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Office Hours: Monday-Thursday (8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.)
The parish business office is closed on Friday.

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Rev. Fr. Adrian Pleus

Pastor

Rev. Fr. Omar Loggiodice

Priest in Residence

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Senior Deacon

Pray for the repose of the soul
of Rev. Mr. Steve Bek

(1945 - 2017)

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Senior Deacon

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*Administrative Assistant/
Receptionist*

May 10, 2026

Sixth Sunday of Easter



“I will not leave
you orphans;
I will come to you.”

(John 14:18)

Holy Mass—Baptism—Marriage

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. **Sunday:** 9:00 a.m., 12 noon, 3:00 p.m. (En Español)

Weekday Holy Masses: Our weekday Holy Mass schedule and Reconciliation times are subject to change due to Holy Days of Obligation, holidays, etc. With that in mind we ask that you refer to our Parish Calendar, at the end of this Bulletin, the website, or call for current information.

Baptism: Parents who desire to have their child(ren) baptized must be established registered parishioners and complete a preparation class. The baptism will be scheduled once the required documentation has been received in the parish office.

Marriage: Marriage is a very important Sacrament. There are requirements for a marriage in the Church. We require six (6) months of preparation time. The wedding date should be determined in the presence of the celebrant. Please call the parish office for more information. **Note: Weddings are scheduled on Saturdays at 11:00 a.m. or 12 noon.**

DATE	HOLY MASS INTENTIONS	READINGS
Saturday May 9 <i>Sixth Sunday of Easter</i>	4:00 p.m. Mother's Day Novena	Acts 8: 5-8, 14-17 Psalm 66: 1-7, 16, 20 1 Peter 3: 15-18 John 14: 15-21
Sunday May 10 <i>Sixth Sunday of Easter</i>	9:00 a.m. Parishioners (Living & Deceased) 12 noon Mother's Day Novena 3:00 p.m. Mother's Day Novena	Acts 8: 5-8, 14-17 Psalm 66: 1-7, 16, 20 1 Peter 3: 15-18 John 14: 15-21
Monday May 11	12 noon Mother's Day Novena	Acts 16: 11-15 Psalms 149: 1b-6a, 9b John 15: 26--16 :4a
Tuesday May 12 <i>Saints Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs; Saint Pancras, Martyr</i>	12 noon Mother's Day Novena	Acts 16: 22-34 Psalm 138: 1-3, 7c-8 John 16: 5-11
Wednesday May 13 <i>Our Lady of Fatima</i>	4:00 p.m. Mother's Day Novena	Acts 17: 15, 22—18:1 Psalm 148: 1-2, 11-14 John 16: 12-15
Thursday May 14 <i>Saint Matthias, Apostle</i>		Acts 1: 15-17, 20-26 Psalm 113: 1-8 John 15: 9-17
Friday May 15 <i>Saint Isidore</i>		Acts 18: 9-18 Psalm 47: 2-7 John 16: 20-23
Saturday May 16		Acts 18: 23-28 Psalm 47: 2-3, 8-10 John 16: 23b-28

Readings for Sunday, May 17
Seventh Sunday of Easter
Acts 1: 12-14
Psalm 27: 1, 4, 7, 8
1 Peter 4: 13-16
John 17: 1-11a



The Fatima Prayer

O my Jesus, forgive us our sins,
save us from the fires of hell,
and lead all souls to heaven, especially those in
most need of Thy mercy. Amen.



Flowers for The Altar

*Flowers for the Altar give glory to God and remind us to pray for the souls
of Marie & Tom Calka.*



If you would like to donate flowers for the altar, in name of a loved one, please contact a member of the office staff during business hours, Monday-Thursday. The donation for flowers is \$50.

POPE LEO'S MAY 2026 PRAYER INTENTION:

That everyone might have food: Let us pray that everyone, from large producers to small consumers, be committed to avoid wasting food, and to ensure that everyone has access to quality food.



For all our Dearly Beloved Departed



The names of those who have recently passed from this life to the next will remain on the bulletin necrology for nine weeks. They will then be transferred to the permanent parish necrology, also known as the Book of the Dead. Mass Intentions for loved ones after this time will be printed the week that the Holy Mass is scheduled.

Lord Jesus, remember especially in loving mercy:

Steven Huelsing, Courtney Rittgers, Scott Kruse, Joan Pfaff, Antonio Sawyer,

and those who have gone before us.



