



Parish Family of Saint Vincent de Paul

Baldwinville
Massachusetts 01436

PASTORAL STAFF

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RECTORY & MAILING ADDRESS

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TELEPHONES

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 8:00 and 11:00 AM
Weekday: 9:00 AM Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
Holy day: 9:00 AM & 6:30 PM

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Plans may be made by contacting the pastor or deacon at least one month ahead.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Confessions are heard Saturdays from 3:15 to 3:45 PM or by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF CHRISTIAN MARRIAGE

Plans may be made by contacting pastor at least one year prior to the intended wedding date.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

Please notify us when a parishioner is homebound or hospitalized so that we may visit and offer the sacraments of the Church.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM (C.C.D.)

Religious Education Office: (978) 939-8290 (Sept - May)
Mrs. Jennifer McNeaney, *Safe Environment Coordinator*
Mrs. MaryRose Sideleau, *Sacraments Catechist*
Ms. Lynn Murray, *Confirmation Catechist*

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (R.C.I.A.)

If you are interested in the process leading to membership in the Catholic Church, please contact Mrs. Susan Turcotte, *R.C.I.A. Coordinator* at (978) 939-8969.

REGISTRATION & E-MAIL

All are welcome to join our parish family.
Please call the rectory at 978-939-8851 or fill out a registration form found at church entrances.
E-mail us at stvindepaul05@aol.com
Follow our website at saintvincentcatholicchurch.com

BULLETIN COPY DEADLINE

All items for the parish bulletin must be submitted in writing to the rectory office by the previous Sunday.



Mass Intentions



Saturday	April 20	7:30 PM ~ <i>Holy Saturday the Easter Vigil Mass</i>
Sunday	April 21	8:00 AM ~ Edward LeBlanc by his family
Sunday	April 21	11:00 AM ~ William & Lydia Connor by the family
Monday	April 22	9:00 AM ~ Massie Hunt by his family
Tuesday	April 23	9:00 AM ~
Wednesday	April 24	9:00 AM ~
Thursday	April 25	9:00 AM ~
Friday	April 26	~ <i>No Mass on Fridays</i>
Saturday	April 27	4:00 PM ~ Lorraine Hunt by Jim & Vicki Connor
Sunday	April 28	8:00 AM ~ Alexander Norskey (anni) by his daughter, JoAnne Tiihonen
Sunday	April 28	11:00 AM ~ Alice & Gerry Goguen by Rawlin & Debbie

YOUR SACRIFICIAL OFFERING

Special thanks to everyone who makes-up their envelopes for weekends missed due to vacations, illness or weather. Our weekly bills average \$3,000 year round (not including oil). We continue to fall more in debt to the Diocese as we are unable to pay the insurances and priest benefits bills.

The April 7th collection was \$1,981

The Monthly Maintenance collection was \$634

The Catholic Relief collection totaled \$204

April 14th collections will be printed in next weekend's bulletin due to an early deadline.

Thank you!



UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

April - "Maintenance & Repairs" "Easter Flowers"

April 20 & 21 - "Easter Offering"

April 27 & 28 - "Catholic Education"

LITURGICAL ROLES

If you can not serve or find a replacement, call Deacon Jim at 978-297-5133. Please stop by the Sacristy to see if you are needed.

Saturday, April 27 at 4:00 PM

(EM) Janice Caisse

(L) Pete Gallant

(AS) Lynn Murray & Dale Belliveau

Sunday, April 28 at 8:00 AM

(EM) Gerald Henrie

(L) Nancy Hopkins

(AS) Kelly Taylor

Sunday, April 28 at 11:00 AM

(EM) Renee Paul

(L) Tim Paul

(AS) Matt Paul

CONFIRMATION & FIRST COMMUNION

Please keep our Confirmation and First Communion Classes in your prayers as they prepare to make their Sacraments. Confirmation will be held on Friday, May 3 at 7 PM at Annunciation Parish in Gardner. First Communion will be here at St. Vincent's on Sunday, May 12 at the 11 am Mass.

PARTNERS IN CHARITY APPEAL

Once a year, we commit ourselves to this ongoing work by supporting this life giving appeal. We reflect on God's great generosity, and respond with generous giving of our own. With your support, "*faith in action*" is visible every day in the compassionate outreach of Catholic Charities, to the least among us; in the prayerful witness of our retired priests and the joy of new priestly vocations; to the many diocesan ministries and programs that heal, teach and care for others. Our parish goal this year is \$20,000. We have received \$9,540 in pledges and donations from 35 donors thus far. Thank you! Envelopes can be found in church pews.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

Classes will be held next Sunday, April 28. There will be class on May 5 for Grade 2 only. All other classes will end on April 28.

MEMORIAL DONATIONS

We are grateful for the Memorial Donations and Bequests that parishioners have made in their obituaries & wills.

BIBLE STUDY

Bible Study is held on Mondays in the parish hall. Join us with fellowship at 6:30 pm followed by the Bible Study from 7-8 pm.

TEMPLETON FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS

Canned goods and non-perishable food items can be left in Church and they are brought to the food pantry. Located at 16 Senior Drive in Baldwinville, open 9am-1pm Tuesdays.

PRAYER SHAWLS

Prayer Shawls give comfort to the sick or troubled. Shawls or Military Pocket Shawls are available. Call Darlene LaClair at 508-331-2613.

DANCING WITH JESUS

Women of all ages are invited to a morning of reflection led by Loretta DiPietro at Holy Spirit Chapel, 50 Lovewell St, in Gardner on Saturday April 27th. Coffee will be on at 9 a.m. and we will begin our prayer at 9:30 sharp. To register contact Maura Sweeney at 978-632-0253 or visit annunciationgardner.org.

PARISH CENSUS "STAY CONNECTED"

This month our parish will join others our diocese in an effort to update our contact information with our parishioners. We ask that all please fill out a "Stay Connected" form that can be found in your pew. If you are already registered, please update your contact information including a cell phone & email. If you do not receive envelopes or if you are not a member of our church, this is a first step for you to become a registered parishioner. Please return your form in the collection basket or send to the rectory.

DEANERY PILGRIMAGE OF FAITH

Our Deanery Pilgrimage ends on Divine Mercy Sunday, April 28 at Annunciation Parish in Gardner. Confessions are at 2pm & the Chaplet of Divine Mercy is at 3pm.

DIOCESE NIGHT AT THE BRAVEHEARTS

All members of the Diocese of Worcester are invited to join in an evening of summertime fun at the ballpark on Friday, June 14 at 7 pm as the Worcester Bravehearts take on Brockton at Hanover Insurance Park at Fitton Field. Postgame fireworks show & a free hat will complete the fun. Go to worcesterbraveheartsgroups.com for tickets (password is diocese) or if you have questions you may contact ssaucier@worcesterdiocese.org.

DAILY MASS

Daily Mass resumes our normal schedule of Monday through Thursday at 9:00 am. There is no Daily Mass on Fridays.



*May the celebration of resurrected life
bring you new hope.*

*May the victory over earthly death
turn your eyes to the promises of heaven.*

*May the empty tomb help you to leave your sorrows
at the foot of the cross.*

*May God's hope, promises, and forgiveness
reign in your life forever.*

Happy Easter!