

St. Dominic Catholic Church & School

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Mass Times

Sunday

7:30 AM
9 AM
10:30 AM
12 PM
1:30 PM (En Español)
5 PM
7 PM Occidental College
Herrick Chapel

Monday thru Friday:

8 AM
6 PM

Saturday:

8 AM
5 PM Vigil Mass

Civic Holidays: 9 AM only

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Fridays after 8 AM Mass
Benediction at 5:15 PM

Reconciliation / Confessions

Wednesdays 7:45 - 8 AM; 5:45 - 6 PM
1st. Fridays 7:45 - 8 AM; 5:45 - 6 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:

Monday 3 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. Michael Fones, OP, or Fr. Francis Goode, OP, 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. For more information call Sr. Joyanne Sullivan, SND, at 323-255-6373.

The Children's RCIA is a two year program. For more information call Michelle Pérez or Christina García, at 323-255-6373.

Dominican Community:

Rev. Michael Fones, OP, Pastor, Prior,
 Rev. Francis Goode, OP, Parochial Vicar
 Rev. Jude Eli, OP, In residence
 Rev. Thomas Saucier, OP (July 1)
 Rev. Donald Bramble, OP, Retired
 Rev. Cassian Lewinski, OP, Retired
 Rev. Denis Reilly, OP, Retired

Parish Staff:

Deacon: Rev. Mr. Michael Finocchiaro, OPL
 Dir. Religious Ed: Christina García & Michelle Pérez
 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 García
 Secretary: Cecilia Treat
 Plant Manager: David Lear
 Custodian: Aidan Williams
 Director of Development: Greg Cornell

Parish Pastoral Council:

Joseph Descalzo - Chairperson
 Jacque Natividad - Vice Chairperson
 Mario García, Jr. - Secretary
 Andrea Martínez - School Liaison
 Merlie Mae Sotto
 Jay Cooney
 Patricia de Vera
 Michelle Pérez
 Christina García
 Rafael Caraveo

St. Dominic's School:

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

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday	7:30 AM	Jeremy and Jerome San Agustin
	9:00 AM	Pro Populo
	10:30 AM	Father's Day Mass
	12:00 PM	Liza Villanueva and Rosario Jimenez
	1:30 PM	Alberto and Palemon Huerta, †
Monday	5:00 PM	Resurreccion Cruz, †
	8:00 AM	Marietta Averion Alzona, †
Tuesday	6:00 PM	Ethilda Zari
	8:00 AM	Avelina Fuentes, †
Wed.	6:00 PM	Conchita C. Valencia, †
	8:00 AM	Joe Simon Bolano, †
	6:00 PM	Mr. and Mrs. Conducto, Wedding Anniversary
Thursday	8:00 AM	Evelia S. Resurreccion, †
	6:00 PM	Socorro Chico, †
Friday	8:00 AM	Pacifico D. Cabantong, †
	6:00 PM	Deceased Dominican Friars, parents, friends and benefactors Niki Becker, † Felisa Lindo Pedragosa, † Florentina San Gabriel Paulme, †
Saturday	8:00 AM	Mario and Jimena Guemo, †
	5:00 PM	Edeltrudes Atanacio

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	1 Kgs 21:1-16; Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-7; Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday:	1 Kgs 21:17-29; Ps 51:3-6ab, 11, 16; Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday:	2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14; Ps 31:20, 21, 24; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday:	Sir 48:1-14; Ps 97:1-7; Mt 6:7-15
Friday:	2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20; Ps 132:11-14, 17-18; Mt 6:19-23
Saturday:	2 Chr 24:17-25; Ps 89:4-5, 29-34; Mt 6:24-34
Sunday:	Vigil: Jer 1:4-10; Ps 71:1-6ab, 15ab, 17; 1 Pt 1:8-12; Lk 1:5-17 Day: Is 49:1-6; Ps 139:1-3, 13-15; Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80

Today's Activities

Blood Pressure Today
Legion of Mary
Father's Day

This week at a glance...

