



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.

October 11, 2015 ~ 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

DISCIPLESHIP AND WEALTH

Sometimes we get the idea that having material wealth is a bad thing. We may convince ourselves that it is the poor who are favored. In today's readings, we discover that material wealth alone does not keep us from discipleship. We will see that there are other gifts more important than material wealth, but even so, it is how we use our gifts that matters most. Today's scriptures point to the value of the gifts of wisdom, trusting in God, and letting our actions reflect the love of God from within. It is not gold that causes us to fall, but rather the desire for gold above all other things. From the readings in Wisdom and Hebrews, we find the source of God's gifts in our lives. Wisdom is more valuable than worldly possessions. In Hebrews, we are challenged to look at our own values and admit honestly what controls our lives.

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28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 11, 2015



REMEMBER TO KEEP IN YOUR

PRAYERS: Unborn & Elderly, U.S. Military, Helen Parrott, Judy Mudd, Sarah O'Bryan, Bradlee Aguilar, Ralph Hamilton, David Devine, Pee Wee Nally, Patricia O'Bryan, Reed Spaulding, Darrell Smith, Kyle Logsdon, Dickie Mudd, Sue Carter, Richard Stover, Theresa Carey Coppock, Doris Coulter, Donnie Parrott, Russell Buckman, Brent Mattingly, Parker Beam, Andrew Osborne, Mary Peterson, Annie Boone Roution, Jeanne Hanley, Mollie Kennedy, Janet Mattingly, 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, 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: Audrey Edelen, 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

October 12-18, 2015

Monday: Weekday

8:30 a.m. Emanuel, Mary Jane & Danny Carrico

Tuesday: Weekday

5:30 p.m. Gail Simms Ogburn

Wednesday: Weekday

8:30 a.m. Dorothy Ballard

Thursday: St. Teresa of Jesus

5:30 p.m. Emily Smith

Friday: Weekday

8:30 a.m. Jeanette Reed

Saturday: St. Ignatius of Antioch

8:30 a.m. Margaret Mudd

4:30 p.m. Diane Holt

Sunday: 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 a.m. For the Parish

10:30 a.m. Fannie O'Nan

Spanish Mass @ 2 p.m.

\$\$ Weekly Collections \$\$

October 4, 2015

Sunday Collection: \$6,949.00

During the Week: \$150.00

Automatic Withdrawal: \$12,894.32

Total Received: \$19,993.32

**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: \$224,265.25

Tithing Budget: \$193,858.00

Overage/ Shortage: +\$30,407.25

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: \$1,295.00

Weekly Preservation Campaign Contributions: \$2,804.11

Capital Campaign Building Fund Loan Balance: \$630,498.93

Amount of Monthly Payment: \$15,066.64

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

How did the church deal with “daily sins” in the first five centuries? As devout and observant as they were, our early fathers and mothers in faith could not have been all that different from us. Maybe they looked the other way when the grocer threw an extra fig in the shopping basket, or had a wandering eye for the widow next door, or had a taste for too much ale, or didn’t let the truth get in the way of a good story. First of all, there was the Eucharist. The words are familiar: “This is the cup of my blood, poured out for the forgiveness of sin.” Especially by participating in Communion from the cup, forgiveness was achieved. Eucharist was, and remains, the sacrament of reconciliation *par excellence*, the sign and source of unity with Christ.

There were other helps along the way: “fraternal” correction, or the course corrections we offer one another in love, prayer, fasting, works of mercy. St. Augustine listed endurance of suffering, forgiveness of insults, and added the praying of the Lord’s Prayer in the liturgy. He felt that the public praying of the Our Father on Sunday and its daily use in private prayer was an essential remedy and the reason why everyone was not a candidate for canonical penance. Inherited from Augustine’s practice, the Lord’s Prayer in our Communion Rite still has the same purpose, preparing us for receiving and becoming the Body of Christ.

