

October 6, 2019

# St. Dominic Catholic Church & School

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## Rosary Sunday

32 Dominican Student Brothers in Formation



Our Lady of the Rosary



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**Dominican Community:**

Rev. Roberto Corral, OP, Pastor  
 Rev. Francis Goode, OP, Parochial Vicar  
 Rev. Donald Bramble, OP, Prior and Parochial Vicar  
 Rev. Jude Eli, OP, In residence  
 Rev. Cassian Lewinski, OP, Retired  
 Rev. Denis Reilly, OP, Retired

**Parish Staff:**

Deacon: Rev. Mr. Michael Finocchiaro, OPL  
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 RCIA & Adult Education: Sr. Joyanne Sullivan SND  
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**St. Dominic's School:**

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 Principal: Mrs. Emily Díaz  
 Secretary: Angela Nuño  
 Pre-School / Extended Day Care

**MASS INTENTIONS**

<b>Sunday</b>	7:30 AM	Carolyn Forslund - healing
	9:00 AM	Pro Populo
	11:00 PM	Raymundo & Natividad Bombane, †
<b>Monday</b>	1:00 PM	Francisca Rodriguez, †
	5:00 PM	Eugenio S. Tañedo, †
	8:00 AM	Gina & Victor Maningo, †
<b>Tuesday</b>	6:00 PM	Amelia Matias & Family, Thanksgiving
	8:00 AM	Jacqueline Marie Pascual
	6:00 PM	Newgard, 1st Birthday
<b>Wed.</b>	8:00 AM	Roger Joseph & Rosanne Jodi T. Ochoa Birthdays
	6:00 PM	Leon & Luz Cosico Castillo Family, †
	8:00 AM	Gishbert Andrei & Frederick Aldwin Gaetos, Thanksgiving
<b>Thursday</b>	6:00 PM	Monika Manglicmot Birthday
	8:00 AM	Elias Manning Birthday
<b>Friday</b>	6:00 PM	Andrew John & Inocencia Silbor
	8:00 AM	Deceased Dominican Friars, Parents, Friends and benefactors
<b>Saturday</b>	8:00 AM	Vicente & Lourdes Ezpeleta, †
	5:00 PM	Rosario & Luis Kodumal, †
		Mercedes de Guzman, †
		Jaime Batungbacal, †
		Brothers who have left Province & Order
		Miguel Alejandro, †

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday:	Jon 1:1 — 2:2, 11; Jon 2:3-5, 8; Lk 10:25-37
Tuesday:	Jon 3:1-10; Ps 130:1b-4ab, 7-8; Lk 10:38-42
Wednesday:	Jon 4:1-11; Ps 86:3-6, 9-10; Lk 11:1-4
Thursday:	Mal 3:13-20b; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 11:5-13
Friday:	Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2; Ps 9:2-3, 6, 16, 8-9; Lk 11:15-26
Saturday:	Jl 4:12-21; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12; Lk 11:27-28
Sunday:	2 Kgs 5:14-17; Ps 98:1-4; 2 Tm 2:8-13; Lk 17:11-19

### Today's Activities

Blood Pressure Today  
 Legion of Mary  
 Rosary Sunday Collection

### School Raffle Winners

1st Prize - \$2,500 Jasmine Magniza  
 2nd Prize - \$1,000 Adriana Madrigal  
 3rd Prize - SouthWest Tickets - Sophia Ramirez

### This week at a glance ...

#### Monday, October 7, 2019

Saul to Paul Meeting 7:00 PM Upper Hall  
 Evening Bible Study 7:30 PM Adult Ed Building

#### Tuesday, October 8, 2019

Blessed Sacrament Meeting  
 8:00 am Mass followed by breakfast and meeting in parish hall  
 RCIA 7:00 PM Adult Ed House  
 Legion of Mary  
 Spanish Bible 7:30 PM St. Mark Room

#### Wednesday, October 9, 2019

Legion of Mary  
 Guadalupanos 6:00 PM Guadalupe Room  
 Young Adult Adoration time in church 6:30 PM,  
 Meeting at 7:30 pm in St. Mark Room  
 Confirmation Year 1 7:00 pm Lower Hall  
 Year 2 7:00 pm Upper Hall

#### Thursday, October 10, 2019

QueensCare Nurse 8:00 AM St. Mark Room  
 Divine Mercy meeting 9:00 AM Adult Ed Building  
 Love Ministry 4:00 pm in the St. Mark Room  
 Bereavement Support Group 7:00 pm  
 Guadalupe Room  
 Bible Study-Matthew's Gospel by Fr. Donald  
 7:30 PM Adult Ed building

#### Friday, October 11, 2019

Light of Jesus Prayer Group 7:00 PM Adult Ed  
 Grupo de Oracion 7:00 PM St. Luke Room

#### Saturday, October 12, 2019

Children's Faith Formation 9:00 AM in School

Blessed Sacrament Confraternity  
 Tuesday, October 8. Meeting  
 following the 8:00 am Mass in the  
 parish hall. Breakfast on your  
 own. Coffee and hot water  
 provided.



