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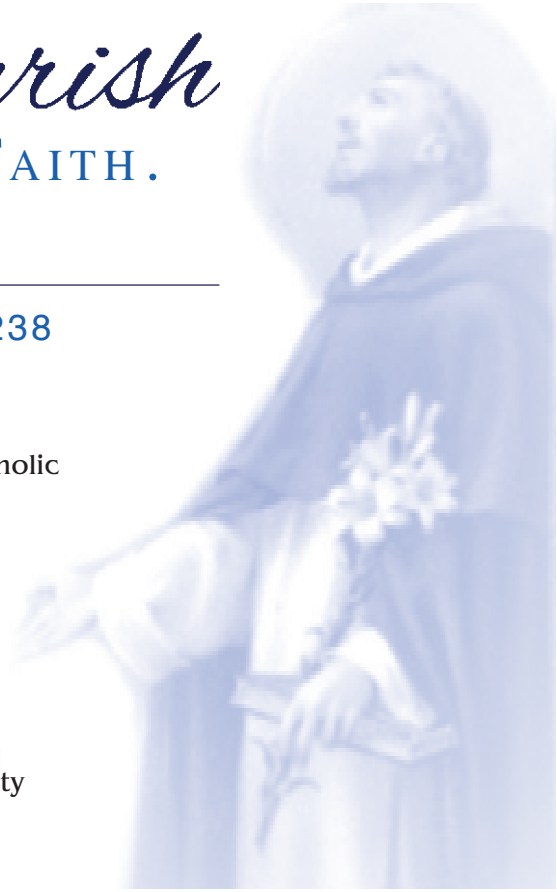

OUR MISSION

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

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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 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
Deacon Mark Bardonaro, Parish Administrator
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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.

JANUARY 1, 2023
SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD

MONDAY – JANUARY 2 – SAINT BASIL THE GREAT AND SAINT GREGORY NAZIANZEN

6:10 a.m. Communion Service
7:30 a.m. Margie Martin
6:45 p.m. Rosary in Church

TUESDAY – JANUARY 3 – CHRISTMAS WEEKDAY

6:10 a.m. Communion Service
7:30 a.m. Intentions of Kremer Family

WEDNESDAY – JANUARY 4 – SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON

6:10 a.m. Communion Service
7:30 a.m. Ray Baur
8:00 A.M. - NOON Adoration

THURSDAY – JANUARY 5 – SAINT JOHN NEUMANN

6:10 a.m. Communion Service
7:30 a.m. Mary and Charles Berting

FRIDAY – JANUARY 6 – CHRISTMAS WEEKDAY

6:10 a.m. Communion Service
7:30 a.m. Helen Maly
8:15 a.m. Teresa Moreira

SATURDAY – JANUARY 7 – CHRISTMAS WEEKDAY

8:15 a.m. Jim Steinhaus
After Mass: Marian Devotions and Apostolate for the Dying
4:30 p.m. Elenor Pucci (ANN)

SUNDAY – JANUARY 8 – THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

7:30 a.m. Herb Bill
9:30 a.m. William Garrett (ANN)
11:30 a.m. Karen Oswald (ANN)
7:00 p.m. William Lang

IN MEMORIAM

Please pray for the soul of Jerry Adams who died this past week. May he rest in the peace of the Lord.

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, January 2. If you are in need of a priest, you will be able to reach us by calling 513-471-7741, ext. 9.

BISHOP ROBERT BARRON'S "THE MASS"

Archbishop Schnurr has called for an archdiocese-wide study of the Holy Eucharist, during the six weeks of Ordinary Time between Christmas and Lent. The content of the study will be the excellent video series "The Mass" from Bishop Robert Barron's Word on Fire ministries. If you sign up at CatholicAOC.org/theMass, the archbishop will email the 25-minute episode along with his brief insights. Or better yet, come watch it with Fr. Chris and Fr. Jim on Tuesday nights, 7:00 p.m. in O'Connor Hall with discussion afterward. It won't take more than an hour. We will start January 10 and end February 21. There will be no session on February 7. Just for your information, this will not eliminate our Tuesdays in Lent Bible Study. We will be using Barron's "Seven Last Words," and the sessions will only last an hour.

