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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:

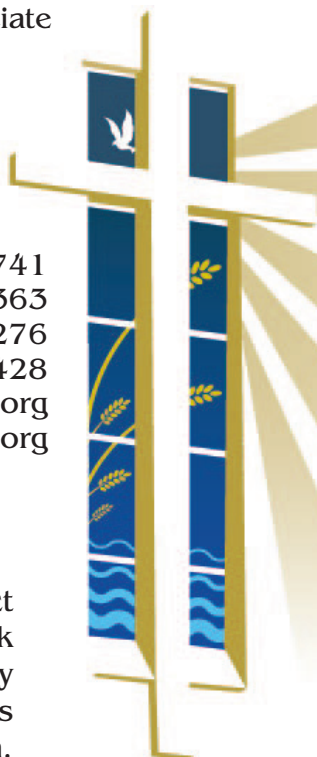
Monday-Thursday: 7:30 a.m.
Friday: 7:30 a.m. & 8:15 a.m.
Saturday: 8:15 a.m. followed by Marian Devotions & Apostolate for the Dying

Holy Communion Service:

Monday-Friday: 6:10 a.m.

Publication Deadlines:

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



SEPTEMBER 20, 2020
TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MONDAY – SEPTEMBER 21 – SAINT MATTHEW

6:10 A.M. Communion Service
 7:30 A.M. Marie Davis (BR)
 6:45 P.M. Rosary in Church

TUESDAY – SEPTEMBER 22 – WEEKDAY

6:10 A.M. Communion Service
 7:30 A.M. Carolyn Robben

**WEDNESDAY – SEPTEMBER 23 – SAINT PIUS OF
 PIETREICINA**

6:10 A.M. Communion Service
 7:30 A.M. Dominick Campolongo (BR)
 8:00 A.M. - NOON Adoration

THURSDAY – SEPTEMBER 24 – WEEKDAY

6:10 A.M. Communion Service
 7:30 A.M. Joe Vonderahe

FRIDAY – SEPTEMBER 25 – WEEKDAY

6:10 A.M. Communion Service
 7:30 A.M. Rick Dudley
 8:15 A.M. Bob Henninger

SATURDAY – SEPTEMBER 26 – WEEKDAY

8:15 A.M. Intentions of the Cushman Family
 After Mass: Marian Devotions and
 Apostolate for the Dying
 4:30 P.M. John DePaoli, Jr. (ANN)

**SUNDAY – SEPTEMBER 27 – TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY
 IN ORDINARY TIME**

7:30 A.M. Ken Buzek (BR)
 9:30 A.M. Bob Hater
 11:30 A.M. Joe Allen
 7:00 P.M. For Our Parishioners

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Recollections from the summer of 2000 continued! Fr. Gene Carmichael, a Jesuit from Xavier, was my spiritual director. He had directed me on a memorable retreat at Milford in 1978. On that retreat I realized that God called me "Jimmy Joe," and that I was a beloved son of the Father!



In 2000, I went to him to help me sort out where God was and what God was doing in my assignment to St. Dominic! I told him of my frustration with the process and my anger at Archbishop Dan Pilarczyk. After I spent the first fifteen minutes of our session venting, he just smiled and said, "How brilliant of Dan!" He then went on to tell me why he thought my assignment to St. Dominic was a blessing for the church on the Westside. His words got me to thinking that maybe Dan wasn't abusing his power in assigning me to St. Dominic. Maybe he was just doing his job! Gene predicted that the assignment would be a blessing for the parish. You all know that it has certainly turned out to be a blessing for me!

– Fr. Jim

IN MEMORIAM

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

BAPTISMS

Mera Rose Lothes, daughter of Christopher and Jessica Lothes.

Abigail Sophia Zacharias, daughter of George and Kelly Zacharias.

FIRST COMMUNION

Congratulations to our school and PSR students who received the Sacrament of the Eucharist for the first time on Saturday, September 19.

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.

URGENT AND IMPORTANT

As you know, we were unable to have our festival this spring. We hope to realize some of that lost revenue by conducting our Major Award Raffle. Tickets were mailed out to all parishioners. We had some problems with the mailing, so please respond immediately when you receive the tickets. Time is short! Thanks for your generosity to St. Dominic Parish.

