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Pray for the repose of the soul of Rev. Mr. Steve Bek (1945 - 2017)

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Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 11, 2021

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.



Holy Mass Times:

Saturday: 4:00 p.m., 6:00 p.m. (En Español) • Sunday: 9:00 a.m., 12 noon

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 (located in the back of this bulletin and on the parish 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.

Date	Holy Mass Intentions	Readings
Saturday July 10 Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	4:00 p.m. Terin McCann 6:00 p.m. Annette Abbott	Amos 7: 12-15 Psalm 85: 9-14 Ephesians 1: 3-14 Mark 6: 7-13
Sunday July 11 Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	9:00 a.m. Parishioners (Living & Deceased) 12 noon Julianne Grego	Amos 7: 12-15 Psalm 85: 9-14 Ephesians 1: 3-14 Mark 6: 7-13
Monday July 12	12 noon David Reardon	Exodus 1: 8-14, 22 Psalm 124: 1-8 Matthew 10: 34—11: 1
Tuesday July 13 Saint Henry	12 noon Julio Aristizabal	Exodus 2: 1-15a Psalm 69: 3, 14, 30-31, 33-34 Mathew 11: 20-24
Wednesday July 14 Saint Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin	6:15 p.m. Terin McCann	Exodus 3: 1-6, 9-12 Psalm 103: 1b-4, 6-7 Matthew 11: 25-27
Thursday July 15 Saint Bonaventure, Bishop, Doctor of the Church		Exodus 3: 13-20 Psalm 105: 1, 5, 8-9, 24-27 Matthew 11: 28-30
Friday July 16 Our Lady of Mount Carmel		Exodus 11: 10—12: 14 Psalm 116: 12-13, 15, 16bc, 7-18 Matthew 12: 1-8
Saturday July 17		Exodus 12: 37-42 Psalm 136: 1, 23-24, 10-15 Matthew 12: 14-21

Readings for Sunday, July 18

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jeremiah 23: 1-6 Psalm 23: 1-6 Ephesians 2: 13-18 Mark 6: 30-34

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.

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:

All deceased fathers of SVdP Parish, Pat Sosbee, Richard Jarbeau, Elida T. Garcia, Bea Chisholm, Erin McCann, Annette Abbott, Julianne Grego, David Reardon, Anthony Massaro

and all those who have gone before us.

CATECHISM OF PIUS X - The Fifth Commandment

- **4 Q.** Does God also forbid us in the Fifth Commandment to do harm to the spiritual life of another?
 - **A.** Yes, in the Fifth Commandment God also forbids us to do harm to another's spiritual life by scandal.
- **5 O.** What is scandal?
 - **A.** Scandal is any word, act, or omission which is the occasion of another's committing sin.
- **6 Q.** Is scandal a grave sin?
 - A. Scandal is a grave sin because, by causing the loss of souls, it tends to destroy the greatest work of God, namely, the redemption; it effects the death of another's soul by depriving it of the life of grace, which is more precious than the life of the body; and is the source of a multitude of sins. Hence God threatens the severest chastisement to those who give scandal.
- **7** *Q***.** Why does God, in the Fifth Commandment, forbid the taking of one's own life or suicide?
- A. In the Fifth Commandment God forbids suicide, because man is not the master of his own life no more than of the life of another. Hence the Church punishes suicide by deprivation of Christian burial.

WWME Weekend

Married Couples and Priests: Would you like to feel the sparks of love again in your marriage?
Come receive the tools to keep your marriage full of love and passion. Sign up today to attend one of the upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends on Jul 30 - Aug 1. This will be an in-person experience, and spots are limited! You can get more information or apply online at wwme.org or by calling 678-242-WWME. For information on Encuentro Matrimonial Mundial see wwwme.org/?lang=es.

WEDS - Provides support for married couples who have attended a Marriage Encounter weekend.

SVdP Parish WWME Contact: juliepoe777@gmail.com.

IN YOUR PRAYERS



To request prayers for yourself, or for loved ones who are sick, or who have special intentions, please email Nancy



Chisholm at <u>bulletineditor@svdpatl.com</u> with the names. 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:

All those affected by COVID-19 throughout the world, All healthcare workers and first responders, Fr. Adrian, Fr. Omar Loggiodice, Fr. Selva, Mr. and Mrs. Werner Pleus, Mr. and Mrs. Omar Loggiodice Sr., Mary and Fred Speeney, Olga S. Torres, Bill Gilbert, Stan Chisholm, and family, Geri Roberts, Nick and Grace Tenerelli, Rita Bek, Fran and Bill Cohen and family, Sister Mary Treasure of Innocence, Marylou Bishop, Betty Blanchette, Nancy and Deacon Jim McDermott, Jerry Fowler and family, John Powers, Bruce Blanchette, Hazel Sullivan, Meghan McGinley, Tanya Colton, William Swartz, Ashley Sims, Denise Fournier, Lenny DePerno, Barbara Musty, Sue Krencik, Jimmy Littebrant, Moss family, Mary Kay Seward, Sara Bernardo, Sue Terrill, Mary Jean Nelson, Ken Grimm, Lisa Mcalpin, Lorraine Geralds, Timothy Sullivan, Bob Russell, Maria Fraenkopf, Bob Russell, Luke Maduako, Renee Jenkins, Marie Reilly, Timothy Sour, Marcia, Rhonda Holycross,

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.

