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LIVING THE EUCHARIST IN LOVING SERVICE

29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME —OCTOBER 19, 2025

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– Thursday 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!**



On World Mission Sunday, we join our Holy Father in sup-
porting his missions. As we pray and respond here at home, we
share in those celebrations taking place in every parish and dio-
cese throughout the world. Together, through our prayers and fi-
nancial support, we bring the Lord's mercy and concrete help to
the most vulnerable communities in the Pope's missions.

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St. Vincent de Paul Parish Staff

Clergy

Fr. Dominic Long, S.S.S. Pastor
Fr. William Fickel, S.S.S. Parochial Vicar
Fr. Joselito Hitosis, S.S.S. Parochial Vicar
Fr. Joseph Thai Tran, S.S.S. Parochial Vicar

Faith Formation

Sr. Teresa Y Nhu Hoang, S.J.P. Director
Sandy Cavanagh
Mary Gerbasi
Christine DeLieto
Margaret Flanders
Deacon Bertrand Guerin
Sharon Guerin
Kimberly Varner
Anabella Batista
Judy Wallowicz
Jessie Camerieri
Susan Fogarty
Cecilia Adam

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Sr. Maria Duong Pham, S.J.P. Director
Eddie Lanuzga Coordinator of Ministries

Parish Support

Christine DeLieto	Parish Manager
Anabella Batista	Secretary
Kimberly Varner	Bookkeeper
Mark Brose	Chef/Hall Rental

Maintenance Team

Rocky Hieu Nguyen
Felix Agostini and Karen Hall.

Our Vision Statement: “Fortify A Strong Future In Loving Service.”

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

There is one thing that we all know how to do even though we were not taught how to do it. In fact, we don't even need to learn how to do it, because it comes instinctively.

The thing that we are talking about is that we all know how to complain. We not only know how to complain, we seem to enjoy doing it, and we also seem to enjoy doing nothing about it. Anyway, if we are not doing anything to make it right, then why do we keep complaining about it being wrong.

Maybe that was what came into the mind of Moses when the Amalekites came and attacked Israel at Rephidim as we heard in the 1st reading. Israel had just come out of slavery in Egypt and they were in no state whatsoever to fight with anyone, and there came the Amalekites intending to make minced meat out of them.

This is recounted in Deuteronomy (25:17-19) with this admonition: “Remember what the Amalekites did to you along the way when you came out of Egypt. When you were weary and worn out, they met you on your journey and attacked all who were lagging behind (typically women and children): they had no fear of God. When the LORD your God gives you rest from all the enemies around you in the land He is giving you to possess as an inheritance, you shall blot out the name of Amalek from under heaven. Do not forget!”

So instead of complaining about why God brought the Israelites out of Egypt only to be butchered by the enemy, Moses ordered Joshua to march out to engage the enemy, while he will stand on the hilltop with the staff of God in his hand. So Moses kept his arms raised with the staff of God in his hands while Israel fought the Amalekites. But when he let his arms fall, Israel also began to lose the battle. So he sat on a stone, with Aaron and Hur supporting his arms till sunset, and Israel defeated the Amalekites.

The lesson that we can learn from this is: If we want to complain, then complain to the one who can help us. Moses raised up his hands to God to invoke His help.

In the Mass, the priest says this: Lift up your hearts; we respond with: We lift them up to the Lord. Yes, we lift up our hearts with all our burdens and our complains, and the priest continues with: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God, and we respond with: It is right and just.

When we lift up our eyes to heaven and lift up our hearts to the Lord, the Lord God will do what is right and just for us, so that when we overcome our burdens, then we will give thanks to God. And instead of giving in to complain, which is futile, we will be a consolation for others so that they will know that God will bless them with enough. And that is what the gospel parable is telling us – the need to pray continually and never lose heart, and that God will console us.

The widow seems to be complaining and pestering the judge who neither fears God nor respects man. But it was her persistence for what is right and just that prevailed over the unjust judge. And Jesus taught us this – Will not God see justice done to His chosen ones who cry to Him day and night even when He delays to help them? I promise you, He will see justice done to them and done speedily.

Yes, that is what Jesus promised us, that God will see justice done and done speedily, so that instead of complaining which is futile, we will have the consolation from God.

May the consolation we receive make us raise our eyes to heaven and lift our hearts to the Lord in thanksgiving. And may we also share that consolation with others and may they also give thanks to God.

