

St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church

The Second Sunday of Lent

March 17, 2019



OUR PARISH MISSION:

We are a welcoming, loving, growing family called by Christ to share, experience, and celebrate God's presence and loving redemption.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday -Thursday 8:30 am-3:00 pm

Friday 8:30 am - 12:00 noon

WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday 4:00 pm, 6:00 pm

Sunday 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 pm (Noon).
2:00 pm (Starting January 6 - April 21)

DAILY MASSES:

Monday - Saturday 8:00 am

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday 3:00 pm - 3:45 pm

Wednesday 7:15 am - 7:45 am
1st Friday 7:30 am

EUCHARISTIC EXPOSITION:

Tuesday 8:30 am - 9:30 am, Friday 8:30 am - 3:00 pm

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Food Pantry - (352) 748-0778 - 1102 N. Main St.
 Suite B, Wildwood, Hours: 2nd & 4th Fridays
 and Mondays following 2nd and 4th Fridays,
 9 am - 12 pm

Our Mother's Attic Resale Shop (352) 689-
 0128, 115 S. Main St. (Route 301), Wildwood
 Hours: Monday - Friday 9:30am - 4pm,
 Saturday 9:30am - 2:30pm

PARISH CONTACTS

Director of Operations _____ Cindi Van Nostrand
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 Maintenance _____ Joe Voss
 Maintenance _____ Lee France
 Maintenance _____ Tim Scott
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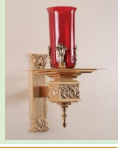
CHURCH CALENDAR & ACTIVITIES



To request flowers,
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office at (352) 330-0220

To request altar flowers for a \$30 donation or a sanctuary
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(352) 330-0220, or go to www.sumtercatholic.org to make
a payment.

In Loving Memory of
Skip Fielden by
Rosemary Fielden



CHURCH ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

Saturday, March 16 – Lenten Weekday

Healing Mass8:00a-9:00ach
Rosary & Devotions.....7:30a-8:00apr
Reconciliation.....3:00p-3:45p.....ch

Sunday, March 17 – The Second Sunday of Lent

FF Youth Ministry6:00p-8:00psh
Catholics Returning Home.....3:00p-5:00psh

Monday, March 18 – Lenten Weekday

Rosary & Devotions.....8:30a-9:00a.....ch
RCIA9:30a-11:00ash
SCC Meeting5:00p-6:30psh
KOC Officers & Director Meeting6:00p-8:00psh

Tuesday, March 19 – Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed

Virgin Mary

Rosary & Devotions.....8:30a-9:00a.....ch
Eucharistic Exposition8:30a-9:00a.....pr
Caring Neighbors Meeting11:00a-12:15psh
Acts of the Apostles Course2:00p-3:30p.....pr
CCW Meeting.....2:00p-4:30psh

Wednesday, March 20 - Lenten Weekday

Bible Study.....8:45a-9:45apr
Wild Goose Presentation.....10:00a-11:30ash
Faith Formation Program.....5:30p-8:30p.....sh
Bible Study.....5:30p-6:30p.....pr

Thursday, March 21 - Lenten Weekday

Rosary & Devotions.....8:30a-9:00a.....ch
Marian Servants.....8:30a-1:00ppr
Women of Grace9:30a-12:00psh
Choir Rehearsal4:00p-6:30ppr
Emmanuel Charismatic Group6:00p-9:00p.....sh

Friday, March 22 - Lenten Weekday

Rosary & Devotions.....8:30p-9:00ach
Eucharistic Exposition8:30p-3:00ppr
New Parishioner Mingle9:00a-11:00ash

Fridays, March 22 - April 12

Stations of the Cross - 4:00p & Lenten Soup Supper - 4:30p

Saturday, March 23 – Lenten Weekday

Rosary & Devotions.....7:30a-8:00apr
MTS Training.....10:00a-1:00p.....sh
Reconciliation.....3:00p-3:45p.....ch

