



Our Vincentian Voice



The Newsletter for The Society of St. Vincent de Paul

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St. Vincent de Paul Connected Today, Tomorrow, Together

Inform, Inspire, Improve

Summer Programs at the O.M.C.

The SVdP Council Outreach Ministry Center strives to educate and inform our neighbors. This summer we expanded our Lifelong Learning Program to offer interesting classes every day, and participants receive a complimentary incentive upon completion. The goal is to Inform, Inspire and Improve people's lives! The schedule is below and the program is open to anyone. Blood Pressure Screening and a Recovery Support Group are offered daily. Please contact Pat Hogrebe if you would like additional information.

Mondays

Health/Wellness, Home Ec.

Tuesdays

Power On (budgeting), Family Matters
JobLink

Wednesdays

Power On, Grief Support Group, Tenant Rights/
Landlord Issues

Thursday

Finances, Computer Basics and Beyond

Friday

Being the Best U can B (Addressing Mental Health)
Cooking With Chef Terry

SAVE THE DATES

Belleville Diocesan Council Board Meeting

Every 4th Tuesday
at the Council Office, 8800 Main St. Belleville

Friends of the Poor Walk

Saturday, September 19
Our Lady of the Snows Shrine, 8 am Registration
Packets to be e-mailed to Conference Presidents

Summer Gathering

Feast of St. Vincent de Paul, Sunday, September 27

Liturgy 8:30 am at St. Nicholas, Breakfast following
More information will be emailed

Belleville Diocesan SVdP District Councils

District: South/West

RUTH MORTON DISTRICT COUNCIL PRESIDENT
St. James (Millstadt), Immaculate Conception (Columbia),
St. Elizabeth Ann Seton (Waterloo), Holy Family (Cahokia)

District: Belleville

ROSEMARY BUCHMILLER DISTRICT COUNCIL PRESIDENT
Blessed Sacrament (Belleville), Queen of Peace (Belleville),
Rosale Rendu (S. Works), St. Louise de Marillac (S. Works)

District: Central

DIANE CRAWFORD DISTRICT COUNCIL PRESIDENT
St. Mary (Belleville), Cathedral (Belleville), St. Luke (Belleville),
St. Teresa (Belleville), St. Henry's (Belleville)

District: EAST

JANEL HOUSLEY DISTRICT COUNCIL PRESIDENT
St. Joseph (Lebanon), Holy Childhood, (Mascoutah)
St. Boniface (Germantown), St. Bruno (Pinckneyville)

District: North

JOHN HANSLEY DISTRICT COUNCIL PRESIDENT
St. Clare/St. Nicholas/Corpus Christi (O'Fallon), St. Augustine of Hippo
(East St. Louis), Holy Rosary (Fairmont City), Holy Trinity/St. Stephen
(Fairview Heights, Caseyville)



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\$12,000! All For the Greater Glory of God!



The volunteers and members of the Rosalie Rendu Special Works Conference at the St. Vincent de Paul Outreach Ministry Center work tirelessly for the benefit of the SVdP Mission Thrift Store. Their commitment and dedication help the Store to assist our Neighbors-In-Need. Their annual "Rummage Sale" was held Father's Day weekend at St. Clare Catholic School gym in O'Fallon and netted more than \$12,000 for SVdP Ministries. A Special Thank You to St. Clare School and staff for their incredible hospitality!