— Fr. Jim

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Beginning on Tuesday, September 8 the Parish Office will have new hours of 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Monday-Thursday. **Friday hours will be 8:00 a.m.-noon.**

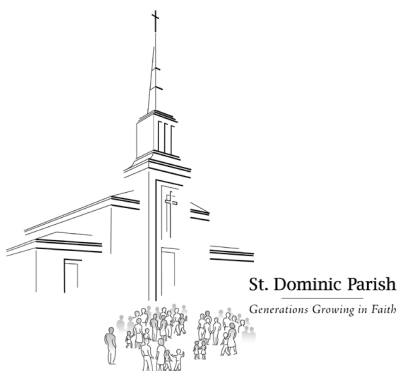
PARKING FOR 7:30 A.M. MASSGOERS ON SCHOOL DAYS!

You can continue to park where you do in the upper parking lot. There will be some spaces marked off by cones for "No Parking". Parking over by Vitt, Stermer and Anderson is open against the back, but you might have trouble getting out after Mass. When you leave Mass, be careful getting to your car as school cars will be coming from the direction of the school entrance, where the children will be having their temperatures checked in their cars. When you exit on to Delhi Pike, you will only be able to turn right! Right turn only between 7:30 and 8:30 a.m. on school days!

Churchgoers who normally park in the lower lot will have to park somewhere else as the Before and After School parents will be dropping off their children in O'Conner Hall.

CHILD PROTECTION/VIRTUS

Thank you to all who work or volunteer serving the children of our parish. Please remember to read your monthly bulletins at www.virtusonline.org so that you can stay in-compliance. Your time and efforts are greatly appreciated!



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

MAJOR AWARD RAFFLE AND "DRIVE-THRU" PULLED PORK DINNER SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2020 5:00-7:30 p.m.

Unfortunately, our 2020 St. Dominic Parish festival is officially canceled this year. Originally, we postponed the festival from Memorial Day weekend until the weekend of October 9. However, with Covid-19 guidelines and restrictions, we do not feel that it is in the best interest of our parishioners and volunteers to move forward with our traditional festival this year. To help the Parish we will still have our Major Award Raffle and a "Drive-Thru" Pulled Pork Dinner on October 3.

**Major Award Drawing - 1st Prize - \$10,000,
2nd Prize - \$1,000, 3rd Prize - \$500**

Tickets are \$20.00 each or Buy 5 Get 1 Free.

The winner will be pulled around 7:30 p.m.

Parishioners should be receiving 6 raffle tickets in the mail. If you need more tickets, or are not a parishioner and would like to support St. Dominic by buying Major Award tickets, you have 2 options:

1. You can purchase tickets online through WeShare by going to our website at www.stdominicdelhi.org. Click on the Online Giving button on the left side of the page. Find the Major Award and click the button "Purchase Major Award Tickets".
2. Purchase tickets in the Parish Office Monday-Thursday between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. and Friday 8:00 a.m.-noon.

The "Drive-Thru" Pulled Pork Dinner features pulled pork and smoked turkey from Neon's BBQ, and ribs from Roadhouse. An order form for the dinner was included in the letter to all parishioners. We have also included an order form in this bulletin. **Order forms need to be returned to the Parish Office by Sunday, September 27.** You can place the order in an envelope marked "Pulled Pork Dinner" and place it in the collection basket or mail it to the Parish Office at 4551 Delhi Road, Cincinnati, OH 45238.

The dinner can also be ordered online through WeShare by going to our website at www.stdominicdelhi.org. Click on the Online Giving button on the left side of the page. Find the Pulled Pork Dinner and click the "Order Form" button.

PLEASE PLACE YOUR ORDER IN ADVANCE TO GUARANTEE THAT THERE IS ENOUGH FOOD.

Thank you for your support of St. Dominic. If you have any questions, email stdominicfestival@gmail.com.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE**Offertory Collection Week of 9/13/20: \$ 12,164.00****WeShare Online Giving 9/13/20: \$ 4,498.00****Second Collection (Holy Land) 9/13/20: \$ 346.00****Thank you for your support of our Parish.****May the Lord continue to
bless you in your generosity!****ST. DOMINIC NEWS**

THE APOSTOLATE FOR THE DYING – The Apostolate for the Dying has a beautiful new book *The Silent Sufferings of Mary* with the forward written by Fr. Jim. This book will help you start a conversation with Mary, that will lead you to prayer and a deeper understanding of her sufferings and love for all of us. To purchase a copy online, go to apostolateforthedying.com. You can also call 922-0370 or email holyhourdevotion@gmail.com.

