

January 28, 2024

St. Dominic Catholic Church & School

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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

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
 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
 Joseph Descalzo
 Theresa de Vera
 Mimie Honda
 Ana Macomber
 Ofelia Núñez
 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 Oluwanifise
 Secretary: Angela Nuño
 Pre-School / Extended Day Care

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday	7:30 AM	Beldad and Henderson families, thanksgiving
	9:00 AM	Emily Garma, birthday
	11:00 AM	Katheryn V. Coronel, birthday
	1:00 PM	Transito Rodriguez, †
	5:00 PM	Pro Populo
Monday	8:00 AM	Emmanuel Yuzon, †
	8:00 AM	Nicanor and Juanita Alvarez, †
	8:00 AM	Ellen Clavio, birthday
	6:00 PM	Zoila Guzman, †
	6:00 PM	Eulalia Bagnas, †
	6:00 PM	Hermenegilda T. Batungbacal, †
Tuesday	8:00 AM	Aquilina & Jacinta Felix, thanksgiving
	8:00 AM	Rufino & Purificacion Gutierrez, †
	8:00 AM	Editha Flores, thanksgiving
	6:00 PM	Corinia Talaro
	6:00 PM	Ryan Jan Ramirez, thanksgiving
	6:00 PM	Hermenegilda T. Batungbacal, †
Wed.	8:00 AM	Mary Brothers, †
	8:00 AM	Pedro & Maria Villarosa, †
	8:00 AM	Regalado Velasco Family, †
	6:00 PM	Edgar Andrade Paragas, †
	6:00 PM	Rogelio C. Tecson, †
	6:00 PM	Hermenegilda T. Batungbacal, †
Thur.	8:00 AM	Lorna Valdez, thanksgiving
	8:00 AM	Metecia Ilao
	6:00 PM	Juanita Abat, †
	6:00 PM	Neyza Linsagan
	6:00 PM	Ralph Lopez, †
Friday	8:00 AM	Francisco "Jun" Paule, †
	8:00 AM	Pura Alcantara, †
	8:00 AM	Thomas J. Ford, †
	6:00 PM	Dec. friars, priests, friends and benefactors
	6:00 PM	Jose C. Ochoa, Sr., †
Saturday	6:00 PM	Richard & Josephine Robillard
	8:00 AM	Rosemarie Sy Sherman, †
	8:00 AM	Jake Gonzales, birthday
	8:00 AM	Kellie Mae Alcantara
	5:00 PM	Barbara Guido, †

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday:	Dt 18:15-20/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 7-9 (8)/1 Cor 7:32-35/Mk 1:21-28
Monday:	2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday:	2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30—19:3/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mk 5:21-43
Wednesday:	2 Sm 24:2, 9-17/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7/Mk 6:1-6
Thursday:	1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12/1 Chr 29:10, 11ab, 11d-12a, 12bcd/Mk 6:7-13
Friday:	Mal 3:1-4/Heb 2:14-18/Ps 24:7, 8, 9,10/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32
Saturday:	1 Kgs 3:4-13/Ps 119:9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14/Mk 6:30-34



Our annual St Dominic Men's Retreat is on March 10-12, and like always occurs at the beautiful Mater Dolorosa Retreat Center in Sierra Madre.

This year's theme is "Comfort in the Passion of Christ". Brochures are available in the parish office. You can download the Mater Dolorosa app to your phone.

Please call or Dave Lear 323-377-6795 or John Van Dyke 213-305-3358, or visit materdolorosa.org to answer any questions or book a reservation.



Parish Raffle NEW INFORMATION

The Pilgrimage to Italy & Croatia HAS BEEN CANCELLED, because they did not get enough people to join the trip.

First Prize for the raffle will now be "\$5,000.00".

Tickets are still available at the parish office!

The drawing will be held on February 11, after the 9:00 am Mass, at the Filipino Breakfast, in the Parish Hall

PARISH DIRECTORY

The Parish Directory is finally here. If you had your picture taken last year for the parish directory, please come to the parish office to get your copy. Only one copy per person who had their individual or family picture taken.

LGBTQIA+ Outreach

St. Dominic LGBTQIA+OUTREACH is a welcoming evening where LGBTQIA+ persons share their experience, strength and hope with one another, while also discussing the important issues facing their community today. We meet every Friday at 7:30 pm. All are welcome including families and supporters of this special gathering. For more information please call **Albert Lanskie at 562-895-5213 or Elizabeth S. Taylor, Ph.D. at 626-792-1103.**

Pastor's Corner by Fr. Isaiah Mary, OP

Over 99.3% of the Church are the lay faithful. Yet strangely, most of the stories of the many heroes in our Church are priests, sisters, or other religious. This makes sense—it is of these ranks that were usually the founders of religious movements, political and economic movements, and other institutions that make up the infrastructure of the Church—many of which still exist today.

Yet thanks to the Second Vatican Council, we have affirmed the dignity, and indeed, the power, of the lay faithful. As Saint John Paul II had noted, it is the lay faithful who are on the front lines between the Church and the secular world. The lay faithful—**you**—*are the very interaction between the Church and the secular world*. Your interaction with your families, at Seafood City, at the Americana, in the voting booth, at universities, hospitals, and parks—your words, actions, and example as good, practicing Catholic Christians bring the *Joy of Jesus* to our wounded (yet redeemable) world.