Blessings,

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

Date		Mass Intentions Presider Key: D (Fr. Dom), L (Fr. Lito), B (Fr. Bill)	Events
Saturday, Oct. 18 St. LUKE, Evangelist 2 Tm 4:10-17 Lk 10:1-9	J L	8:30 a.m. Mothers of the Blessed Sacrament + Zelig Geffken (K.C.) 4:00p.m + Holy Souls in Purgatory (Marcial Laplace)	9:00 a.m. Rummage Sale 3:00 p.m. Pray the Chap- let of Divine Mercy 7:00 p.m. NA Meeting
Sunday, Oct. 19 WORLD MISSION SUNDAY Ex 17:8-13 2 Tm 3:14-4:2 Lk 18:1-8 or for Mis- sion Sunday	L J L L	Sanctuary Candle for the Lynch Family (Jean Flynn) 7:30 a.m. + Tony DelBene (Carole DelBene) 8:30 a.m. Parishioners 10:00 a.m. + Jessie Etzel (Tom & Lorraine Parsons) 11:30a.m. + Frances Sabia (Sister Ann)	8:00 a.m. Car Wash 11:15 a.m. Faith Formation Class
Monday, Oct. 20 St. Paul of the Cross, Priest Rom 4:20-25 Lk 12:13-21	L	8:30 a.m. + Liz Solowczuk, Frank her husband & Family (Maria Solowczuk)	3:00 p.m. Divine Will 7:00 p.m. GA and GA Family Meeting 7:00 p.m. NA Meeting
Tuesday, Oct. 21 Rom 5:12, 15, 17-19, 20- 21 Lk 12:35-38	B	8:30 a.m. Margaret Flanders (Friend) + Annjeny Atienza & Jecel Quevedo (Tom & Lorraine Parsons)	9:30 a.m. Arts & Crafts 3:00 p.m. T.O.P.S. Mtg. 7:00 p.m. GA Mtg.
Wed., Oct. 22 St. John Paul II, Pope Rom 6:12-18 Lk 12:39-48	J	8:30 a.m. + Anthony Walinbach (Camerieri Family) + Luigi Visciotti (Anabella Batista)	6:30 p.m. AA 7:00 p.m. AA Mtg. (Women's Group)
Thursday, Oct. 23 St. John of Capistrano, Priest Rom 6:19-23 Lk 12:49-53	L B	8:30 a.m + Wayne Bard & Mary Anne Goodling Manrique (Tom & Louanne Sipera) 10:00 a.m. Mass at Sunshine Christian Home	12:30 Food Pantry 4:00 p.m. Contemp- lative Prayer
Friday, Oct. 24 St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop Rom 7:18-25 Lk 12:54-59	L	8:30 a.m. + Raymond & Arlene (Carole DelBene) Zach & Devin Reinhardt (Angie McDuffie)	11:00 a.m. Al-Anon
Saturday, Oct. 25 Rom 8:1-11 Lk 13:1-9	J L B	8:30 a.m. Rhoda Rooter, special intentions (K.C.) 1:00 p.m. Casey & Melissa Bauer Wedding 4:00p.m + John Wolosin (Brennan family)	3:00 p.m. Pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet 7:00 p.m. NA Mtg.
Sunday, Oct. 26 30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C Sir 35:12-14, 16-18 2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18 Lk 18:9-14	L J B L	Sanctuary Candle for John & Elizabeth Riordan (Jean Flynn) 7:30 a.m. + Michael Gretten (Mary Gretten) 8:30 a.m. Parishioners 10:00 a.m. + Evelyn Rodgers (Batista Family) 11:30 a.m. + Gaile Waldhauser (Adams Family)	11:15 a.m. Faith Formation Class 12:30 p.m. Family Activities



Respect Life Corner SPIRITUAL ADOPTION

Pray For the Unborn

Not all newly conceived babies are allowed to be born. In fact, more than 4,000 babies lose their lives to abortion each day. We are asking you to spiritually adopt one of these babies who is in danger of abortion. You may "adopt" a child individually or as a family. You remain anonymous! Your pledge to pray is between you and God.

As a Spiritual Adopter you will:

*Name your child - giving him or her the humanity he/she deserves.

*Pray daily for your child for a 9-month period.

*Receive monthly reports in the bulletin and through posters in the church that show your baby's development.

