March 30, 2020 – Note from Fr. Brendan McCarrick, S.A.C., Parish Administrator

Dear members of St. Vincent Pallotti Parish,

We are entering uncharted waters with Governor Whitmer’s Executive Order #2020-21, issued on March 23, 2020 and President Trump’s approval of Governor Whitmer’s request for a Major Disaster declaration in Michigan. This morning we have the additional news from President Trump that we may have to extend our “Stay Home – Stay Safe” program until April 30th. As a parish community we must abide by our State rules, and as dates officially change we must comply with them.

The purpose of “Stay Home – Stay Safe” is to prevent the state’s health care system from being overwhelmed, and to avoid needless deaths. It is necessary that our Parish and members follow all the Governor’s directions to remain at home or in our places of residence, to the maximum extent feasible, until further notice.

The current “Stay Home – Stay Safe” timeframe encompasses Palm Sunday, Holy Week and Easter Sunday. As your Parish Administrator, I will continue to offer daily masses (in my own house) and take guidance from the Archdiocese of Detroit and the State Governor as to when we can next have community sacramental celebrations together. I intend to livestream the Triduum Celebrations (Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Holy Saturday) as well as 9am Mass Easter Sunday Morning Mass from St Joseph Church.

During the “Stay Home – Stay Safe” period, our parish offices will remain closed, and our wonderful staff will continue working from their homes to keep you updated, to process on-line donations and keep our Parish app, Facebook, our weekly Parish Bulletin and website updated. Our staff will continue to be available to you electronically (e-mail) and will return phone messages as soon as practical. Our Bulletin production company are unable to make print copies available at this time. Please print and share a copy of the Parish Bulletin with whom whom you know who may not have access to it online.

Many members are worried about the upcoming Spring Fling Festival. The good news is thanks to Wyandotte Yack Arena, we have been allowed to reschedule our festival to June 26 / 27. Please note that ALL TICKETS remain valid for the new dates. Please God all restrictions will be lifted and we will celebrate together the end of COVID-19.

I pray the Lord protects you and your family at this time, and I look forward to seeing you personally once this pandemic has safely passed.

Fr Brendan
To place an article in the bulletin, please e-mail to bulletineditor@wyan.org by Friday.

Reconciliation: Saturday at 3:00 p.m. in St Joseph Church or anytime upon request.

Mass Intentions
Saturday, April 4- Lenten Weekday Saint Isidore Bishop and Doctor of the church
4:00pm+William &+Edna Kreger +Peggy Kreger +Sam &+Vincenza (Fr Brendan) Bartalotta +Faro &+Rose Vitale +Vince &+Theresa Hobel +Len &+Pat Zaleski +Marie Montie +Regina Savicki, 40th Ann.

Sunday, April 5- (Fr Brendan)
Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord
8:00am +Gaelen Martin, 5th Ann +Nof & +Grace Alfano
11:30am +Joe Taormina and son,+Pete +John +Eileen & +Alice McMahon (Fr Brendan) +Joseph Grande

Tuesday, April 7- (Fr Brendan)
Tuesday of Holy Week
12:00pm+Fr Noel O’Connor

Thursday, April 9-(Fr Brendan)
Thursday of Holy Week (Holy Thursday)
7:00pm All victims of the Coronavirus –Live-streamed service

Friday, April 10- (Fr Brendan)
Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Good Friday)
12:00-3:00pm Live-stream services

Saturday, April 11 - (Fr Brendan)
Holy Saturday– Live-streamed service
4:00pm+William &+Edna Kreger +Peggy Kreger +Margaret Sieg by Carol
Al Krzyzton +Jerry Bendik +Stanley &+Cecelia Kendzierski by
by family

Sunday, April 12-(Fr Brendan)
Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord
8:00am+Gaelen Martin by Judy Hobel +Eleanor Maharas, 23rd Ann
+Mick Clark, 9th Ann +Albert &+Delphine Milewski by family
+Marie Montie by Cheryl & Greg Campbell
11:30am +Joanne DiMaggio by Anne +Fr Michael Cremin by T. Hobel (Fr Brendan) +James &+Mary Henderson +Kathleen McDonald, 2nd Ann
+Pasqualina Morelli by Dora Centofonti

ALL PUBLIC MASSES HAVE BEEN SUSPENDED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE. FR BRENDAN WILL BE CELEBRATING MASSES WITH THESE SCHEDULED INTENTIONS EVERY DAY.