Monday, June 18, 2018

Saul to Paul Men's Group 7:00 PM - Upper Hall
Living Waters Prayer Group 7:00 PM
St. Catherine Room
Bible Study - 7:30 PM Adult Ed Building

PARKING LOT RESURFACING BEGINS TODAY

There will be no parking available in the big lot

Tuesday, June 19, 2018

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

Wednesday, June 20, 2018

Legion of Mary
Visual Bible Study 9:15 AM Adult Ed Building
Young Adult Ministry 7:00 PM adoration in church -
7:30 PM St. Mark Room
Guadalupanos 6:30 PM Lower Hall
FFPD 7:00 PM Adult Ed Building

Thursday, June 21, 2018

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

Friday, June 22, 2018

Light of Jesus Prayer Group 7:00 PM Adult Ed
Spanish Prayer Group 7:00 PM St. Luke Room

Saturday, June 23, 2018

Spanish Lectors Monthly Meeting 10:00 AM Adult Ed

COMING EVENTS

June 24 Mission Appeal
June 24 St. Vincent de Paul Bundle Sunday

All the friars will be gone the week of June 18. While the friars are gone, three priests will be providing Masses at our regular 8 a.m. and 6 p.m. times.



St. Vincent De Paul - Bundle Sunday
June 24, 2018 - 8:00 am to 2:00 pm

Sunday, June 24 is Bundle Sunday for our Parish. The St. Vincent de Paul truck will be here at 8:00 am to 2:00 pm to receive your donations. The truck will be parked in the Community Center parking lot. Bring usable clothing, shoes, small appliances, household items, linens, books, jewelry, etc. For larger furniture and appliances call 323-224-6280 for a special pickup at your home. Remember your contributions will be helping the needy.

Are you taking a gap year between High School and College? Are you in college and seeking to pad your resume? Just out of college but still searching?

Volunteer with the HOPE dinner. You can set a budget, cook, design table settings and sharpen your social skills with a diverse variety of human beings.

For more information email:
oznamfrederic2@gmail.com

Or fill out this form and leave it at the rectory.

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Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Date of Virtus _____

Eucharistic Ministers Needed

We are in need of more Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers, particularly at the noon Mass. Please consider participating in this important ministry. The next training is still to be determined. The Church asks that all those who assist at the liturgical celebrations be well instructed and be living the Christian life with morals and faithfulness to the Church's teaching that recommend them to this service. This training provides the instruction. Please prayerfully consider whether the Lord may be calling you to this service.



Pastor's Corner

We would rather leave the body and go home to the Lord. Therefore, we aspire to please him, whether we are at home or away. 2 Cor 5:8b-9

Suffering and death are a part of life that we don't talk much about. We complain about suffering, we deny the reality of death, but that is to our detriment. St. Paul didn't complain about his many trials; instead, he yearned to please God in all that he did, so that God might be the center of his life.

God is the source of our life, He sustains our life, and our life is His. One of the tasks of our life is to learn to celebrate that God is Who He is, and that His will is always the most loving and most perfect for us. That includes recognizing that we are nothing without him. The experiences of aging, being sick and dying help us accept God as God.

There are many ways we can suffer, but all of them are connected to the process of becoming detached from the created goods that surround us. Conversion to Christ involves suffering because God begins to replace other goods at the center of our hearts. We have to deny ourselves things that once gave us pleasure. This involves suffering. Sometimes things or people are taken from us, which causes suffering but also gives us an opportunity to focus more on our relationship with God. And as God becomes the focus of our life, things that once attracted us become less important.

Suffering is a part of conversion, which is a kind of death. "whoever loses his life for my sake will save it," Jesus said (Luke 9:24). Jesus sweated blood in Gethsemane because He loved life. The more intensely we love life, or our loved one, the more intense our suffering as life draws to a close, but the more perfect the love we express in our surrender to God and His Will for us. When our death is imminent, we need to remember that in dying in Christ, God's love has brought to the entrance into the fullness of His love which began at our conversion.

A Mission Appeal for the Missionary Diocese of Kumbakonam, INDIA - June 24, 2018

Hello Everyone...!

There are 203 diocesan and 55 religious priests, 515 nuns, 25 trained lay catechists, and more than 120 catechists in training who are doing God's work and serving God' people in the diocese.

The mission diocese has certain concrete goals for a New Evangelization:-

Construction of 25 more new parishes, each with a new church and rectory. At present, there are 92 parishes and 642 missions-stations.

Since education is a key means of Evangelization, the diocese is in a terrible need to provide buildings and infra-structure for our schools in remote villages.

Primary tasks: Evangelization, Education mission, Medical mission, Social activities-reaching out to the needy, the sick, the homeless and the poor.

ORPHANAGES for boys and girls: Education of 4000 very poor or orphan children from remote villages and mission parishes every year by providing them with free board & lodging.

