

# St. Dominic Parish

GENERATIONS GROWING IN FAITH.

*for Over 80 Years*

4551 Delhi Pike, Cincinnati, Ohio 45238

## OUR MISSION

We, the family of St. Dominic Parish, come together as a Roman Catholic community by celebrating the Eucharist as the center of our faith.

- We welcome Jesus Christ into our lives and give witness to His way of life
- Inspired and guided by the Holy Spirit, we strive to be a warm, inviting, welcoming, and caring community of people, filled with Faith, Hope and Love
- In that Spirit, we provide a meaningful environment and opportunities for worship, education and service to our community

Rev. Jim Walsh, Pastor  
Rev. Chris Lack, Associate Pastor  
Deacon Mark Bardono, Parish Administrator  
Mr. Bill Cavanaugh, Principal  
Mrs. Theresa Eagan, Pastoral Associate  
Mr. Jim Dickman, Music Director  
Mr. Charlie DeZarn, Business Manager

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### Parish Membership

New parishioners are invited to contact the Parish Office to register. We ask current members to notify us of any change of address, telephone numbers or other important, relevant information.

### Masses for Sunday

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 p.m.  
Sunday: 7:30, 9:30 a.m.  
11:30 a.m.  
7:00 p.m.

### Masses for Holy Days:

See inside for Mass Schedule.

### Weekday Masses:

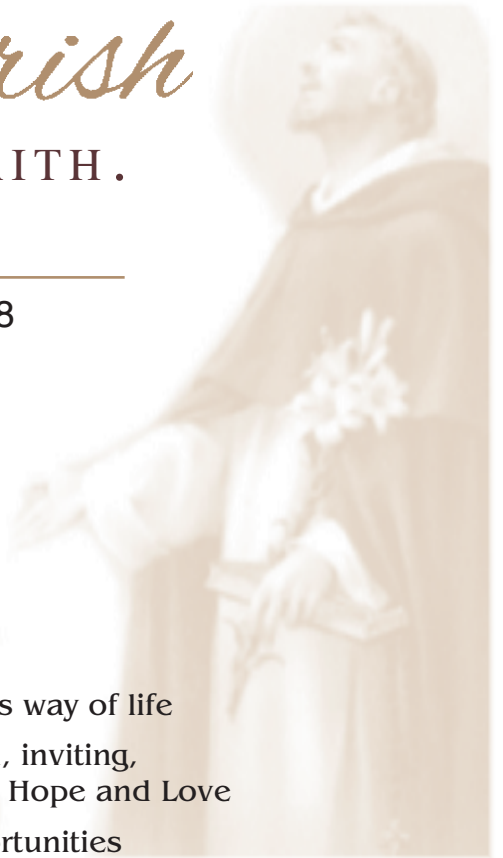
Monday-Thursday: 7:30 a.m.  
Friday: 7:30 a.m. & 8:15 a.m.  
Saturday: 8:15 a.m. followed by Marian Devotions & Apostolate for the Dying

### Holy Communion Service:

Monday-Saturday: 6:10 a.m.

### Publication Deadlines:

Bulletin: Due by Noon on Monday.  
Monthly Report: Due by the 12th of each month.



**JANUARY 15, 2017**  
**SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**MONDAY – JANUARY 16 – WEEKDAY**

6:10 A.M. Communion Service  
 7:30 A.M. JoAnn Reckers

**TUESDAY – JANUARY 17 – SAINT ANTHONY**

6:10 A.M. Communion Service  
 7:30 A.M. Joseph Fiorante

**WEDNESDAY – JANUARY 18 – WEEKDAY**

6:10 A.M. Communion Service  
 7:30 A.M. Bob Gray  
 8:00 A.M.-NOON Adoration

**THURSDAY – JANUARY 19 – WEEKDAY**

6:10 A.M. Communion Service  
 7:30 A.M. Don Rokich

**FRIDAY – JANUARY 20 – WEEKDAY**

6:10 A.M. Communion Service  
 7:30 A.M. James Ryan  
 8:15 A.M. Dave Groh

**SATURDAY – JANUARY 21 – SAINT AGNES**

6:10 A.M. Communion Service  
 8:15 A.M. Mary Stenger (BR)  
 After Mass: Marian Devotions and Apostolate for the Dying  
 4:30 P.M. Irmgard Redder  
 6:30 P.M. Wiehe/Peter Wedding

