MENTIONS, MEETINGS, EVENTS & REMINDERS

Our Condolences in Christ to Margaret Raikes, for the passing of her sister, Dot Smith, & to Dennis (Rita) Rust, for the passing of his sister, Debbie McIntyre. Please know that your church family is thinking of you with sympathy & prayer. May the grace of God bring you comfort at this time.

Wedding Bells: St. Dominic rejoices in the celebration of the Christian Marriage of John & Sarah (Cocanougher) Hamilton who were united in marriage on Sat., September 28, at St. Louis Bertrand Catholic Church, Louisville. May God bless their home with abundant grace always!

Farewell Reception: We will be hosting a Farewell Reception for our Parish Bookkeeper, Rosemary Warren, on Friday, October 11th, from NOON-3 P.M, in the church office conference room. Rosemary has been with St. Dominic for 16 years; we hope you will be able to stop by during these hours with farewell-wishes for “Rosie.” Light refreshments will be served.

Handicap Accessible Parking Spots: St. Dominic has handicap accessible parking spaces that are visually marked by signs &/or stripping. Please pay close attention as to what spots are marked as “van accessible” handicap parking & which are marked handicap accessible for all other vehicle types. “Van accessible” parking allows enough space for a van’s lift to lower, allowing those who require a wheelchair to exit the vehicle. We ask that everyone please be observant so that these spaces remain available to those who need them the most. Thank you for helping us to be as hospitable as possible!

Parish Council: A note of thanks to those who were willing to serve on Parish Council. Ten names were pulled from a hat, at Mass, on Saturday, Sept. 28th. Those serving on Parish Council will be: Alex Berlanga, Lisa Burkhead, Lou Ann George, Julee Jones, Rodrigo Lozano, Glenn Mattingly, Vicki Mattingly, Anne Mudd, Martin Murphy & Linda Smith. The first meeting will be held on October 15, from 6:30-7:30 p.m., parish office conference room.

High School Youth Group: Wed., Oct. 9th @ 7 p.m., church basement

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.

Operation Christmas Child is a project of Samaritan’s Purse, an international relief organization. The mission of Operation Christmas Child is to provide shoe boxes filled with small toys, hygiene items, and school supplies as a means of reaching out to children in their own communities with the Good News of Jesus Christ. These gifts are shipped outside the U.S. to children affected by war, poverty, natural disaster, famine, and disease; and to children living on Native American reservations in the U.S. Since 1993, more than 100 million boys/girls in over 130 countries have experienced God’s love through the power of simple shoe box gifts from OCC. Samaritan’s Purse works with local churches and ministry partners to deliver the gifts and share the life-changing Good News of Jesus Christ. St. Dominic has 100+ parish families participating in OCC. Thank you! Details on where to drop off OCC boxes will be noted in next weekend’s bulletin.

Spoofing Emails: Do not open emails that “appear” to be from the church, the pastor, or parish office staff in regards to “Important Please Read, Banking Information, Invoices, Packages, ACH, Past Due, &/or may even include links, etc.” We do not send emails in regards to personal invoices, or anything in relation to past due accounts, payments, banking info, etc. & do not click on any links associated with the email. This is called Spoofing. Spoofing, in general, is a malicious practice in which communication is sent from an unknown source/email address disguised as a source/name familiar to you, when in all actuality it not from that person at all. The incidences of viruses, malware, ransomware, scams & phishing are rising to alarming levels everywhere & are compounded by the increasing use of electronics. Spoofing emails can also be forwarded to the Federal Trade Commission at spam@uce.gov, which can help the FTC find and stop people who are using spam to defraud people.
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 6, 2019 ~ 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

A LITTLE FAITH

Today our readings are about faith, frustration, and how much is enough. Habakkuk is a complainer having an argument with God. Timothy is encouraging a community challenged by cowardice and the apostles want more faith than they have. Things aren’t happening fast enough for any of them or for us. All of them and we want God to do something sooner rather than later and we want God to give us a reason to believe that it will all work out. What does God do? God puts it back on them—and us—telling Habakkuk to describe the world he wants; telling the apostles to do more than the expected. Doing more with less is a familiar phrase today and a reminder that a little faith may be enough even for the most difficult times.

