

# ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Office Hours: Monday-Thursday (8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.)

The parish business office is closed on Friday.

## **Pastoral Staff**

Rev. Fr. Adrian Pleus

*Pastor*

Rev. Fr. Omar Loggiodice

*Priest in Residence*

Rev. Mr. Jose Perez

*Senior Deacon*

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

(1945 - 2017)

Rev. Mr. Jim McDermott

*Senior Deacon*

Rev. Mr. Jimmy Williams

*Deacon*

Debbie Chisholm

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*Religious Education*

Jeff Comer

*Director of Music*

Lucy Nicholson

*Administrative Assistant/*

*Receptionist*

**July 20, 2025**

**16th Sunday in Ordinary  
Time**



## ***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, Penance Services, 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 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. 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 additional information. **Note: Weddings are scheduled on Saturdays at 11:00 a.m. or 12 noon.**

Date	Holy Mass Intentions	Readings
<b>Saturday</b> <b>July 19</b> <i>Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	<b>4:00 p.m.</b> + Michael E. Durkin	Genesis 18: 1-10a Psalm 15: 2-5 Colossians 1: 24-28 Luke 10: 38-42
<b>Sunday</b> <b>July 20</b> <i>Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b> Parishioners (Living & Deceased) <b>12 noon</b> Samba Family Birthday Celebrations <b>3:00 p.m.</b> + Jennifer Gould	Genesis 18: 1-10a Psalm 15: 2-5 Colossians 1: 24-28 Luke 10: 38-42
<b>Monday</b> <b>July 21</b> <i>Saint Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest,  Doctor of the Church</i>	<b>12 Noon</b> + Michael Potter	Exodus 14: 5-18 (Psalm) Exodus 15: 1b-6 Matthew 12: 38-42
<b>Tuesday</b> <b>July 22</b> <i>Saint Mary Magdalene</i>	<b>12 Noon</b> + Robert L. Hoekstra	Song of Songs 3: 1-4a Psalm 63: 2-6, 8-9 John 20: 1-2, 11-18
<b>Wednesday</b> <b>July 23</b> <i>Saint Bridget, Religious</i>	<b>6:15 p.m.</b> Jaden Hoekstra	Exodus 16:1-5, 9-15 Psalm 78: 8-19, 23-28 Matthew 13:1-9
<b>Thursday</b> <b>July 24</b> <i>Saint Sharbel Makhlūf, Priest</i>		Exodus 19: 1-2, 9-11, 16-20b (Psalm) Deuteronomy 3: 52-56 Matthew 13:10-17
<b>Friday</b> <b>July 25</b> <i>Saint James, Apostle</i>		2 Corinthians 4: 7-15 Psalm 126: 1b-6 Matthew 20: 20-28
<b>Saturday</b> <b>July 26</b> <i>Saints Joachim and Anne,  Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>		Exodus 24: 3-8 Psalm 50: 1b-2, 5-6, 14-15 Matthew 10: 14-21

**Readings for Sunday, July 27**  
**Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Genesis 18: 20-32  
Psalm 138: 1-3, 6-8  
Colossians 2: 12-14  
Luke 11: 1-13



**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 were donated in memory of Jennifer Gould.*



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

**JULY PRAYER INTENTION:**

**FOR FORMATION IN DISCERNMENT**

Let us pray that we might again learn how to discern, to know how to choose paths of life and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the gospel.





## 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:***

Marie Josette Prepetit, Pope Francis, Xenia, Ester Contreras de Henriquez, Michael E. Durkin, Jennifer Gould, Michael Potter, Robert L. Hoekstra,

*and all 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, Olga S. Torres, Sister Mary Treasure of Innocence, Walt Reisinger, Marie and Kevin Engel, Patrick Neale, Lydia Gonzalez, Jasmine Ortega, Benedetto DeNigris, Marie Reyes, Nancy Lloret, Hyppolite F. Renous and family, Gabriela Wingerter, Caroyne May Bruce, Scott Bruce, Nicole Bruce, Jonathan Ross Bruce, Jeanne Smith, George Marks, M. Clark, Tamai Imbordino, Kim family, Wallen family,

***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***



## The Sacrament of Baptism



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

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

Email [kvondebur@svdpatl.com](mailto: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 [mware@svdpatl.com](mailto:mware@svdpatl.com) for details.



