



## **St. Dominic Catholic Church**

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**Rev. Trumie C. Elliott, Pastor**

**Weekend Masses:** Saturday @ 4:30 p.m. & Sunday @ 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.

**Weekday Masses:** See bulletin for this week's Mass schedule

**Spanish Masses:** Sunday @ 2:00 p.m.

**Confessions:** Saturday 3:30 – 4:00 p.m. or anytime by request

### Mission Statement of St. Dominic Church

*As members of St Dominic Church, we are called through our baptism to give witness to the presence of the Holy Trinity by accepting the Gospel message of Jesus Christ as part of our daily lives. Our mission is to proclaim the Gospel; to teach and share our faith; and to show the love of God to all through our daily lives.*

*March 16, 2014 ~ Second Sunday of Lent*

### **SEEING THROUGH**

Today's readings invite us to look more deeply, to catch a glimpse of Divine Reality hidden within the "stuff" of life. God challenged the elderly Abram and his wife to leave home for a land that God would show them. Their eyes would see the land, but only God could "show" it as a divine gift. Paul reminded Timothy that God's grace had always been available, but in Jesus Christ was made "manifest."

Jesus called Peter, James, and John up the mountain and was "transfigured" for a moment, the radiance of God shining through. Then, just as abruptly, the three looked up . . . and saw only Jesus.

During Lent we're invited to "see through" to God's presence in the stuff of life: prowling the supermarket, waiting in traffic, arguing with the kids, cleaning the bathtub. We wouldn't really have to "do" anything, if we could only glimpse divine love supporting us, holding us together.

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## MASSES FOR THE WEEK

March 17-23, 2014

**Monday:** Lenten Weekday

**8:30 a.m. Mary Katherine O'Nan**

**Tuesday:** Lenten Weekday

**8:30 a.m. (not 5:30 p.m.) Jack Reddick**

**Wednesday:** St. Joseph, Spouse of Mary

**8:30 a.m. Gail Simms Ogburn**

**Thursday:** Lenten Weekday

**5:30 p.m. Jeff Boone**

**6:00-7:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration**

**Friday:** Lenten Weekday

**8:30 a.m. NO MASS**

**Saturday:** Lenten Weekday

**8:30 a.m. NO MASS**

**4:30 p.m. Henry & Julia Wimsatt**

**Sunday:** Third Sunday of Lent

**8:30 a.m. Charlie, Christine & Phil Hamilton**

**10:30 a.m. For the Parish**

**Spanish Mass @ 2 p.m.**

## \$\$ Weekly Collections \$\$

**March 9, 2014**

**Sunday Collection:** \$7,139.00

**During the Week:** \$780.00

**Automatic Withdrawal:** \$0

**Total Received:** \$7,919.00

\*\*Tithing amount needed weekly for the 2013/2014 budget: \$15,113.00

**Fiscal Year TITHING Contribution Summary**

**(July 1, 2013 - To Date)**

**Tithing Contributions:** \$529,139.73

**Tithing Budget:** \$544,068.00

**Overage/ Shortage:** -14,928.27

**Annual Budget:** \$785,876.00

\*\*These figures reflect only the Sunday collections as part of the Parish Budget. It does not indicate the budget or income of St. Dominic School or other parish organizations.

**Weekly St. D Capital Campaign Contributions:** \$244.00

**Weekly Arch. BFOH Campaign Contributions:** \$100.00

**Cap. Camp. Building Fund Loan Balance:** \$884,067.42

**Amount of Monthly Payment:** \$15,066.64

\*\*Amount of Campaign Contributions needed weekly to meet monthly payment: \$3,477.00 (based on 52 weeks)

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### REMEMBER TO KEEP IN YOUR

**PRAYERS:** U.S. Military, Nicholas Hollingsworth, Juanita Janes, Lula Mae Adams, Johnny Hale, Helen Parrott, Dr. John Cecconi Sr., Larry Lewis, Harry Duckwall, Robert Baker, Larry Godshaw, Katie Boone, Russell Clark, Alberta Carrico, Bruce Burkhead, Haley Dues, Mary Jane & Stephanie Trimble, Gene Breeding, Mike Grigsby, Patricia O'Bryan, Eunice Ballard, Pam Rogers, Carol Carrico, Lenny Carrico, Benny Lewis, Kenny Corbett, Ann Walker, Jonie Cambron, Madison Wheatley, Ora Spalding, Nora Smith, Doris Coulter, Charlotte Buckman, Charles Smith, Madeline Keene, Kathleen Pinkston, Vicki Lawson, Brooklyn Disselkamp, Tony Clements, Colin Patrick Walker, Carl Thomas Brady, Joe Charles O'Bryan, Ann Taylor Sims, Barbara Wheatley, Fanny Rudd, JoAnn Cambron, Joey Smith, Clara Mae Blandford, Garland & Patsy Fenwick, Perry Carrico, Gail Smith, Cassie Robinson, Juanita Reed, Terri Hill, Delena McMichael, Janet Boone, Parker Thompson & Charlotte Russell.

