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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

Rev. Jim Walsh, Pastor
Rev. Chris Lack, Associate Pastor
Deacon Mark Bardonaro, Parish Administrator
Mr. Bill Cavanaugh, Principal
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:

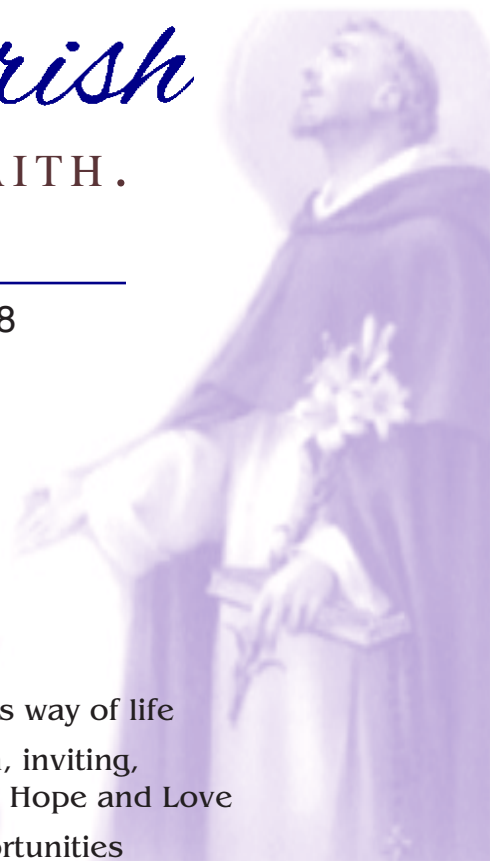
Monday-Thursday: 7:30 a.m.
Friday: 7:30 a.m. & 8:15 a.m.
Saturday: 8:15 a.m. followed by
Marian Devotions &
Apostolate for the Dying

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.



**DECEMBER 15, 2019
THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

MONDAY, DECEMBER 16 – ADVENT WEEKDAY

6:10 a.m. Communion Service
7:30 a.m. Dave Binzer
6:45 p.m. Rosary in Church

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17 – LATE ADVENT WEEKDAY

6:10 a.m. Communion Service
7:30 a.m. Carolyn Robben

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18 – LATE ADVENT WEEKDAY

6:10 a.m. Communion Service
7:30 a.m. Vivian Reed
8:00 a.m.-NOON Adoration

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19 – LATE ADVENT WEEKDAY

6:10 a.m. Communion Service
7:30 a.m. Lee Jesse

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20 – LATE ADVENT WEEKDAY

6:10 a.m. Communion Service
7:30 a.m. Lisa Nelson
8:15 a.m. Silos DelaCalzada (BR)

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 21 – LATE ADVENT WEEKDAY

6:10 a.m. Communion Service
8:15 a.m. Albert Dellbrugge (BR)
After Mass: Marian Devotions and Apostolate
for the Dying
4:30 p.m. Intentions of Fr. Jim

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22 – FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

7:30 a.m. Joe Backscheider
9:30 a.m. Jack Burns (ANN)
11:30 a.m. Ted and JoAnn Kahle
7:00 p.m. For Our Parishioners

IN MEMORIAM

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

BAPTISMS

Leo Thomas Enderle, son of Will and Lisa Enderle.
Patrick George Landers, son of Veronica Hiatt.

COMMUNITY DINNER

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

Please note the time change.
We will begin at 4:30 p.m. December, January and February.

EARLY BULLETIN DEADLINES

Please note the early deadline for the following bulletins:
December 29 – all information must be submitted by noon
on Wednesday, December 18; January 5 – all information
must be submitted by noon on Monday, December 23.

ADVENT CONCERT

Mike Davis' Advent Concert
with Scripture and Prayer
Tuesday, December 17
7:00 p.m. in Church

ANOTHER WAY TO SUPPORT ST. DOMINIC

Are you age 70 ½ and required by the IRS to take annual distributions from your IRA account, also known as Required Minimum Distributions (RMD)? If so, you may consider making a Qualified Charitable Distribution (QCD) from your IRA account directly to St. Dominic Parish. QCD's will satisfy your annual distribution requirement, (RMD), and will not be included in your taxable income for the year. This could be a great way to save taxes and financially support St. Dominic Parish. For more details on Qualified Charitable Distributions from your IRA account, please contact your investment advisor and/or your tax advisor as we cannot give specific tax advice.

