



## **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.*

*August 13, 2017 ~ 19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*

### NOTHING TO FEAR

A rabbi was asked why God sends trials and troubles into human lives. “Because God gets lonely for his people” was the reply. There is some resonance with this wisdom in today’s Gospel, as Jesus makes his disciples get into a boat without him and goes off alone while they venture into stormy waters. Of course, neither Jews nor Christians believe that the Almighty plays this sort of whimsical game with them, but there is some truth in the statement that we don’t turn to God for saving help until we’re in a bind. Peter’s role today, as it is throughout the New Testament, is to be a sign or to represent each member of the church and the whole church. Our story is the tale told about Peter’s faith today. What can bolster our faith is that even when Christ calls us to face bravely the tempests of life, if we are walking through them with our eyes fixed on him in faith, we have nothing to fear. Even when we falter or sink, simply crying “Lord, save me!” is enough to help us know the steady grasp of God’s hand. Then, sheltered inside the walls of faith, the storms we endure lose their power over us.

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# 19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ord. Time

August 13, 2017



## **REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

Unborn & Elderly, U.S. Military, Addictions, John Begley, Bob Mulligan, Tommy Kidwell, Sue Carter, Smith Fogle, Harold Gootee, Nancy Whitlock, Mary Ann Duvall, Wilma Grigsby, JoAnn Cambron, Dr. Anthony O'Daniel & Med. Staff, Paul Herth, Mary Ellen Ritchie, Kendra Fields, Connie Allen, Mike (Moochie) Smith, Stewart Spalding, Lee Jones, Sandy Smith Peterson, Colin Walker, Helen Parrott, Fr. McGrath, Betty Howard, Ken Medley, Bootsie Nally, Nora Smith & Cassie Robinson. Let us also pray for our own parish members and others, who are homebound, in assisted living or nursing homes, especially: Charlotte Russell, Audrey Edelen, Lloyd Haydon & John Barber Simms.

*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 14-20, 2017**

Monday: Vigil Mass-Assumption of Mary

6:30 p.m. (not 8:30 a.m.) For the Parish

Tuesday: Holy Day Assumption of Mary

8:30 a.m. Jeff Boone

NOON Kenny & Barbara Corbett

Wednesday: Weekday

8:30 a.m. Judy Mudd

Thursday: Weekday

8:30 a.m. (not 5:30 p.m.) Paul "Smitty" Smith

Friday: Weekday

8:30 a.m. Clara Mae Blandford

Saturday: Weekday

8:30 a.m. Henry & Julia Wimsatt

4:30 p.m. Ruth Ann Goatley Raikes & Missy Goatley Raikes

Sunday: 20<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 a.m. Bud Hardin, Debbie Barber & Natalie

10:30 p.m. Frank Taylor

2:00 p.m. For the Parish

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

**August 6, 2017**

**Sunday Collection:** \$14,450.00

**During the Week:** \$3,620.00

**Automatic Withdrawal:** \$13,975.33

**Total Received:** \$32,045.33

## **Fiscal Year TITHING Contribution Summary**

**(July 1, 2017 – June 30, 2018)**

**Tithing Contributions:** \$122,595.04

**Tithing Budget:** \$84,808.00

**Overage/ Shortage:** \$+37,787.04

**Annual Budget:** \$735,000.00

\*\*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.

## **Campaign**

**Weekly Orig. Capital Campaign/ BFOH Contributions:** \$430.00

**Weekly Preservation Campaign Contributions:** \$2,109.10

**Capital Campaign Building Fund Loan Balance:** \$323,041.54

## Weekday Liturgical Roles

### Lectors

- Mon. Martin Murphy (6:30 p.m.)  
Tues. Students (8:30 a.m.)  
Wassie Parrott (NOON)  
Wed. Joyce Boone  
Thurs. Shirley Barber (8:30 a.m.)  
Fri. Reba Hamilton  
Sat. Catherine Clements

### Eucharistic Ministers

- Mon. Volunteers (6:30 p.m.)  
Tues. Students (8:30 a.m.)  
Volunteers (NOON)  
Wed. Jerry Mudd  
Thurs. Katie Simms (8:30 a.m.)  
Fri. Wassie Parrott  
Sat. Ione Pinkston

