



St. Dominic Catholic Church

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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.

June 21, 2015 ~ 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

THE WIND AND THE SEA

Living along the shores of Lake Superior—the “big lake,” as the locals call it—you can often hear the advice, “Respect the lake; don’t take it for granted.” People who know Lake Superior respect its power and watch out for its many moods. Sunken ships and boats crushed into kindling are testimonies to what the lake can do.

The readings of this Sunday evoke our memories of the lake, of the mighty Mississippi River, or of the ocean itself. Who but God can control these mighty waters and set limits to their advance? The lake described in today’s Gospel was a body of water subject to sudden storms and churned into dangerous waves by terrible winds.

But these mighty agents are subject to God. The sailor and the fisher all respect the water. Even more, they respect the awesome power of the Maker of wind and sea.

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REMEMBER TO KEEP IN YOUR

PRAYERS: U.S. Military, Fr. Danny Edelen, Lauren O'Bryan, Heather Brown, Lillian Mann, Pee Wee Nally, Patricia O'Bryan, Dan Livers, Madeline Keene, Reed Spaulding, Darrell Smith, Kyle Logsdon, Gary Clifton, Sr. Barbara Peterson, Dickie Mudd, Sue Carter, Richard Stover, Theresa Carey Coppock, Doris Coulter, Donnie Parrott, Russell Buckman, Brent Mattingly, Parker Beam, Andrew Osborne, James O'Daniel, Mary Peterson, Annie Boone Roughton, Lula Mae Adams, Jeanne Hanley, Mollie Kennedy, Janet Mattingly, Anthony Hamilton, Alberta Carrico, Bruce Burkhead, Mike Grigsby, Carol Carrico, Benny Lewis, Jonie Cambron, Madison Wheatley, Nora Smith, Charlotte Buckman, Charles Smith, Kathleen Pinkston, Tony Clements, Colin Patrick Walker, Fanny Rudd, JoAnn Cambron, 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: 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

June 22-28, 2015

Monday: Weekday

8:30 a.m. NO MASS

Tuesday: Weekday

8:30 a.m. NO MASS

Wednesday: Weekday

8:30 a.m. NO MASS

Thursday: Weekday

5:30 p.m. NO MASS

Friday: Weekday

8:30 a.m. NO MASS

Saturday: Weekday

8:30 a.m. NO MASS

**4:30 p.m. Living & Deceased Members of
Jamie & Beatrice Essex Family**

Sunday: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

**8:30 a.m. Dickie Taylor &
Jane & Ronnie Coulter**

**10:30 a.m. For the Parish
Spanish Mass @ 2 p.m.**

What Makes a Dad

God took the strength of a mountain,
The majesty of a tree,
The warmth of a summer sun,
The calm of a quiet sea,
The generous soul of nature,
The comforting arm of night,
The wisdom of the ages,
The power of the eagle's flight,
The joy of a morning in spring,
The faith of a mustard seed,
The patience of eternity,
The depth of a family in need,
Then God combined these qualities,
When there was nothing more to add,
He knew His masterpiece was complete,
And so, He called it ... Dad
~ Author Unknown

Blessings & Happy Father's Day!!

\$\$ Weekly Collections \$\$

*Financial information was not available at the time bulletin was printed; however, it will be posted in the bulletin for June 28th.

TRUE GRATITUDE

Let us remember that, as much has been given us, much will be expected from us, and that true homage comes from the heart as well as from the lips, and shows itself in deeds. —Theodore Roosevelt

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

When you are thinking about traditions in the Church, 1563 is a “watershed” year. The Council of Trent began a reform of the liturgy that put an end to old practices and set many of our present practices in place. For the first time, engaged people were absolutely required to appear before their parish priest, and to exchange consent in his presence along with two witnesses. To this day, Catholics are obliged to this form, namely: to marry another Catholic in the presence of a priest (or deacon) and two witnesses, unless dispensed from the law. The Council really didn’t forbid customs and ceremonies that added life to the celebration, but the mood of the times was dark and somewhat austere. Practices like the blessing of the marriage bed or using a canopy for the nuptial blessing started to fade away, as did the custom of bringing the presents for the couple to the church and the addition of fiddlers and jugglers to the procession. The Council of Trent tried to preserve local customs, but the long-term effect was to standardize celebrations everywhere in the world.

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NO WEEKDAY MASSES THIS WEEK

Liturgical Roles (Next Weekend)

Gift Bearers

- 4:30 p.m. John & Jane Essex
- 8:30 a.m. Rita Kay Taylor & Family
- 10:30 a.m. Jerry & Lucinda Effner

Lectors

- 4:30 p.m. Bobby Brady, Lori Tucker
- 8:30 a.m. Martin Murphy, Reba Hamilton
- 10:30 a.m. Davis Carney, Perry Carrico

Servers

- 4:30 p.m. Joey Libby, Mary Medley
Belle Begley
- 8:30 a.m. Fran Taylor, Hagan Taylor
Grant Satterly
- 10:30 a.m. Ava Abell, Joshua Burkhead
Andrew Blandford

Liturgical Roles (Monthly)

Altar Caretakers for JUNE

- Kathleen Abell (wk. 1), Sandra Goatley (wk. 2)
- Betty Sue Devine (wk. 3), Faye Carrico (wk. 4)