Sunday, March 24 – The Third Sunday of Lent

FF Youth Ministry6:00p-8:00psh
Catholics Returning Home.....3:00p-5:00psh

MASS SCHEDULE - March 16 - March 24

Sat.	8:00a	Fr. Cabrisos	†	Claire Herega
	4:00p	Fr. Puntal	†	Rose Valente
	6:00p	Fr. McCracken	†	Joseph Bichler
Sun	8:00a	Fr. Puntal		Parishioners Intentions
	10:00a	Fr. Puntal	†	Robert Paliwodzinski
	12:00p	Fr. McCracken	†	Carol Bracaglia
	2:00p	Fr. Cabrisos	†	Artie Donelan
Mon	8:00a	Fr. Ozokpor	†	Mary Langton
Tue	8:00a	Fr. Puntal	†	Robert Lendman
Wed	8:00a	Fr. Cabrisos	†	Gerard Founds
Thur	8:00a	Fr. King	†	Rose Valente
Fri	8:00a	Fr. Puntal	†	Maureen Kenny
Sat	8:00a	Fr. White	†	Ann Patricia Mulgrew
	4:00p	Fr. McCracken	†	Mary Regina Mackey
	6:00p	Fr. Puntal		Parishioners Intentions
Sun	8:00a	Fr. Cabrisos	†	Bernie Verschoor
	10:00a	Fr. McCracken	†	Michael D'Avino
	12:00p	Fr. White	†	Claudina Johnson
	2:00p	Fr. Puntal	†	Joseph Bollentino

OFF-SITE MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Mar 16	†	Edward & † Judy Carty
Sunday, Mar 17	†	The Ryan Sisters
	†	Cynthia Leavy Feth
	†	George & † Marge Bell
Wednesday, Mar 20	†	Geraldine Getz
Thursday, Mar 21	†	Germaine Bruno
Friday, Mar 22	†	Tom Bell
Saturday, Mar 23	†	Maka Kaich
Sunday, Mar 24	†	Jeanette Perkins
	†	Elizabeth Frampton
	†	Gene, † Dee & † Daniel O'Neill

PRAYER

PRAYER GROUP

Emmanuel Charismatic Prayer Group: Meets each Thursday at 6:30 pm in the Social Hall. Everyone is invited to attend and experience the movement of the Holy Spirit, with song, praise & worship. For info call Marge DuBuc (248) 255-6154 or Terry DeLucia (352) 751-1762.

Marian Servants of the Word Incarnate: Please contact Mary Jane Haggerty at (352) 205-8182.

Small Christian Communities: Meets twice monthly with focus on the Gospel and exploring personal faith journeys through prayer, discussion and Christian fellowship. Please contact Connie Accurso at (352) 638-2142.

St. Therese Lay Carmelite Community: The lay Catholics belong to the Carmelite Order and follow the Rule of Carmel, living the Gospel and following the example of the Blessed Virgin Mary and Elijah. For information call Daisy Kalarithara at (352) 304-5130.

Parish prayers follow the 8 am Mass with cards handed out to allow attendees to share in the prayers.

Tuesday - PRAYER FOR PRIEST includes Adoration, 8:30-9:30 am and Rosary.

Wednesday - Rosary for Life.

Thursday - Prayers for our parish.

First Friday of each month - Sacred Heart of Jesus including Divine Mercy chaplet, prayer of Reparation and Rosary.

First Saturday - Immaculate Heart of Mary includes Fatima prayers of Reparation and Rosary.

EUCCHARISTIC EXPOSITION Through Him, With Him, In Him All things are possible

Tuesday: 8:30 am—9:30 am

Friday: 8:30 am—3:00 pm

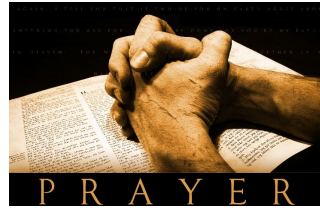
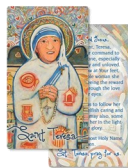
Please come and spend some quiet, prayerful time with the Lord. Adoration and Benediction following the 8 am Mass Tuesday & Friday.

For info or to schedule an hour on Friday to spend with the Blessed Sacrament, please contact Cathy Catalano at (352) 323-0833 or by email catherine352@comcast.net.

The Marian Servants of the Word Incarnate offer to pray with you during these hours of Eucharistic Adoration.

