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#### 33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C — NOVEMBER 16, 2025

#### **Mass Times:**

Saturday Vigil... 4:00 p.m.

Sunday....... 7:30, 10:00, 11:30 a.m.

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 rosary 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, anointing 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!



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#### St. Vincent de Paul Parish Staff

#### Clergy

Fr. Dominic Long Nguyen, S.S.S. Pastor Fr. William Fickel, 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

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#### **Parish Support**

Christine DeLieto Parish Manager
Anabella Batista Secretary
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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 re-

flect 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**

Whatever we may remember of our history lessons in school, we may remember this one fascinating topic. It is about the 7 wonders of the ancient world: the Great Pyramid of Giza; the Hanging Gardens of Babylon; the Statue of Zeus at Olympia; the Temple of Artemis at Ephesus; the Mausoleum at Halicarnassus; Colossus of Rhodes; Lighthouse of Alexandria.

The number seven was chosen because the Greeks believed it represented perfection and plenty, and because it was the number of the five planets known anciently, plus the sun and moon.

But time and tide had taken their toll on those ancient seven wonders and they have succumbed under the ravages of earthquakes, fire and the elements of nature, such that all have perished, leaving behind some ruins and records of their former existence.

But there is one that is still standing to this day. The only ancient world wonder that still exists is the Great Pyramid of Giza in Egypt. It is the oldest of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World, and the only one to remain largely intact.

And yet Jesus had this to say about it: All these things that you are staring at now – the time will come when not a single stone will be left on another: everything will be destroyed. Certainly, when something that we are proud of and precious to us is destroyed or broken, we will be really sad and will even wail about it.

And Jesus does not seem to very consoling as He hammers in the hard and stark truth that all things will pass with time. Still, we grapple and struggle to understand what is happening around us as we see the death and sickness, poverty and hunger, plagues and famine, wars and natural disasters.

We see bad things happening to good people, evil being returned for good, and we wonder if God sees, if God knows what is happening. But God may also be asking us if we can really see and really understand what is happening around us.

A group of students were asked to list what they thought were the present "Seven Wonders of the World." Though there were some disagreements.

While gathering the votes, the teacher noted that one student had not finished her paper yet. So she asked the girl if she was having trouble with her list. The girl replied, "Yes, a little. I couldn't quite make up my mind because there were so many." The teacher said, "Well, tell us what you have, and maybe we can help." The girl hesitated, then read, "I think the 'Seven Wonders of the World' are: 1. to see; 2. to hear; 3. to touch; 4. to taste; 5. to feel; 6. to laugh; 7. and to love." The room was so quiet you could have heard a pin drop. The things we overlook as simple and ordinary and that we take for granted are truly wondrous!

So even as Jesus reminds us that all things will pass, He also reminds us that our faith will help us endure and eventually win us our lives.

The 7 wonders of the ancient world have passed and only one is still remaining. The wonders of our present world will also pass along with time, and with that we too will pass. But the most precious and wonderful things in life cannot be built by hand or bought by man.

To see, to hear, to touch, to taste, to feel, to laugh and to love are indeed wonderful. Let us wonder at these and we will realise how wonderful God is and how wonderful He wants our lives to be.

Blessings,

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

Date		Mass Intentions	Events
		Presider Key: D (Fr. Dom), L (Fr. Lito), B (Fr. Bill)	
Saturday, Nov. 15 St. Albert the Great, Bishop, Doctor of the Church. Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9 Lk 18:1-8		8:30 a.m. Mothers of the Blessed Sacrament 4:00p.m + Holy souls in purgatory (Marcial Laplace)	3:00 p.m. Pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy 7:00 p.m. NA Meeting
Sunday, Nov. 16 33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME C Mal 3:19-20 2 Thes 3:7-12 Lk 21:5-19  Monday, Nov. 17 St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious. 1 Mc 1:10-63 Lk 18:35-43	L JT L L	Sanctuary Candle for the Protection of Human Life 7:30 a.m. + Karen Belanger (Frances & David Rodgers) 8:30 a.m. Parishioners 10:00 a.m. + Antoni Burda (Halina, wife) 11:30a.m. + Betty Carey (Patricia Mazzarini) 8:30 a.m. Margaret Flanders (Richard Knox)	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
Tuesday, Nov. 18 The Dedication of the Basilicia of Saints Peter and Paul, Aposles.  2 Mc 6:18-31 Lk 19:1-10 or see 679	L	8:30 a.m. + Ray Flanders (Friend)	Becoming Catholic  10:00 a,m. T.0.P.S. Mtg.  7:00 p.m. GA Mtg.
Wed., Nov. 19 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31 Lk 19:11-28	L	8:30 a.m. Margaret Flanders (K. C.)	6:30 p.m. AA 7:00 p.m. AA Mtg. (Women's Group)
Thursday, Nov. 20 1 Mc 2:15-29 Lk 19:41-44	JT B	8:30 a.m + Meliton Auza (Denny & Clare Auza)  10:00 a.m. Mass at Sunshine Christian Home	12:30 Food Pantry 4:00 p.m. Contemplative Prayer 4:30 p.m. Thanksgiv ing Dinner
Friday, Nov. 21 The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59 Lk 19:45-48	D	8:30 a.m. + Teresita Tiglao (Tom & Lorraine Parsons)	11:00 a.m. Al-Anon 4:30 p.m. Friday Night Dinner
Saturday, Nov. 22 St. Cecilia, Virgin, Martyr 1 Mc 6:1-13 Lk 20:27-40	JT D	8:30 a.m. Cecilia Sangalang (K. C. Drez) 4:00p.m + Michel Gagne (Tom & Lorraine Parsons)	3:00 p.m. Pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet 7:00 p.m. NA Mtg.
Sunday, Nov. 23 OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE 2 Sm 5:1-3 Col 1:12-20 Lk 23:35-43	B JT D B	Sanctuary Candle for Maurice Batista Anacris, Angie & Elizabeth 7:30 a.m. Mark & Katie Gregorski, intentions (Fran & Dave Rodgers) 8:30 a.m. Parishioners 10:00 a.m. + Stella Shafer (Thompson family) 11:30 a.m. + Irene Sarvaideo (Rose Pezzatti)	11:15 a.m. Faith Formation Class

