

May 14, 2023

St. Dominic Catholic Church & School

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HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY



Mass Times

Sunday

7:30 AM
9:00 AM
11:00 AM
1:00 PM (En Español)
5:00 PM

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

Saturdays 3:30 - 4:30 PM
Domingo 1:00 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:

Monday 3:00 PM - 7:30 PM
Tuesday-Friday 8:30 AM - 7:30 PM
Saturday 8:30 AM - 6:30 PM
Sunday 8:30 AM - 6:30 PM

Marriage (Matrimonio):

Please contact Fr. Peter, Fr. Francis or Fr. Isaiah for information about the process for Catholic marriage preparation. The Archdiocese of Los Angeles requires six months of marriage preparation to be completed before the wedding.

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

The Order of Christian Initiation for Adults
OCIA 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. For more information call Sr. Joyanne Sullivan, SND, at 323-254-2519.

The Children's OCIC is a two year program. For more information call Michelle Pérez or Christina García, at 323-254-2519

Dominican Community:

Rev. Peter Rogers, OP, Pastor
 Rev. Isaiah Mary Molano, OP, Prior
 Rev. Francis Goode, OP, Sub-Prior, Parochial Vicar
 Rev. Donald Bramble, OP, Retired
 Rev. Michael Carey, OP, Retired
 Rev. Jude Eli, OP, In residence
 Br. Xavier Marie Wu

Parish Staff:

Directors of Religious Ed: Christina García & Michelle Pérez
 OCIA & Adult Education: Sr. Joyanne Sullivan, SND
 Confirmation/Youth Ministry: Randy de Vera
 Health Ministry: Mary Lynne Knighten
 Music Ministry: Rudy Acosta - 323-258-9854
 Communications: Jay Cooney
 Secretary: Cecilia Treat
 Plant Manager: David Lear
 Lead Maintenance: Jose Vidaurri

Parish Pastoral Council:

Joanna Dellosa - Chairperson
 Josh Daus - Vice Chairperson
 Bob Hunt - Secretary
 Evangeline Booth
 Kathleen Christiansen
 Silvia Collins
 Brenda Del Hierro
 Joseph Descalzo
 Theresa de Vera
 Mimie Honda
 Rocelyn Tecson-Ochoa
 María Velásquez

St. Dominic's School:

2005 Merton Avenue. LA, CA 90041
 Phone: (323) 255-5803
 Website: <http://www.stdominicla.us>
 Principal: Ms. Tiffany Sawyer
 Secretary: Angela Nuño
 Pre-School / Extended Day Care

MASS INTENTIONS

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| Sunday | 7:30 AM | Devotees of St. Jude |
| | 9:00 AM | All Mothers |
| | 11:00 AM | Mother's Day |
| | 1:00 PM | Pro Populo |
| | 5:00 PM | Martha Sanchez Sanchez, † |
| Monday | 8:00 AM | Maxima Santos, † |
| | 6:00 PM | Paulina Ordoñez, † |
| Tuesday | 8:00 AM | Francisco Saldana, † |
| | 6:00 PM | Portia Maglaya - Birthday |
| Wed. | 8:00 AM | Vincent & Rosemarie Sy Sherman, † |
| | 6:00 PM | E. Claude Lancaster |
| Thur. | 8:00 AM | Otelia Cedillo, † |
| | 6:00 PM | Pat Garcia, † ((Former Teacher at St. Dominic) |
| Friday | 8:00 AM | Jose Escario, Jr., † |
| | 6:00 PM | Deceased Friars, parents, Friends & benefactors |
| | 6:00 PM | Agatona & Eulogio Serrano, † |
| | 6:00 PM | Nicanor Valdejueza, † |
| | 6:00 PM | Rosa Dizon, † |
| Saturday | 8:00 AM | Provincial/Good of Province/Vocations |
| | 5:00 PM | Sofia Taft - Thanksgiving |

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20 (1)/1 Pt 3:15-18/Jn 14:15-21
 Monday: Acts 16:11-15/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b Jn 15:26—16:4a
 Tuesday: Acts 16:22-34/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8/Jn 16:5-11
 Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22—18:1/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/Jn 16:12-15
 Thursday: Acts 18:1-8/Ps 98:1-3ab, 3cd-4/Jn 16:16-20
 Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 (6)
 Eph 1:17-23/Mt 28:16-20
 Friday: Acts 18:9-18/Ps 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 16:20-23
 Saturday: Acts 18:23-28/Ps 47:2-3, 8-9, 10/Jn 16:23b-28
 Next Sunday: Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 (6)
 Eph 1:17-23/Mt 28:16-20
 Seventh Sunday of Easter: Acts 1:12-14/Ps 27:1, 4, 7-8 (13)/1 Pt 4:13-16/Jn 17:1-11a



Congratulations to the children that received
First Holy Communion last Saturday, May 6.
We pray that they continue to come to the table of plenty!

