



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.

August 2, 2015 ~ 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

GOD'S WORK

We are so busy! Most of us have more than one job to do, and we never seem to have enough time. We are workers, volunteers, parents, friends, and most of us are more than one thing at a time. But which of these is the work of God?

We seldom view our ordinary work as being the work of God. We may think that we have to be ministers or priests, missionaries or charity workers, engaged full-time in works formally identified as being "God's work." But everything we do with a faithful heart and with love for others is God's work. We each have our own role to fill in the world, and many gifts are necessary. We cannot always see the direct connection of our daily work to the plan of God. But we trust and we believe that God leads us to do what is needed, where it is needed. What is "God's work?" "This is the work of God, that you believe in the one he sent" (John 6:29).

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18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 2, 2015



REMEMBER TO KEEP IN YOUR

PRAYERS: U.S. Military, Ralph Hamilton, David Devine, Lillian Mann, Pee Wee Nally, Patricia O'Bryan, Dan Livers, Reed Spaulding, Darrell Smith, Kyle Logsdon, 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 Roution, Jeanne Hanley, Mollie Kennedy, Janet Mattingly, 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

August 3-9, 2015

Monday: Weekday

8:30 a.m. Leo Lanham

Tuesday: St. John Vianny

5:30 p.m. Garland Fenwick & Diane Holt

Wednesday: Weekday

8:30 a.m. Frank Taylor

Thursday: The Transfiguration of the Lord

5:30 p.m. Richard Maher

Friday: Weekday

8:30 a.m. Kenny & Barbara Corbett

Saturday: St. Dominic

8:30 a.m. JoAnn Arnold

4:30 p.m. For the Parish

Sunday: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 a.m. Jeff Hill

10:30 a.m. Charlie, Christine & Phil Hamilton

Spanish Mass @ 2 p.m. For the Parish

\$\$ Weekly Collections \$\$

July 26, 2015

Sunday Collection: \$7,807.00

During the Week: \$3,700.00

Automatic Withdrawal: \$0

Total Received: \$11,507.00

**Tithing amount needed weekly for the 2015/16 budget:
\$13,847.00

Fiscal Year TITHING Contribution Summary

(July 1, 2015 – June 30, 2016)

Tithing Contributions: \$83,429.02

Tithing Budget: \$55,388.02

Overage/ Shortage: \$+28,041.02

Annual Budget: \$720,044.00

**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.

Campaign

Weekly Orig. Capital Campaign/ BFOH Contributions: \$223.00

Weekly Preservation Campaign Contributions: \$2,478.89

Capital Campaign Building Fund Loan Balance: \$657,703.10

Amount of Monthly Payment: \$15,066.64

The Mission of Love

This fall, the Church celebrates family life at the World Meeting of Families in Philadelphia, PA. As part of this event, a catechesis (*Love is Our Mission: the Family Full Alive*) has been prepared that shows how Catholic teaching regarding sexuality, marriage, and family flows from our basic beliefs about Jesus. These weekly bulletin blurbs will summarize the 10 themes that form this catechesis, which show how love in a family is a summons to embody God's love in everyday life. Week #2, "The Mission of Love," explains that God works through us. We are in the world for a purpose – to receive God's love and to show God's love to others. God seeks to heal a broken universe and asks us to be His witnesses and helpers in that work. To see the complete chapter about this theme, go to www.worldmeeting2015.org/about-the-event/catechesis/ and download a text-only version of the complete book for free or see information about purchasing.

A SECRET

The secret of happiness is to count your blessings while others are adding up their troubles. —Anonymous

Liturgical Roles (Weekdays)

Lectors

Mon. Belle Sutton
Tues. Catherine Clements
Wed. Reba Hamilton
Thurs. Wassie Parrott
Fri. School
Sat. Mary Ann Hale

Eucharistic Ministers

Mon. Shirely Barber
Tues. Joyce Boone
Wed. Fabian Cambron
Thurs. Perry Carrico
Fri. School
Sat. Joe David Clements

Liturgical Roles (Next Weekend)

Gift Bearers

4:30 p.m. Rose Marylyn Boone
8:30 a.m. Deanna McElroy & Family
10:30 a.m. Susan Smith, Ann Grigsby

Lectors

4:30 p.m. John Cecconi Sr., Bonnie Hamilton
8:30 a.m. Jerry & Inez Grider
10:30 a.m. David & Lynn Foster

Servers

4:30 p.m. Grant Hilton, Belle Begley
Pablo Hernandez
8:30 a.m. Andrew Blandford
Kayleen Taylor, Fran Taylor
10:30 a.m. Monica Keene, Ava Abell
Lakin Osbourne

Liturgical Roles (Monthly)

Altar Caretakers for AUGUST

Anne Simms (wk. 1), Julee Jones (wk. 2)
Mollie Bystrek (wk. 3), Volunteer (wk. 4)

Purificator Washing Committee Member for AUG.

Sally Isaacs

Euch. Min. to the Sick & Homebound for AUG.