## Respect Life Corner SPIRITUAL ADOPTION

Pray For the Unborn

Not all conceived babies are allowed to be born, with over 4,000 losing their lives to

abortion daily. We invite you to spiritually adopt one of these babies, either individually or as a family, while remaining anonymous. As a Spiritual Adopter, you will:

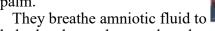
- \* Name your child, giving them the humanity they deserve.
  - \* Pray daily for 9 months.
- \* Receive monthly updates on your baby's development here in the bulletin.

There are millions of unborn babies in need of your prayers. Will you please "spiritually adopt" one and share the love for life that God has given you?

#### THIRD MONTH

Developing Baby "I'm here" The baby can now squint, swallow, and move their tongue. Baby sleeps and awakens. Fingernails and toenails form.

They now have their own unique set of fingerprints. Sensitive to touch, they will tightly grasp an object placed in their palm.



help develop and strengthen the respiratory system, but get the oxygen they need through the umbilical cord.



## **Thanksgiving Dinner**

Thursday November 20th 4:30 PM to 6:30 PM in Father Farrell Hall.

Sit Down Dinner \$15 per Person



Pre-Purchased Tickets Only Sorry No Walk-ins

Tickets Available in the office To-Go Tickets Available

Please purchase your tickets **before**Monday November 17th.

Hosted By The Ladies Auxiliary of the K of C For more information call 727-938-1974

Volunteers Needed for setup, serving and cleanup.

We also need donations of 15 to 18 pound turkeys,

cranberry jelly and Apple and Pumpkin Pies



#### PRAY FOR THE SICK

James Murtagh, brother of Marilynn Amundson; Joe Genalo (Son of Peggy & Joe Genalo), Surgery; John & Martha Kreuser, recent setback; Patricia Gilliam (Grandmother of Brianna Rovnak) Healing; Alice Brandt; Judy Wallowicz, healing; Summer Stevens: healing; Khiara; Doughtrill Cesar, Cancer; Corrine Morill, healing; Zi'Qquian Peterson: Parents of Rona Bowers; 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.

#### FlockNote Prayer Requests

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

## There is still time for Your Jubilee Pilgrimage!

Six Local Churches are Places of Pilgrimage during the 2025 Jubilee Year

Bishop Gregory Parkes has named six churches in the Diocese of Saint Petersburg as pilgrimage sites for the 2025 Jubilee Year of Hope. Catholics visiting these churches and participating in specific prayers can receive a Plenary Indulgence from Pope Leo. A "Passport" serves as a keepsake and guide, with printed copies available at the church entrances of the pilgrimage sites.

Pinellas County: Cathedral of St. Jude the Apostle 5815 5th Ave N, St. Petersburg. & Espiritu Santo Catholic Church. 2405 Philippe Parkway, Safety Harbor

Hillsborough County: Sacred Heart Catholic

<u>Church</u> 509 N. Florida Avenue, Tampa **Pasco County:** Saint Leo Abbey Church

33601 County Road 52, St. Leo

Citrus County: St. Benedict Catholic Church

455 S Suncoast Blvd, Crystal River

Hernando County: \*St. Stanislaus Chapel 14249 Citrus Way, Brooksville

\*This church can be viewed from the outside only except for certain dates to be announced.





#### ASSOCIATE CALENDAR

November ~ 2025 DEDICATED TO THE SOULS IN PURGATORY

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 26: ~ NO CENACLE ~THANKSGIVING BREAK~ A BLESSED EU-CHARIST! Go to Him, visit and adore; He waits for you!

