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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
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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.



FEBRUARY 20, 2022

SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MONDAY – FEBRUARY 21 – WEEKDAY

6:10 A.M. Communion Service
 7:30 A.M. Attilio and Modesta Bertolini
 6:45 P.M. Rosary in Church

TUESDAY – FEBRUARY 22 – THE CHAIR OF SAINT PETER THE APOSTLE

6:10 A.M. Communion Service
 7:30 A.M. Paul Lack

WEDNESDAY – FEBRUARY 23 – SAINT POLYCARP

6:10 A.M. Communion Service
 7:30 A.M. Charles (Larry) Smith
 8:00 A.M.-NOON Adoration

THURSDAY – FEBRUARY 24 – WEEKDAY

6:10 A.M. Communion Service
 7:30 A.M. Ramona Beckman

FRIDAY – FEBRUARY 25 – WEEKDAY

6:10 A.M. Communion Service
 7:30 A.M. Thomas Miller
 8:15 A.M. Blake Kamstra (ANN)

SATURDAY – FEBRUARY 26 – WEEKDAY

8:15 A.M. Joyce Martini
 After Mass: Marian Devotions and
 Apostolate for the Dying
 4:30 P.M. Tim Skelly

SUNDAY – FEBRUARY 27 – EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 A.M. For Our Parishioners
 9:30 A.M. Ramona Beckman
 11:30 A.M. Maria Resch (ANN)
 7:00 P.M. Intentions of
 John and Mariann Grove

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

I am happy to announce the three priests who will be officially assigned to our family of parishes, effective July 1. Fr. Benedict O'Cinnsealaigh will be the pastor. Fr. Chris will be one of the associate pastors. I had recommended both Ben and Chris to the Priest Personnel Board. Fr. Michael Cordier will be the other associate pastor. Fr. Ben is the present pastor of Our Lady of Victory, well-liked with a great sense of humor. I do not know Fr. Michael Cordier personally. He is presently pastor of St. Saviour and St. John, Deer Park.

I will be officially retiring when my pastorate ends on July 1. That does not mean I will be riding off into the sunset! By officially retiring, I will be able to maintain my connection with St. Dominic. Fr. Ben is counting on me doing that. So, Chris and I will maintain our offices here, and our parish programs will continue.

I have met with Fr. Ben and he assures me that come July 1, there will not be much change in the operations at the five campuses; very likely some Mass time adjustments. He intends to maintain the two separate strong schools, running independently.

He envisions our parish to continue to operate with our full staff of Deacon Mark, Charlie DeZarn, Karen Brandstetter, Jenny O'Brien, Jim Dickman and our wonderful office staff of Jan Wright, Carole Campolongo, Maria Moster and Marilyn Brunemann.

Monies given specifically for St. Dominic causes, (Fr. Grimmelsman, Capital Improvements, Education and Tuition Assistance, etc.) will be used solely for our campus and our students.

Fr. Don Rettig, at St. Vincent de Paul, will be retiring so he can stay connected to his parish. Fr. Bryan Reif of St. Simon and St. Al's did not choose to be the pastor of a family, so he will be assigned an associate pastor in another family.

I believe our parish and the family of parishes have been blessed in these assignments.

Fr. Jim



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.

IN MEMORIAM

Please pray for the soul of Jerome Kuley, who died this past week. *May he rest in the peace of the Lord.*

BEACONS OF LIGHT

The first major phase of *Beacons of Light* was the announcement of the final Families of Parishes. Our Family of Parishes will include Our Lady of Victory, St. Simon, St. Al's on-the-Ohio, and St. Vincent de Paul. Fr. Benedict O'Cinnsealaigh, Fr. Michael Cordier and Fr. Chris Lack have been assigned to our Family of Parishes. The complete listing of priest assignments can be found at www.BeaconsAOC.org. As a reminder, Families of Parishes will be implemented this summer.



The February Community Dinner is canceled.
The next dinner is scheduled for March 16.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL POOR BOXES

Do not put clothing or household items in the St. Vincent de Paul Poor Boxes at the entrances to church. These boxes are for monetary and nonperishable food donations *only*. Donations of clothing and household items can be dropped at the local St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store at 3015 Glenhills Way near Ferguson Road or held until our next Bundle Sunday. Thank you for your understanding.

ST. DOMINIC GOLDENAIRES

Our first activity for 2022 will be a Morning of Recollection with Fr. Jim and Fr. Chris on Saturday, March 19. We will learn about St. Joseph (Feast Day March 19) and St. Patrick. There will be time for a Q & A when they are finished. The Morning of Recollection is from 10:00 a.m.-Noon with a box lunch from Humberts immediately following. Cost is \$8.00. You may pay at the door or drop your envelope with your payment at the Parish Office. We hope to livestream this, but hope you will choose to get together in person as we slowly come out of Covid restrictions. Advanced reservations are required by March 14. Please call Marie at 513-910-3938 to reserve a place and leave your sandwich choice.

Save the date for these upcoming events! Belterra Casino, April 21; a tour of Mother of God Basilica in Covington in May; Annual Picnic in the Park, June 14. See future bulletins and *The Torch* for more information.



