St. Dominic Parish

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4551 Delhi Pike, Cincinnati, Ohio 45238

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: Sunday: 4:30 p.m. 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.Saturday:8:15 a.m.

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

Publication Deadlines:

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

SEPTEMBER 26, 2021 TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME MONDAY – SEPTEMBER 27 – SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL 6:10 A.M. **Communion Service** 7:30 A.M. Ken Buzek (BR) Rosary in Church 6:45 P.M. **TUESDAY – SEPTEMBER 28 – WEEKDAY** 6:10 A.M. **Communion Service** 7:30 A.M. Intentions of Joshua Feibelman WEDNESDAY - SEPTEMBER 29 - SAINT MICHAEL, SAINT GABRIEL AND SAINT RAPHAEL 6:10 A.M. Communion Service 7:30 A.M. Dan Leonhardt (ANN) 8:00 A.M.-NOON Adoration THURSDAY – SEPTEMBER 30 – SAINT JEROME 6:10 A.M. **Communion Service** 7:30 A.M. Vinn Nguyen FRIDAY - OCTOBER 1 - SAINT THERESE OF THE CHILD JESUS 6:10 A.M. Communion Service 7:30 A.M. Thank God Bob Henninger (BR) 8:15 A.M. 5:30 P.M. Hesse/Hamilton Wedding SATURDAY – OCTOBER 2 – THE HOLY GUARDIAN ANGELS Mass for the Dying 8:15 A.M. Marian Devotions and After Mass: Apostolate for the Dying 4:30 P.M. Eileen Schenk SUNDAY - OCTOBER 3 - TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 7:30 A.M. Charles Backscheider Ted and Joann Kahle 9:30 A.M. Janet Gramza 11:30 A.M. 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.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

The Sacrament that calls one to ministry is not Holy Orders, it is Baptism! Ordained ministry is simply / the ministry of servant leadership for



the baptized. One of the inspirational blessings of the past twenty years for me is the number of St. Dominic parishioners who take their baptismal call seriously – that is, the many, many parishioners who are involved in one form of ministry or another here in the parish. We are truly a parish family of ministers! In the pews this weekend, we have a listing of most of the parish ministries. Add to these the ministry of "parenting" and "teaching" and you get some idea of the scope of ministry that is at the heart of who we are as a parish!

Take some time this week to reflect on your baptismal call to ministry and how you have responded. If you are involved in a parish ministry and want to continue, make a renewed commitment to the Lord in your prayer this week. If you are not involved in any ministry, or would like to add or change a ministry, please take one of the forms in the pew and return it in the next two weeks. I invite you to reflect on your gifts and talents and where they might be helpful to the St. Dominic parish family. Fr. Jim

BAPTISMS

Oliver James Enderle, son of William and Lisa Enderle.

ATTENTION ONLINE GIVERS!

online GIVING	The following special collections are taking place in October if you wish to contribute to them via your Online Giving account.	
October		
October	Capital Improvement	
October	St. Dominic Education Fund	
October	World Mission Sunday	
October 3	Respect Life Sunday	
October 24	St. Vincent de Paul	

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.



PET BLESSING

Bring your pets, large and small, Saturday, October 2 at 10:00 a.m. to our parish-wide Blessing of Animals for the Feast Day of St. Francis of Assisi. The blessing will take place in the parking lot near the Gathering Place.

PARISH MINISTRY FAIR This Weekend

The purpose of the Ministry Fair is to let all parish members know about the many opportunities we have to serve our parish through the organizations and groups that are an important part of our faith community. Next weekend, after all the Masses, we will showcase a small selection of our ministries in the Gathering Place. These ministries will have a representative to answer questions about their ministry. We will also have a form available for you to take, listing additional parish ministries. If you would like to receive more information or join one of these ministries, just return the completed form in the collection basket by October 17. A member of that ministry will contact you to discuss their ministry. You can also find a short description of each of our parish ministries in the Parish Guide Book.

ADULT EDUCATION WITH FR. JIM & FR. CHRIS

Fr. Chris and Fr. Jim will be offering the Bishop Robert Barron series "The Sacraments" this fall beginning on Tuesday, October 5 at 7:00 p.m. in O'Connor Hall. For seven Tuesdays, we will discuss the Sacraments. We will view videos by Bishop Barron followed by a discussion with Fr. Jim and Fr. Chris. There is no need to sign up. If you are unable to join us on Tuesday evenings, we will be recording the session each week. We will email the recording on Wednesday or Thursday to those on our Word on Fire email listing. If you are not signed up for the Word on Fire emails, you can sign up at www. stdominicparish2.flocknote.com.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Couples celebrating their 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th, 65th or 70th Wedding Anniversaries in 2021 will be honored at the 9:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday, October 24. Invitations to the Anniversary Mass will be mailed to parishioners celebrating those anniversaries. If you did not receive an invitation and will be attending the Anniversary Mass, please call the Parish Office at 513-471-7741, ext. 0, by Monday, October 11.



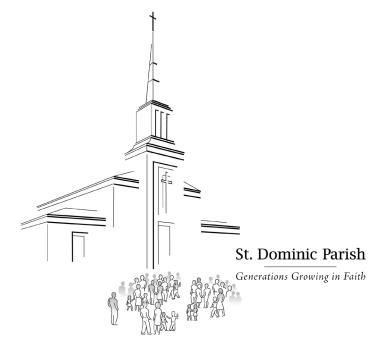
BEACONS OF LIGHT: PASTORAL PLANNING FOR OUR THIRD CENTURY Beacons Update:

Be Heard, Stay Informed, Sign Up

Beacons of Light, the archdiocese-wide pastoral planning process currently underway, will impact every parish in the archdiocese, including ours. To stay on top of the latest developments on Beacons of Light, sign up for the free monthly *Beacons Update* newsletter at www. CatholicAOC.org/Beacons.

