

St. Vincent de Paul Parish

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Sunday, May 18, 2025

Fifth Sunday of Easter



Pope Leo XIV, born Robert Francis Prevost in Chicago, Illinois, was elected as the 267th pope of the Catholic Church on May 8, 2025.

He is the first American and the first Augustinian to ascend to the papacy.

A dual citizen of the United States and Peru, Leo XIV has dedicated much of his life to missionary work, particularly in Peru, where he served as Bishop of Chiclayo from 2015 to 2023.

In 2023, he was appointed prefect of the Dicastery for Bishops and president of the Pontifical Commission for Latin America, roles that elevated his prominence within the Church.

To love as Jesus loves is to stand for what is right, even when it's difficult. In Acts, Paul and Barnabas return to the churches they helped establish - not to boast, but to "strengthen the spirits of the disciples" and to prepare them for the truth: that through many hardships we enter the kingdom of God. Justice, like discipleship, is not comfortable. It demands effort, sacrifice, and perseverance. But it is the road Jesus walked.

The Psalmist assures us that "The Lord is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and of great kindness... The Lord is faithful in all his words and holy in all his works." This is the character of the God we serve - a God whose justice is rooted in compassion, whose power uplifts rather than oppresses.

In Revelation, we are given a beautiful promise: "Behold, I make all things new." God's justice is not only about the world to come - it begins now. Whenever we feed the hungry, defend the voiceless, welcome the excluded, and restore dignity to the forgotten, we participate in that new creation.

And in today's Gospel, Jesus speaks plainly and powerfully: "I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another." This love is not passive or selective - it is bold, inclusive, and active. And it leads us directly to justice.

So let us go forward, grounded in love, and driven by justice. Let our communities be known not just for words, but for actions that reflect the justice and mercy of Christ.

Cheryl



do justice • love tenderly • walk humbly with God Micah 6:8

FIRST SUNDAY: Justice Jubilee bulletin insert

SECOND SUNDAY: Guest Speaker (SPV) & Announcement of upcoming action

THIRD SUNDAY: Guest Speaker (SVDP), Call to Action, Sunday Conversations

FOURTH SUNDAY: Mark Etling's Column on Catholic Social Teaching bulletin insert



During this Justice Jubilee Year, we are offering a brief weekday morning prayer for your reflection. You can sign up and each weekday morning you will receive an email with a short 1 min. morning prayer related to our monthly focus. To subscribe go to: www.stvstl.org/justice-jubilee-2025



TOPIC:
BUDGET PLAN
JUNE 1, 2025
10:15 AM
PARISH HALL

SUNDAY READINGS

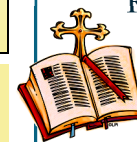
Reading 1
Acts 14:21-27

Responsorial Psalm
Psalm 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13

Reading 2
Revelation 21:1-5a

Alleluia
John 13:34

Gospel
John 13:31-33a, 34-35



Please let the Office know of any items you'd like included in the bulletin, no later than Monday Afternoon. Thank You!

MASS SCHEDULE:

Mon-Fri: 12:05pm
 Saturday: 4:30pm
 Sunday: 9:00 am & 11:00 am
 Confession: Saturday at 4:00 pm
 before Mass

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Mon - Fri:
 8:30 am - 4:30 pm
 Saturday:
 9:00 am - 1:30 pm

**LECTOR SCHEDULE**

Sat, May 17th	4:30 pm	Suzann Barry & TBD
Sun, May 18th	9:00 am	Mary Flick & Anne Henahan
	11:00 am	Marcella & Tom Elder
Sat, May 24th	4:30 pm	~ LECTORS NEEDED ~
Sun, May 25th	9:00 am	Robin James & Tommy Devitt
	11:00 am	Henry Schreiner & Chris Hanewinkel

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER SCHEDULE

Sat, May 17th	4:30 pm	Greg Benken & Barb Tippet
Sun, May 18th	9:00 am	Deacon Terry, Kara Kassel, & Carolyn Hubler
	11:00 am	Deacon Terry & Steve Kymes
Sat, May 24th	4:30 pm	Greg Benken & Joe Cernich
Sun, May 25th	9:00 am	Deacon Terry, Tim Placke, & Barb Tippet
	11:00 am	Deacon Terry & Maureen Scheve

DONUT SCHEDULE	PICK UP	SERVING
May 18th	Mary Truesdale	9 am Carolyn Hubler Group
		11 am Faye & Bob Stanek
May 25th	Mary Officer	9 am Sr. Sandy Schwartz Group
		11 am Marcie & Tom Elder
June 1st	TBD	9 am Carolyn Hubler Group
		11 am Faye & Bob Stanek
June 8th	TBD	9 am Sr. Sandy Schwartz Group
		11 am Marcie & Tom Elder

Help make Sunday a little sweeter!
 Just scan the QR Code to Volunteer to Pick Up Donuts!

