

# 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 Bardonaro, Parish Administrator  
Mr. Bill Cavanaugh, Principal  
Mrs. Theresa Eagan, Pastoral Associate  
Mr. Jim Dickman, Music Director  
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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:

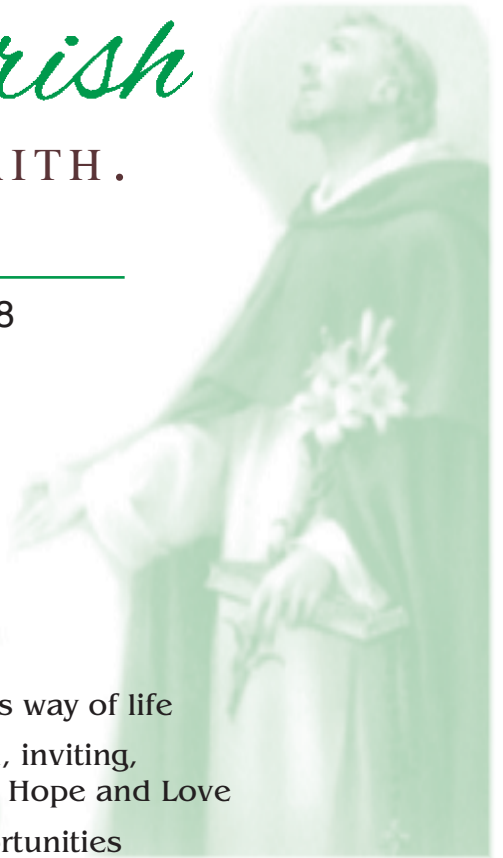
Monday-Thursday: 7:30 a.m.  
Friday: 7:30 a.m.  
Saturday: 8:15 a.m. followed by Marian Devotions & Apostolate for the Dying

### 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.



**OCTOBER 9, 2016**  
**TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**MONDAY – OCTOBER 10 – WEEKDAY**

6:10 A.M. Communion Service  
 7:30 A.M. Minabelle Campolongo (ANN)

**TUESDAY – OCTOBER 11 – WEEKDAY**

6:10 A.M. Communion Service  
 7:30 A.M. Mary Backscheider

**WEDNESDAY – OCTOBER 12 – WEEKDAY**

6:10 A.M. Communion Service  
 7:30 A.M. Milton Binder  
 8:00 A.M.-NOON Adoration

**THURSDAY – OCTOBER 13 – WEEKDAY**

6:10 A.M. Communion Service  
 7:30 A.M. Helen Rentzschke (ANN)

**FRIDAY – OCTOBER 14 – WEEKDAY**

6:10 A.M. Communion Service  
 7:30 A.M. Mary Ann Siebel  
 8:15 A.M. Intentions of the School Staff and Children

**SATURDAY – OCTOBER 15 – SAINT TERESA OF JESUS**

6:10 A.M. Communion Service  
 8:15 A.M. Mary Jean Schutte  
 After Mass: Marian Devotions and Apostolate for the Dying  
 4:30 P.M. Betty Nortmann (ANN)

**SUNDAY – OCTOBER 16 – TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY**  
**IN ORDINARY TIME**

7:30 A.M. Mary Schirmer  
 9:30 A.M. Jim Hater (ANN)  
 11:30 A.M. Jo and Babe Hempleman  
 7:00 P.M. For Our Parishioners

**FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK**

Last Saturday evening I had the pleasure of attending the Centennial Celebration of Catholic Charities Southwestern Ohio at the Cintas Center of Xavier University. Catholic Charities runs food pantries, provides mental health counselors for children with behavioral issues and at-risk families, and provides services for refugees and immigrants. They have been doing this for 100 years. The theme of the evening was "100 Years of Mercy." To highlight the theme, they honored 100 "Champions of Mercy." Our own Bob Sanker was one of the one hundred honorees! All of us at St. Dominic's know this was an honor well deserved. Congratulations Bob and thank you for all you do for our parish and the community!

Fr. Jim

**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.


**IN MEMORIAM**

Please pray for the soul of Jeanette Schwartz who died this past week. May she rest in the peace of the Lord.

**BAPTISMS**

Aubrey Lynn Grosjean, daughter of Daniel and Alyssa Grosjean.  
 Carmen Denali Marie Noel, daughter of Michael and Lori Noel.

