

St. Vincent Pallotti Parish

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caring for each other and reaching out to others*

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5424 W. Bluemound
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201 N. 76th Street
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April 14, 2024

Third Sunday of Easter



"Why are you troubled?"

Luke 24:35-48

10:30am Sunday Mass Live-Streamed and Recorded

www.stvincentpallotti.org

Find the link under
"Mass Times."

Also available on YouTube.

Bequests

Please consider including St. Vincent Pallotti Parish in your estate plan. Contact your attorney with instructions to create a bequest for the parish in your will. If you would like more information regarding bequeaths, please contact the parish office.

PARISH OFFICE

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8:30am - 3:30pm Monday through Friday

Office: (414) 453-5344 Fax: (414) 453-4225

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:00pm SVP West Church

Sunday 7:30am SVP East Church

9:00am St. Therese Church

10:30am SVP West Church

Weekday Mass Schedule

Mon., Wed., Fri. : 6:25am - SVP East Church

Tues: 8:00am - SVP West Church

Tues: 8:45am - St. Therese Church

Wed.: 6:30pm St. Therese Church

Thurs: 12 Noon - SVP West Church

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:00-3:45pm- SVP West Church

Sunday 6:30-7:15am- SVP East Church

Or by appointment on weekdays

Pray the Rosary

Saturday: 3:15pm - West Church

Sunday: 7:00am - East Church

Adoration

First Friday 6:00pm - West Church

Wednesdays 6:00pm St. Therese Church

Thursdays 11:30am - West Church

Anointing of the Sick

Please call Lori in the parish office or Fr. Tom PC on his cell phone (414-308-6238) to arrange visits for yourself or someone you care for.

Baptism, Marriage and RCIA

Arrange with Pastor and Office (Nine months prior for marriage & RCIA).

Funerals

Contact Pastor before finalizing details

Parish Membership / Support

Anyone over age 18 is invited to register as an adult member. Please call Lori in the parish office to schedule a welcoming meeting.

Bulletin Article Deadline

Submit articles, announcements, and flyers via email to lgabert@stvpc.org before Noon on the

Friday of the week prior to the next weekend's publication.

Please note: This deadline changes during holy days and holidays.

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PRAYER REQUESTS

The following members of our Parish have asked for our prayers. To be included, please call the Parish Office.

Julie Kross, Terry McDermott, Matthew Harrison, Kathleen Fugiasco, Dorothy Ash, Mary Kirchner, Jacob & Jaxson Rivera, Josette Jaeger, Patricia Pajunen, Helen Klister, Mary & Peter Carlis, Beverly T., Dan Heinz, Rachel Lund, John Wachowiak, Joe & Kate G., Chris Wehausen, Loretta Merz, Dean Doberstein, Celeste Rau

UPCOMING EVENTS

**NATIONAL SERVICE WEEK
 TO HONOR
 ST. VINCENT PALLOTTI'S
 BIRTHDAY**



The UAC (Union of the Catholic Apostolate) invites you to take part in **National Service Week** (April 14-21). This is a wonderful opportunity to help your community. How? It can be as easy as offering your prayers to those in need or picking up litter in a public place. Watch the bulletin for more ideas over the next couple of weeks.

At the end of National Service Week, those who have participated are invited to a

Potluck Luncheon in the Parish Center on St. Vincent Pallotti's birthday, Sunday, April 21 following the 10:30am Mass.

- ◆ **CONFIRMATION:** Wednesday, April 17, 7:00pm, at St. Jude the Apostle Church
- ◆ **FIRST COMMUNION:** Sunday, April 21 at the 9:00am Mass at St. Therese
- ◆ **ECO-FRIENDLY TRANSPORT BLESSING:** Sunday, April 28 in the St. Therese Parking Lot courtesy of the Earth Ministry



**Join the Vocation Office on this
 World Day of Prayer for Vocations
 Sunday, April 21, 2024
 in praying for an increase of Vocations in the
 Archdiocese of Milwaukee**

Heavenly Father, bless your Church with an abundance of holy and zealous priests, deacons, religious brothers and sisters. Give those you have called to the married state and those you have chosen to live as single persons in the world, the special graces that their lives require. Form us all in the likeness of your Son, so that in Him, with Him and through Him, we may love you more deeply and serve you more faithfully, always and everywhere. With Mary we ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



April 14, 2024

Third Sunday of Easter

ACTS 3:13-15, 17-19; PS 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9; 1 JN 2:1-5a; LK 24:35-48



In addition to celebrating all Christ did for us this Easter season, we also are reminded of how His sacrifice impacts our lives.