IN YOUR PRAYERS



To request prayers for yourself, or for loved ones who are sick, or who have special intentions, please print the name(s) clearly in the Book of Petitions, which is located on the information table in the Narthex. Prayer intentions will be listed in the Bulletin for one week and will remain in the Book of Petitions for a period of six months.

Please pray for:

Fr. Adrian Pleus, Fr. Omar Loggiodice, Fr. Selvaraj, Mrs. Werner Pleus, Virginia Loggiodice, Sister Mary Treasure of Innocence, Marylou Bishop, Walt Reisinger, Kelly Von De Bur, Hyppolite F. Renous and family, Scott Brown, Fernande Prince, Ruby Edmonds, Colton Dean, Dick Donovan, Donna Chisholm,

and all of our family and friends who are ill or in need of prayer, but not listed. We ask the Lord to grant them comfort and healing.



The Sacrament of Baptism

We are happy to assist in planning your child(ren)'s Baptism.

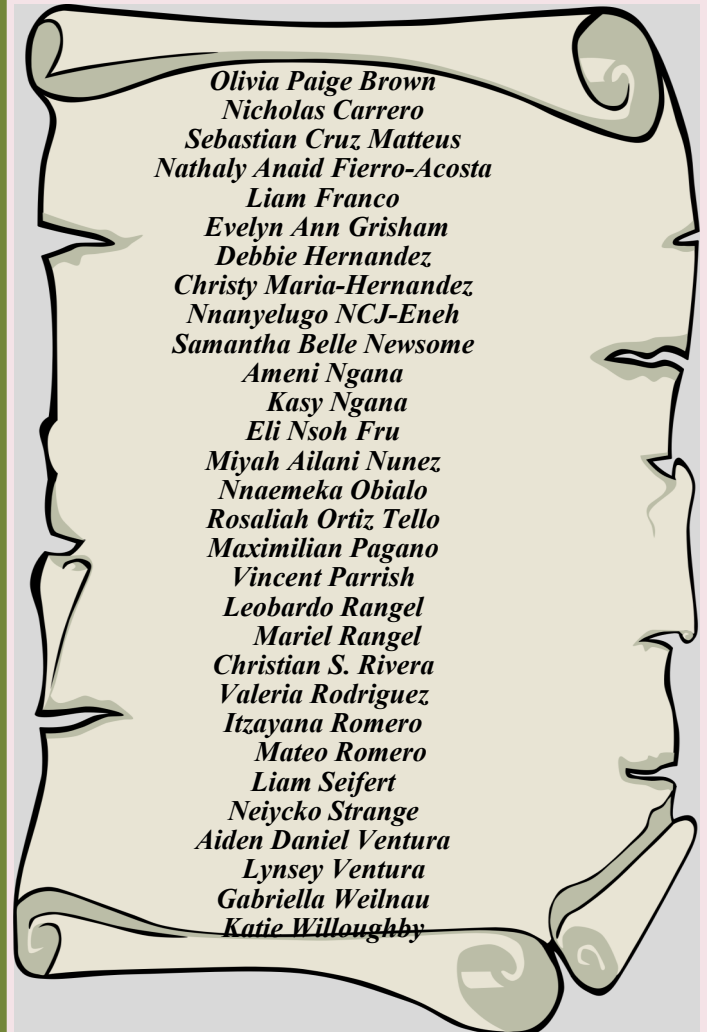


Parents and Godparents are required to attend an online Baptism preparation class.

Email kvondebur@svdpatl.com to register for the class and for the required forms. Please note:

- *Baptisms will not be scheduled until parents and Godparents have attended the class and all paperwork has been turned in.*
- *Paperwork includes a St. Vincent de Paul Parish Registration Packet (if the family is not already registered), the Baptism Registration Form and Sponsor Certificates for both Godparents.*
- *For children who are seven or older, there is a program known as the [Order of Christian Initiation for Adults Adapted for Children](#) that is required.* Please contact Mary Ware at

Congratulations to May 2026 Recipients of First Holy Communion and their Families!



Olivia Paige Brown
 Nicholas Carrero
 Sebastian Cruz Matteus
 Nathaly Anaid Fierro-Acosta
 Liam Franco
 Evelyn Ann Grisham
 Debbie Hernandez
 Christy Maria-Hernandez
 Nnanyelugo NCJ-Eneh
 Samantha Belle Newsome
 Ameni Ngana
 Kasy Ngana
 Eli Nsoh Fru
 Miyah Ailani Nunez
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 Rosaliah Ortiz Tello
 Maximilian Pagano
 Vincent Parrish
 Leobardo Rangel
 Mariel Rangel
 Christian S. Rivera
 Valeria Rodriguez
 Itzayana Romero
 Mateo Romero
 Liam Seifert
 Neiycko Strange
 Aiden Daniel Ventura
 Lynsey Ventura
 Gabriella Weilnau
 Katie Willoughby



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KofC.org/joinus and enter our council #12287.