### FORTIFY A STRONG FUTURE IN LOVING SERVICE

#### CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

Through your generous support, as of November 10th we have raised \$370.316.93 We con-

tinue 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!



#### **Rosary Makers Group**

We will not meet in November or December. Finished rosaries can be dropped off in the office.

Please call CiGi at 727-506-4701 to inform her about the drop-off or to ask any questions.



#### LIVING IN DIVINE WILL

Join our weekly Monday Afternoon Cenacle at 3:00 PM in the Education Bldge, 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."

"So while I was going around in It, in my always lovable Jesus was going around together with me, and all love told me "My Daughter. My Divine Will is all fullness there is nothing it does not possess immensity of light, unreachable sanctity, endless without boundaries, incessant generation, It sees everything, It feels and molds everything. All this is It's nature in my Divine Fiat, therefore It's acts possess the fullness of all goods. So, in order to be able to enclose even a single act of It in depth of the soul, it is necessary that she empty herself of herself and return to the void of her nothingness as in the act in which she was created so that My Divine Volition" FIAT BH 16-04-21-1929 Further information contact Esperanza "Espie" Stewart, 443-852-4426.

#### Society of St. Vincent de Paul

The Gospel predicts end times; our challenge though is to live faithfully now. St. Vincent often asked this simple question: "What would

Jesus Christ do, if he were in my place now? Ask yourself "What would Jesus Christ do?" and then put your gift in the Society of St. Vincent de Paul poor box so that those who are suffering will be able to celebrate Thanksgiving.

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! Thank you for your support, the SVdP Society is made possible by your participation in serving this ministry.



To give online, scan the QR in Online Giving 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 214 parishioners who have embraced this simple and impactful way to support our faith community. Now is the perfect time to get involved!

All are Welcome to the St. Vincent de Paul Christmas Luncheon 4843 Mile Stretch Road Holiday, FL 34690

Wednesday, December 10, 2025

Doors open at 11:00 a.m. & service begins at 11:30

Live Entertainment by Just Jeff from 12:15 to 1:45 **Door Prizes and Raffles** 

Cost: \$25.00 per person

Menu: Choice of Prime Rib or Chicken Supreme. **Both served with Roasted Red Potatoes and** Chef's choice vegetable. Also includes salad, rolls and dessert. Coffee and water included.

Detach and put in envelope marked Christmas Luncheon along with payment. Place in collection basket by December 2 or return to the church rectory office by December 3. Orders received after December 3, will only receive chicken. Any questions call Karen at (352) 819-6971 or Christine DeLieto at (727) 938-1974, ext 6.

No refunds. No reserved seating. Make checks payable to St. Vincent de Paul Church.

Name:	phone:
Menu Choice:Prime Rib	Chicken Supreme
please check (X) choice	
Name:	phone:
Menu Choice: Prime Rib	Chicken Supreme please



Parish Ministries and Organizations will have tables in the Church Social Hall next weekend of Nov. 23rd. Please stop by to explore the many volunteering opportunities.

#### We need you!

#### All parishioners and friends are invited!

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

#### **Life Ministries**

Altar Servers

**EMHC** 

Lectors

Music Ministry

Sacristans

Ushers

Art & Environment

**Projection Operators** 

#### Life & Activities

**Community Events** 

Knights of Columbus

Ladies Auxiliary

Social Media & Communications

#### **Visioning for Future**

Finance Council

Stewardship Committee

#### **Mercy & Service**

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

#### **Faith Formation**

Faith Formation (Pre-K to High

School)

Youth Group Elementary

Youth Group Middle School

Youth Group High School

Young Adult Ministry

Becoming Catholic (OCIA)

Women's Bible Study

Faith Sharing

Book Study

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

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## CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT WORKING ON THE MARGINS

Please be generous in this week's special collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. In the United States, over 11% of the population lives in poverty. Through this collection, you support programs that address the root causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for those struggling across the country. In addition, 25% of the funds we collect remain in our diocese to fund local anti-poverty projects. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this collection and those working on the margins. More information about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development can be found at <a href="https://www.usccb.org/cchd">www.usccb.org/cchd</a>.

#### YOU SHOP, WE BENEFIT

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

<u>Fall is Flying by</u> 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 <u>no activation fees!</u>
Gift card order forms are available on our website and in the office.

#### This months orders are due in the Office December 1st

VISA ~ Cracker Barrel ~ AMAZON ~ WALMART ~ HOME DEPOT ~ PUBLIX

and many more cards available to order.

**Come And See!** 



#### PARISH GIVING—NOVEMBER 9TH

We celebrated mass and our collection was \$6893.00. 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 <a href="www.svdpfl.com">www.svdpfl.com</a> 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 Nov.9, 2025 are \$21,897.56 Our offertory *income* for the month as of the same date is \$12,026.00 and \$3,196.13 in Online Giving. So far this Month our expenses exceed our income by \$6,675.43. 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:	