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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





MASS SCHEDULE

Masses for Sunday | Saturday Vigil 4:30 p.m. Sunday 7:30 a.m., 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. and 8:15 a.m

Saturday 8:15 a.m. followed by Marian Devotions and Apostolatefor the Dying

Holy Communion Service | Monday-Friday 6:10 a.m.

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Rev. Michael Cordier, Parochial Vicar

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Publication Deadlines

Bulletin due by noon on Monday Monthly report due by the 12th of each month

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. ST. DOMINIC CHURCH CINCINNATI, OHIO

NOVEMBER 20, 2022 OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

MONDAY – NOVEMBER 21 – THE PRESENTATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

6:10 a.m. Communion Service

7:30 a.m. Gary Griffith 6:45 p.m. Rosary in Church

TUESDAY - NOVEMBER 22 - SAINT CECILIA

6:10 a.m. Communion Service 7:30 a.m. Virginia Murphy (ANN)

WEDNESDAY - NOVEMBER 23 - WEEKDAY

6:10 a.m. Communion Service

7:30 a.m. Axl Heltman 8:00 a.m.-NOON Adoration

THURSDAY - NOVEMBER 24 - THANKSGIVING

6:10 a.m. NO Communion Service 9:00 a.m. Jeff Martini (ANN)

FRIDAY - NOVEMBER 25 - WEEKDAY

6:10 a.m. NO Communion Service

7:30 a.m. Teresa Moreira 8:15 a.m. NO Mass

SATURDAY - NOVEMBER 26 - WEEKDAY

8:15 a.m. Robert Younger

After Mass: Marian Devotions and

Apostolate for the Dying

4:30 p.m. Barry Auer

SUNDAY – NOVEMBER 27 – FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

7:30 a.m. For Our Parishioners

9:30 a.m. Deceased Members of the

Qualters Family

11:30 a.m. Ed Walter (BR)

7:00 p.m. Ruth Margaret Keller

BAPTISMS

Colton Douglas Klems, son of Nicholas and Monica Klems. James Douglas Lewis, son of Jason and Amanda Lewis.

CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT Collection This Weekend

Please be generous in this week's special collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. In the United States, more than 11% of the population lives in poverty. With this collection, you support programs that address the root causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for those struggling across the country. In addition, 25% of the funds we collect remain in our diocese to fund local antipoverty projects. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this collection and support those working on the margins. More information about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development can be found at www.usccb.org/cchd.

GIVING TREES

A great way of giving thanks here at St. Dominic is by participating in our annual Giving Tree program. This weekend, three trees decorated with tags, are at the church doors. By taking a tag, you will help families from our school as well as those in the area surrounding St. Leo parish. The gifts need to be returned the weekend of December 10 and 11. Please return your gifts before the 11:30 a.m. Mass so that they can be sorted and delivered immediately after Mass. Thank you for helping to make Christmas a little brighter for someone else.

GRIEF SUPPORT PROGRAM

Fr. Chris will hold a Grief Support program to help anyone who has lost a loved one in death. It runs for four weeks, with each session containing an educational/formational component, as well as time for participants to share and listen. Each subsequent session will build on the previous one, so plan on being there for all sessions, please. No new participants will be accepted after the initial session. The program begins on Monday, November 21 and is scheduled for consecutive Monday evenings from 7:00-9:00 p.m. All sessions will be held in the Convocation Center at Our Lady of Victory. If you have any questions or would like to register, call the St. Dominic Parish Office at 513-471-7741, ext. 0.

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.

FR. BEN'S COLUMN

What sort of King am I?

The old prior of the monastery I belonged to in Ireland was fond of saying: "After all is said and done, more is said than done!" Fr. Oliver was from a long line of Irish revolutionaries, and he would tell the story of the night the Black and Tans came to kill his father. The Royal Irish Constabulary Special Reserve was formed in 1920 by British Secretary of State Winston Churchill and was the official name for the Black & Tans. Former British soldiers were mostly recruited to join the Black & Tans to provide reinforcements to the police force called the Royal Irish Constabulary. A mix-up in the shipping of their uniforms meant that they wore a mixture of khaki military and police black. They considered themselves extrajudicial, above the law (actually lawless), and they were responsible for many atrocities in Ireland. The crown's forces dispensing the king's justice. Anyway, Fr. Oliver's father was an Irish Volunteer, a member of the Irish Republican Army, fighting for Irish freedom. In his daily life he was a tailor. At the local pub, a neighbor overheard a group of Tan's talking: "Tonight, we hit the tailor, Martin." After being informed, Mr. Martin took his family to safety and sure enough, that very night the Tan's raided and shot up their home. Fr. Oliver always ended the story with a sad sigh as he exclaimed "and they shot the poor dog."