Let us also pray for our own parish members and others, who are in assisted living or nursing homes, especially: J.W. Bradshaw, Mary Terrell, Lydia Robards, Catherine Spalding, Ruth Burns, Joe Cambron, Lloyd Haydon, Bear Keene, Fred & Rita Edelen, Dorothy Kays & Geraldine Pinkston.

Our church always prays for and cares for our sick sisters and brothers at home, in hospitals, and in nursing homes. If any who are sick want to ask in faith for the church's prayers, the Sacrament of the Sick or Holy Communion, please do not hesitate to call our parish office to let Fr. Pepper and our ministers to the sick and homebound know your need. You are always in our hearts, minds and prayers as we celebrate the Eucharist at St. Dominic.

## **MENTIONS, MEETINGS, EVENTS & REMINDERS**

**Baptized in Christ:** Kayson Joseph Mattingly, son of Bart & Jessica Mattingly, baptized March 2, 2014, Godparents: Chad Medley & Shannon Wethington

**Spring Cleaning:** Just like a home, the Lord's house needs a good spring cleaning too! Anyone can help, so please join us on Saturday, 3/22 @ 8:30 a.m. Let us know you will be there, please contact Betty Carol Barber @ bettycarol\_2000@yahoo.com or at 481-1650. Bring your cleaning rags and bucket, the more hands the lighter the work. The Lord's house looks forward to seeing you!☺

**Welcome:** This past Sunday, the first Sunday of Lent, a group from Saint Dominic joined a large crowd of catechumens, candidates for full communion in the church who are asking to join the Catholic Church together with sponsors, Godparents, and family members at the Cathedral of the Assumption with Archbishop Joseph Kurtz who celebrated the Rite of Election. At the Rite of Election The catechumens (who have never been baptized, confirmed or come to Holy Communion) and candidates for full communion (who have been baptized in other Christian denominations and who after a profession of faith will be confirmed and brought to Holy Communion) were chosen ("elected") by Archbishop Kurtz to receive the Easter sacraments (Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Communion) at the Easter Vigil. Our catechumen, or rather now a member of the Elect, is Selena Cepeda, a seventh-grader in our CCD class whose family is faithful to our Spanish Mass. Our two candidates for Full Communion are Roy Pike and his grandson, Lucas Simpson who have been praying with us at Sunday Mass at Saint Dominic for quite some time now. We at Saint Dominic are so happy that after the preparation of Lent, the reception of these new members of our church will add greatly to the joy of our Easter celebration.~Fr. Pepper

**One-hour Eucharistic Adoration @ St. D:** Eucharistic Adoration will be offered during Lent at St. Dominic on Thursday evenings from 6:00-7:00 p.m. (following the 5:30 p.m. Mass). Through this practice, we are invited to spend time alone with God in his real, physical form and to bring to Jesus all our cares, concerns, prayers, hopes and thoughts. We set aside a special time, apart from our hectic modern lives, to create an opportunity to meet our God. Consider offering up 15 minutes or more of your time in prayer. Please join us!! Should you have any questions contact Lynn Foster @ 336-3412. "COME TO ME ALL YOU, WHO ARE WEARY AND BURDENED AND I WILL GIVE YOU REST." MATTHEW 11:28

**The Sacrament of Reconciliation** will be celebrated at St. Dominic on April 14, 2014 starting at 6:30 p.m. There will be priests present to hear confessions during this prayer service. The Sacrament of Reconciliation is always available on Saturdays at 3:30 p.m. Please remember that no confessions or other Sacraments are celebrated after Holy Thursday until Easter.

**Parish Council Meeting:** 3/27 @ 6:30 p.m. - conference room / **School Board Meeting:** 3/19/14 @ 6:30 p.m.

**Kids 4 Jesus** will meet on 3/20 from 6-7:30 p.m. / **Annual Fund Contributions to date:** \$37,875.00

**St. Dominic Church on the web!** Visit [stdomparish.org](http://stdomparish.org). The weekly bulletin is on the website too!

**Thinking of Enrolling at St. Dominic School?** St. Dominic Parish families who plan on sending their children to St. Dominic School need to be officially registered, tithing, active members of the parish for at least two years in order to enroll as a tithing/stewardship school family. All other school families pay tuition rates.

