



# St. Vincent de Paul School

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## What's happening?

**September 27**  
**Feast of St. Vincent de Paul**  
Mass, 9am  
Full Dress Uniforms

**October 3**  
School Commission, 7pm

**October 4**  
Mass, 9am  
Full Dress Uniforms

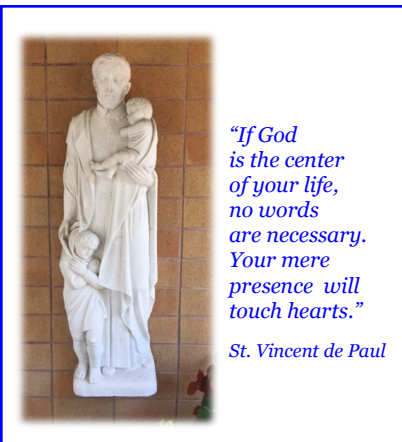
**October 7**  
Rosary, 2:15pm

**October 8**  
Meeting for Parents of 8th Graders,  
7pm  
We will review the high school  
application process.

**October 10**  
Circle of Grace Classes, grades K-8

**October 11**  
Mass, 9am  
Full Dress Uniforms

**October 12**  
Painting crew is working!



September 26, 2024

Dear Families,

Tomorrow is the Feast of St. Vincent de Paul. Vincent had a big heart filled with dreams and wishes. His greatest dream to become successful and famous did not turn out the way he planned. Wonderful things began to happen when he opened his heart to God. God filled Vincent's heart with a great love called "charity." Vincent began to really live these words of Jesus: "Whatever you do to others you do to me!" Our patron saint, St. Vincent, is a great model of charity for us. My favorite St. Vincent quote is the one I keep in the lower left corner of this note.

*25th Week in Ordinary Time*



The theme for the Principals Retreat last week was *To Lead as Jesus Did*. We reflected on how Jesus focused on the potential of others, how he was humble and vulnerable, and how he accompanied others, and how Jesus empowered others. I will be sharing this information with our faculty and staff at our CIC Retreat on November 8th.

### Volunteers Needed

We are interested in having a few volunteers in the office during the day to answer the phones and assist with projects. We could use volunteers from 8:15-9:15 and from 11:30-1. If you are available, please let me know.

### Charleston Wrap Fundraising Sale

This fundraiser begins October 3rd. The information will be sent home next week in the envelope.

### Circle of Grace Classes

Students in grades K-8 will be participating in the annual Circle of Grace classes on October 10th. This is the required Archdiocesan Safe Environment training for children.

### Carpool Time

Parents, you are doing a great job during morning carpool time. Pulling up to the crosswalk in the morning allows one or two more cars in the driveway each time the line moves. Pulling up as far as you can before stopping also allows more cars to pull into the driveway. Thank you for your careful driving during carpool.

St. Vincent de Paul, pray for us.

With my love and prayers,

*Wanda*