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LADIES OF CHARITY

www.ladiesofcharitystl.org



MASS INTENTIONS



SATURDAY, MAY 17TH
4:30 pm - *Gratitude and Blessings*

SUNDAY, MAY 18TH
9:00 am - *Deirdre Liddell*
11:00 am - *Strength and Guidance*

MONDAY, MAY 19TH
12:05 pm - *Protection and Safety*

TUESDAY, MAY 20TH
12:05 pm - *Peace and Comfort*

WEDNESDAY, MAY 21ST
12:05 pm - *Spiritual Growth*

THURSDAY, MAY 22ND
12:05 pm - *Unity*

FRIDAY, MAY 23RD
12:05 pm - *Family Bonds*

MAY BIRTHDAYS

1st Bob Cahill	13th Renee Pawlikowski	24th Teri Wells
1st Keely Ewing	14th Maureen Bertke	25th Joan Schmidt
1st Camila Lassiter	15th Melanie Martin	25th Oscar Chavez
1st Matthew Miller	15th Tom McCrackin	25th Tom Zurheide
2nd Mary Deeker	15th Henry Schreiner	26th Zoann Owen
3rd Judy Cernich	16th BJ Kimple	27th Jackie Toben
3rd Molly Skiljan	18th Maxwell Allgeyer	29th Andrea Noedel
3rd Daniel Thuet	18th Grace Miller	29th Katherine Stewart
6th Robin James	19th Philip Hanley, III	29th Mary Walsh
7th Tom Mueller	19th Molly Labitska	29th Matthew Zurheide
7th Karen Philpot	19th Dominique Wells	30th Daniel Eller
8th Megan Redshaw	21st Melissa Whitson	30th Cheryl Kedro
12th Mary Officer	22nd Joan Stoverink, ASC	30th Kyle Krah
12th Nora Turner	24th Connie Bauer	31st Regina Vanek
12th Leshay Wysinger	24th Marty Johnson	
13th Jane Kaniecki	24th Ava Martin	

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Atticus H.	Kathy Mayer
Avry Rollberg	Ken Kohler
Bobbie H.	Kim Ragsdale
Carol Sell	Kyle D.
Cat Risch	Kim Ragsdale
Christine Holt	Kyle D.
Dalana Graves	Leigh Bush
Debbie Webers	Manuel Cometa
Dianna Wozniak	Mary Ann Campbell
Don & Beth Karp	Mary Walsh
Dorothy Berkopec	Michelle Haines
Edie Vetter	Mimi Berry
Elisabeth Boone	Norm Stanard
Eloise Williams	Pat Collins
Genevieve Robinette	Patrick Dooley
Harry Chomin	Patti Webers
James Politte	Phyllis Koebbe
Jane Kraus	Reggie Vanek
Janet Loos	Rick Jobin
Joan Martin	Robert Flick
Joe Richardson	Robert Stanek
John Hermann	Shirley Martin
Josie Carter	Sue Coleman & Family
Julia Tang	Tara Latimore
Julie Clapp	The Masek Family
Kal Matthews	Tom Gray
Kali Cochran	

MAY ANNIVERSARIES

3rd Raymond & Georgia Irwin 57 yrs.
6th Norman & Joan Stanard 64 yrs.
6th Tom & Dolores Zurheide 25 yrs.
8th Ray & Charlene Martin 60 yrs.
10th Donald & Jennifer Daut 22yrs.
12th Linda & Baxter Leisure 53 yrs.
24th Jerry & Mona Cafazza 36 yrs.
25th Maria & Charles Lizenby 40 yrs.
26th Pat & Kathy McGrath 52 yrs.



