THIS WEEK AT ST. VINCENT

Sunday, January 29, 2017 Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

THANK YOU TO OUR CELEBRANTS:

7:15 PM - Fr. Steve Spahn, SJ, a native of Denver, CO, joined St. Ignatius as associate pastor in October 2014.
9:30 & 11:45AM - Fr. Bob Hamm, SJ, went to Nigeria in 1988 and served in Africa for 25 years. He has given retreats and trainings in spirituality in Kenya, Australia, Canada, and the United States. Fr. Hamm currently resides in the Columbiere Jesuit Community in Baltimore.

FIRST COMMUNION PARENT MEETING

Parents whose children will be receiving first Eucharist this spring will meet **TODAY**, after 9:30 Mass in the classroom.

HELP CHANGE LIVES! The Resource Exchange (TRE) is a St. V ministry that furnishes apartments of those once homeless, using donated goods and volunteers. TRE needs help. We have professional movers so you won't have to do the heavy lifting. If you have a flexible schedule, are available on Thursdays and would like to help, contact Peggy Meyer at <u>pa.meyer@comcast.net.</u>

PRAYER WALK FOR PEACE — Bishop Madden hosts this event in which walkers pray at specific sites where there has been violence. They pray for all those who have been affected by violence and for a change of heart in those given to violence. The next one is **Tuesday, Feb. 14** at St. Edward Parish (901 Popular Grove St.). A light meal at 5:30 PM starts the evening, which ends by 7:30 PM.

SOCIAL JUSTICE CORNER

Affordable Care Act: House Speaker Paul Ryan was conducting a phone poll, hoping to hear opposition to the ACA. However the line is no longer working. To make your voice heard, mail him a letter at 1233 Longworth HOB, Washington, DC 20515. Immigration: See an extensive list of ideas on how to protect and defend immigrants in Sojourners' "Matthew 25 Immigration Toolkit" at goo.gl/NVavqw

These are actions we can take to support Catholic social justice teaching, as a community or individually. Help us stay informed and active by sending your ideas to <u>social-action@stvchurch.org</u>.

FILM SCREENING & DISCUSSION - Join us for Cracking the Codes: The System of Racial Inequity on Wednesday, Feb. 15 in the classroom. Using personal accounts from leaders in the equity movement, this film illuminates a system that perpetuates structural inequity. St. V will host a potluck (bring soup, salad, bread, or drink) at 6 PM, followed by the film and discussion, starting at 7 PM. Questions? Contact Rita McMullin at grammymcmullin@gmail.com or Mary Catherine Bunting at mcb5883@comcast.net.

PLEASE PRAY FOR Gloria Cerino Gruss, who died Jan. 19. Gloria, the mother of Janine Seadler, was active at St V for many years and was one of the first volunteers for the food pantry in 1974. A memorial service will be held **Sunday, Feb. 5 at 1 PM** at Marikle Chapel at Notre Dame (4701 N Charles St., Baltimore, MD 21212). Janine's address: 4104 Conowingo Rd #1, Darlington, MD 21034.

ST. V PASTORS' EXHIBIT - The displays about each of our pastors, created by the Education and Enrichment Committee for our 175th anniversary, are back! Each week we will showcase two of the pastors in our Gathering Space. This week we have pastors number three and four: One was an eccentric who lasted less than a year before being transferred. The other had a much more lasting impact. He established several new ministries to the poor including a girls' school.

ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL is next weekend. You will find Appeal envelopes in pews. Or, you may have already received one in the mail. Please fill it out and donate what you can. Fr. Lawrence has always encouraged the wide participation in the Annual Appeal by this parish. All the money that the parish receives back from the Archdiocese from the Appeal goes to Sts. James and John School.

MORE INFO: For questions about any of our events or ministries, 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** for parish news updates, photos and interesting info and news about Catholicism and social justice issues. To submit an item to the weekly bulletin, send it to **bulletin@stvchurch.org** by Wednesday, at 10 PM.

MUSIC FOR 9:30 AND 11:45 MASS

Opening : Let Justice Roll Like a River (Verse 5)	Gather #516	
Psalm: Psalm 146: Happy the Poor in Spirit	Gather #123	
Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia		
Preparation: Be Not Afraid (Verse 3)	Gather #430	
Acclamations: This is the body of Christ, broken that we may be	Mass of New Beginnings	
whole. This cup as promised by God, true to God's word, cradles		
the Lord. Food for the good of the soul.		
Communion: The Servant Song	Gather #476	
Post-Communion:		
Recessional: Canticle of the Turning	Gather #376	
Gather - Blue Worship - Red		

SCRIPTURE READINGS: FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Today: Zephaniah 2:3, 3:12-12; 1 Corinthians 1:26-31; Matthew 5:1-12
Next Sunday: Isaiah 58:6-11; I Corinthians 2:1-5; Matthew 5:13-16

MASS MINISTRIES

7:15 Lectors: Kevin Daly	2/4: Eve Prietz		
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Lectors: Mike Kelly, Jim Lochner	2/5: Vincent Masi, Mary Lynn Myers		
Liturgy Planner: Ray Heil	2/5: Brenda Smith		
charistic Ministers: Jay, Roxie, Mary Jo, Janice, Lauren, 2/5: Bob R., Mary Lynn, Al, Mariann			
Lou, Ruth, Pat B.	Willie, Kathy B., Colleen		
Altar Dressers: Joan Fulton, Mary Lynn Myers	2/5: Saccenti Family		
Liturgy of the Word:	2/5: J. Brown, M. Narvaez, No Middle School		
Cup Washers: Yingling Family	2/5: Lauren		
Set-up/Clean-up: M. Shea, K. McKnight & family/M.Weiss	2/5: Audrey and John Rogers		
and family, J. Smith-Robinson			
Food: Meier, Asquino	2/5: Bonner, McMullin		

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Day	Date	Time	Event	Location
Sunday	Jan 29	4 PM	AA Meeting	Undercroft
Monday	Jan 30	12:30 PM	Food Bags Given	Breezeway
Tuesday	Jan 31			
Wednesday	Feb 1			
Thursday	Feb 2			
Friday	Feb 3	5 – 6:30 PM	Breaking Bread With the Hungry	Undercroft
Saturday	Feb 4	7 PM	AA Meeting	Undercroft
Sunday	Feb 5	4 PM	AA Meeting	Undercroft

Stewardship Last Week: Attendance: 239; Offertory: \$4,150.05

ONLINE GIVING: Parishioners can set up St. Vincent de Paul Church as a payee in their bank's online bill pay system. St. V can also set up direct debits (EFT) from checking or savings. For more info, contact Laureen Brunelli at <u>laureen@stvchurch.org</u>.