

# ST VINCENT DE PAUL

## REDMOND CONFERENCE

November 2025



This month, we are honored to celebrate Kathy Zehner our Saint of the Month. Their kindness, dedication, and unwavering spirit have made a tremendous impact on our mission and the people we serve. Whether they're offering a helping hand, sharing a warm smile, or going the extra mile when no one is watching, Kathy embodies the heart of service. Her willingness to jump in wherever needed—and do so with grace and humility—has not only strengthened our team but has also brought comfort and encouragement to countless individuals. We are grateful for the compassion she shows our clients, the support they offer our staff, and the joy they bring to our community.

Thank you, Kathy, for being a shining example of what it means to serve with love. You truly are a blessing to us all.



*Meet our Everyday Saint, Kathy Zehner!*

### WHO WE ARE

The Saint Vincent de Paul Society of Redmond, Oregon was founded in 1979. It is part of an internal Catholic lay association that helps people who are in need. A beacon of hope and support in our community. With a commitment to compassion and service, we provide essential resources like our food pantry, thrift store, and financial assistance programs to those in need.

### WHAT WE DO

Our mission is to provide compassionate support to those in need through our various services and programs. Founded with a commitment to serve, St. Vincent de Paul located in Redmond, Oregon has been a pillar of support for our community since 1979. We strive to alleviate poverty and offer hope through our services.

**We use 100% of the proceeds from the sales at our thrift store to fund the following community outreach programs.**

**Food Pantry:** Open Tuesday from 10:00pm to 6:00pm, Wednesday and Thursday 10:00am to 1:30pm. The St. Vincent de Paul Redmond, Oregon Food Pantry is dedicated to providing nutritious food to individuals and families in need within our community. We offer a variety of food items to ensure that those we serve receive balanced and healthy meals. Our pantry also offers food delivery on Tuesday and Friday for our homebound clients.

**November Community Impact: 25,050 meals provided**

**Financial Assistance:** Open Wednesday and Thursday 10:00am to 1:30pm. St. Vincent de Paul of Redmond, Oregon offers vital financial assistance to community members facing economic hardships. Our financial support programs are designed to help with essential needs, ensuring stability and providing a safety net during challenging times. We assist with rent and mortgage payments to prevent eviction and foreclosure, as well as utility bill assistance. **November Community Impact: 415 people**

**Giving Closet:** Open Tuesday 10:00am to 6:00pm, Wednesday and Thursday 10:00am to 1:30pm. The Giving Closet at St. Vincent de Paul of Redmond is dedicated to providing a fresh pair of clothes to those looking for a new start. Whether you are looking for everyday wear or preparing for a job interview, our Giving Closet is here to help you present your best self. We offer a variety of clothing items, including professional attire, to help you make a positive impression during important events. **November Community Impact: 847 people**

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**Laundry Project:** Open on the 10<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> each month at Eco Express Laundry. The Laundry Project, organized by St. Vincent de Paul Redmond, Oregon, is dedicated to providing free laundry services to community members. This project takes place on the 10th and 20th of each month from 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm at Express Eco Laundromat, located at 1604 S Hwy 97 #1, Redmond, OR 97756. During this time, we cover the cost of washers, dryers, soap, and dryer sheets, ensuring that everyone has access to clean laundry. Our volunteers also provide a warm meal on these service days. **November Community Impact: 82 people**

**Propane Voucher:** Available Tuesday 10am to 6:00pm, Wednesday and Thursday 10:00am to 1:30pm. St. Vincent de Paul of Redmond, Oregon offers a propane voucher program designed to assist community members who live in outdoor camps and lack access to basic utilities. The amount of propane provided varies based on the time of year and individual needs. Our goal is to help ensure warmth and safety, particularly during the colder months. **November Community Impact: 332 people**

### **Q: How can I help?**

A: Volunteer! Becoming a volunteer with St. Vincent de Paul Redmond, Oregon is a wonderful way to give back to the community. please get in touch with our Social Service Director Myranda by telephone at (541)923-5264 or by email [volunteersredmond@gmail.com](mailto:volunteersredmond@gmail.com). Consider a donation of gently used items for our thrift store or visit [svdpredmond.org](http://svdpredmond.org) for ways to donate directly to our mission. We look forward to having you join our team and making a positive impact together!

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*"It's not how much we give but how much love we put into giving." -  
Mother Teresa."*

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## UPCOMING EVENTS AND SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Upcoming Events:

12/13/2025 Redmond Food Project Collection, 9:30 am  
12/23/2025 Christmas Kids Party for our clients, 3-5 PM  
12/15/2025 Tree of Hope/Coat & Toy Drive ends

### Donation Station:

November was a month full of uncertainty for much of our Redmond community. November was also a month that showcased what a community united in compassion and faith can do! Our food pantry saw donations beyond our wildest expectations with over 25k lbs coming from every corner of the map! A special thank you to each and every individual, organization, business and school that contributed to our Mission.

Along with the added need to access food resources came the need for additional helping hands, and once again the community stepped up. We had 7 new volunteers join our team! Our volunteers assist in the food pantry, stocking shelves or helping our clients shop for the food items they need. Our volunteers also assist in the Giving Closet with clothing and household items or hygiene products. Our volunteers assist in the main lobby to welcome our guests and answer questions about the different resources we offer. We have many more volunteer opportunities available so please check our website or visit us on site to learn more.