**THE YEAR OF MERCY**

 **Always on the lookout.** Elisha looks out for Naaman (2 Kings 5:14-17). Jesus looks out for the ten lepers (Luke 17:11-19). Both teach us to always attend, always respond to the needs of others. In the Collect today we pray: "make us always determined to carry out good works." I need to be on the lookout. The need for good works abounds.

- Who is in need?
- Who needs me?
- What will I do?

**COMMUNITY DINNER**

Our next Community Dinner is scheduled for  
**October 20, in O'Connor Hall from 5:00 p.m. until 6:30 p.m.**  
 Hope to see everyone there!!!

**GOLDENAIRES**

The Goldenaires invite you to a Prayer Breakfast with Fr. Jim Walsh on Saturday, October 15. We will begin with Mass at 8:15 a.m. followed by a full breakfast with Spiritual Reflections by Fr. Jim. \$5.00 (donation to St. Vincent de Paul). Donuts provided by Vitt Stermer Anderson Funeral Home. Reservations to Marie Salem at 910-3938 by October 10. (You may pay at the door.) *There will be a short planning meeting following Fr. Jim's reflections.*

**PARENTAL PREPARATION FOR THEIR INFANT'S BAPTISM**

Baptisms take place on the first two Sundays of each month at 1:00 p.m. Parents requesting Baptism of their first child are asked to attend a preparation session. During this time, we will look at the history and theology of the sacrament, reflect on our own Baptism, and look at ways to pass the Catholic faith on to our children. Godparents are encouraged to attend as well. **Our next session is scheduled for Sunday, October 16, after the 11:30 a.m. Mass in the church.** Contact Theresa Eagan at 471-7741, ext. 481 with questions about Baptism or to let us know that you will join us on October 16.

**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.

**WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS**

Couples celebrating their 25th, 50th, 60th or 65th Wedding Anniversaries in 2016 will be honored at the 9:30 a.m. Mass on **Sunday, October 23**. A short reception will follow the Mass for relatives and friends in O'Connor Hall. **Please RSVP by October 10, at 471-7741, ext. 0**. If you are interested in helping to serve the reception, please call the Parish Office as soon as you are able to commit. Your help would be very much appreciated! If you did not turn your name into the Parish Office for your Anniversary last spring, please call the Parish Office at 471-7741, ext. 0, **by October 10**.

**MEN'S SOCIETY LOTTERY**

Members of the St. Dominic Men's Society are selling lottery tickets after each Mass at the church doors. Tickets are only \$5 each and will go to our scholarship fund. 100% of the money raised for the scholarship fund goes directly to students attending St. Dominic. Tickets will be on sale through the end of October. Each day in November (except Sundays) a three-digit number will be drawn at random and the winner will receive \$100. Your ticket can win more than once!!

**ETHICS AND END OF LIFE CARE**

St. Dominic Parish is hosting a two-night adult education program focusing on Catholic teaching and end-of-life care. The program offers (a) a general overview of Church teaching related to end-of-life medical issues, and (b) tools to help participants make appropriate health care decisions for themselves or a loved one at the end of life. The program will take place on two Wednesdays, October 12 and 19 from 7:00-9:00 p.m. in O'Connor Hall, and will be led by Joe Zalot, Regional Director of Ethics and Spiritual Care for Mercy Health. The October 12 session will focus on the ethics of withholding or withdrawing life-sustaining care. We will distinguish between withdrawing care and assisted suicide, and will explore the Church's teaching on ordinary and extraordinary means of care. The October 19 session will focus on Advance Directives, particularly the Living Will and Durable Power of Attorney for Health Care (DPOA). We will discuss what a Living Will and DPOA are, why they are important to have, how one completes them, and how they are consistent with Catholic teaching.

**BIBLE STUDY WITH FR. JIM AND FR. CHRIS**

Bible study will begin on Tuesday, October 18, and we will meet on the following Tuesdays: October 25, November 1 (after Mass), November 22 and December 6. We will meet in O'Connor Hall at 7:00 p.m. and study the Acts of the Apostles. The cost is \$18.00 for the study guide and commentary. If you are interested in joining, please register with Fr. Chris at 471-7741, ext. 419, so he can order materials for you.

**STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE**

Offertory Collection 10/2/16:	\$ 20,404
Offertory Collection Last Year:	\$ 19,688
<b>Total Collections were over by:</b>	<b>\$ 716</b>

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

<b>Year-to-Date Budget:</b>	<b>\$ 249,300</b>
<b>Actual Year to Date:</b>	<b>\$ 252,077</b>
<b>Over Budget by:</b>	<b>\$ 2,777</b>

<b>Respect Life Collection</b>	<b>\$ 1,333</b>
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Thank you for your support of our Parish.

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

**ST. DOMINIC NEWS**

**ST. DOMINIC GIRLS BASKETBALL SIGN-UPS AND COACHES NEEDED**

– Sign-ups for the 2016-2017 season are in progress. Registrations must be made online by visiting <http://leagues.bluesombrero.com/Default.aspx?tabid=786383>. All sign-ups will close on Sunday, October 16 with the exception of High School, which will be left open to accommodate high school tryouts. In order to be eligible, your daughter must be a St. Dominic student or currently enrolled and actively participating in St. Dominic PSR. High School players must have attended St. Dominic School or be a member of St. Dominic Parish. Attending a tryout is mandatory to be considered for the competitive teams; however, all are encouraged to attend for practice drills (open gym). Any players not attending a tryout will automatically be placed on a recreational level team.

Open gym for grades 3 and 4 and tryouts for grades 5 through 8 and are as follows:

**Sunday, NOVEMBER 6:**

Grades 3 and 4 – Open gym from 5:00-6:00 p.m.  
 Grades 5 and 6 – Tryouts from 6:00-7:30 p.m.  
 Grades 7 and 8 – Tryouts from 7:30-9:00 p.m.

**Sunday, NOVEMBER 13:**

Grades 3 and 4 – Open gym from 5:00-6:00 p.m.  
 Grades 5 and 6 – Tryouts from 6:00-7:00 p.m.  
 Grades 7 and 8 – Tryouts from 7:00-8:00 p.m.

**We are looking for coaches at the 5th/6th grade level. All interested parties should contact Kim Childs directly.**

Lastly, there will be a Little League for girls in grades 1 and 2 on Friday nights in April and May. Look for registration after the first of the year.

Any questions, please contact Kim Childs at [kchilds6232001@hotmail.com](mailto:kchilds6232001@hotmail.com) or 921-2036 home/702-0102 cell or Jennica Bass at [jennicabass@yahoo.com](mailto:jennicabass@yahoo.com) or 283-3505.



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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.



**WENDY'S BURGER BASH THANK YOU!** Thank you to everyone who came to the Wendy's Burger Bash to support the Tuition Reduction Program! It was so wonderful to see so many school and parish families coming together to support this wonderful cause! The night was a HUGE success! Thank You!!!

**HOW DID YOUR GARDEN GROW?** How did your perennials do this summer? Ready to share a few with St. Dominic's flower beds? We are looking for plants that prefer more shade than sun, but would love to hear about any you might like to give away. Please call Joan at 922-6993 and let us know what you might have. If you have any extra time to help maintain our flower beds, we'd love to hear from you too!

**THANK YOU, FROM THE GIRLS ON THE RUN PROGRAM** – The St. Dominic Girls on the Run (GOTR) teams would like to recognize and thank The Greater Cincinnati Foundation for awarding our program two \$1,000 grants. One grant is for the elementary team which will be participating in a noncompetitive 5K race on November 19 at Sawyer Point. The middle school team will prepare and participate in a 5K race in the spring. Girls on the Run is a wonderful program that encourages positive emotional, social, mental, and physical development. The program focuses on promoting a healthy lifestyle while also building confidence in girls in the formative pre-teen and adolescent years. GOTR is a 10-week program that meets twice a week. The program helps to prepare the girls to run in a 5K race. The grants from The Greater Cincinnati Foundation will help to offset the cost of the program and allow girls to participate who otherwise would not have been able because of financial constraints. Thank you, Greater Cincinnati Foundation!

### MISCELLANEOUS

**21st ANNUAL DAY OF PRAYER** and reflection for women and men at Mercy Franciscans at St. Clare (100 Compton Road). Led by Fr. Norman Langenbrunner, hosted by Roger Grein on Saturday, October 22, starting at 9:00 a.m. and ending after 3:00 p.m. Mass. \$25 per person includes lunch. Please RSVP by October 18. Contact Roger Grein at 821-9044 or 733-5938 for more information.

