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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.

February 4, 2018 ~ 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

TIRELESS DISCIPLESHIP

The stories we've been hearing these weeks come from the very first chapter of Mark, and they show us the public ministry of Jesus in its infancy. Today's account shows some of the strain or adjustment of his new life of preaching the reign of God, healing the sick, and casting out demons. Notice that after sunset, when darkness ended the workday, people brought the sick and possessed to Jesus. The following day he rose before dawn to get away by himself to pray, but to no avail. Simon Peter and the others don't just look for him, they pursue him, filled with the fervor that his ministry has incited. With the self-sacrificing example he gave until the end of his earthly life, he tells his followers that this is his whole purpose. Through Mark, he is also telling the early church, and he is telling us, that this is our purpose, our vocation: to be tireless in our pursuit of proclaiming the Good News, and in bringing the healing, reconciling touch of Christ to the world.

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February 4, 2018
5th Sunday of Ordinary Time



REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Unborn & Elderly, U.S. Military, Addictions, Betty Lou Montgomery, Dora Martinez, Bradlee Aguilar, Dave Smith, Jamie Cecil, Tom Cambron, Ann Thompson, Ralph Blandford, Corky Yankey, Mason Blandford, Logan Chevalier, Elizabeth Bradshaw, Norma Medley, Sue Carter, Richard Medley, Bob Mulligan, Tommy Kidwell, Mary Wilkerson (of Bardstown), Smith Fogle, Harold Gootee, Mary Gootee Chesser, Nancy Whitlock, JoAnn Cambron, Mary Ellen Ritchie, Connie Allen, Moochie Smith, Lee Jones, Sandy Smith Peterson, Colin Walker, Helen Parrott, Fr. McGrath, 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, Nancy Hardin & Mary Rita Nally.

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

Feb. 5-11, 2018

Monday: St. Agatha

**8:30 a.m. Bill Medley &
Clara Mae Blandford**

Tuesday: St. Paul Miki & Companions

5:30 p.m. Henry & Julia Wimsatt

Wednesday: Weekday

8:30 a.m. Foster & Gertrude O'Bryan

Thursday: Weekday

5:30 p.m. Powell Boone

Friday: Weekday

8:30 a.m. Dorothy & Borgia Buckler

Saturday: Sr. Scholastica

8:30 a.m. Danny Medley

4:30 p.m. Patricia O'Bryan

Sunday: 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 a.m. Jake & Amy Cambron

10:30 a.m. Joe David Barber

2:00 p.m. (Spanish Mass) For the Parish

\$\$ Weekly Collections \$\$

January 28, 2018

Sunday Collection: \$5,907.25

During the Week: \$485.00

Automatic Withdrawal: \$0

Total Received: \$6,392.25

Fiscal Year TITHING Contribution Summary

(July 1, 2017 – June 30, 2018)

Tithing Contributions: \$497,450.00

Tithing Budget: \$438,173.00

Overage/ Shortage: \$59,277.00

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: \$0

Weekly Preservation Campaign Contributions: \$366.89

Capital Campaign Building Fund Loan Balance: \$236,517.36

Amount of Monthly Payment: \$15,066.64

Weekday Liturgical Roles

Lectors

Mon. Rita Rust
Tues. Perry Carrico
Wed. Belle Sutton
Thurs. Shirley Barber
Fri. School
Sat. Mary Ann Hale

Eucharistic Ministers

Mon. Wassie Parrott
Tues. Katie Simms
Wed. Betty Carol Barber
Thurs. Ione Pinkston
Fri. School
Sat. Belle Sutton

Liturgical Roles for Next Weekend

Gift Bearers

4:30 p.m. Juan & Melissa Saucedo
8:30 a.m. Fabian Cambron
10:30 a.m. Louis & Betty Carol Barber

Lectors

4:30 p.m. Courtney Murphy
Lori Tucker
8:30 a.m. Jimmy & Jenny Taylor
10:30 a.m. Theresa Mattingly
Jana Jones

Servers

4:30 p.m. Rod Lozano, Celeste
Graves, Meredith O'Cull
8:30 a.m. Katelyn & Kathryn Noel
Hunter Hall
10:30 a.m. Blake Brady, Cameron Jones
Lakin & Addison Osbourne

Liturgical Roles (Monthly)

Altar Caretakers for FEBRUARY

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

Purificator Washing Committee Member for FEB. Martha Hinton

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

(Group A) Shirley Barber
(Group B) Sally Isaacs
(Group C) Susan McCain

Weekend Eucharistic Ministers for FEB.

4:30 p.m. Dianne Kelly, Ione Pinkston
Deanna McElroy, Volunteer
8:30 a.m. Sally Isaacs, Linda Parrott
Katie Simms, Volunteer
10:30 a.m. Louis & Betty Carol Barber
Belle Sutton, Wassie Parrott

Weekend Ushers for FEBRUARY

4:30 p.m. Tommy & Christopher Begley
2 Volunteers
8:30 a.m. Stephen Parrott, Steve Mattingly
Sport Hamilton, Volunteer
10:30 a.m. Brian & Luke Mattingly
Brandon & Logan Wilson

Weekend Greeters for FEBRUARY

(Breezeway entrance & Bell tower)

4:30 p.m. Elaine Downs, Cassie Michalski
8:30 a.m. Julee Jones, Lyle Smith
10:30 a.m. Joe Paul & Vickie Brady

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.?

