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### **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

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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.

ST. DOMINIC CHURCH CINCINNATI, OHIO

### AUGUST 25, 2019 TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### **MONDAY - AUGUST 26 - WEEKDAY**

6:10 A.M. Communion Service 7:30 A.M. Bob and Elaine Schoener

6:45 P.M. Rosary in Church

### **TUESDAY - AUGUST 27 - SAINT MONICA**

6:10 A.M. Communion Service

7:30 A.M. Jack Fields

### **WEDNESDAY - AUGUST 28 - SAINT AUGUSTINE**

6:10 A.M. Communion Service

7:30 A.M. Kay Winstel 8:00 A.M.-NOON Adoration

# THURSDAY – AUGUST 29 – THE PASSION OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST

6:10 A.M. Communion Service

7:30 A.M. Diane Lang

### FRIDAY - AUGUST 30 - WEEKDAY

6:10 A.M. Communion Service 7:30 A.M. Louis Fiorante (ANN) 8:15 A.M. Geraldine Shields

### SATURDAY - AUGUST 31 - WEEKDAY

6:10 A.M. Communion Service

8:15 A.M. Frank Hinkel

After Mass: Marian Devotions and

Apostolate for the Dying

4:30 P.M. Judy Mor

### SUNDAY – SEPTEMBER 1 – TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 A.M. For Our Parishioners

9:30 A.M. Ted and JoAnn Kahle (ANN)

11:30 A.M. Clara Brunemann (BR)

7:00 P.M. Bob Fitzpatrick

#### HOLY HOUR FOR THE DYING

Join us for the Holy Hour for the Dying on the last Tuesday of each month. We will meet this month on August 27 at 7:00 p.m. in Room 2 of the Parish Center.

### **EARLY BULLETIN DEADLINE**

Due to the Labor Day Holiday, all items for the September 8 bulletin need to be submitted by noon on Wednesday, August 28.

# FALL SCRIPTURE SERIES WITH FR. JIM & FR. CHRIS

Fr. Chris and Fr. Jim will be offering a series called "Catholicism" this fall, beginning Tuesday, October 8 at 7:00 p.m. For seven Tuesdays, we will discuss the fundamental truths of Catholicism. Part of the input will come from videos by the popular Bishop Robert Barron of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. Each class will last two hours, and a book will be provided to the participants. To sign up, call the office at 471-7741, ext. 0.

### ST. DOMINIC GOLDENAIRES

SPRING GROVE CEMETERY TRAM TOUR – Friday, September 20. We will meet at the Delhi Park n' Ride near the Waffle House at 12:00 p.m. Drivers are needed to carpool to Spring Grove. Space is limited on the tram. Cost is \$5 per person. Reservations due before Friday, September 13. Send your name(s), phone number and payment to Donna Miller, 217 Sebastian Court, Cincinnati, OH 45238. For more information, call 451-7199.

**SAVE THE DATE – Cincinnati Union Terminal and Museum Center –** 10:00 a.m. Friday, October 11 – One-hour Rotunda Tour led by docents, followed by lunch and either Omnimax movie or two museums. Watch for detailed information in the September bulletins and October *Torch*.

### **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.

### **Infant Baptisms**

Attendance at a Parent Pre-Baptism Session is required. Call the Parish Office at 471-7741, ext. 0.

#### **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**

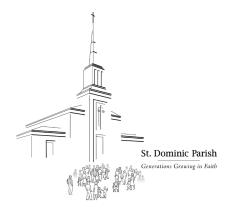
Please call the Parish Office to request this service.

### ST. DOMINIC PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION (PSR) REGISTRATION FOR 2019/2020

**REMINDER – Registration closes Friday, August 30.** If you have not yet registered your school-age child for class, registration is open until Friday, August 30. Access the registration form via the parish website at www.stdominicdelhi.org. All fees are due by August 30. There is a \$10 per child late fee. Classes begin on Sunday, September 8, 10:30 a.m. *A parent meeting will be held the first day of class, Sunday, September 8 at 10:30 a.m.* 

### PARENTAL PREPARATION FOR YOUR 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, September 15, after the 11:30 a.m. Mass in church. Please call the Parish Office at 471-7741, ext. 411, with questions about Baptism or to let us know that you will join us on September 15.



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### STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Offertory Collection Week of 8/18/19: \$13,766
Feast of the Assumption: \$2,016

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bless you in your generosity!