God's Work Our Hands

ANOTHER WAY TO SUPPORT ST. DOMINIC

The IRS raised the age for Required Minimum Distributions (RMDs) to age 72. However, you may still make a Qualified Charitable Distribution (QCD) from your IRA account as long as you are at least age 72. If you are required to make an RMD, QCDs will satisfy your annual distribution requirement and will not be included in your taxable income for the year. This could be a great way to save taxes and financially support St. Dominic Parish. For more information on QCDs from your IRA account, please contact your investment advisor and/or your tax advisor as we are not permitted to give specific tax advice. Thank you for your consideration!

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
For the New Year Only God will do!

It's hard to believe that some of the people attending Mass today were not born when the movie "Jerry Maguire" first debuted. That was 1996 and the movie, a romantic comedy-drama starred Tom Cruise, Cuba Gooding Jr., Renée Zellweger, and Regina King. One of the most iconic lines in the movie, and one of the biggest lines of garbage in movie history, was when Jerry Maguire turned to Dorothy Boyd and, with tears in his eyes, emotionally, says to her: "you complete me." The sentiment is not unusual. In fact, this sort of expectation of another in relationships, courtships, and marriages, is very prevalent and, at the same time, very deadly. If you expect anyone else to complete you, in a friendship, a relationship, a marriage, or a family, you are destined for disappointment and failure.

The Book of Genesis tells us that nothing God had made was suitable as a friend for Adam, so God created Eve. Adam and Eve were made to be companions for each other, so that Adam would not be alone, he would have accompaniment in life. Human beings accompany each other in life, and through life. We are all born into relationships. The first relationship we have is with our parents, our mother, who first, in her own body and then from her own body, feeds us. We are sheltered, made safe, we learn, we grow, through our relationships. We make friends, we marry, we have children of our own, we are community beings, and we help each other, but we don't complete each other. And, to put those expectations on another, on a friend, a parent, a wife, a husband, a mother, father, son, daughter, brother, or sister, is to put too great a burden on them and to expect too much. The created world, and even the created person, is not enough to fill what only God's love can fill.

The truth is that the Book of Genesis also teaches us that God created us to be loved by Him and to love Him. We are created to be in relationship, first, with God. Created by God and for God, only God can fulfill us, only God's life, God's love, God's grace, can complete us. From within, we search for completeness, every person knows this, or at least feels this instinctively. Even those who have never heard of God seem to know that their soul, heart, being, longs for something more than the world can offer or give, even people, even the people we love most and who love us most, cannot fulfill the longing we hold deep within. Often, as we all know, we search for fulfillment in all sorts of places, people, and things. We discover that created things cannot take the place of the one uncreated thing we long to have and to love. Made for God, we long for God, and only God can fulfill that longing.

This is not to devalue the other riches in our lives, in fact, these also are gifts from God that are to help, enhance, brighten, give purpose, and they are signs of God's love and care for us. However, only God can fulfill us. As we begin a new year, if we want to find completeness, if we want to find our purpose and destiny, if we want to be fulfilled and live as fully as we can, we should let God enter our lives fully so that we might be complete and live life as God intends us to live it, to experience life as God intends us to experience it. Anything else, everything else, is just not enough. Only God!

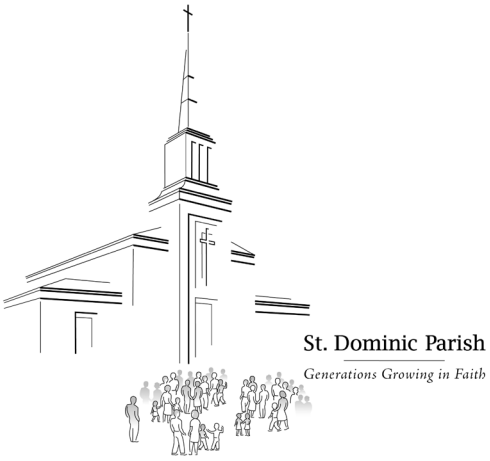
LAS VEGAS NIGHT
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2023
8:00 P.M.-MIDNIGHT
ST. DOMINIC GYM