In Ireland, we don't have a happy memory or experiences of kings, queens, monarchs of any type. Most came to plunder, the others were indifferent to the plight of the poor, and all came to impose a foreign rule. Much of the rest of the world have similar experiences. So, a feast like Christ the King can be jarring for us. Is it really about the kings of this world? Was Pope Pius XI bolstering a decaying and corrupt form of governance? Of course not.

Pope Pius XI instituted the Feast of Christ the King in 1925, in response to growing secularism, secular ultranationalism, and totalitarianism. In the face of growing calls by governments for people to give them total and unreserved obedience and unquestioned loyalty, where governments were claiming the right to make immoral, unethical, and unjust laws, the Holy Father reminded Catholics, Christians, and in fact all people, that only God can claim our total and absolute obedience. He reminded the faithful that all governments should be subject to God's law and the peoples of the nations had the right to be protected by government (as it says in the United States Constitution, we are endowed with unalienable rights given by God, not by man, and government is subject to the people not the other way around).

For Catholics, Christ is the one who is supreme, and

we conform our will, our lives, and our vision according to His teaching. This is true of our lives in the world, in our relationships, our families and within our own being. A king/ queen should order things according to love and justice, charity, and hope, and we are all called to make this order present everywhere. We are all to be kings of our own lives and hearts. Pope Benedict XI wrote:

"The faithful, moreover, by meditating upon these truths, will gain much strength and courage, enabling them to form their lives after the true Christian ideal. If to Christ our Lord is given all power in heaven and on earth; [if] all peoples, purchased by his precious blood, are by a new right subjected to his dominion; if this power embraces all people, it must be clear that not one of our faculties is exempt from his empire.

He must reign in our minds, which should assent with perfect submission and firm belief to revealed truths and to the doctrines of Christ. [He] must reign in our wills, which should obey the laws and precepts of God. He must reign in our hearts, which should spurn natural desires and love God above all things and cleave to him alone. [He] must reign in our bodies and in our members, which should serve as instruments for the interior sanctification of our souls, or to use the words of the Apostle Paul, as instruments of justice unto God."

When we want to know what is right, good, just, charitable, we look to the supreme authority, the one who rules overall, Christ, our King. We have the opportunity to order our own lives, our homes, our relationships and even our society. We do this every day, in one way or another. We reign in our own hearts and lives, in our relationships and families, business, and parishes. We should ask ourselves: What kind of king/queen am I? What kind of rule do the people in my life experience?

Another interesting point about this feast is that in November 1926, Pope Pius established the first church dedicated to Christ under the title of King: The Church of Our Lord, Christ the King, Mount Lookout, here in Cincinnati.



LECTORS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEEDED

We are in need of Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers for the 7:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. Masses. If you would like information or are interested in signing up for either ministry, please call the Parish Office at 513-471-7741, ext. 0. To be included in the next ministry schedule, please call before December 2.

ST. DOMINIC CHURCH CINCINNATI, OHIO

ST. DOMINIC MEN'S SOCIETY LOTTERY

The tickets have been sold, and now is the time when the winners are drawn!!!

The winning ticket numbers for the third week of November are:

November 14 - #538 Jacob Groneman

November 15 - #845 Kathy Henninger

November 16 - #856 Bob Huellemeier

November 17 - #065 Kathleen Wohlfrom

November 18 - #614 Paul Fellinger

November 19 - #062 Natalie Honnert

ADVENT HOLY HOUR

Come spend an hour in prayer with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. Join us on Tuesday, December 13 at 7:00 p.m. in church for Eucharistic Adoration and Holy Hour with Exposition and Benediction. Fr. Jim and Fr. Chris will also be hearing Confessions during this time.

ADVENT CONCERTS

Mike Davis' Advent Concert with Scripture and Prayer Tuesday, December 6, at 7:00 p.m. in Church. Mercy Alumnae Choir

Tuesday, December 20, at 7:30 p.m. in Church

PARISHIONERS FOR LIFE

Spiritual Adoption Program – Baby's 3rd Month – "Hi! I'm three months old now. I'm about 3 inches long and I weigh one ounce. That's not much, but I'm fully formed and can even suck my thumb! Keep praying for me."



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STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 13, 2022

 Weekly Collection:
 \$ 9,885.00

 WeShare Online Giving:
 \$ 4,004.00

 Total:
 \$ 13,889.00

Thank you for your support of our Parish.