## Liturgical Roles (Next Weekend)

### Gift Bearers

- 4:30 p.m. John & Jane Essex  
8:30 a.m. Martha Ann Hardin  
10:30 a.m. Catherine Clements

### Lectors

- 4:30 p.m. Courtney Murphy, Rita Rust  
8:30 a.m. Sarah Downs  
Melynda Matherly  
10:30 a.m. Melissa Taylor, Perry Carrico

### Servers

- 4:30 p.m. Pablo Hernandez  
Celeste Graves, Carter Hilton  
8:30 a.m. Bella Murphy  
Kayleen Taylor, Hunter Hall  
10:30 a.m. Lakin Osbourne  
Ava Abell  
Raegan Abell  
Dustin Taylor

## Liturgical Roles (Monthly)

### Altar Caretakers for AUGUST

- (wk. 1) Anne Simms  
(wk. 2) Julee Jones  
(wk. 3) Mollie Bystrek  
(wk. 4) Betty Lou Montgomery

### Purificator Washing Committee Member for AUG.

Sally Isaacs

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

- (Group A) Mary Ann Hale  
(Group B) Mary Lou Robertson  
(Group C) Reba Hamilton

### Weekend Eucharistic Ministers for AUG.

- 4:30 p.m. Dianne Kelly, Ione Pinkston  
2 Volunteers  
8:30 a.m. Maura Walker, Teresa Lynn  
Cheryl Mattingly, Colette Hill  
10:30 a.m. Louis & Betty Carol Barber  
Fabian Cambron  
Mary Ann Hale

### Weekend Ushers for AUGUST

- 4:30 p.m. Tommy & Christopher Begley  
2 Volunteers  
8:30 a.m. Lance Smith, Glenn Mattingly  
Keith Nash, Volunteer  
10:30 a.m. Ashley Burns, Leonard Abell  
Scott Coulter, Jeremy Mackin

### Weekend Greeters for AUGUST

- 4:30 p.m. Michael & Crystal Graves  
& Family  
8:30 a.m. Tara Osbourne & Family  
10:30 a.m. Holli Yates & Family

What liturgical roles have you &/or your family been asked to fulfill next week/weekend, or for the month? Have you been asked to be a Lector, Eucharistic Minister, Gift Bearer, Server, Altar Caretaker, Homebound Minister, Usher, Greeter, Etc.? Thank you for sharing in our ministries here at St. Dominic Church.

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

**Holy Day of Obligation:** Masses for The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be offered up on Monday at 6:30 p.m. & on Tuesday at 8:30 a.m. & Noon.

**Religious Education (CCD)** begins on September 6, 2017. Classes are held each Wed. evening from 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. Registration packets have been mailed to last year's students. New families can stop by the parish office to pick up a packet or download from the church website (stdomparish.org). Please turn in registration form no later than September 1st.

**St. D Fall Social:** Saturday, September 16<sup>th</sup> from 4-8 p.m. This year's chairs are Cassie Michalski (Kitchen), Stephen & Sarah Parrott (Booths). Steak Meal \$12, Hamburger/Hotdog Meal \$6. Fall Social info has been put in the mail. **Please stop by the breezeway of the church to volunteer for a two-hour shift at this year's Social. We do need your help! ☺**

**School News:** Welcome to a new school year! Our enrollment is up (207 students in P-8), our best year in the last six years. Tuesday, August 15, is a Holy Day of Obligation. Students will go to Mass at 8:30 AM. Special Friends Lunch for the 8<sup>th</sup> grade is Thursday, August 17. Lunch begins at 11:40 AM, and guests should plan to arrive by 11:30 AM.

**SET Training:** St. Dominic will host Safe Environment Training on Thursday, September 14, 2017 at 6:30 p.m. in the church basement.

**Choir Rehearsal** on Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. in the church basement, **Hand Chimes Rehearsal** to follow at 7:30 p.m.

