Church of St. Vincent de Paul
Albany, NY
"A Place of Courageous Hospitality"

Young Adult Game Night
"Therefore, my brothers and sisters, whom I love... stand firm in the Lord."
--Philippians 4:1

2nd Sunday of Lent - March 17, 2019
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Would you like to begin receiving offertory envelopes?  
Give the Parish Office a call at 518-489-5408 to register for your set of envelopes! You may also sign up for e-giving on the website at:  
http://stvincentalbany.org/donate

Thank you for your generosity and regular financial support of our parish community!

Volunteers

While we are always accepting new volunteers in all Liturgical Ministries we are especially seeking the following:

Minister of Hospitality-  Enjoys interaction, comes to church early enough to greet parishioners as they arrive for Mass, is attentive to latecomers and directs them to seating, takes up the collection and ushers Communion. Distributes bulletins as the assembly leaves the church.

Adult Acolyte- For women and men who have been confirmed and are well-acquainted with the action of the liturgy. These people have the ability to think on their feet, assist the presider, read the general intercessions and cue the altar servers as needed.

Counter- Counters work in teams of two or three, counting the collection after the 8:30 and 11:00 a.m. Masses. Background check will be required.

Hot Cross Buns!

Hot Cross Bun Sale after each Mass March 30th and 31st! Donations will benefit youth ministry service trip to Erie, PA this summer. Come and enjoy a warm, delicious Lenten treat! Free will donations accepted. Thanks for your support!

Stations of the Cross and Simple Supper

Please join us in prayer Wednesdays in Lent (March 20, 27, April 3 &10) as we follow the Way of the Cross at 6 p.m. in church.

Afterwards, stay for a simple meal and fellowship in the parish hall. Help is needed with setting up and cleaning up and providing a simple dish such as a casserole or soup.

Please check the sign up poster in the vestibule by the parking lot entrance.

Practicing Courageous Hospitality

From time to time we have visitors joining us for Mass or Mass and Coffee who make monetary requests of parishioners. The parish is prepared to address emergency needs with bus passes, grocery store gift cards, gas cards and other forms of assistance. While you may help, if you like, please do not feel obliged. Instead, you may direct the individual to Elizabeth or another staff member who will be happy to provide what is needed.

Viewing St. John’s Bible at Siena College

St. Vincent's visit to view and hear Father Mark Reamer, OFM speak at Siena College about the St. John's Bible has been rescheduled to Thursday, April 4th at 7:00PM.

We will meet in the lobby of the Standish Library at Siena at 7PM for the presentation. Campus maps are available by contacting Dave Rowell at daverowell25@gmail.com People are welcome to meet at 6:30 PM in the Church parking lot to car pool.

The Saint John's Bible is the first completely handwritten and illuminated Bible since the invention of the printing press. It was officially commissioned in 1998 and production was completed in December 2011. Siena recently became the proud owner of a full color reproduction of the Bible.

Annual Talent Auction

Our 17th Annual Talent Auction will be held the weekend of March 30th and 31st to benefit our Food Pantry and Bread for the World. Items and services will be raffled off or competitively bid. People buying raffle tickets on sale next weekend will receive five free tickets. If you wish to donate or have questions, please contact Dave Rowell at daverowell52@gmail.com or 518-729-4550.
Marie’s Music Corner: The Lamb of God

I have gotten some questions recently about the Lamb of God, and what exactly are we singing? During this season of Lent, we are singing the Lamb of God in Latin: “Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi: miserere nobis. Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi: dona nobis pacem.” Because the Lamb of God is one of those ritual pieces that is music accompanying ritual action, its form is that of a litany, where it can be made shorter or longer, depending on the need. The ritual action (the breaking of the bread) is accompanied by the invocation (Lamb of God) which “may be repeated as many times as necessary until the rite has been completed. The final time it concludes with the words grant us peace.” (General Instruction of the Roman Missal #83)

In order that we might know when to sing the final “Grant us peace,” we sing “Lamb of God” in Latin, and then repeat “Lamb of God” in various languages, until we go back to “Lamb of God” in Latin. As we have been doing this over the past several years, I have had people come up to me from various countries and teach me how to say “Lamb of God” in their native language. It has been a wonderful experience, and as we do this, we are reminded that the Body of Christ extends beyond these walls, encompassing the whole world. So if you want to come teach me “Lamb of God” in your language, please come find me.

