

June 18, 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. 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  
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 Website: <http://www.stdominicla.us>  
 Principal: Mrs. Emily Diaz  
 Secretary: Angela Nuño  
 Pre-School  
 Extended Day Care

**Mass Intentions**

Sun.	7:30 am	Jeremy and Jerome San Agustin, thanksgiving
	9:00 am	Pro Populo
	10:30 am	<b>Father's Day Mass</b>
	12:00 pm	Ramiro and Mimie Legaspi, Special intention
	1:30 pm	Alberto Huerta and Carlos <b>Huerta Posadas, †</b>
	5:00 pm	Poor Souls in Purgatory
Mon.	8:00 am	Eva Ortiz, healing
	6:00 pm	Judith Elis, healing
Tues.	8:00 am	<b>Nelson Alvarez, †</b>
	6:00 pm	Aurea and Arsenio Conducto, 33rd. Wedding Anniversary
Wed.	8:00 am	<b>Lorigo and Pelina Varilla, †</b>
	6:00 pm	Ken Michael Ligad, thanksgiving
Thurs.	8:00 am	<b>Pacifico D. Cabantog, †</b>
	6:00 pm	Orlando Santos, healing
Fri.	8:00 am	Jackson and Ethan Manglicmot
	6:00 pm	Deceased Dominican Friars, parents, friends and benefactors
		Juan Farinas and Maria <b>Ursua Garcia, †</b>
		<b>Purissima Ibarra, †</b>
		<b>Jose Heriberto Garcia, †</b>
		Jovita Sanchez
Sat.	8:00 am	<b>Dead Legionaries, †</b>
	5:00 pm	James Cabote, birthday

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.

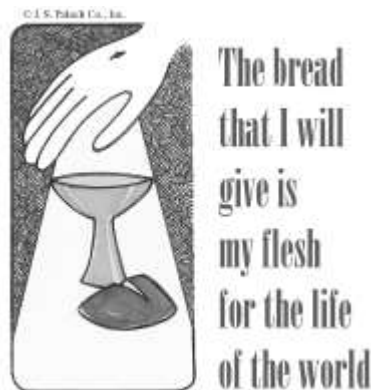
The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults RCIA is a journey for Adults seeking full Communion with the Catholic Church, First Communion and Confirmation and for Adults seeking Baptism. Adults may start the program at any time.

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

READINGS FOR THE WEEK	
Monday:	2 Cor 6:1-10; Ps 98:1, 2b, 3-4; Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday:	2 Cor 8:1-9; Ps 146:2, 5-9a; Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday:	2 Cor 9:6-11; Ps 112:1bc-4, 9; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday:	2 Cor 11:1-11; Ps 111:1b-4, 7-8; Mt 6:7-15
Friday:	Dt 7:6-11; Ps 103:1-4, 6-8, 10; 1 Jn 4:7-16; Mt 11:25-30
Saturday:	<b>Vigil: Jer 1:4-10; Ps 71:1-6, 15, 17; 1 Pt 1:8-12; Lk 1:5-17</b>
	<b>Day: Is 49:1-6; Ps 139:1-3, 13-15; Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80</b>
Sunday:	Jer 20:10-13; Ps 69:8-10, 14, 17, 33-35; Rom 5:12-15; Mt 10:26-33

**Today's Activities**

Blood Pressure Today  
Legion of Mary



**This week at a glance...**

Monday, June 19, 2017

Bible Study 7:30 PM Adult Ed Building  
Living Waters 7:30 PM St. Catherine Room

Tuesday, June 20, 2017

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

Wednesday, June 21, 2017

Legion of Mary  
Young Adults 6:45 to 7:30 pm in Church  
7:45 pm in Adult Ed Building  
Guadalupanos 6:30 PM St. Mark Room

Thursday, June 22, 2017

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

Friday, June 23, 2017

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

Saturday, June 24, 2017

VIRTUS Training 9:00 AM Adult Ed Building

VIRTUS SCHEDULE

Virtus Re-certification Classes

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

ALL RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE ONLINE



Catholic Radio is now in Los Angeles:  
KHJ 930 am Immaculate Heart Radio

COMING EVENTS

July 9 St. Vincent de Paul Bundle Sunday  
From 8:00 am to 2:00 pm

August 11 Called and Gifted Workshop  
7:00-9:30 p.m.

August 12 Called and Gifted Workshop  
9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**Called & Gifted Workshop**

*Who Am I? Why Am I Here?* We will explore answers to these questions together in a Called & Gifted workshop **Friday evening, August 11 7-9:30 p.m. and Saturday, August 12, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.** The Called & Gifted workshop is a special program that teaches Catholics how to discover their unique spiritual gifts - gifts God gives us at baptism to bring his power and provision into our relationships, our workplace, and in the parish. The workshop is the first step in learning the Catholic understanding of these gifts, and the call from God that comes with them. The workshop will be taught by John and Nicole Sablan and Fr. Michael Fones, OP.

**Earn Money for St. Dominic's  
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St. Dominic has become an Amazon.com associate. This holiday season and throughout the year, remember to start all of your Amazon.com shopping by clicking on the Amazon icon [a] on **St. Dominic's home page** [www.saintdominics.org](http://www.saintdominics.org) or on our Facebook page. A percentage of your total purchase will be given to the parish.