Beverly Sagrecy (Group A)
Reba Hamilton (Group B, East & West Wings)
Sally Isaacs (Group C)

Weekend Eucharistic Ministers for AUGUST

4:30 p.m. Angela Young, Cindy Begley
Lori Tucker, Volunteer
8:30 a.m. Reba Hamilton, Joyce Boone
Steve & Vicki Mattingly
10:30 a.m. Jana Jones, Fabian Cambron
Beverly Sagrecy, Volunteer

Weekend Ushers for AUGUST

4:30 p.m. Paul Borders, Steve Kelly, 2 Volunteers
8:30 a.m. Mike McCain, Michael McCain
Scott Mudd, Volunteer
10:30 a.m. Michael Hale, Stephen Hale
Tim Donnelly, Greg Greathouse

Weekend Greeters for AUGUST

4:30 p.m. Forrest & Faye Carrico
8:30 a.m. Stephanie Frantz & Family
10:30 a.m. Lauren Story, Dawn Curtsinger

MENTIONS, MEETINGS, EVENTS & REMINDERS

Our condolences in Christ to Charles Wheatley & Bonnie Hamilton for the passing of their grandson, Tyler Hamilton. Please keep the entire Hamilton family in your prayers at this most difficult time.

Blessings & Happy Anniversary to Hank & Mary Jane (Barber) Schmidt who are celebrating 50 years of Marriage!! It's great to have you and your family with us at Mass this weekend.

American Red Cross Blood Drive @ St. D on Sunday, Aug. 2 from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Give the gift of life, donate this weekend!

St. Dominic "Steak" Fall Social will be held on Sat., 9/26/15. Kitchen Chairs: Pat & Melissa Taylor, Kitchen Co-chair: Cassie Michalski, Booth Chairs: Brooke & Brian Coulter, Booth Co-chairs: Needed. As you can see things are starting to come together, now we only need booth co-chairs. Please contact the parish office @ 336-3569 if you might be interested in filling this spot.

School News: Meet Your Teacher Night is Monday, 5-7 PM. Yearbooks have arrived and will be available for pickup on Monday. If you need to purchase a yearbook, extra copies will be available for purchase during Meet Your Teacher Night. Opening Day for students P-8 is Thursday, August 6. School starts at 7:55 AM. If you are the parent of a new student, please join us for our opening school Mass on Friday, August 7. We will recognize all of our new students as well as their families at the end of Mass.

School Board News: At our August 19 meeting at 6:30 p.m., we will welcome five new members to our St. Dominic School Board: Charissa Greathouse, Michelle Mulholland, Annie Roution, Amy Taylor and Nicole Wilson. Many thanks to these parish members who have served so well and who have completed their terms on the board this year: Jennifer Dean, Susan McCain, Jane Moore, Alicia O'Cull and Michael Smith.

Women's Retreat: *Garden Getaway*, a one day retreat for women of *all* ages, will take place at St. Dominic on Saturday, August 22, 2015 from 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. in the church basement. Cost is \$20, which will cover cost of materials. Breakfast and lunch will be provided. So that we have enough materials for all participants, pre-registration is required. Forms can be found in the back of church, picked up from the parish office, or downloaded from our church website - stdomparish.org (click on home<documents<women's retreat reg. form). Ladies, what a wonderful opportunity to relax, spend time with friends, make new friends, and strengthen your faith and relationship with God!

Thanks! Dominic's Closet had Customers Appreciation Week for the customers! We had a wonderful week! Thanks to Parkview IGA/Greg Simms for food and Community Action/Tiffany Wheatley for food any tables! A big Thank You to all the volunteers that helped make the week a big success! ~Donna Kelly

Bake Sale: St. Dominic Youth Ministry will be selling baked goods this Sunday after Mass. Proceeds will go towards expenses for nine of our youth attending the National Catholic Youth Conference in Indianapolis later this year. Stop by for a sweet treat!!

Thanks: We would like to thank everyone for supporting our recent bake sale at IGA. Thanks to your generosity, we raised \$375 for our upcoming NCYC (National Catholic Youth Conference) trip to Indianapolis in November. We are so excited about this opportunity to interact with Catholic youth from around the country and learn more about our faith! Thanks again, St. Dominic Youth Ministry

Preservation Campaign: Pledges to date: \$553,000.00. Extra pledge packets have been placed on the table in the back of church should anyone need one. Starting in September, 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.

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. Pre-registration not required.

Upcoming Bulletin Announcements

(not yet posted in paper form):

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.

Peter's Pence Collection: Aug. 15-16. This collection provides Pope Francis with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world. The proceeds benefit the most disadvantaged: victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Join our Holy Father as a witness of charity to those who are suffering.

Attn: Parish & School Families

Women's Conference: Interested in being involved in the **Catholic Women's Conference**? We are looking for FABULOUS ladies in EVERY PARISH in the Archdiocese of Louisville to be representatives, helping us to share and spread the word about this amazing event. Email Barbara Klump at boklump@yahoo.com if you want to participate. We need YOU!! Also, The Catholic Women's Conference Louisville has developed a new blog and Facebook page. "LIKE" the Facebook page, <https://www.facebook.com/cwclouisville>, and "FOLLOW" to the blog <http://cwclouisville.net/>.

Family Resources: The Archdiocese of Louisville has created a website in support of the World Meeting of Families in Philadelphia and the Papal Visit, both of which will take place in September. The purpose of this website is to provide as many resources and experiences (through streaming video) as possible so that families in the Archdiocese of Louisville can share in the fruits of these events through prayer, education, and action in the weeks leading up to, during the week of the World Meeting and Papal Visit, and as the Synod on the Family takes place in October. Visit and bookmark the site at <http://archlouwmof.weebly.com/>; we will be adding new resources as they become available.

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 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.