New Lector Orientation (Lector Ministry will resume in September)

A new lector orientation will take place on Saturday, August 7th, at 12 noon. Parishioners interested in becoming a lector at the Parish of Saint Vincent de Paul are invited to contact our Lector Coordinator, Albert Stumm, at (770) 590-7905 to volunteer and to register for the training session. This process usually lasts one to two hours depending on the number of participants.

We will review lector procedures and protocols as well as have a practice session for each prospective lector.

Altar Server Ministry

Altar Server Ministry will resume in September or October pending participation and attendance at a refresher/training class. This ministry fosters vocations to the priesthood. Those young men who have served in the past or any young men who have received First Holy Communion are invited to volunteer. If you or would like to become an altar server, please contact Dave Krut or Debbie Chisholm at church@svdpatl.com or call the parish office.



POPE FRANCIS' JULY PRAYER INTENTION

Social Friendship

We pray that, in social, economic and political situations of conflict, we may be courageous and passionate architects of dialogue and friendship.





First Fruits of Our Labor Offerings for June 26-27, 2021



Saturday 4:00 p.m.		\$ 1,950.00		81	
Saturday	6:00 p.m.	\$	580.00	In attendance 37	
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	\$	701.00	In attendance 143	
Sunday	12 noon	\$	518.00	In attendance 137 In attendance	
Box/Mail		\$	915.00	In accondunce	
Online		\$ 1	1,403.00		
Total - Of	fertory	\$ (6,067.00	398	

Thank you for your donations!

2nd Collection - Peter's Pence \$





Hearing The Cry Of A Child



459.00

We were all moved by the plight of the little 18-month-old 'Lily' who was

strapped in her car seat in a car that was upside down in a river in Utah years ago for 14 hours. Her mother was killed in this terrible accident. A fisherman discovered the wreck and firemen were notified. The five heroic firemen claim they each heard a voice in their heads pleading for 'help.' Within minutes after turning the car over they rescued the baby and she was on her way to the hospital and recovery. We were all thrilled!

Whose voice was calling to them? Who is Lily's guardian angel? It certainly was a spiritual being - a little miracle that most certainly touched the hearts of those firemen!

If only expectant mothers could hear the cry of the babies in their wombs pleading with them to let them be born! They have so much love to share! They are just as anxious to meet their moms and dads as the parents should be to meet them. They would tell you they are a real person waiting to give hugs to loved ones. They want to run and laugh and play and smell the flowers.

And to the abortion doctors they would plead with them to honor their Hippocratic Oath as doctors to save lives - not to kill anyone. That is not their right; it never was nor ever will be. Just think what a wonderful world this would be if all the aborted babies had been saved.

Ruth Weber - Davenport, Iowa

Bulletin Announcements!

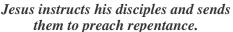
Please send all Bulletin announcements to <u>bulletineditor@svdpatl.com</u>

by 9:00 a.m. each Sunday for publication the following weekend. Holiday Bulletins have an earlier deadline of approximately one week.



Sunday - July 11, 2021 Gospel Reading

Mark 6:7-13





This week's Gospel and the one for next week describe how Jesus sent the disciples to minister in his name and the disciples' return to Jesus afterward. These two passages, however, are not presented together in Mark's Gospel. Inserted between the two is the report of Herod's fears that Jesus is John the Baptist back from the dead. In Mark's Gospel, Jesus' ministry is presented in connection with the teaching of John the Baptist. Jesus' public ministry begins after John is arrested. John the Baptist prepared the way for Jesus, who preached the fulfillment of the Kingdom of God.

While we do not read these details about John the Baptist in our Gospel this week or next week, our Lectionary sequence stays consistent with Mark's theme. Recall that last week we heard how Jesus was rejected in his hometown of Nazareth. The insertion of the reminder about John the Baptist's ministry and his death at the hands of Herod in Mark's Gospel makes a similar point. Mark reminds his readers about this dangerous context for Jesus' ministry and that of his disciples. Preaching repentance and the Kingdom of God is dangerous business for Jesus and for his disciples. Mark wants his readers to remember that we, too, may find resistance as we choose to be disciples of Jesus.

