

May 28, 2017

St. Dominic Church and School

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Mass Times

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

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 Ill & 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	Bryant Cuizon, †
	9:00 am	Luz S. Reyes, †
	10:30 am	Leonor Maralit, †
	12:00 pm	Helen Vykydal, †
	1:30 pm	Natalia Granvilla and family
	5:00 pm	Pro Populo
Mon.	9:00 am	Rudolfo Alapag, †
Tues.	8:00 am	Paula-Bianca Gaetos
	6:00 pm	Rudy Ramos, †
Wed.	8:00 am	Victoria Domingo, †
	6:00 pm	Don and Linda Patterson, healing
Thu.	8:00 am	Federico Dibartolo, †
	6:00 pm	Oliver Garcia, special intention
Fri.	8:00 am	Ng Ang Kiong Te, †
	6:00 pm	Deceased Dominican Friars, parents, friends and benefactors
		Antonio J. Teodoro Sr., †
		Grace Barrios, †
		Eleno B. Afable Jr., †
Sat.	8:00 am	John M. Anthony Jr., †
	5:00 pm	Laurentino R. Tengco, †

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; Jn 16:29-33
Tuesday:	Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11a
Wednesday:	Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Lk 1:39-56
Thursday:	Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11; Jn 17:20-26
Friday:	Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; Jn 21:15-19
Saturday:	Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7; Jn 21:20-25
Sunday:	<u>Vigil</u> : Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2a, 24, 35c, 27-28, 29bc-30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39 <u>Day</u> : Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn 20:19-23

Today's Activities

Blood Pressure Today
 Filipino Breakfast

This week at a glance...

Monday, May 29, 2017

Memorial Day - Facilities will be CLOSED

Tuesday, May 30, 2017

Spanish Bible Study 7:30 PM St. Mark Room
 RCIA 7:30 pm Adult Ed House
 Legion of Mary
 Patrician Group 7:00 PM St. Luke Room

Wednesday, May 31, 2017

Legion of Mary
 Young Adults 6:45 to 7:30 pm in Church
 7:45 pm in Adult Ed Building
 Grupo de Desarrollo Humano 7:00 PM
 St. Mark Room
 Singles for Christ 7:00 PM Lower Hall

Thursday, June 1, 2017

Divine Mercy 9:30 AM Adult Ed Building
 Communion and Liberation 7:00 PM St. Mark Room

Friday, June 2, 2017

Light of Jesus 7:00 PM
 Spanish prayer group 7:00 PM St. Luke Room

Saturday, June 3, 2017

Pentecost Vigil 6:30 PM - 9:00 PM in Church

COMING EVENTS

June 11 Mexican Breakfast
 June 11 Retirement Fund for Archdiocese
 Priests collection

All St. Dominic's parishioners

are invited to our
 Pentecost Vigil Service on
 Saturday, June 3, 2017, in the church,
 from 6:30 PM to 9:00 PM.
 We will spend time in adoration with the
 Blessed Sacrament
 and pray the bilingual Holy Spirit Rosary.

Seeking Volunteer Master Chef

This is your chance! Show the world what your sauce is made of! The HOPE dinner ministry needs a chef for the 4th Friday of each month. It is a once a month commitment. The Fridays for 2017 are:

- May 26, 2017
- June 23, 2017
- July 28, 2017
- August 25, 2017
- September 22, 2017
- October 27, 2017.

The HOPE ministry serves a meal between the hours of 5:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. The chef is present from about 3:30 to 5:30. Food is supplied through St. Vincent de Paul funds. We have volunteer crews to chop, serve and clean up. The chef plans, shops and creates.

Please leave your: name, phone number, email and Virtus date at the rectory. You too can simmer in the sanctifying grace of service for the Lord.

The Patrician Group

Topic: How does God need me?
 Presenter: Open Forum
 When: Tuesday, May 30, 2017
 Where: St. Luke Room (Community Center)
 Time: 7:00 PM
 Spiritual Director: Rev. Michael Chaberek, OP
 Moderator: Bro. Nestor Domingo

School News

Fourth Grade News

As we close another school year, St. Dominic's fourth grade class is especially proud of all the art work they have learned. Some assignments took only one hour, but the majority of the work took two class periods. The fourth graders are extremely creative and talented. We hope that they continue to grow in the fine arts. All of our art will be on display in the fourth grade classroom June 1 - 8. We wish everyone a blessed and happy summer.

DID YOU KNOW?

What's the right age?

