



WE WORSHIP, CONNECT, GROW AND SERVE THE LORD IN THE EUCHARIST

Mass Times:

Saturday Vigil... 4:00 p.m.
Sunday..... 7:30, 10:00, 11:30
a.m. 8:30 a.m. (Vietnamese)
Daily Mass... 8:30 a.m.

Confession: In the Social Hall

Thursday.... 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
and 7:00 - 7:30 p.m.
Saturday..... 9:00 - 10:00 a.m.

Adoration & Prayer Services:

Exposition: 9:00 a.m. with the ro-
sary and Divine Mercy Chaplet
Benediction: 11:55 a.m.

Church Open for Prayer:

The church is open 7:30 a.m. to 9:00
p.m. to visit for prayer.
Morning Prayer: 8:05 a.m.

Anointing of the Sick

Every Friday after morning Mass.
Call the parish for any need, anoint-
ing of the sick or home visits or
for communion.

PHONE:727-938-1974

Baptisms & Marriages

Please call the Parish Office

Parish Office Hours

Monday– Friday 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Stay Informed:

Website: www.svdpfl.com

Facebook: St. Vincent de Paul
Catholic Church

**Welcome
to our parish family!**

A vertical poster for Pentecost Sunday. The background is a deep red with a golden, starry texture. At the top, the word 'Pentecost' is written in a cursive, golden font. Below it, 'SUNDAY' is written in large, bold, white capital letters. Underneath that, 'Sunday, May 24, 2026' is written in a golden, sans-serif font. The central text, in white, reads: 'The Feast of Pentecost is the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles in the visible form.' Below this text is a white dove with its wings spread wide, flying upwards. At the bottom, in white text, it says: 'Liturgically, Pentecost is the day of the birth of the Church - the day when, filled with the power of the Spirit, the Apostles first preached to and baptized thousands of people. All who have been confirmed are encouraged to wear some article of bright red clothing to celebrate this special feast.'

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St. Vincent de Paul Parish Staff

Clergy

Fr. Dominic Long Nguyen, S.S.S. Pastor
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Rocky Hieu Nguyen
Felix Agostini and Karen Hall.

Our Vision Statement:

**“We Worship, Connect, Grow and Serve
the Lord in the Eucharist”**

Do you have any comment or question?

Email us at:
Anabella@svdpfl.com

Welcome to St. Vincent's!

Whether you're visiting, returning, or searching for a spiritual home, we are glad you're here! In this season of honoring love, care, and nurturing hearts, we especially give thanks for the presence of all who reflect Christ's compassion among us. Through worship, service, and fellowship, our vibrant ministries offer many paths to grow in faith and parish family. Please visit our website to learn more!

May you find peace, purpose, and a sense of belonging here at our parish.

GROWING IN GOD'S GRACE

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

Our hearts are made pure and beautiful in order to hold the love of God.

Yet, lodged in the cracks and the dark corners of our hearts are our sins.

And our sins have caused explosions within ourselves, and the shrapnel of our sins have also caused hurt and harm others.

The disciples of Jesus would have known this well enough. When the sins in their hearts exploded, they betrayed and denied and deserted Jesus.

Their hearts were shattered and they gathered behind closed doors for fear of the Jews. Yes, fear has gripped and overwhelmed them.

And where fear is overwhelming, there is no peace of heart at all.

Hence, when the Risen Christ appeared to His fearful disciples in that room, His first words were: *Peace be with you.*

He came not to judge or condemn them.

He came to bring them peace and heal them of the wounds caused by the explosion of their sins.

His healing peace brought about joy in their hearts and they were ready to receive the Holy Spirit when He breathed upon them the Spirit of forgiveness and healing.

Today, as we celebrate the feast of Pentecost, we celebrate the peace that Jesus wants to give us. It is a peace that brings about forgiveness and healing.

It is a peace that makes us realize that the Spirit is given to each of us in a particular way for a good purpose, as we heard in the 2nd reading.

Yes, the Spirit is sent into our hearts to diffuse and clear away the sinful explosives that are hidden in the cracks and corners of our hearts.

The Spirit is the powerful love of God that will turn our fear into fortitude. It is with the Spirit that our worldly words will be turned into heavenly prayers.

It is with the Spirit that our darkness will be turned into light, and our falsehood into truth.

It is with the Spirit that we will bring order out of chaos and love out of hatred.