**Knights of Columbus Fish Fry:** Every Friday during Lent from 4:30-7:30 p.m.

**School News:** Students may wear GREEN to celebrate St. Patrick's Day on Monday, March 17th. Students may wear a green top with their uniform pants--OR--if they bring in a can of GREEN VEGETABLES, they can wear jeans instead of uniform pants. If they don't own a green top, they can wear a green headband, bow, pin, button, or sticker, etc. Terra Nova testing continues Tues.-Thurs. for grades 3, 5 & 7. GRADE assessment for (P-2) has been postponed to April. CONGRATULATIONS to three of our St. Dominic 3rd graders. Lynesse Taylor was named the Grand Champion in the St. Patrick's Coloring Contest, sponsored by the Louisville chapter of the Order of Ancient Hibernians. Her entry was selected the winner from over 4000 entries. In addition, winners in the 3rd grade division included Isabella Murphy (1st Place) and Mary Claire Borders (3rd Place). All three received a t-shirt, their coloring contest artwork was framed for them, and they were invited to participate in a Mass and breakfast at St. Bertrand's and then march in the St. Patrick's Parade in Louisville yesterday (Saturday). As the Grand Champion, Lynesse also won \$100. See this past week's *Record* for a related article.

## Liturgical Roles (Weekdays)

### Weekday Lectors

- Mon. Rita Rust  
Tues. Wassie Parrott (8:30 a.m.)  
Wed. Mary Ann Hale  
Thurs. Joyce Boone  
Fri. NO MASS  
Sat. NO MASS

### Weekday Eucharistic Ministers

- Mon. Belle Sutton  
Tues. Shirley Barber (8:30 a.m.)  
Wed. Reba Hamilton  
Thurs. Joe David Clements  
Fri. NO MASS  
Sat. NO MASS

## TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Centuries ago, these Lenten days were a time of intense final preparation for the candidates for baptism. By now, they had already been numbered among the “elect” for Easter baptism, and were daily challenged to excel in prayer, in fasting, and in works of charity. As is true today, at a certain point in the weekly assembly for Eucharist, the nonbaptized were dismissed from the assembly for their own learning and prayer. While they might have had impressions about the Eucharist, they had no direct experience. The rites of the church were secret and its worship places off-limits.

For the Easter Vigil, those to be baptized arrived very hungry from long fasting, and perhaps very apprehensive as to how initiation was to be accomplished. A long night of vigil and storytelling, a shimmering pool of baptism, the anointing with oil and clothing with white robes came as something of a surprise. At the end of a long, life-changing night of embrace by Christ and the community, as the Eucharistic feast ended, a final surprise was brought forward. To address the deep hunger of the newly baptized, the church offered a bowl of milk and honey, sign of promises fulfilled, sign of community, prosperity, and peace, and yet another foretaste of heaven’s banquet.

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## Liturgical Roles (Monthly)

### Altar Caretakers for MARCH

- Patricia Bishop (wk. 1), Sheila Thomas (wk. 2)  
Monica Osborne (wk. 3), Missy Hamilton (wk. 4)  
Euch. Min. to the Sick & Homebound for MAR.  
Perry/Anna Carrico (Group A), David/Beverly Sagreycy (Group B/East Wing), Belle Sutton (Group B/West Wing), John Boyd Reed (Group C)

### Weekend Eucharistic Ministers for MARCH

- 4:30 p.m. Richard & Agnes Keene  
Volunteers Needed  
8:30 a.m. Martha Ann Hardin, Ben Smith  
Sonya Satterly, Angela Young  
10:30 a.m. David & Beverly Sagreycy  
Wassie Parrott, Fabian Cambron

### Weekend Ushers for MARCH

- 4:30 p.m. Forrest Carrico, Michael Graves  
Terry Warner, Volunteer  
8:30 a.m. Mike Mattingly, Michael McCain  
Mike McCain, Jared Young  
10:30 a.m. Joey & Spencer Maupin  
Bobby Mudd, Brian Mattingly

## Liturgical Roles (Next Weekend)

### Gift Bearers for Next Weekend

- 4:30 p.m. Steve & Vicky Mattingly  
8:30 a.m. Ann Grigsby, Susan Smith  
10:30 a.m. Joe Paul & Vickie Brady

### Mass Greeters for Next Weekend

- 4:30 p.m. Michael & Linda Smith & Emma  
8:30 a.m. Reba Hamilton, Martha Ann Hardin  
10:30 a.m. Brad & Lori Redmon & Family

### Lectors for Next Weekend

- 4:30 p.m. Bobby Brady, Lori Tucker  
8:30 a.m. Jerry & Inez Grider  
10:30 a.m. David & Lynn Foster

### Servers for Next Weekend

- 4:30 p.m. Josh Curtsinger, Joey Libby  
Madeline Borders, Olivia Spaulding  
8:30 a.m. Jack Matherly, Grant Satterly  
Landon Taylor, Andrea Clements  
10:30 a.m. Elyssa & Nathan Hodgens  
Jami & Fran Taylor