The Sanctuary Light at St Patrick Church is lit for the month of April for:
Stanley Weber
May he eternally Rest In Peace

Live Streamed Masses
Weekend Masses: Saturday evening 4:00 p.m.
Sunday morning at 8:30 a.m.

Daily Mass: Monday through Friday: 8:30 a.m.
Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

April 5—Palm Sunday

Today is Palm Sunday and the beginning of the holiest of Christian weeks. Let us pray for the grace to take up our own cross and to follow Jesus through death to new life.

Please support the Poor and Needy which in turn supports St Vincent de Paul so that together we can help the poor as they carry their cross of suffering and pain.

Psalm 91

You who dwell in the shelter of the Most High, who abide in the shade of the Almighty, Say to the LORD, “My refuge and fortress, my God in whom I trust.”

He will rescue you from the fowler’s snare, from the destroying plague,

He will shelter you with his pinions, and under his wings you may take refuge; his faithfulness is a protecting shield.

You shall not fear the terror of the night nor the arrow that flies by day,

Nor the pestilence that roams in darkness, nor the plague that ravages at noon.

Though a thousand fall at your side, ten thousand at your right hand, near you it shall not come.

You need simply watch; the punishment of the wicked you will see.

Because you have the LORD for your refuge and have made the Most High your stronghold,

No evil shall befall you, no affliction come near your tent.

For he commands his angels with regard to you, to guard you wherever you go.

With their hands they shall support you, lest you strike your foot against a stone.

You can tread upon the asp and the viper, trample the lion and the dragon.

Because he clings to me I will deliver him; because he knows my name I will set him on high.

He will call upon me and I will answer; I will be with him in distress; I will deliver him and give him honor.

With length of days I will satisfy him, and fill him with my saving power.

FOOD PANTRY ITEM REQUESTS

Scalloped & Au Gratin Potatoes
Hamburger Helper & Canned Pasta
(Spaghettio’s and Ravioli, etc)
Place items in white box in vestibule @
St Joseph & in the barrel in the foyer @ St Patrick

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK

LOCKEMAN’S HARDWARE & BOATS

During this stressful pandemic, keep Psalm 91 near and read it as often as needed.

My God in whom I trust...

Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things in my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart, I embrace you as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you. Amen.

Make Easter Donations Easy by Giving with Your Smartphone!

You can support the parish from anywhere at any time, including Easter, even if you forget to bring cash or your checkbook. Simply use the GivePlus Mobile app to give with your smartphone.

~Download the FREE app on your smartphone
~Make one-time or recurring donations using your debit/credit card or checking/savings account
~Log in or donate as guest
~Securely and conveniently manage donations using Touch ID/Fingerprint, PIN or password

To give through the app, search your phone’s app store for “GivePlus Mobile” or contact the church office.

Don’t have a ‘smartphone?’ go to www.stvpp.org and click on “On-line Giving” on our website!

VANCO
Dear Jesus, Divine Physician and Healer of the sick, we turn to you in this time of illness. O dearest comforter of the troubled, alleviate our worry and sorrow with your gentle love, and grant us the grace and strength to accept this burden. Dear God, we place our worries in your hands. We place our sick under your care and humbly ask that you restore your servant to health again. Above all, grant us the grace to acknowledge your will and know that whatever you do, you do for the love of us. Amen.


Prayer of Pope Francis during the Coronavirus crisis

O Mary, you always shine on our path as a sign of salvation and of hope. We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick, who at the cross took part in Jesus’ pain, keeping your faith firm. You, Salvation of the Roman People, know what we need and we are sure you will provide so that, as in Cana of Galilee, we may return to joy and to feasting after this time of trial.

Help us, Mother of Divine Love, to conform to the will of the Father and to do as we are told by Jesus, who has taken upon himself our sufferings and carried our sorrows to lead us, through the cross, to the joy of the resurrection. Amen.

