In Loving Memory of our Faithfully Departed St. Vincent de Paul Parishioners

Linda A. Serritella	11/01/2019	Thomas E. Carney, D.D.S.	05/09/2020
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Kathryn L. "Katie" Peters	11/03/2019	Frances Kemper	05/17/2020
Sally P. DesJardins	12/02/2019	Mary Hooks	05/26/2020
Elizabeth K, Kemmer	12/23/2019	Esther J. Brant	06/25/2020
Jeanne C. Centers	01/11/2020	William "Bill" Cunningham	07/06/2020
John T. Bowton	01/15/2020	Barbara Jean Montgomery	07/07/2020
Wilma J. McEnary	01/20/2020	Gerald "Jerry" T. Wombacher	07/08/2020
Victor J. Dubina	01/24/2020	Samuel "Sam" Merrill	07/12/2020
William S. Brewster	01/25/2020	Robert Janosov	07/16/2020
Kathleen A. Dixon	02/07/2020	Dianna F. Kappler	08/02/2020
Mary Kay Crocker	02/21/2020	Anna M. Markgraf	08/10/2020
Margaret "Mary" Irwin	02/28/2020	Julie C. Brooks	08/22/2020
Dr. Gerald W. "Jerry" Grawey	03/02/2020	Richard "Dick" Scheirer	08/27/2020
MaryAnne Armitage	03/14/2020	John D. Sleevar	08/30/2020
Ross G. Stevenson	03/19/2020	Christopher Gaffigan	09/01/2020
Nham "Joseph" Vu	03/21/2020	Truyen Duc Bui	09/21/2020
Wayne P. Meyer	03/28/2020	Carol A. Booth	09/27/2020
John E. McGee	04/04/2020	Barbara Stevenson	10/05/2020
Joseph G. Kozlevcar, Jr.	04/05/2020	Laura Kenny	10/13/2020
John "Phil" Harney	04/15/2020	Joseph G. Kozlevcar, Sr.	10/19/2020
Margaret A. McGee	04/16/2020	Daniel Ash	10/24/2020
Gary Lee Steiner, Jr.	05/05/2020		

MASS INTENTIONS

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, November 7

7:45am Jerry Willard (1st anniversary)

4:30pm Michele Lockwood

Sunday, November 8

7:30am Richard Boland

9:00am Kosnik-Gaffigan Family11:00am For the Living and Deceased

Members of SVdP

WFFKDAY MASSES

Monday, November 9

6:15am Bernadine Dooley 7:45am Helen Kurtz

Tuesday, November 10

6:15am Jack Cassidy 7:45am Special Intention

Wednesday, November 11

6:15am Sheila Fink

7:45am Donald Thomas (3rd anniversary)

9:15am Kimberly Thoren

Thursday, November 12

6:15am Dr. Luiz DeLima 7:45am Julie Brooks

Friday, November 13

6:15am Sharon Kleppe

7:45am Joanne (Franken) Pritchard

Stage

9:15am Michael Currin

Saturday, November 14

7:45am Robert Poppen, Jr.

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, November 14

4:30pm For the Living and Deceased

Members of SVdP

Sunday, November 15

7:30am Jim Heid 9:00am Rita Goldsby

11:00am Christopher Gaffigan

Parish Revenue Report—Sunday Collections Week 18

	Week	Total Sunday Contributions
Parish Collections Received	\$39,763	\$441,162
Parish Collections Needed*	\$32,250	\$580,500
Difference	\$7,513	(\$139,338)

^{*}Represents the amount needed to cover our operating costs and diocesan loan payments.

