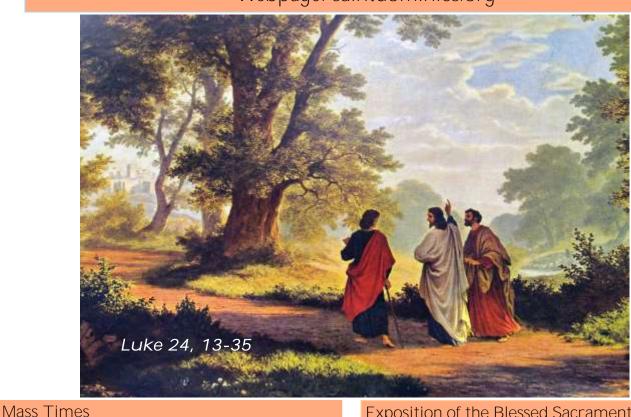
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Sunday
7:30 am
9:00 am
10:30 am
12:00 pm
1:30 pm (En Español)
5:00 pm
8:00 pm Occidental College Herrick Chapel
No Masses from May to September 1
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Monday thru Friday:
8:00 am
6:00 pm
Saturday:
8:00 am
5:00 pm Vigil Mass
Civic Holidays: 9:00 am only

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Fridays after 8 am Mass - Benediction at 5:15 pm

Reconciliation / Confessions

Wednesdays 7:45 - 8:00 am; 5:45 - 6:00 pm 1st. Fridays 7:45 - 8:00 am; 5:45 - 6:00 pm

Saturdays 3:30 - 4:30 pm Domingo 1:30 pm Español

Or by appointment / O por cita

Liturgy of the Hours:

Monday - Friday: 7:15 am & 5:30 pm

Saturday: 7:15 am

Office hours:

3:00 pm - 7:30 pm on Monday

8:30 am - 7:30 pm Tuesday thru Friday

8:30 am - 6:30 pm Saturday 8:30 am - 6:00 pm Sunday

Dominican Community:

Rev. Michael Fones, OP, Pastor, Prior,

Rev. Dominic De Maio, OP, Parochial Vicar Rev. Michael Chaberek, OP, Parochial Vicar Rev. Boniface Willard, OP, in residence

Rev. Jude Eli, OP, In residence

Rev. James Thompson, OP, in residence Rev. Donald Bramble, OP, in residence

Parish Staff:

Deacon: Rev. Mr. Michael Finocchiaro, OPL Dir. of Religious Ed: Christina Garcia &

Michelle Perez

Religious Ed Coordinator: Connie Guerrero

(323) 255-6373

Adult Education: Sr. Joyanne Sullivan SND Confirmation/Youth Ministry: Randy de Vera Ministry to the III & Elderly: Concie Kibbe, OPL

Health Ministry: Mary Lynne Knighten

Music Ministry: Rudy Acosta (323) 258-9854

Administrative Assistant: Mario Garcia

Secretary: Cecilia Treat Plant Manager: Jesus Mercado

St. Dominic's School:

2005 Merton Avenue. LA, CA 90041

Phone: (323) 255-5803

Website: http://www.stdominicla.us

Principal: Mrs. Emily Diaz Secretary: Angela Nuño

Pre-School

Extended Day Care

Marriage (Matrimonio): Please contact Frs.
Michael Fones, Michael Chaberek or Dominic
De Maio as soon as you become engaged for information about the process for Catholic marriage preparation.

Infant Baptism (Bautismo de Niños): Please contact the parish office, for information.

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults RCIA is a journey for Adults seeking full Communion with the Catholic Church, First Communion and Confirmation and for Adults seeking Baptism. Adults may start the program at any time.

The Children's RCIA is a two year program. For more information call Sr. Joyanne Sullivan, SND, at 323-254-2519.

