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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-Friday, 7:30 a.m. Saturday 8:15 a.m. followed by Marian Devotions and Apostolate for the Dying

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

Rev. Benedict O'Cinnsealaigh, Parish Priest

Rev. Chris Lack, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Michael Cordier, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Jim Walsh. Pastor Emeritus

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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

#### JUNE 11, 2023 THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

#### **MONDAY – JUNE 12 – WEEKDAY**

6:10 a.m. Communion Service 7:30 a.m. Mary Janet Carrigan 6:45 p.m. Rosary in Church

#### TUESDAY - JUNE 13 - SAINT ANTHONY OF PADUA

6:10 a.m. Communion Service 7:30 a.m. Mabel Salem (BR)

#### WEDNESDAY - JUNE 14 - WEEKDAY

6:10 a.m. Communion Service

7:30 a.m. Kelly Kamer 8:00 a.m.-Noon Adoration

#### THURSDAY - JUNE 15 - WEEKDAY

6:10 a.m. Communion Service

7:30 a.m. Joan Sanker

## FRIDAY – JUNE 16 – THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS

6:10 a.m. Communion Service7:30 a.m. Deceased Members of the

Wieland Family

#### SATURDAY – JUNE 17 – THE IMMACULATE HEART OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

8:15 a.m. Mike Sanker

After Mass: Marian Devotions and

Apostolate for the Dying

4:30 p.m. Bob Auer

6:00 p.m. Torok/Jones Wedding

## SUNDAY – JUNE 18 – ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 a.m. Betty and Jack Eagan

9:30 a.m. Jerry Adams11:30 a.m. Jeff Martini (BR)7:00 p.m. For Our Parishioners

#### 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.

#### **IN MEMORIAM**

Please pray for the souls of James Duffy and Tony Bardonaro who died this past week. May they rest in the peace of the Lord.



The Parish Office will have reduced hours for the summer. The office will be open Monday-Friday from 8:00 a.m.-noon.

#### SPECIAL NOTE FROM FR. BEN

A parishioner received a text message from someone pretending to be one of the priests in our family of parishes asking for gift cards. This is a reminder that I (or any priest) will never ask anyone individually by text or email for gift cards and to regard the request as a scam. They will meet with individuals personally if they ever need anything.

#### ADOPT-A-STUDENT TUITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

The St. Dominic Adopt-A-Student Tuition Assistance Program has helped many families attend our exceptional school that may not have been able to afford the full cost of tuition. We have set our tuition rate for the 2023-2024 school year at \$3,600.00, net of any parish scholarship, etc. As in the past, we welcome any monetary gift to the program; however, we have established gift levels as described below for those who wish to sponsor a student:

Platinum Level Gift of \$3,600.00 Sp Gold Level Gift of \$2,700.00 Sp Silver Level Gift of \$1,800.00 Sp Bronze Level Gift of \$900.00 Sp

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Sponsors a student for ½ of the school year
Sponsors a student for ¼ of the school year

Please consider a contribution to this vital program by participating in any of the levels described above, or please feel free to contribute any amount you are able. For additional information, or to make a contribution, please contact the parish business manager, Charlie DeZarn, at 513-471-7741, ext. 417. Thank you for your consideration in contributing to our Adopt-A-Student Tuition Assistance Program.

#### **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

#### **Corpus Christi**

While walking in the cemetery this last week, I came across a robin chick fluttering around on the grass. Its tail feathers had not yet grown in and one of its claws was a little deformed and not working properly. I watched to see if another bird came back to feed it. I didn't see any bird return to help the little thing. Of course, without food the poor little chick won't survive.

A few years ago, I read a comment by Cardinal Ratzinger. He was reflecting on how parents, even Christian and Catholic parents, consider bringing a child into the world as a gift of life from the parents to the child. However, some of them don't have their child baptized, preferring to wait until the child is mature enough to make his/her own decisions about the practice of religion. The Cardinal reflected on how it seemed to him that if parents were willing to give a child human life without the child's consent, and they considered that a great gift, how much more the gift of God's grace, which is God's life, is an even greater gift for parents to give to their children – and it is just that – a gift – something we receive not something we take for ourselves.

The Feast of Corpus Christi, the Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ, celebrates the gift of the Eucharist which is God feeding His children with Eternal and Divine Food. It is the Body and Blood of His Son Jesus. It is essential food for the journey. Just as God fed the people of Israel with Manna in the desert for forty years – food to sustain them on their journey. Now, God feeds us with Bread from Heaven, the New Manna, the Eucharist, to sustain us in our life's journey.

