

October 4, 2020

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Rosary Sunday

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MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday	7:30 AM	Pro Populo
	9:00 AM	Joseph de Vera
	11:00 AM	Luis Lopez, †
	1:00 PM	Amalia S. Garciaalassalle
	5:00 PM	Rose, Joseph, Roxanne & Jodie Ochoa - Birthdays
Monday	8:00 AM	Christy Chrisciel Alabanza
	6:00 PM	Peter John Ayson, †
Tuesday	8:00 AM	Genevieve & Victor Maningo, †
	6:00 PM	For Covid-19 Patients
Wed.	8:00 AM	Deceased U.S. Presidents, †
	6:00 PM	Florencia Cuenca - Thanksgiving & protection of her family
Thursday	8:00 AM	Francisca Rodriguez, †
	6:00 PM	John & Jean Saccente, †
Friday	8:00 AM	Ferdinand Luciano, †
	6:00 PM	Dec. Dominican Friars, parents, friends and benefactors Lauro Tecson, † Rosario Molina & Ernesto Guia Abrahan, † Virginia Gata, †
Saturday	8:00 AM	Benjamin Hofilena, †
	5:00 PM	Francis Akio Ramirez - 12th Birthday

(Important: Some of these Masses will be celebrated in the private chapel of St. Dominic's Priory. All the written intentions will be honored. Thank you for your understanding.)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Gal 1:6-12; Ps 111:1b-2, 7-9, 10c; Lk 10:25-37
Tuesday:	Gal 1:13-24; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-15; Lk 10:38-42
Wednesday:	Gal 2:1-2, 7-14; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Lk 11:1-4
Thursday:	Gal 3:1-5; Lk 1:69-75; Lk 11:5-13
Friday:	Gal 3:7-14; Ps 111:1b-6; Lk 11:15-26
Saturday:	Gal 3:22-29; Ps 105:2-7; Lk 11:27-28
Sunday:	Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-6; Phil 4:12-14, 19-20; Mt 22:1-14 [1-10]



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"Many of our Parishioners who are homebound during the pandemic have had little or no contact with others for many months now.
As an effort to reach out to them we are asking our Parishioners to let us know if you have any family or friends at Saint Dominic who might be homebound.
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A Message from Fr. Roberto

Prayer of Commitment

Some parishioners asked me for a copy of the commitment prayer I said during my homily last weekend at our Masses, so here it is.

*Lord Jesus, I come before you now
to thank you for all you have done for me
by dying on the cross for my sins,
by rising from the dead and by giving me eternal life.
Please forgive all the sins I have committed by saying "no" to you and to the Father.
I give you my heart and ask you to fill me with love for you and for the faith you
have given to me.
Help me to make you the center of my life and to give you the time, energy and
love you deserve.
May I always say "yes" to you and to my heavenly Father. Amen.*

History of Rosary Sunday

This weekend, our parish celebrates the feast of *Our Lady of the Rosary*, commonly known as Rosary Sunday. Up until recent years St. Dominic's and other parishes have celebrated this Rosary Sunday with a procession around the block while saying the rosary. There is also a very important historical reason for celebrating Rosary Sunday. This feast day was established by Pope Saint Pius V (a Dominican who was pope from 1566-72) to commemorate the Christian victory over the Ottoman Empire at the naval Battle of Lepanto (off western Greece) in 1571.



A Representation of the Battle of Lepanto

Our Blessed Mother is seen holding the child Jesus with Pope Pius V praying to her right as they intercede during the naval battle taking place below them.

The 16th century was a period of Ottoman expansion into Central Europe in an attempt to spread Islam at the expense of Christianity. From the conquest of Rhodes (1522), to the defeat of the Hungarian army at the Battle of Mohacs (1526), to the first siege of Vienna (1529), the annexation of Hungary (1541), the siege of Malta (1565), and the conquest of Cyprus (1570), Christianity was forced to defend itself against an aggressive Turkish Empire.