Mark's Gospel tells us that Jesus sent out the Twelve. These twelve were selected from among Jesus' disciples and named by Mark in chapter 3. Mark notes that these twelve are also called "apostles." The word *apostle* means "one who is sent." The number twelve is also a symbolic number, representing the twelve tribes of Israel. By naming twelve apostles, Jesus shows his mission to be in continuity with the mission of God's people, Israel.

Jesus' instructions to the apostles are very specific. He repeats the mission that they are sent to preach and to share his authority to heal and to drive out demons. Jesus sends them in pairs, establishing his mission as a communal endeavor. Jesus also instructs them to travel lightly, without the customary food, money, and extra set of clothes. These instructions mean that the Twelve will be dependent on the hospitality of others, just as Jesus depended on others to provide for his needs.

Jesus continues to send us into the world as his disciples. But like the first disciples, we are not sent alone. Jesus has given us the community of the Church, which strengthens our life of discipleship. The Christian message can only authentically be proclaimed in and through the community of faith that is the Church. In our work with others, we build this community of faith and can invite others to share in it.

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MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR JULY 17-18, 2021

HOLY MASS	DEACON	ЕМОНС	GUARDIAN	USHER
Saturday 4:00 p.m.		Carmen Amodio	Doreen Jeanneret Marylou Bishop	Ken Bishop Bob Binns Donald Gettemy
Saturday 6:00 p.m.	Deacon Jose Perez, Sr.	Deacon Jose Perez, Sr.	Eliezer Morales Nelida Morales	Berenice Ontiveros Vielka Jordan
Sunday 9:00 a.m.		Yanira Koch	Bob Babecka Millie Reisinger Volunteer Needed	Randy Brown Bill Hew Kayla Vigil
Sunday 12 noon	Deacon Jim McDermott	Deacon Jim McDermott	Kevin Ebelhar Mike Terrill	Maria Stormont Jim Stormont Don Imbordino



THE ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

770-443-1533

The Thrift Store is open for customers and the SVdP Society is available to provide food and assistance to those in need in our community. We are in need of non-perishable food donations. Food may be dropped off at the Society on Monday through Wednesday between 9:00 and 10:00 a.m. The Society is available from 9:00 a.m. – 12 noon, Monday through Wednesday, for phone calls, and for visits by appointment only. Voice mails may be left at any time.

We are in need of volunteers at the Thrift Store and at the Society. This a great opportunity to meet wonderful new friends and to help your neighbor through this corporal act of mercy. Please call or just come in during our hours of operation.

Please continue to donate food, furniture, your gently used clothing and household items.

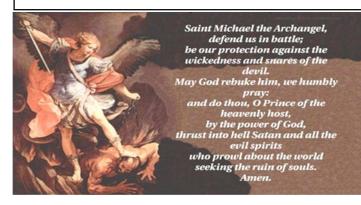
Due to recent issues with theft from the dock area, we ask that all donations be left during store hours only:

M-F 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Sat. 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

During the month of June, the SVdP Society assisted with:

- \$ 2,345.64 for 9 Utility bills
- \$ 1,916.00 for 2 Housing bills
- \$ 390.00 for 2 Daycare/Schooling bills

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!





From St. Faustina's Diary In the Depths of Your Heart



Meditation:

I will tell you most when you converse with Me in the depths of your heart. Here, no one can disturb My actions. Here, I rest as in a garden enclosed (Diary, 581)

When you reflect upon what I tell you in the depths of your heart, you profit more than if you had read many books. Oh, if souls would only want to listen to My voice when I am speaking in the depths of their hearts, they would reach the peak of holiness in a short time. (Diary, 584)

My Prayer Response:

Lord Jesus, teach me. Help me to listen to You as You speak to me in the depths of my heat. Like St. Faustina, help me to become holy as You form my heart to become like Yours.

The words of Jesus appear in boldface type.

Information on Safe Environment and Reporting Child Abuse

The Archdiocese of Atlanta's **Safe Environment** webpage: https://archatl.com/ministries-services/safe-environment/.

The Archdiocese of Atlanta's 24 hour Abuse Reporting Hotline number is 1-888-437-0764. We are here to listen and take action! You Matter. You are Family. For additional information please go to the Archdiocese of Atlanta's Reporting Abuse webpage:

https://archatl.com/offices/child-and-youth-protection/ reporting-abuse/.

The Division of Family and Children Services Reports of child abuse and neglect can be made by phone to
1-855-GA CHILD or
1-855-422-4453, 24 hours/day, 7 days/week.

Religious Education at SVdP

Co-Directors of Religious Education:

Nancy Chisholm Mary Ware

> The webpage address is: www.saintvincentdepaulchurch.org.

Please register your children as soon as possible to allow us to be well prepared for the new school year.