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October 6, 2019
27th Sunday in Ordinary

St. D Prayer List:
Unborn & Elderly, U.S. Military, Addictions, Archbishop Joseph E. Kurtz, Frank Peters, Colleen Cambron, Angela Robinson, Dennis Newton, Corbin Noel, Marian & Wade Elliott, Tony Medley (of St. Rose), Cheyenne Phillips, Carolyn Green, Julie Anders, Gary & Susan Hale Montgomery, Mike Wheatley, Anna Ibarra, Susan Cruse, Mike Conrad, Chuck Smothers, Jimmy Medley (Burg), Beth Ball Hellmann, Calvin Haydon, Wheatley Hamilton, Danny Hardin, Patsy Fenwick, Terry Foster, Buddy Smith, Bud Schwartz, Michelle Carrico Smith, Colin Walker, Charlotte Smith, Debbie Hamilton, Jennifer Jarboe, Mrs. Paul “Norma Jean” Smith, Sandy Smith Peterson, Helen Parrott, Moochie Smith, Sue Carter, Dave Smith, Edwin Thompson, Ralph Blandford, Richard Medley, Jamie Cecil & Cassie Robinson. Let us also pray for our parish members & others who are homebound, in assisted living or nursing homes: Audrey Edelen, Marilyn Watkins, Joann Cambron, Christy Caldwell & Nancy Hardin.

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. 7-13, 2019
Monday: Our Lady of the Rosary
8:30 a.m. NO MASS
Tuesday: Weekday
5:30 p.m. NO MASS
Wednesday: Weekday
8:30 a.m. NO MASS
Thursday: Weekday
5:30 p.m. Steve Hale
Friday: Weekday
8:30 a.m. Hattie Clements
Saturday: Weekday
8:30 a.m. Ray & Anthony Cambron
4:30 p.m. T. & Carrie Goatley & John Essex
Sunday: 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30 a.m. Tom Duncan & Ruth Reed
10:30 a.m. Edgar & Teresa Mattingly
2:00 p.m. For the Parish

$$ Weekly Collections $$

September 29, 2019
Sunday Collection: $7,072.50
During the Week: $0
Automatic Withdrawal: $0
Total Received: $7,072.50

Fiscal Year TITHING Contribution Summary
*July 1, 2019 – June 30, 2020*
Tithing Contributions: $217,037.75
Tithing Budget: $193,766.00
Overage/ Shortage: $+23,271.75
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. NO MASS
Tues. NO MASS
Wed. NO MASS
Thurs. Perry Carrico 
Fri. School
Sat. Rita Rust

_Eucharistic Ministers_
Mon. NO MASS 
Tues. NO MASS
Wed. NO MASS
Thurs. Betty Carol Barber 
Fri. SCHOOL
Sat. Julee Jones, Mary Ann Hale

Liturgical Role for Next Weekend

_Gift Bearers_
4:30 p.m. Jane Essex, Bill Essex
8:30 a.m. John & Patricia Reed
10:30 a.m. Students

_Lectors_
4:30 p.m. Mo Edelen 
Bonnie Hamilton
8:30 a.m. Ruth Ann Cocanougher 
Colette Hill
10:30 a.m. Students

_Servers_
4:30 p.m. Celeste Graves, Nick Smith
8:30 a.m. Addison Osbourne 
Mary Beth Medley
Anne Scott Mudd
10:30 a.m. 5th Grade Students

Monthly Liturgical Roles

_Purificator Washing Committee Member – OCT._
Marylyn Boone

_Alter 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

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, Alter Caretaker, Homebound Minister, Usher, Greeter, Etc.?