**SUNDAY – JANUARY 22 – THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

7:30 A.M. For Our Parishioners  
 9:30 A.M. Mary Stenger  
 11:30 A.M. Sandra Schroeder Boyle  
 7:00 P.M. Harry Robben



Next weekend, the 2017 Catholic Ministries Appeal will kick off throughout the archdiocese. The CMA is our opportunity each year to support the work of six vital ministries and their many programs, all of which operate right here in our archdiocese. Also, if we exceed our parish goal for the CMA, 50% of our overage comes back to our parish. Please prayerfully consider supporting this year's CMA. Your help is needed to Provide a Path for many people throughout our archdiocese. For more information, please visit [CatholicAppeal.info](http://CatholicAppeal.info). Thank you!

**Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick**

The Sacrament of the Sick is a healing sacrament of the Church. Anyone who is sick or elderly and in need of physical or emotional healing can come to this sacrament which will be communally celebrated annually. Those who would like to receive the sacrament before a hospital stay or surgery are invited to call the Parish Office to make arrangements. The sacrament is also available to those who may be near death. Please call the parish emergency line. Someone will respond to your call. Please inform the Parish Office when a member of the parish is hospitalized.

**Considering Entering the Catholic Church?**

RCIA is the process through which adults are fully initiated into the Catholic faith community. The process provides for different levels of entry. To obtain more information, call Deacon Mark Bardonaro at 471-7741.

**FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK**

I received many wonderful birthday gifts and well wishes in December. Thank you all for your generosity and kind words. One gift that was especially meaningful to me was a booklet presented to me by the schoolchildren. Each page had a birthday cake and candles colored differently by each class. There was a statement on each cake saying "We dedicated 80 Our Father Prayers, or 22 Hail Marys in honor of you and your birthday!" In all, there were 641 prayers said for me! We old timers remember this from our grade school days as a "Spiritual Bouquet!" On the first page of the booklet was a prayer that deeply touched me.

*"Gracious and loving God, we thank You for the gift of Father Jim. Through Him, we experience Your presence in the sacraments. Help Father Jim to be strong in his vocation. Set his soul on fire with love for Your people. Grant him the wisdom, understanding, and strength he needs to follow in the footsteps of Jesus. Inspire him with the vision of Your Kingdom. Give him the words he needs to spread the Gospel. Allow him to experience joy in his ministry. Help him to become an instrument of Your divine grace. We ask this through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns as our Eternal Priest. Amen."*

Wow! What a prayer and what a theology of priesthood!  
 Fr. Jim

**IN MEMORIAM**

Please pray for the soul of Shirley Plagge, who died this past week. May she rest in the peace of the Lord.

**BAPTISMS**

Gabriella Adele Helmes, daughter of Joshua and Kathleen Helmes.

**GOLDENAIRES**

**Brown Bag Lunch – Rome Through Fr. Chris' Eyes** on Tuesday, January 24, from 12:00-2:00 p.m. in O'Connor Hall. Call Marie at 910-3938 by January 22 to reserve a seat.

**Planning Meeting** – We will have a planning meeting on Wednesday, January 25 at 7:00 p.m. in Room 1 to lock down activities for the first half of 2017. Bring your calendars and activities.



The CRHP women's team is preparing to offer to parishioners the gift of a renewal weekend on March 11 and 12. It is a blessing to see the effects of the renewal that Jesus Christ brings about in His people. We don't have to go somewhere else for our spiritual renewal. Ongoing spiritual renewal is the reason we organized parishes in the first place. Come join us for a weekend of spiritual renewal. Experience the Good News of Jesus Christ. This process is at the core of what we are about as a parish community. Take a risk and call and make a reservation to join us. Call Fr. Jim or Carole at 471-7741.

**Infant Baptisms**

Attendance at a Parent Pre-Baptism Session is required. Call Theresa Eagan at 471-7741, ext. 481.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Every Saturday, 8:45 a.m. to 9:30 a.m., or by appointment.