Congratulations To Our April

*Knight of the Month—Kevin Engel
 And Our*

Family of the Month—Joanne and Eddie Burch





FIRST FRUITS OF OUR LABOR

April 25-26, 2026



Day	Time	Donations
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	\$ 317.00
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	\$ 1,933.00
Sunday	12 noon	\$ 1,492.00
Sunday	3:00 p.m.	\$ 300.00
Mail-In		\$ 1,770.00
Offertory Online		\$ 2,275.00
Total Offertory		\$ 8,087.00
2nd Collection Catholic Home Mission		\$ 2,172.06

Thank you for your generosity!



2026

Archbishop's Annual Appeal

St. Vincent de Paul's 2026 Parish Goal: \$ 45,089.00

Donations Received: \$ 23,238.55

Amount **Over (Under)** Goal: **(\$ 21,850.45)**

Current Number of Donors for 2026: 115

Percentage of Goal Received: 51.54%

(As of April 30, 2026)

CRASE Presentation

The SVDP Safety Team cordially invites all parishioners to a CRASE (Civilian Response to Active Shooter) presentation at SVdP. In today's unpredictable world, the unthinkable can become reality without warning. But knowledge is power, and preparation can be the difference between victim and survivor. Introducing CRASE, a training module that empowers civilians to take decisive actions during the critical moments of an active shooter event. ** Please note that this event is an adults-only presentation**.

Saturday May 16 1:00-3:30 p.m.

Sunday June 14 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Wednesday July 22 6:00—8:00 p.m.

Please Sign up via the Board in the Narthex

Gospel Reading

Sunday, May 3, 2026

John 14:15-21

Jesus promises his disciples that he will send them another advocate, the Spirit of truth.

Jesus is speaking to his disciples at the Last Supper. In today's reading Jesus offers encouragement to his disciples, who will soon see him crucified. He reassures them that even though he will leave them, he will not abandon them. Instead he will send them the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, through whom the disciples will continue to live in union with Jesus.

Jesus uses the term *Advocate* to describe the Holy Spirit, whom the disciples will receive. Another word used to describe the Holy Spirit is *Paraclete*, a legal term meaning "one who offers defense for another." Note that Jesus says that he will send "another Advocate." Jesus himself is the first advocate, interceding for his disciples with the Father.

In today's reading Jesus contrasts his impending departure with the permanence of the gift of the Holy Spirit. Jesus will leave to return to the Father, but the Holy Spirit will remain with the disciples.

Through the gift of the Holy Spirit, the disciples will come to know and appreciate the unity of the Son and the Father. They will also understand that they too participate in the communion between the Father and the Son: "On that day you will realize that I am in my Father and you are in me and I in you" (John 14:20).

Today's reading is one example of the contrast that John's Gospel presents between the community of disciples, to whom God will reveal himself, and the unbelieving world, which will remain in darkness. The unbelieving world cannot accept the "Spirit of truth," whom the disciples will receive. Only through the Spirit will God's revelation and love be known.

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Come join us in

Rome!

Travel back into Biblical times where your "family" will become part of history as they see, hear, touch, and even taste what it was like in ancient Rome. Explore the caves of the underground church, meet Apostle Paul, create Biblical projects, play ancient games, sample

Mediterranean snacks, and praise the Lord. Plus, at VBS, you will make a lot of new friends. Rome VBS will take place June 22 - 26th and is open to children aged 4-12. Registration is \$30 per child with a max of \$60 per family. Volunteers are also needed. **Please fill out the appropriate forms located in the narthex and return to Mary Ware.**