Online
Giving

Weekly Offering
Thank you for your support of the Parish

ST. VINCENT DEPAUL PARISH	DATE (S)	AMOUNT
Sunday Collection - Parish	5/10/2025 - 5/11/2025	\$7,388. ⁰⁰
Sunday Collection - Outreach	5/10/2025 - 5/11/2025	\$250. ⁰⁰
Sunday Collection - Service & Justice	5/10/2025 - 5/11/2025	\$45. ⁰⁰
Sunday Collection - Catholic Relief	5/10/2025 - 5/11/2025	\$ 20. ⁰⁰
Sunday Collection - Rice Bowl	5/10/2025 - 5/11/2025	\$ 5. ⁰⁰
Outreach Ministry	5/9/2025	\$ 932. ⁰⁰
Electronic Giving - Parish	5/5/2025 - 5/11/2025	\$ 1,525. ⁰⁰
Electronic Giving - Outreach	5/5/2025 - 5/11/2025	\$ 155. ⁰⁰

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL



Christ boundless love compels us to act. The Annual Catholic Appeal provides us an opportunity to be Christ's hands and feet throughout the Archdiocese of St Louis and support the mission of the Church For the Life of the World, sharing his love and mercy with those who need it most.

This week, we are continuing the Appeal in our Parish.

Please consider supporting the Annual Catholic Appeal this year. You can pick up your pledge card after Mass, make a gift online at aca.orgstl.org or text to give by texting "ACA" to 243725

ACA PROGRESS REPORT 2025

2025 Published Goal	\$17,040
Challenge Goal	-
New Donor Goal	9
Total to Date	\$ 3,254

CALLING ALL MEN OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL & ST. PIUS V PARISHES!

All men and friends of the parish are invited to join us on our annual men's retreat at the beautiful White House in South St. Louis County. This will be a silent, guided retreat based on the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius.

It's a peaceful break from the chaos and confusion of everyday life. It's like a 3- day vacation with Christ on the Jesuit's 80-acre campus overlooking the Mississippi River. All meals and private lodging are provided. Our retreat begins with dinner, Thursday, June 5th and concludes Sunday, June 8th after lunch.

There is no set fee to attend a retreat at White House! White House operates on a free will offering basis, asking those in attendance to simply give what they can at the conclusion of the retreat.

To register call 800-643-1003 or visit <https://whitehouseretreat.org> for more info contact Ron Auer at (314) 255-7855 or email auerhouse@sbcglobal.net

LITURGY SURVEY & COMMENT FORM

We'd love to hear from you! Please let us know how we're doing by using our Liturgy Survey & Comment Form. Just go to our parish website: www.stvstl.org or use the QR code. Thank you for being an active part of our community!



PARISH DIRECTORY UPDATES

St. Vincent wants to be able to communicate with all of our active parishioners! Our Parish Directory will come out soon. Help ensure that we have accurate contact and household information for your family and let us know if there are other parishioners whose information or needs have changed.

Last date to update your records is May 20, 2025.

Update can be made online at

<https://www.stvstl.org/registration-form>

Thank you for your efforts to help us minister to the entire parish family!

LAUDATO SI SPEAKERS SERIES



Mark Etling, Ph.D.
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CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING
& CARE FOR THE EARTH

WED JUNE 4 @ 6:30PM

LIGHT UP THE NIGHT

FIREWORKS AT ST. VINCENT'S CHURCH

Want to see the fireworks under the Arch on the 4th of July without the hassles of huge crowds and parking issues?

Did you know you can see fireworks from the front of St. Vincent's church?

Plan on joining us for a bring-your-own dinner and ice cream social (*sundaes and topping provided by the parish*) in the hall, followed by fireworks outside.

*Bring your own lawn chair.
Security is being provided.
Additional details will follow.*



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Two space ad \$718
Three space ad \$1028
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ALL ADS RUN FOR ONE YEAR.

Please reach out to Iris Mitchell Regional Ad Representative w/ LPI
800-950-9952 x2495 / e: imitchell@4lpi.com