MAJOR AWARD
1ST PRIZE: $10,000.00, 2ND PRIZE: $1,000.00 AND 3RD PRIZE: $500.00

Las Vegas Night is BACK! We need your help to make this event a huge success. First, we need volunteers for a variety of jobs. If you would like to volunteer, go to: **https://www.signupgenius.com/go/409084CAFAD2AABF85-stdominic1.** Most of the positions do not require you to know about "gaming" and only last two hours.

Major Award – All parish families will receive a mailing containing major award tickets. The drawing will take place on Saturday, February 25, at Las Vegas Night. The tickets are $20.00 each or 6 for $100.00. You can drop your tickets in the collection basket or mail them in the envelope provided. You can also purchase your Major Award tickets 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.***

Wheelbarrow Of Cheer – We will be collecting items for the Wheelbarrow of Cheer which we will sell chances for the night of the event. If you would like to donate to the Wheelbarrow of Cheer, you may bring your donation to the parish office, give it to a Men's Society member, or call Jason Shattuck at 513-477-8162.



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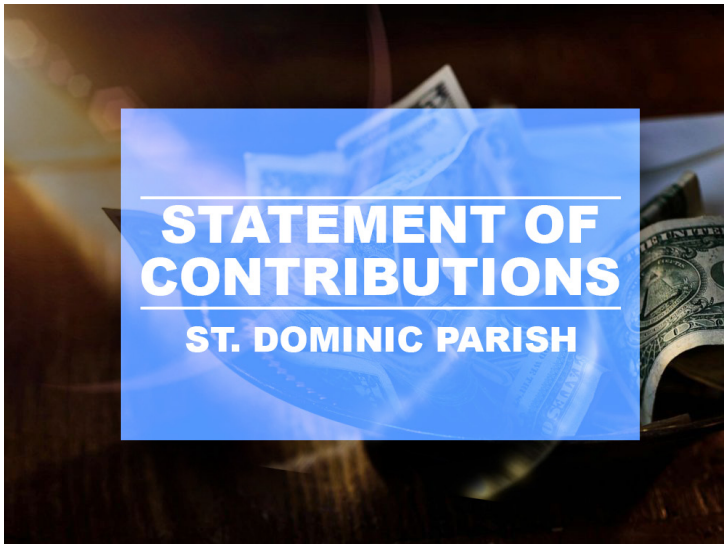
STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE
WEEK OF DECEMBER 18, 2022

Weekly Collection:	**$ 11,412.00**
WeShare Online Giving:	**$ 4,845.00**
Total:	**$ 16,257.00**

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

ST. DOMINIC NEWS

LOVE YOUR SCHOOL AND WANT AN OHIO TAX CREDIT? – Ohio enacted Ohio revised code 5747.73 which created an Ohio tax credit of $750.00 (single taxpayer) or $1,500.00 (married filing jointly and each give a $750.00 donation) for donations to an Ohio approved qualifying Scholarship Granting Organization. The Catholic Education Foundation for the Archdiocese of Cincinnati is on the short list of the 28 qualifying scholarship granting organizations for 2022. If you would like to donate specifically to St. Dominic School, you can earmark the donation in a donation to The Catholic Education Foundation for the Archdiocese of Cincinnati as "St. Dominic School." Donations can easily be made online at CatholicBestChoice.org/SGO. Remember a credit is better than a tax deduction – because a credit is a dollar-for-dollar deduction from your Ohio taxes. Please note the credit is limited to the lesser of $750.00 (single) $1,500.00 (married) or your Ohio tax liability. Thank your for considering a gift!



