





Date	Holy Mass Intentions	Readings
Saturday July 15 <i>Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	4:00 p.m. † Anthoniamma Balappa 6:00 p.m. For all living and deceased clergy, religious and their loved ones	Isaiah 55: 10-11 Psalm 65: 10-14 Romans 8: 18-23 Matthew 13: 1-23
Sunday July 16 <i>Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8:00 a.m. † Erin McCann 10:30 a.m. Parishioners (Living & Deceased) 4:00 p.m. † Jose Jaramillo † Luz Henao † Manfred Paulic	Isaiah 55: 10-11 Psalm 65: 10-14 Romans 8: 18-23 Matthew 13: 1-23
Monday July 17	12:00 p.m. † Reverend Raymond Horan	Exodus 1: 8-14, 22 Psalm 124: 1-8 Matthew 10:34 — 11:1
Tuesday July 18 <i>Saint Camillus de Lellis, Priest</i>		Exodus 2: 1-15a Psalm 69: 3,14,30-31,33-34 Matthew 11: 20-24
Wednesday July 19	6:30 p.m. Healing Holy Mass McKenna Family	Exodus 3: 1-6, 9-12 Psalm 103: 1-4, 6-7 Matthew 11: 25-27
Thursday July 20 <i>Saint Apollinaris, Bishop, Martyr</i>	12:00 p.m. Maria Gerner	Exodus 3: 13-20 Psalm 105: 1, 5, 8-9, 24-27 Matthew 11: 28-30
Friday July 21 <i>Saint Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest, Doctor of the Church</i>		Exodus 11: 10 — 12:14 Psalm 116: 12-13, 15-18 Matthew 12: 1-8
Saturday July 22 <i>Saint Mary Magdalene</i>		Exodus 12: 37-42 Psalm 136: 1, 10-15, 23-24 John 20: 1-2, 11-18

Sunday, July 23, 2017
Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Wisdom 12: 13, 16-19
 Psalm 86: 5-6, 9-10, 15-16
 Romans 8: 26-27
 Matthew 13: 24-43


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.

Memorare

 Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy
 protection, implored thy help or sought thine intercession was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence,
 I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my mother; to thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and
 sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me. Amen.
 



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:

Anthionamma Balappa, Deacon Steve Bek, Erin McCann, Jose Jaramillo, Luz Henao, Manfred Paulic, Rev. Raymond Horan, Fr. Leo Herbert, Fr. Terry Kane, Girard Charles St. Germaine, Virginia Chahrouri, Richard Cuervo, Evelyn McDermott, Mary Lockwald, Braulio Lloret Jr., Pamela Biebel,

Doing Our Part To Change History For The Better

In 1948, The World Medical Association created the Geneva Declaration as a proclamation of human rights. It was a direct response to the atrocities that had been committed by the Nazis. They were coming out of a period where it had been acceptable to kill, mistreat and perform experiments on those who were thought of as inferior. Therefore, the Geneva Declaration was a means for declaring respect for human life. The oath included this clause, "I will have the utmost respect for human life, from the time of conception."

However, in 1984, it was altered to no longer acknowledge conception. Instead, they replaced it with the words, "from its beginning." That too did not survive. In 2005, it was deleted altogether, leaving no reference to the earliest stages of life. It's shameful how this literally documents our society's degradation of life.

That leads us to the present. What will future generations see in the history we leave behind? The tragic reality is that we have a culture of death where 60 million innocent babies have been denied the right to live in the U.S. Abortion mills thrive across the country where the unborn aren't only killed, but abortionists profit from their "profession."

Yet, we have voices that are speaking out affirming the value of life. Technology, via ultrasounds, is showing the world the truth and beauty of development in the womb. Women help centers are located in communities across the country, reaching out to abortion-vulnerable women and saving babies' lives. Pro-life legislation is being introduced on both federal and state levels. Much progress is being made; but make no mistake, it's a bitter ongoing battle. For victory, we must each do our part so that we may stand at the turning point in history, where this generation will restore a culture of life.



IN YOUR PRAYERS



To request prayers for yourself, or for loved ones who are sick, or who have special intentions, please list their name in the Book of Petitions located on the table across from Fr. Adrian's office. 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. Names listed by Monday will be printed in the bulletin the following weekend.