Review And Comment on Draft "Families Of Parishes"

Make sure your voice is heard! Beacons of Light, the archdiocese-wide pastoral planning process currently underway, will result in all parishes being grouped into "Families" under the leadership of one pastor. A draft of this plan will be shared for public comment October 1-20 at www.BeaconsAOC.org. Do not miss this opportunity to provide your input to this important initiative which will shape the future of our archdiocese.



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

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE WEEK OF 9-19-21				
Weekly Collection:	\$ 10,473.00			
WeShare Online Giving:	\$ 5,700.00			
Total:	\$ 16,173.00			
Thank you for your support of our Parish.				
May the Lord continue to bless you				
in your generosity!				

ST. DOMINIC NEWS

LET YOUR SERVICE SHINE – Help us Celebrate the 200th Anniversary of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati with a Day of Service for Others. St. Dominic Parish and School will be collecting items for Blessing Bags to donate to homeless shelters. We are asking each parishioner to bring in one of the suggested items which will be donated to Bethany House. School Students will be bringing in items for the Greater Cincinnati Coalition for the Homeless and Tender Mercies. Feel free to send more items if you have them. The Student Council will be helping to assemble the bags.

Suggested items: pillows, mattress and pillow bed bug covers, twin or full-size sheet set, twin or full-size comforters, twin or full-size air mattress, shower curtain/ liner/rings, waste basket, laundry basket, towels (hand, wash, body), pack of toilet paper, toilet brush/plunger, cleaning supplies, mixing bowls (plastic), tupperware, silverware/kitchen utensils, glassware/mugs, dish towels/ potholders, dish soap, can opener, pack of paper towels, salt and pepper, 13x9 pan, laundry detergent, mop/ bucket, broom/dustpan.

Please consider sending a card or note of encouragement to include in the Blessing Bag. Items can be dropped off in the bins in the Gathering Place October 16 and 17. **TUITION CREDIT PROGRAM** – Please join us Tuesday, September 28 from 5:00-9:00 p.m. at the Delhi Chipotle for a dinner fundraiser! Make sure to show your flyer – available at www.stdominicdelhi.org – in the store, or enter our code **FZ4WD26** in the "promo" field at checkout when ordering online or on the app and 33% of sales will be donated back to the Tuition Credit Program. Just a reminder that you can support the Tuition Credit Program all year by shopping AmazonSmile and using your Kroger Rewards! You can find more information on these programs on the school or parish websites.

MISCELLANEOUS

ANNUAL TJ'S "RACE WITH THE WIND" – A fun run walk will be held on Saturday, October 9. All proceeds are benefiting the Terence "TJ" Doherty Memorial Scholarship at Elder High School. In the years since his death, family and friends have gathered to remember him in a joyous competitive spirit, raise funds and give back to his alma mater, Elder High School. Our goal is to honor his passion for knowledge by fueling the future. Race day registration is 8:00 a.m.-8:30 a.m. at Lunken Playfield Spirit of 76 Shelter, 4740 Playfield Lane, Cincinnati, OH 45226. You can register at www.GetMeRegistered.com/TjsRaceWithTheWind.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3

1st Reading: Genesis 2:18-24 2nd Reading:Hebrews 2:9-11 Gospel: Mark 10:2-16

	LECTORS	EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS (Captains' names are listed first.)
4:30 p.m., Saturday	Mary Jo Reiners	Amy Stevens, Connie Ashby, Judy Luebbe
7:30 a.m., Sunday	Jim Carroll	Amy Luken, Clinton Backscheider, Scott Beck, Vi Bronner
9:30 a.m., Sunday	Carolyn Davis	Jerry Luebbering, Janet Rosenthal, Rob Smith
11:30 a.m., Sunday	Rose Stertz	Lisa Autenrieb, Jenny Berndsen, Joan Buzek, Meg Morris
7:00 p.m., Sunday	Lynn Esmail	Jim Gerdes, John Klopp, Christelle Middendorf

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR OCTOBER 2-3

MAJOR AWARD RAFFLE AND BASKET RAFFLE SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2021 – 12:30 P.M.

The St. Dominic Parish Festival is officially canceled this year. Originally, we postponed the Festival from Memorial Day weekend until October 8, 9 and 10. To help the Parish, we will still have our Major Award Raffle and a Basket Raffle. The Major Award will be drawn after the 11:30 a.m. Mass.

Major Award Drawing: 1st Prize – \$10,000.00 2nd Prize – \$1,000.00 3rd Prize – \$500.00

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

Parishioners should have received 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 Major Award and click the button "Purchase Tickets."
- 2. Purchase tickets in the Parish Office Monday-Thursday between 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. and Friday, 8:00 a.m.noon.

The Basket Raffle winners will be drawn during the 11:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday, October 10 and the winners announced after the Major Award drawing. The baskets will be on display and tickets sold after all the Masses on the weekends of September 25 and 26 and October 2 and 3. The weekend of October 9 and 10 we will sell basket tickets after the 4:30 p.m. Mass on Saturday and until 11:30 a.m. Sunday morning. Pictures of the baskets and Basket Raffle tickets are also available online at https://stdominicdelhi.org/Resources/Basket-Raffle-2021.

Thank you for your support of St. Dominic.

If you have any questions, contact the Parish Office at 513-471-7741, ext. 0.



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