



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Rev. Fr. Omar Loggiodice

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Rev. Mr. Jose Perez

Deacon

Pray for the repose of
the soul of

Rev. Mr. Steve Bek

(1945 - 2017)

Rev. Mr. Jim McDermott

Deacon

Rev. Mr. Jimmy Williams

Deacon

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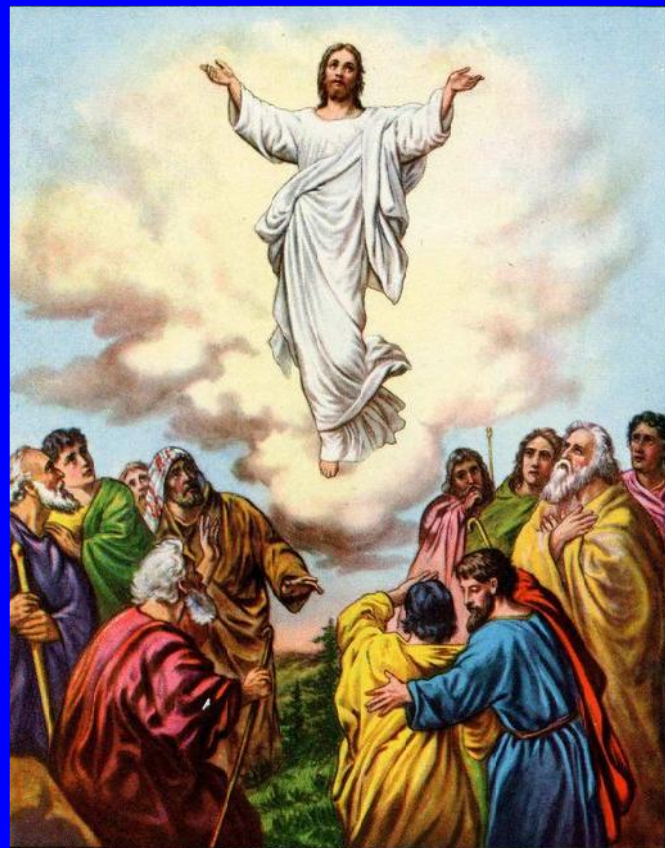
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Lucy Nicholson

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May 21, 2023

The Ascension of the Lord



Holy Mass Times:

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, Penance Services, etc. With that in mind we ask that you refer to our Parish Calendar, at the end of this Bulletin, via the website, or call for current information.

Baptism: Parents who desire to have their child(ren) baptized are asked to attend a preparation class. The date of baptism will be determined once the necessary documentation has been received in the parish office.

Marriage: Marriage is a very important Sacrament and as such there are requirements necessary for having 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 to inquire.



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:

Denise Fournier, Dudley DeCastro, Shawn Keel, Matthew Small, Fred Speeney, all deceased mothers of the SVdP Parish,
and all those who have gone before us.



The Sacrament of Baptism



We are happy to assist with planning your child(ren)'s Baptism. Parents and Godparents are required to attend a Baptism Preparation class. Email ahew@svdpatl.com to register for the class and for the required forms.

- **Baptisms will not be scheduled until parents and Godparents have attended the class and all paperwork has been turned in.**
- **This 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 are additional requirements.** Please contact nchisholm@svdpatl.com for details.



Eucharistic Revival Writings of the Fathers



51. Ambrose, the Bishop of Milan, in a clear statement on the Eucharistic conversion, has this to say: "Let us be assured that this is not what nature formed but what the blessing has consecrated; and there is greater power in the blessing and in nature, since nature itself is changed through the blessing." To confirm the truth of this mystery, he recounts many of the miracles described in the Sacred Scriptures, including Christ's birth of the Virgin Mary, and then he turns his mind to the work of creation, concluding this way: "Surely the word of Christ, who could make something that did not exist out of nothing, can change things that do exist into something they were not before. For it is no less extraordinary to give new natures to things than it is to change nature." (55)

Mysterium Fidei
Encyclical of Pope Paul VI On The Holy Eucharist



IN YOUR PRAYERS



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

Please pray for:

Fr. Adrian, Fr. Omar Loggiodice, Fr. Selvaraj, Mr. and Mrs. Werner Pleus, Virginia Loggiodice, Olga S. Torres, Bill and Lise Gilbert, Geri Roberts, Rita Bek, Joni Pfaff, Rene Jenkins, Sister Mary Treasure of Innocence, Marylou Bishop and family, Carmen and Paul Amodio and family, Pat Arnold and family, Mary Speeney and family, Rochelle and Louis Focaracci and family, Mark Speiser, Colleen Wallen, Eileen Parker, H. Renous and family, Fradestin family, Mardochee Cherichel, Melodie Wallen and family, Juan, Maria, Jorge, Matthew, and Christian Hernandez, Marta and Jimmy Medulla, Elsa and Ramon Velez, Caroline Clark, Barbara Musty, Roger Baty, Jacob Jonathan Mahon, Steckton Family, Brian Crochetiere,

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.



From St. Faustina's Diary My Mercy on Behalf of Sinners



MEDITATION:

Today Jesus said to me, **I desire that you know more profoundly the love that burns in My Heart for souls, and you will understand this when you meditate upon My Passion. Call upon My mercy on behalf of sinners; I desire their salvation. When you say this prayer, with a contrite heart and with faith on behalf of some sinner, I will give him the grace of conversion. This is the prayer:** (*Diary*, 186).

"O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fount of Mercy for us, I trust in You." (*Diary*, 187).