**Sacrament of Matrimony**

One of the engaged or his/her parents must be a registered and active parishioner for six months prior to scheduling a wedding. Scheduling must take place at least six months in advance of the wedding. Weddings are not scheduled during Advent or Lenten Seasons. A marriage preparation program is required.

**Communion for the Sick and Homebound**

Please call the Parish Office to request this service.

**LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR**

The Little Sisters of the Poor will be present at all the Masses this weekend seeking your assistance in their ministry. For the past 145 years, the Sisters have been offering the needy elderly of the Tri-State, a home where they are welcomed as Christ, cared for as a family, and accompanied with dignity until God calls them to Himself. The Sisters depend on our support to meet the needs of their poor elderly. Your generosity will be appreciated. For more information, visit their website at [www.littlesistersofthepoorcincinnati.org](http://www.littlesistersofthepoorcincinnati.org).

**LENTEN LECTURE SERIES  
"RENEWING OUR DISCIPLESHIP"**

You may not think of yourself as a disciple, but we are all called to be disciples, followers of Jesus. For your planning purposes, look ahead at the lineup of speakers scheduled for Lent this year and mark your calendars. Please join us for all or at least some of the wonderful opportunities awaiting us this Lent!

**Wednesday, March 8, 7:00-9:00 p.m., Deacon Amado Lim,**  
Renewing our Discipleship through the Eucharist

**Wednesday, March 15, 7:00-9:00 p.m., Fr. Ray Kellerman,**  
Renewing our Discipleship through Transformation

**Wednesday, March 22, 7:00-9:00 p.m., Fr. Jim Schutte,**  
Renewing our Discipleship through Mercy, Be Merciful as  
Your Heavenly Father is Merciful

**Wednesday, March 29, 7:00-9:00 p.m., Bishop Joe Binzer,**  
Renewing Our Discipleship through Reflecting on Events in  
One's Life: What I've Learned in Following Jesus

**Wednesday, April 5, 7:00-9:00 p.m., Fr. Bob Hater,**  
Renewing our Discipleship through Finding God in the Stories  
of our Lives: Reflections on the Family

**COMMUNITY DINNER**

Our next Community Dinner is scheduled for  
**January 19 in O'Connor Hall from 4:30 p.m. until 6:30 p.m.**  
Hope to see everyone there!!!

**ST. DOMINIC'S NEW ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAM**

St. Dominic's Adult Education Program continues on Sundays following 9:30 a.m. Mass. Today's topic is "The Structure of the Catholic Church." Plan to join us TODAY for an hour of an informal, discussion-oriented session. Next Sunday, January 22, the discussion topic is "What happens when we die? – Will I go to heaven, hell or purgatory?" Each session is led by parishioner Joe Zalot, Ph.D. in Systematic Theology/Ethics. Plan to come, and bring a friend!

**STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE**

<b>Offertory Collection Week of 12/25/16:</b>	<b>\$ 58,842</b>
<b>Offertory Collection Week of 1/1/17:</b>	<b>\$ 20,720</b>
<b>Offertory Collection Week of 1/8/17:</b>	<b>\$ 25,085</b>

**FOR FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2016-JUNE 30, 2017**

<b>Actual Year to Date:</b>	<b>\$ 553,902</b>
<b>Year-to-Date Budget:</b>	<b>\$ 562,500</b>
<b>Under Budget by:</b>	<b>-\$ 8,598</b>

**Thank you for your support of our Parish.**

**May the Lord continue to bless you in your generosity!**



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Our future depends on you.  
Please remember St. Dominic in your will and estate planning.  
Our legal title is St. Dominic Roman Catholic Church.

**ST. DOMINIC NEWS**

**ST. DOMINIC GIRLS LITTLE LEAGUE BASKETBALL SIGNUPS –** Signups for the 2017 season are in progress. The Girls Little League Basketball is for girls in grades 1 and 2, who wish to play instructional basketball. Registrations must be made online by visiting [www.tinyurl.com/stdaa](http://www.tinyurl.com/stdaa). **Signups will close on Sunday, January 22.** In order to be eligible, your daughter must be a St. Dominic student or currently enrolled and actively participating in St. Dominic PSR. The Girls' Little League Basketball program will be held on Friday nights, beginning March 31 and running through May. If you have any questions, please contact Kim Childs at [kchild6232001@hotmail.com](mailto:kchild6232001@hotmail.com), 921-2036 or 702-0104 or Jennica Bass at [jennicabass@yahoo.com](mailto:jennicabass@yahoo.com) or 283-3505.