Mass Intentions

Sun.	7:30 am 9:00 am 10:30 am	Pro Populo Maxima Pipo Cardenas, † Magdalena Velez, †
	12:00 pm	Rudy and Thelma Quindipan, Wedding Anniversary
	1:30 pm	Arturo, Amparo and
		Vicente Obieta, Buboy
	5:00 pm	"Edward" Poso,† Arnold and Mary Grace
	F	Gumabay, Wedding Anniv.
Mon.	8:00 am	Luis Balangue, †
	6:00 pm	Fatima Velasco and family
Tues.	8:00 am	Anding Alabada, †
	6:00 pm	Yolly Mercado, †
Weds.	8:00 am	Anthony, Ocean and
		lan Bandwel Jones
	6:00 pm	John M. Anthony, Jr., †
Thurs.	8:00 am	Adoracion Sanque, †
	6:00 pm	Elenita R. Cada, †
Fri.	8:00 am	All Souls in Purgatory
	6:00 pm	Deceased Dominican Friars,
		parents, friends and
		benefactors
		Herminda Banag Timbol, †
		Pablo Flojo Lagmay, †
		Andrew and John Patrick
		Silbor, †
Cat	0.00 am	Jose Cortes, †
Sat.	8:00 am	Eden Sy Su
	5:00 pm	Cristina and Tessie Sy,
		Thanksgiving

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30;

Jn 6:22-29 or, for the memorial,

Gn 1:26 — 2:3 or Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24; Ps 90:2-4, 12-14, 16; Mt 13:54-58

Tuesday: Acts 7:51 — 8:1a; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 7b,

8a,17, 21ab; Jn 6:30-35

Wednesday: 1 Cor 15:1-8; Ps 19:2-5; Jn 14:6-14

Thursday: Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20;

Jn 6:44-51

Friday: Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59

Saturday: Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-17; Jn 6:60-69

Sunday: Acts 2:14a, 36-41; Ps 23:1-6;

1 Pt 2:20b-25; Jn 10:1-10

Today's Activities

Divine Mercy Celebration Blood Pressure Today Second Collection for St. Vincent de Paul

This week at a glance...

Monday, May 1, 2017 Bible Study 7:30 PM Adult Ed Building Living Waters 7:30 PM St. Catherine Room

Tuesday, May 2, 2017 Spanish Bible Study 7:30 PM St. Mark Room RCIA 7:30 pm Adult Ed House Legion of Mary

Wednesday, May 3, 2017
Legion of Mary
Young Adults 6:45 to 7:30 pm in Church
7:45 pm in St. Catherine Room
Hispanos en Accion 7:30 pm Adult Ed House
Confirmation Year 1 - 7:00 pm Lower Hall
Confirmation Year 2 - 7:00 pm Parish Hall

<u>Thursday, May 4, 2017</u>
Divine Mercy 9:30 AM Adult Ed Building
Communion and Liberation 7:00 PM St. Mark Room

Friday, May 5, 2017 Light of Jesus 7:00 PM Spanish prayer group 7:00 PM St. Luke Room

Saturday, May 6, 2017

COMING EVENTS

May 7 Cardinal McIntyre Fund Collection

May 28 Filipino Breakfast

Save the date - help support our school



100 Years of Fatima - 1917 - 2017 May 13th Rosary Rally 12 Noon

> Councilman Huizar's Office Eagle Rock City Hall

Hello, my name is Kim Qua and I am a volunteer of the St. Dominic St. Vincent de Paul Conference. I am writing to ask you to consider making a generous donation to our conference during the second collection today, April 30th. You might be asking yourself, "What do they do with our donations?" Today, I hope to share with you some of the things that your donations have helped provide. Through the generous donations of this parish, our conference has been able to feed hundreds of the hungry and less fortunate members of our community. The lunch program and the Hope Dinner provide not only food or a physical sustenance but also companionship, a listening ear, prayer and other vehicles to help feed the souls of our guests. I have seen your donations at work through the eyes of young children going to their first summer camp experience. Your donations also provide holiday meals and toys for local families. On a daily occurrence, your donations help families in crisis with a place to sleep at night, help families with significant medical expenses keep the electricity or gas on and sometimes help a lost soul obtain identification so that they can apply for help or get a job. With the help of our loyal volunteers and your donations, this conference can continue to help those in need. Please note that the needy are not just those you see on the street corner but often they are your neighbors or someone sitting in the pew next to you. No donation is too small or too great. Please, help us to continue to work towards improving the lives of others through charity and prayer. As always, we welcome all volunteers so if you are not able to make a monetary contribution today, consider a donation of your time and leave your contact information at the office. Thank you for your continued support.

> ACCW MEETING Wednesday, May 10 St. Dominic Church

9:30 am Registration

10:00 am Speaker: Rev. James Melley 11:15 am Mass: Celebrant: Rev. Norm

Supancheck

12:00 pm Luncheon - charge \$10 per person

Reservation Deadline, Wednesday, May 3. Make checks payable & mail to Ellie Martin, 5438 Rock Castle Dr., La Canada, CA 91011, or call 818-248-1326.