It is unimaginable to us that parents would bring a child into the world and then fail to feed him/her because we know that without food a child will die. The food God gives us in the Eucharist, in the life of faith, is as essential to the life of a child as is the fruit and water of the earth, in fact, it is more essential, for it feeds the soul, the heart, the spirit, the very character of a child. The gift of God's grace given as food is the greatest gift of life a parent can give to their child, and it is just as essential, if not more, than any other food we receive. We give children the gift of human life and we teach them how to make their way in the world (walk, talk, dress, read, write, feed). The gift of Divine life, God's life, is an even greater gift and more essential and its ways are also given and taught as a gift and a blessing from parents to their child. We can't imagine not feeding our children with the food of this world every day. The food of the heavenly world is a food that lasts forever - let's not fail to give that Sacred Bread to our children also.

Happily, I saw the chick again, she was doing well, flying a little, and another bird was watching over her.



We will not have Community Dinners during the summer months.

We hope to see everyone at our next dinner on Wednesday, September 20, 2023.

#### **HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES**

Every summer, we publish the accomplishments of our high school seniors in the *Torch*. We would like to recognize **ALL** St. Dominic parishioners who are graduating from high school. If you are going to college or enlisting in the military, we would like to include that, as well as any scholarships and special awards received. To keep up this tradition, we need your help. We need the graduate, parents, or grandparents to send us the information.

What we would like you to send is:

- Student name
- · High School graduating from
- · College attending in the fall or branch of the Military
- Any awards received and Scholarships accepted.

The information can be emailed to mariam@stdominicdelhi. org or call the Parish Office at 513-471-7741, ext. 410. Please submit the information by June 11.

#### **2023 WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES**

Married couples celebrating a significant wedding anniversary (25, 40, 50, 60, 65, 70, or 75 years) in 2023 are invited to request a congratulatory certificate from Archbishop Schnurr. Individual couples may request a certificate online at https://www.centerforthenewevangelization.org/marriage-family/resources/wedding-anniversary-certificate-request. Requests must be made by June 15. The certificates will be sent to the St. Dominic Parish Office and held until our Anniversary Mass celebration in October.

**GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY MASS** – In addition to receiving a certificate from Archbishop Schnurr, married couples celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary in 2023 are invited to a Golden Anniversary Mass on August 6, 2023, 11:00 a.m. at Cathedral Basilica of St. Peter in Chains, Very Rev. Jan K. Schmidt, Celebrant. Registration for the Mass occurs during the certificate request (above).

**ST. DOMINIC ANNIVERSARY MASS** – Here at St. Dominic we will also celebrate our Anniversary Couples. This usually takes place in October at the 9:30 a.m. Mass. If you will be celebrating a 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, 65th, 70th or 75th Wedding Anniversary in 2023, please contact the Parish Office at 513-471-7741, ext. 0 no later than June 15.

#### FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

Friday, June 16 is the Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. There is a Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus flyer at the doors of church.



**OUR FUTURE DEPENDS ON YOU** – Please remember St. Dominic in your will and estate planning. Our legal title is St. Dominic Roman Catholic Church

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#### 2023 GUIDE BOOK AND DIRECTORY

In the Fall of 2023, St. Dominic Parish will publish a new Guide Book and Directory that will contain important information about the Parish. Included in the book will be a listing of all the households that are registered in the Parish and all the Ministries that are available for you to join so that you may share your gifts with your parish family. Each household will receive a free copy.

UPDATE INFORMATION – We are updating the Parish records for our Guide Book and Directory. Have you moved? Changed your phone number? Have you gotten rid of your home phone? If you have made any changes in the last year, we need to update your record. School Families: Updates made through the school do not get updated in the Parish Office. Please make changes below and return to the Parish Office.

We realize that some parishioners might not want to have their name, address and phone number included in this Directory. If you do not return this form, we will include the information that we presently have. If you have notified the Parish Office that you no longer have a home phone and have given us a cell phone number, your cell phone number will be included in the Guide Book.

Please check the number (1-4) below that corresponds to your wishes.

- \_\_\_\_\_1) Please include my name, address, and home/cell number.
- \_\_\_\_\_2) Please include my name and address, but not my home/cell number.
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- \_\_\_\_\_4) Please do not include my name, address, or home/cell number in the Directory.

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Home/Cell Number \_\_\_\_\_

We thank you for your cooperation! Please drop this form in the collection basket, deliver it to the Parish Office, or mail it to us so we receive it by June 12, 2023. If you have any questions, or would like to verify your name, address, and telephone number listing, please call the Parish Office at 513-471-7741, ext. 0. Thanks!!

ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITY – This book is being provided and direct mailed to each family at no cost to our parish, and it is again being subsidized by local businesses that advertise. If you own or manage a business and would like to find out about advertising in our book, please contact Jodi Germain Tolliver, Guide Book Coordinator, at 248-568-6788 or germaintolliver@gmail.com.

#### STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE WEEK OF JUNE 4. 2023

 Weekly Collection:
 \$ 15,049.00

 WeShare Online Giving:
 \$ 8,065.00

 Total:
 \$ 23,114.00

Thank you for your support of our Parish.