STATEMENT OF CONTRIBUTIONS – If you wish to receive a statement of your contributions for 2022, please drop the WHITE card found in the November/December envelope mailing in the collection on Sunday or bring it to the Parish Office. You can also contact the Parish Office at 513-471-7741, ext. 0 or parishoffice@stdominicdelhi.org to request a statement.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR 2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR – The application process for applying for financial assistance for the 2023-2024 school year is now open. If you have a high school student next year, and you have applied for assistance through FACTS, you do not have to complete the application for your St. Dominic student, as long as you have selected St. Dominic as one of your schools. PLEASE MAKE CERTAIN YOU HAVE SELECTED ST. DOMINIC AS ONE OF YOUR SCHOOLS.

To begin the application process, go to: www.factsmgt.com. In the upper left corner of the page, click on "Parent Log In." If you applied for assistance last year (2022-2023), your login credentials will be the same. If you are utilizing FACTS for tuition payment processing for this current school year, your login credentials are the same. Click on the link, "Apply for Financial Aid." The instructions for completing the application are relatively intuitive, however, if you experience any issues, please contact FACTS at 866-412-4637.

Awards will first be granted through the Catholic Education Foundation (The Archdiocese of Cincinnati's One Faith One Hope One Love Campaign). CEF awards will be announced in February 2023. St. Dominic will announce Parish awards in the Spring of 2023. **The deadline to apply for assistance is February 3, 2023 for CEF and St. Dominic Parish Awards. No exceptions can be made!** You will need your 2021 tax return information. You will also have to upload pages 1 and 2 from your 2021 tax return as well as copies of any 2021 W-2s.

MARY, QUEEN OF ALL SAINTS NEWS

MARRIAGE, DIVORCE AND DECLARATION OF NULLITY (ANNULMENT) – Join Fr. Jim and Deacon Mark Bardonaro on Monday, January 23, in the Faith Sharing Room (St. Dominic Parish Center) at 7:00 p.m. for a discussion on marriage, divorce and annulments. We will examine what the Church says about marriage and what happens when a marriage ends in divorce. We will detail the declaration of nullity process: What is it? When is it necessary? We are offering this evening in an attempt to bring about a deeper understanding of all marriages. Come join us!

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 on January 8.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION DAY – Saturday, February 18 at St. Dominic Church from 10:00 a.m.-6:30 p.m. The cost is $75.00 per couple. St. Dominic offers this day of preparation as a formational opportunity for engaged couples who are part of our Mary Queen of All Saints family of parishes. We believe that you will find it to be a day of spiritual growth, as well as a time of practical help as you plan for your wedding. This day of preparation fulfills the formational program component of your marriage prep. If you'd like to register or have any questions, call the St. Dominic Parish Office at 513-471-7741, ext. 0.

HOXWORTH BLOOD DRIVE – Hoxworth will be in O'Connor Hall on Friday, January 6 from noon-6:00 p.m. for a blood drive hosted by the Knights of Columbus. To schedule your appointment, go to www.hoxworth.org/groups/stdominickofc or call Hoxworth at 513-451-0910. What a great way to start the New Year!

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY, JANUARY 8

1st Reading: Isaiah 60:1-6; 2nd Reading: Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6; Gospel: Matthew 2:1-2

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR JANUARY 7 & 8

	SERVERS SCHEDULE	LECTORS	EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS (Captains names are listed first.)	MASS COORDINATORS
4:30 p.m. Saturday	Francesca Lanter Lillie Thai	Amy Stevens	Karen Brandstetter, Pat Cusick, Judy Luebbe	Judy Luebbe Pat Cusick
7:30 a.m. Sunday	Elliott Durban Wesley Durban	BC Charles	Clinton Backscheider, Jane Auer, Jerry Auer	Lenny Kleiner Amy Luken
9:30 a.m. Sunday	Hayden Gorczyca Charlie Gibbs	Sr. Karen Elliott C.PP.S.	Katie Bezold, Jan Bonomini, Nancy Gibbs	Nancy Gibbs Linda Kasper
11:30 a.m. Sunday	Will Fettig Nick Fettig	Jenny Berndsen	Lisa Autenrieb, Joan Buzek, Ken Enginger	Dan Clark Pat Clark
7:00 p.m. Sunday		Christelle Middendorf	Christelle Middendorf	Jim Gerdes

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