Please pray for:

Fr. Omar Loggiodice, Rita Bek, Joseph Hein, Katherine Pirnik, Geri Roberts, Sara McDaniel, Fred Speeney, Olga S. Torres, Nancy Calta, Fr. Michael S. Sherliza, Roesch family, Bill Gilbert, Marylou Bishop, Jeanne Pucci, Patton Family, Claude Hamilton, Paul Amodio Jr., Jacob Hartdegen, Victims of recent violence, Lucy Nicholson, Maria Paula Marin, Marin G. family, Sionnie Gernaat, Joan Hruby, Tamara, Tatiana, and Germanio Nunez, Luis Alfonso N., Julia Nunez and family, Arden Smith, Annmarie Muir, Jim Muir, Angela Sanchez, Godofredo Alema, Jane MacLean, Pat MacLean, Emily and Jill Strauss, MaryAnn and Mary Strauss, Nelta Barnes, David Najib, Joseph, John and David Chahrouri, Luis Delia Ortiz, Verna Orr, Jack Hyde, Newbern family, Diane Paulaskas, Suzette Suzelande, Koland Fradestin, Mardochee Cherichel, Kathy Dillion, Keegan Gary, Jennifer Ford, Tom Driggers, Neal Benson, W.H. Collins, Carol Collins, Kourtney Nicholson, Tammy Arzet, Joe Ward, Sherry Stetson, Edward Kasperek, Rose Marie Aiken, Mildred Gamel, Maggie, Christian, Mathew, Caroline, Jorge, and Juan Hernandez, Martha and Janny Medulla, Joe and Joan Nappi, Mark Voss, Patrick Erhard and family, Matt McDermott, Michael and Paul Gailliot, Enrique Ortigas, Gabriela Chapo an, Timothy Wysocki, Sonia Jean-Louis, Dolleen, Lisa Reuland, Mackleen Desravines, Maryanne Jashinske, Jashinske family, and all of our family and friends who are ill but not listed. We ask the Lord to grant them comfort and healing.

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

Educational Opportunities Catholic Tours is hosting a pilgrimage to the Holy Land. The dates are January 23-30, 2018.

Destinations include Bethlehem, Jericho, Ein Karem, Emmaus, Nazareth, the Galilee, and Jerusalem. You are invited to walk the land of Jesus, deepen your understanding of the Bible, inspire your faith and transform your life.

For additional information regarding the pilgrimage, visit

<http://www.ecatholic.com/#eotours>.



Does your marriage need a tune-up? Or even a major overhaul? Sometimes a marriage can run along fine and then things change. They may need your time and attention.

Sometimes lines of communication break down and they need repair. Sometimes our focus moves away from our marriage and family, and needs a little redirection. Sometimes a fair or average marriage is just not enough. Have you ever thought to yourself, "How can I make my marriage better?" If so, Retrouvaille can help. Retrouvaille is a marriage program for couples whose marriage has become off course. It is an effective program that has worked for thousands of couples and it can work for your marriage. Please call (317)-691-2258 or visit HelpOurMarriage.com for more information regarding the next Retrouvaille Weekend program, which will be held July 28-30, 2017.



Volunteer Ministers are Needed!



We are in need of volunteers to join the Set up Ministry, the Lector Ministry, and the Altar Server Ministry. Training is provided for all ministry volunteers. Adult volunteers should be Catholic, established registered parishioners and in good standing with the church. If interested, please contact Debbie Chisholm at (770) 443-0566 or email dchisholm@svdpatl.com.



Marian Movement of Priests Prayer Cenacle



Please join us every Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. in the church for a prayer Cenacle inspired by the Marian Movement of Priests (MMP). This gathering is dedicated to the Blessed Mother's invitation to spread consecrations to Her Immaculate Heart, for strong unity with the Pope and the Church united with him, and for a final solution to console parents who are concerned about the salvation of their children. The Cenacle will consist of song, praying the rosary, a reading and reflection on a message from Our Lady as given to Fr. Gobbi, and an act of consecration. All are invited. For additional information please call

Mary Ware: (404) 384-9352.