## From St. Faustina's Diary *Surrendering to Your Will*



Jesus made known to me how very pleasing to Him were prayers of atonement. He said to me, **The prayer of a humble and loving soul disarms the anger of My Father and draws down an ocean of blessings.** After the adoration, half way to my cell, I was surrounded by a pack of huge black dogs who were jumping and howling and trying to tear me to pieces. I realized that they were not dogs, but demons. One of them spoke up in a rage, "Because you have snatched so many souls away from us this night, we will tear you to pieces." I answered, "If that is the will of the most merciful God, tear me to pieces, for I have justly deserved it, because I am the most miserable of all sinners, and God is ever holy, just, and infinitely merciful." To these words all the demons answered as one, "Let us flee, for she is not alone; the Almighty is with her!" (*Diary*, 320).

### ***My Prayer Response With St. Faustina***

Thank You, Lord, for teaching me an effective response to spiritual attacks as demonstrated by St. Faustina. She responded by surrendering to Your will. May I always humbly obey Your will. my heart to become like Yours.

*The words of Jesus appear in boldface type .*



## Knights of Columbus



The Knights of Columbus is an international order of Catholic men called to lead with faith, protect our families, serve others and defend values in a busy, changing world. You will find Knights of Columbus membership brings Catholic men together in a powerful way. If you would like to join today, simply visit:

**[KofC.org/joinus](http://KofC.org/joinus)** and enter our council #12287.

### **Congratulations in July to our**

***Knight Of The Month—Stephen Lawlor  
And***

***Family of the Month—Kevin Ebelhar and family***

## CFNG Grant

St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church is pleased to announce that we have received a grant award of \$1,000 from the Catholic Foundation of North Georgia for the 2025-2026 School Year.



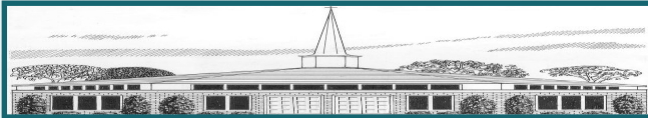
## FIRST FRUITS OF OUR LABOR

July 5-6, 2025



Saturday	4:00 p.m.	\$ 1,811.75	99
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	\$ 1,760.00	260
Sunday	12:00 noon	\$ 891.00	177
Sunday	3:00 p.m.	\$ 230.25	81
Mail-In		\$ 1,060.00	
Offertory Online		\$ 2,994.00	
Total Offertory		\$ 8747.00	617
2nd Collection: Future Building & Emergency Needs Fund		\$ 1,512.00	

*Thank you for your generosity!*



### THE ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

770-443-1533

We are in need of volunteers at the St. Vincent de Paul Society and at the St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store.

*If you are interested in either or both of these opportunities, please call or stop by during store hours.*

*New Thrift Store Hours are:*

**M-F 10:00 A.M.-6:00 P.M. SAT 10:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.**

**The Dallas SVDP Job Bank**  
is looking for companies interested in hiring people who are unemployed or underemployed.

Please contact Bill Hew at [svdpsocietydallas.org](http://svdpsocietydallas.org) to provide the following information:

- The name of the hiring company
- Jobs or positions to be filled
- Application process –application form, resume, etc.

### Special Announcement!

We would like to offer congratulations to Cynthia Babecka who is the recipient of the 2025 Gabriel Focaracci Leadership Scholarship.

*Congratulations!*



## Gospel Reading Sunday, July 20, 2025 Luke 10: 38-42

Jesus visits the house of Martha and Mary.

The story of Jesus in the home of Martha and Mary complements the story of the Good Samaritan, which immediately precedes it in Luke's Gospel. Both stories are unique to Luke. The story of the Samaritan opens with the words "a certain man." Today's reading opens with the words "a certain woman." The Samaritan is an example of how a disciple should see and act. Mary is an example of how a disciple should listen. Mary, a woman, is a marginalized person in society, like the Samaritan. Both do what is not expected of them. As a woman, Mary would be expected, like Martha, to prepare hospitality for a guest. Here again Jesus breaks with the social conventions of his time. Just as a Samaritan would not be a model for neighborliness, so a woman would not sit with the men around the feet of a teacher.