Many parents find it difficult to determine what responsibilities and privileges are appropriate for children at different ages. Assessing these issues can be complicated further when considering safety concerns, such as how old a child should be to be allowed to use public restrooms alone. **Balancing the child's emerging independence with possible risks, such as a predator near the restrooms, can be challenging. Whatever the situation, parents can make sure their children are informed about safety concerns and strategies, while they themselves remain vigilant. To request a copy of the VIRTUS® online article "When are Children Old Enough to...?"**

email jvienna@la-archdiocese.org or call [\(213\) 637-7227](tel:(213)637-7227).

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.

Beginning Experience Weekend
to be held
June 09-11, 2017

Beginning Experience is a ministry for Divorced, Separated or Widowed persons.

This program helps a person move from the darkness of grief into the **light of a "new beginning" with renewed hope and coping skills.**

The Beginning Experience Weekend will be held at Holy Spirit Retreat Center (Encino).

For information regarding the weekend and to register please call: Brenda at (818) 352-5265 (English) or Maria at (310) 365-0186 (Spanish) or Peg at (818) 767-1007 (English).

Online Giving is a convenient and safe way to make a one-time or recurring donation. Just visit our website, www.saintdominics.org, and click our Online Giving link. Your gift will be securely transferred **directly into the parish bank account. And you won't** have to remember to write a check or stop by the ATM on Sundays! Thank you for your generosity and for helping us serve you and our community!

Support the House of Prayer for Priests

Bill Wardlaw, who is working for the Archdiocese to purchase a home on Hill Drive to use as a new location for the House of Prayer for Priests has asked me to invite you to show your support for this project by contacting two members of Representative José Huizar's staff, Kevin Ocubillo, his Planning Director kevin.ocubillo@lacity.org, and Paul Habib, his Chief of Staff paul.habib@lacity.org.

The House of Prayer is used by the Archdiocese in several ways. It is a location

- For priests to take a day of prayer;
- For priests to meet with a spiritual director or confessor; (I have gone there for confessions many times)
- For *Jesus Caritas* meetings; (5-7 priests who meet monthly for Scripture sharing, contemplative prayer before the Eucharist, a shared review of life, and fellowship over a meal)
- For the bishops of California to gather together for their annual meeting;

The friars in the priory have used the House of Prayer as a meeting place for a day of reflection and study together.

A donor is offering to purchase the house for the Archdiocese. Two priests who are full-time spiritual directors will be in residence in the house. Some neighbors are understandably concerned about increased traffic, noise, and the construction of a new building (which will be behind a hill and the historic house and out of sight). I have gone to the current House of Prayer many times, and I assure you, it is a very quiet place!

At a NELA neighborhood council meeting I attended, I heard many fears and misunderstandings expressed. It is *not* a home for pedophile priests. It is *not* a rehab center for alcoholic priests. It is *not* a frat house for priestly parties. It truly is a House of Prayer, and I believe Eagle Rock would be blessed by its presence here.

Vigilia de Pentecostés

Se invita a toda la comunidad a vivir una noche en El Espíritu Santo, el día 3 de Junio, 2017, de 6:30 pm a 9:00 pm. Tendremos adoración eucarística, Rezo del rosario y más.

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: Hch 19:1-8; Sal 68 (67):2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; Jn 16:29-33
 Martes: Hch 20:17-27; Sal 68 (67):10-11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11a
 Miércoles: Sof 3:14-18a o Rom 12:9-16; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Lc 1:39-56
 Jueves: Hch 22:30; 23:6-11; Sal 16 (15):1-2a, 5, 7-11; Jn 17:20-26
 Viernes: Hch 25:13b-21; Sal 103 (102):1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; Jn 21:15-19
 Sábado: Hch 28:16-20, 30-31; Sal 11 (10):4, 5, 7; Jn 21:20-25
 Domingo: Vigilia: Gn 11:1-9 o Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b o Ez 37:1-14 o Jl 3:1-5; Sal 104 (103):1-2a, 24, 35c, 27-28, 29bc-30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39 Día: Hch 2:1-11; Sal 104 (103):1, 24, 29-31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn 20:19-23

Recepción de Despedida a los Padres Dominic DeMaio y Michael Chaberek

El sábado, 17 de Junio, tendremos una recepción para dar una cordial despedida al Padre Dominic y al Padre Michael Chaberek después de la misa de las 5:00 de la tarde en el Salón Parroquial. Estamos solicitando voluntarios para asistir en la organización de la recepción. Por favor contactar a Mario Garcia en la oficina, 323-254-2519. Gracias.

