

December 22, 2024

St. Dominic Catholic Church & School

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4TH SUNDAY OF *Advent*

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 9:00 AM - 6:30 PM
Sunday 8:30 AM - 6:30 PM

Marriage (Matrimonio):

Please contact Fr. Peter, Fr. Francis, Fr. Isaiah Mary or Fr. Andrew Thomas 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:

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 Principal: Ms. Tiffany Oluwanifise
 Secretary: Angela Nuño
 Pre-School / Extended Day Care

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday	7:30 AM	Pro Populo
	9:00 AM	Charlene Garma, birthday
	11:00 AM	Ochoa family, Thanksgiving
	1:00 PM	Mangahis and Bautista families
	5:00 PM	Poor Souls in Purgatory
Monday	8:00 AM	Floro Manglicmot, Birthday
	8:00 AM	Anita J. Yuzon, †
	8:00 AM	May Gustave
	6:00 PM	Catherine and Joseph Carreon,
	6:00 PM	Felix C. Peña, †
	6:00 PM	Marietta and Proceso Palos, Sr., †
Tuesday	8:00 AM	Felix S. Prudente, Jr., †
	5:00 PM	Priest's Intention
	7:30 PM	Priest's Intention
	11:00 PM	Priest's Intention
Wed.	8:00 AM	Pro Populo
	10:00 AM	Priest's Intention
	12:00 PM	Priest's Intention
	5:00 PM	Priest's Intention
Thur.	9:00 AM	Eufemio Sr. and Eufemio Jr. Caparas, †
	9:00 AM	Raul and Cherry Gutierrez, Thanksgiving
	9:00 AM	Annalyn Domantay Diaz, birthday
Friday	8:00 AM	Willie Alcantara, †
	8:00 AM	Gloria F. Gasapos, †
	8:00 AM	Fuertes family, Thanksgiving
	6:00 PM	Lianne Grace Francisco
	6:00 PM	Lorna Andal, †
	6:00 PM	Maria Desiree Beldad, Healing
Saturday	8:00 AM	Lilia Conner, †
	8:00 AM	Albino and Teofista Argenal, †
	8:00 AM	Jovencia Bing Bustello, †
	5:00 PM	Allison and Catherine Capati, 29th Wedding Anniversary

Readings for the week of December 22, 2024

Sunday:	Mi 5:1-4a/Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19 (4)/ Heb 10:5-10/Lk 1:39-45
Monday:	Mal 3:1-4, 23-24/Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and 14/Lk 1:57-66
Tuesday:	Morning: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/ Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29/Lk 1:67-79
Wednesday:	Vigil: Is 62:1-5/Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29 (2a)/Acts 13:16-17, 22-25/Mt 1:1- 25 or 1:18-25 Night: Is 9:1-6/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 11-12, 13 (Lk 2:11)/Ti 2:11-14/Lk 2:1- 14 Dawn: Is 62:11-12/Ps 97:1, 6, 11-12/Ti 3:4-7/Lk 2:15-20 Day: Is 52:7-10/Heb 1:1-6/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6 (3c)/Jn 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14
Thursday:	Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 8ab, 16bc and 17/Mt 10:17-22
Friday:	1 Jn 1:1-4/Ps 97: 1-2, 5-6, 11-12/Jn 20:1a, 2-8
Saturday:	1 Jn 1:5—2:2/Ps 124:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8/Mt 2:13-18

ATTENTION MEN OF ST. DOMINIC PARISH
Prayer, Formation and Fraternity for Men

The men of Knights of Columbus Council 1920 are excited to share the implementation of Cor, a new formation and fraternal opportunity for the men of St. Dominic parish. Cor exists to form and strengthen Catholic men in faith and virtue as missionary disciples by drawing them into a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ through prayer, formation and fraternity.

Cor will be held at 9:00 am on Saturday, January 11, 2025, at the St. Mark's room at St. Dominic Church. Come join your brother parishioners for coffee and donuts, prayer and fraternity. We are also hoping to determine what times work best for everyone moving forward. Please use the QR code below to take a brief survey to let us know when you would be the most available and how you would like to grow as a Catholic man.

QR Code for brief survey:



If you have additional questions, please reach out to Gregory Nunn, St. Dominic parishioner, at (323) 620-5604 or via e-mail at [gnunn4658@gmail.com](mailto:gunn4658@gmail.com)

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Sobre el evangelio de San Juan en enero 2025

"Reúnase con nosotros y conozca más de nuestra fe católica"

Pastor's Corner

Christmas is almost here. We think of decorating our homes with traditional decorations, decorating our Christmas trees, making cookies, getting our shopping done, wrapping gifts, etc. These activities and many more keep our family traditions alive and pass them down from generation to generation.