Please let all of your friends and family who shop on Amazon know about the link so they can help too!

Thank you!

**Adult Education**

**Becoming Catholic**

What does that mean? Well there are three levels of meaning. For some who are not baptized in the Catholic faith or a recognized Christian faith and are seeking baptism and becoming a member of the Catholic Church.

For others who were baptized in the Christian Faith recognized by the Catholic Church what is required is a profession of faith followed by First Communion and Confirmation.

The last group are those baptized Catholic but have not made their First Communion and Confirmation and as adults wish to do so now. Anyone interested in becoming a full member of the Catholic Church, we have classes every Tuesday evening in the Adult Education Center from 7:30 pm to 8:30 pm. This process helps you understand the sacraments and our church so you can make an educated and spiritual decision to join the Catholic Church.

For more information please feel free to call Sr. Joyanne at 323-254-2519 or [stdominicadulted@yahoo.com](mailto:stdominicadulted@yahoo.com)



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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!

Like **Saint Dominic's Church** on Facebook at:  
St. Dominic's, Eagle Rock



Looking for some good reading ?

Try our own Fr. Paul's Book

**"FINDING THE ELUSIVE GOD"**



Available in the parish office for only \$5.00

Learn how to discover the God Who hides and seeks.

**Pastor's corner**

When we celebrated the great Solemnity of Pentecost, we remembered the outpouring of the Holy Spirit – the third Person of the Trinity – upon the disciples. This event transformed the frightened followers of Jesus into fearless **proclaimers of the Good News of God's undying love** for us. But more than that, it made possible the fulfillment of a promise Jesus made to his disciples in one of my favorite passages in all of Scripture. In the Gospel of John, during the Last Supper, Jesus **promises his disciples, "Amen, amen, I say to you, whoever believes in me will do the works that I do, and will do greater ones than these, because I am going to the Father." (John 14:12) This is a remarkable statement!** Jesus is solemnly declaring that his followers will continue his ministry *in the same way in which he ministered!*

It is only after his Ascension that the Son and the Father send the Holy Spirit: their mutual, eternal self-giving love. It is that same Spirit that descended upon the humanity of Jesus of Nazareth at his baptism in the Jordan, that same Spirit given to us at our baptism. And it is the Holy Spirit working through the humanity of Jesus by which He turns cures the sick, expels demons, raises Lazarus, teaches with authority, speaks prophetically, forms the disciples and sends them as apostles, forgives sins, voluntarily lives in utter simplicity, and completely trusts the Father.

All the signs that accompanied the preaching of Jesus and made people seek him out are meant to be continued in the Church today through the gifts of the Holy Spirit we receive at baptism. St. Paul called these gifts *charisms*. **The Catechism states, "whether extraordinary or simple and humble, charisms are graces of the Holy Spirit which directly or indirectly benefit the Church, ordered as they are to her building up, to the good of men, and to the needs of the world." All the baptized receive several of these charisms, which are given for the good of others.** It is possible to discern the charisms we have received, and thus come to greater clarity as to the purpose God has for our life, since the charisms indicate **God's plan for us and are the means to accomplish that plan.**

Please mark Friday evening, August 11, and Saturday, August 12 on your calendar. We will be offering a *Called & Gifted* workshop to help you begin to discern the charisms God has given you. **I'll write more about them next week...**


**St. Vincent de Paul  
Bundle Sunday**

On July 9, 2017, our parish is having a Bundle Sunday for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul thrift stores.

Please bring you *usable* clothing and *usable* household items on this day. Their truck will be here in the church parking lot from 8:00 am to 2:00 pm. Please help them in their endless efforts to assist the needy.

They are in great need of furniture and large appliances. Please phone 323-224-6280 for free pick up of large items.


**Aflame with the Spirit  
Labor Day Weekend  
September 1 - 3, 2017  
Anaheim Convention Center  
& Arena**

The 46th Annual SCRC Catholic Renewal Convention will take place over Labor Day **Weekend. This year's theme is: "Aflame with the Spirit".**

Over 50 Catholic Speakers & 70 Presentations!  
Spiritually enriching for all ages!

3-Day Christ Triumphant Track featuring  
Official Exorcists  
MEGA Healing Service  
Conference in Spanish (Saturday only)  
Young Adult Conference \* Teen Conference  
**Children's Program...and so much more!**  
Dynamic Daily Liturgies with a special Saturday  
Night Mass & Healing Service!  
Visit the Catholic Marketplace in Exhibit Hall A  
including a unique assortment of Catholic  
Books and Gifts!

For brochure/info, contact: 818-771-1361

## CONFIANZA EN JESÚS

La fiesta de hoy celebra otro misterio central de nuestra fe: el misterio de la Eucaristía. Como el misterio de la Trinidad, la presencia real del Cuerpo y de la Sangre de Cristo en la Eucaristía nunca se puede entender completamente, sino que sólo se puede creer. Así como a los israelitas en el desierto se les invitó a poner su fe en la palabra de Dios dirigida a ellos, a nosotros se nos invita a confiar plenamente en las palabras de Jesús. En el Evangelio de hoy Jesús promete darnos una porción de su propia carne y sangre, y además compartir la vida eterna. Somos llamados a creer en su palabra y a abrir nuestro corazón para recibir verdadero alimento y vida por nuestra participación en la Eucaristía.