After the Turkish conquest of Cyprus, Pope Pius V formed the Holy League in 1571 to combat the Turks. It consisted of the Papacy, Spain, Venice, Naples, Sicily, Genoa, Tuscany, Savoy, Parma, and the Knights of Malta. Of the major western powers in the Mediterranean, only France refused to join the Holy League. A large fleet of galleys was assembled by the Holy League to combat the Turkish fleet in the Mediterranean. The Christian fleet consisted of 212 vessels while the Turkish fleet consisted of 272 vessels. The two fleets collided at Lepanto on October 7, 1571. At a

critical moment just before the start of the battle, the wind shifted in favor of the Christian fleet, giving them the advantage. Although few had expected a Christian victory, the Turkish fleet was annihilated, and over 12,000 Christian galley slaves were freed.

On the day of the battle, Pope Pius V interrupted a meeting with his Cardinals to announce that the Christians had won a great victory, even though news of the battle did not reach Rome until days later. The Rosary Confraternity of Rome recited the rosary on the day of the battle, and Pope Pius V attributed the victory to the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary. In 1572 he established an annual commemoration of Our Lady of Victory as a day of thanksgiving for the victory over the Turks at Lepanto.

In 1573, Pope Gregory XIII changed the name to the Feast of the Holy Rosary and fixed it on the first Sunday in October. In 1716, following another victory over the Turks, Pope Clement XI decreed that the Feast of the Holy Rosary should be observed throughout the Western Church. In 1913, Pope Pius X changed the feast day to October 7 (except for the Dominicans, who continued to observe the feast day on the first Sunday in October). In 1960 the name of the feast day was changed to the Feast of the Blessed Virgin Mary of the Rosary and in 1969 Pope Paul VI changed the name of the feast day to "Our Lady of the Rosary."



**Rosary Sunday
Dominican Student Appeal
October 4, 2020**

Please help the Dominican Student Brothers today!

Praise God, vocations continue to grow, even during these challenging times!

This week is our annual **Rosary Sunday: Dominican Student Appeal**,

which supports the education and formation expenses of the 36 young men currently in formation to become your future Dominican priests and religious brothers. This is the most men in formation in nearly 20 years.

As the Dominicans do not receive any funding from the diocese for the formation of their brothers, your support of the appeal is critical and deeply appreciated.



**Confirmation Meetings will begin on
Wednesday, October 7, 2020 at 7:00 pm
ON ZOOM**

**Confirmation Year 1
Registration**

Year 1 Registration Forms are available. The parish office is closed to the public, but we are here, just knock on the door and we will give you a form. The student must be in the 9th, 10th or 11th grade to sign up.

Please bring a copy of their Baptism Certificate along with a copy of their First Communion Certificate. The fee for Year 1 is \$100. Should we be allowed to have a retreat, there will be an additional fee of \$150.

**Confirmation Year 2
Re-Registration**

Re-registration forms were mailed to all students entering Year 2. You can re-register at any time. If you have any outstanding fees from Year 1, these must be paid before you can register for year 2. The fee for year 2 is \$100. Should we be allowed to have a retreat, there will be an additional fee of \$150.

For the present, Year 1 and Year 2 classes will be meeting on Zoom.

Un Mensaje de Padre Roberto

Oración de Compromiso

Algunos feligreses me pidieron una copia de la oración de compromiso que se rezó la semana pasada en nuestra Misa, así que aquí está.

*Señor Jesús,
vengo ante ti ahora para darte gracias
por todo lo que has hecho por mí
al morir en la cruz por mis pecados,
al resucitar de entre los muertos
y al darme la vida eterna.
Por favor, perdona todos los pecados que he cometido diciéndote "no" a ti y al Padre.
Te entrego mi corazón y
te pido que me llenes de amor
por ti y por la fe que me has dado.
Ayúdame a ponerte en el centro de mi vida
y a darte el tiempo, la energía y el amor que mereces.
Que yo siempre diga "sí" a ti y a mi Padre celestial. Amén.*

La Historia de la Fiesta de Nuestra Señora del Rosario

Este fin de semana, nuestra parroquia celebra la fiesta de Nuestra Señora del Rosario, también conocida como Domingo del Rosario. Hasta hace poco, Santo Domingo y otras parroquias han celebrado este Domingo del Rosario con una procesión alrededor de la cuadra mientras se reza el rosario. También hay una razón histórica muy importante para celebrar el Domingo del Rosario.