PRAYER CARDS ARE AVAILABLE

Are you praying for something special? Bring prayer cards to Adoration on Friday and place them in front of the Blessed Sacrament. Your prayers will be placed on the altar during weekend Masses.



If you or a loved one are in need of the Anointing of the Sick or confession at home, please call the Parish office for a priest visit

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR ILL PARISHIONERS:

Sean Tennant
Thomas Campion
Marcia A. McFerren
Barbara Schoffroth
Leonard Susalla
Robert Sandstrom
Jennifer Connolly
Dn. Byron & Mary Ann Otradovec
Patricia Curtin
Sandee Pearson
Bill Lanham
Linda Cardillo
Gene Linder
Ernest Meyers
Bill Prendergast
As of March 12, 2019

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR RECENTLY DECEASED:

Therese Leclerc
Kirk Louis VanScoten
Andre Dupont
Conrad Lavallee
Terrence Vargo
Pat Hoscheit
Ann E. Garitta
Anthony Wolf
Shawn Patrick Feeley
Dee Heinzman
Bart Neri
John Ballestero
Sasha Pishko
Mariann Ross
Michael Morrow
Cheryl Hughes
Mary Carol Leimbach

HOLY COMMUNION

FOR THE HOMEBOUND

Our Ministers to the Sick bring the Eucharist to the homebound and those in care facilities who are not able to come to Mass. If you or a relative would like the Eucharist brought to your home or care facility, please call our Ministry to the Sick Coordinator, Mary Wresh (352) 748-3639.

If you would like to serve the Lord by bringing Him to our parishioners, please call Mary Wresh at (352) 748-3639. Our Ministers to the Sick attend special training so they are confidently prepared and can focus on the Eucharist and our parishioner during their visit.

AT THE HOSPITAL

When you or a loved one is in the hospital, please inform the staff at registration or later that you are Catholic and would like to be on the Catholic list so Chaplains and Ministers to the Sick know you are there and can visit you.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If you or a family member is in need of an anointing of the sick, please call the Parish Office at (352) 330-0220.

PARISH HAPPENINGS

Attendance - March 2, 2019 - March 3, 2019

4:00 pm	1,375
6:00 pm	950
8:00 am	1,053
10:00 am	1,305
12:00 pm	1,154
2:00 pm	483
Total	6,320

Offertory - March 2, 2019 - March 3, 2019

Offertory\$50,502.58



OUR CATHOLIC APPEAL

The Catholic Foundation of Central Florida

As of February 2019 we have raised \$141,553.65 which is 25.9% of our goal.

Thank you for responding and touching other lives with your generosity.

COFFEE & DONUTS

The Coffee & Donuts Fellowship will resume again in May.



WELCOME TO OUR PARISH

A warm welcome to our newly registered parishioners. We are pleased to have you worshipping with us.

Gary Balas
Pauline Bove
Francis & Lynn Payer
Frank Pellegrino
John & Linda Rouisse
JoAnn Seidel
Theresa Zablonksi
Theodore & Maryruth Olshefski



SENT TO SERVE



Before helping others,
we need to have a personal
encounter with God: we need
time to pray and to listen to
His Word.

Pope Francis

SONG SELECTIONS

March 9 & 10, 2019

Prelude:

You are my All in All

Processional:

Gather Your People

Gifts:

Somebody's Knockin

Pre-Communion:

In Remembrance

Communion:

Transfigure Us O Lord

Meditation:

Surely the Presence

Recessional:

No songs during the season of Lent

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES

“Acts of the Apostles: The Spread of the Kingdom”

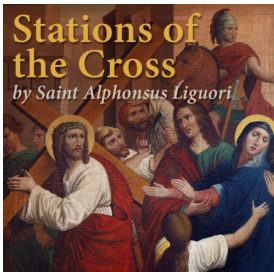
The second part of the course in “The Great Adventure Bible Study” program featuring Jeff Cavins, will meet Tuesday, March 19, from 2:00—3:30 pm in the Prayer room. For more information, please email or call Frank Webber at faithformation@sumtercatholic.org or (352) 643-7017.

