MENTIONS, MEETINGS, EVENTS & REMINDERS

**Wedding Bells:** St. Dominic rejoices in the celebration of the Christian Marriage of Will & Kristen (Hamilton) Martin who were united in marriage on Sat., Oct. 12th, 2019, at St. Dominic Catholic Church. May God bless their home with abundant grace always!

**All Souls’ Remembrance:** Sat., Nov. 2, is the remembrance of All Souls. The 4:30 p.m. Mass will be offered up for any number of intentions remembering the faithful departed. The names of those remembered will be displayed on All Souls’ Day. The offerings will go to St. Dominic/Holy Rosary Cemetery. Please use the envelopes provided in the pews and have them turned into the parish office by Monday, 10/28.

**Special Thanks:** Thank you to all of my St. Dominic family for the cards, gifts and food and for stopping by to wish me well with my new adventures. I have enjoyed my 16 years at St. Dominic and have become friends with some of the best people in the world. Thank you to all of you for making me feel appreciated and loved and welcoming me into the community. All of you will always hold a place in my heart.

~Sincerely, Rosemary

**Fall Social Thanks:** Just a note of thanks to Cassie Michalski, Lisa Taylor, Crystal Graves & Dora Lozano for chairing this year’s social. This year’s social made a profit of $22,933. Our social would not be possible without the leadership of our chairs & support of our church family! Every station worked, pie, cake, gift & donation were greatly appreciated. It was a night filled with great food & lots of fun, a GREAT success!

Capital Prize Winners were: Faye Carrico $2000, Martha Hinton $700, Mitzi Medley $300, Lisa Shewmaker, Nancy Hale, Dawn Curtisinger & Alex Cambron were all $100 winners.

**Holy Rosary/St. Dominic Cemetery Fall Clean-up** will occur on Sat., Nov. 2 from 9-11 a.m. Bring your gas-powered trimmers, blowers, manual &/or gas hedge trimmers, wheel barrels, work gloves, heavy duty trash bags and rakes!! If you don’t have any of these items, then just bring yourself!! Please let us know you’ll be there by signing up in the back of church!

**Youth Group** will meet on Wednesday, November 13th from 7:00-8:15 p.m. in the church basement. Please make plans to attend as we will be planning a high school youth Mass. Each member is also asked to bring a canned good or non-perishable food item for our food bank.

**Religious Education Catechists** - Many, many thanks to the following catechists for making our parish religious education program such a successful and fruitful ministry for the 46 students enrolled: Kristen Coulter – K, Dora Lozano – 1st, Angela Young – 2nd, Brandon & Nicole Wilson – 3rd, Jane Spaulding – 4th, Lynn Foster – 5th, Mandy Saggerty – 6th/7th, Rachel Fenwick – 8th, and Gloria Motherly – teacher assistant. The time, energy and love these individuals spend each week in order to pass on the Catholic faith to the children of our community is greatly appreciated!

**School News:** PTO meets Monday @ 6:30 PM. School Board meets Tuesday @ 6:30 PM. The 4th & 5th grades will travel to Devine’s Corn Maze on Thursday. Teen Night Halloween dance is Friday from 7-9 PM. The 7th & 8th grade will attend Holy Fire, a national Catholic one-day faith experience, in Nashville on Saturday.

**Catholic Services Appeal:** 2019 Catholic Services Appeal – To Change the World We Must Be Good to Those Who Cannot Repay Us - Pope Francis - Our Parish Target: $37,400.00, Our Parish Participation Goal: 113+ households. The annual Catholic Services Appeal invites area Catholics to join together in supporting the more than 100 ministries, services, and programs offered by the Archdiocese. For information visit www.ArchLou.org/CSA. St. D Contributions: $11,895, 53 donors, 47% of goal.

**Operation Christmas Child:** For those who are participating in OCC, boxes can be placed in the confessional from now through Nov. 24th. OCC boxes will be collected frequently. Be an early bird, get your OCC box in early! Should you have any questions, please contact Lori Tucker at (859)805-0121.

**St. Rose Turkey Supper:** All are welcome to the annual St. Rose Turkey Supper and Raffle on Saturday, October 26th, at St. Rose Gym. Dinner is served from 4-7:30 p.m. Drive thru carry out available. Dine-in tickets are $10; kids 12 and under are $5; all carry-out dinners are $10.