Below is a listing of some of the languages you might hear:

- Agnus Dei (Latin)
- Cordero de Dios (Spanish)
- Hana Nime yang (Korean)
- Hwayana ya Mwari (Shona/Zimbabwe)
- Kimene kia Nzambi (Kikongo)
- Mwana koondo wa Mungu (Swahili)
- A Caliga Ka Katanda (Bantu/Luganda)
- Kordero ng Diyos (Tagalog/Filipino)
- Agneau de Dieu (French)
- Baranku Bozy (Polish)
- Kataama Ka Ruhanga (Rutdorl/Uganda)
- Isten Báránya (Hungarian)
- Anak Domba Allah (Indonesian)
- Agnello di Dio (Italian)
- Lamm Gottes (German)
- Cordeiro de Deus (Portuguese)

Pastoral Care Needs

One of our parishioners is at the new assisted care facility on Western Ave. It would be wonderful if he could get a weekly visit and Communion from the parish.

If you would be willing to do a visit once a month, please e-mail Sr Eleanor at pastoraloutreach@stvincentalbany.org or you can call at 518-489-5408. Training is available.

Parish Pilgrimage to Marian Shrines and the Way of St. James

November 6-19, 2019

There is still plenty of space left on the trip. If you made a New Year’s resolution to see more of the world, perhaps this is your place to start. $300 will reserve your spot on the tour. Personally chosen options affect the overall cost but typically it is around $3,500.

To learn more about the trip please go to www.grouptoursite.com/elizabethsimcoe.

Welcome to All

(but especially visitors, pilgrims and those seeking a spiritual home)

We hope you will find St. Vincent’s hospitable, prayerful and inclusive. If you would like to know more about this parish, please check our website: www.stvincentalbany.org.

If you would like to register or speak with a member of the parish staff please call 518-489-5408 or email: pld@stvincentalbany.org. We look forward to hearing from you!

Chipotle Fundraiser

Join us on Tuesday, March 19th anytime between 4:00-8:00PM at the Chipotle in Stuyvesant Plaza to benefit the St. Vincent’s Preschool!

Make sure the bring the flyer located on the last page of this bulletin or tell your cashier that you are there in support of the St. Vincent’s fundraiser. This is a great way to enjoy some delicious food and meet other members of the St. Vincent’s community!

St. Vincent’s Young Adult Ministry

The Young Adult Ministry is open to all those in their 20s and 30s! Call the office at 518-489-5408 or email Meg at liturgy@stvincentalbany.org for more information. We have a lot of fun events coming up you won’t want to miss out on!
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MASS SCHEDULE
Saturday  5:00 P.M. Vigil
Sunday   8:30 & 11:00 A.M.
          6:30 P.M. (September-May)
PARISH CENTER 984 Madison Avenue
FOOD PANTRY  Monday, Wednesday, Thursday
               12:30-2:30 PM ~ (518) 694-3153
PRESCHOOL   (518) 482-5346
             www.stvincentspreschool.com
OFFICE HOURS Monday - Friday, 9:00 AM– 3:00 PM
EMAIL secretary@stvincentalbany.org
FACEBOOK www.facebook.com/stvincentalbany

PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE FOR:
♦ Pastoral Care  - Visits to homebound parishioners, hospital patients or nursing home residents.
♦ Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults  - Membership in the Roman Catholic Church.
♦ Infant Baptism  - Celebrated monthly (except during Lent)
♦ Reconciliation  - By appointment or 4:45PM Saturdays
♦ Matrimony  - At least 6 months prior to your hoped for date.
♦ Bereavement Ministry  - is available through the parish office. Please call and ask for Sr. Eleanor Guerin.
♦ Making Funeral Arrangements in Advance  - The death of someone we love is a deeply painful and trying time. Making funeral arrangements when family members live out of town or have conflicting ideas can add further difficulties. St. Vincent’s invites you to consider preparing your funeral arrangements in advance. This might mean selecting readings, music and ministers for the liturgy. These choices can always be adjusted, too, if circumstances change.

Gluten Free Hosts & Personal P.A. Receivers are available.