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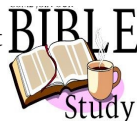
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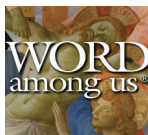
The Augustine Institute presents a beautiful meditation on the Stations of the Cross by Saint Alphonsus Liguori, narrated by Dr. Christopher Blum. This prayerful reflection is accompanied by the Schola Cantorum of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, Littleton, CO, chanting the traditional Catholic hymn *Stabat Mater*, in Latin, which depicts the loving presence of

Our Sorrowful Mother, sharing in the suffering of Christ at the foot of the cross. Take advantage of this audio on your commute, at home, or anywhere you find the time, to enrich your prayer during Lent or throughout the year, and better unite yourself to the Passion of Christ.

Adult Bible Study is held on Wednesdays, at 8:45 am and 5:30 pm in the prayer room. All are welcome!



“the Word Among us” for Lent, 2019 is available in the Narthex. Suggested donation is \$2.00



Question of the Week © 2016 by Karl Keating

Which answer includes one or two sins that are not among the seven deadly sins?

- A. Anger and wrath
- B. Peevishness and lust
- C. Greed and avarice
- D. Pride and envy
- E. None of the above

See Family Faith Formation Page for Answer



NEW SMALL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITIES NOW FORMING
Mixed Communities Couple's Communities All Women's Communities
All Men's Communities Mixed Singles Communities

ALL ARE WELCOME

FIND OUT what Small Christian Communities are all about.
FIND OUT how you can join a small community for **Prayer, Faith Sharing, and Socializing.**

FOR DETAILS CALL:

Connie Accurso (352) 638-2142 stvincentscc@gmail.com
Frank Webber (352) 643-7017 faithfmaton@sumtercatholic.org



St. Patrick of Ireland is one of the world's most popular saints. He was born in Roman Britain and when he was fourteen or so, he was captured by Irish pirates during a raiding party and taken to Ireland as a slave to herd and tend sheep. At the time, Ireland was a land of Druids and pagans but Patrick turned to God and wrote his memoir, *The Confession*.

Patrick's captivity lasted until he was twenty, when he escaped after having a dream from God in which he was told to leave Ireland by going to the coast. There he found some sailors who took him back to Britain and was reunited with his family. A few years after returning home, Patrick saw a vision he described in his memoir: "I saw a man coming, as it were from Ireland. His name was Victorinus, and he carried many letters, and he gave me one of them. I read the heading: 'The Voice of the Irish.' As I began the letter, I imagined in that moment that I heard the voice of those very people who were near the wood of Foclut, which is beside the western sea-and they cried out, as with one voice: 'We appeal to you, holy servant boy, to come and walk among us.' "The vision prompted his studies for the priesthood. He was ordained by St. Germanus, the Bishop of Auxerre, whom he had studied under for years, and was later ordained a bishop and sent to take the Gospel to Ireland.

Patrick arrived in Slane, Ireland on March 25, 433. There are several legends about what happened next, with the most prominent claiming he met the chieftain of one of the druid tribes, who tried to kill him. After an intervention from God, Patrick was able to convert the chieftain and preach the Gospel throughout Ireland. There, he converted many people, eventually thousands, and he began building churches across the country. Copyright 2019 Catholic Online

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Administrative Assistant: Sheryl Sharry, (352) 643-7053 or assistant-faithformation@sumtercatholic.org

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION



Faith Formation for grades Pre-K--8th are held every Wednesday evening from 6:15 pm - 7:45 pm. For more information, contact Frank Webber or Sheryl Sharry in the Faith Formation office.

Please remember that we have extended the Faith Formation Program until Wednesday April 10th.

Our soup and bread supper on Ash Wednesday was a huge success. Thank you to all our wonderful teachers (gourmet cooks) for their delicious soups and for all the help they always give.

REMEMBER

Liturgy of the Word for Children is celebrated on Sundays during the 10:00 am Mass. All children are invited.

HELP WANTED

We are looking for volunteers to help with our Liturgy of the Word for Children periodically on Sunday mornings at the 10:00 am Mass.

For more information, please contact Frank Webber at faithformation@sumtercatholic.org or (352)643-7017.