It is with the Spirit that we will be sent forth to clear out the sinful explosives in the hearts of others.

And just as Jesus breathed the Holy Spirit into His disciples, we too must breathe in the Holy Spirit.

And with the breath of the Holy Spirit, let us speak words of peace that will bring about healing and forgiveness.

Our hearts are made for peace but there is always the presence of sinful explosives that can shatter our hearts and plunge us into the darkness of fear.

May the Holy Spirit guard and protect us as we proclaim and bear witness to the Good News of peace and forgiveness.

Have a blessed week,

Rev. Dominic Long Nguyen, S.S.S.

Date		Mass Intentions Presider Key: D (Fr. Dom), L (Fr. Lito), B (Fr. Bill)	Events
Saturday, May 23 Acts 28:16-20, 30-31 Jn 21:20-25	B	8:30 a.m. + Roger Oliveros (Aurora, Corrie & Leslie)	3:00 p.m. Pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet 7:00 p.m. NA Meeting
	L	4:00 p.m. David Hester, healing (Fran & Dave Rodgers)	
Sunday, May 24 PENTCOST SUNDAY Acts 2:1-11 1 Cor 12:3-7, 12-13 Jn 20:19-23		Sanctuary Candle for Pray Mothers of unborn babies(SVdP)	
	B	7:30 a.m. Rev. William Fickel, SSS, blessings for Birthday week (Mary Lettie)	
	D	8:30 a.m. Parishioners	
	D	10:00 a.m. + Vita Ann (Daughter of Chef Mark) (Mike & Jane Etzel)	
	L	11:30a.m. + Pat Mazzarini (Chris Mazzarini)	
Monday, May 25 <i>The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church</i> Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14 Jn 19:25-34	B	8:30 a.m. JoEllen Treherne, special intentions (K.C. Drez) + Alana Larson (Tom Sipera)	3:00 p.m. Divine Will 7:00 p.m. GA and GA Family Meeting 7:00 p.m. NA Meeting 7:00 p.m. OCIA Becoming Catholic
Tuesday, May 26 <i>St. Philip Neri, Priest</i> 1 Pt 1:10-16 Mk 10:28-31 Or see 570	L	8:30 a.m. Rev. William Fickel, SSS, Birthday (Mary Brady) + Fr. Matteo Rizzo (Friend)	10:00 a.m. T.O.P.S. Mtg.
Wednesday, May 27 <i>St. Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop</i> 1 Pt 1:18-25 Mk 10:32-45	D	8:30a.m. Fr. Bill, birthday (K.C.) + Martin Michael Solowczuk (Family)	6:30 p.m. AA 7:00 p.m. AA Mtg.
Thursday, May 28 1 Pt 2:2-5, 9-12 Mk 10:46-52	L	8:30 a.m. Pray for Chris McMahon & Family (Chris McMahon) + Ed Grimes (Elena Ugaz-Zuniga)	12:30 pm Food Pantry 4 p.m. Contemplative Prayer
	B	10:00 a.m. Sunshine Home	
Friday, May 29 <i>St. Paul VI, Pope</i> 1 Pt 4:7-13 Mk 11:11-26	B	8:30 a.m. + Susan Cassara (Kathleen Lewandowski)	11:00 a.m. Al-Anon
Saturday, May 30 Jude 17, 20-25 Mk 11:27-33	L	8:30 a.m. Parishioners of St. Vincent de Paul	3 p.m. Divine Mercy 7:00 p.m. NA Mtg.
	B	4:00 p.m. + Maria Cruz (Cecilia Sangalang)	
Sunday, May 31 THE MOST HOLY TRINITY Ex 34:4-6, 8-9 2 Cor 13:11-13 Jn 3:16-18		Sanctuary Candle for Pray for Mothers of unborn babies (SVdP)	10:00 a.m. Confirmation Celebration
	L	7:30 a.m. Rose Birdsell & Family, intentions (Frances Rodgers)	
	D	8:30 a.m. Parishioners	
	B	10:00 a.m. Alex & Sophia Boudreaux, intentions (K. C. Drez)	
	L	11:30 a.m. Lori Hoffman, birthday (K.C. Drez)	

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Healing Joe Genalo (parents Peggy & Joe Genalo) Patricia Gilliam (Grandmother of Brianna Rovnak) Healing; Judy Wallowicz, healing; Summer Stevens: healing; Khiara; Doughtrill Cezair, Cancer; Zi'Quian Peterson: Parents of Rona Bowers; John Papa Cancer; Ray Stout Sr., Cancer; Blondina Beller and Sherry Kattler (Judith A. Del Re), Kadi Pauli - Healing, granddaughter of Chuck & Gloria Fricke; Ariel Reyes Jim Byrne healing: Michael needs liver transplant. JoAnn Corlett-healing. Pray for spiritual healing for Chris McMahon and family

To support those in need of healing prayers, we will remove names from our list after one month if space is needed. If you want a name reinstated or when prayers are answered, please let us know. FLOCKNOTE: see Anabella in the office.



