

July 31, 2022

# Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Powerful things can happen when the people of God stand together in prayer. Prayers of many have been answered while others are still in need. Contact the parish office at 336-3569/ [stdom@stdomparish.org](mailto:stdom@stdomparish.org) if a person's name needs to be added.

## PRAYER LIST

US Military  
Unspoken  
Jess Tedder  
Elizabeth Bradshaw  
Bobby Haydon  
Glenn Mattingly  
Jim Logsdon, Fire Chief  
Lisa Goodlett Smith  
Dianne Simms  
Chuck Ward  
Harold Gootee  
Nickey & Kathleen Pinkston  
Bess Haydon  
Billy Parrott  
Rita Ceconi  
Cassie Robinson  
Ted McNeal  
Catherine Clements  
Helen Parrott  
Sueanna Graves  
Lillian Mann  
Colin Walker  
Bill Moore  
Jill Justus  
Mary Devine  
Brady Lawson  
Rose Marie O'Daniel  
Grace Harris  
LeAnn Carrico  
Millie Bradshaw  
Diane Mattingly  
Frances Powell  
Katie Haydon  
Tracy Yates  
Ronny Mattingly  
Linda Hagan  
Michael & Jennifer Jarboe  
Benny Smith  
Mary G. Chesser  
Ken Medley  
Dewayne Hall  
Erlene Newton  
Gray Turner  
Joe Wimsatt  
Brenda Carter  
Michelle Oder  
Jennifer Spalding Taylor  
Lisa Whitener  
Daniel Robinson  
Mary Wilkerson  
Jerry Mattingly (of Bardstown)

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Rev. Mr. Rick Fagan, Deacon



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“Take care to guard against all greed, for though one may be rich, one's life does not consist of possessions.”

Luke 12:15

### Confession

Tuesdays & Thursdays  
5:00 PM, (prior to 5:30 Mass)

### Eucharistic Adoration

Thursdays 6:00 PM  
Sundays 4:00 - 6:00 PM

### On Wednesdays

Choir Rehearsal 6:00 PM  
Handbell Rehearsal 6:30 PM

### Parish Council

Generally meets the 3rd Tuesday of the month, 6:30 PM, Sept. - May, no meeting in December. Minutes are always available upon request.

### Alcoholics Anonymous

Tuesdays, 8:00 PM  
St. D Cafeteria

### Knights of Columbus #4270

Meets the 2nd Tuesday of the month, 7:00 PM, KC Hall

### St. Vincent de Paul

Aug. 2, 5:30 PM, St. Rose

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Please see the inside cover of the bulletin for Weekday & Weekend Mass Times, Intentions & Liturgical Roles.



Weekday Liturgy	MONDAY 8:30 AM	TUESDAY <u>NO MASS</u>	WEDNESDAY <u>NO MASS</u>	THURSDAY 5:30 PM	FRIDAY 8:30 AM	SATURDAY 8:30 AM
INTENTION	Charlie, Christine & Phil Hamilton	N/A	N/A	Lee & Patty Parrott	Bob Barber	Christy Caldwell
LECTOR	Hamilton Simms	N/A	N/A	Jenny Taylor	Mary L. Fenwick	Rita Rust
SACRISTAN/ EUCH. MIN.	Martha Ann Hardin	N/A	N/A	Jerry Mudd	Deacon Rick Fagan	Mary Ann Hale

Weekend Liturgy Month of <u>AUGUST</u>	SATURDAY 4:30 PM	SUNDAY 8:30 AM	SUNDAY 10:30 AM
INTENTIONS	6th Mary & Jack Murphy 13th For the Parish 20th Walter Marglin 27th Ruth Goatley Sallee, Missy Goatley Raikes & Geraldine Essex Crick	7th CH & Frances Haydon 14th Jim & Fanny Rudd 21st Mary Martha Barber 28th For the Parish	7th For the Parish 14th Kenny Velotta 21st For the Parish 28th Audrey Edelen
LECTORS	Rita Rust, Lori Tucker	Sarah Downs, Melynda Matherly	Sara Buckman, Jennifer Dean
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS (one needed when Deacon is present)	Rachel Fenwick Sandra Goatley	Ben Smith, Volunteer	Rita Clements Betty C. Barber
USHERS	Tommy & Christopher Begley 2 Volunteers	Justin Cambron, Jerry Grider Joe D. Clements, Volunteer	Josh & Ethan Walker, Devin Mattingly, Wesley Smith
ALTAR SERVERS	Haydon & Anne Davis Carney	Lucy Kate & Alex Durham	Colin Walker Weston Mattingly
GREETERS	Tina Borders	Jillian Nash	Abby Smith
GIFT BEARERS	Charissa & Aliyah Greathouse	Joe & Susan Smith	Jon-Tate, Kate, Lizzy & Drew Smith
SACRISTANS	Angela Young	Martha Ann Hardin	Julee Jones
CANTORS	6th Myra Shelton 13th TBD 20th Fran Carrico 27th Myra Shelton	7th Jordan Mudd 14th Lizzy Coulter 21st Sarah Downs 28th Jordan Mudd	7th Helen Warren 14th Helen Warren 21st Julee Jones, Ashton Jones & Madeline Taylor 28th Fran Carrico

**Month of AUGUST**

Altar Society

- WK 1. Patricia Reed
- WK 2. Julee Jones
- WK 3. Mollie Bystrek
- WK 4. Nancy Hardin

Purificator Committee

Sally Isaacs

Homebound Eucharistic Ministers

(A) Joe David Clements

**Spanish Mass: Sundays at 2:00 PM - (Intention) Presider's Intention**



The family of Perry Carrico would like to thank everyone in the parish, Fr. David, Deacon Rick, the choir, the bereavement committee, Fr. Hayden, and Fr. Pepper, for all of the outpouring of love and support given to us.