THE KNIGHTS OF CHRIST YOUTH GROUP

Dave and Judy Hasman (352) 461-0062

All meetings are held Sundays in the Social Hall from 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Tonight, March 17, will be our LAST MEETING FOR THE 2018/2019 YEAR.

We will be holding a graduation party for our two seniors who will be graduating from the Youth Group. These seniors, Liam Cary and Alex Frates, have been an integral part of our program. They have shown leadership and commitment to our program and will be greatly missed.



Answer for the Question of the Week

B is the correct answer.

While lust is one of the seven deadly sins, peevishness is not.

PARISH HAPPENINGS

LENTEN SOUP SUPPERS

Fridays at 4:30 PM

March 15, 22 & 29

April 5 & 12



Lenten soup suppers follow the Stations of the Cross at 4:00 pm



OUR CATHOLIC APPEAL

The Catholic Foundation of Central Florida

DID YOU KNOW?

Your gifts to **Our Catholic Appeal** help bring comfort to the sick. The diocese provides resources to our Ministers of the Sick who bring Holy Communion to the sick and homebound in our parish.



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LENT

A SEASON OF REFLECTION
RENEWAL & PREPARATION

Fasting & Abstinence



The annual observance of Lent is the special season for the ascent to the holy mountain of Easter. Through its twofold theme of repentance and baptism, the season of Lent disposes both the catechumens and the faithful to celebrate the paschal mystery. Catechumens are led to the sacraments of initiation by means of the Rite of Election, the Scrutinies, and Catechesis. The faithful, listening more intently to the word of God and devoting themselves to prayer, are prepared through a spirit of repentance to renew their baptismal promises.

Regulations for Fasting and Abstinence

Fasting is to be observed by persons all 18 years and older, who have not yet celebrated their 59th birthday. On a fast day one full meal is allowed. Two other meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to each one's needs, but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted, but liquids, including milk and juices, are allowed.

Abstinence is observed by all persons 14 years of age and older. On days of abstinence no meat is allowed.

When health or ability to work would be seriously affected, this law does not apply.

Please do not fast if you are unable.

When in doubt concerning fast and abstinence, the parish priest should be consulted.

Ash Wednesday, March 6, 2019 and Good Friday, April 19, 2019 are days of fast and abstinence. All the Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence.

Fasting, almsgiving, and prayer are the three traditional disciplines of Lent. The faithful and catechumens should undertake these practices seriously in a spirit of penance and of preparation for baptism or of renewal of baptism at Easter.

UNDERSTANDING EUCHARISTIC ADORATION & EUCHARISTIC EXPOSITION

Because the Body and Blood of Christ remain under the signs of bread and wine even after the celebration of a given Mass, it has been always necessary for the Eucharistic elements to be properly reserved and shown due reverence. Over the centuries, the practice of adoring or worshipping the reserved Eucharist developed. By the 12th century the ordinary place of reservation of the Blessed Sacrament became the tabernacle, a “box” or other suitable vessel, located in a prominent place in the church: often an attached chapel or a side altar. The placing of the tabernacle on the main altar did not become common until the 15th century; following the Second Vatican Council the older practice of locating the tabernacle elsewhere in the church returned.

Adoration:

In any case, adoration of the reserved Blessed Sacrament developed over the centuries. *The term adoration refers to the worship given the Blessed Sacrament reposed within tabernacle.* Adoration can take place any time access to the place of reservation is available, and can be done individually or in a group setting. It can be for personal edification or the building up of a group or association of the faithful. No particular rite or regulations exist for adoration; it can take place as a simple period of private prayer and meditation, or it can include specific prayers and devotions such as the Rosary, various litanies, and so on.

Exposition:

Adoration can also take place within the *rite of Exposition, which involves the removal of the Blessed Sacrament from the tabernacle and its display in either a monstrance (from Latin: “to show”), a pyx, or ciborium.* Exposition has a highly public and communal aspect, and involves a carefully regulated liturgy found in the United States in the Order for the Solemn Exposition of the Holy Eucharist (OSEHE) and in the Roman Ritual, Holy Communion and Worship of the Eucharist Outside Mass, Chapter III. During the Exposition, the liturgical norms must be observed regarding the object and content of public prayer. The period should include sufficient time for silent reflection, as well as for prayers, songs, and readings, including a homily or brief exhortation to lead the faithful to the worship of Christ the Lord.
(from “Eucharistic Adoration”, Office of Liturgy and Music, Diocese of Orlando website.)