We also have the responsibility to pass down the faith tradition of Christmas as we simultaneously pass down our family Christmas traditions. What is the true tradition of the meaning of Christmas for us Catholics? It is accepting Jesus as a dynamic, inspiring, and renewing presence in our lives. To recognize the presence of Jesus in our lives means that we realize what Jesus offers us and does for us.



- Jesus offers us unconditional love regardless of any sinful actions in our past, regardless of ever having turned away from Him. Jesus offers us forgiveness of our sins and an invitation to His Kingdom in Heaven and on earth.
- What Jesus does for us is to offer a pathway that leads to Him and brings us such joy. He calls us to Himself and fills us with His grace to help us to live a life filled with His love, gratitude, kindness and generosity toward others. He replaces any anger or frustration with forgiveness, love and joy.

In these last days leading to Christmas Eve and Christmas Day, let's celebrate our family traditions and let us celebrate and pass on our faith traditions of the birth of Jesus and God's gift to us of His only Son. Allow Jesus to transform your lives.

Our Dec. 24 Christmas Eve Mass at 5:00 will be our annual family Mass with our school choir. Please bring your children to this wonderful family Mass. Our 11:00 PM Mass will have a 45-minute concert including hymns to join in singing. See in this bulletin the full Mass schedule and experience the joy of Christmas.

Rincón del Pastor

La Navidad ya casi está aquí. Pensamos en decorar nuestros hogares con adornos tradicionales, decorar nuestros árboles de Navidad, hacer galletas, hacer nuestras compras, envolver regalos, etc. Estas actividades y muchas más mantienen vivas nuestras tradiciones familiares y las transmiten de generación en generación.

También tenemos la responsabilidad de transmitir la tradición de fe de la Navidad al mismo tiempo que transmitimos nuestras tradiciones navideñas familiares.

¿Cuál es la verdadera tradición del significado de la Navidad para nosotros los católicos? Es aceptar a Jesús como una presencia dinámica, inspiradora y renovadora en nuestras vidas. Reconocer la presencia de Jesús en nuestras vidas significa que nos damos cuenta de lo que Jesús nos ofrece y hace por nosotros.



- Jesús nos ofrece amor incondicional a pesar de cualquier acción pecaminosa en nuestro pasado, a pesar de habernos alejado de Él. Jesús nos ofrece el perdón de nuestros pecados y una invitación a Su Reino en el Cielo y en la tierra.
- Lo que Jesús hace por nosotros es ofrecer un camino que conduce a Él y nos trae tanta alegría. Él nos llama a sí mismo y nos llena de su gracia para ayudarnos a vivir una vida llena de su amor, gratitud, bondad y generosidad hacia los demás. Él reemplaza cualquier enojo o frustración con el perdón, el amor y la alegría.

En estos últimos días que conducen a la Nochebuena y el día de Navidad, celebremos nuestras tradiciones familiares y celebremos y transmitamos nuestras tradiciones de fe sobre el nacimiento de Jesús y el regalo de Dios a nosotros de Su único Hijo. Permitan que Jesús transforme sus vidas.

Nuestra Misa de Nochebuena del 24 de diciembre a las 5:00 p.m. será nuestra Misa familiar anual con nuestro coro escolar. Por favor, traiga a sus hijos a esta maravillosa Misa familiar. Nuestra misa de las 11:00 p.m. tendrá un concierto de 45 minutos que incluirá himnos para unirse en el canto. Vea en este boletín el programa completo de la Misa y experimente la alegría de la Navidad.



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May 17
June 21
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Christmas Mass Schedule 2024

December 24

- 5:00 PM Christmas Eve Family Mass—St. Dominic School Choir
- 7:30 PM Contemporary Choir (Prelude Music at 7:00 pm)
- 11:00 PM 9:00 AM Choir (Prelude Music at 10:15 pm) with organ and chamber orchestra

December 25

- 8:00 AM Mass with organ and piano
- 10:00 AM Mass with cantor and keyboards
- 12:00 PM Spanish Mass with Spanish Choir
- 5:00 PM Mass with Ensemble (5:00 pm Sunday Ensemble)



Merry Christmas!

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26

Parish & Facilities are closed. ONE MASS ONLY at 9:00 am

*New Year's Day
Holy Day of Obligation*

Vigil Mass: December 31 at 6:00 pm

January 1 Masses:

8:00 am

12:00 pm

6:00 pm (Bilingual)



Tuesday, January 2

Parish & Facilities are closed. ONE MASS ONLY AT 9:00 AM