

Neighbors Helping Neighbors



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WAUKESHA COUNCIL

EXCITING NEWS!!! For one of us, anyway. It is with great anticipation that I (Bonnie) am announcing my upcoming retirement from SVdP. June 30 will be my last day in the Council office. It has been a challenging and exciting 10 years here. I've seen programs, stores and staff grow; worked through 3 remodels; 17 Ozanam Orientations; and phone calls too numerous to count. My favorites, of course, were from you Vincentians! I'm looking forward to having more time to give to my Conference at St. James Mukwonago, so you will still see me around at trainings, quarterly meetings, and assorted program meetings. Thank you all for keeping it so interesting for so long.

It is with great pleasure that we are sharing, for the second year in a row, St. Vincent de Paul Waukesha County has been named a **finalist for the Social Enterprise of the Year Award by the Milwaukee BizTimes!** [Read more here](#)

Just what all you Treasurers have been waiting for... **W-9 and 1099-MISC Training!** Our auditors from Wegner CPA's will be holding a webinar just for us on W-9's and 1099-MISC reporting. They will clarify the need for these forms, why and how they should be filled out, and explaining the process of filing the 1099-MISC with the IRS. All your questions will be answered by the experts.

This will take place on **Tuesday, June 9 at 10am**. Click [HERE](#) to register. With a webinar there is no limit but you will need the link to join. Mark it on your calendars now.

And speaking of W-9's, did you know the form has been revised? The latest version is dated 3-2024. Please do not continue to send forms older than that for landlords & vendors to fill out. Save this one for future use: [W-9](#)

STORES

Mattress and platform prices are changing. As prices continue to raise for everything, the Stores have held off as long as they could without passing along some increases. You'll find the revised Categories and Values Sheet **attached**. The mattress category (which includes platforms) is the only item effected by these changes. Make sure all members in your conference are made aware of these new prices. Friends will need to pay out of pocket if there is not enough funds in their Voucher to cover the cost. This is **Effective as of 6/01/26**.

RESOURCES

Webinar on Grants

Does your conference need more money? Who among us does not. Vincentians have expressed a desire to learn more about grants to support our Waukesha neighbors. CharityEZ is a free tool that helps find local foundation funding for needs

like food, housing, and eviction prevention in Waukesha County. Click [HERE](#) to read more about this free webinar on **Tuesday, May 19 at 10:00am**

Single mothers seem to be our most frequent Friends looking for help. Check out this [link](#) to the Wisconsin Dept. of Children and Families regarding their child care subsidy program.

Have you heard of **Friends with Food**? Located in Waukesha on Grandview Blvd, just north of Summit Ave. After registering, people needing food can visit up to once a week. Guests “shop” for food, similar to a grocery store experience, rather than receiving a pre-packaged box. They are asked to only take what they need and will use. See this [flyer](#) for more information.

SVDP NATIONAL AND NCR NEWS

The **North Central Region (NCR) Meeting** registration is now open. Held in Green Bay on July 9-11 at the Oneida Casino Hotel, the theme is "**Lead with Love... Serve with Humility.**" Follow this [LINK](#) to read about the workshops, keynote speakers, and events that it has to offer (like the tour of Lambeau Field). The hotel cut-off date is June 17 so don't wait too long.

PETITIONS

Rest in Peace
Mary Gedemer, long time member of St. James, Mukwonago

WHERE TO FIND GENERAL INFORMATION

Next Reminders - 7/01/26, 8/14/26, 10/01/26, 11/16/26

Council & Program Staff - Need to reach someone at the Council, Getting Ahead, Housing or Jail Ministry? Click above for the complete contact list.

Meal Program Schedule - SVdP Meal Program Volunteer Commitment:

- 8 conference members/volunteers arrive at 4:50
- 5 gallons of milk (2 white & 3 chocolate)
- 100 desserts of any type

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