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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-Friday: 7:30 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.



AUGUST 8, 2021 NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MONDAY – AUGUST 9 – WEEKDAY

6:10 A.M. Communion Service
7:30 A.M. Jim Finley
6:45 P.M. Rosary in Church

TUESDAY – AUGUST 10 – SAINT LAWRENCE

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

WEDNESDAY – AUGUST 11 – SAINT CLARE

6:10 A.M. Communion Service
7:30 A.M. Anna Shuttleworth
8:00 A.M.-NOON Adoration

THURSDAY – AUGUST 12 – WEEKDAY

6:10 A.M. Communion Service
7:30 A.M. Virginia Murphy (BR)

FRIDAY – AUGUST 13 – WEEKDAY

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

SATURDAY – AUGUST 14 – SAINT MAXIMILIAN

8:15 A.M. Marian Bier
After Mass: Marian Devotions and Apostolate
for the Dying
4:30 P.M. Jimmy Bratfish

SUNDAY – AUGUST 15 – THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

7:30 A.M. Joseph Vonderahe
9:30 A.M. Joann and Ted Kahle
11:30 A.M. Dan Dellbrugge (ANN)
7:00 P.M. For Our Parishioners

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Happy Feast Day! August 8, St. Dominic! Check out the bas-relief above the side Altar on the right of Mary and St. Dominic! Notice the dog with the torch in its mouth! The flaming torch is a powerful symbol in the life and the tradition of our patron, Saint Dominic. When Dominic's mother was pregnant, she had a vivid dream of a dog with a flaming torch in its mouth running through a darkened world. As it ran, the torch shone with such brilliance that the shadows melted away and the landscape was filled with light. Dominic's mother was given to understand that the dog represented her unborn son, Dominic. The darkness represented sin, untruth, illusion, self-deception, hatred, violence, and every form of evil in the world. The flaming torch was the Light of Christ! Her son Dominic would carry the Light of Christ to the world by his preaching! How prophetic that the followers of her son, the Dominicans, would be called the Order of Preachers!



At our Baptisms, our parents and godparents were given a lighted candle on our behalf, with the words: "Receive the Light of Christ!" They prayed that we would walk always as children of the light. They prayed that we would keep the flame of faith alive in our hearts. As disciples of Jesus Christ and members of St. Dominic Parish, we honor our patron saint by spreading the flame of God's light and love in our world!

The Center for Disease Control and Prevention has upgraded Hamilton County from "moderate" to "substantial" spread. The COVID-19 Delta Variant is the enemy this time. For this reason, I encourage folks who feel the need to insure their safety to wear a mask at Mass.

Fr. Jim

IN MEMORIAM

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

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.

COLLECTION FOR THE FOUNDATION FOR CHILDREN IN NEED

The Mission Office of our Archdiocese each summer invites a missionary group to share information about their mission work in all the parishes. This weekend, we will have a guest speaker at all the Masses offering the annual mission appeal. Foundation for Children in Need is a Catholic lay organization based in Arlington Heights, IL. Dr. Geetha Yeruva, Co-Founder of FCN, is very happy to visit us and share about their mission work in the interior villages of India. FCN sponsors 2,000 children and college students. They have been responsible for building several schools, boarding homes, a community health center and two homes for the elderly. 1,500 children born with cleft lip and cleft palate are helped with free corrective surgeries in the past 7 years. We welcome Dr. Yeruva and encourage you to support their mission work generously. **There will be a second collection taken up this weekend.** To learn more about their mission work, please visit www.fcn-usa.org.

REQUIREMENTS FOR THOSE VOLUNTEERING WITH CHILDREN

SafeParish – All new volunteers are required to complete the SafeParish training at www.aocsafeenvironment.org. Once approved, every volunteer must also remain current on the quarterly, video bulletins sent by SafeParish.

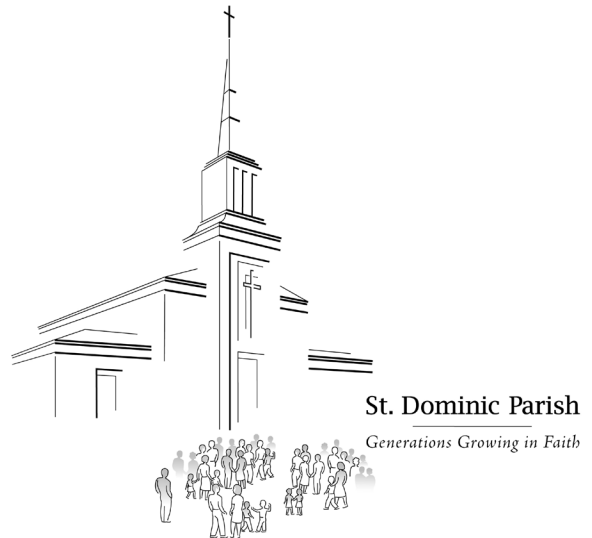
Selection.Com Background Check – This can be done once you are registered at www.aocsafeenvironment.org. The \$25.00 fee for this can be paid by credit card or with a “token.” Contact the organization for which you volunteer to get information on obtaining a token for payment.

Website In Compliance List – We will post the list of those who are active, and in compliance with SafeParish on a monthly basis on the parish website – stdominicdelhi.org. Click on **Ministries > Volunteering with Youth > In Compliance Volunteer Listing**.

ST. DOMINIC MEN’S SOCIETY

Men’s Society Meeting This Thursday – The St. Dominic Men’s Society is a social and volunteer organization for the men of the parish. Our next meeting is this Thursday, August 12, at 8:00 p.m. in Fr Grimmsman Hall (entrance behind the gym). New members are especially welcome! Bring a friend, grab a beer and a bite to eat, and see what we’re doing for the parish. If you have any questions, call/text/email Mike Liderbach at 513-240-0770 or lidermike@gmail.com.

