



## **St. Dominic Catholic Church**

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Church Website: [stdomparish.org](http://stdomparish.org) / School Website: [www.stdominicalem.org](http://www.stdominicalem.org)

**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.*

*February 15, 2015 ~ Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time*

### **FOR THE GLORY OF GOD**

The entire history of the Jewish people is directed toward one goal: that God might be glorified through the chosen people. Christians, too, are called to “do everything for the glory of God.” In today’s scriptures Paul reminds us that the best way for us to glorify God is to seek to benefit “the many,” as Christ did when he shed his blood for all of humankind.

The reading from Leviticus explains one way the Jews sought to benefit the many, by keeping lepers and leprosy away from the chosen people. Jesus finds a better way. He cures the leper, who immediately re-enters the community to spread the good news about Jesus to everyone who will listen. In this way both Jesus and the leper fulfill their calling to glorify the God who fills us “with the joy of salvation.” Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

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**REMEMBER TO KEEP IN YOUR**

**PRAYERS:** U.S. Military, Lillian Mann, Bobby Brady, Jo Ann Arnold, Patricia O'Bryan, Barbara Wheatley, Nell Otis, Gary Clifton, Sr. Barbara Peterson, Mark Richardson, Dickie Mudd, Sue Carter, Lenny Carrico, Richard Stover, Theresa Carey Coppock, Doris Coulter, Pee Wee Nally, Diane Holt, Donnie Parrott, Russell Buckman, Brent Mattingly, Parker Beam, Andrew Osborne, James O'Daniel, Mary Peterson, Jenna Taylor, Annie Boone Roution, Lula Mae Adams, Jeanne Hanley, Mollie Kennedy, Janet Mattingly, Harry Duckwall, Larry Godshall, Anthony Hamilton, Katie Boone, Alberta Carrico, Bruce Burkhead, Gene Breeding, Mike Grigsby, Carol Carrico, Benny Lewis, Kenny Corbett, Jonie Cambron, Madison Wheatley, Nora Smith, Charlotte Buckman, Charles Smith, Kathleen Pinkston, Tony Clements, Colin Patrick Walker, Fanny Rudd, JoAnn Cambron, Garland & Patsy Fenwick, Perry Carrico, 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: Cloteal Funk, Ed & Dorothy Graves, Catherine Spalding, Ruth Burns, Joe Cambron, Lloyd Haydon, Bear Keene, Fred & Rita Edelen.

*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.*

**MASSES FOR THE WEEK**

**February 16-22, 2015**

*Monday: Weekday*

**8:30 a.m. Jake Cambron**

*Tuesday: Weekday*

**8:30 a.m. (not 5:30 p.m.) Estella Carrico**

*Wednesday: Ash Wednesday*

**6:15 a.m. Doc & Geneva Mattingly & Cathy Leake**

**8:30 a.m. Scout & Helen Smith & Bud Hardin**

**6:00 p.m. In Thanksgiving-**

**Joey Smith & Heart Donor Family-  
4 Year Transplant Anniversary**

*Thursday: Weekday*

**5:30 p.m. Jack Reddick**

*Friday: Weekday*

**8:30 a.m. Freddy Smith**

*Saturday: Weekday*

**8:30 a.m. Lera Birch**

**4:30 p.m. St. D Alumni & Friends-  
Living & Deceased Members**

*Sunday: First Sunday of Lent*

**8:30 a.m. For the Parish**

**10:30 a.m. Clyde & Mary Isabel Logsdon  
Spanish Mass @ 2 p.m.**

**\$\$ Weekly Collections \$\$**

**February 8, 2015**

**Sunday Collection: \$5,924.51**

**During the Week: \$1,090.00**

**Automatic Withdrawal: \$0**

**Total Received: \$7,014.51**

\*\*Tithing amount needed weekly for the 2014/15 budget:  
\$14,500.00

**Fiscal Year TITHING Contribution Summary  
(July 1, 2014 - To Date)**

**Tithing Contributions: \$448,387.22**

**Tithing Budget: \$464,000.00**

**Overage/ Shortage: \$-15,612.78**

**Annual Budget: \$754,000.00**

\*\*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: \$0**

**Weekly Arch. BFOH Campaign Contributions: \$60.00**

**Capital Campaign Building Fund Loan Balance: \$738,585.78**  
**Amount of Monthly Payment: \$15,066.64**

## Liturgical Roles (Weekdays)

### Lectors

Mon. Rita Rust  
Tues. Joyce Boone (8:30 a.m.)  
Wed. Martin Murphy (6:15 a.m.), School (8:30 a.m.)  
Youth Group (6 p.m.)  
Thurs. Shirley Barber  
Fri. Tony Smith  
Sat. Reba Hamilton