LIVING IN DIVINE WILL

Join our weekly Monday Afternoon Cenacle at 3:00 PM in the Education Bldg. to learn how to live in His Will.

Listen to Fr. Robert Young OFM interpreting the holy writings of *"The Servant of God Luisa Piccarreta."*

"Your work is great and long: you have much to do within My endless boundaries; therefore be attendant and faithful. Then I continued my acts in His adorable Volition, and as I was going around through the entire Creation, my highest Good, Jesus added: "My daughter, just as My Divine Will is spread in all Creation, so do I find you, united with It, in all created things, as though spread within each one of them. You will be the heart, of the earth, that I will find your life palpitating within it, attesting to Me, with its continuous heartbeat, the love of all its inhabitants, You will be the mouth of the sea, letting me hear your voice in its gigantic waves and in its ..." BH 23-10.06.1927
Further information contact Esperanza "Espie" Stewart, 443-852-4426.



NEW PARISHIONERS

We warmly welcome:

Mr. & Mrs.
Andrew Lalor

as new parishioners.
May God embrace them with
His abundant love, mercy,
and compassion.



Gift Shop

Looking for religious items like rosaries, crosses, statues, books, candles, or gift cards? Visit our gift shop at the main entrance of the church entrance. Please stop by and find something you need. God bless you!

SUMMER Office Hours

Starting the week of **June 1st through September 4th**, the office will be closed on Fridays. We will be closed for the following Holidays this summer:

Memorial Day May 25th,
Juneteenth on June 19th,
Fourth of July on July 3rd

As always, if you need immediate assistance please call the office and leave a message for one of the Priests.

FlockNote Notifications



If you would like to receive email notifications from Flocknotes, the parish messaging service, please call the office at [727-938-1974](tel:727-938-1974).

If you were receiving Flocknotes and are no longer receiving them, but wish to please call the office.

FlockNote Prayer Requests

Please call the office with prayer requests or email them to prayers@svdpfl.com.

We need you!

Our Church functions on the help of many hands, for which we are grateful.

At this time, we are in need of volunteers to help in the Church with dusting, deep cleaning the pews, washing windows, etc... This would be once a month for a few hours.

We are also in need of volunteers for Faith Formation to help photocopy, create flyers, and other general assistance for a couple of hours a week.

We are also in need of help in the office with some light bookkeeping, data entry and filing.

If interested in helping, Please call the office at: 727-938-1974



ASSOCIATE CALENDAR

MAY is Dedicated to

Our Lady of the Most Blessed Sacrament
ALL ARE WELCOME – Join the Members of The Aggregation of the

Blessed Sacrament.

WEDNESDAY, May 27: 11:00 am – 12 pm

CENACLE - Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament

Luncheon to follow. 12:45 pm - TBA

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, FATHER BILL, may the Lord bless and always shine his grace upon you.

Legacy Gifts

Naming a parish, school or diocesan entity in your will, trust or as a beneficiary on a life insurance policy is a way for any parishioner to bless future generations through a legacy gift and support the ministry of the church.

If you or someone you know is interested in learning about how to leave a legacy gift, please visit www.dosp.org/estates-and-trusts



Heavenly Father,

Today, we pause to remember those who gave their lives so we may live free. Thank You for their courage, sacrifice, and love of country.

May their memory inspire us to serve others selflessly and live with purpose. Lord, comfort the families left behind—wrap them in Your peace and remind them their loved one’s sacrifice was not in vain.

On this Memorial Day, help us to live worthy of their legacy and honor them with our words, our hearts, and our prayers. Amen.

THE PARABLES OF JESUS

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Confirmation Class 2026

Our Confirmation students will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on May 30 at 11a.m. in St. Jude the Apostle Cathedral, may they open their hearts to the Holy Spirit and deepen their faith.