Under your protection, we seek refuge. Holy Mother of God. Do not disdain the entreaties of we who are in trial, but deliver us from every danger. O glorious and blessed Virgin.
Remember!
You can keep up to date on what’s happening in our parish concerning COVID-19 by visiting our parish website: www.stvpp.org
Feel free to call the parish office as well—please leave a message—all calls will be returned!
(734)285-9840 ext 100

March 30th, 2020

Responding to those who are Isolated

Dear Parishioners & Friends,

I hope you are keeping well as we face a time of understandable of worry and fear. Just a quick but important message to everyone.

As you know most people are in social isolation until April 30th in order to prevent contracting and passing on the Coronavirus. Our special concern as a Christian community needs to be those who are elderly or vulnerable. While it is true that most of the people in this category will have family and/or care-givers who will look in on them daily, we should not automatically presume that this is the case. There may be some who have no one to get them groceries, or simply to check in with them to see how they are coping. It is important that we identify people like this as quickly as possible.

The best thing we should do is to reach out be either phone or find some way of contacting them without violating social distance restrictions. If there are people genuinely in need St Vincent de Paul is willing to assist.

God bless you all,

Fr. Brendan McCarrick SAC

God gave you a gift of 86,400 seconds in a day. Have you used one to say Thank you!?
-William A. Ward

Are You A Chapel Adorer?

Please be advised that all adoration has been temporarily suspended as have all parish activities.

We continue to do our best to abide by the rules set in place from the Archdiocese of Detroit and the Governor of our State. We must do what we can to help STOP the spread of this dreaded novel Coronavirus.

As this bulletin goes to print, we are hoping to have Palms available on Palm Sunday but are unsure. Please stay tuned via my parishapp or our parish website for information on the availability of Palms.

All Parish Meetings Canceled

Please be advised that all parish events, meetings, etc are currently canceled and will be resumed once the ban has been lifted.

Fr Brendan will continue to offer emergency baptisms and anointing of the sick. (Last Rites)

Watch Fr Brendan live stream mass & stations of the cross on youtube:
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCrNV8j_W1sdKdCz7RE3v8RQ
OR
Visit youtube and search Fr Brendan McCarrick
OR
www.stvpp.org click on: watch our masses

To place an article in the bulletin (with a week’s notice) please e-mail to bulletineditor@wyan.org
First Reading
Acts of the Apostles 10:34a,37-43
Peter preaches about Jesus’ life, death, and resurrection.

Responsorial Psalm
Psalm 118:1-2,16-17,22-23
Rejoice in this day of the Lord.

Second Reading
Colossians 3:1-4 or 1 Corinthians 5:6b-8
Colossians: Having been raised by Christ, be concerned with what is above.
1 Corinthians: Let us celebrate this feast with new yeast.

Gospel Reading
John 20:1-9
Mary of Magdala finds that the stone has been removed from Jesus’ tomb.

Next Week’s Readings—April 12 2020
Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

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Religious Education News—Julie’s Jargon
During the state mandated shut down, I challenged our Religious Education Families to create a “sacred space” in their home and to send me a picture of it so it could be shared with the parish. Here are two recent photos that were sent in by our families.

Have you downloaded the Parish App?
This would be a great time for you to do so! Simply text “app” to 88202 to download the App, or go to your App store and search Parish App.

Once installed, search and select our parish, and access is complete. The Parish App will keep you immediately connected with our parish and update you with the latest news coming from the Archdiocese of Detroit, Fr. Brendan and the parish office! Also, view masses on Catholic TV Network, daily readings and the bulletin!

Law enforcement and the Red Cross have advised that there are people going door to door indicating that they are authorized to do home testing for Coronavirus. DO NOT LET THEM IN. CALL THE POLICE!

Holy Week Services
Due to the Coronavirus Pandemic, our Holy Week services will be held in private. All our celebrations will be LIVE streamed for you to watch and pray, and as a community of faith we will celebrate the great Triduum together. All liturgical celebrations will be available from your home on Fr. Brendan’s You Tube channel https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCrNV8j_Wl5dKdCz7RE3v8RQ You will be sent individual links to each service via myparishapp.com. Or you can go to our website, www.stvpp.org and click on “Watch Our Masses” on the menu bar.

Holy Thursday April 9
Mass of the Lords Supper – 7:00 pm

Good Friday April 10
Stations of the Cross – 12 noon
Solemn Liturgy – 3:00 pm

Holy Saturday April 11
Vigil Mass – 8:00 pm

Easter Sunday April 12
Mass – 9:00 am