Purificator Washing Committee Member for JUNE

Teresa Lynn

Euch. Min. to the Sick & Homebound for JUNE

- Steve & Vicki Mattingly (Group A)
- Dianne Kelly (Group B, East & West Wings)
- Katie Simms (Group C)

Weekend Eucharistic Ministers for JUNE

- 4:30 p.m. John & Jane Essex, Kathy Fields
Dianne Kelly
- 8:30 a.m. Bob & Rose Goodlett
Betty Sue Devine, Ben Smith
- 10:30 a.m. Chris Brady, Shirley Barber
Lucinda Effner, Rose Haydon

Weekend Ushers for JUNE

- 4:30 p.m. Kenny Begley, Daniel Carney, 2 Volunteers
- 8:30 a.m. Steve Mattingly, Jerry Grider
Tim Grigsby, Larry Hamilton
- 10:30 a.m. Casey Story, Pat Taylor
Leonard Abell, Josh Walker

Weekend Greeters for JUNE

- 4:30 p.m. Jane Moore & Family
- 8:30 a.m. Martha Ann Hardin
- 10:30 a.m. Jana Jones & Family

MENTIONS, MEETINGS, EVENTS & REMINDERS

In Sympathy: Our condolences in Christ to Dennis Rust for the passing of his mother, Mary Louise Rust. Please lift the Rust family in prayer as they mourn the loss of a loved-one.

Vacation Bible School will be held June 22-25 from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. each day. Our theme this year is *Camping in God's Creation*. All children ages 4-12 are invited to attend. Registration forms can be found on table in the back of church or can also be downloaded from our church website. Please bring registration forms to VBS on Monday morning, if you haven't already preregistered.

Church Cleaning: Just like a home, the Lord's house needs a good cleaning too! So please join us on Friday, June 26th right about 9:15 a.m. Please contact Betty Carol Barber (336-9950) or Lou Ann George (336-9095) with any questions. Bring your cleaning rags, broom, mop and bucket, the more hands the lighter the work. The Lord's house looks forward to seeing you!

Women's Retreat: Ladies, do you long for a day of relaxation spent with friends? A time to get away from the busyness of life and just walk with God? If so, then mark your calendars for Saturday, August 22nd and make plans to join us for a *Garden Getaway Women's Retreat*. Treat yourself to a day that will focus on building friendships and studying God's amazing Word! More details coming later this summer.

Preservation Campaign: Pledges to date: \$341,100.00. Extra pledge packets have been placed on the table in the back of church should anyone need one. Starting in July, tithing packets will have an envelope that will accommodate the new Preservation Campaign. In the meantime, feel free to use either the blue or orange campaign envelopes that are currently in your packet, but if you wish for your contribution to go toward the new campaign, please mark the ENVELOPE as "Preservation." Thank you and your support is greatly appreciated.

Parish Council does not meet in July.

Life Line Screenings @ St. D: Life Line Screening, a leading provider of community-based preventive health screenings, will host their affordable, non-invasive and painless health screenings on July 29th at St. D Gym. Five screenings will be offered that scan for potential health problems related to: blocked arteries which is a leading cause of stroke; abdominal aortic aneurysms which can lead to a ruptured aorta; hardening of the arteries in the legs which is a strong predictor of heart disease; atrial fibrillation or irregular heart beat which is closely tied to stroke risk; and a bone density screening, for men and women, used to assess the risk of osteoporosis. Register for a Wellness Package which includes 4 vascular tests and osteoporosis screening from \$149 (\$139 with our member discount). All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. Also, we are happy to announce that Life Line Screening is working with us to provide our members \$10 additional discounts off of a screening package in addition to a \$10 donation to St Dominic Church. You must sign up by calling the special Helping Hands registration number, which is (800)324-9458, in order for us to receive our \$10 donation as well. If you prefer to visit the exclusive Helping Hands website to register, you may do so by visiting www.helpinghandsforhealth.com. You must sign up one of these ways in order to get both the \$10 discount as well as the \$10 donation for St. Dominic Church.

Safe Environment Training will be offered at St. Dominic on Mon., Aug. 31 at 6:30 p.m. in the church basement. The session will last about 90 minutes; pre-registration is not required. If you have never completed this one-time training, please make plans to attend. Reasons to attend: if you ever plan to chaperone a field trip, go on the 8th Grade D.C. trip or coach/volunteer in any capacity in the future. Take advantage of this opportunity while it is right here at home.

Upcoming Bulletin Announcements

(not yet posted in paper form):

American Red Cross Blood Drive @ St. D on Aug. 2
from 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Communion Minister Update Session @ St. D Church
on Thurs., Sept. 10 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. This Communion
Minister Update Session is for those ministers needing a
mandate renewal, who have already completed the
archdiocesan two-session Communion Minister Formation
Program. This session will fulfill the requirements for
continuing formation for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy
Communion. Contact Sonya at the parish office to see
when your 5-year mandate expires.

Catholic Women's Conference 2015: Save the date! The
first Catholic Women's Conference in the Archdiocese of
Louisville will take place on Saturday, November 7, 2015
at St. Patrick Church. Ladies, invite your friends and join
hundreds of Catholic women for prayer, great speakers,
and celebration! Please "follow" our web page at
www.cwclouisville.net for more information and "like" us
on Facebook (www.facebook.com/cwclouisville) to
receive updates as plans unfold.