Today's Gospel reminds us that Jesus should be the center of our lives. This passage begins with two disciples realizing Jesus had just appeared to them.

We can learn a valuable lesson from these disciples. To recognize Jesus' appearances in our lives, we need to know Him. And the best way to know the Lord is to spend time with Him. It can start with just 10 minutes of quiet prayer a day and increasing that each week. We might begin by reading Scripture, books on the lives of the Saints, or even a decade of the Rosary. Yet the goal should be to carve out time each day, in a quiet space, for just you and the Lord.

As the disciples mentioned, they recognized it was Jesus in the breaking of the bread. We, too, can better know the Lord through the sacraments, most especially the Holy Mass. The Eucharist is Jesus Himself — Body, Blood Soul, and Divinity. What better way to grow in intimacy with Christ than to receive Him frequently or to go talk to Him in front of the Blessed Sacrament? As we make Jesus the center of our lives through prayer and the sacraments, we will be able to recognize Him in day-to-day moments.

As we are still in the midst of this Easter season, take time to think about what Christ did for us and the changes we should make in our daily lives to help us grow closer to Him.

News From St. Vincent de Paul

The St. Jude-St. Therese-St. Vincent Pallotti conference served 10 families between January 1 and March 31, 2024. We provided 3 families with partial rent, 4 families with beds, 1 family with clothing, 2 families with furniture, 1 family with utilities, 1 family with appliances and 1 family with food. Your financial donations ensure that our neighbors have the support they need during uncertain times in their lives. Thank you in advance for your generosity and may God bless you.



Please remember in your prayers, **Catherine Hanke** and her family and friends. Catherine's funeral was this past Friday at the West Church.

“Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her.”

Calendar of **EVENTS**

Sunday (April 14)

- **National Service Week Begins.**
- Reconciliation - 6:45-7:15AM - EC
- Rosary - 7:00AM - EC
- Children's Liturgy of the Word - 10:30AM Mass - WC
- Knights of Columbus Information Meeting following 10:30AM Mass - PC

Monday (April 15)

Tuesday (April 16)

Wednesday (April 17)

- School Mass - 8:15AM - WC
- Joint Staff Meeting - 9:30AM - PO
- Confirmation - 7:00PM - St. Jude the Apostle Church
- Choir Practice - 4:00-5:30PM - WC

Thursday (April 18)

- Adoration - 11:30AM - WC
- Mass - Noon - WC
- Stewardship Meeting - 6:00PM - ZOOM

Friday (April 19)

- Church Cleaning - 9:00-11:00AM - WC
- Faith in Prayer - 6:00-7:00PM - WC


Saturday (April 20)

- Birthday Weekend/St. Vincent de Paul Collection
- Reconciliation - 3:15-3:45PM - WC
- Rosary - 3:15PM - WC

Sunday (April 21)


- Birthday Weekend/St. Vincent de Paul Collection
- Reconciliation - 6:45-7:15AM - EC
- Rosary - 7:00AM - EC
- UAC Potluck Luncheon - 11:30AM - PC

STEWARDSHIP PARISH SUPPORT

	Actual Amount Received in March, 2024	Actual Amount Received this FY as of March, 2024	Budgeted Year to Date 7/01-3/31/2024
Envelopes	\$17,676.50	\$156,678.68	\$170,467.04
Offertory	\$3,720.45	\$28,403.39	\$31,441.21
Donations	\$3,555.92	\$20,691.15	\$20,677.72
TOTAL	\$24,952.87	\$205,773.22	\$222,585.97

Thank you for your contributions!