Fr. Donald Bramble presents  
 Bible Study Thursday nights this fall!  
 7:30 to 8:30 pm  
 Adult Ed Building



The Infancy Narratives  
 "The Coming of Our God"

A Textual Study. Bring your bibles.

Saint Dominic Church  
 Family and Friend of People with  
 Disabilities Group – FFPD

Invites the disable children and adults with  
 Their families and friends to join us in  
 Celebrating our

SPECIAL NEEDS SUNDAY MASS  
 Celebrant: Fr. Roberto Corral, OP  
 To be held at Saint Dominic Church  
 2002 Merton Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90041  
 On Sunday October 20, 2019 at 3:00 PM

Socialization and refreshments after the  
 Mass at the Parish Hall

Any questions, please cal:

Emma Guanlao: 323-472-0877

Annette Manning: 323-219-3613

Connie Guerrero: 323-350-4750

### COMING EVENTS

October 13	Mexican Breakfast
October 13	Parish Ministry Fair
October 19	World Mission Sunday

A Message from Fr. Roberto

### Prayer of Commitment

Some parishioners asked me for a copy of the prayer I said during the altar call last weekend at our Masses, so here it is.

Lord Jesus,  
I open my heart to you right now.  
I want to show you my desire for a deeper faith.  
I want to fall more deeply in love with you.  
I want to live for you, Lord.  
I want to share your love with others.

Lord, help me to let go of any resentment, bitterness or anger;  
of any guilt or shame from past mistakes;  
of any sin in my heart;  
of any fears that hold me back.

Lord, give me strength as I walk this journey with you.  
Help me to give you my best and not my leftovers.  
Lord Jesus, please change me, please guide me,  
and please fill me with love for you.  
Amen.

### History of Rosary Sunday



A Representation of the Battle of Lepanto

This weekend, our parish celebrates its feast day, *Our Lady of the Rosary*. This feast day was established by Pope Saint Pius V (a Dominican) to commemorate the Christian victory over the Ottoman Empire at the Battle of Lepanto in 1571. The 16<sup>th</sup> century was a period of Ottoman expansion into Central Europe in an attempt to spread Islam at the expense of Christianity. From the conquest of Rhodes (1522), to the defeat of the Hungarian army at the Battle of Mohacs (1526), to the first siege of Vienna (1529), the annexation of Hungary (1541), the siege of Malta (1565), and the conquest of Cyprus (1570), Christianity was forced to defend itself against an aggressive Turkish Empire.

After the Turkish conquest of Cyprus, Pope Pius V formed the Holy League in 1571 to combat the Turks. It consisted of the Papacy, Spain, Venice, Naples, Sicily, Genoa, Tuscany, Savoy, Parma, and the Knights

of Malta. Of the major western powers in the Mediterranean, only France refused to join the Holy League. A large fleet of galleys was assembled by the Holy League to combat the Turkish fleet in the Mediterranean. The Christian fleet consisted of 212 vessels while the Turkish fleet consisted of 272 vessels. The two fleets collided at Lepanto on October 7, 1571. At a critical moment just before the start of the battle, the wind shifted in favor of the Christian fleet, giving them the advantage. Although few had expected a Christian victory, the Turkish fleet was annihilated, and over 12,000 Christian galley slaves were freed.

On the day of the battle, Pope Pius V interrupted a meeting with his Cardinals to announce that the Christians had won a great victory, even though news of the battle did not reach Rome until days later. The Rosary Confraternity of Rome recited the rosary on the day of the battle, and Pope Pius V attributed the victory to the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary. In 1572 he established an annual commemoration of Our Lady of Victory as a day of thanksgiving for the victory over the Turks at Lepanto.