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## LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — El hombre no vive solamente de pan, sino de toda palabra que sale de la boca de Dios (Deuteronomio 8:2-3, 14b-16a).

Salmo — **Glorifica al Señor, Jerusalén** (Salmo 147 [146]).

Segunda lectura — **El pan es uno, y así nosotros**, aunque somos muchos, formamos un solo cuerpo (1 Corintios 10:16-17).

Evangelio — El que come mi carne y bebe mi sangre, tiene vida eterna (Juan 6:51-58).

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## LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

- Lunes: 2 Cor 6:1-10; Sal 98 (97):1, 2b, 3-4; Mt 5:38-42
- Martes: 2 Cor 8:1-9; Sal 146 (145):2, 5-9a; Mt 5:43-48
- Miércoles: 2 Cor 9:6-11; Sal 112 (111):1bc-4, 9; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
- Jueves: 2 Cor 11:1-11; Sal 111 (110):1b-4, 7-8; Mt 6:7-15
- Viernes: Dt 7:6-11; Sal 103 (102):1-4, 6-8, 10; 1 Jn 4:7-16; Mt 11:25-30
- Sábado: **Vigilia: Jer 1:4-10; Sal 71 (70):1-6, 15, 17; 1 Pe 1:8-12; Lc 1:5-17**  
**Día: Is 49:1-6; Sal 139 (138):1-3, 13-15; Hch 13:22-26; Lc 1:57-66, 80**
- Domingo: Jer 20:10-13; Sal 69 (68):8-10, 14, 17, 33-35; Rom 5:12-15; Mt 10:26-33

**EN EL DIA DEL PADRE...QUE ES SER PADRE?**

- Padre es aquel, que nos dió el ser.
- Padre es aquel, que jugaba con nosotros cuando éramos niños.
- Padre es aquel, que nos enseña a respetar a nuestra madre.
- Padre es aquel, que nos dice, que detrás de todo gran hombre, hay una gran mujer: nuestra madre.
- Padre es aquel, que ama y se desvela por sus hijos.
- Padre es aquel, que trabaja sin cesar para sostener a su familia.
- Padre es aquel, que en ausencia de la madre, nos cuida y protege.
- Padre es aquel, que gana el pan con el sudor de su frente.
- Padre es aquel, que nos besa y nos dice: hijo, te quiero.
- Padre es aquel, que nos perdona cuando obramos mal.
- Padre es aquel, que se desvela cuando nos tardamos en llegar a casa.
- Padre es aquel, que nos educa y quiere que seamos mejores que él.
- Padre es aquel, que se preocupa por darnos un futuro mejor.
- Padre es aquel, que nos aconseja y nos lleva de la mano por la vida.
- Padre es aquel, que se entristece por nuestros errores y se alegra por nuestros triunfos.
- Padre es aquel, que se interesa por nuestra educación y bienestar.
- Padre es aquel, que protege nuestra fé y nos da ejemplo con su vida.
- Padre es aquel, que nos dice, que hay un Dios que nos ama.
- Padre es aquel, que a pesar de nuestras limitaciones, quiere que seamos felices.
- Padre es aquel, que nos da enseñanzas para vivir mejor.
- Padre es aquel, que nos enseña que tenemos un padre mejor que él: Dios.
- Padre es aquel, cuya vida es un fiel reflejo del amor de Dios.
- Padre es aquel, que es capaz de sacrificar su vida por sus hijos. **AMEN!**
- Por: Rudy Vadillo

DID YOU KNOW?

Hit the park safely this summer  
 A great way to beat summer boredom is to head out to the park and play. For many parents, parks provide the space and place for children to play with others and burn off some energy by running around and exploring. However, even in your own neighborhood parks, parents should be vigilant, and should prepare children with basic safety guidelines. Go over the posted rules of the playground with your children, and make sure they understand the boundaries of where they can and cannot play. To request a copy of the **VIRTUS® article "Playground Safety Considerations,"** email [jvienna@la-archdiocese.org](mailto:jvienna@la-archdiocese.org) or call [\(213\) 637-7227](tel:(213)637-7227).

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Your love as husband and wife is a gift to one another as well as a gift from God. Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend to receive the tools needed to make the most of this precious gift. Deepen your communication, strengthen your relationship, rekindle your romance and renew your sacrament by attending the next WWME weekend July 28-30 in Simi Valley. Go online to [www.twocanlove.org](http://www.twocanlove.org) for more information. We help make good marriages better.

**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](mailto:teresitagonzal6453@att.net).

Pro Life Prayer



Come, join us in praying the Holy Rosary every Saturday at 9:00 am on the corner of Townsend and Colorado Blvd.

We hope and pray to end the abuse and killing of babies in the womb.

Let GOD plan Parenthood!

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](mailto:ya@saintdominics.org).