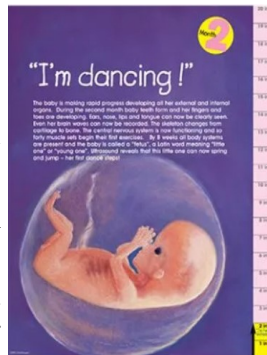
There are millions of unborn babies at risk of abortion who desperately need your prayers. Won't you please "spiritually adopt" one and share the love for life that God has given you?

SECOND MONTH

Developing Baby

"I'm here"

Your baby is making progress developing all of his external features and internal organs. His brain is functioning at 40 days. His mother can hear his heartbeat now on an ultrasonic stethoscope. Baby-teeth buds are present at 6 ½ weeks. From this moment, your spiritually adopted baby grows and refines his body. But everything he needs to survive after birth is already present by the end of the eighth week.



Mass Offerings

Request a Mass for a loved one or a special intention in the office for \$15 per Mass card.

A Call to Morning Prayer at St. Vincent de Paul Parish

**8:05 a.m. -8:20 a.m.
Monday- Saturday**

Morning prayer is part of the Liturgy of the Hours, also known as the Divine Office or the Work of God (Opus Dei), a prayer that dates back to the early Church. The liturgy of the Hours consists of prayers of praise and petition, said wherever we are, marking and sanctifying the hours of each day.

Also, beginning with the Angelus at 8 o'clock and followed by the daily mass and rosary.



PRAY FOR THE SICK

Joe Genalo (Son of Peggy & Joe Genalo), Surgery; John & Martha Kreuser, resent setback; Patricia Gilliam (Grandmother of Brianna Rovnak) Healing; Alice Brandt; Judy Wallowicz, healing; Summer Stevens: healing; Khiara; Doughtrill Cesar, Cancer; Katherine Mozi-na, healing; Corrine Morill, healing; Zi'Quian Peterson: Parents of Rona Bowers; Darrell Kreuser;; Richard & JoAnn Corlett; Patrick Tyrell; John Papa, Cancer; Ray Stout Sr., Cancer; Diana Roshetski, healing.

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 Notifications

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

FlockNote Prayer Requests

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



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Friday Night Dinners!

The Knights host their famous
"Friday Night Dinners"

from 4:30 pm to 6:30 p.m.

COME ONE & ALL! The dinners cost **\$13.95**, for
"All You Can Eat."

Children's Faith Formation Car Wash TODAY

October 19th 8 AM - 1 PM



**Please support
the Conformation Retreat!**

**Saint Vincent de Paul Church
4843 Mile Stretch Dr., Holiday FL 34690**

FORTIFY A STRONG FUTURE
IN LOVING SERVICE

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

Through your generous support, as of October 19th, we have raised \$367,626.93. We continue

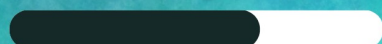
to raise funds for our capital campaign projects, which include repairs to the leak in the education building and our \$300,000 debt to the Diocese of St. Petersburg. Your ongoing support is crucial for our church's growth in faith and community. We are pleased to report that through your generous support, we have paid for the A/C and nearly half of our debt to the Diocese! Thank you so much!

CATHOLIC MINISTRY *Appeal*

Progress Update

As of October 2, 2025:

We've raised **\$47,109.28** of our \$70,588 goal!

 67%

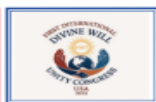
Participation

 24% 



Arts & Crafts

Join us every Tuesday morning from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.



LIVING IN DIVINE WILL

Join our weekly Monday Afternoon Cenacle at 3:00PM 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."

Out List of Speakers Continued

Fr. Carlos Massieu was ordained a priest on August 4, 1983. Since 2003, he has served as a diocesan priest in the Diocese of León, H.E. René Sándigo Jirón, he continues the apostolate of the Divine Will as Co-Founder and Director of the "House of the Divine Will," alongside Mother Marianela Pérez. He leads and is recognized for his teachings on the Divine Will.

Fr. Bruno Murphy is a 53-year-old priest serving in the Diocese of Aberdeen in Scotland, UK. Originally from London, England. Fr. Bruno trained in medicine and worked as a doctor for 3 years before entering the seminary. As a priest, he has worked in Italy. *Continued next week.*

Further information contact Esperanza "Espie" Stewart, 443-852-4426.