IN YOUR CHARITY PLEASE PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOULS OF

Joseph D. Arnold, son of Dan and Mary Arnold

Betty A. Gomer, mother of Steve (Dodie) Gomer

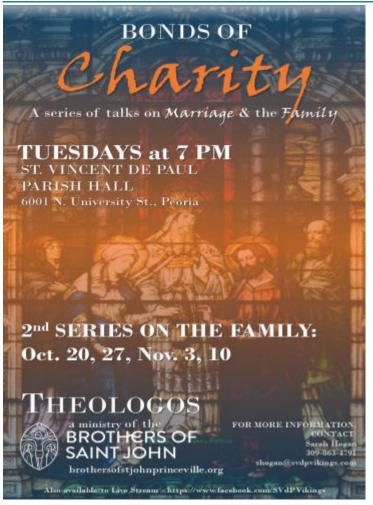
J. Thomas Joseph, husband of Dianna





BULLETIN SPONSOR OF THE WEEK





Dear Faithful Parishioners,

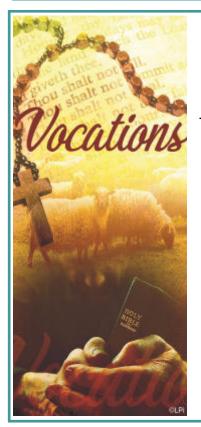
Each year we have a Co-op Mission Appeal Weekend. Last year we sponsored Building Hope in Kids – Uganda. St. Patrick Primary Boarding School in Uganda was founded by Fr. Julius to help educate children and end the cycle of generational poverty in Uganda. He was planning on being with us in August to update us on the school, but because of Covid-19 he was unable to come. Next week we will have our appeal. Please go to page 6 of the bulletin for a summary of Building Hope in Kids – Uganda.

In Christ, Fr. Steve Willard

ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL



We have received 325 pledge cards totaling \$140,973 but still short of our goal of \$163,009. There is still time for you to help us reach our goal. If you have not yet made a gift to the ADA, we invite you to do so. There are extra envelopes and pledge cards in the vestibule. Every dollar raised to make our goal supports important diocesan ministries and every dollar raised over our goal will be kept in the parish. To those who have contributed, we are most grateful.



Please join us for a Holy Hour for Vocations this Tuesday, November 10th from 6:30 – 7:30 pm in the Church.

CELEBRATING OUR FAITH

MASS TIMES

Monday-Friday

6:15am - Daily Mass

7:45am - Daily Mass

(also available to livestream)

Saturday

7:45am—Daily Mass

(also available to livestream)

4:30pm—Vigil Mass

(also available to livestream)

Sunday

7:30am—Mass

9:00am—Mass

10:00am—Outdoor Distribution of Holy Communion

11:00am—Mass

ADORATION

Tuesdays

8:15am—9:30am

(also available to livestream)

Wednesdays

5:30pm-6:30pm

CONFESSION

Saturdays

3:00pm—4:00pm (outdoor)

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Friday

8:30am-4:00pm

WARNING ABOUT RISK ASSUMED BY PARISHIONERS

While our parish staffs will attempt to take appropriate precautions consistent with the advice of public health authorities, parishioners and guests should understand that they assume the risk of contracting COVID-19 anytime they enter a public space since such precautions do not eliminate the risk of infection.



Our Giving Tree will be up before you know it. Because of Covid restrictions, *Catholic Charities* is requesting only specific gift cards this year. These gift cards need to be returned to the church office by *November 30th*.

Our church will also be doing gift cards and specific gift ideas such as newborn diapers, baby wipes, newborn outfits, kids winter coats, hats, and gloves. Please return these gifts and all other unwrapped Giving Tree gifts under the tree by Sunday, **December 6th** – Thank you for your generosity!

If you, or someone you know within our parish, could use a little help this Christmas due to a hardship, please consider allowing your parish family to help! All calls will be confidential. To be added to our gift distribution list you must contact Lorraine in the church office at loabraham@svdpvikings.com or 309-691-3602, ext. 251.