School News



Second Grade News

In second grade we are learning about geometry by sketching shapes and painting them with watercolors. We use our art classes to help us learn and remember about so many things. In our literature class we study our stories and then we write about them. We use our techniques that we've learned in art to create a front page newspaper article to report on the story that we have read. We work together in the class to find all the interesting details from the story. We make sure that we have our facts in the right sequence. Then we work in groups to report our story. At the end of the lesson, we have our very own front page article about our main character. As you can see we have a very busy second grade classroom.



St. Dominic Presents
1st Annual

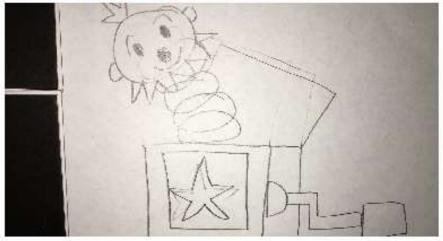
Jimmy Van Dyke

GOLF TOURNAMENT

Monday, May 15, 2017
Angeles National Golf Club
Putting contest, course games, silent auction, lunch,
dinner, and more!

Proceeds will benefit St. Dominic School families who desire a Catholic education, but cannot afford one. Additionally, specialized programs including: technology, art and science.

Questions? Contact Greg Cornell at cornell@stdominicla.us. Registration forms available in the parish office.





We are currently accepting applications for the 2017-18 school year!

Call the school office for more information or to set up a tour.

323-255-5803



Pastor's Corner

Perhaps it should be no surprise that 71% of California Catholics also say right or wrong depends upon the situation (Pew Foundation Survey, 2014).

This is called "relativism", and is contrary to scripture and Church teaching – as well as common sense. Relativism holds that "what is true for me might not be true for you." It is often held up as a kind of tolerance. Two relatively recent events point to the overarching effects of relativism: the downplaying of reality as described and understood by science, and the invention of the idea of "alternative facts". As a man who studied geophysics, and who belongs to the Order whose motto is "truth", both of these frighten me.

Some argue that given the extent of disagreement about moral issues, it follows that there are no objective moral truths. But the conclusion does not follow from the premise. Consider a different argument of the very same logical form. There is extensive disagreement about the existence and nature of God, therefore it follows that there is no truth of the matter about God's existence and nature. But there is a truth of the matter. There either is a God or not! There is a fact of the matter, even if we don't know what it is, or fail to agree about it. Often, Jesus is promoted as a model of tolerance, but that is to twist Jesus to our own ends. While Jesus reaches out to sinners and outcasts and eats with them, much to the chagrin of the Pharisees who tried to separate themselves from sinners, Jesus' message is clear: "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand" (Mt. 4:17); "I have not come to call the righteous, but sinners to repentance" (Luke 5:32); "Repent, and believe in the Gospel." (Mark 1:15) As God among us, Jesus desires only what is good for us.

Jesus' concern for repentance presumes that there are some attitudes and behaviors that need to be repudiated because they are bad for us! He came to give us the fullness of life —

Max Herrera, Immigration Attorney, will be available on Sunday, May 7th, 2017 in the Adult Education Building from 8:30am until 4pm to discuss the following:

- CITIZENSHIP
- U VISA
- DACA
- VAWA
- FAMILY PETITIONS
- EMPLOYMENT-BASED PETITIONS
- AND MORE

Free Initial consolation in order to follow up with an appointment.

All consultations are confidential.

www.mbhimmigration.com

Max Herrera has reasonable rates for additional work on application for citizenship, U VISAS, VAWA and DACA.

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Hispanos en Acción and the Hispanic Community invite all to the annual

Dinner-Dance to celebrate Mother's Day



Saturday, May 20th 2017 6:30pm - 11:30pm

Location: Parish Hall

Ticket Prices:

Adults \$20.00 - Children \$10.00 (Ticket price includes Dinner + 1 Drink and Dance) For information, call Rudy Vadillo (323) 255-4082 and/or Ramona Ponce (323) 803-9192

> Tickets will be on sale soon at the Parish Office and Hispanic ministries!