**St. D PTO Chili Supper** will be held on Election Day, Nov. 5, from 4-8 p.m., at St. D PCC/Gym.
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 20, 2019 ~ 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

**PERSISTENCE**

Today’s readings are about persistence, passionate persistence. Exodus tells of a battle won despite weariness because Moses, with help from Aaron and Hur, held his hands raised. Timothy asks that same persistence of his community and us. Luke tells of a court case won by a widow, despite the dishonesty of the judge, because she will not leave him alone. The psalm reminds us that God is everywhere, guarding us from harm day and night, coming and going, now and forever. The readings are about persistence, the relentless, unwavering pursuit of what must not be lost. The readings are about God’s passionate persistence in pursuing us, seeking to win our hearts. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.
October 20, 2019
29th Sunday in Ordinary

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
Oct. 21-27, 2019
Monday: Weekday
8:30 a.m. Bob Noe Haydon
Tuesday: Weekday
5:30 p.m. Oscar Blandford
Wednesday: Weekday
8:30 a.m. NO MASS
Thursday: Weekday
5:30 p.m. Danny, Dan, Mary Dee & Lissa Logsdon
Friday: Weekday
8:30 a.m. Freddy Smith
Saturday: Weekday
8:30 a.m. Clarine Carrico
4:30 p.m. John Essex, Ruth Ann Sallee, Missy Raikes & Geraldine Crick
Sunday: 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30 a.m. Steve Hale
10:30 a.m. Gerald & Barbara Fogle
2:00 p.m. For the Parish

$$ Weekly Collections $$

October 13, 2019
Sunday Collection: $6,745.00
During the Week: $359.00
Automatic Withdrawal: $0
Total Received: $7,104.00

Fiscal Year TITHING Contribution Summary
*July 1, 2019 – June 30, 2020*
Tithing Contributions: $254,587.86
Tithing Budget: $223,576.00
Overage/ Shortage: $+31,011.86
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.**
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.?

**Monthly Liturgical Roles**

**Purificator Washing Committee Member – OCT.**
Marylyn Boone

**Altar Caretakers – OCTOBER**
(wk. 1) Brooke Coulter
(wk. 2) Betty Nell Hamilton
(wk. 3) Sharon Medley
(wk. 4) Jacqueline Walker

**Euch. Min. to the Sick & Homebound – OCT.**
(Group A) Mary Lou Robertson
(Group B) Sally Isaacs
(Group C) Shirley Barber

**Weekend Eucharistic Ministers - OCTOBER**
4:30 p.m. Bonnie Hamilton, Rose Goodlett
          Forrest & Faye Carrico
8:30 a.m. Steve & Vicki Mattingly
         Amy Mudd, Mary Rudd
10:30 a.m. Michele Welch, Shirley Barber
          Belle Sutton, Chris Brady

**Weekend Ushers - OCTOBER**
4:30 p.m. Greg & Nate Greathouse
         Glenn Goatley, Volunteer
8:30 a.m. Joe Smith, Samuel Mudd
        Lance Smith, David Smith
10:30 a.m. Scott & Trevor Sagrecy
       Eric Sagrecy, Hammy Robertson

**Weekend Greeters - OCTOBER**
*(Breezeway entrance & Bell tower)*
4:30 p.m. Stephen & Dianne Kelly
8:30 a.m. Todd & Terra Taylor & Family
10:30 a.m. Sharon Hamilton, Belle Sutton

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**Weekday Liturgical Roles**

**Lectors**
Mon. Perry Carrico
Tues. Belle Sutton
Wed. NO MASS
Thurs. Katie Simms
Fri. SCHOOL
Sat. Mary Ann Hale

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

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**Liturgical Role for Next Weekend**

**Gift Bearers**
4:30 p.m. Jane Essex
8:30 a.m. Stephen & Amy Hale & Family
10:30 a.m. Bobby & Colette Hill

**Lectors**
4:30 p.m. Jane Spaulding, Lori Tucker
8:30 a.m. Glenn Mattingly
          Bobby Brady
10:30 a.m. Shirley Barber
          Melissa Taylor

**Servers**
4:30 p.m. Celeste Graves
         Meredith O’Cull
         Molly Brady
8:30 a.m. Anthony Taylor
         Madeline Taylor
         Mary Beth Matherly
10:30 a.m. Ethan Walker, Nick Smith
          Laura Beth Redmon
          Cameron Jones