Ministry Schedule: May 16-17, 2026

	Set-Up	Deacon/ Livestream	Lector	EMOHC/ special positions	Guardian	Usher	Servers (Senior Server, Candle Bearer/ Paten, etc.)
Saturday 4:00 PM	Millie Reisinger		Michele Lane	Vielka Jordan	Eric Grogg Alberta Binns	Dan Barth Bob Binns Paul Mazzuca David Fenner	Vincent Gettemy Donald Gettemy
Sunday 9:00 AM	Millie Reisinger	<u>Livestream</u> Dave Krut	Jeanie Blowers	Monica Williams	Millie Reisinger Brian Blowers	Randy Brown Kevin Engel Gene Kropfelder Cliff Grimm	<i>Volunteer Needed</i> <i>Volunteer Needed</i> <i>Volunteer Needed</i>
Sunday 12 Noon	Millie Reisinger	<u>Deacon</u> Jimmy Williams And <u>Deacon</u> Jim McDermott	Daniel Valentin Carolina Trafton	Deacon Jimmy Williams <i>Crucifero</i> Noah Cavazos Mitre Christopher Holland	Rick Brunner John Ngeh	Jim Stormont Maria Stormont Juan Hernandez Don Imbordino	Zachary Holland Jason Oluku Vincent Gettemy
Sunday 3:00 PM	Maria Teresa Da Cruz		<i>Volunteer Needed</i>	<i>Asistente 1</i> William Alvarado <i>Asistente 2</i> <i>Volunteer Needed</i>	<i>Volunteer Needed</i> <i>Volunteer Needed</i>	Carolina Neyra Ortiz Adolfo Fuentes	<i>Crucifero</i> Carlos Neyra <i>Cirial 1</i> <i>Volunteer Needed</i> <i>Cirial 2</i> Juan Guardado

EMERGENCIES DON'T WAIT



GIVE BLOOD

St. Vincent De Paul/
Knights of Columbus
Blood Drive
Sunday, May 24
8:00am-2:30 pm



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Are You a Recent Graduate?

SVdP Parish would like to acknowledge our recent high school and college graduates. On Sunday, May 31, prior to the 9:00 a.m. Holy Mass, you will be asked to stand so you can be acknowledged and receive a special blessing from Fr. Adrian. We commend your successes and pray for your future endeavors. We are proud of you. ***Congratulations!***

Here Today -The Discalced Carmelite Saints

St. Maravillas of Jesus

1891 - 1974-- *Feast Day Nov 4th*

“It’s as if I am aware of someone better inside me. It’s like the different dwellings of the soul that St. Teresa speaks about. Father, could it be the case that what the Lord wants of me is to remain like this, loving and adoring him in greater or lesser emptiness, in sorrow or in joy, just observing how he can do whatever he likes in the center of this soul, just letting him work?”

St. Maravillas -Letter to Fr. Torres-1932

Religious Education at SVdP Directors of Religious Education (DRE's):

Nancy Chisholm
nchisholm@svdpatl.com

Mary Ware
mware@svdpatl.com

Our webpage address is:
www.saintvincentdepaulchurch.org.

The first Open Registration date for 2026-2027 RE classes is May 24. Forms and information will be sent to you via email. Earlier registrations are available by appointment.

- ◆ Parents, please read the letter sent to you explaining upcoming changes to our RE Program. Let us know if you have any questions or concerns.
- ◆ We are looking for RE assistants for next year. Let us know if you are interested! Volunteer teachers and assistants receive a 50% discount on tuition for their children.
- ◆ In keeping with the Archdiocese directive of family faith formation, advancing youth ministry and changes to the process of Confirmation, we will implement several adjustments to the RE program at SVdP next year. This will include:

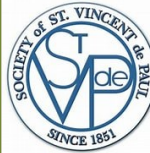
1. Students in Grades 7-12 who have received First Holy Communion will meet on Wednesday evenings from 5:45—7:00 p.m.
2. New students who have reached the age of seven or above and are in need of Baptism and/or First Holy Communion will be placed in a Sacrament Prep class on Sunday mornings. The child and a parent must both attend the class.
3. Four Parent sessions have been included in the Religious Education Calendar next year to introduce parents to Faith Formation in the Home.
4. For 2026-2027, Confirmation will remain limited to 10th graders or older. All Sacrament Prep classes, including First Holy Communion and Confirmation, will require a minimum of two years of formation.

Note: For the 2026-2027 School Year, Sunday morning classes, from 10:30—11:15 will include:

- ◆ Kindergarten
- ◆ Grades 3-4 Class
- ◆ Grades 5-6 Class
- ◆ OCIA for Children
- ◆ All First Communion classes

Classes begin on August 9, 2026. Registration is in person only. Please refer to the Open Session Registration schedule for dates and times.

Appointments are always welcome. Please contact the RE office to schedule an appointment if needed.



THE ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

770-443-1533

New Thrift Store Hours are:

M-F 9:00 A.M.-6:00 P.M. SAT 9:00
A.M.-5:00 P.M.