MENTIONS, MEETINGS, EVENTS & REMINDERS

Our Condolences in Christ to Theresa Lynn for the passing of her mother, Bernice Smith. Please know that St. Dominic is keeping you in our prayers at this most difficult time.

Kids 4 Jesus will meet again on Thursday, February 15th.

Choir Rehearsal: Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. in the church basement

St. D Adult Bible Study: Mondays from 6:30-7:30 p.m. - church basement. Contact: Colette Hill (859) 481-4950

Adult Yoga Classes: St. Dominic Church is hosting Beginner Yoga Classes for adults under the direction of Ruth Ann Cocanougher on Tuesday evenings. **Chair Yoga from 6-6:45 p.m.** & **Beginner Yoga from 6:45-7:45 p.m.** at St. D Church, weather permitting. Classes will be for adults with & without experience. Bring yourself & a mat, if you don't have a mat, bring yourself and & a beach towel. No cost, pre-registration is not necessary & remember, neither is experience. Give it a try! Should you have any questions, contact Ruth Ann at 859-481-1805 or ruthcocan@gmail.com.

St. D School 6th Annual Night of Knights: Sat., Feb. 17, 2018 @ St. Dominic Parish Community Center. Tom Keene, Class of 1971 will be the Keynote Speaker. Alumni & Friends Mass at 4:30 PM. Wine & Cheese Social Hour at 5:30 PM, with Dinner at 6:30 PM. Speaker & Awards from 7:30-9:00 PM. Awards to be Presented are Alumnus of the Year • Hall of Fame • Knight Award • Light Your Torch Award. TICKETS are \$25 per person & must be purchased in advance (by 2/14/18) at Hale Realty, St. Dominic Parish office & St. Dominic School office. All St. Dominic School Alumni & Friends are invited to attend!

School News: Thanks to all the volunteers who helped with our Catholic Schools Week lunch and student free time. Special thanks to Lee Hood for providing the luncheon for faculty and staff. Congratulations to our school spelling bee winners: Alex Taylor (5th), 1st place; Emma Mattingly (6th), 2nd place; Malissa Sallee (7th), 3rd place. Taylor and Mattingly went on to compete last week in the Washington Co. District Spelling Bee, where Emma was runner-up. THIS WEEK: Penny Day is Wednesday. There will be a Jr. Beta Leadership meeting from 3-4:15 PM on Wednesday. Special Friends Lunch (1st grade) is at 10:55 on Thursday. Our last Box Tops collection day of the year is Thursday. Student representatives Layne Riley and Kayleen Taylor (8th) along with Catie Taylor and Andrew Wilson (7th) will be attending the annual Rice Bowl Luncheon. This event is sponsored by Catholic Charities and will take place on Thursday at Presentation Academy in Louisville.

Call to action for Catholic Schools: The Kentucky General Assembly is considering House Bill 134 and Senate Bill 36. These bills create a Scholarship Tax Credit Program in Kentucky which would increase tuition assistance for students who want to attend non-public elementary and high schools, including Catholic schools. You can leave a message by phone by calling 1-800-372-7181. If you call, the operator on the line will assist you in getting the message to the correct Representative and Senator. Your voice matters. Make it heard by contacting your legislators today and encouraging others to do the same.

Box Tops: St. Dominic School will have their last collection day for the school year on Thursday, February 8th. Please send your any Box Tops you've collected to any St. Dominic School student.

Tuition Assistance: The deadline to apply for Catholic Education Foundation tuition assistance is February 28th. Families who pay tuition at Catholic high schools or Catholic elementary schools are eligible to apply. For more information or to complete the online application, go to www.ceflou.org.

The St. D Newspaper Recycling drive is held the second Monday of the month, weather permitting. 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. There is no pick-up during the months of July & December.

Opportunities for Life needs YOU. A girl facing a difficult decision regarding life of her unborn baby needs you YOU. A baby whose mom is thinking about abortion needs YOU. You can help her and her baby. OFL is a ministry of the Kentucky Catholic Bishops serving abortion vulnerable women & men. Volunteers offer hope, compassion, counseling & resources to callers who find the courage to seek help. Volunteers are needed to staff the 24 hour helpline from their homes. If you have a heart for life affirming ministry, please call (888)496-3638 to learn more about this ministry and a training workshop in your diocese.

Knights of Columbus Fish Fry (Springfield): Every Friday during Lent, **starting Feb. 16th**, from 4:30-7:30 p.m. All you can eat: Alaskan Pollack, Potato Wedges, Slaw, Hush Puppies, Bean Soup, Cornbread, Coffee or Tea. Drive thru available. Adults: \$9, Children 6-12: \$5, Children 5 & under eat free.