The Special Collection for April will be donated to the *Cathedral Center.*

To provide a contribution: Envelopes can be mailed to the Parish Office **OR** you can go to our **website** and do an **On-line giving** donation. Look for this logo: 

MASS INTENTIONS AND READINGS

Monday, April 15 Easter Weekday

- 6:25am - East - Blessings for Andrea Aranda
- Readings: Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30/Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday, April 16 Easter Weekday

- 8:00am - West - †Rosemary Martin & Family
- Readings: Acts 7:51—8:1a/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6ab, 7b,8a, 17, 21ab/Jn 6:30-35

Wednesday, April 17 Easter Weekday

- 6:25am - East - Blessings for Brenda Aranda
 - 8:15am - West -
- Readings: Acts 8:1b-8/Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a/Jn 6:35-40

Thursday, April 18 Easter Weekday

- Noon - West - Special Intentions of Louise Faragallah
- Readings: Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20/Jn 6:44-51

Friday, April 19 Easter Weekday

- 6:25am - East - Duane & Wilma Griffin (66th Anniversary)
- Readings: Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1-2/Jn 6:52-59

Saturday, April 20 Easter Weekday

- Readings: Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116:12-17/Jn 6:60-69

Sunday, April 21 Fourth Sunday of Easter

- Readings: **Gather # 1071** Acts 4:8-12/Ps 118: 1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28-29/Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18
- (Sat.) 4:00PM: †Mary Ann Duehring (Family)
 - 7:30AM: East: Parishioners
 - 10:30AM: West: Special Intention (Family)

LITURGICAL MINISTERS April 20-21

4:00 PM Lector: Gail Callahan

Euch. Ministers: Joan Anderegg, Cathy Healey,
Janice Kandziora, Mary Noeske,
Volunteer Needed

Servers: Rick Kramasz/TJ Radetski
Sacristan: Mary Noeske

7:30 AM Lector: Patrice Nault

Euch. Ministers: Dan Brady, David Schultz

10:30 AM Lector: Kathy Czaplewski

Euch. Ministers: Michael Griffin, Patricia Griffin,
Maureen Kipp, Diane Kramasz,
Lenny Schaefer,

Servers: Rick Kramasz
Sacristan: Michael Donohoo

ATTENTION LITURGICAL MINISTERS:

The new schedule for April 20-May 26 was emailed last week. Hard copies are available in both sacristies. Please know that your continued ministry here at St. Vincent Pallotti is most graciously appreciated.

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Did You Know???

How to do Personal Prayer

1) Show Up. Most days, we don't pray simply because we don't quite get around to it. Perhaps the best metaphor to describe our hurried and distracted lives is that of a car wash. For most of us, that's just what our typical day does to us—it sucks us through. Prayer is truly a discipline. Show up!



2) Quiet Your Heart. Solitude is a form of awareness, a way of being present and perceptive within all of life. It's having a dimension of reflectiveness in our daily lives that brings gratitude, appreciation, peacefulness, enjoyment, and prayer. It's the sense, within ordinary life, that life is precious, sacred, and enough.

3) Look Inside. Our culture can keep us so entertained, busy, preoccupied, and distracted that we lose all focus on the deeper things. We have to know when it's time to unplug the television, turn off the phone, shut down the computer, silence the iPod, lay away the sports page, and resist going out for coffee with a friend, so that, for one moment, we're not avoiding making friends with the deepest part of us.

4) Be Honest, Vulnerable, Bold. God asks us to bring our helplessness, weaknesses, imperfections, and sin to him, to walk with him, and to never hide from him. God understands that we'll make mistakes and disappoint him and ourselves. What God asks is simply that we come home, share our lives with him, and let him help us in those ways we're powerless to help ourselves.

5) Let Go of Anxiety and Shame. Faith doesn't have you believe that you'll have no worries, or that you won't make mistakes, or that you and your loved ones won't sometimes fall victim to accident or sickness. What faith gives you is the assurance that God is good, can be trusted, won't forget you, and is solidly in charge. Faith says that God is real, God is Lord, and there's ultimately nothing to fear. We're in safe hands. Reality is gracious, forgiving, loving, redeeming, and absolutely trustworthy.

6) Listen for God's Voice and Accept God's Love. We're surrounded by many voices. How do we recognize God's voice among and within all of these others? God is the author of everything that's good, whether it bears a religious label or not. Hence, God's voice is inside many things that aren't explicitly connected to faith and religion.

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