



St. Vincent de Paul School

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January 15, 2026

First Week of Ordinary Time

What's happening?

January 16

Martin Luther King, Jr. Assembly

January 19

No School
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

January 21

Mass, 9am
Full Dress Uniform

January 22

Parent Association Meeting, 7pm
Social Time, 6:30

January 25-31

Catholic Schools Week

January 25

Open House, 10-11am

January 26

Parent Appreciation Day

January 27

Parish Appreciation Day
Open House 7-8pm

January 28

Community Appreciation Day
Visitor Lunch
Please see lunch schedule and
information on page 2.

Dear Families,

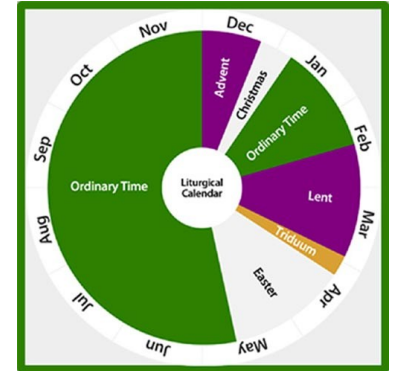
I hope you have been following the updates for Partners in the Gospel in our Archdiocese over the past two years. This past weekend, Fr. Dion released our parish family update. It contains a glimpse of the information that the Parish Family Advisory Council has gathered in recent months: metrics of viability, demographics, and our parish gifts.

This month the Parish Family Advisory Council is conducting listening sessions to see what obstacles and challenges our parish family faces today.

Members of the Parish Family Advisory Council will be attending the Parents Association Meeting next week seeking our feedback as a school community. In our parish family update, Fr. Dion said, "If you want to help us identify the hurdles we face: if you want to ensure we understand the reality of our community, if you want to help navigate the journey ahead, please make an effort to attend one of the listening sessions." If you are unable to attend the Parent Meeting, there are listening sessions scheduled at St. Theresa's and St. Vincent's.

Catholic Schools Week (CSW), January 25-31, 2026

- We will be having an Open House on Sunday, January 25, 10-11am and Tuesday, January 27, 7-8pm. If you have friends or family who are interested in our school, please let them know the Open House dates.
- Parents, you are our best St. Vincent School ambassadors. We are sending home our Open House post cards today. If you sign the back of the card and a prospective family gives it to me at the Open House, I will send you a thank you Starbucks gift card.
- We need 2-3 parents to help decorate the lunch room for the Visitor Lunch on Wednesday, January 28. If you can help with this from 8:30-10:30, please contact me.



Catholic Schools
United in Faith and Community

Research for Possible New Play Equipment

I would like one or two people who could research some new play equipment and installation costs. If this something you are interested in doing, please email me.

Knights of Columbus Respect for Life Poster Contest

The Knights of Columbus are hosting the Respect for Life Poster Contest for students in grades 1-6 this year. Directions and poster paper for the posters are going home today. Posters are due January 30th.

Welcome, Deacon Simon! We are glad to have you here and we are praying for you. Please pray for vocations. Pray that those called to the priesthood, married life, religious life, or single life listen to God's call within their heart.

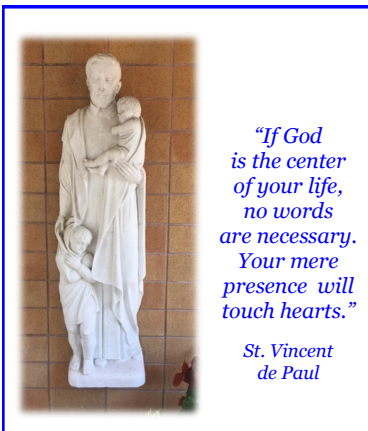
If you have attended **daily mass** in the past week, you will have noticed a few changes in the music and the addition of the St. Michael prayer. Information that Fr. John Paul shared with us regarding these changes is in the envelope today.

St. Vincent de Paul, pray for us.

With my love and prayers,

(see page 2)

Wanda



*"If God
is the center
of your life,
no words
are necessary.
Your mere
presence will
touch hearts."*

*St. Vincent
de Paul*

Chinese New Year

The Chinese New Year is approaching! We hope that our Asian families will help us celebrate this holiday. If you are interested in doing this, please contact Mrs. Day at triggioday@stvs.us or call her in the office.

Siblings for 26-67

Please check our list of siblings for 26-27. If your child will not be attending next year or if we are missing your child's name, please let us know as soon as possible.

Siblings List for 2026-27

PreSchool

Lewis Goodson
Alanc Fouty
Aria Nguyen
Ella Lujan
Maximo Domingues Govea
George Lewkowitz
Jordan Lee
Liam Ardon
Leul Yared

Grade 2

Samuel Birhan
Brylee Butler

Grade 3

Melona Andenet

Grade 6

Jayden Andenet

PreK

Kash Robillard
Chloe Villena

Kindergarten

Isla Ryu
Oscar Bermudez
Claire Hardiman
Gavin Lewkowitz

Catholic Schools Week Special Events Schedule!

We will be updating the schedule!



- **Saturday and Sunday, January 25**
Sunday, January 26th, Open House, 10-11am
- **Monday, January 26th**
Parent Appreciation Day
- **Tuesday, January 27th**
Parish Appreciation Day
Open House, 7-8 pm
- **Wednesday, January 28th**
Community Appreciation Day
Mass, 9am
**Visitor Lunch
11:30 Students with last names A-G
12:00 Students with last names H-N
12:30 Students with last names O-Z
No Ordo hot lunch.
- **Thursday, January 29th**
Student Appreciation Day
Kraken visit!
Tailgate Lunch—We will provide hot dogs, chips, and cookie for lunch. No Ordo hot lunch.
- **Friday, January 30th**
School Appreciation Day

**Note on Visitor Lunch-

During the Visitor Lunch, each student eats lunch at the time listed depending on the first letter of his/her last name. Each student may invite a guest for lunch. The visitor may bring lunch for the student or the student may bring lunch for the visitor. No Ordo hot lunch