Tercer Domingo de Pascua

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Todos están invitados a la Tradicional Cena- Baile Anual para celebrar el Día de las Madres Sábado, 20 de Mayo, 2017 6:30pm - 11:30pm

Lugar: Salón Parroquial

Precio de los Boletos:
Adultos \$20.00 - Niños \$10.00
El precio del boleto incluye
Cena + 1 Bebida y Baile con música de DJ
Para más información llame a Rudy Vadillo (323)
255-4082 ó Ramona Ponce (323) 803-9192
~Los boletos estarán a la venta en la Oficina
Parroquial
y con los Ministros Hispanos ~

Max Herrera, abogado de inmigración, estará disponible el domingo 7 de mayo, 2017 en el Centro de Educación para Adultos de nuestra parroquia desde las 8:30am hasta las 4pm para ofrecer lo siguiente:

- -Ciudadanía
- -U VISA
- -DACA
- -VAWA
- -Peticiones para familias
- -Peticiones basadas en el empleo
- -y mas

La primera consulta es gratis para seguir con una cita después. Cada consulta es confidencial. Max Herrera tiene precios razonables para mas ayuda con aplicaciones de ciudadanía, U VISAS, VAWA y DACA. SE HABLA ESPANOL

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¿SABÍA USTED?

El estrés puede afectar a los niños a su alrededor Todo el mundo tiene estrés, ya sea por un mal día en el trabajo, problemas con el automóvil, o simplemente demasiadas cosas que hacer. Es importante aprender a manejar su estrés, por su propio bien y por los niños que le rodean. Demasiado estrés puede hacer que sea difícil la crianza de los hijos con efectividad. Después de un tiempo, sus hijos pueden también mostrar signos de estrés. Para obtener más información sobre cómo identificar y hacer frente al estrés, visite https://www.helpguide.org/articles/stress/stress-management.htm.

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Hch 6:8-15; Sal 119 (118):23-24, 26-27, 29-

30; Jn 6:22-29 **o (por la memoria)**

Gn 1:26 — 2:3 o Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24; Sal 90 (89):2-4, 12-14, 16; Mt 13:54-58

Martes: Hch 7:51 — 8:1a; Sal 31 (30):3cd-4, 6, 7b,

8a, 17, 21ab; Jn 6:30-35

Miércoles: 1 Cor 15:1-8; Sal 19 (18):2-5; Jn 14:6-14 Jueves: Hch 8:26-40; Sal 66 (65):8-9, 16-17, 20;

Jn 6:44-51

Viernes: Hch 9:1-20; Sal 117 (116):1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-

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Sábado: Hch 9:31-42; Sal 116 (115):12-17; Jn 6:60-

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Domingo: Hch 2:14a, 36-41; Sal 23 (22):1-6;

1 Pe 2:20b-25; Jn 10:1-10

Dominican Film Club

Monthly Screenings and Conversations First Saturdays at 6:30 p.m.





May 6 - Nine Days That Changed the World (2010) John Paul II sparks a revolution of conscience during his 1979 tour of Poland

June 3 - Quiz Show (1994) The true morality tale of a 1950s lawyer investigating fixed TV game shows

July 1 - The Apostle (1997) Robert Duvall's film about a Texas preacher fleeing from his past

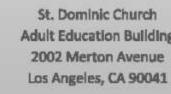
Aug. 5 - Amazing Grace (2006) William Wilberforce fights to abolish the slave trade in 18th-century England

Sept. 2 - The Mission (1986) 18th-century Spanish Jesuits struggle to protect a South American Tribe

Oct. 7 - The Flowers of St. Francis (1950) Co-written by Fellini, this film explores the ministry of the early Franciscans

Nov. 4 - Of Gods and Men (2010) In 1996 Algeria, eight Trappist monks are taken hostage by terrorists

> Adult Education Building 2002 Merton Avenue





The last general membership meeting of the Blessed Sacrament Confraternity before our summer break will be on May 09,2017. Mass

will be celebrated at 11:00 a.m. in the Church followed by business meeting at 1:00 pm with a catered lunch for \$11.00 per person. Spiritual Citizenship award will be given to select 8th graders at the meeting. Please call or leave a message to Susan Hofilena at 323-256-0399 for reservation.

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

There is a Young Adult Ministry at St. Dominic's! Young adults (primarily those in their 20s and 30s; married, single, religious, and priestly) are welcome to join us weekly on Wednesday evenings starting with adoration from 6:45-7:30 PM and then transitioning to the St. Catherine Room in the Community Center at 7:30 PM. To learn more or to get on the contact list, please email ya@saintdominics.org.