Sincerely, Anna Carrico & Family

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The family of Charlie Mattingly wishes to thank St. Dominic Church for everything they have done for our family. The bereavement meal that was provided after the funeral Mass was so appreciated.

Thanks, Diane Mattingly & Family



**Weekly Tithing Contributions:**  
\$5,453.00



On **Sunday, August 7th, after the 10:30 AM Mass**, St. Dominic Church will celebrate the **Feast of St. Dominic** with a potluck gathering in the Parish Community Center. **Families are asked to bring their favorite dish to share with fellow parishioners.** **Help us plan accordingly, kindly RSVP by simply returning this RSVP card to the parish office or via the collection plate by no later than Monday, August 1st.** Did we mention that an ice-cream truck is coming?



Name(s) of Head of Household: \_\_\_\_\_

Attending: Number of Adults \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Children \_\_\_\_\_

My dish will be: \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide an email address, if possible: \_\_\_\_\_

The main entrée, drinks, ice-cream & paper products will be provided by the parish.

**18th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME:** “Teach us to number our days aright.” Is there a more wise and prudent prayer for people of all ages than this verse from today’s responsorial psalm? As we savor the lovely but limited days of summer we are reminded that nothing lasts forever. In today’s first reading, the master teacher (Qoheleth) asserts “All things are vanity!” while the Gospel of Luke describes the ease with which our possessions can possess us. The second reading makes the point as well: “Think of what is above, not of what is on earth.” We see the problem of wealth from both sides today—from the viewpoint of the wealthy person who inevitably has to leave his riches to someone else and from the perspective of the potential inheritor who is at odds with his brother over how to divide their inheritance. The problem is clear; the wisdom is also.

**YOU CAN’T TAKE IT WITH YOU:** Stephen Covey, in his book *The Seven Habits of Highly Effective People*, lists as his second habit: Begin with the end in mind. Is that not the point of our scripture reflections today? We know we will die. We know we “can’t take it with us.” If you’ve ever been tasked with cleaning out the home of a deceased person, you know how easily once-treasured items simply become another burden to deal with. Or you may have experienced how quickly the joy of owning the latest smart phone becomes as outdated as the model itself. So how do we think about all the stuff that we buy, accumulate, fret over where to store, and pay taxes on? Heaven forbid if we ever have to move!

**RICH IN WHAT MATTERS TO GOD:** Luke sets us on the right path when he affirms that we must be “rich in what matters to God.” Needless to say, he is not saying that possessions themselves are evil. Today’s psalm asks God—twice—to “prosper the work of our hands for us!” The danger is that, as one wag put it, “we never have enough of what we don’t really need.” What *does* matter to God? What is the opposite of vanity? Kindness to one another, mercy, forgiveness, generosity to the poor and needy—all of these remain beyond death. These are what we can take with us when we die. The great mystery in all this is that God is never outdone in generosity; the more we give away, the more we have. July 31 is also the feast day of Ignatius of Loyola, founder of the Society of Jesus (Jesuits). He epitomizes richness in what really matters. His military and court aspirations evaporated after he was seriously wounded in battle. His subsequent change of heart led him to found one of the most influential religious orders in the history of the Church. If the opposite of vanity is wealth that remains after death, Ignatius is most appropriately honored today.

**Today’s Readings:** Eccl 1:2; 2:21–23; Ps 90:3–4, 5–6, 12–13, 14 and 17; Col 3:1–5, 9–11; Lk 12:13–21  
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Our annual St. Dominic Fall Social is scheduled for Saturday, Sept 10th, from 4:00 -7:00 PM. Fr. David is seeking volunteers to chair this year’s event, kitchen chair(s) & booth chair(s). If you are willing to chair &/or serve on this year’s fall social planning committee, please contact Sonya at the parish office so that your name can be added to a list (stdom@stdomparish.org or 859-336-3569). Many hands make light work! A special thanks to Cassie Michalski & Lisa Taylor who have chaired the Social for the last many years.



**Dedication/Memorial Bricks:** If you’ve not ever noticed, stop by the “Garden of Paradise” at the rear of the church to see the dedication/memorial bricks. Brick orders are STILL being taken for engraved bricks (dedications or memorials) at a cost of \$150 each. Contact Sonya at the Parish Office for details.

**Why Prepare A Will?** A properly executed will is one of the most important papers you will ever sign. Your will ensures that your wishes for your estate and your loved ones are realized. A will allows you to: Provide security for your family. Remember loved ones in a tangible way. Leave a legacy to your Church. Designate who will manage your estate. Reduce estate taxes and administration expenses. St. Dominic Church and the Archdiocese of Louisville Office of Mission Advancement are offering a complimentary **Estate Planning Information Session on Wednesday, August 10, 2022, from 6:00 PM–7:00 PM**, at **St. Dominic Church** (basement). All parishioners are invited to attend this informative presentation. Estate planning expert, Cheryl Bruner will be the presenter. **To register, visit [archlou.org/pg-webinar](http://archlou.org/pg-webinar). Reservations are limited. Please call Melody Denson in the Office of Mission Advancement (502-585-3291, Ext. 1117) if you have any questions or to register by phone.** *Do not lay up for yourselves treasures upon earth, but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven. For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be.* Matthew 6:19-21