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Liturgical Roles (Weekdays)

Lectors

Mon. Catherine Clements
Tues. Perry Carrico
Wed. Reba Hamilton
Thurs. Wassie Parrott
Fri. School
Sat. Rita Rust

Eucharistic Ministers

Mon. Betty Carol Barber
Tues. Shirley Barber
Wed. Joyce Boone
Thurs. Fabian Cambron
Fri. School
Sat. Perry Carrico

Liturgical Roles (Next Weekend)

Gift Bearers

4:30 p.m. Mary Lynne Fenwick & Family
8:30 a.m. Mike & Cheryl Mattingly
10:30 a.m. Ames O’Nan & Family

Lectors

4:30 p.m. Mo Edelen, Bonnie Hamilton
8:30 a.m. Jimmy & Jenny Taylor
10:30 a.m. Sr. Gen Ducan, Sr. Marilyn King

Servers

4:30 p.m. Pablo Hernandez, Joey Libby
Joshua Curtsinger
8:30 a.m. Jack Matherly, Hunter Hall
Ben Whitney
10:30 a.m. Layne Riley, Travis Mudd
Wyatt Sallee

Liturgical Roles (Monthly)

Altar Caretakers for OCTOBER

Brooke Coulter (wk. 1), Betty Nell Hamilton (wk. 2)
Maria Simms (wk. 3), Jacqueline Walker (wk. 4)

Purificator Washing Committee Member for OCT.

Marylyn Boone

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

Belle Sutton (Group A), John Boyd Reed (Group B), Steve & Vicki Mattingly (Group C)

Weekend Eucharistic Ministers for OCT.

4:30 p.m. Jane Essex, Angela Young
Bonnie Hamilton, Volunteer
8:30 a.m. Teresa Lynn, Martha Ann Hardin
Ben Smith, Katie Simms
10:30 a.m. Louis & Betty Carol Barber
Phil Chatigny, Wassie Parrott

Weekend Ushers for OCTOBER

4:30 p.m. Kenny Begley, Daniel Carney
2 Volunteers
8:30 a.m. Martin, Dominic & Jack Murphy
Paul Noel
10:30 a.m. Curry Haydon, Jonathan Jones
Brian Lanham, Volunteer

Weekend Greeters for OCTOBER

4:30 p.m. Maurice & Isabelle Begley
8:30 a.m. Tim & Ann Grigsby
10:30 a.m. Lois Taylor, Joyce Reddick

MENTIONS, MEETINGS, EVENTS & REMINDERS

October is Respect Life Month and our Elizabeth Ministry/Respect Life Group at St. Dominic has put together a display in the entryway of church. We hope you will take the time to stop by EACH week to see what the month-long display has to offer and notice what we've been asked to add to it. Also, the Rosary will be offered up for the intentions of Respect Life on Saturday mornings following the 8:30 a.m. Mass in October, rosary will start at approximately @ 9:15 a.m. Please join in.

Respect Life Prayer Intention for the Week: It is fall so there is a lot of activity on college campuses all across our state. But there is homesickness, loneliness, and temptation, too. Pray for all Kentucky college students that they would steer clear of compromising situations and risky behavior. Pray through Proverbs 1:4-6

Parish Council will meet on Thursday, 11/5 @ 6:15 p.m. Guests: Elizabeth Ministry/Respect Life Group
Catholic Women's Conference 2015: Have you registered for the Catholic Women's Conference in the Archdiocese of Louisville? Please register before Oct. 24th to ensure availability. Join hundreds of Catholic women on Saturday, November 7, 2015 at St. Patrick Church who have already registered for prayer, inspiring speakers, and celebration! Val Limar Jansen will present the keynote address and Archbishop Kurtz will preside at Mass. To register go online to www.cwclouisville.net. Please "follow" our web page www.cwclouisville.net and "like" us on Facebook (www.facebook.com/cwclouisville) to receive updates and information about this conference!

Youth Group will be held this Wednesday, October 14th from 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. in the church basement.

Choir Rehearsal: October 14 at 6:30 p.m. – choir loft

K4J will meet this Thursday, October 15th from 6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Chili Supper: Holy Rosary Church, Manton, 6684 Cissellville Rd., will be having a Chili Supper in their Parish Hall on Sunday, October 18, 2015 from 12 Noon to 4 PM. Live Music, Live Auction and Free Bounce House for the kids. Menu: Chili, Bean Soup, Hot Dogs, Dessert & Drink. Donations accepted.

Holy Rosary/St. Dominic Cemetery Fall Clean-up: Sat., Oct. 17 from 8:30-10:30 a.m. Bring your gas powered trimmers, blowers, manual &/or gas hedge trimmers, work gloves, heavy duty trash bags and rakes. If you don't have any of these items, then just bring yourself! Please join in!! Questions may be directed to Johnny Murphy at 336-4073.

Other Announcements

(not yet posted in paper form):

Catholic High School Placement Test: Saturday, DECEMBER 12 from 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Incoming freshmen are required to take the placement test at the Catholic high school they plan to attend. Students should bring \$10 and (2) #2 pencils. If the HSPT is canceled due to inclement weather, it will be rescheduled for the following Saturday in December.