May the Lord continue to bless you in your generosity!

#### ST. DOMINIC NEWS

ST. DOMINIC FESTIVAL – Mark your calendars for July 21-23 for the St. Dominic Festival. We will have a Texas Hold'em Tournament on Thursday, July 20 with a \$50.00 buy in. Mike Davis Live and Tressler Comet will perform on Friday, Excalibur on Saturday, and Naked Karate Girls on Sunday. The Baskets and More booth is collecting items for baskets. There will be a flyer in next week's bulletin with donation ideas.

**SAVE THE DATE** – Parish Picnic at Stricker's Grove on Friday, July 28. Look for more information in future bulletins.

#### MARY, QUEEN OF ALL SAINTS

**SOLEMN EUCHARISTIC BENEDICTION** – The National Eucharistic Revival is a three-year initiative sponsored by the U.S. bishops to renew the Church and the People of God through a renewed encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist. The Revival officially began on June 19, 2022, on the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, the Solemnity of Corpus Christi. The milestone event of the Revival will be a National Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis, IN, from July 17-21, 2024.

Here at Mary, Queen of All Saints, we will celebrate this special time of Eucharistic Renewal with the Solemn Celebration of the Rite of Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament from 3:00 p.m.-3:30 p.m. on the first Sunday of each month at Our Lady of Victory and on the third Sunday of each month at St. Al's on the Ohio. Our Solemn Eucharistic Benediction will begin at 3:00 p.m. on July 2 at Our Lady of Victory.

ST. DOMINIC VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (VBS) - We are looking forward to our annual Vacation Bible School to be held August 7-11 from 6:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m. for grades K-4! The Vacation Bible School programs we have implemented are 100% Catholic! Look for a registration form in the Parish Office or online at www.stdominicdelhi.org. There is a link under News and Events. VBS also needs many SafeParish adults to lead groups from station to station, and to supervise the various stations! If you have completed your SafeParish registration and are up to date on all your training bulletins, and you are available each evening from 5:30-9:00 p.m., your help is needed. I promise, it's easy and FUN! If you would like to volunteer your time and talent, contact Linda Gardner at 513-451-3079 or Imcgardner2@gmail.com. We have some wonderful parents who have already stepped up to help. If your child needs service hours, we will have spots for them, too.

**ST. SIMON VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL** – St. Simon's Vacation Bible School will take place July 31-August 4 from 9:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. at St. Simon Plagge Hall. For more information, please contact Beth Schumacher at mbschumacher@fuse.net or 513-941-3656, ext. 3.

HOLY HOUR - June 11 from 3:00-4:00 p.m. at St. Al's church in observance of the Solemnity of the Holy Body and Blood of Christ.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

**EUCHARISTIC MIRACLES CONFERENCE** – Join us for a Eucharistic Miracles Conference at Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Center in Norwood this August 11-13. Learn about the many Eucharistic miracles around the world. Discover what the Church teaches about this precious gift and why it is pivotal to your spiritual journey. Hear speakers Fr. Leo Patalinghug, Fr. Ryan Ruiz, Fr. Ethan Moore, Fr. Rob Jack and more. Music by The Vigil Project. Learn, pray, adore, and ignite your faith! Register at www.hostofmiracles.org.

**EMBER DAY** – What is God's mission for you? A day of discernment hosted by the seminarians of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati for high school men (incoming sophomores to outgoing seniors). Friday, June 23 from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at Mount St. Mary's Seminary. Sign up by June 20 at catholicaoc.org/vocations.

**ST. DOMINIC ATHLETIC ASSOCATION** is a sponsor for the Delhi Park Summer Fun Series. For a list of all events go to https://www.delhi.oh.us/458/Delhi-Park-Fun-in-the-Sun-Series.

#### **SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY, JUNE 18**

1st Reading: Exodus 19:2-6a; 2nd Reading: Romans 5:6-11; Gospel: Matthew 9:36-10:8

#### **LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR JUNE 17 & 18**

	LECTORS	MASS COORDINATORS	SERVERS SCHEDULE	EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS	EUCHARISTIC MINISTER CAPTAIN
4:30 p.m. Saturday	Pat Cusick	Pat Cusick Judy Luebbe	Tadhg Delaney Kara Lively	Karen Brandstetter Judy Luebbe	Connie Ashby
7:30 a.m. Sunday	Jim Carroll	Amy Luken	Elliot Durban Wesley Durban	Jerry Auer Jane Auer	Clinton Backscheider
9:30 a.m. Sunday	Sr. Karen Elliott, C.PP.S	Nancy Gibbs Linda Kasper	Addilyn Bass Lillie Thai	Jerry Krumpelbeck Lori Thai	Sr. Maureen Heverin
11:30 a.m. Sunday	Erin Sunderman	Pat Clark Dan Clark	Nick Fettig Will Fettig	Jim Lively Beth Weaver	Dave Tensing
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