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.

July 21, 2019 ~ 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

A MINDSET OF SERVICE

There’s a lot of traveling, delivering, and visiting going on in our readings today. In Genesis Abraham cares for the needs of three mysterious travelers. The psalm responds, celebrating the kind of righteousness that Abraham practices. Then, in his letter to the Colossians, Saint Paul describes his own ministry as almost like a delivery service: he, God’s steward, brings the word of God to their community. Finally, Luke’s Gospel shares the well-known story of Mary and Martha, and the different ways they welcome Jesus into their home. Amid all this coming and going, we are invited to pay attention to the ways we tend to the needs of others.

Each of us can ask, How am I present to God and others in my life?

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MENTIONS, MEETINGS, EVENTS & REMINDERS

Welcoming Celebration & Potluck: Let’s come together as a parish in welcoming Fr. David Farrell as our new pastor, on Saturday, August 17th, in the gym, following the 4:30 p.m. Mass. Attendees are asked to bring a side-dish to share at the potluck gathering. Hamburgers, hotdogs & drinks will be provided. Let us know you’ll be attending with a simple RSVP, by signing the sheet in the entryway, via email or phone (stdom@bellsouth.net/ 336-3569), by Fri., Aug. 9. Your RSVP will help us plan accordingly.

Communion Minister Update Session @ St. D Church on Tues., Aug. 5 from 6-8 p.m. This Communion Minister Update Session is for eucharistic 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 (859-336-3569/stdom@bellsouth.net) at the parish office to see if your 5-year mandate has expired or is nearing expiration.

Religious Education (RE): First class for the new school year is Wednesday, September 4, 2019. Classes are held each Wednesday evening from 6:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m. for children in grades K-8 that do not attend a Catholic school. Registration packets have been mailed to last year’s students. Families having children that will be new to our RE program can stop by the parish office and pick up a registration packet.

St. Dominic "Steak" Fall Social will be held on Sat., Sept. 21st. Kitchen Chair: Cassie Michalski, Booth Chair(s) are NEEDED. Please contact the parish office @ 336-3569 if you might be interested in filling this spot.

Manton Music Jamboree: Fr. Michael Martin and Holy Rosary Church (Manton) would like to invite everyone to their annual Manton Music Jamboree on Sun., July 28, noon to dusk. Admission is free. Food & beverages are available on site or bring your own! Raffle tickets will be sold. Bring a lawn chair and enjoy live entertainment by local musicians! License #0000130

Holy Rosary Church Annual Picnic (Springfield): Sat., Aug. 3 from 4-8 p.m. Meal choices: Fried Chicken or Mutton served with green beans, corn pudding, potato salad, pie & tea. Adults: $10, Ages 10 & under: $7. Come join the fun the meal, fun & games! License#00640

SET Training: St. Dominic will host Safe Environment Training on Monday, August 26th from 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. in the church. Pre-registration is not required, but please arrive a few minutes early to fill out a registration card.

House of Hope Baby Bottle Campaign: If you took a baby bottle on Father’s Day weekend after Mass, thank you! Consider filling it with change over the next several weeks & return them to the parish office on or before July 28th. Your contributions will help assist the House of Hope which supports expectant mothers and fathers in need.

Bible Studies: Wednesday Morning Bible Study meets from 10:30-11:30 a.m. in the parish office meeting room. Monday Evening Bible Study is on Summer break but will resume in September.

Adult Yoga Classes: Tuesdays-Chair Yoga 5:30-6:30 p.m./Floor Yoga 6:45-7:45 p.m.

~Stewardship Reflections~

“Martha, burdened with much serving, came to him and said, ‘….tell her to help me.’ The Lord said to her in reply: ‘Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things. There is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part and it will not be taken from her.’” Luke 10:40-42

Few stories in Scripture better portray the fact that stewardship is an attitude, not an activity. Martha was busy, but Mary had the right attitude. Prayer and time spent with Christ are essential.