**THEOLOGY ON TAP FOR YOUNG ADULTS** is a speaker series that meets in a local pub or brewery. Through lively conversations and interesting speakers, people in their 20s and 30s have an opportunity to reflect on their faith. The next series is on Wednesdays in October. Our series will focus on social issues we are facing this year. Held at Madtree Brewing starting at 7:00 p.m. If you have questions about Theology on Tap, please contact Sr. Leslie Keener at St. Monica – St. George (381-6400), Jenni Lindgren at St. Boniface (541-1563) or Sean Reynolds from the Archdiocese (421-3131).

**CINCINNATI CATHOLIC ALUMNI CLUB** invites single Catholics to a German style dinner on Sunday, October 16 at Kreimer's Bier Haus Restaurant (6052 State Route 128). We will meet at 5:30 p.m. for some delicious German cuisine. For more information, call Don at 574-8573.

**POTTERY RETREAT** – A 4-part series offered by the Sisters of Charity Spirituality Center, will be held on the following Saturdays: October 22 and 29 and November 12 and 19 from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. at the Sisters of Charity Motherhouse (5900 Delhi Road). Experience the healing power of clay therapy while exploring your relationship with God through the powerful image of the Potter. During our sessions you will create a vessel of clay while learning how God interacts with us. FEE: \$60. Please contact the Spirituality Center at 347-5449 or [spirituality.center@srcharitycinti.org](mailto:spirituality.center@srcharitycinti.org) for registration information.

**PRAYING WITH NATURE THROUGH THE SEASONS** is offered by the Sisters of Charity Spirituality Center on Wednesday, October 19, from 9:30-11:00 a.m. at the Sisters of Charity Motherhouse (5900 Delhi Road). Using photographs and the outdoors we can get in touch with our loving God and experience the beauty in our changing seasons. NO FEE for this program but registration requested. Please contact the Spirituality Center 347-5449 or [spirituality.center@srcharitycinti.org](mailto:spirituality.center@srcharitycinti.org).

### SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16

1st Reading: Exodus 17:8-13  
 2nd Reading: 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2  
 Gospel: Luke 18:1-8

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR OCTOBER 15 & 16

	<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>	Madisyn Heideman Anna Railey			
<b>4:30 p.m. Saturday</b>	Nathan Hill Tony Essen	Greg and Molly Wagner Family	Mike and Martha Queenan	Judy Luebbe, Mary Jo Reiners, Louise Shields, Matt Shields, Pat Cusick, Bill Inskeep, Mary Rose Kremer
<b>7:30 a.m. Sunday</b>	Andrew Corbett George Callahan	Joe and Lois Scherer	Natalie Honnert	Evan Honnert, Grant Honnert, Cookie Lamphier, Amy Luken, Roger Witsken
<b>9:30 a.m. Sunday</b>	Lucas Abbott Brady Lindsey	Sharon Philpot	Jennie Jacobs	Mark Bruns, Kelli Doerman, Terry Doherty, Peggy Flannery, Paula Gaub, Nancy Gibbs, Maureen Heverin
<b>11:30 a.m. Sunday</b>	Alex Young Justin Besl	Ron and Betty Fraley	Paul Brinker	Jack Sunderman, Dave Tensing, Margie Walter, Otto Walter, Gordon Yetter, Alex Young, Jenny Berndsen
<b>7:00 p.m. Sunday</b>			Mike Fitzpatrick	John Klopp



**CHILDREN'S**  
Liturgy of the Word

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

The Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW) is one of several ministries for the young children of the parish. The Children and their catechists leave the body of the church, going to the Gathering Space for a child-friendly learning experience that mirrors the Scripture readings, Creed and Prayer of the Faithful. This takes place during the 9:30 a.m. Sunday Liturgy.

We are in need of additional volunteers to serve as catechists for our Kindergartners through Second Graders. CLOW volunteers must be in compliance with the Archdiocese Decree on Child Protection (VIRTUS), although previous teaching experience is not required. Material needed to lead each session is provided. **Please consider volunteering. Many helpers make for light work!** If you can help as a CLOW catechist once each month, or if you want more information, contact Theresa Eagan, Pastoral Associate, at 471-7741, ext. 481.