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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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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:

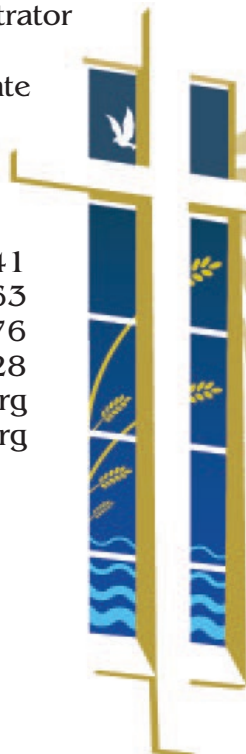
Monday-Friday: 7:30 a.m.
Saturday: 8:15 a.m. followed by Marian Devotions & Apostolate for the Dying

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 7, 2022

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MONDAY – AUGUST 8 – SAINT DOMINIC

6:10 A.M. Communion Service
7:30 A.M. Intentions of the
Pieing Family
6:45 P.M. Rosary in Church

TUESDAY – AUGUST 9 – WEEKDAY

6:10 A.M. Communion Service
7:30 A.M. Jim Finley (ANN)

WEDNESDAY – AUGUST 10 – SAINT LAWRENCE

6:10 A.M. Communion Service
7:30 A.M. Marion Fanning
8:00 A.M.-NOON Adoration

THURSDAY – AUGUST 11 – SAINT CLARE

6:10 A.M. Communion Service
7:30 A.M. George Robben (ANN)

FRIDAY – AUGUST 12 – WEEKDAY

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

SATURDAY – AUGUST 13 – WEEKDAY

8:15 A.M. Nancy Ernst
After Mass: Marian Devotions and
Apostolate for
the Dying
4:30 P.M. Mike Martin

SUNDAY – AUGUST 14 – TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 A.M. Therese Condit (ANN)
9:30 A.M. Raffaella Gentile (BR)
11:30 A.M. Dan Dellbrugge (ANN)
7:00 P.M. For Our Parishioners

FR. BEN'S COLUMN

Find your true treasure and treasure it.

Although I don't play video games, there was a time, in my twenties, pre-home video game times, when I couldn't pass a video arcade without going in and spending an hour or two on video machines. In fact, when I would return from Rome, my best friend would meet me in the city, and he would give me a bag with about \$20.00 in coins so I could indulge my video game habit. Every time I would return, he would meet me with a bag of coins, and we would drop into a "gaming den." He hated video games, but he would wait patiently, reading a magazine, while I wasted my time and his money. Now that memory is a fond recollection to me, but that friendship, that friend, is a treasure.

Isn't it funny how what we treasure seems to change as we move through life? When we are young, we treasure doing things. For the young, tomorrow will never arrive fast enough and life is lived at a great pace. When we are old, we treasure time, we hope to see another day, we long for more time to spend with the people we love.

Many people treasure things, possessions, or experiences, while others treasure time, space, and beauty, while still others treasure people, children, and family. For some people, treasure is about themselves, their needs and wants, making themselves comfortable, sufficient, self-determined and self-sufficient. For others, treasure is about what they give away, how they help, who they help. Treasure is about others and how they share in their lives and provide for their needs.

I guess, over a lifetime, people define treasure in many ways, and at different times, treasure means different things or many things at the same time. Personally, I am grateful for the treasure that people share with me as a priest, the treasure that makes life both possible and beautiful. Every day, people offer their treasure for the good of others and the building up of God's Kingdom. Over the years, people have given their financial treasure to help people poorer than themselves, to build our schools, to erect our churches and make them beautiful and functional, to assist the mission. Every day, I see parents brave enough to bring new life into the world – a true treasure in the giving of life and in the child. Others give their time to fight for the rights of the most vulnerable, to speak for the voiceless or the downtrodden, the neglected, and the abandoned. Every day, I see teachers and coaches, parents, and grandparents passing on lessons in virtue, courage, character, leadership, compassion, and bravery. There are people at our parishes everyday sharing their time and their talents. Every day, I see men and women, young and old, support each other in the struggles and hardships, the loves, and the joys of life. So much treasure.

As a priest, I have had the privilege of celebrating many funerals, and I can tell you that all caskets are about the same size. There is no room for the treasures of this world. All we take with us is what we carry in our hearts. What we have in our hearts is the treasure we will present to God. The things of this world already belong to God, and He has no interest, nor need, to receive them from us; they already belong to Him. But what we have in our hearts – this is a treasure we can give to God that is a unique gift and a treasure God will cherish, a treasure God will love to receive, a treasure God will treasure. For myself, I wonder what that treasure will be when I come face to face with God.

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 Elizabeth Tharp who died this past week. May she rest in the peace of the Lord.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Beginning on Monday, August 22,
the Parish Office hours will be:
Monday-Thursday: 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
Friday: 8:00 a.m.-Noon.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR
FESTIVAL MAJOR AWARD WINNERS**

\$10,000 – Karen Wells
\$1,000 – Fr. Chris
\$500 – Steve King

**ATTENTION, ONLINE GIVERS!**

The following special collections are taking place in August if you wish to contribute to them via your Online Giving account.

August – Capital Improvement

August 15 – Assumption

**COMMUNITY
DINNER**

The August Community Dinner is canceled.
We look forward to seeing everyone in September



With Summer activities in full swing, we would like to remind all parish/school employees and volunteers that they are required to stay current in completing SafeParish quarterly bulletins. There are numerous St. Dominic user accounts that are pending due to lack of compliance in completing the quarterly bulletins. With the school year beginning soon, please make sure to complete the quarterly bulletins or you will not be able to work/volunteer with youth until your SafeParish account is approved. Please direct questions regarding bulletin completion to Deacon Mark Bardonaro at 513-471-7741, ext. 415.