~Respect Life~

May those who mourn the loss of a child find God’s mercy and healing love.
St. D Prayer List:

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 contact our parish office at 336-3569 to let our Pastor 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

July 22-28, 2019

Monday: St. Mary Magdalene
8:30 a.m. Maurice Smith & Bob Noe Haydon
Tuesday: Weekday
5:30 p.m. Maurice Begley
Wednesday: Weekday
8:30 a.m. NO MASS
Thursday: St. James
5:30 p.m. Charlie, Christine & Phil Hamilton
Friday: Saints Joachim & Anne
8:30 a.m. Emily Smith
Saturday: Weekday
8:30 a.m. Steve Hale
4:30 p.m. For the Parish
Sunday: 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30 a.m. Powell & Joyce Boone
10:30 a.m. Dickie Abell
2:00 p.m. Kenny & Barbara Corbett

$\$ Weekly Collections $\$

June 14, 2019
Sunday Collection: $7,101.00
During the Week: $255.51
Automatic Withdrawal: $0
Total Received: $7,356.51

Fiscal Year Tithing Contribution Summary
*July 1, 2019 – June 30, 2020*
Tithing Contributions: $44,512.35
Tithing Budget: $29,808.00
Overage/Shortage: $+14,704.35
Annual Budget: $775,068.00

**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.
Weekday Liturgical Roles

Lectors
Mon. Katie Simms
Tues. Wassie Parrott
Wed. NO MASS
Thurs. Shirley Barber
Fri. Perry Carrico
Sat. Mary Ann Hale

Eucharistic Ministers
Mon. Jerry Mudd, Wassie Parrott
Tues. Katie Simms
Wed. NO MASS
Thurs. Ione Pinkston
Fri. Belle Sutton, Betty Carol Barber
Sat. Shirley Barber, Fabian Cambron

Liturgical Roles for Next Weekend

Gift Bearers
4:30 p.m. Glenn & Sandra Goatley
8:30 a.m. Peter Boone, Lucinda Effner
10:30 a.m. Kathleen Abell & Family

Lectors
4:30 p.m. Mary Medley, Rita Rust
8:30 a.m. Jimmy & Jenny Taylor
10:30 a.m. David & Lynn Foster

Servers
4:30 p.m. Celeste Graves
     Meredith O’Cull
8:30 a.m. Claire McCain
     Anne Scott Mudd
     Jon-Tate Smith
10:30 a.m. Camden Abell
     Andrew Mackin
     Cameron & Ashton Jones

Monthly Liturgical Roles

Purificator Washing Committee Member – JULY
Martha Ann Hardin

Altar Caretakers – JULY
(wk. 1) Margaret Thompson
(wk. 2) Vicki Mattingly
(wk. 3) Jane Spaulding
(wk. 4) Dodie Polin

Euch. Min. to the Sick & Homebound – JULY
(Group A) Dodie Polin
(Group B) Betty Sue Devine
(Group C) Michele Welch

Weekend Eucharistic Ministers - JULY
4:30 p.m. Cindy Begley, Dianne Kelly
          Bobby & Phyllis Bastin
8:30 a.m. Colette Hill, Teresa Lynn
          Cheryl Mattingly, Katie Simms
10:30 a.m. Wassie Parrott, Chris Brady
          Theresa Mattingly
          Mary Lou Robertson

Weekend Ushers - JULY
4:30 p.m. Forrest Carrico, Joe Kelly
          Bruce Fenwick, Volunteer
8:30 a.m. Mike McCain
          Michael McCain
          Kevin & Landen Taylor
10:30 a.m. Rodney & Hayden Dean
          Kevin & Landen Taylor

Weekend Greeters – JULY
(Breezeway entrance & Bell tower)
4:30 p.m. Ollie Purdom, Sally Isaacs
8:30 a.m. Jimmy & Jenny Taylor
10:30 a.m. John & Missy Yates

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.?