From the Knights of Columbus



At the Knights of Columbus June meeting, elections were held for officers for the next fiscal year. The results are as follows:

Grand Knight, Steven Pfaff	Deputy Grand Knight, Bill Cohen
Chancellor, Ken Bishop	Recorder, Kevin Ebelhar
Treasurer, Martin Valbuena	Advocate, Greg Shaw
Warden, Brad Burchfield	Inside Guard, Fabian Apodaca
Outside Guard, Arnel Enverga	One Year Trustee, Bill Gilbert
Two Year Trustee, John	Lecturer, Jonathan Wilkins
Three Year Trustee, Stephen Hartdegen	
Chaplain, Fr. Adrian Pleus	

Thanks to all these gentlemen for sacrificing their time in service to the Knights and to our parish!

Summer Giving

Summer time is here! While you are enjoying the relaxed days of summer, please do not forget that we are still here at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church. Regretfully, our offertory decreases during this time, however expenses remain. If you will be gone during the summer, please consider online or electronic payment of donations to the parish.



Sunday July 16 Gospel Reading



Matthew 13:1-23

Today's Gospel marks the beginning of the third long discourse given by Jesus in the Gospel of Matthew. Over the next few weeks, the Gospel readings will consist of the entire 13th Chapter of Matthew's Gospel, a lengthy teaching discourse.

Throughout this discourse, Jesus will offer several parables to illustrate for his listeners what he means by the kingdom of heaven. He begins with the parable of the sower, which appears rather straightforward: of course seeds grow best in good soil. Seeds that miss the soil, are sown on rocky ground, or are sown among other plants will not grow. The surprise in the parable is the enormous yield of the seed that is sown on good soil.

Jesus then explains his use of parables. Jesus seems to suggest that he uses parables to teach because the meanings of parables are not self-evident. The hearer must engage in some degree of reflection in order to comprehend the message of a parable. In this way, the medium, the parable, models the point of the parable of the sower. Those who are willing to engage themselves in the effort to understand will be rewarded by the discovery of the message and will bear fruit.

To bring home the point, Jesus interprets the parable of the sower to his disciples. The different types of soil in which the seeds are sown are metaphors for the disposition with which each individual hears the teaching about the kingdom of heaven. Some will be easily swayed away from the kingdom of heaven. Some will receive it for a time but will lose it when faced with difficulties. Some will hear the word but will then permit other cares to choke it out. Yet some will receive it well, and the seed will produce abundant fruit.

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What was Jesus' prayer for each of us?

"That they may all be one; even as thou, Father, art in Me, and I in Thee, that they also may be in Us." This sharing in His Divinity: this union with the Trinity is Jesus' burning desire. This is the theology behind all our spirituality. In Stage Two of the HAPP Ministry's program, Father Michael Gaitley presents The One Thing Is Three and Wisdom and Works of Mercy. Starting August 6th, join us for this 11 week class on the Trinity and Works of Mercy. Weekly meetings will be on Sunday nights from 5:30 – 7:15pm in St. Gerard Hall. The class is primarily meant to bring the Trinity home to our hearts and to simplify the Wisdom of the Church. The more we know God, the more we can love Him! Through video presentations and group sharing, we will grow in wisdom. Cost is ~ \$40 for materials. Please register in the narthex of the church or contact Mary Ware at (404) 384-9352.



Pope Francis' July Prayer Intention

Lapsed Christians – That our brothers and sisters who have strayed from the faith, through our prayer and witness to the gospel, may rediscover the merciful closeness of the Lord and the beauty of Christian life.



Ministry Schedule

Saturday, July 22 - 4 p.m. Holy Mass

Deacon: Deacon Jose Perez
Lectors: Paul Amodio Marylou Bishop
E.M.O.H.C.:
Eucharistic Guardians: Nancy Chisholm Marylou Bishop
Servers:
Ushers: Dave Gover Bill Gilbert Ken Bishop
Greeter: Regina Harding
Set Up: Regina Harding

Saturday, July 22 – 6 p.m. Holy Mass

Deacon: Deacon Jose Perez
Lectors: Teresa Guzman Hilda Fuentes
E.M.O.H.C.:
Eucharistic Guardians: Alexis Poche Juan Rodriguez
Servers: Jhovanex, Jhonas, and Jhohansel Rodriguez
Ushers: Henrii Gonzalez Eliezer Morales
Greeter: Luz Gonzalez
Set Up: Carmen Perez