### Eucharistic Ministers

Mon. Belle Sutton  
Tues. Julee Jones (8:30 a.m.)  
Wed. Volunteer (6:15 a.m.), School (8:30 a.m.)  
Fabian Cambron (6 p.m.)  
Thurs. Betty Carol Barber  
Fri. Perry Carrico  
Sat. Shirley Barber

## Liturgical Roles (Monthly)

### Altar Caretakers for FEBRUARY

Shirley Barber (wk. 1), Tina Borders (wk. 2),  
Lou Ann George (wk. 3), Betty Carol Barber (wk. 4)

### Purificator Washing Committee Member for FEB.

Martha Hinton

### Euch. Min. to the Sick & Homebound for FEB.

Katie Simms (Group A)  
Mary Ann Hale (Group B, East & West Wings)  
Mary Lou Robertson (Group C)

### Weekend Eucharistic Ministers for FEBRUARY

4:30 p.m. Jane & John Essex  
Ione Pinkston, Dianne Kelly  
8:30 a.m. Reba Hamilton, Joyce Boone  
Steve & Vicki Mattingly  
10:30 a.m. Jana Jones, Kim Mackin  
Susan Spalding, Fabian Cambron

### Weekend Ushers for FEBRUARY

4:30 p.m. Daniel Downs, Joe Kelly, 2 Volunteers  
8:30 a.m. Tony & Anthony Osborne  
John Parrott, Davis Smith  
10:30 a.m. Kenny Long, Jeremy Mackin  
Bart Mattingly, Brian Mattingly

### Weekend Greeters for FEBRUARY

(\*added as a monthly liturgical role)

4:30 p.m. Elaine Downs, Patty Robinson  
8:30 a.m. Larry Hamilton, Kathleen Abell  
10:30 a.m. Michelle Mulholland & Family

## Liturgical Roles (Next Weekend)

### Gift Bearers

4:30 p.m. Mary Lynne & Chelsea Fenwick  
8:30 a.m. Joe & Susan Smith  
10:30 a.m. Chloe, Farrah & Haley Smith

### Lectors

4:30 p.m. Kenny & Cindy Begley  
8:30 a.m. Chuck Abell, Melynda Matherly  
10:30 a.m. David & Lynn Foster

### Servers

4:30 p.m. Rachel Smith, Mason Boone  
Sam Cecconi, Mary Claire Hughes  
8:30 a.m. Katelyn & Kathryn Noel  
Jack Matherly, Hunter Hall  
10:30 a.m. Tatum Smith, Allie Mattingly  
Travis & Trey Mudd

## TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Lent, the Church's annual pre-baptismal retreat, prepares us to gather around the Easter font, renew our baptismal vows, and receive new life from the water as the elect are plunged into Christ's death and resurrection. This core meaning is more or less available, depending on whether we journey with catechumens in the parish and on the vigor of our liturgical celebration of the Triduum. Some persist in seeing Lent as a lonely journey in the wilderness; yet this week we enter the Lenten fast in solidarity with one another. The smudged foreheads you will spy throughout Ash Wednesday on buses, street corners, and supermarket aisles remind you that you are hardly alone in your desire to enact a spring cleaning regime for your spiritual life.

Long ago, this kind of repentance was available to Christians only once. Ashes and sackcloth were not raiment for a day, but permanent habits for public sinners. Fasting became a way of life, and if they sinned severely again, there was no hope of restored communion. Happily, this system did not endure. It produced reluctant Christians who even held back from baptism, like St. Augustine did, out of fear. Today we have recovered an ancient tradition that conversion and repentance are constant themes on life's journey, and that Lent is an annual opportunity to revive our baptismal identity, both as individuals and communities.