BASKETBALL SIGN-UPS – Registration is open for St. Dominic Boys Basketball Grades 3-8, Boys Little League Grades K-2, and Girls Little League Grades 1-2 and will remain open until Sunday September 27. Registration for Boys High school Grades 9-12 will stay open until after high school tryouts.

Please take note of the registration close date. If you wish to register for a sport, please do so before sign-ups close – or risk not being able to play this upcoming season or being assessed a late fee.

After the registration period closes, we will review participation levels. If additional players are needed at a particular grade level, we will reopen signups and a \$20.00 late fee will be applied. Not all grade levels are subject to being reopened, so please sign up early!

To register, please click on the link below. To be eligible, your child must be a St. Dominic student or an active member of the PSR program. <https://leagues.bluesombrero.com/Default.aspx?tabid=786383&mid=863181&newskeyid=HN1&newsid=77572&ctl=newsdetail>

Tryouts are currently scheduled for Saturday, October 10 and Sunday, October 18. We will keep you updated with information and how the tryouts will work as we get closer. If your son would like to make the 'A' team (5th-8th Grade) they must be at tryouts. For 3rd and 4th Grade, since they do not have an 'A' team the time will be used as camp time to continue to work on skills. I do ask that anyone interested in coaching at the 3rd or 4th Grade level please let me know ASAP at dominicboysbasketball@yahoo.com.

If you have any questions, please contact one of the following: Boys Basketball Grades 3-8 & High School: Jason Carrithers at dominicboysbasketball@yahoo.com, 543-1045 or Paul Tallen at ptallen1974@yahoo.com, 256-4248. For Boys and Girls Little League contact Brian Servizzi at bservizzi@gmail.com, 235-5102

MISCELLANEOUS

CAREGIVER NEWS – Catholic Charities encourages caregiver wellness with online groups, workshops and education sessions, telephone support calls, and limited in-person support programs, including respite services. If you know of a caregiver who needs encouragement and support, please tell them about our Caregiver Assistance Network and have them call Angie Homoele at 672-3834 or visit our website at <https://ccswoh.org/programs/caregiver-assistance-network/> for the program calendar. The Caregiver Assistance Network is a program of Catholic Charities Southwestern Ohio funded through the Council on Aging.

**SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY,
SEPTEMBER 27**

1st Reading: Ezekiel 18:25-28
2nd Reading: Philippians 2:1-11
Gospel: Matthew 21:28-32

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR SEPTEMBER 26 & 27

	LECTORS	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS (Captains names are listed first.)
4:30 p.m. Saturday	Ione Klekamp	Amy Stevens, Jen Vatter, Connie Ashby, Karen Brandstetter
7:30 a.m. Sunday	David Stryker	John Burns, Teagan Charles, Bobbi Honnert, Amy Luken
9:30 a.m. Sunday	Carolyn Davis	Lori Thai, Jan Bonomini, Peter Gibbs
11:30 a.m. Sunday	Jenny Berndsen	Meg Morris, Dave Tensing, Margie Walter
7:00 p.m. Sunday	Mike Fitzpatrick	Joe Middendorf, Jim Gerdes, John Klopp, Christelle Middendorf

RCIA

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS – RCIA RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION ADAPTED FOR CHILDREN

St. Dominic's RCIA process continues year-round. Because of this, adults and children can begin at any time. Most who come to the Catholic Church as adults do so because God has called them through other people. If YOU know someone who may be interested in the Catholic Faith, ask him or her to call us, or ask if he or she would like for you to call and make the first "contact." While new inquirers may join St. Dominic's RCIA process at any time, because of our lingering "school year mindset," many people begin to really consider inquiring about the faith as the new school year begins. **Now is a great time to reach out and mention becoming Catholic to someone you know who may be considering it!** Contact Karen Brandstetter at 471-7741, ext. 481 or kbrandstetter@stdominicdelhi.org for more information about St. Dominic's RCIA.

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