Sunday, July 23 – 8:00 a.m. Holy Mass

Deacon: Deacon Jim McDermott
Lectors: Bob Strauss Diane Long
E.M.O.H.C.:
Eucharistic Guardians: Brenda Strauss Cathy Bigler
Servers: Kevin Hew Emmanuel Alerte Ian Wilkins
Ushers: Tony Pucci Bob Strauss Brent Buechler
Greeter: *Need a volunteer*
Set Up: Cathy Bigler

Sunday, July 23 – 10:30 a.m. Holy Mass

Deacon:
Lectors: Jerry Jones Deborah DeSantiago
E.M.O.H.C.: Thomas Dodd
Eucharistic Guardians: Florence Coon Bob Babecka
Servers: Joseph and Thomas Babecka
Ushers: Judy and Randy Brown Klara Jones Mary Stumm
Greeter: *Need a volunteer*
Set Up: Jan Evangelista

Sunday, July 23- 4:00 p.m. Holy Mass

Deacon:
Lectors: *Lector Needed Lector Needed*
E.M.O.H.C. Stephen Hartdegen
Eucharistic Guardians: Dianne Karampelas Amy Gallagher
Servers: Gabriel Focaracci Jacob and Noah Hartdegen
Ushers: Fred Lojo Ethan and Andrew Valbuena
Greeter: *Need a volunteer*
Set Up: Dianne Karampelas

The ministry schedule is also available on-line at

www.saintvincentdepaulchurch.org.

Ministry Volunteers: If you are unable to serve as scheduled, please find a replacement and note the change on the posted master schedule. Thank you for your service.



First Fruits of Our Labor

Offerings for July 1-2, 2017



1st Collection

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	\$ 3,081.50
Saturday	6:00 p.m.	\$ 275.00
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	\$ 1,340.00
Sunday	10:30 a.m.	\$ 2,289.10
Sunday	4:00 p.m.	\$ 1,159.00
Box/Mail		\$ 1,282.31
Online		\$ 1,298.00

Total 1st Collection \$ 11,424.91

Total 2nd Collection \$ 1,076.36

(Peter's Pence)

Offerings for July 8-9, 2017

1st Collection

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	\$ 1,286.35
Saturday	6:00 p.m.	\$ 191.00
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	\$ 754.00
Sunday	10:30 a.m.	\$ 2,616.00
Sunday	4:00 p.m.	\$ 918.65
Box/Mail		\$ 532.00
Online		\$ 766.00

Total 1st Collection \$ 7,064.00

Total 2nd Collection \$ 1,549.98

(Archdiocese Military Services)

The second collection today is for the Growing In Grace Mortgage Fund.



You shall love your neighbor as yourself." - Leviticus 19:18

St. Vincent de Paul's 2017 Parish Goal:	\$ 38,000.00
Pledged and Unpledged Donations:	\$ 59,675.95
Amount Received:	\$ 32,939.45

Current Number of Donors for 2017: 226

Number of Donors in 2016: 321

Have You Forgotten Something?

We have a number of rosaries that have been left behind and are currently waiting to be reclaimed by their rightful owners. Please call the parish office at (770) 443-0566 if you think you may have left a rosary at the church.



The Sacrament of Baptism



To schedule a Baptism, parents and godparents are first required to attend a Baptism Preparation class. To register for a class, please call the church office or register in person at the church. Baptisms will not be scheduled until parents and godparents have attended the class and all paperwork has been turned in. The 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 the godmother and godfather.

Upcoming Baptism Classes will be held on

August 20 - 9:15 a.m.

September 16 - 7:15 p.m. (in Spanish)

September 17 - 9:15 a.m

(Classes are held in English unless otherwise noted.)

Note: Baptisms are not scheduled during Advent or Lent.



BAPTISM

Welcome to the family of God

Bryson Alexander Byrd

Son of Joelle Lisa Golet and Ian Ray Byrd

Jameson Ryan Byrd

Son of Joelle Lisa Golet and Ian Ray Byrd

Kate Jornacion Magayanes

Daughter of Karen Jornacion and Marvic Feleo Magayanes

who received the Sacrament of Baptism in June



Bulletin Announcements!



Please send all Bulletin announcements to Nancy Chisholm at bulletineditor@svdpatl.com.

All Bulletin announcements and any pre-approved flyers for publication on the SVdP web page should be e-mailed, in publication - ready format, no later than 9:00 a.m. on Monday mornings, for publication the following weekend.