Please continue to pray for them during this time and in the coming years as they grow in maturity in their spirituality.

A member of SVDP Society ?

Have you considered answering the call to “help the poor recognize the Lord in their life” by joining the Society of St. Vincent de Paul?

God’s love is shown through our charity toward those in need. Every gift reflects the love He has given us. Jesus came to nourish all of us.

Prodigal Son

Lost Sheep

Ten Virgins

Unforgiving Servant

Talents

Good Samaritan

Lost Coin

Mustard Seed

Sower

Wedding Feast



DIOCESE OF SAINT PETERSBURG
**CATHOLIC
 MINISTRY**
Appeal

2026 CMA!

This year's theme is: "Children of God."

After reflecting upon the blessings God has given you, please prayerfully consider making a commitment to the appeal.

Sharing your gifts with the vital ministries funded by the appeal truly impacts the lives of thousands across our diocese. Make a gift at: SupportMinistry.dosp.org or scan the QR code above. Pledge forms are available in the Church.



As of Friday, May 8th, Pledges totaling \$50,208.03 and total paid \$43,278.73. 180 families have completed pledge cards out of 828 families, we now have 22% participation our goal is 25-30%.

We appreciate those who have taken the time to complete a pledge cards and those who have made payments. We are doing a great job towards reaching our goal, keep up the good work!



Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Last weekend the Society stood at the doors and welcomed your support of their ministry. Through your generosity, they collected \$981. They wish to offer their gratitude for your assistance.

By your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul you will reveal the love of the "Good Shepherd" to your suffering brothers and sisters.

We are especially in need of Canned meats (tuna, chicken, etc...) and Peanut Butter.

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

**FORTIFY A STRONG FUTURE
 IN LOVING SERVICE**

Through your generous support, as of May 8 we continue to raise funds for our capital campaign projects, which include replacing the roof in the education building and our 88,000 debt to the Diocese of St. Petersburg.

We have received \$2018.00 in deposits and a Payment of \$2,083.33 to Diocese for Debt. We have raised of \$422,381.38. We are still need to raise \$155,000 towards remaining projects.

Your ongoing support is crucial for our church's growth in faith and community.

We are pleased to report that through your generous support, the Church and Social hall HVAC's, 2/3 of our debt to the Diocese and the cost of the Education Building roof are covered! Thank you so much. God bless.



To give online, scan this QR to set up your of-fertory. If you're a new online giver and don't need envelopes, please email Anabella@svdpfl.com.

Join the **36 donors** who have paid \$2,132.45 from May 1 - 7th by embracing this simple and impactful way to support our faith community. Now is the perfect time to get involved!

The Gift of Giving

If you are 70.5 years or older, please consider a gift to our parish to satisfy all or part of your required minimum distribution (RMD) from your IRA, 401(k), or life insurance plan. Talk to your financial advisor about this strategic giving opportunity. Thank you!

YOU SHOP, WE BENEFIT

Support the church while enjoying the benefits at no extra cost to you!

You can also use the cards for celebrations, gifts, home repairs, and **everyday expenses; even groceries!** Simply buy the card from us and use it like a credit or debit card—it's that easy! There are **no activation fees!**

Gift card order forms are available on our website and in the office.

This months orders are due in the Office June 1st

**VISA ~ Cracker Barrel ~ AMAZON ~ WALMART ~ HOME DEPOT ~ PUBLIX
 and many more cards available to order. Come And See!**



PARISH GIVING—MAY 10TH

We celebrated Mass with 544 parishioners and received \$8,618.00 in offertory. We appreciate your continued support of your parish.

Don't forget to bring your family and friends. Together, we can make Christ present in our parish and community! Visit www.svdpfl.com to give online. **Praise God! & May our LORD bless you for your generosity.**

A WORD OF APPRECIATION

Thank you for attending Mass with us this past weekend. **We are blessed to share our daily and Weekend Masses and Adoration with you. Praise God & Thank you!**



HALL RENTAL

St. Vincent de Paul can meet your hall rental needs with our spacious *Father Farrell Hall* suitable for small or large events. Call the parish, or speak with Chef Mark Brose and reserve a date for your special occasion. We are happy to host you!



St. Vincent De Paul Prayer Requests

Put this in the suggestion box or Offertory basket at Mass.

Your Name (optional): _____

Prayer Requests and Suggestions: _____