The diocese has been trying to materialize these missionary goals. The mission and spiritual prospects of Kumbakonam diocese are bright but its needs are great. And, your generosity is our strength.

THE MISSIONARY DIOCESE IS IN DIRE AND DESPERATE NEED OF FINANCIAL HELP TO HELP THE STARVING, THE POOR, THE SICK, THE HOMELESS, AND ESPECIALLY TO FEED THE POOR CHILDREN IN ORPHANAGES AND FOR THEIR EDUCATION.

Therefore, I humbly request your prayers and generous donation from your heart for my home diocese of Kumbakonam, INDIA.

A very big thanks to you in advance for your great generosity....! God bless...!

Rev. Msgr. Amir Amalanathan



Faith † community † education

School News



Congratulations to the Class of 2018!

James Patrick Ancheta - La Salle High School
Christopher Barrena - Crescenta Valley High
Dominic Castillo - Loyola High School
Erin Casupanan - Providence High School
Jose Co - Glendale Adventist Academy
Mailee Deleon - Providence High School
Audrey Fernando - Eagle Rock High School
John Paul Gerolaga - Cathedral High School
George Gomez - Cathedral High School
Karl Lorca - Eagle Rock High School
Emma Martin - La Salle High School

Jaden Montesa - La Salle High School
Nicole Pulido - Alverno Heights Academy
Nadia Rodriguez - Holy Family High School
Ricardo Santiago - Eagle Rock High School
Ethan Santos - Providence High School
Nicolas Segura - Loyola High School
Nicholas Shammaa - St. Francis High School
Robin Tolentino - Bishop Alemany High School
Leila Torres - Ramona Convent Secondary School
Czarina Tumaneng - Providence High School



*We are currently accepting applications for the 2018-19 school year!
Call the school office for more information or to set up a tour.
323-255-5803*

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

Padre es aquel, que nos dio 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 fe 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

FORMED Spotlight

Si Dios, el Creador Todopoderoso del Universo, nos ama, entonces ¿cómo es que se comunica con nosotros? La respuesta no es solamente sorprendente, sino que también establece una parte esencial de lo que creemos como Católicos. Puedes encontrar una enseñanza práctica y bella en nuestro sitio de FORMED: <https://formed.org/community>

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FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK

Pure Fatherhood

By Devin Schadt

Celebrate Father's Day!

Every father has been entrusted with a lofty vocation—to serve as a visible reflection of God the Father. In this inspiring talk, Devin Schadt draws upon the example of Saint Joseph to encourage fathers to understand and embrace their privileged role in the family and Church today.

Listen on formed.org



"This presentation does a wonderful job of helping fathers hear Joseph. It is a great inspiration and motivator to be the fathers that God calls us to be..."

—Andrew O. Moline, IL



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 29 to November 9, 2018**. 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 Red City of Petra and the original site in Jordan where Jesus was baptized. Visit 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. Michael Fones, OP. 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.



St. Dominic's is blessed to again have a QueensCare Parish Nurse. Her name is Jeanne Campoy-De Guzman, RN. She will start on Thursday June 21st at 9am. Her regular office hours will be 8:30am to 12 noon on Thursdays. Please join the Health Ministry in welcoming Jeanne!

St. Dominic's Young Adults

Sunday, June 17th - Third Sunday Mass + Brunch

Come to the 10:30 AM Mass and join the St. Dominic's Young Adults outside in front of the church after Mass to head to a nearby restaurant.

Wednesday, June 20th - Career and Faith

7:00-7:30 PM Adoration

7:30-9:00 PM Meeting in the St. Mark Room

Actress/screenwriter Clare Sera will be coming to talk about navigating our careers as Catholics as well as her own experience in Hollywood. Young adults are invited to join us for the meeting! All are welcome to join us for adoration.

For more info: saintdominics.org/young-adults

Facebook: @StDominicYAM

To connect with us, email Tara at ya@saintdominics.org.

The Families and Friends of Persons with

Disabilities (FFPD) presents a seminar for parents and siblings...

PRESENTER: Mark Shulman, SrChlap.

SUBJECT: Special Needs Trusts. Cal Able Act - newest tax -exempt saving accounts for your loved ones with Disabilities.

DATE: June 20, Wednesday

6pm- 8pm.

PLACE: Adult Education Bldg.

REFRESHMENTS Provided

PLS RSVP: Emma - 323-472-0877.

Annette: 323-219-3613.

Connie: 323-350-4750