May the Lord continue to bless you
in your generosity!

ST. DOMINIC NEWS

BUSKEN PIE AND COOKIE PICKUP – This is a reminder for those who placed an order with the Cub Scouts for pies and cookies. Orders can be picked up in the Gathering Place on Monday, November 21 from 4:00-6:00 p.m.

PTO HOLIDAY SPLIT-THE-POT – The St. Dominic PTO is hosting a holiday split-the-pot. Tickets are \$5.00 each. The drawing will be held on December 9 at the Secret Santa Shop. Contact Emily Musonza at 513-364-4569 or Amanda Newland at 513-675-6792 to purchase tickets and with any questions.

MARY, QUEEN OF ALL SAINTS NEWS

BREAKFAST WITH SANTA — Ladies of Victory Breakfast with Santa will be Saturday, December 10 from 9:00 a.m.-noon. The cost is \$5.00 a person or \$25.00 a family. This includes a Dunkin Donut's drink and visit with Santa and his reindeer. Game tickets and Craft Tickets will be for sale \$.50 a ticket or 12 for \$5.00. We will also have a Santa gift shop so kids can purchase wrapped gifts. Each gift is \$2.00. To register for this event, please go to www.olvdelhi.org and click on the "Breakfast with Santa" banner. If you have any questions, please email bonnick.jennifer@principal.com or lhendererer0601@gmail.com.

"KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS" POSTER CONTEST

- The St. Dominic-Delhi Knights of Columbus are holding a Poster Contest for the students of Mary, Queen of All Saints family of parishes. The theme of this contest is "Keep Christ in Christmas." Each poster must reflect the "Keep Christ in Christmas" message with a visual image. The contest is open to all students between the ages of 5 and 14. Age eligibility is determined by the age of the contestant as of November 1. Contest entrants compete in one of three age groups: ages 5 through 7, ages 8 through 10, and 11 through 14. Entry forms and 11" X 17" paper are available in the school offices or by emailing a request to stdominicdelhi.kofc@yahoo.com. Entries must be returned by Wednesday, December 14, 2022. The posters will then be judged by members of the Knights of Columbus and three winners will be chosen, one in each age group. The winners will receive a certificate and a \$25.00 prize, and their poster will be sent on for possible State and National prizes. If you have any questions, contact Ken Gardner at 513-484-4714 or at stdominicdelhi.kofc@yahoo.com.

GOLDENAIRES OLV NOVEMBER MEETING – The next Goldenaires meeting will be on Monday, November 28 at 12:30 p.m. in the Convocation Center at Our Lady of Victory. The meeting is open to all parishioners of Mary Queen of All Saints family of parishes. Tina Paff, Owner of Bick's Driving School, will be on hand to discuss safe winter driving, what steps to take when you or a loved one feels they may need to stop driving, and alternative transportation if you need it. If you have any questions, please contact Amy Finke at amyfinke3@gmail.com.

PARENTAL PREPARATION FOR INFANT BAPTISM – 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, January 8 at St. Dominic Church after the 11:30 a.m. Mass. Contact the St. Dominic Parish Office at 513-471-7741, ext. 0 to register for the Baptismal Preparation session on January 8.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27

1st Reading: Isaiah 2:1-5; 2nd Reading: Romans 13:11-14; Gospel: Matthew 24:37-44

THANKSGIVING DAY NOVEMBER 24 SERVERS 9:00 A.M. Hayden Gorczyca and Tadhg Delaney

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR NOVEMBER 26 & 27

	SERVERS SCHEDULE	LECTORS	EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS (Captains names are listed first.)	MASS COORDINATORS
4:30 p.m. Saturday	Courtney Muhlenkamp Connor Muhlenkamp	Bob Busam	Karen Brandstetter Pat Cusick Mary Jo Reiners	Fred Redder
7:30 a.m. Sunday	Liam Barron Emery Charles	BC Charles	Bobbi Honnert Amy Luken Clinton Backscheider	Vi Bronner
9:30 a.m. Sunday	Mary Gibbs Nick Liderbach	Micki Priestle	Jan Bonomini Nancy Gibbs Katie Bezold	Nancy Gibbs Linda Kasper
11:30 a.m. Sunday	Anna Bogner Francesca Lanter	Jenny Berndsen	Nancy Wellbrock Lisa Autenrieb Beth Weaver	Nancy Wellbrock Rose Stertz
7:00 p.m. Sunday		Christelle Middendorf	Jim Gerdes	Jim Gerdes

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