

ST. VINCENT de PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH WELCOMES YOU!
May 21, 2017 - Sixth Sunday of Easter

Pastoral Administrator: Father Ken Fortener, 104 Church St., New Hope, KY. 40052, 502-549-5559

Baptisms/Matrimony: Contact Father Ken (weddings call at least 6 months before the date)

Confessions: First Saturday/Sunday of the month

MASS SCHEDULES

St. Ann's	St. Vincent de Paul
Thursday morning – 8:30 am	Mon.Tues.Wed – 8:00 am
Friday morning - 8:30 am	Saturday evening – 4:00 pm
Sunday morning - 10:00 am	Sunday morning - 8:00 am
Confessions - 6:00 pm 4 th Thurs.	Confessions – 3:15 pm 1 st Sat. of the month

MASS INTENTIONS/LITURGICAL ROLES (May 22-28, 2017)

May 22 8:00 am People of the Parishes **May 23 8:00 am** People of the Parishes **May 24 8:00 am** Harold Newton

May 27 4:00 pm Margaret & Walter Morris, Owen Greenwell, Benji Benningfield, Diane Wheatley, Stevie Mattingly, & Lisa Caldwell (health); Charles W. Dant & Nancy Nally, Joe Brown & Buddy Taylor **May 28 (Ascension) 8:00 am** Tommy Brothers

Saturday Lector: volunteer

Eucharistic Ministers: Diane Gant, Jane Sims
Kathleen Burba

Sunday Lector: Norine Masterson

Mary Lee Bray, Anna Burd, Kevin Mattingly

COLLECTIONS

5/14/17: \$2670.00 collection; \$50.00-parish center; \$151.00-Shrine collection

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CONFESIONS: Father Ken hears confessions on the 1st Sunday of month or upon request: Just call and come over.

CHURCH CLEANER /SACRISTANS: Church cleaners for **MAY** are Shirley Hutchins, Pat Bartley, Ann Downs, Patty McCauley; Sacristans are Louise Donahue & Debbie Mattingly.

PARISH WEBSITE: Our parish website is www.stvincentdepaulnewhope.org.

ASCENSION: This Thursday is **NOT** the Ascension, since the Ascension has been transferred to the following Sunday.

PARISH COUNCIL: **There will be a Parish Council Meeting this Thursday at 6:30 pm in the meeting room.**

FUNERAL DINNERS: For some strange reason, on more than one occasion, I heard someone say that they did not know about the funeral dinner. I can understand it when the death happens after Sunday, and it wasn't in the bulletin, but the last funeral was announced at the Mass on Sunday and it was in the bulletin and on our web page. As a member of our Parish Community, it is everyone's responsibility when a death occurs to inquire if there will be a funeral dinner and then proceed accordingly, since burying the dead is a work of Mercy—is it not?

PARISH CENTER: Please, pray, reflect, and the offer your pledge for the Parish Center. We have new pledge cards and a fact sheet with pertinent up-to-date information regarding the new building.

ANNIVERSARY: Did you know that in 2020 Saint Vincent de Paul will be 200 years old as a Parish?

OUR LADY OF FATIMA: On the 13th of each month through October a Mass for Our Lady of Fatima can be celebrated. Our Lady of Fatima Centennial Celebrations *possibilities* are **Monday, June 13th** at Saint Vincent de Paul and **Thursday, July 13th** at Saint Ann.

ST. VINCENT CEMETERY GUIDELINES: Memorial Day weekend is coming up. As a reminder! **1)** Artificial flowers in saddles attached to the stone are permitted at any time. The use of wires or stakes to attach decorations is not permitted. Other decorations are discouraged and may be removed during mowing season. Containers of cut flowers that are part of the floral designs at the time of a funeral may be left on the grave for a few days. **2)** Shepherd's hooks are allowed, one per memorial. Hooks must be placed near the stone so they do not hinder mowing or digging of the grave. **3)** The American flag made of wood and cloth is permitted. It should be place within 6" of the memorial. Frayed flags should be removed. **4)** Votive candles and glass vases are not permitted. **5)** Plants, shrubs or mulch of any type are not permitted. **6)** Any item which detracts from the beauty of the cemetery or hinders mowing or digging a grave will be removed. **7)** Only grass may be planted the length and width of a grave. **8)** Any decorations not allowed by the SVDPC will be removed and discarded. **Please remove those items that do not fall under these guidelines.** Please help us keep our cemetery beautiful.

PLEASE PRAY: Please pray for our sick and shut-ins: Rose Lamkin, Martha Hutchins, Patsy Boone, Jaunita Mattingly, Kathleen Clark, Jake Wood (grandson of Andy & Barbara Sue Hall), Bobby Haydon, Agnes Williamson, Frank Masterson, Martha Bowling, Aline Thompson, Peggy Nalley, Scotty Norman, Jenny Leanhart, Lillian Ball, Laverne Masterson, Louise Morris, Lisa Hutchins Caldwell, Sharon Lanham, Mary Evelyn Mattingly, Mitch Rust, Nora (Bunch) Mattingly, Paul Vittitow, Nancy Newton, Flip Vittitow, Don Waymon, and the intentions in our book.