MY PRAYER RESPONSE:

Lord Jesus, may I fulfill Your desire and come to know more deeply Your burning love for souls in Your Passion by meditating on it. Thank You for the Blood and Water, which gushed forth from Your Heart as a fount of mercy for us. upon the whole world, especially sinners.

The words of Jesus appear in boldface type.

RE Volunteers are needed!

Are you interested in volunteering for the SVdP Religious Education Program? We are looking for teachers, assistants and substitutes for the 2023-2024 Religious Education program that begins in August. If you would like to volunteer, or if you have questions, call the office at (770)-443-0566, or see Nancy or Mary to speak in person. We will provide all training and assistance needed.

Ministry Schedule - May 27-28, 2023

	Set-Up	Deacon	Lector	EMOHC	Guardian	Usher	Servers (Senior Server, Candle Bearer/ Paten, etc.)
Saturday 4:00 PM	Millie Reisinger	Deacon Jimmy Williams	Jonathan Wilkins	Deacon Jimmy Williams	Regina Harding Leanne Wilkins	Ken Bishop Ryan Trafton	Ian Wilkins Vincent Gettemy
Sunday 9:00 AM	Millie Reisinger		Randy Brown	JoAnne Burch	Bob Babecka Mike Williams	Andrea Konnick Cliff Grimm Bill Hew	Obinwanne Obialo Chiji Obialo Nicholas Condoluci
Sunday 12 Noon	Millie Reisinger		Carolyn Attaway	John Ngeh	Maggie Hernandez Kerry Lambert	Ruby Branton Hernandez Don Imbordino	<i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i>
Sunday 3:00 PM	Vielka Jordan		Vielka Jordan	<i>Asistente 1</i> Marco Castro <i>Asistente 2</i> William Alvarado	Hilda Fuentes Juan Rodriguez	Luis Garcia Nelida Morales	<i>Crucifero</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Cirial 1</i> <i>Volunteer needed</i> <i>Cirial 2</i> Victor Monterroso



THE ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY 770-443-1533



During April 2023, the Dallas SVdP Society assisted the needy in the Paulding County area with:

- \$ 10,289.83 in 7 payments for Housing expenses
- \$ 3,566.56 in 12 payments for Utilities expenses
- \$ 1,112.85 in 1 payment for Transportation expenses

[You are invited to share in this ministry!](#)

We are in need of volunteers at the St. Vincent de Paul Society. *At the Society, we need more caseworkers and assistants to help schedule and interview our clients. We also have a need for helpers in the food pantry. Please prayerfully consider helping in this ministry.*

Please call the number above for more information. We provide financial assistance, financial guidance, and food to local residents in need.

Thank you for your generosity. Thrift Store Hours are:
M-F 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Sat 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Bulletin Announcements!

Please send Bulletin announcements in **ready to print** format to bulletineditor@svdpatl.com by 9:00 a.m. on Sunday for publication the following weekend. Holiday Bulletin announcements **are due two weeks in advance.**



PRAYERS AND CONGRATULATIONS TO 2023 CONFIRMANDE



Brenda Alvarenga
Emilee Bueno
McKayle, Caines-Cooblall
Katie Crocker
Adela Diaz
Miracle Elonu
Ansel Enverga
Sebastian Fryer
Keylin Garcia
Jackelin Gonzalez-Chavez
Eric Guerrero
Edgar Guerrero
Christopher Holland
Tristan Kilgore
Hannah Kment
Faith May
Cailyn Molina
Sergio Neyra
Lisa Nnorom
Phylis Nnorom
April Ocampo
Kosiochukwu Okoh
Erica Onyegbula
Daniela Quintero
Daniel Ramos
Ashley Reyes-Alvarado
Jhohansel Rodriguez
Jhonas Rodriguez
Lizeth Rodriguez
Daniel Steinberg

May 2023

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

Weekend Holy Masses: Saturday Vigil 4 p.m., Sundays 9 a.m., 12 noon, Santa Misa en Español at 3 p.m.
Daily Holy Mass: Monday 12 Noon, Tuesday 12 Noon, Wednesday 6:15 p.m.

Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Wednesday at 5:00 p.m., preceding the 6:15 p.m. Holy Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession/Penance): Wednesday 5:00 - 6:00 p.m., Saturday 2:00-3:00 p.m.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
7 2nd Collection - <i>Future Building and Emergency Needs</i> Living Rosary and May Crowning following 9:00 a.m. Holy Mass RE—Last Class for the Year	8 Knights of Columbus 6:30 p.m. Rosary 7:00 p.m. Meeting	9 Cenacle Following 12 noon Holy Mass	10 Choir Practice 7:30-9:00 p.m. Youth Activities Night	11	12 Charismatic Prayer Group SGH 7:30 p.m.	13 No Confessions— Visiting Priest
14 2nd Collection: <i>Georgia Bulletin</i> No RE	15 Women's Altar Rosary Guild Off-site End of Year Dinner	16 Cenacle Following 12 noon Holy Mass Confirmation Practice 6:00 p.m.	17 Choir Practice 7:30-9:00 p.m.	18	19 Charismatic Prayer Group SGH 7:30 p.m.	20
21 2nd Collection: <i>Catholic Communications</i> No RE Confirmation at 3:00 p.m. Holy Mass (in English)	22	23 Cenacle 1:00 p.m.	24 Choir Practice 7:30-9:00 p.m. Youth Activities Night	25	26 Charismatic Prayer Group SGH 7:30 p.m.	27
28 2nd Collection: <i>Capital Improvements</i> No RE	29	30 Cenacle 1:00 p.m.	31 Choir Practice 7:30-9:00 p.m.	Fr. Adrian away. No Holy Mass		