FROM THE DESK OF FR. JIM

I just received my *Elder Pride* magazine and was happy to see our St. Dominic School graduates so well represented in the Freshman Honors program. Congratulations to Colin Broxterman and Zachary Hartung who were two of the six freshmen accepted in the Honors Plus program. Congratulations to Simon Burke, Chase Goins, Connor Muhlenkamp, and Joseph Utley who were accepted in the Honors Program. Of the twenty-six freshmen in the Honors Program, St. Dominic had six, Visitation had seven, and no other school had more than three. This is a tribute to our students, their parents, and our school staff. I'm proud of you all.

Fr. Jim

CATECHISTS NEEDED FOR PSR

We are in need of three catechists for our PSR (Parish School of Religion) Program for this coming school year. We need a teacher for our 6th, 7th & 8th grade students. These students are waiting to learn and grow in their faith with the support of catechists who are willing to share their own faith and help to impart knowledge and dedication to our Catholic faith each week with these children.

Our PSR classes are on Sunday mornings immediately following the 9:30 a.m. Mass. We begin in September and continue through mid-May. You will have a curriculum to work with and the supplies that you need for each lesson. Come, and be a part of our team of catechists who are working to help expand and form the faith of our children. Please contact Karen Brandstetter at 513-471-4471, ext. 481 or via email at Kbrandstetter@stdominicdelhi.org with any questions or just to talk about the possibilities!



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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 JULY 31, 2022

Weekly Collection:	\$ 14,170.00
WeShare Online Giving:	\$ 3,375.00
Total:	\$ 17,545.00

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

ST. DOMINIC NEWS

MANDATORY COACHES MEETING – On Tuesday, August 9 at 7:00 p.m. in the Convocation Center, there will be a mandatory meeting for all athletic coaches (all sports) from St. Dominic and Our Lady of Victory parishes as well as anyone who coaches for either parish throughout the year. This meeting will consist of two speakers: the first will be Bill Mitchell who is the Director of Safe Environment for the Archdiocese of Cincinnati, and the second speaker will be Jeff Hetzer who is the Assistant Athletic Director at Thomas More University. Bill Mitchell will be discussing SafeParish and some of the issues that have come up during his tenure with the Archdiocese. (This is not a training event and will not qualify for a SafeParish training session.) Jeff Hetzer will be discussing core values in youth sports. Again, if anyone will be coaching for St. Dominic or Our Lady of Victory at any point during the 2022-23 school year, it is mandatory that they attend this meeting on August 9.

ST. DOMINIC HIGH SCHOOL COED SOCCER – Registration for St. Dominic high school soccer is now open on the Athletic Association website at <https://leagues.bluesombrero.com/Default.aspx?tabid=786383>. This is open to all high school parishioners. We are also happy to welcome friends whose school does not have a high school program (team size permitting), so feel free to invite others. The league consists of eight Sunday afternoon games starting after Labor Day, and no practices. Come out and have fun playing with your new high school friends! Registration closes Monday, August 8! Any questions, contact Peter Gibbs at st.dominic.soccer.delhi@gmail.com.

ST. DOMINIC GOLF OUTING – September 15 at Aston Oaks Golf Club. Cost is \$100.00. Top Prize is a custom set of clubs. Everyone is welcome to play. For additional information or to sign up, call or text Rick Veid at 513-218-6064, John Burns at 513-300-0572 or Rick Wieland at 513-720-9504. The golf outing is sponsored by the St. Dominic Men's Society and all proceeds benefit St. Dominic School.

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 - Tuesday, August 16 from 6:00-8:00 p.m. in the PTO Uniform Closet, located off the school library. Bring any used uniforms or spirit wear 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 or would like to access the uniform closet prior to August 16, contact Michelle Korb at 513-544-9310 or korbx3@gmail.com. We look forward to seeing you there!



SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY, AUGUST 14

1st Reading: Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10

2nd Reading: Hebrews 12:1-4

Gospel: Luke 12:49-53

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR AUGUST 13 & 14

	SERVERS	LECTORS	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS (Captains names are listed first.)	MASS COORDINATORS
4:30 p.m. Saturday	Tobie Delaney, Tadhg Delaney	Mary Jo Reiners	Amy Stevens, Connie Ashby, Maruska Marcheschi	Judy Luebbe, Pat Cusick
7:30 a.m. Sunday	Ema Raley, Francesca Lanter	Amy Luken	Clinton Backscheider, Scott Beck, Vi Bronner	Lenny Kleiner, Amy Luken
9:30 a.m. Sunday	Elliott Durban, Joshua Smith	Janet Rosenthal	Sr. Maureen Heverin, Nancy Gibbs, Jerry Krumpelbeck	Nancy Gibbs, Linda Kasper
11:30 a.m. Sunday	Liam Barron, Will Fettig	Fred Meyer	Jenny Berndsen, Meg Morris, Dave Tensing	Nancy Wellbrock, Rose Stertz
7:00 p.m. Sunday		Lynn Esmail	Christelle Middendorf, Joe Middendorf, Jim Gerdes	Jim Gerdes



ST. DOMINIC PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION (PSR) REGISTRATION 2022/2023

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

Registration for the 2022/2023 school year is online. All registrations must be submitted by August 31. Access the online registration form via the Parish Website (www.stdominicedelhi.org). Click on the PSR Registration button on the left side. There will be no fee for PSR for the 2022/2023 school year.

The first day of class for all grades (1-8) is Sunday, September 11 at 10:30 a.m.

PSR calendars for grades 1-8 will be available online in August. If you have any questions about PSR, you can contact Megan Mattei, PSR Coordinator at mmattei@stdominicedelhi.org or 865-607-2070.

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