

ST VINCENT DE PAUL

REDMOND CONFERENCE

October 2025



This month, we're thrilled to recognize **Lynn** as our Saint of the Month!

Lynn is the kind of person who leads by example — her dedication, strong work ethic, and incredible attention to detail make her an invaluable part of our team. Whether she's tackling a big project or helping a coworker, Lynn always goes above and beyond to ensure things are done with care and excellence.

Beyond her hard work, Lynn's kindness and calm spirit make her a true role model for us all. She lifts others up through her positivity, dependability, and genuine heart for people.

Thank you, Lynn, for inspiring us every day with your commitment and compassion. We're so grateful to have you as part of our community!



Meet our Everyday Saint, Lynn Grassman!

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 provides 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. **October Community Impact: 24,555 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. **October Community Impact: 520 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 provides 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. **October Community Impact: 947 people**

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Laundry Project: Open on the 10th and 20th each month at Eco Express Laundry. The Laundry Project, organized by St. Vincent de Paul Redmond, Oregon, provides 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. **October Community Impact: 67 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.

October Community Impact: 225 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. Consider a donation of gently used items for our thrift store or visit 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!

“Charity is infinitely inventive”

UPCOMING EVENTS AND SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Upcoming Events:

11/13/2025 - 12/15/2025 Coat and Toy Drive
11/15/2025- Tree of Hope (Tags go out)
11/15/2025- 12/2/2025 Holiday Give Bottledrop Fundraiser
11/22/2025 Kiwanis Food Drive @ Centennial Park 11 am
11/27/2025 Thanksgiving
12/2/2025 Pint Night and Food Drive @ Wild Ride Brewing 5-8 PM
12/13/2025 Redmond Food Project Collection
12/15/2025 Tree of Hope (Presents need returned)

Donation Station

In October our community answered the call in the form of very generous donations! A huge thank you goes out to the Redmond Food Project for 9,730 lbs donation and the St. Thomas Church with 1,118 lbs! A great big *THANK YOU* needs to go out to the Knights of Columbus in Bend 96 for their generous donation of hygiene kits and Halloween tee shirts! We would also like to Thank our amazing community for the outpouring of support in the form of donations, cash, food, volunteers and gently used items to help feed our neighbors during this food insecurity crisis. We truly appreciate your prayers and action during this scary time!