

## Member Duties

- Members meet the third Saturday of every month at 8:30am for the business meeting
- Members meet with clients on a rotating schedule at the Parish office in the evenings
- Members help coordinate services and special projects
- Members offer clients and each other spiritual and emotional support in times of need



*The St. Vincent de Paul Society is a vibrant and essential part of the church community dedicated to helping the poor and enhancing the spirituality of its members.*

## St. Vincent de Paul Society Sacred Heart of Jesus Church

**Parish Office**  
260 Broad Street  
Wadsworth, Ohio 44281



Office Hours:  
Monday 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm  
Thursday 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm  
(except holidays)

***Supported by the Sacred Heart  
Community***

## The Organization

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is an international organization of Roman Catholic lay men and women of all ages, whose primary mission is to help the poor and less fortunate, which is a way of serving Christ. Through its daily commitment, the society of St. Vincent de Paul is a constant reminder to the church of its vocation to show Christ's preferential love for its poor.



Our parish mission -

“Leading women and men to grow spiritually by offering person-to-person service to the needy and suffering.”

## Services Offered



Emergency Food Pantry – Individuals in need come to our pantry and receive groceries sufficient to feed themselves and their families for three to four days;

### Giving Tree for the needy at Christmas –

Our parish community shares Christmas with families within the community who are in need by providing gifts to those who might otherwise be without;



### Back to School Supplies Drive –

Members of Sacred Heart donate basic school supplies for children who are unable to afford them;

Blanket Sunday – Our parish community purchases and donates new/used blankets in October to assist keeping the less fortunate warm;

Ozanan Center – The center is located in Akron, and provides previously owned clothing, furniture, and food to those in need free of charge. Address: 87 Broad Street Akron  
Hours: Saturday 10:00am –2:00pm

Holiday Baskets – Our parish provides food baskets to needy families in our community at Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter.



## Financial Assistance

- Utilities
- Rent/Housing
- Medication needs



\*Please bring proof of need

## Other Resources

- Angel Food Ministries  
<http://www.angelfoodministries.com/>
- Community Services in Medina County