Society of St. Vincent de Paul

In the Gospel today Jesus tells his disciples to pray always without becoming weary., indeed our prayer must always be an expression of our love for God, our family, our world, and especially for the suffering poor. As you place your gift in the Society of St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box, please say a special prayer for the poor who have no one to pray for them.

We have a special request! We need clean and empty egg cartons to help distribute eggs to our visitors at the food bank. A great big please and thank you to you! Have you considered answering the call to help 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. *Thank you for your support, the SVdP Society is made possible by your participation in serving this ministry.*



Online Giving

To give online, scan the QR in the church pews to set up your offertory. If you're a new

online giver and don't need envelopes, please email Anabella@svdpfl.com.

For assistance transitioning from We Share, to our new partner, Our Sunday Visitor (OSV) please contact our office.

Join the 192 parishioners who have embraced this simple and impactful way to support our faith community. Now is the perfect time to get involved!



ASSOCIATE CALENDAR

OCTOBER ~ 2025

DEDICATED TO THE

THE MOST HOLY ROSARY

TUESDAY, OCT, 21 @ 7 pm: Church &

Social area: Session I: Opening Formation for Candidates.

EVENING: Consider a Eucharistic Vocation.

Please contact Gloria or Margaret to SIGN UP:

info@aggregationblessedsacrament.org

Wednesday, October 22 @ 11 am: CENACLE

A Special Holy Hour for RESPECT FOR LIFE

Praying the Rosary for a culture of Life from the womb to the tomb, for mercy and justice. Our Lady of the Most Blessed Sacrament, protect us.

FELLOWSHIP FOLLOWS: Counts needed. RSVP.

Lunch to follow at Day Break Cafe.

1981 N. Pinellas Ave., Tarpon Springs

NEWLY REGISTERED

We're excited to receive new members of our family! Praise God!

PLEASE WELCOME

Ms. Tray Sweeney Garza, Tralya

May God embrace her with His boundless love, mercy, and compassion.

Glory to our Risen Lord!





Parish Ministries and Organizations have tables set up in the Church Social Hall this weekend and in Father Farrell Hall next weekend for our Parish Picnic. There are many jobs within these ministries. Please stop by and consider volunteering your time and talent!

All parishioners and friends are invited!

“Come and See” where the Lord may be calling you to serve Him and His Church!

Life Ministries	Mercy & Service	Life & Activities
Altar Servers EMHC Lectors Music Ministry Sacristans Ushers Art & Environment Projection Operators Faith Formation Faith Formation (Pre-K to High School) Youth Group Elementary Youth Group Middle School Youth Group High School Becoming Catholic (OCIA) Women's Bible Study Faith Sharing Book Study	Bereavement Ministry Divine Mercy Eucharistic Adoration Respect Life Homebound Visitation Homebound EMHC Money Counters Rosary Makers Prayer Group Gift Nook (Store) St Vincent de Paul Society Associates of Blessed Sacrament	Community Events Gardening/Grounds Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary Social Media & Communications Bingo Visioning for Future Finance Council Pastoral Council Stewardship Committee
Please note: some ministries may not have a table set up. Also, If you have an idea for a ministry that you do not see here, please contact Chris in the office 727-938-1974		

SUNDAY, November 2, 2025

FR. FARRELL HALL,

12:30PM TO 2:30PM



**FUN, GAMES, MUSIC, COLORING CONTEST,
& SCAVENGER HUNT**

**THERE IS NO COST- JUST BRING A DISH TO SHARE
ACCORDING TO YOUR LAST NAME**

A-L SIDE DISH, VEGGIE, FRUIT, OR SALAD

M-Z MAIN DISH

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ~ WILL SUPPLY PASTA

ALL ARE INVITED TO THIS PARISH WIDE EVENT!

YOU SHOP, WE BENEFIT

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

It Is Officially Fall. Get ready for the Season. You can also use the cards for celebrations, 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 month's orders are due in the Office November 6th

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

Come And See!



PARISH GIVING—OCTOBER 19TH

We celebrated with **579** attending mass and our collection was **\$6,191.50**. We appreciate your continued support of our 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 your support in paying our church's operating expenses. Our *expenses* through Oct. 19, 2025 are \$6,302.41. Our offertory *income* for the month as of the same date is \$12,891.18 and \$2,845.60 in Online Giving. **So far this Month our income exceeds our expenses by \$9,434.37. We are blessed to share our daily Mass 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: _____