Both stories exemplify how a disciple is to fulfill the dual command which begins chapter 10—love of God (Mary) and love of neighbor (the Samaritan). These are the two essentials of life in the kingdom. By using the examples of a Samaritan and a woman, however, Jesus is saying something more. Social codes and boundaries were strict in Jesus' time. Yet to love God with all one's heart and one's neighbor requires breaking those rules. The Kingdom of God is a society without distinctions and boundaries between its members. It is a society that requires times for seeing and doing and also times for listening and learning at the feet of a teacher.

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### Volunteer Needed

We are in need of a volunteer to assist on Sundays during RE classes, from 10:30—11:45 a.m.. This is a not a classroom position, but a position to assist Nancy Chisholm, one of the Directors of Education at SVdP.

The position will offer varying duties such as delivery of items to classrooms, helping at the Tardy Table, making copies, and other light duties as yet to be determined.

This is an ideal position for an RE parent who will be at SVdP while children are in class. We will provide a discount for the children of this volunteer.

Please contact Nancy Chisholm at [nchisholm@svdptal.com](mailto:nchisholm@svdptal.com) if you are interested or if you have any questions.

## *Ministry Schedule: July 26-27, 2025*

	Set-Up	Deacon/ Livestream	Lector	Eucharistic Minister/ EMOHC/ special positions	Guardian	Usher	Servers (Senior Server, Candle Bearer/ Paten, etc.)
<b>Saturday 4:00 PM</b>	Millie Reisinger		Deb Heinrich	Pat Arnold	Brenda Strauss  Mary Marks	Skip Heinrich  Dave Fenner	<i>Volunteer Needed</i> <i>Volunteer Needed</i> <i>Volunteer Needed</i>
<b>Sunday 9:00 AM</b>	Millie Reisinger	<u>Livestream</u> Stephen Hartdegen	Therese Lawlor	Juan Molina	Theresa Dodd  Cathy Bigler	Cliff Grimm  Dennis Mahon  Bill Hew	Obinwanne Obialo  Chii Obialo  Aiden Grisham
<b>Sunday 12 Noon</b>	Millie Reisinger	<u>Deacon</u> Jimmy Williams	Brian Blowers	<u>Deacon</u> Jimmy Williams	Jeanie Blowers  Enio Fraga	Don Imbordino  Juan Hernandez  Maria Stormont	Donald Gettemy  Vincent Gettemy  <i>Volunteer Needed</i>
<b>Sunday 3:00 PM</b>	Eliezer Morales		Carlos Neyra	<i>Asistente 1</i> Marco Castro  <i>Asistente 2</i> William Alvarado	Gabriel Londono  Maria Teresa De Cruz	Akicia Vento  Adolfo Fuentes	<i>Crucifero</i> Inmar D. Romero <i>Cirial 1</i> Darwin Monterroso <i>Cirial 2</i> Izaiah Guzman

### The Silent Victim

In the DVD "The Silent Scream" where an unborn child attempts to escape the abortionists suction curette; her motions can be seen to become desperately agitated and her heart rate doubles. Her mouth opens as if to scream, but no sound can be heard.

The pro-abortion movement and lobby thrives on having a silent victim. Every pro-abortion argument requires that we pretend, that we play mind games, that we forget, ignore, or deny the humanity, worth, and dignity of unborn babies. It thrives on our ability to disregard innocent victims as long as they are out of our sight and voiceless.

Tell a lie often enough and people will eventually believe it. Just consider their terminology (with words such as "fetus" "pro-choice" "non-viable" etc) which is carefully designed to disguise the humanity of the unborn child and obscure what abortion really does. This is the story of the pro-abortion deception of America.

*Pro-Life Articles*

### **Formed.org for your Catholic Enrichment**

The parish has subscribed to the Catholic website: FORMED. This website has wonderful Catholic content to expand your knowledge of the Catholic faith. There is something for all: children, teens, young adults, parents, Español, everyone! There are videos, movies, articles, audio books and more. And there's an app for that! Log in and explore at no cost to you when you sign up under our parish name.

Go to [www.formed.org](http://www.formed.org) and select: *Sign up* , Click on *Sign up as a parishioner*  
Enter the parish zip code: 30132 and select: *St. Vincent de Paul, Dallas*, Create your free account.