Please be aware that deadlines are earlier for holidays!



The St. Vincent de Paul Society



Please remember those in our own community who are in danger of going hungry. You can assist those in need through your donations of canned and dried foods to the Saint Vincent de Paul Society. If you wish to donate food, please place non-perishable donations in the bins under the information table in the Narthex. Thank you for your generosity.

During June, 2017, the Dallas SVdP Society provided:

- \$ 4,019.88 in utility payments for 14 families
- \$ 9,736.64 in rent and mortgage payments for 9 families
- financial assistance to 26 families
- 2,745 pounds of food for 83 people

in need within Paulding County and the surrounding area

Thank you for your donations!

Thrift Store Hours:

Monday - Friday 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

We Need Your Help:

- *Would you like to work with those in need in our community as a caseworker? This is an excellent way to perform corporal acts of mercy, and we will provide training to those who volunteer. Please call Carmen at 770-443-1533 and leave a message if you are interested.*
- *Do you have the ability to repair watches? The SVdP thrift store is in need of a volunteer who can inspect donated watches and make sure they are in working order. If you have the necessary skills and are interested in this corporal work of mercy, please leave a message for Carmen at 770-443-1533.*
- *Are you aware of any job openings? The SVdP Society is creating a listing of current employment opportunities for clients in need of jobs in our community. If you know of any jobs available nearby, please notify us:*

call Carmen and leave a message at 770-443-1533, or e-mail Carmen at carmenamodio0316@gmail.com, or notify Nancy at bulletineditor@svdpatl.com.

We thank you for any assistance you can provide to help meet these needs.

Catechism Corner - from the Catechism of St. Pius X - The Second Article of the Creed

7. Q. Why is the Son of God made man also called Christ?

A. The Son of God made man is also called Christ, that is to say, anointed or consecrated, because kings, priests and prophets were anointed of old; and Jesus is the King of kings, High Priest, and supreme Prophet.

8. Q. Was Jesus Christ really anointed and consecrated with a material anointing?

A. The anointing of Jesus Christ was not material, like that of the kings, priests and prophets of old, but wholly spiritual and divine, because the fullness of the Divinity dwells in Him substantially.

9. Q. Had men any idea of Jesus Christ previous to His coming?

A. Yes, previous to His coming men had some idea of Jesus Christ in the promise of the Messiah, which God made to our first parents, Adam and Eve, and which He renewed to the holy Patriarchs; and also in the prophecies and the many figures which foreshadowed Him.

Welcome !

Thank you for joining us for our Eucharistic celebration. If you are not a registered parishioner, we welcome you and invite you to become a member of the SVdP Parish. Registration packets are available on the gifts table in the narthex. If you have any questions, please call the parish office at (770) 443-0566 and we will be happy to assist you.

July 2017

Revised

The following schedule is in effect unless otherwise noted:

Weekend Holy Masses: Saturday Vigil 4 p.m. & Santa Misa en Español at 6 p.m.
 Sundays 8 a.m., 10:30 a.m. and 4 p.m.
 Daily Holy Mass: Monday 12 Noon; Wednesday 6:30 p.m.; Thursday 12 Noon
 Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will follow the Thursday Holy Mass at noon, and will conclude at 2:00 p.m.
 Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession/Penance): Wednesday 5:00 - 6:15 p.m.; Saturday 2:00-3:00 p.m.
 The Charismatic Prayer Group meets on Fridays at 7:30 p.m.
 Adult Choir practice - Wednesday 7:30 p.m.
 Parish Office Hours - Monday-Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

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2 2nd Collection - Peter's Pence No RE	3	4 Office Closed Patriotic Rosary - 9:00 a.m.	5	6	7	8
9 2nd Collection - Military Service No RE Blood Drive and Pancake Breakfast following morning Holy Masses	10 Knights of Columbus 6:30 p.m. Rosary 7:00 p.m. Social 7:30 p.m. Business Meeting	11	12	13	14	15
16 2nd Collection - Growing in Grace No RE Baptism Class 9:15 a.m.	17	18	19 Healing Holy Mass - 6:30 p.m.	20	21	22
23 No 2nd Collection No RE Virtus training Room E (Off Site)	24	25	26	27 Finance Council Meeting 6:00 - Refreshments 6:30 - Meeting	28	29
30 2nd Collection - Mission Cooperative No RE	31					