PARISH HAPPENINGS



Knights of Columbus March—April 2019

March 18	*Officer & Directors Meeting at 6:00 pm at Wildwood Soup Kitchen*
March 31	7:30 am prior to 8:00 am Mass — Family Rosary, Founders Day & Corporate Mass.
April 5-6	9:00 - 2:00 pm. KoC Auxiliary Charity Garage Sale . Contact Debbie Acevedo at 352-750-1350 for more information.



WE NEED YOU TO BE ONE WITH US!

Be courageous!

Do everything with love and join the Knights of Columbus.

To learn more please contact:

Grand Knight : Mario Acevedo
(352) 750-1350

Deputy Grand Knight: Gary Quinn
(352) 391-9814

Chancellor: John Gallagher
(617) 448-6242

CATHOLICS RETURNING HOME



This is a friendly and informative program that hopes to provide overview on the Church today and provide inactive or non practicing Catholics the information they need to return comfortably to the Church and updates on the a way for them to comfortably return to the Church. Sessions take place on Sundays from 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm in the Social Hall. For more information please call Deacon Dan Pallo at (352) 391-9338.

CCW MEETING



The (CCW) Council of Catholic Women will have a meeting on Tuesday, March 19, 2019 in the Social Hall starting at 2:00 pm.

The National Council of Catholic Women acts through its membership to support, empower and educate all Catholic women in spirituality, leadership and service. During our past years we have done many projects that assist the community and help raise charitable donations.

We also support other ministries as needed in the Parish.

The dues are \$15.00 a year.

We welcome all women of the Parish to join our ministry!

SENIOR SINGLES CLUB

Come join the Senior Singles Club for dinner on Tuesday, April 9 at 4:30 pm at Bamboo Bistro (Rolling Acres Plaza on US 441). Note that it will be an open menu, but a 20% gratuity will be added to your bill. We are limited to 60 people and deadline to sign up is March 31st. RSVP to Linda at (252) 532-9029 or Ricky at (352) 775-6678.

2019 LENTEN PRAYER SERVICE

St. Timothy

Tuesday, April 9 - 4:00 pm

St. Vincent de Paul

Thursday, April 11 - 10:00 am

St. Mark

Thursday, April 11 - 5:00 pm



PARISH HAPPENINGS



BUILDING THE WAY TO HEAVEN CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

Did You Know...

Tax Planning Qualified Charitable Distributions

If you are 70-1/2 or older, you may direct a contribution be made directly from your IRA Required Minimum Distribution (RMD) to a qualified charitable organization. You will be able to exclude that amount from the taxable portion of your IRA distribution without requiring you to itemize using charitable donations as an expense. Consult your IRA Administrator and/or financial advisor for details. Please include your name and designated fund for proper allocation.

Stock Gifts

If you have questions regarding stock gifts, please contact Susan Hunt at (407) 246-4803 or email her at shunt@cfofc.org. Just a reminder that in order to take full advantage of the tax laws surrounding the gifting of appreciated securities, the shares must be held by you for at least one (1) year. You must let Susan Hunt know the parish that is to be the beneficiary, and the fund that the proceeds should benefit: (offertory, Capital Campaign, Our Catholic Appeal). No handling fee is to be charged.

WE ARE ALL ONE FAMILY - Join Us!

Questions:

Please call Marco Robles at (407) 246-7185 if you have questions concerning your Building the Way to Heaven campaign pledge or payments' schedule.

Campaign questions:

Please email stvincentchurch@sumtercatholic.org or call Rich Cole at (352) 753-2055. It may take up to 4 weeks to receive your gift acknowledgement. Thank you for your patience and generosity.

**As of February 2019
\$3,658,632.30 has been pledged
52% of our goal of \$7.1 million**

Thank you for your sacrificial gift.