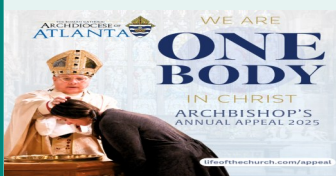


Here Today  
The Discalced Carmelite Saints  
*Saint John of the Cross*  
1542-1591 -- Feast Day Dec 14th

“He (God) lives in some as though in his own house, commanding and ruling everything; and in others as though a stranger in a strange house, where they do not permit him to give orders or do anything.”

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### 2025 Archbishop's Annual Appeal

St. Vincent de Paul's 2025 Parish Goal: \$ 38,100.00  
Donations Received: \$ 26,830.00  
Amount **Over (Under)** Goal: **(\$ 11,270.00)**

**Current Number of Donors for 2025: 118**  
**Percentage of Goal Received: 70.42%**

*(As of July 11, 2025)*

### Pilgrimage to Mexico City with Cardinal Burke November 7-10, 2025.

Dear Friends in Christ,  
We are delighted to extend an invitation to you for a very special pilgrimage with His Eminence Cardinal Raymond Burke, taking place November 7-10, 2025, to Our Lady of Guadalupe in Mexico City and the Sisters of Mary Girlstown in Chalco.

*Steps:*

[Review the trip details](#) - Pilgrimage to Mexico with Cardinal Burke. Select the, "Book this Tour" or "Book Now" button

If a First Time Traveler - click create an account. You will need to have your passport at the ready. Follow all the prompts through the following four screens.

**Trip Code: 87246 | Group Code: 7401**

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

Nancy Chisholm

Mary Ware

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Our webpage address is:

[www.saintvincentdepaulchurch.org](http://www.saintvincentdepaulchurch.org).

- **RE Registration for 2025-2026 is coming to a close! Registration is in person only!** Please contact one of the SVdP DRE's for an appointment OR attend our final Open Registration Session on Sunday, August 3, in the RE Office, Room 13 in the Church Building, from 10:30—11:30 a.m. and from 1:30— 2:30.p.m.
- **The early bird discount will be applied for payment in full at the time of in person registration, by August 3.**
- **Are you interested in joining our RE program as a substitute for the 2025-2026 school year? Several more substitutes are needed. Please contact Nancy Chisholm or Mary Ware for details. Contact information is above.**



#### Order of Christian Initiation for Adults

#### Order of Christian Initiation for Adults Adapted for Children

If you have been attending Mass but have never taken the steps to become Catholic, or have been away from the Church and want to know more, or have been a Catholic all your life but never celebrated all the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Eucharist), you are invited to join us in finding out more through the process called the Order of Christian Initiation: for Adults (OCIA) or for Children. For more information contact Mary Ware at [mware@svdpatl.com](mailto:mware@svdpatl.com).

#### **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/>.

**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.

# July 2025

*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 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 1:30 -3:00 p.m.  
**Parish Office Hours:** Monday–Thursday 8:30 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 Choir Practice 7:30—9:00 p.m.	3 Office Closed	4 Grupo de Oración Carismático SGH 7:30 p.m.	5 First Saturday Devotion 1:00 p.m.
6 2nd Collection: Future Building and Emergency Needs Fund Adoration following 9:00 a.m. Holy Mass Cenacle in Spanish SH at 1:45 p.m.	7 Knights of Columbus Officers Meeting SGH 6-9pm	8	9 Choir Practice 7:30—9:00 p.m.	10	11 Grupo de Oración Carismático SGH 7:30 p.m.	12
13 2nd Collection: Catholic Mission Outreach Cenacle in Spanish at 1:45 p.m. Rosary for Vocations Nave 7:00 p.m. Open Registration for RE 10:30-11:30 .m. and 1:30-2:30 p.m.	14 Knights of Columbus Rosary 6:30 p.m. Dinner 7:00 p.m. Meeting 7:30 p.m.	15	16 Choir Practice 7:30—9:00 p.m.	17	18 Grupo de Oración Carismático SGH 7:30 p.m.	19 Honor Guard Practice 9:00—10:30 a.m.
20 2nd Collection: Capital Improvements Cenacle in Spanish at 1:45 p.m.	21	22	23 Choir Practice 7:30—9:00 p.m.	24	25 Grupo de Oración Carismático SGH 7:30 p.m.	
27 No 2nd Collection Cenacle in Spanish at 1:45 p.m. RE Planning Meeting at 1:30 p.m.	28	29	30 Choir Practice 7:30—9:00 p.m.	31		