Katara Ang
Oliver Boayes
Noah Buluran
Francisco Cuatete
Jrec Decena
Nicholas Fausto
Meloney Gabriel
Holden Hess
Alexandria Leyva
Paulina Martinez
Pearl Muniz
Keira Perez
Elian Ramirez
Stella Reiser

Roman Avila
Caden Bolanos
Jameson Bustamante
Maya Cuatete
Kayden Descalzo
Camila Flores
Brooke Henderson
Jasset Khachikian
Dylan Lopez
Emilio Miranda
Siena Pasin
Jax Querubin
Sophia Rapkin

A very special thank you to all that have supported &
encouraged the Communicants on their faith journey:

Our Pastor, Fr. Peter, Fr. Francis, Fr. Isaiah, Fr. Donald and
Br. Xavier, Rudy Acosta and Emily Garma for their music
ministry, our amazing Catechists for volunteering their
time, The Blessed Sacrament Confraternity for their gifts,
and especially the families of our children that inspire and
nurture God's love in their hearts!



PASTOR'S CORNER

In the archdioceses and dioceses within the Ecclesiastical Provinces of Boston, Hartford, New York, Newark, Omaha, and Philadelphia, the Ascension of the Lord always falls on the preceding Thursday of the Sixth Week of Easter, May 18 this year. In most archdioceses and dioceses within the United States, including Los Angeles, the Ascension of the Lord is moved to the Seventh Sunday of Easter, May 21, 2023.

The ascent of Jesus into heaven on the 40th day after His resurrection on Easter Sunday is celebrated as the Feast of the Ascension. This feast ranks with Christmas, Easter, and Pentecost in the most important celebrations of the Church and is universally observed by Christians everywhere. The feast has been celebrated 40 days after Easter since the 4th century.

The meaning of the Ascension for us Catholics is derived from our belief in the glorification and exaltation of Jesus following His death and resurrection, as well as from the theme of his return to God the Father. Thus, the Gospel of John uses both the sayings of Jesus and His post-resurrection appearances to indicate a new relationship between Jesus and His Father, and between Jesus and His followers, rather than a simple physical relocation from earth to heaven.

Next Sunday will be the celebration of the Feast of the Ascension of Jesus. We will also celebrate the ministry that Br. Xavier Marie Wu added to our school and parish since arriving here mid-September 2022. Plan on joining us in the Parish Hall after Mass to say farewell to Br. Xavier.

**The Saint Monica Mass****May 20, 2023 - 8:00 am Mass**

You are invited to our monthly Mass in honor of Saint Monica. As she prayed for her husband and her son, Saint Augustine, to turn to Christ, so we have an opportunity to pray for our loved ones who have fallen away from our Catholic Faith.

This is a recurring event, on the 3rd Saturday of the month.
For more information, please see Fr. Isaiah Mary
isaiahmary.op@gmail.com.

LA ESQUINA DEL PASTOR

En las arquidiócesis y diócesis dentro de las Provincias Eclesiásticas de Boston, Hartford, Nueva York, Newark, Omaha y Filadelfia, la Ascensión del Señor siempre cae el jueves anterior de la Sexta Semana de Pascua, el 18 de mayo de este año. En la mayoría de las arquidiócesis y diócesis dentro de los Estados Unidos, incluida Los Ángeles, la Ascensión del Señor se traslada al séptimo domingo de Pascua, 21 de mayo de 2023..

El ascenso de Jesús al cielo en el día 40 después de su resurrección el domingo de Pascua se celebra como la Fiesta de la Ascensión. Esta fiesta se ubica con Navidad, Pascua y Pentecostés en las celebraciones más importantes de la Iglesia y es universalmente observada por los cristianos en todas partes. La fiesta se ha celebrado 40 días después de Pascua desde el siglo 4.



El significado de la Ascensión para nosotros los católicos se deriva de nuestra creencia en la glorificación y exaltación de Jesús después de su muerte y resurrección, así como del tema de su regreso a Dios Padre. Así que, el Evangelio de Juan usa tanto los dichos de Jesús, como Sus apariciones posteriores a la resurrección para indicar una nueva relación entre Jesús y Su Padre, y entre Jesús y Sus seguidores, en lugar de una simple reubicación física de la tierra al cielo.

El próximo domingo será la celebración de la fiesta de la Ascensión de Jesús. También celebraremos el ministerio que Fr. Xavier Marie Wu agregó a nuestra escuela y parroquia desde que llegó aquí a mediados de septiembre de 2022. Planee unirse a nosotros en el Salón Parroquial después de la Misa para despedirse del Hno. Xavier.