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Please remember St. Dominic in your
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STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

WEEK OF FEBRUARY 13, 2022

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| Weekly Collection: | \$ 11,135.00 |
| WeShare Online Giving: | \$ 4,447.00 |
| Total: | \$ 15,582.00 |

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

ST. DOMINIC NEWS

SCHOOL REGISTRATION – School Registration forms for Preschool, Kindergarten, and grades 1-8 are available in the school office. For additional information, or to arrange for a personal tour, please call the principal, Jennifer O'Brien, at 513-251-1276, ext. 420. EdChoice Scholarships are accepted, and financial aid is available. Hamilton County Daycare Vouchers will be accepted for Preschool starting this Fall. For questions regarding Registration and EdChoice, call the school office at 513-251-1276, ext. 422.

MISCELLANEOUS

PARISH MISSION – Join us at Our Lady of Victory for a Parish Mission with Fr. Tony Stephens of the Fathers of Mercy. The Mission will be Sunday, March 20- Wednesday, March 23. He will be talking each night at 7:00 p.m. on Mercy. "Prodigal Daughters, Prodigal Sons" is the theme of the mission. Reconciliation will be available before the mission from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend and welcome to join us for all the events in Church. Call 513-922-4460 for any questions.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST – Boy Scout Troop 420 from St. Bernard of Clairvaux Church, 7130 Harrison Avenue will be hosting their 28th Annual All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, February 27 from 7:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the Parish Center. Tickets in advance are \$5.00 for adults and \$3.00 for children. Prices at the door are \$8.00 for adults and \$6.00 for children. There will also be split-the-pot and raffle prizes available. Proceeds to benefit Boy Scout Troop 420.

PROJECT RACHEL – A Post-Abortive Healing Ministry. Have you or has someone you know been affected by the tragedy of abortion? One in four women has had an abortion in the United States. If you know someone who is hurting, please share with them the upcoming Project Rachel events. Our next Day of Reflection is March 5, and open to anyone who has been affected by abortion. Our weekend retreats are open for mothers mourning the loss of their child by abortion. The next retreat weekend is April 29-May 1 in Cincinnati. Please email hopeandhealingcinci@gmail.com or call/text our confidential helpline at 513-784-0531 for more information.

MARRIAGE HELP – Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi) has helped tens of thousands of couples at all stages of disillusionment or misery in their marriage. This program can help you, too. For confidential information about or to register for the April 2022 program beginning with a weekend on April 1-3, call 513-486-6222 or visit the website at www.HelpOurMarriage.com.

CINCINNATI CATHOLIC ALUMNI CLUB – Invites single Catholic men and women to a Wine Tasting, Sunday, February 27, 2:00-5:00 p.m. at Purcell K of C Banquet Center, 3617 Glenmore Avenue. Contact Larry at 513-520-1323 or Don at 513-574-8573.

CINCINNATI METROPOLITAN ORCHESTRA EVENT
Cincinnati Metropolitan Orchestra, conducted by Dave Allen, presents “Spring Fling” to welcome the coming of spring with a lively program of music sure to brighten your day! The orchestra will present familiar favorites like Copland’s “Fanfare for the Common Man” and “Variations on a Shaker Melody from Appalachian Spring.” Also on the program is the Overture to “Orpheus in the Underworld,” which includes the famous Can-Can that is sure to get your toes tapping. There’s more fun with Hoist’s “Jupiter, the Bringer of Jollity” and a medley from “Lord of the Rings,” plus other music that makes this a program you won’t want to miss!

Join the CMO on Sunday, March 6 at 3:00 p.m. at the Seton Performance Hall, 3901 Glenway Avenue, for this free program. DOORS OPEN at 2:00 p.m. Donations are accepted. For those needing to avoid steps, enter from the top floor of the parking garage or through the glass doors on the Beech Avenue side of Seton, where an elevator is available.

Visit www.GoCMO.org for more information.



SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27

1st Reading: Sirach 27:4-7
2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:54-58
Gospel: Luke 6:39-45

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR FEBRUARY 26-27

| | LECTORS | EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS (Captains names are listed first.) |
|---------------------|-------------------|--|
| 4:30 p.m., Saturday | Jerry Krumpelbeck | Judy Luebbe, Maruska Marcheschi, Mary Jo Reiners |
| 7:30 a.m., Sunday | Dave Stryker | Amy Luken, Clinton Backscheider, Bobbi Honnert |
| 9:30 a.m., Sunday | Michelle Smith | Rob Smith, Lori Thai, Janet Rosenthal |
| 11:30 a.m., Sunday | Rose Stertz | Jenny Berndsen, Nancy Wellbrock, Lisa Autenrieb |
| 7:00 p.m., Sunday | Lizzy Martin | Joe Middendorf, Jim Gerdes, John Klopp |



MAJOR AWARD AND LAS VEGAS NIGHT

After a lot of discussion and prayer, we have decided that **we will not** have our Las Vegas Night this year, but we will still have a Major Award Drawing to help make up for the funds that the Las Vegas Night would usually generate for the parish. All parish families should have received a mailing containing major award tickets.

This drawing will take place on Saturday, February 26 after the 4:30 p.m. Mass.

First Prize – \$10,000.00

Second Prize – \$1,000.00

Third Prize – \$500.00

The tickets are \$20.00 each or six for \$100.00.

You can drop your tickets in the collection basket or mail them in the envelope provided. Tickets can be purchased after all the weekend Masses in the Gathering Place and online using WeShare (You do not have to sign up for online giving to purchase raffle tickets through WeShare).

To purchase online, go to www.stdominicdelhi.org, click on the “Green” online giving button on the left side of the page. Scroll down to **Major Award Drawing**.

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