In 1573, Pope Gregory XIII changed the name to the Feast of the Holy Rosary and fixed it on the first Sunday in October. In 1716, following another victory over the Turks, Pope Clement XI decreed that the Feast of the Holy Rosary should be observed throughout the Western Church. In 1913, Pope Pius X changed the feast day to October 7 (except for the Dominicans, who continued to observe the feast day on the first Sunday in October). In 1960 the name of the feast day was changed to the Feast of the Blessed Virgin Mary of the Rosary and in 1969 Pope Paul VI changed the name of the feast day to "Our Lady of the Rosary."



### Confirmation Year 1 Registration And Confirmation Year 2 Re-Registration

Year 1 Confirmation registration forms are available in the parish office. The student **MUST** be in the 9th, 10th or 11th grade to register. You will need to bring:

A copy of Baptism Certificate  
A copy of First Communion Certificate  
Fee of \$250.00 for Year 1

To re-register for Confirmation Year 2, go to the parish office. The fee for Year 2 is \$250.00. The office will let you know if you have anything outstanding.

Classes Started on October 2, 2019  
for both Year 1 & Year 2

Any questions please call the parish office at 323-254-2519.

### MEXICAN BREAKFAST

Next Sunday, October 13, we will have our traditional and delicious Mexican breakfast in the Parish Hall after all the morning Masses. Come and bring your family and friends to enjoy a delicious breakfast and to build community with other parishioners. Thank you.



### DESAYUNO MEXICANO

El próximo domingo 13 de Octubre tendremos nuestro tradicional y delicioso desayuno Mexicano en el Salón Parroquial después de todas las Misas de la mañana. Vengan y traigan a su familia y amigos a disfrutar de un delicioso desayuno y a convivir con otros feligreses. Gracias.

### Fr. Cassian's Book Club

This month we will read and discuss the book "*The Garden of Evening Mists*," a novel by Tan Twan Eng.



We will meet at the Guadalupe Room on **Saturday, October 26, at 10:00 am.**

### St. Dominic's Children's Faith Formation (323) 254-2519

#### REGISTRATION ANNOUNCEMENT

Registration for the 2019-2020 year of Children's Faith Formation. Classes have begun. We are committed to helping the children develop a closer relationship with God. We do this by teaching the children through education, traditions, and modeling tools to live their faith. We accomplish this by working together with the families and our entire Church community.

#### OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday thru Sunday 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.  
Tuesday and Thursday 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

**(Please call to schedule evening appointments)**

#### WHAT TO BRING:

A copy of baptism certificate  
Emergency phone numbers of three adults other than parents

#### FEE SCHEDULE:

\$80.00 1<sup>st</sup> Year Sacrament Preparation  
\$90.00 2<sup>nd</sup> Year Sacrament Preparation  
(First Communion)  
\$50.00 Post Sacrament – Returning Students  
(\$15.00 bank fee applies for all returned checks)



### DOMINICAN FILM CLUB (Sat. October 12th, 6:30pm) presents "A Ghost Story"

You're invited to our monthly MOVIE and DISCUSSION - with of course, POPCORN! In the spirit of Allallowtide, Join us for a viewing and discussion of the thought-provoking 2017 supernatural drama **A GHOST STORY**. A man

dies and returns to his house as a ghost to comfort his bereft wife, only to see her move on while he is tethered to the home, life and memories they shared. DFC happens **Saturday, October 12th at 6:30 p.m.** in the **Adult Ed. Building.**

## Un Mensaje de Padre Roberto

**Oración de Compromiso**

Algunos feligreses me pidieron una copia de la oración que dije durante el llamado al altar la semana pasada en nuestra misa, así que aquí está.

Señor Jesús,  
te abro mi corazón en este momento.  
Quiero mostrarte mi deseo por una fe más profunda  
Quiero enamorarme más de ti, Señor.  
Quiero vivir para ti.  
Quiero compartir tu amor con los demás.

Señor, ayúdame a soltarme de cualquier resentimiento, amargura o ira;  
de cualquier culpa o vergüenza por errores pasados;  
de cualquier pecado en mi corazón;  
de cualquier temor que me detenga.

Señor, dame fuerzas mientras ando en este camino contigo.  
Ayúdame a darte lo mejor de mí y no mis sobras.  
Señor Jesús, por favor cámbiame,  
por favor guíame,  
y por favor lléname de amor por ti.  
Amén.