Anuncio Parroquial

He invitado al Padre Rev. Cyrus Gallagher a venir a nuestra parroquia el fin de semana del 27 - 28 de mayo de 2017.

El Padre Gallagher platicará con usted acerca de la labor realizada por Unbound (anteriormente conocida como CFCA), y como esto proporciona una manera confiable para participar activamente en el compromiso social de la Iglesia Católica y responder al llamado del Evangelio de servir a los pobres.

Fundada por laicos Católicos, Unbound es una organización que ha servido a más de 600,000 niños, jóvenes y ancianos, en 20 países en vías de desarrollo desde 1981, otorgándoles el poder para hacer mejores elecciones en su vida, vivir con dignidad y alcanzar su potencial.

El programa único de apadrinamiento de Unbound es altamente personalizado. Acerca a un niño, joven o anciano de un proyecto en el extranjero con un padrino en los EE.UU. que se preocupa por ellos y les da ánimo. Por casi un dólar al día, un padrino ayuda a proporcionar la muy necesaria alimentación nutritiva, atención médica y dental, la oportunidad para un niño de ir a la escuela, programas sustentables para las familias y mucho más. Todos estos esfuerzos están dirigidos a afirmar la dignidad de cada persona en su comunidad local.

Por favor demos la bienvenida al Padre Gallagher a nuestra parroquia.

Father Michael

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land and Jordan

Join parishioners from St. Dominic Church and other neighboring parishes on a 12-day pilgrimage to Jordan and the Holy Land from **October 28 to November 8, 2017**. See and walk the sites where Jesus Christ was born, performed His many miracles and did His ministry. Make unforgettable memories as you visit the Rose City (Petra) and the original site in Jordan where Jesus was baptized. See Jerusalem, Cana of Galilee, the Dead Sea, the Wailing Wall, and the Holy Sepulchre.

The price of the tour is a very affordable \$3,499 per person and includes roundtrip airfare from LA, first class hotel accommodations, daily breakfasts and dinners, all entrance fees per itinerary, and daily Mass celebrated by the tour chaplain, Fr. Dominic de Maio. Don't miss this experience of a lifetime. Seats fill up fast so reserve yours early. Call Tessie Gonzales at (323) 255-2925 or (323) 702-7289. For more details, email her at teresitagonzal6453@att.net.

VIRTUS SCHEDULE

Virtus Re-certification Classes

June 12	6:00 to 7:30 pm	Adult Ed Building
July 24	6:00 to 7:30 pm	Adult Ed Building

Virtus Classes

June 24	9:00 am to 12 noon	Adult Ed Building
July 15	9:00 am to 12 noon	Adult Ed Building
August 5	9:00 am to 12 noon	Adult Ed Building
August 19	9:00 am to 12 noon	Adult Ed Building

Dominican Film Club: Quiz Show

All movie lovers are invited to join the **Dominican Film Club** for our second monthly film screening, next Saturday, June 3rd at 6:30 p.m. in the Adult Education Building. This time, we'll watch and discuss Robert Redford's 1994 movie *Quiz Show*, which tells the intriguing true story of a 1950s lawyer investigating fixed TV game shows. For more information, check the parish website or send an email to dfc@saintdominics.org.

Going away party for Fr. Dominic DeMaio and Fr. Michael Chaberek

We will be having a farewell reception for our departing Priests on Saturday, Jun 17th after the 5:00 P.M. Mass in the Parish Hall. We are looking for volunteers to help organize the reception.

Please contact Mario Garcia at the office at 323-254-2519. Thank you.

Parish Nurse

Visit Nurse Linell from 8:00 am to 12:00 pm every Thursday in the St. Mark Room.

She will take your blood pressure, check your blood sugar and answer any questions you may have.

Circle V

Would you like to create a wondering wanderer? Sponsor a child at Circle V Summer Camp. St. Vincent de Paul has operated this glorious summer camp in the Santa Barbara area since 1945. NASA scientist Tom Nolan credits Circle V with giving direction to his awe of nature and inquiring mind. Nolan was a poor kid in the 1960's when he was sponsored for Summer Camp. He has been a self-described wondering wanderer ever since. You can learn more about Circle V and hear Tom Nolan's story on the NPR podcast at this link.

<http://www.circlevranchcamp.org/>

To sponsor a child write your check to **Circle V Summer Camp /St. Dominic Conference of St. Vincent de Paul**. Enrollment fills up quickly, so we are registering our campers early! You too can create a future NASA scientist with your generosity.