ADULT BIBLE STUDY

When: Thursday, November 5, 12, 19, and December 3

Time: 8:45am

Where: SVdP Parish Hall Topic: Sessions 3 & 4:
The Annunciation and

The Nativity

Masks must be worn

No cost to attend these sessions

For information, contact:

Kevin Moss at Moss.Kevin.J@gmail.com



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In today's Gospel Jesus challenges us to "stay awake" by taking time to seriously look at ourselves, the priorities of our lives, and how we are growing spiritually.

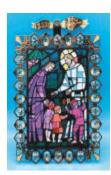
Ask yourself "What would Jesus Christ do?" and then make your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul so that those who are suffering will be able to celebrate Thanksgiving.

For our home visit supplies, we need cleaning products. Please place your donations in our gray bin in the church lobby. For more information about our ministry, contact

Eileen Steed, 630-699-7215 or at eileensteed@sbcglobal.net.

26th Annual Rolan Johnson Christmas Ornament The Sisters of St. Francis of the Immaculate Conception "Jesus Blesses the Children."

PLEASE PRINT or USE ADDRESS LABEL \$35,00(4\$5 shipping) SEND MY ORNAMENT(S) TO: NAME ADDRESS CITY ______STATE __ ZIP____ PHONE ______EMAIL_ Mail with check payable to: Heading Avenue Franciscans, 2408 W. Heading Ave, West Peoria, IL 61604 Older ornaments available at the Motherhouse, through our brochure or online at westpeorlasisters.org



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Kay's Hallmark – Metro Center

Lagron Miller Co. - Peoria

All ornaments may be viewed online at www.westpeoriasisters.org

Development Office – 309-674-2005/email:

<u>development@westpeoriasisters.org</u>

Proceeds benefit the Sisters' Retirement Fund.

2020 ST. VINCENT DE PAUL THANKSGIVING TURKEY SALE



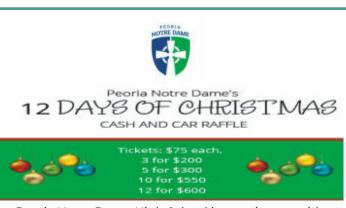
Delicious, locally raised turkeys from famous Yordy's Turkey Farm of Morton, Illinois are available for purchase for \$50.00. This price is significantly less expensive than store bought Yordy's turkeys. Last year's sale was again a great success with over 100 turkeys sold and proceeds benefiting the school and parish!

To order your turkey, complete and return the detached order form below with payment to the school or parish office. Please note that all orders and payments must be received no later than November 13, 2020.

Men's Club members will have your frozen turkey available for pickup at the parish hall on Saturday, November 21st from 2:00 - 4:00 P.M. Turkey sizes will range (approximately) from 18-22 lbs. and will be available on a first come – first serve basis at pickup.

Questions?? Email us at sydpmensclub@gmail.com or contact Matt Ringenberg at 309-258-1378.

Make Checks out to St. Vincent de Paul Men's Club		
Name:		
Email:		
Telephone:		
Number of Turkeys:	Amount enclosed:	



Peoria Notre Dame High School is teaming up with O'Brien Toyota of Peoria for the 3rd annual 12 Days of Christmas Cash and Car Raffle! Cash prizes will be drawn daily, beginning Monday, December 7 through Thursday, December 17. The Grand Prize of a 2021 Toyota RAV4 (MSRP \$29,909) will be drawn at 12:00 pm on Friday, December 18. Tickets may be purchased online at PeoriaNotreDame.com/12days or from a staff member or PND student.



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Building Hope in Kids - Uganda ... What have we been up to in 2020?

(Thank you, Fr. Steve, for allowing us to share this with the St. Vincent dePaul congregation!)

What began as Fr. Julius's dream to build a boarding school in his native land has not only become a reality, but has grown way beyond what he could have imagined! In November, 2019, St. Patrick Nursery & Primary Boarding School in Uganda celebrated the completion of its first year in operation – thanks to the generous support of many of you. So, now you may be asking...

What has happened at the school in 2020?