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.

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY

The 2019 Pictorial Directory is in. If you had your picture taken for the Directory and have not already picked up your copy, you can pick it up in the Parish Office during our regular business hours of 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., Monday-Friday, or call the Parish Office at 471-7741, ext. 0, to arrange for pickup.

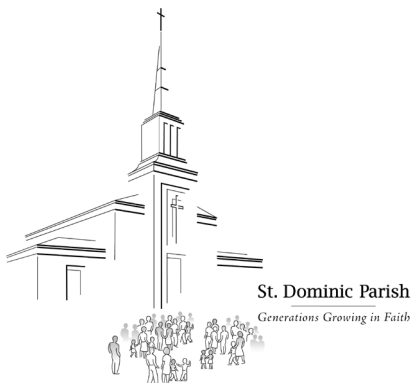
PARISH OFFICE HOLIDAY HOURS

The Parish Office will have reduced hours during the holiday season. Please note these times so you can plan your business accordingly.

Monday, December 23:	8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
Tuesday, December 24:	8:00 a.m.-noon
Wednesday, December 25:	Closed
Thursday, December 26-Friday, December 27:	8:00 a.m.-noon
Monday, December 30-Tuesday, December 31:	8:00 a.m.-noon
Wednesday, January 1:	Closed

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

We need several people to help us put Las Vegas ticket sheets in the January TORCH. This would be a good opportunity for a retired person, a Boy or Girl Scout, or a Confirmation student to do some community service. If we get several people, it can be done in a few hours. We will need you to be available one morning right after Christmas, depending upon when the final TORCH is returned to the Parish Office. If you can help, please call the Parish Office at 471-7741 or Bob Murphy at 451-5047. THANKS IN ADVANCE! (Those people who have helped in the past do not have to respond. They will receive a call asking for their help as soon as we know when the TORCH will be ready.)



Our future depends on you.

Please remember St. Dominic in your will and estate planning.

Our legal title is St. Dominic Roman Catholic Church.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Offertory Collection Week of 12/8/19: \$23,214.00
Retirement Fund For Religious: \$2,967.00

Thank you for your support of our Parish.
May the Lord continue to bless you in your generosity!

ST. DOMINIC NEWS

OPEN HOUSE AT ST. DOMINIC SCHOOL – Prospective preschool-8th grade parents are invited to a very special evening on Thursday, January 16, from 5:30-7:00 p.m. Meet the teachers, see the classroom, and be given a tour by a member of our St. Dominic Community. We look forward to meeting you!

OPEN HOUSE TO CELEBRATE CATHOLIC SCHOOL'S 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 26, following the 11:30 a.m. Mass until 2:30 p.m.

Current preschool-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. until 2:30 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, "Building a Community of Love."

Families of students in grades preschool-8th with a new incoming student will receive a guided tour of the school with a member of the St. Dominic Community starting at 12:30 p.m. outside the school office. Parents and students will have the opportunity to meet the teachers and see the classrooms as part of their tour.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR –

The application process for applying for financial assistance for the 2020-2021 school year is now open. If you have a high school student next year, and you have applied for assistance through FACTS, you do not have to complete the application for your St. Dominic student, as long as you have selected St. Dominic as one of your schools. **PLEASE MAKE CERTAIN YOU HAVE SELECTED ST. DOMINIC AS ONE OF YOUR SCHOOLS.**

To begin the application process, go to: **www.factsmgt.com**. In the upper left corner of the page, click on "Parent Log In." If you applied for assistance last year (2019-2020), your login credentials will be the same. If you are utilizing FACTS for tuition payment processing for this current school year, your login credentials are the same. Click on the link, "Apply for Financial Aid." The instructions for completing the application are relatively intuitive, however if you experience any issues, please contact FACTS at (866) 412-4637.

Awards will first be granted through the Catholic Education Foundation (The Archdiocese of Cincinnati's One Faith One Hope One Love Campaign). CEF awards will be announced in February 2020. St. Dominic will announce Parish awards in the Spring of 2020. **The deadline to apply for assistance is January 31, 2020 for CEF and St. Dominic Parish Awards. No exceptions can be made!** You will need your 2018 tax return information. You will also have to upload pages 1 & 2 from your 2018 tax return as well as copies of any 2018 W-2's.