- We offer an early bird discount for registrations paid in full, until Aug. 5. We ask for a minimum of 25% of tuition to be paid at registration.
- Religious Education classes begin August 22, 2021.
- Teachers and assistants receive a 50% discount on tuition for their children. Call the Church or stop by during business hours if you have questions or to volunteer.
- Now that the dispensation for Holy Mass attendance has been lifted, please remember, as Catholics we are required to attend Holy Mass on Sunday (or one of the vigil Masses on Saturday), in keeping with the Third Commandment. We strongly encourage families to attend Holy Mass with their children in fulfillment of this requirement.
- Children who are preparing for the Sacraments of First Eucharist or Confirmation will be required to sign in to indicate attendance at Holy Mass, for the 2021-22 RE
- We will hold a Religious Education Registration Weekend on July 31-August 1, following Holy Masses at 4:00 p.m. on Saturday, and both Holy Masses on Sunday. Stop by the RE table in front of the church to pick up registration forms, to turn in completed forms, to volunteer, or to ask any questions you may have about the program. We look forward to talking with you.



The Sacrament of Baptism

To schedule a Baptism, parents and Godparents are first required to attend a Baptism Preparation class. Please email ahew@svdpatl.com to register for the class.

Baptisms will not be officially 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.

> Baptisms are not scheduled to take place during the seasons of Advent or Lent.



Knights of Columbus The Knights of Columbus Organization

KofC.org for more information, or contact: Grand Knight, Ken Bishop at (770) 241-5226, or Membership Director, Randy Brown, at (770) 401-7527.

is always seeking new members. See the website at

"Our Joyful Return to the Lord." Isaiah 51:11 ******As of 6/28/2021*****

St. Vincent de Paul's 2021 Parish Goal: \$ 36,300.00 Donations Received: \$ 43,505.67 Amount Over Goal: \$ 7,205.67

> **Current Number of Donors for 2021: 139** Percent of goal received - 119.85% Number of Donors in 2020: 186

Thank you for your donations. Monies received exceeding the goal are returned to the parish, assessment free.



SVdP Prayer Line

Due to technical difficulties and for personal reasons, we are in the process of transferring the Prayer Line contacts to a new ministry coordinator. We hope to have the emails flowing again very soon. In the meantime, please continue to pray for all in need, most especially those who have intentions that we are unable to forward at this time.



Youth Activity Nights



We are pleased to announce that in June, SVdP began hosting Youth Activity Nights on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month. These nights are open to all youth in Grades 7-12. Youth are encouraged to attend the Wednesday evening Holy Mass at 6:15 p.m. and stay until 8:30 p.m. for food, fellowship, and prayer. (In the absence of Holy Mass, Activity Nights will run from 7:00 p.m. until 8:30 p.m.) Registration is required! Parents will need to submit four different forms in order to participate. All forms are available on our parish website.

- 1) Registration for Youth Activity
- 2) Annual Medical Release Form
- 3) Permission to Contact Youth Form
- 4) COVID Waiver

The doors to the Religious Education Building will not be opened until Holy Mass is over. If not attending Holy Mass, youth may wait in their cars with their parents until the rear glass doors are opened. This is to prevent unnecessary disruptions in the narthex while Holy Mass is being celebrated.

For the summer months, our remaining Youth Activity Nights will be held on the following dates: July 14, July 28, August 11 and August 25.

Activity nights are free of charge; however, we do ask for a \$1 donation to help defray the cost of food. We are in need of several adult volunteers; let us know if you are willing to ioin in the fun.

Please contact Mary Ware (Co-Director of Religious *Education)* at the church for more information.

July 2021 *Revised

The following schedule is in effect unless otherwise noted in the calendar below: Weekend Holy Masses: Saturday Vigil 4 p.m. & Santa Misa en Español at 6 p.m. Sundays 9 a.m. and 12 noon. Daily Holy Mass: Monday 12 Noon, Tuesday 12 Noon, Wednesday 6:15 p.m.

Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will precede the Wednesday 6:15 p.m. Holy Mass, starting at 5:00 p.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession/Penance): Wednesday 5:00 - 6:00 p.m., Saturday 2:00-3:00 p.m.

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

25 2nd Collection - Capital Improvement Bereavement Ministry 1:45 p.m.	18 2nd Collection-Future Building and Emergency Needs Fund	11 2nd Collection - Mission Cooperative Program	4 No 2nd Collection		Sun
26	19	Knights of Columbus 6:30 p.m. Rosary 7:00p.m. Meeting	5 Office Closed No Holy Mass		Mon
27	20 Cenacle - Following 12 noon Holy Mass	12 Cenacle - Following 12 noon Holy Mass	6 Cenacle - Following 12 noon Holy Mass		Tue
28 12 noon Holy Mass (Confessions will follow Holy Mass) Youth Activity Night 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.	21	14 Youth Activity Night 7:00 –8:30 p.m.	7		Wed
29	22	15	∞	1	Thu
30	23	6	9	2	Fri
31	24	17	10	3	Sat