The Men’s Society Annual Golf Outing will be held Thursday, September 16 at Aston Oaks, starting at 10:00 a.m. This event benefits the Society’s Scholarship fund, with 100% of the event’s proceeds going toward helping St. Dominic families with the expense of attending parochial school. (The Men’s Society distributes \$5,000.00 among students each year). All foursomes are welcome, so grab three friends and register! It will promise to be a day of fun, food and golf! For more information, and to register your foursome, please contact Rick Wieland at rick_wieland@yahoo.com or John Burns at johnaburns@gmail.com prior to August 22. Hope to see you there! We are also looking for door prizes; please contact Rick or John if you would like to contribute.



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STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

WEEK OF 8-1-21

Weekly Collection:	\$ 13,898.09
WeShare Online Giving:	\$ 6,427.00
Total:	\$ 20,325.00

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

ST. DOMINIC NEWS

SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS – The school office will reopen on August 9, from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon daily.

SPIRITWEAR, including gym uniforms, will be sold via an order form sent home at the beginning of school. The Spiritwear Shop off the gym will be closed and orders will be filled through school. Contact Nick Luebbering at Blackhawkspiritshop@gmail.com with questions regarding Spiritwear.

BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL CARE PROGRAM – Please contact Kathy Smith at 513-518-9128 or email ksmith@stdominicdelhi.org with questions regarding the before & after school program.

NEW PARENT ORIENTATION & KINDERGARTEN OPEN HOUSE – Parents of Kindergarten students and parents of new students in grades 1-8 must attend a mandatory New Parent Orientation on August 19, 6:30 p.m. in the church. This meeting will be followed by the Kindergarten Open House. We ask that at least one parent be present for each of these meetings and that kindergarten students do not accompany the parent(s). First through eighth grade students who are new to the school are welcome to attend this meeting and take a tour of the building.

PRESCHOOL PARENT INFORMATION NIGHT – Parents of preschool students should plan on attending a mandatory meeting on August 19 at 6:30 p.m. in the library. We ask that at least one parent be present and that children do not accompany the parent(s).

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL – Wednesday, August 25, 1:00 p.m. dismissal. Uniforms required. Students may bring a snack. Please note there is no afternoon Queen City (Cincinnati Public) bus service for 1:00 p.m. dismissals. Parents of Queen City riders must arrange transportation home on early dismissal days.

TEACHER SUBSTITUTES – Parishioners who have a bachelor's degree and are interested in substitute teaching are asked to call Stephanie Sitzler at 513-251-1276, ext. 422.

PTO UNIFORM EXCHANGE – Thursday, August 19 from 6:00-8:30 p.m. in the Gym. Bring any used uniforms or Spiritwear to donate and/or pick up some items that your son(s) and/or daughter(s) may need this year! If you have any questions, contact Michelle Korb at 513-544-9310 or korbx3@gmail.com. We look forward to seeing you there!

PRAYER BLANKETS – We have many prayer blankets blessed and sewn with love and prayers for those who will receive them. It is a symbol of our faith community's covering of prayer for the individual who receives it. This simple labor of love touches the lives of those who are going through difficult times. Prayer blankets can be picked up in the Parish Office between 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon, Monday-Friday.

MISCELLANEOUS

GOLF OUTING – St. Joseph Parish in North Bend and the St. Joseph Knights of Columbus will host their 3rd Annual Golf Outing on Saturday, August 28 at Neumann Golf Course (7215 Bridgetown Road). The 4-person scramble format will tee off at 1:00 p.m. \$80.00 per player entry fee includes golf cart, on-course contests and prizes, plus a grill-out dinner buffet after golf. Not a golfer? Come to the grill-out for \$15.00. To register, visit <http://www.stjosephnorthbend.com> or contact Tony Bresser at 513-473-8444. Sponsorships also available. See you on the links!

SETON HIGH SCHOOL NEWS – 8th grade parents – be sure to check out the Future Saints tab on our website for information regarding the new registration process for the High School Placement Test. Registration must be completed by November 3 and the test takes place on November 20. Visit www.setoncincinnati.org for more information!

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY, AUGUST 15



1st Reading: Revelation 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab
2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:20-27
Gospel: Luke 1:39-56

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR AUGUST 14-15

	LECTORS	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS (Captains' names are listed first.)
4:30 p.m., Saturday	Mary Jo Reiners	Louise Shields, Matt Shields, Amy Stevens
7:30 a.m., Sunday	BC Charles	Bobbie Honnert, Amy Luken, Clinton Backscheider
9:30 a.m., Sunday	Jennie Jacobs	Jan Bonomini, Peter Gibbs, Evan Kandra
11:30 a.m., Sunday	Micki Priestle	Otto Walter, Lisa Autenrieb, Margie Walter
7:00 p.m., Sunday	Mike Fitzpatrick	Christelle Middendorf, Joe Middendorf, Jim Gerdes



ST. DOMINIC PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION (PSR)

The mission of the St. Dominic Parish Community is the same as the mission of the greater Church – to bring about a connection with and response to God's love in our world – and truly live out the Reign of God. We do this through the Sacraments, Scripture, Prayer and our interconnections with others – the family, the Parish community of Faith and the larger community and world.

We welcome all registered parish families whose children attend public schools to attend our Parish School of Religion (PSR). The PSR staff and teachers are here to assist parents in their task of raising their children in the Faith. Instruction in PSR is offered during the school year (September-May) for children in grades 1-8. Classes meet Sunday mornings at 10:30 a.m. for all grade levels.

There is special emphasis on the Sacramental years, usually 2nd, 7th and 8th grades, with added activities for parents and candidates

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