**Monasterio de los Ángeles
Adoración del Santísimo Sacramento
1977 Carmen Avenue, Hollywood**

Invita a todos los feligreses de la Iglesia y Escuela de Santo Domingo a asistir a su horario de Adoración, que es:
7 días a la semana - 6:00 am a 7:00am

1:00 pm a 5:00 pm

Las horas pueden cambiar o reducirse el primer viernes, el primer domingo y el último sábado del mes. Para más información llame al 213-700-1999.

EN EL DIA DE LAS MADRES

Hoy te dedico estos versos con amor
 Para que sepan lo que vales como madre
 Y aprecien con mucho orgullo y honor,
 Lo que significas en nuestras vidas.



No fuiste al colegio y a la universidad,
 Pero eres un ejemplo en la vida,
 De mucha comprensión y bondad;
 Eres humilde, generosa y comprensiva.

Eres para todos buena amiga
 Y en tu corazón no cabe rencor,
 Nunca tuviste a nadie por enemigo
 Porque solo sabes dar amor.



Tu alma es un reflejo de Dios
 Porque en ella sólo hay amor y ternura
 Y comprendes a todos por igual,
 Aunque la vida sea cruel y dura.

Siempre pides a Dios por tus hijas
 Para que tengan éxito en la vida,
 y que en el futuro sean muy felices.

Tus hijas te quieren por ser cariñosa,
 Los nietos te adoran también,
 Tus amistades todas te aprecian,
 Y yo bendigo a Dios porque eres mi esposa.

Pido a Dios que no nos falte tu presencia;
 Te necesitan tus nietos, tus hijas y yo.
 La vida sería dura con tu ausencia,
 Porque nos harías falta tú.



Que Dios te dé muchos años más,
 Porque necesitamos cariño, amor
 Y la comprensión que tu sabes dar
 A todos los familiares como a los demás.

Gracias a Dios por este hermoso día,
 Sobre todo por darme la suerte
 De compartir contigo la vida y la alegría
 Y porque el lazo que nos une es firme y fuerte.

-Rudy Vadillo

**Journey to Catholic Shrines
 East Coast, USA and Eastern Canada**

Experience this journey to the Catholic Shrines in upstate New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Maryland, as well as Montreal and Quebec in Canada. This 10-day pilgrimage that will start from Los Angeles will be on **September 25 to October 4, 2023**. Among the shrines that will be visited are: the world's biggest shrine dedicated to Jesus' grandmother called The Shrine of St. Anne de Beupre (Quebec), Our Lady of Victory Basilica (New York), The National Shrine of Divine Mercy (Massachusetts), and The National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception (Washington, D.C).

Visit the magnificent sites of Niagara Falls (Canadian side), Thousand Island (Toronto), and White Mountain (Boston).

The cost of the tour is **\$2,650** per person based on double occupancy. The price includes round-trip airfare from LA, accommodations in 3-4star hotels, daily breakfast and dinner, land transportation by deluxe motor coach, professional tour manager, and Holy Mass as indicated in the itinerary. Gratuity for tour director and bus driver included but not fees for boat rides tours of the shrines, and tips for room maids and hotel servers. **Valid passport is required.**

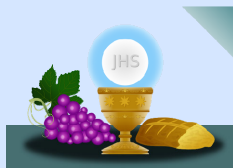
Get a copy of the itinerary from the Parish Office and make your reservation as soon as possible To guarantee your airline ticket, send the completed registration form with a check for \$600 non-refundable deposit payable to Tessie Gonzales (968 N. Adelante Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90042.

For more information call Tessie at (323) 702-7289 or email her at teresitagonzal6453@att.net



*Saint Dominic School
Congratulation to all these
children on making their
First Holy Communion*

*Mikylee Bautista
Emma De Anda
Elena Galsim
Jesse Goyhenetche
Aaliyah Henriquez Jara
Branson Juloya
Lailani Rose Lobos
Alyna Magana
Daniel Namuco
Noah Newsom
Penelope Reyes
Camila Salmeron
Rainielle Soliman*



**NEW guidelines for
Mass Intentions**

Beginning this month of May, we will now be accepting more than one mass intention for each mass said here in our church, **except** for the Vigil Mass on Saturday and all Sunday Masses.

LGBTQ+ Outreach

It is a group that reaches out to persons of all sexual orientations to provide a confidential and safe environment for discussion, education and socialization. All LGBTQ+ persons, as well as their families are welcome.

For further information, please contact Elizabeth S. Taylor, Ph.D., Facilitator, at 626-792-1103.

Thank you, and
Farewell Br. Xavier Marie!



Br. Xavier Marie Wu, the Dominican Brother who has been in residence here for about six months, will be leaving us soon.

Please join us to say farewell to Br. Xavier Marie after Masses on the weekend of May 20-21, his last weekend of his ministry at St. Dominic.

We will get together Saturday, May 20 in the Lower Hall of the Community Center, after the 5:00 pm Mass. Sunday, May 21 after the 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 am & 1:00 pm Masses only, in the Parish Hall.