So how can you accomplish your mission? How can you be *that much more* of a bolt of lightning of God's healing presence?

The **Called & Gifted Workshop** allows you to discern well the Holy Spirit gave you at your baptism. All of us have been given charisms, or gifts, which allow the Holy Spirit to work with and through us. These charisms form and inform our mission in our world. These gifts from the Holy Spirit to use you to bring more joy into the world.

Together with our time and circumstances, family environment, employment, our charisms dictate how to be a lightning rod of God's love and mercy—not only to our families—but for the world around us.

We are all called to be evangelists. The **Called & Gifted Workshop** helps us to become the evangelists that Jesus wants us to be.



The **Called & Gifted Workshop** will occur on **Saturday, February 17**, beginning at **9:00 - 3:30 pm** here at Saint Dominic. If you register today till February 10, the cost is only \$30 and \$40 thereafter. This includes lunch. There are only 75 available seats, so please register at the front desk today

DOMINICAN PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Lord Jesus, moved by the urgent need of priests, religious and apostles, and following Thy recommendation to pray to the Lord of the harvest to send laborers to work for the salvation of souls, we implore Thee, through the intercession of Thy Most Holy Mother Mary, Virgin Immaculate and Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, and also through the intercession of Dominic the Holy Patriarch, to increase the number of Friars Preachers.

Pour forth into families, colleges and seminaries the precious grace of the apostolic vocation, and enkindle in young hearts the sacred fire of the love of God and of souls. Mayest Thou, Thyself, deign to prepare those whom Thou dost call, and incline them to desire and ask for that grace. Preserve them from sin and the many dangers of their age. Enlighten their minds, purify their hearts, strengthen their wills, aid them to cultivate constantly and diligently the divine seed planted in their souls, and guide them on the upward path of toil and purity that leads to the summit of truth. And as thou, O Mary, Mother of Mercy, didst long ago present thy servant Dominic to Jesus so now offer thy sons to Him each day, and make them worthy of their sublime mission.

Obtain for Thy Order faithful followers of its religious traditions, numerous apostles after the heart of their Blessed Father Dominic, holy and zealous for the salvation of souls. Amen.

Feb 3-4, we will have the privilege to host our Dominican Novices, our first year students, who are visiting all our Dominican Ministries in the West Coast. They will share their vocation stories with our community.



**“The Bethlehem Christian Families (The Holy Land)
February 10 & 11, 2024,**

The Bethlehem Christian Families are here to sell their hand carved religious articles made of olive wood. The sale of these precious articles supports their Church Mission which is to maintain the roots and the existence of the Christian Families who are struggling to remain in Bethlehem.

**At least Ninety percent of the funds raised through these sales go directly to Christians living in the Bethlehem area. The proceeds will create more work which will help them to survive and stay in the Holy Land since they have no other source of income and are dependent on the olive wood industry. Thank you for your support and generosity.”
God Bless You and your Parishioners for helping us in this mission.**



OPEN HOUSE

JANUARY 28, 2024

ST. DOMINIC SCHOOL
2005 MERTON AVE.
LOS ANGELES, CA 90041

PRE-SCHOOL-8TH GRADE

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CELEBRATING
100 YEARS IN EDUCATION



St. Dominic School
CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK SCHEDULE 2024



SUN 28TH **OPEN HOUSE**

MON 29TH **PAJAMAS PAJAMADAY**

TUES 30TH **FIELD DAY**

WED 31ST **CULTURAL DAY**


THURS 1ST **ALUMNI CAREER DAY 100TH YEAR CELEBRATION 10 AM - 12PM**


FRI 2ND **FAMILY DAY IN-N-OUT 11AM-1:30PM**



ST. DOMINIC ALUMNI CAREER DAY 2024



CALLING ALL ALUMNI TO PRESENT AT OUR ANNUAL CAREER DAY!

 **Thursday**
February 1, 2024

 **Starts At :**
09:00 am

CELEBRATING 100 YEARS

Please email Tiffany Oluwanifise at tsawyer@stdominicla.us to inquire and/or sign up.



50/50 RAFFLE
\$2 ENTRY

RAFFLE



St. Dominic School *Pancake fundraiser*

\$8 for Adults & \$5 For Kids

Add ons extra

February 4th
after the 7:30 am , 9:00
am and 11:00 am Mass

ALL PROCEEDS
GO TO TUITION
SCHOLARSHIPS FOR OUR
STUDENTS



Choir News

We are inviting new members to our choir this month. Instrumentalists are also welcome.

See Rudy after Mass or call (323) 258-9854. Thank you.



Pancake Menu

\$8 St. Dominic Original (3 stack) (Adults)

\$5 St. Dominic Original (3 stack) (Children)

ADD ONS:

- \$3 THE WORKS (STRAWBERRIES AND BLUEBERRIES WITH WHIP CREAM)
- \$2 CHOCOLATE CHIPS
- \$2 SAUSAGE



Drink Menu

\$2 Coffee



\$2 Orange Juice



\$1 Water