The second year of school operations began Feb. 3, 2020 with 513 students. 158 of them were able to attend thanks to sponsorships by generous donors in the USA. However, due to the global Covid-19 pandemic, the Uganda government closed all schools and most of the country in March. Despite that, construction at the school campus continued: the Teachers Quarters, with apartments for 15 teachers, has been completed, and a security wall is now being



constructed around the campus. In late September, the Uganda President announced that schools could reopen on October 15th— but only for students in the final years of primary and secondary schools, in order to prepare for their National Advancement Tests. So all 25 students in Primary 7, along with their teachers and support staff, are now on campus – and working harder than ever!

What's to come in 2021?

We hope to begin classes for all grades, pre-school through Primary 7, at the start of the next Uganda school year, in February, 2021, subject to the Uganda government's decision. As funds are raised, we'll begin the design and construction of a Chapel. (The student body has grown so much, there's not really enough room for the entire school to celebrate Mass in the Dining/Multi-Purpose Hall.)

Can you help us in our mission?

Fr. Julius knows the way to end the cycle of generational poverty in Uganda is by providing the best education to as many children as possible - - especially those whose families can't afford a very good, private school.

To help Fr. Julius make his dream a reality, Building Hope in Kids – Uganda was incorporated in 2017 as a 501(c)(3) to build and support a premium-quality boarding primary school. Our Board of Directors works extremely hard to be excellent stewards of all donations, and Fr. Julius is a master at making sure every dollar counts. Since 2017, the land has been cleared and six buildings have gone up: the classroom block, a dining/multi-purpose hall, administration offices, two dormitories for 300 students each, and housing for 25 teachers and staff. The cost so far? Less than \$1.5 million! After the security wall is completed, the chapel is our most pressing need. A separate nursery school building will eventually complete the campus.

You can help us in our mission with prayer, donations to our capital fund, and sponsorships for students. Links for donating and signing up for future sponsorships are on our website, buildinghopeinkids.org. Checks can be mailed to BHIK-U, PO Box 612, Washington, IL 61571. Your donations are eligible for matching gifts from a number of area employers, including Caterpillar and State Farm. You may contact Board President John Grillot for help applying for employers' matching gifts: grilljw@gmail.com, 309-696-4846.

Thank you for your support!

~ Fr. Julius Turyatoranwa, PhD.

May God grant you His choicest blessings!

and the rest of the Building Hope in Kids - Uganda Board

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Mass Schedule

Weekend Masses Sunday: Weekday Masse

Saturday: 4:30 pm 7:30, 9:00, & 11:00 am Monday-Friday: 7:45 am Saturday: 7:45 am (No 6:15 am)

School Mass: 9:15 am Mass (as scheduled-

Vigil: 5:30 pm Holy Days of Obligation

Holy Day: 6:15, 7:45 am, 5:30 pm

(Consult the bulletin for the specific Holy Day and

Mass schedule).

Anointing of the Sick

Call the Parish Office anytime, day or night.

Religious Education Classes

6:00 - 7:15 pm on Wednesdays during

the school year.

Devotions/Prayers

Adoration

8:15 am on Tuesday, ending with Benediction

7:10 am Monday thru Saturday Rosarv Rosary 1:50 pm on the 1st Tues, of the month

when school is in session

Divine Mercy Chaplet 8:15 am Mon., Wed., Thurs., and Fri.

Tues. Morning Prayer Group 8:15 am on Tuesdays

Sacrament of Baptism

Celebration of the Sacrament takes place after the 11 am Mass on the second and fourth Sunday of each month. Baptismal class for parents and godparents will be held on the fourth Tuesday evening of each odd-numbered month from 6:30 - 7:30 pm in the church. Please call the Parish Office to register before attending class.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Couples intending marriage should call the Parish Office to begin their Marriage Preparations at least eight months preceding their intended marriage. Wedding Coordinator, Sarah Hogan. Please call Sarah at 863-4791.

Sacrament of Penance

Saturday 3:00-4:00 pm, anytime by appointment (691-3602).





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