**F&N GOODE CHICK'N FUND RAISER "THANK YOU" –** Thank you to everyone who came out to support the Tuition Reduction Program's Fund Raiser at F&N Goode Chick'n! We had so many people come out to support this Fund Raiser, that they ran out of chicken!! WOW!! Because of the wonderful support from our parishioners and school families, we earned \$410.49 for the Tuition Reduction Program. Thank you for taking the time out of your busy Christmas schedules to support this wonderful cause!

**CHIPOTLE FUND RAISER DINNER –** Mark your calendars and please join us at the Delhi Chipotle on Monday, January 23, from 4:00-8:00 p.m. for dinner. **Fifty percent of food and drink sales (gift card purchases are excluded)** will be donated to the St. Dominic Tuition Reduction Program. Just bring in the flyer (available in the January 22 bulletin) or tell the cashier that you are there to support St. Dominic. Come on out and join us for a fun night, with friends and family, that supports a **GREAT** cause! If you need a flyer or have questions, please contact Amy Walter at [awalter@fuse.net](mailto:awalter@fuse.net) or Pam Kent at [tkent12089@aol.com](mailto:tkent12089@aol.com). We hope to see you there!!

**INK CARTRIDGE RECYCLING –** We will no longer be able to take your used ink cartridges to recycle. The blue recycle bin will be removed.



**DONATE YOUR USED SHOES** – St. Dominic Boy Scout Troop 483 is partnering with Soles4Souls to collect used shoes. Soles4Souls is a nonprofit group dedicated to “Wearing out Poverty” by distributing your old shoes to people in need. Scouts will be accepting your old shoes at our Scout Sunday Mass on February 5. Please rubber band shoes together or tie laces together. If you would like to donate before February 5 there will be a bin in the gathering space starting next weekend.

**FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FILING DEADLINE REMINDER** – New this year, for the 2017-2018 school year, applications for financial assistance are due by January 31, 2017. You must apply online through FACTS at <https://online.factsmgmt.com>. Please use St. Dominic School code #1263. You will be required to enter financial data pertaining to tax year 2015. Assistance is available through the Archdiocese of Cincinnati’s One Faith, One Hope, One Love Campaign first, and secondly, through St. Dominic Parish. You only need to apply to FACTS one time for consideration for both assistance resources. Assistance awards will be announced Spring of 2017. If you have any questions, please contact the Parish office or refer to the letter in the December 9, 2016 Parent Press.

**STATEMENT OF CONTRIBUTIONS** – If you wish to receive a statement of your contributions for 2016, please drop the green card from the back of your 2016 envelopes in the collection on Sunday or bring it to the Parish Office. Statements will begin to be mailed out after all postings are finished for 2016.

### MISCELLANEOUS

**CINCINNATI CATHOLIC ALUMNI CLUB** – Invites single Catholics to join us for dinner on Sunday January 15, 5:30 p.m. at Maury’s Tiny Cove (3908 Harrison Avenue). RSVP to Larry at 520-1323.

**TASTEFULLY SIMPLE FUND RAISER** – Join the Mother Seton Ladies’ Auxiliary on Thursday, January 19, for an evening of fun, food, drinks and shopping to benefit the International Mission for Children. The event runs from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the Mother Seton Knights of Columbus Hall (4109 West 8th Street, across from St. William Church). Thirty percent of all sales from this Fund Raiser will be donated to IMC, a nonprofit group headed by Fr. John Amankwah that is raising money to build a school in Ghana. Stock up on TS seasonings or check out what’s new for 2017! Please plan to join us and bring your friends! If you can’t attend, you can shop this event by going to <https://www.tastefullysimple.com/p/10743513>. Thank you for your support.