PARISH CALENDAR

Sun, May 18	Mass 9:00 am & 11:00 am -
Tues, May 20	Food Pantry 9:15 am - 12:00 pm - Clothing Window 12:00-1:30pm - Finance 5:00 pm
Wed, May 21	Liturgy 6:00 pm
Thurs, May 22	Food Pantry 9:15 am - 12:00 pm - Senior Bingo 10:00 am - Suds of Love 10:00 pm - 1:00 pm Meals 5:00 - 6:00 pm
Fri, May 23	May Crowning 11:00 am - Mass 4:30 pm - Meals 5:00 - 6:00 pm
Sat, May 24	Mass 9:00 am & 11:00 am - Meals 5:00 - 6:00 pm
Sun, May 25	Food Pantry 9:15 am - 12:00pm - Clothing Window 12:00 - 1:30pm - Meals 5:00 - 6:00 pm
Mon, May 26	Memorial Day! <i>Parish Office CLOSED</i> - Meals 5:00 - 6:00 pm
Tues, May 27	Food Pantry 9:15 am - 12:00 pm - Clothing Window 12:00-1:30pm - Meals 5:00 - 6:00 pm
Wed, May 28	Meals 5:00 - 6:00 pm
Thurs, May 29	Food Pantry 9:15am - 12:00pm - Senior Bingo 10:00 am - Meals 5:00 - 6:00 pm
Fri, May 30	Meals 5:00 - 6:00 pm
Sat, May 31	Mass 4:30 pm - Meals 5:00 - 6:00pm

NOTES FROM THE CHILDREN'S MINISTRY TEAMLiturgy with Children Serving Interest Form -

We are looking for youth to serve as ministers on the 4th Sundays during the 11:00 am Mass.

Would your child like to do one or more of the following:

Choir, Greeter/Usher, Lector, serve Donuts and Coffee after Mass?

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

St. Pius V and St. Vincent DePaul parishes invite you and your family to consider participating in our Family Faith Formation Program. The program is designed to allow children and caretakers to grow in their faith together and can be an alternate PSR as well as PSR as well as an additional support to children who attend Catholic school. Families will gather after Mass on the 2nd Sunday of the month for approximately 1.5 hours.

The location will alternate between parishes. Sacramental preparation will be provided as needed.

Please contact Carolyn Hubler st.claircac@gmail.com or Mary at mloux3@gmail.com



CABRINI CORNER

We are wrapping up a year of Being the Light for our students thank you!

Your support makes an impact. Check us out on Facebook & Instagram to see what's happening.

Please contact the office to refer family & friends: 314.776.0883.



LOOKING FOR A SCHOLARSHIP FOR THE 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR? LOOK NO FURTHER!

All Catholic Schools in the Archdiocese of St. Louis and any Private elementary school in the City of St. Louis.

APPLY HERE**QUESTIONS?**

Contact the Scholarship Team!
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CHILDREN'S ENGAGEMENT — MAY 2025

1st Sunday	Children's Liturgy of the Word
2nd Sunday	Happy Mother's Day (No Classes)
3rd Sunday	Children's Liturgy of the Word Family Faith Formation (St. Pius)
4th Sunday	Youth Sunday

We're serving
Meals
May 22nd – June 1st
5:00 – 6:00 pm

DON'T FORGET



YOUR TIME.
THEIR MEAL.
ONE SIMPLE SCAN.

Sign up to volunteer today
by scanning the QR code!

You can call the parish office at 314-231-9328 and ask
for Desiray Taylor. She'll help get you signed up.

"What do you call a priest, a deacon, and a
bishop asking for food at a restaurant?"



"Holy Orders."

FUN FACT!

Holy Orders refers to the sacrament in which
a man is ordained a priest. When a man
shares in the priesthood of Christ, he is then
able to dispense the sacraments and offer the
Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.



JOIN US:

Meet Marian Day

May 13

May 20

June 10

June 24

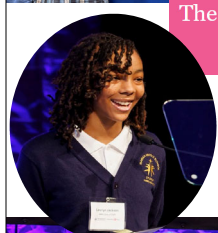
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The Amazing Things Marian Girls
Are Up To...

RSVP to Sharon Baca

sbaca@mms-stl.org

314-771-7674 x10



UNITY MASS
JUNE 8, 2025

~ St. Vincent De Paul ~
June 7, 2025 4:30 pm
June 8, 2025 10:00 am ONLY

~ St. Pius V ~
June 7, 2025 4:30 pm
June 8, 2025 NO MASS

JOIN US FOR VBS 2025



REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

St. Margaret of Scotland Church
Jul 28-Aug 1, 2025 • 9am - 12 noon

for children entering grades 1-5
adult & teen volunteers needed!

bit.ly/smosvbs2025

Deadline 5/31. Questions? ffc@stmargaretstl.org



**\$25 per
child**

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TROLLEY & CARRIAGE RIDES

2025

LAFAYETTE SQUARE HOME & GARDEN TOUR

June 7th & 8th, 10am-5pm

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