Dear St. Dominic parishioners,

Over the last few months, Dan Eddingfield of Field Development Consultants (FDC), has been helping us assess the state of the parish and identify the pressing needs and concerns of the parishioners. He met with over sixty parishioners in casual conversation and focus group discussions.

In his letter to me, he reported a few "key" elements that surfaced consistently. "St. Dominic is a wonderful faith community! While our parish has some 'needs' – overall we are in good financial stead. Our parish's unique administrative model works well and should be fostered for as long as possible. The St. Dominic community is committed to both the short and the long-term health of our Church and School." This did not surprise me.

There are three major concerns that surfaced. First of all, nearly every participant mentioned the unique administrative model currently employed at St. Dominic and how well it seems to be working (the partnering of duties with Deacon Mark). This model is unique to St. Dominic and the wish is that it will continue as long as possible. The participants felt there was a need for me, Fr. Chris and Deacon Mark to develop a succession plan allowing for the unique administrative model to continue after my tenure and hopefully allow Fr. Chris and Deacon Mark to remain at St. Dominic.

The second major concern was the need for St. Dominic to become more attractive to younger families, especially as the parishioner base is aging.

A third major concern was the overall direction of the school and its future. The school is universally viewed as being a huge asset to St. Dominic.

Here are some of the other issues that were discussed. There was consensus that, given the age of our Church air conditioning units, they need to be continually monitored and maintained. There was consensus that our school should move toward air conditioning and move to being fully ADA compliant. Our parking lot needs leveling in some areas and repaving. We do not need to replace the pews, but they need a good cleaning. We need to continue to work out the kinks with the sound system.

As a staff, we will be addressing these concerns. Should you like to share your personal input and feedback, please email me directly at jimwalsh@stdominicdelhi.org.

Fr. Jim

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### ST. DOMINIC NEWS

CUB SCOUT SIGN-UPS – St. Dominic Cub Scout Pack 483 will be holding sign-ups for all boys in K through 5th grade on Thursday, August 29, in the Gathering Place from 6:30-8:00 p.m. Cost of registration is \$60. Cub Scouting is a fun and exciting program that includes activities such as snow tubing, Reds games, pinewood derby, camping, hiking, and bowling. Cub Scouting builds a sense of belonging, self-confidence and leadership skills with focus on citizenship, character and fitness development while spending quality time with families. Don't let your son miss the adventure! There will be flyers providing detailed information available in the Gathering Place. If you have questions, please email us at pack483.delhi@gmail.com, come to the sign-up night or contact BC Charles (513-827-6401), Mike Bizaillon (513-582-3594) or Bill Eckhoff (513-706-6115). Boys do not need to be a student at St. Dominic School to be a member of Pack 483.



### **SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY, SEPTMBER 1**

1st Reading: Sirach 3:17-18, 20, 28-29 2nd Reading: Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24a Gospel: Luke 14:1, 7-14

### LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR AUGUST 31 & SEPTEMBER 1

	SERVERS SCHEDULE	GIFT BEARERS	LECTORS	EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS (Captains names are listed first.)
8:15 a.m. Saturday	Kendylle Lively Kaitlyn Kruessel			
4:30 p.m. Saturday	Luke Schwartz Kyle Sokolis	OPEN	Pat Cusick	Mike Queenan, Mary Jo Reiners, Louise Shields, Matt Shields, Amy Stevens, Jen Vatter, Martha Queenan
7:30 a.m. Sunday	Bella Bass Leni Sullivan	Joe and Lois Scherer	BC Charles	Amy Luken, Linda Meyer, Joanne Neidich, Roger Witsken, Clinton Backscheider
9:30 a.m. Sunday	Andrew Corbett Gabe McDonald	OPEN	Michelle Smith	Jennifer Bizaillon, Michael Bizaillon, Jan Bonomini, Mark Bruns, Kelli Doerman, Terry Doherty, Nancy Gibbs
11:30 a.m. Sunday	Margie Roedersheimer	Jennifer and Mia Schorsch	Jenny Berndsen	Margie Walter, Otto Walter, Beth Weaver, Nancy Wellbrock, Joan Buzek, Dan Clark, Pat Clark
7:00 p.m. Sunday			Mike Fitzpatrick	Elizabeth Burger

\*\*\* 9:00 A.M. MASS – MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2 – LABOR DAY\*\*\*

SERVERS: Charlie Baker and Nick Liderbach



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Parish weekend is a way to give God a chance with you. It is an opportunity for you to renew your relationship with God and to make new friends. Women's Weekend is November 2/3. Call Fr. Jim or Carole at 471-7741 to reserve a spot.

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