**La Historia de la Fiesta de Nuestra Señora del Rosario**

Una Representación de la Batalla de Lepanto

Este fin de semana, nuestra parroquia celebra su fiesta patronal, *Nuestra Señora del Rosario*. Esta fiesta fue establecida por el Papa San Pío V (un dominico) para conmemorar la victoria cristiana sobre el Imperio Otomano en la Batalla de Lepanto en 1571. El siglo 16 era un período de la expansión de los otomanos en el centro de Europa para derramar a Islam contra la cristiandad. Desde la conquista de Rodas (1522), al derrote del ejército Húngaro en la Batalla de Mohács (1526), al primer sitio de Viena (1529), la anexión de Hungría (1541), el sitio de Malta (1565), y la conquista de Chipre (1570), la cristiandad tenía que defenderse contra el agresivo Imperio Turco.

Después de la conquista de Chipre, el Papa Pío V formó la Santa Liga en 1571, consistiendo del Papado, España, Venecia, Nápoles, Sicilia, Génova, Toscana, Saboya, Parma y los Caballeros de Malta. La Santa

Liga congregó una gran armada de 212 buques de guerra para combatir contra la flota turca de 272 navíos en el Mar Mediterráneo. Se toparon en Lepanto el 7 de octubre de 1571. En un momento crítico un poco antes del comienzo de la batalla, el viento se cambió a favor de la armada cristiana, dándoles una ventaja. Aunque pocos habían esperado una victoria cristiana, así salió: la flota turca fue aniquilada, y más de 12,000 galeotes cristianos fueron liberados de los navíos turcos.

En el día de la batalla, el Papa interrumpió una reunión con sus cardenales para anunciar que los cristianos habían logrado una gran victoria, aunque las noticias de la batalla no llegaron a Roma hasta días después. El Papa atribuyó la victoria a la intercesión de la Bienaventurada Virgen María, y en 1572 estableció una conmemoración anual de Nuestra Señora de la Victoria como un día de acción de gracias por la victoria sobre los turcos en Lepanto.

En 1573, el Papa Gregorio XIII cambió el nombre a la Fiesta del Santo Rosario y lo fijó en el primer domingo de octubre. En 1716, después de otra victoria sobre los turcos, el Papa Clemente XI declaró que la Fiesta del Santo Rosario debería ser observada por toda la Iglesia católica occidental. En 1913, el Papa Pío X cambió la fiesta al 7 de octubre (excepto a los dominicos que continuaron observando la fiesta el primer domingo de octubre). En 1960 el nombre de la fiesta se cambió a la Fiesta de la Bienaventurada Virgen María del Rosario, y en 1969, el Papa Pablo VI lo cambió de nuevo a la Fiesta de Nuestra Señora del Rosario.



**GRIEVING THE LOSS OF A LOVED ONE?**  
Join Father Francis and some parishioners who are also experiencing the weight of loss. We meet on Thursday evenings from 7:30pm to 9:00pm (Oct. 10, 17, 24, 31, and November 7, 14, and 21). Our program is called: SEASONS OF HOPE. Each meeting will usually include sitting in a circle, introductions, checking in on how the last week has been regarding our journey through grieving, brief sharing of Sacred Scripture, small group sharing, prayers and simple snacks. (we take turns bringing snacks), New participants can join at any time.

location: Guadalupe Room in the first cottage (next to the parking lot).

We will repeat this process with new SEASONS OF HOPE materials in the winter, the spring, and (maybe) the summer.

Please call the Parish Office (323-254-2519) to let us know you are coming.



If you would like to contact Br. John,  
his email is  
[JWinkowitsch@OPWest.org](mailto:JWinkowitsch@OPWest.org).



When have you felt closest to God? Who is the **holiest person you've** ever met? What are your favorite local spots? Br. John would be happy to hear from you!



Our Music Ministry is inviting NEW members (singers and instrumentalists) to join NOW or wait until after Christmas.

Call 323-258-9854 or see Rudy,  
Near the piano, after Masses.



### Monday evening Bible Study returns October 7, 2019

Topic: Gospel according to St. Matthew  
Place: Adult Education Building;  
7:30 – 9:00 PM

Reflection, Discussion, Video  
Cost: \$15.00 for materials



### ALL MINISTRIES

THE MINISTRY FAIR HAS BEEN MOVED TO  
OCTOBER 13, 2019.

You are invited to the Ministry Fair and Mexican Breakfast on Sunday, October 13, 2019 in the Parish Hall after Mass.

Drop by and learn about the many ministries offered at Saint Dominic. Bring a friend, and join us for some delicious food and fellowship!