**Peter's Pence** will be taken up the weekend of Aug. 19/20, this collection supports efforts of our Holy Father in areas where the Church struggles to be a visible sign of charity. This includes poor dioceses where many are dependent on the Church for social and pastoral support; regions where Catholics are persecuted for their faith; and nations overloaded with refugees and victims of war and natural disasters. This collection provides the Holy Father with the means to respond to those suffering as a result of war, oppression, natural disaster, and disease. An envelope for this special collection can be found in your tithing packet.

**The St. D Newspaper Recycling** drive is held the second Monday of the month, weather permitting. There is no pick-up during the months of July & December. If you live within city limits & participate in our newspaper drive, please have your papers by the curb no later than 9 A.M. This will help accommodate the volunteers who need to do pick-up in the morning hours. Pick-up times vary from driver to driver. Thanks!

**St. D Senior Citizens "Not So Back-to-School" Mass & Breakfast:** We will host a breakfast for the Senior Citizens of our parish on Wed., Sept. 20th. Join us in celebration of the Mass at 8:30 a.m. followed by breakfast in the church basement. No Charge. We will be serving a variety of breakfast foods, cooked up by volunteers from within our parish. We will also be adding in a bit of fun! We do need a little help from our seniors who plan to attend, & this is where you can help us out. If you plan on attending, please register by filling out a RSVP form (in the pews) & drop it in the collection basket or email stdom@bellsouth.net (by Mon., Sept. 11). This will help us greatly in preparing. Should you have any questions, please contact Sonya at the parish office. We look forward to hearing from you!

**Info temporarily removed from bulletin &/or not yet printed in paper form:**

**Dedication/Memorial Bricks:** Stop by the “Garden of Paradise” at the rear of the church to see the dedication/ memorial bricks. Brick orders are currently being taken for engraved bricks (dedications or memorials) at a cost of \$150 each. Contact Sonya the Parish Office for details. **OUR NEXT ORDER WILL BE SUBMITTED** at the end of August.

**Cookbooks:** The reprinting of the original St. D Cookbook done in 2004 is now available. With over 800 recipes in hardback cookbook, this is the perfect Christmas presents for friends & family. Cookbooks can be purchased at Nancy’s Place, Hardin’s Jewelry, St. D School & Parish office. Cost: \$20. All proceeds benefit St. Dominic School. These cookbooks would be an excellent gift for any holiday, birthdays &/or weddings.

**Help & Hope for Struggling Marriages:** Do you have little or no communication in your marriage? Are you thinking of separation or divorce, or are you already separated or divorced but want to try again? Retrouvaille, a peer ministry for hurting marriages, consists of a Weekend experience and six additional four-hour-long Post Weekend Sessions. The next Louisville Retrouvaille program will begin the weekend of September 15-17, 2017. For information or to register, call (502) 479-3329 or (800) 470-2230. Information can also be found online at [www.HelpOurMarriage.com](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.com). Registrations accepted on a space available basis. Confidentiality is assured.

**Looking Ahead!** St. Dominic Belle Choir & Hispanic Music Ministry will be participating in Springfield’s “Praise Fest” on Sunday, October 1, as part of this year’s Sorghum Festival. It’s great that St. D will be

represented, let’s show our support & mark our calendars to attend.

**IGA Receipts, BOXTOPS for Educations & Campbell’s labels** are all fundraisers for our school. We ask that you continually save them and drop them in the wooden boxes in the back of church.

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

**Interested in becoming a Eucharistic Minister for St. Dominic Church?** Communion Minister Formation is a two-session program for those preparing to serve as Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion in their parishes, as well as those who are presently serving in this role but have not attended this program in the past, or maybe need a mandate renewal. The program will include the Theology of the Eucharist, Liturgical Ministry and the Practical Aspects of the Role of the Communion Minister. This formation program will fulfill the training portion of the canonical mandate required for Extraordinary Ministers. Most Communion Minister Formation programs are a TWO-session program, however, on Sat., Sept. 9, 2017, from 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., @ St. Augustine Church, Lebanon, KY, this training will be offered in a ONE-day session. If you are interested in attending, please contact Sonya @ the St. D Parish Office @ 336-3569 /stdom@bellsouth.net. This program is rarely offered in a one-day session; consider taking this opportunity while it's so close to home.