Readings for the Week of March 17, 2019

Sunday: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18; Ps 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14; Phil 3:17—4:1; Lk 9:28b-36
Monday: Dn 9:4b-10; Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13; Lk 6:36-38
Tuesday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29; Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22; Mt 1:16, 18-21; 24a or Lk 2:41-51a
Wed: Jer 18:18-20; Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16; Mt 20:7-28
Thursday: Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6; Lk 16:19-31
Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a; Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
Next Week: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 11; 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12; Lk 13:1-9

Pastoral Team:
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                           HorganJ@mail.strose.edu
3/18  Yoga 6:00-7:00PM (C)
3/19  Mary Magdalen Scripture Study 2:00PM (PH)
       Mary Magdalen Scripture 7:00PM (PH)
       Choir 7:30PM (C)
       Fundraiser at Chipotle 4:00-8:00PM
3/20  Stations and Simple Supper 6:30PM (C, PH)
       Adult Faith Formation Committee 7:00PM (L)
3/23  Mass 5:00PM (C)
3/24  Mass 8:30AM (C)
       Adult Faith Formation 9:45-10:45AM (MTG 1)
       K-5 Faith Formation 9:45-10:45AM (PC)
       RCIA 9:45AM-12:00PM (L)
       Mass 11:00AM (C)

(C) Church, (G) Grotto, (PC) Parish Center,
(PH) Parish Hall, (L) Lounge,
(MTG 1) Meeting Room 1, (MTG 2) Meeting Room 2

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, March 23
5:00PM Joseph Eriole req. by Joanne Eriole
      Lilian Eriole req. by Joanne Eriole

Sunday, March 24
8:30AM  Jack Brilling req. by The Simcoe Family
11:00AM Damian Qualters req. by Marty & Sally Beckman

Liturgical Ministers for March 23-24
Baker: Bill Dollard
Writer: Patrick Maxwell
Writer for March 31: Richard Shirey

Saturday, 5:00 pm
President: Fr. Leo O’Brien
Deacon/Homilist: Deacon Marty Beckman
Readers: Anne Wasielewski, Sally Beckman
Eucharistic Ministers: Michael Pastore, Deborah Morris,
                      Nancy Cullings, Patrick Cullings,
                      Margaret Ladington
Liturgical Coordinator: Rosemarie Tobin
Driver for Fr. O’Brien: Rosemarie Tobin

Sunday, 8:30 am
President/Homilist: Fr. Michael Farano
Acolyte: Steve Oill
Altar Servers: Rose Nino, Elias Nino
Readers: Kathleen Chant, Kathy Paulsen
Eucharistic Ministers: John Criscione, Jim Ruud,
                      Andrew Robinson, Karen Drotar,
                      Clare Pelkey, Kate Paul
Liturgical Coordinator: Mary Anne Young
CLW–School Age: Andre Castagna
Ministers of Hospitality: Dave Vollaro, Sandy Vollaro
Coffee Hour: Emma Paulsen, Ann Paulsen
Counters: Mary Ricard, 2 Needed

Sunday, 11:00 am
President/Homilist: Fr. Michael Farano
Acolyte: Elizabeth Simcoo
Altar Servers: Meghan Popcun, Kayleigh Collin
Readers: Ellen Naughter, Twiggie Collen,
         Elizabeth Martinez, Eileen Shirey,
         Ron Jones, Kate Burgess,
         Katherine Bollin, Jo Ann Bennett,
         Kayleigh Holligan, Dave Rowell
         Diane Marcil, Eileen Shirey
Liturgical Coordinator: Jim Bennett
CLW–Small Children: Beth McCarthy
CLW–School Age: Erin Blair
Ministers of Hospitality: Joan Marso, Dave LaFleur,
                     Ray Pitylk, 1 Needed
Coffee Hour: Claudia Consiglio, Katrina Consiglio
Counters: Phyllis Cardona, Ray Pitylk,
          Katherine Bollin
Veronica Ministry: Rosa Veltman

Hospital Visitation: Week of March 17, 2019

SPH - Ellen Naughter, Phyllis & Ray Cardona
AMCH - Indu Jayapal, Jeanne Qualters

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Join us at our restaurant for a fundraiser to support St. Vincent De Paul Albany. Just come in to the Chipotle at 1475 Western Ave in Albany on Tuesday, March 19th from 4:00pm to 8:00pm. Bring in this flyer, show it on your smartphone or tell the cashier you’re supporting the cause to make sure that 33% of the proceeds will be donated to St. Vincent De Paul Albany.

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