ASSEMBLY 2722



There will be a Christmas Dinner and Dance in the St. Timothy Church Hall. This is a formal event — Gentleman should wear tuxedos/baldric or dark suits and Ladies should wear fancy dress.

It will be a buffet dinner catered by Cathy's Catering and it is BYOB. Dance and entertainment will be provided by the Big Band Sounds of "The Savoys." Reservations are a must, please RSVP by Thursday, December 6.

#### Cost:

\$35.00 per person Check payable to K of C Assembly 2722

Mail and RSVP to Gary Adams: 1600 Staunton St, The Villages FL 32162. Include your names and email address for a confirmation email. Phone - (352) 259-1483 and email - garyadams@aol.com

**The Lazarus Free Medical Clinic** is open Monday through Friday by appointment. Call (352) 748-4567. It is located at 210 Wonders St. in Wildwood. Abierto Los Martes Y Jueves. Por favor llamar al numero (352) 748-4567 para una cita.