A PERFECT CHRISTMAS GIFT – Christmas is coming soon! Consider purchasing a Gathering Place paver for the person in your life who is hard to shop for. Pavers are the gift that lets your mother, father, grandparent, child, or spouse know how cherished they are. Order forms are available at the doors of church or on the parish website at www.stdominicdelhi.org. (Click on Ministries/General Parish Ministries/Gathering Place Walkway). You can also stop in the Parish Office to order a paver. The 4 x 8 bricks allow 3 lines, with 13 characters per line, and cost \$40.00. The 8 x 8 pavers allow up to 6 lines, with 13 characters per line, and cost \$75.00. If you have any questions, call the Parish Office at 471-7741, ext. 0.

STATEMENT OF CONTRIBUTIONS – If you wish to receive a statement of your contributions for 2019, please drop the YELLOW card from the back of your 2019 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 2019.

CONTRIBUTIONS FOR 2019 – Please remember that contributions for the 2019 tax year must be received in the Parish Office by Tuesday, December 31, 2019, for them to be deductible for this tax year. We thank you for your ongoing support!

ST. DOMINIC CUB SCOUT FUND RAISER – Pack 483 and their parents will be offering their gift-wrapping services as a part of a fund raiser to help cover the costs of their pack events. The talented gift wrappers will be in the school cafeteria on Sunday, December 15, from 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Please stop by and support this great organization and let us help you wrap your gifts!

MISCELLANEOUS

LESSONS IN CAROLS – Monday, December 16 at 7:00 p.m. at Saint Antoninus Church. The special evening of music and prayer provides an opportunity to reflect on the true meaning of Christmas. Music will be offered by the Giving Glory Contemporary Music Group, directed by Peg Delaney.

“THE STORY OF CHRISTMAS” CRIB SCENE – Looking for something Christmassy to do with your children or grandchildren? St. Joseph Parish in North Bend is presenting an elaborate Christmas crib scene this year. “The Story of Christmas” display includes several beautiful scenes related to the birth of Christ, as well as a sound track that tells the story of the Nativity in word and in music. The display can be viewed before or after Masses at St. Joseph, beginning Sunday, December 15 through Epiphany, January 5. In addition, the display will be open for viewing in the evening, Tuesday, December 17 through Friday, December 20, from 5:30-8:00 p.m. The St. Joseph community invites all to come and be inspired by this depiction of the Christmas Story. Hot chocolate and cookies will be provided. There is no charge but there will be a box for donations. For more information, please contact the Parish Office at 941-3661 or visit www.stjosephnorthbend.com. Merry Christmas!



SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22

1st Reading: Isaiah 7:10-14

2nd Reading: Romans 1:1-7

Gospel: Matthew 1:18-24

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR DECEMBER 21 & 22

	SERVERS SCHEDULE	GIFT BEARERS	LECTORS	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS (Captains names are listed first.)
8:15 a.m. Saturday	Ella Vatter Allison Doerman			
4:30 p.m. Saturday	Eabha Delaney Catherine Barron	John and Tina Back	Mike and Martha Queenan	Louise Shields, Matt Shields, Amy Stevens, Jen Vatter, Connie Ashby, Bob Busam, Mary Jo Reiners
7:30 a.m. Sunday	Brayden Bass Adam Schloemer	Charles Family	Karen Holtgreffe	Cookie Lamphier, Amy Luken, Linda Meyer, Roger Witsken, John Burns
9:30 a.m. Sunday	Hayley Cook Grace Awad	Thai Family	Cindy Sturgill	Maureen Heverin, Collin Kandra, Luke Kandra, Jerry Krumpelbeck, Jerry Luebbering, Peter Gibbs, Nancy Hendrickson
11:30 a.m. Sunday	Charlie Baker Nick Liderbach	Jennifer and Mia Schorsch	Sr. Karen Elliott	Jenny Berndsen, Dan Clark, Pat Clark, Jen Dugan, Ken Enginger, Betty Fraley, Jan Gilbert
7:00 p.m. Sunday			Mike Fitzpatrick	Stephanie Ramsey



HOLIDAY MASS SCHEDULE

CHRISTMAS EVE

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24

3:00 p.m.

5:00 p.m. – Children's Mass

11:00 p.m. – Final Mass on Christmas Eve
(Carols begin at 10:30 p.m.)

CHRISTMAS DAY

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 25

7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m.

NO 7:00 p.m. Mass on Christmas Day

SOLEMNITY OF MARY

(Holy Day of Obligation)

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31

4:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 1, 2020

9:00 a.m.



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