—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

## MENTIONS, MEETINGS, EVENTS & REMINDERS

**Blessings & Happy Anniversary** to Wendell & Madeleine Grayson who are celebrating 50 years of Marriage!!

**Condolences:** Our condolences in Christ to the family of Dorothy Buckler. Please know that you are in our prayers at this most difficult time.

**Wedding Bells:** We rejoice in the celebration of the Christian Marriage of Daniel & Amanda (Copley) Warner, united in marriage at St. Dominic Church on Sat., Feb. 7, 2015. May their new life together forever be blessed with the presence of the Lord.

**Night of Knights** will be held Sat., Feb. 21, 2015! Alumni Mass at 4:30 p.m. followed by reception, dinner & awards. Guest Speaker will be Fr. Mark Hamilton. Awards will be given for Alumni of the Year, Hall of Fame & Knight Award. **TICKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE AFTER ALL MASSES THIS WEEKEND.** Tickets are \$25 per person. Only 300 tickets will be sold.

**Olive Wood Carvings:** Needing a gift? "Bethlehem Christian Families," from the Holy Land will be in the church basement THIS weekend after all Masses selling their hand carved Olive Wood religious items such as, Nativity Scenes, Crucifixes, Rosaries, Statues, Pictures of the Last Supper, and other religious items. Proceeds help benefit Christians living in the Holy Land.

**Ash Wednesday's Mass Schedule (Feb. 18):** 6:15 a.m., 8:30 a.m. & 6 p.m.

**Lenten Penance (Repentance)/Days of Fasting & Abstinence:**

**Fasting Days:** Ash Wednesday & Good Friday - Fasting means eating only one meal that day. Two other smaller meals may be eaten which together would not equal a whole meal. The law of fasting binds all those from 18 to 59 years old. **Days of Abstinence:** Ash Wednesday, All Fridays of Lent & Good Friday - Abstinence means not eating meat (beef, pork, chicken, etc.) For this purpose fish, eggs, & cheese are not considered meat. The law of abstinence binds all who are over 14 years old.

**Operation Rice Bowl:** Hungering for the Journey, Join our parish community—and more than 13,000 Catholic communities across the United States—in a life-changing Lenten journey with CRS Rice Bowl. The program invites Catholics to live in solidarity with our poorest and most vulnerable brothers and sisters through the three Lenten pillars of praying, fasting, and almsgiving. Pick up your rice bowl from the main entryway of church. Lenten sacrifices change lives. Rice Bowls are generally collected on Holy Thursday. Go to [www.crsricebowl.org](http://www.crsricebowl.org) to learn more about taking a journey throughout the forty days of Lent.

**Kids 4 Jesus** will meet on Thursday, February 19th from 6:00 - 7:30 p.m.

**Bible Study:** Monday evenings @ 7 p.m.

**Parish Council:** 2/26 @ 6:30 p.m. - parish meeting room / **School Board:** 2/25 @ 6:30 p.m.

**School News:** School is in session on President's Day, Monday, Feb. 16. Students in grades 5 and 8 will take the ACRE (Religion) assessment 2/17-2/19. The end of the 2nd trimester will be Friday, Feb. 20. Teen Night (Bowling) is 2/20. Please have your Teen Night participant in the school parking lot by 5:50 PM. The 8th grade will tour the Marion Co. Area Technology Center on 2/20 from 12-2 PM.

**Open House is February 25:** St. Dominic School Registration Starts Feb. 25! If you are interested in enrolling your child at St. Dominic School in Fall 2015, make plans to attend our Open House on Wednesday, February 25, from 9 AM until 6 PM. Stop by, tour our school, talk to our principal, teachers, and students—feel free to ask questions, pick up a registration packet, and let us show you why you should join our St. Dominic School Family. Can't make the Open House? No problem. We can arrange a school tour at your convenience. Call the school office at 336-7165 or email [pbreunig@stdominicalem.org](mailto:pbreunig@stdominicalem.org) for more information.

**Confirmation:** 3/26 @ 7 p.m. @ St. D Church & **First Holy Communion:** 4/26 @ 10:30 a.m. Mass.