Esta fiesta fue establecida por el Papa San Pío V (un dominico que fue papa desde 1566-72) para conmemorar la victoria cristiana sobre el Imperio Otomano en la Batalla de Lepanto en 1571. El siglo 16 era un período de la expansión de los otomanos en el centro de Europa para derramar a Islam contra la cristiandad. Desde la conquista de Rodas (1522), al derrote del ejército Húngaro en la Batalla de Mohács (1526), al primer sitio de Viena (1529), la anexión de Hungría (1541), el sitio de Malta (1565), y la conquista de Chipre (1570), la cristiandad tenía que defenderse contra el agresivo Imperio Turco.

Después de la conquista de Chipre, el Papa Pío V formó la Santa Liga en 1571, consistiendo del Papado,



Una Representación de la Batalla de Lepanto

Se ve a nuestra Santísima Madre sosteniendo al niño Jesús con el Papa Pío V rezando a su derecha mientras interceden durante la batalla naval que tiene lugar debajo de ellos.

España, Venecia, Nápoles, Sicilia, Génova, Toscana, Saboya, Parma y los Caballeros de Malta. La Santa Liga congregó una gran armada de 212 buques de guerra para combatir contra la flota turca de 272 navíos en el Mar Mediterráneo. Se toparon en Lepanto el 7 de octubre de 1571. En un momento crítico un poco antes del comienzo de la batalla, el viento se cambió a favor de la armada cristiana, dándoles una ventaja. Aunque pocos habían esperado una victoria cristiana, así salió: la flota turca fue aniquilada, y más de 12,000 galeotes cristianos fueron liberados de los navíos turcos.

En el día de la batalla, el Papa interrumpió una reunión con sus cardenales para anunciar que los cristianos habían logrado una gran victoria, aunque las noticias de la batalla no llegaron a Roma hasta días después. El Papa atribuyó la victoria a la intercesión de la Bienaventurada Virgen María, y en 1572 estableció una conmemoración anual de Nuestra Señora de la Victoria como un día de acción de gracias por la victoria sobre los turcos en Lepanto.

En 1573, el Papa Gregorio XIII cambió el nombre a la Fiesta del Santo Rosario y lo fijó en el primer domingo de octubre. En 1716, después de otra victoria sobre los turcos, el Papa Clemente XI declaró que la Fiesta del Santo Rosario debería ser observada por toda la Iglesia católica occidental. En 1913, el Papa Pío X cambió la fiesta al 7 de octubre (excepto a los dominicos que continuaron observando la fiesta el primer domingo de octubre). En 1960 el nombre de la fiesta se cambió a la Fiesta de la Bienaventurada Virgen María del Rosario, y en 1969, el Papa Pablo VI lo cambió de nuevo a la Fiesta de Nuestra Señora del Rosario.

The COVID-19 global pandemic has disrupted everyday life for millions of people around the world. This year the need is greater to show children that we care. How can you help? Our Operation Christmas Child shoebox collection drive begins at our Outdoor Concert Fundraiser on October 9th and 10th at 7pm. Come support our Parish fundraiser and pick up a box or two to show children around the world that we care. Together we can spread hope, faith, and joy to children this Christmas Season.



DID YOU KNOW?

Take advantage of TikTok's parental controls

The social media site TikTok has exploded in popularity during the coronavirus pandemic, with children and adults using it to connect and pass time while in quarantine. Unfortunately, apps like TikTok are often targeted by predators as easy ways to get in touch with vulnerable children. TikTok has "Family Pairing" capabilities, which allow parents to set restrictions on their children's usage. It is also important to have ongoing, open discussions with your children about how they use social media, who they "talk" to and what they share. For more information about TikTok's parental controls, visit <https://lacatholics.org/did-you-know/>.

Aproveche los controles parentales de TikTok El sitio de redes sociales TikTok se ha disparado en popularidad durante la pandemia de coronavirus, con niños y adultos usándolo para conectarse y pasar el tiempo mientras están en cuarentena. Desafortunadamente, las aplicaciones como TikTok a menudo son usadas por depredadores como formas fáciles de ponerse en contacto con niños vulnerables. TikTok tiene capacidades de "emparejamiento familiar", que permiten a los padres de familia poner restricciones al uso de la aplicación por sus hijos. También es importante tener discusiones abiertas y continuas con sus hijos sobre cómo usan las redes sociales, con quién "hablan" y qué comparten. Para obtener más información sobre los controles parentales de TikTok, visite <https://lacatholics.org/did-you-know/>.



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