**THOMAS MERTON AND RELATIONSHIP: A CONSTELLATION OF CONNECTIONS** will be held on Saturday, January 21, from 9:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m. at the Sisters of Charity Motherhouse (5900 Delhi Road). Vanessa Hurst will facilitate this program using the metaphor of the night sky. She will explore how three recurring themes in Merton’s writings – silence, compassion and communion – contribute to an ever-deepening interdependence in all relationships. FEE: \$50 (\$25 nonrefundable deposit applied to total fee). Please contact the Spirituality Center at [spirituality.center@srcharitycinti.org](mailto:spirituality.center@srcharitycinti.org) or 347-5449 for registration information.

**THE WESTERN BASEBALL CONFERENCE (WBC)** is seeking umpires for the 2017 baseball season. The WBC season runs from April 1 through the end of June. Umpire training classes are tentatively scheduled to be held on the Saturday mornings of February 25, March 4 and March 11 at Our Lady of Victory cafeteria, with on-field sessions on March 18 and/or March 25 at a location TBD. Umpires must be at least 15 years of age at the start of the season on April 1 and have reliable transportation to and from games. No prior experience as an umpire is required. Please contact Rob Reid, WBC Umpire Coordinator, at [rreid@catholiccincinnati.org](mailto:rreid@catholiccincinnati.org) if you are interested.

### SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY, JANUARY 22

1st Reading: Isaiah 8:23-9:3

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:10-13, 17

Gospel: Matthew 4:12-23

### LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR JANUARY 21 & 22

	<b>SERVERS SCHEDULE</b>	<b>GIFT BEARERS</b>	<b>LECTORS</b>	<b>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS (Captains names are listed first.)</b>
<b>8:15 a.m. Saturday</b>	Charlie Habedank Michael Trusty			
<b>4:30 p.m. Saturday</b>	Nathan Hill Tony Essen	Redder Family	Amy Stevens	Connie Ashby, Bob Busam, Pat Cusick, Bill Inskip, Mary Rose Kremer, Judy Luebbe, Mary Jo Reiners
<b>7:30 a.m. Sunday</b>	Jonah Brauer Evan Lipps	Joe and Lois Scherer	Jim Carroll	Bobbie Honnert, Evan Honnert, Grant Honnert, Cookie Lamphier, Amy Luken
<b>9:30 a.m. Sunday</b>	Alex Young	Sharon Philpot	Mike Nutter	Paula Gaub, Peter Gibbs, Maureen Heverin, Analise Kandra, Collin Kandra, Luke Kandra, Jerry Krumpelbeck
<b>11:30 a.m. Sunday</b>	Matthew Walter Adam Kent	Erin Sunderman Family	Rose Stertz	Kayla Hess, Olivia Hess, Meg Morris, Patrick Morris, Carol Niehaus, Margie Roedersheimer, Dave Tensing
<b>7:00 p.m. Sunday</b>			Mike Fitzpatrick	John Klopp



## OPEN HOUSE AT ST. DOMINIC SCHOOL TO CELEBRATE CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

As part of this year's celebration of Catholic Schools Week, St. Dominic School is inviting all parents, grandparents, friends, relatives, and the Delhi community to an Open House on **Sunday, January 29, following the 11:30 a.m. Mass.**

Current preschool, kindergarten and 1st-8th grade students and their families can meet the staff, view the students' work, enjoy refreshments hosted by the PTO and take a self-guided tour of the building between 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 p.m. A drawing for tuition credits will also take place. Please come and share in our pride of St. Dominic School as we celebrate this year's theme, "**Catholic Schools Communities of Faith, Knowledge and Service.**"

**Prospective Kindergarten families can meet the teachers and view the Kindergarten (Rooms 100 and 101) starting at 1:30 p.m. Members of the Education Commission will be available outside the Kindergarten rooms for tours of the building.**

Prospective families of students in grades 1-8 will receive a guided tour of the school with a member of the Education Commission starting at 12:30 p.m. in the school office. Parents and students will have the opportunity to meet the teachers and see the classrooms of interest to them as part of their tour.

***Prospective Preschool parents are invited to a very special evening on Wednesday, February 1, starting at 7:00 p.m. Meet the teachers, see the preschool rooms, and hear about our preschool program and what St. Dominic Preschool can do for your young child. We look forward to meeting you!***