HOW TO GIVE

*Ways to donate to
St. Vincent de Paul
Catholic Church*

FAITH DIRECT

If you are considering signing up for online giving, visit faithdirect.net and click "Give Now." Our church code is FL914. If you have questions about setting up your Faith Direct account please contact their customer service at (866) 507-8757. After your Faith Direct account is activated, you will continue to contact their customer service with questions or changes to your account.

BUILDING THE WAY TO HEAVEN

Our Parish is rapidly growing and we are currently in the midst of expanding. If you would like to schedule a credit card payment by phone, or need to change your credit card information, please call our Gift Manager, Marco Robles at (407) 246-7185. If you would like to donate online please visit our Parish Website and select Building the Way to Heaven under the "Donate Now" tab.

OUR CATHOLIC APPEAL

Your generosity changes lives! Your gift feeds the hungry, prevents homelessness, provides Catholic formation experiences for children and adults, and supports seminarians and retired priests. To donate to Our Catholic Appeal please visit our Parish Website and select Our Catholic Appeal under the "Donate Now" tab.

PARISH HAPPENINGS

Our Mother of Mercy Outreach Services

*Almighty Father, Thank you for the many Blessings that greet us each day.
We are humbled by your love and mercy.
Help us use these gifts to serve the world.
May we not hesitate to answering the cries
Of the poor, sick, hungry, and homeless.
In Your name, we embrace your children at
Home and overseas. Amen*

Catholic Relief Services

Our Mother of Mercy Outreach Services

In today's gospel, Jesus shows his divinity to Peter, James, and John. He is the light to the darkness around Him. During His ministry, He showed us to be compassionate, caring, and loving.

Can we emulate Jesus and be the light around our family and peers? During Lent, could we be the one who shows by example, the three disciplines of prayer, fasting, almsgiving?

Our parish provides many opportunities to follow the disciplines of Lent. Try one or more of the following:

- Attend Mass on a weekday.
- Attend Stations of the Cross.
- Bring a bag of non-perishable food weekly.
- Become an active member of one of the ministries.
- Donate to funds for retired sisters.

It is fitting that today we celebrate the Transfiguration on the feast of St. Patrick. He brought the faith to Ireland and as legend says, drove the snakes from Ireland. Boston has a special link to St. Patrick. George Washington used St. Patrick as the password when the colonials were setting up cannon in secret to aim at the British ships in the harbor. Imagine the surprise when the British realized that they had to evacuate. Evacuation Day and St. Patrick are celebrated by the city.

Thank you for your continued prayers and donations.
Together, we show others God's love.



FOOD DONATIONS NEEDED!

Our Parish Food Pantry is currently serving over 350 families each month. On average, the Pantry serves over 25 new families every month. Please continue your generous food and monetary donations that make it possible for us to help the many people in our area who are in need of food.

Food Pantry Requests include the following: canned meats, pasta, side dishes, canned pasta w/meats, spaghetti sauce, pork & beans, pinto beans, canned fruit, canned tuna, canned vegetables, potatoes (canned or boxed,) cereal, soup, peanut butter, jelly, pasta, mac & cheese, corn muffin mix, cake mix, pancake mix, crackers, cookies, condiments, white rice, coffee, tea, paper products, cleaning supplies and toiletries. Please remember that out-of-date and opened food cannot be distributed.

Food donations may be placed in the bins in the Narthex of the church. ***We greatly appreciate monetary donations as well. Please make your checks payable to St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church - Food Pantry.***



Thank you for your generosity!

OUR MOTHER'S ATTIC

Resale shop benefiting the Soup Kitchen, Food Pantry, Lazarus Free Medical Clinic and local Outreach programs.

**Hours: Monday - Friday 9:30 am - 4 pm
Saturday 9:30 am - 2:30 pm**

Your Donations Are Appreciated

Drop-offs are welcomed Monday - Friday until 3:30 pm and Saturdays until 1:30 pm. For pickup of large items, please call (352) 689-0128 for scheduling. Please visit our store to shop and donate your household items!

Location: 115 S. Main Street (Rt. 301) in downtown Wildwood. The shop is a small, cream-colored building with our logo on it.

Non-clothing Donations: Furniture, home décor, kitchen items, children's items, linens, etc.