Assistance provided In April 2026:

- \$ 2,775.45 in Food provided to 33 families
- \$ 2,562.44 in Housing Expenses
- \$ 2,924.65 in Transportation Expenses
- \$ 6,023.99 in Utilities
- \$ 1,746.12 in Medical Expenses

Thank you to our shoppers and to those who have donated so generously to our SVdP Thrift Store over the years. Because of your generosity, we are assisting hundreds of our neighbors in need in our area. Please continue to donate your gently used clothing, household items and furniture. Your donations are tax deductible!

Volunteers Always Welcome. Please consider joining us and helping your neighbors in need!



Prayers for Elections (with Bible Verses) Romans 13:1



“Let every soul be subject unto the higher powers... the powers that be are ordained of God.”

God is sovereign over all authority. Praying with this confidence helps us submit our fears and expectations to His wise rule.

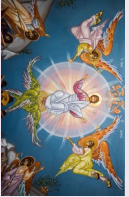
Prayer:

“Sovereign Lord, we acknowledge Your rule over nations and leaders. Order this election under Your authority. Guard hearts from fear, pride, and strife. Establish what honors You and safeguards the common good. Teach us to trust Your governance in all things. Amen.”

The Archdiocese of Atlanta's 24 hour
Abuse Reporting Hotline number
is 1-888-437-0764.

Archdiocese of Atlanta's Reporting Abuse webpage:
[https://archatl.com/offices/child-and-youth-protection/
reporting-abuse/](https://archatl.com/offices/child-and-youth-protection/reporting-abuse/)

The Division of Family and Children Services:
Report child abuse and neglect by phone to:
1-855-GA CHILD or 1-855-422-4453,
24 hours/day, 7 days/week.



May 2026

The following schedule is in effect unless otherwise noted in the calendar below:

Weekend Holy Masses: Saturday Vigil 4:00 p.m., Sundays 9:00 a.m., 12 noon, Santa Misa en Español at 3:00 p.m.
 Daily Holy Mass: Monday 12 Noon, Tuesday 12 Noon, Wednesday 4:00 p.m.
 Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Wednesday at 2:30 p.m.
 Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions/Penance): Wednesday 2:30-3:30 p.m. and Saturday from 1:30-3:00 p.m.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>3</p> <p>2nd Collection: Future Building and Emergency Needs Fund Adoration following 9:00 a.m. Holy Mass Cenacle in Spanish at 1:45 p.m. RE—May Crowning and Living Rosary</p>	<p>4</p> <p>K of C Rosary 6:30 p.m. Dinner 7:00 p.m. Meeting 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Cenacle-1 p.m. nave Finance Council Refreshments 6:00 p.m. Meeting 6:30p.m.</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Choir Practice 7:00—8:30 p.</p>	<p>7</p>	<p>1</p> <p>Grupo de Oración Carismático SGH 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>2</p> <p>First Saturday Devotion—1:00 p.m. First Holy Communion 4:00 p.m.</p>
<p>10</p> <p>2nd Collection: Catholic Communications Cenacle in Spanish at 1:45 p.m. NO RE</p>	<p>11</p> <p>K of C Rosary 6:30 p.m. Dinner 7:00 p.m. Meeting 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Homebound Ministry 10:00 a.m. Cenacle-1 p.m. nave Confirmation Practice 6:00 p.m.</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Choir Practice 7:00—8:30 p.m. Rosary for Vocations 7:00 p.m.</p>	<p>14</p>	<p>15</p> <p>Grupo de Oración Carismático SGH 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>16</p>
<p>17</p> <p>2nd Collection: Georgia Bulletin SCLFG: 10:30 a.m. Confirmation 12 noon Cenacle in Spanish at 1:45 p.m. NO RE</p>	<p>18</p> <p>WARC End of Year Dinner Offsite</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Cenacle-1 p.m. nave</p>	<p>20</p> <p>Choir Practice 7:00—8:30 p.m.</p>	<p>21</p>	<p>22</p> <p>Grupo de Oración Carismático SGH 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>23</p> <p>Honor Guard Practice 9:00—10:30 a.m.</p>
<p>24</p> <p>2nd Collection: Capital Improvements Blood Drive Cenacle in Spanish at 1:45 p.m. NO RE</p>	<p>25</p> <p>Office Closed</p>	<p>26</p> <p>Cenacle-1 p.m. nave</p>	<p>27</p> <p>Choir Practice 7:00—8:30 p.m.</p>	<p>28</p>	<p>29</p> <p>Grupo de Oración Carismático SGH 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>30</p>
<p>31</p> <p>No 2nd Collection Cenacle in Spanish at 1:45 p.m. NO RE</p>	<p>No Holy Mass. No Adoration. No Confessions.</p>					

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