## THIS WEEK AT ST. VINCENT

Sunday, September 11, 2016 Twenty-Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time

#### PARISH PICNIC: HOW YOU CAN HELP

For our St. Vincent Feast Day Picnic on Sept. 25: **Bring a drink**. After 9:30 Mass, Cathy Bunting will signup people to bring drinks/ice; work at beverage table. **Bring a side dish**. Volunteers needed to bring the sides in pans provided (like our Easter breakfast). Contact Mary Kate Fries <a href="mailto:awarenessworks@yahoo.com">awarenessworks@yahoo.com</a> or sign up in the Gathering Space after 9:30 Mass.

**Be on the clean-up crew.** Volunteers are needed to pick up trash during and/or after the event. Contact Peggy Meyer <a href="mailto:pa.meyer@comcast.net">pa.meyer@comcast.net</a>.

**Set up and break down tables and chairs.** Join Facilities Committee in setting up for the picnic. Contact <a href="mailto:facilities@stvchurch.org">facilities@stvchurch.org</a> if you can help.

#### COMING UP AT ST. V

Monday, Sept. 12 – First Bible Study Session 7 PM in the classroom - Contact: Don Radke,

donravenfan@comcast.net

**Saturday, Sept. 17 – Annual Parish Canoe Trip** Info/directions: 410-598-9885 - *See flyer in Gathering Space*.

Saturday, Sept. 17 – Science/Faith Book Discussion
1 PM in the classrooms

**Saturday, Sept. 24 – A Day of Service** See our Monthly Bulletin for details.

**Sunday, Sept. 25** – *Feast of St. Vincent* Single Mass at 10 AM and then a picnic

Saturday, Oct. 1 - Fall Cemetery Clean-Up

The Friends of St. Vincent Cemetery hosts this event from 9 AM to 1 PM at our cemetery in Clifton Park (2401 N. Rose Street, 21213) . *See flyer in Gathering Space for details.* 

**NEED MORE INFO?** Call the parish office at **410-962-5078**, or go to our website at **stvchurch.org**. See our monthly bulletin for staff and committee contacts. Also find us on Facebook at **facebook.com/stvchurch** and Twitter **@stvchurchbalt**. To submit an item to the weekly bulletin, send it to **bulletin@stvchurch.org** by Wednesday at 10 PM.

**CATECHETICAL SUNDAY** is this weekend! At our 9:30 Mass, we honor and commission with a special blessing all our catechists. Catechists are those people who share their faith with others (both children and adults) in our various educational ministries.

**FAITH FUN FELLOWSHIP** – First class is today! Next one (Sept. 25) is on our Feast Day Celebration. There will be a special program about St. Vincent de Paul and a visit from Port Discovery's educators!

### **CONGRATULATIONS AVERY MARIE GIBSON!**

Avery, the daughter of Chelsea and Jason Gibson, is being baptized today at the 9:30 Mass.

**CONSTRUCTION NOTES:** No, we are not creating a balcony skylight! The hole in the ceiling, which requires half the balcony be closed, was due to a mishap by a contractor installing insulation. The contractor has assumed responsibility for fixing the ceiling. The insulation installation is at no cost to St. V because it is part of a grant for energy efficiency improvements from the Maryland Energy Administration. Work on the restoration of the front façade's masonry and woodwork is nearly complete; however we are still awaiting the reinstallation of the refurbished stained glass and its new protective glass covering.

**DINNER FOR 8 -** Get to know your fellow parishioners in this program that goes from mid-September through February. After the sign-up period, which *ends Wednesday, Sept. 14*, groups of about 8 are arranged. Each group decides independently how often, where, when, to meet and who brings what. Usually the meals are pitch-ins. Sign up in the Gathering Space after 9:30 Mass or email Rita & Denny McMullin at grammymcmullin@gmail.com.

**NO NURSERY** service for the time being as both our nursery workers have left. If you are a parent who has used the nursery, we want to hear from you as we evaluate this service. Contact Colleen McCahill at cmccahill@stvchurch.org.

#### INTERESTED IN BECOMING A CATHOLIC . . .

or being baptized or? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) program can help. For more info contact Anne Maura English, <a href="mailto:eam.english@earthlink.net">eam.english@earthlink.net</a>.

## **MUSIC FOR 9:30 AND 11:45 MASS**

Opening: We Cannot Measure How You Heal (Vs 2-3)	Gather #401	
Gloria:		
<b>Psalm:</b> Psalm 51: I will Arise and go to my God (Ref 2)	Gather #54	
Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia	Mass of Wisdom	
Preparation: There is a Balm in Gilead	Gather #460	
Acclamations:		
Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true;		
with thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for you.		
Communion: The Love of the Lord	Gather #504	
Post-Communion: Hosea	Gather #282	
Recessional: Sing of the Lord's Goodness	Gather #373	
Gather - Blue Worship - Red		

# SCRIPTURE READINGS: TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

**Today:** Exodus 32:7-14; 1 Timothy 1:12-17; Luke 15:1-32 Next Sunday: Amos 8:4-7; I Timothy 2:1-8; Luke 16:1-13

#### MASS MINISTRIES

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7:15 Lectors: Eve Prietz	9/17: Peggy Shouse	
7:15 Eucharistic Minister: Frances Winder	9/17: Eve Prietz	
Lectors: Kevin Hemker, Ruth Huggins	9/18: Maria Oliva-Hemker, Skylar Kelley	
Liturgy Planner: Anne Gibson	9/18: Cathy Bunting	
Eucharistic Ministers: Phil, Liz, Lou, Kathy, Mary Jo, Al, Marianne,	9/18: Kevin D., Diaedre, Rita, Denny, Val, Paul,	
Colleen, Jim	Tom, Andrea, Charles	
Altar Dressers: TBA	9/18: Mary Jane Daley, Jerry Pech	
Liturgy of the Word: TBA	9/18: TBA	
Cup Washers: Mary and Joe Strassner	<b>9/18</b> : Ed Guy	
Set-up/Clean-up: L. Gregg, C. Bunting/C. Bunting, M. Packard	9/18: R. and M. Savage/M. Brighoff, F. Jorgensen,	
	M. K. Hirshfeld	
Food: Flynn	9/18: Jacko, Savage, Aquino	

### **EVENTS THIS WEEK**

Day	Date	Time	Event	Location
Sunday	Sept 11	9:30 AM	Catechetical Sunday	Church
		After 9:30 Mass	Faith, Fun, Fellowship	Various Locations
		4 PM	AA Meeting	Undercroft
Monday	Sept 12	7 PM	Bible Study Group	Classroom
Tuesday	Sept 13	7:30 PM	Parish Council Meeting	Dining Room
Wednesday	Sept 14			
Thursday	Sept 15	7 PM	Education/Enrichment Committee	Classroom
Friday	Sept 16-18		Education/Enrichment Weekend	Cape May
	Sept 16	5 – 6:30 PM	Breaking Bread With the Hungry	Undercroft
Saturday	Sept 17	10 AM	Canoe Trip	See Flyer in Gathering Space
		1 PM	Faith/Science Book Discussion	Classroom
		7 PM	AA Meeting	Undercroft
Sunday	Sept 18	4 PM	AA Meeting	Undercroft

**LAST WEEK'S STEWARDSHIP:** Attendance, 211; Offertory, \$6,912.50