Total Weekly Gross Sales for Our Mother's Attic:
2/22/19 - 2/28/19 - \$7,290.96
"Help Us Help Others with Donations & Purchases"

Visit our Website
www.ourmothersattic.com

AROUND THE DIOCESE

CURSILLISTAS from parishes in our area meet the second Thursday of the month for Potluck Dinner at 4:30 pm and Ultreya at 5:15 pm at St. Timothy's Catholic Church, Ministry Building. De Colores! Contact: Mike and Sheila Truax flytwins@hotmail.com

LAKE DEATON MOAMI REUNION

We are planning our first MOAMI Reunion for all Lake Deaton Alumni on Thursday, April 25, 2019 from 10:00 am – 3:00 pm at the New Covenant UMC Lake Deaton campus. Join us for music, speakers, and small group sessions to provide opportunities to share your experiences and to reflect on your MOAMI journey. The cost is \$15/person, and lunch will be provided. Please pick up a registration brochure at the information desk and send your registration and fee (made payable to NCUMC) to Jan McCoy at the address listed on the brochure. Call Ann Kater if you have any questions. 603-401-5529 Hope you can join us!!

ST. TIMOTHY'S GIFT SHOP

Our shop has items available for First Communion, Confirmation and Baptism, along with greeting cards for various occasion. Gift Shop accepts cash or check only. (352) 350-8037. Times are Tuesday through Friday, 9 am to 12 noon, before & after the weekend Masses.

TO DONATE CLOTHING



Organizations in need of lightweight clothing include:

St. Timothy's — St. Vincent de Paul Society in Lady Lake, Every 4th Thursday from 7-11 am, (352) 753-0989; St. Paul's Catholic Church in Leesburg, (352) 787-3388; and St. Theresa's in Belleview, (352) 245-0650. Laundry detergent, soap, hygiene and paper products are also appreciated.

Please do not place clothing in the Food Pantry bins in the Narthex. They are for non-perishable

ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK

St. Paul's Gift Shop

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BULLETIN ENTRIES

Please direct any articles or events to the email address: bulletin@sumtercatholic.org

Submissions to the bulletin must be received in the office 14 days prior to the weekend of your request. We look forward to your contributions to this publication! Please note formatting may change.

LAZARUS FREE MEDICAL CLINIC OPENING IN LEESBURG



The Lazarus Free Medical Clinic, a program of Catholic Charities of Central Florida, in partnership with the San Pedro de Jesus Maldonado Catholic Mission, has opened an extension of the Wildwood based clinic at the St. Paul Catholic Community in Leesburg.

Thanks to the generosity and support of the St. Paul Catholic Community, the Lazarus Dental Clinic can service uninsured individuals living at or below 200% of the poverty level with professional, quality dental care at no cost. We are currently recruiting dental care professionals and clerical volunteers to join the clinic.

We are looking for volunteers from parishes. People can volunteer as often as they like, there are no minimum requirements. Interested in volunteering? Call Erin Burley (Clinic Manager) at (352) 602-4640 or email at EBurley@cflcc.org to learn more or Catholic Charities Senior Director of Healthcare Services, Jen Stephenson-Crouch, at (407) 913-5005 or email jstephenson-crouch@cflcc.org.

RETRouvaille: MARRIAGE SUPPORT



Sometimes things can go very wrong in a marriage. Retrouvaille is a program to help heal and support married couples experiencing difficulties, couples who are broken, lonely and hurting. It's also for couples who have separated or divorced and want to try again. Our next program begins in Winter Park March 22-24, 2019. For more information and registration, call (352) 274-4614. All calls and names held in strictest confidence. We invite you to visit our website at Retrouvaille.org.

JOB OPENING AT TRINITY HIGH SCHOOL DIRECTOR OF ADVANCEMENT

Trinity Catholic High School is in search of a dynamic individual willing and able to work to grow the school. The person in this position reports directly to the President, is a relationship-builder and fundraiser, organizer and manager, researcher and marketer. This is a 12-month position, which begins on July 1, 2019. Qualifications include a Bachelor's degree in Communications, business or another related field, as well as 3-5 years of fundraising management experience. Candidates should send a letter of interest and a resume to Lou Pereira, President via email at lpereira@tchs.us.