

ST. DOMINIC CATHOLIC CHURCH
Serving Southwest Washington since 1852

THIRD SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME



*The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has
anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor.*

- Luke 4:18

JANUARY 27, 2019

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

CANDLEMAS

February 2nd is exactly 40 days after the birth of Jesus. According to the gospel, Mary and Joseph took the Infant Jesus to the Temple in Jerusalem forty days (inclusive) after his birth to complete Mary's ritual purification after childbirth, and to perform the redemption of the firstborn son, in obedience to the Torah.

Join us on Candlemas Day, the day on which candles are blessed symbolizing Christ who is the light of the world. On **Saturday, February 2nd at the 9:00am Mass** we will process into the church from the back, with lighted candles. This is an opportunity for you to bring your candles from home to have them blessed.

Read more about Candlemas on page four.

CAPITOL HILL PREGNANCY CENTER



Our next collection of diapers, wipes and formula for the Capitol Hill Pregnancy Center will be the weekend of **February 2nd & 3rd**.

You may place your donation of diapers, wipes and formula, in front of the pulpit. Please show your support for young families who have chosen life.

FR. BERNARD IS MOVING ON

A farewell for Fr. Bernard Timothy is planned for

Sunday, February 3rd after the 10:30am Mass.

Join us in the Parish Meeting Room to wish him well.



LAY DOMINICANS

There will be a Lay Dominican Fraternity Meeting on **Sunday, February 3rd**

- 12pm in the Priory Chapel
- 1pm in the Parish Meeting Room

CHURCH CLEANING

Our next monthly church cleaning will be **Saturday, February 9th** after the 9:00am Mass. New Volunteers are always welcome.



We are looking for people to help manage our monthly cleaning. Ideally, we would have several volunteers to commit to coordinating at least 3 times a year. Please help maintain our beautiful, historic church. If you are interested, please email social@stdominicchurch.org or call 202-554-7863.

ST. PETER SCHOOL GALA & AUCTION



The annual St. Peter School Auction & Gala event will be held on **Saturday, February 9th** at 6:30pm at District Winery located at 385 Water Street SE, Washington, DC 20003. St. Peter's look forward to seeing members of the parish community there.

For more information and to purchase tickets, please visit <https://501auctions.com/stpeterschooldcauction>.

PRESIDENTS DAY



Federal Holiday:
Monday, February 18th
Presidents Day

The Parish Office will be closed.
There will be no Confessions
or 12:10pm Mass.

CHILI COOK-OFF

Do you make great chili? Register for our delicious annual Chili Cookoff on **Saturday, February 23rd**. If you don't make chili, but like to eat it, become a judge!



To obtain more information, email social@stdominicchurch.org or call 202-554-7863.

If you would like to have more opportunities to socialize with fellow parishioners, please consider joining the Hospitality Committee. To do so, contact social@stdominicchurch.org for more information.

THIS WEEK:



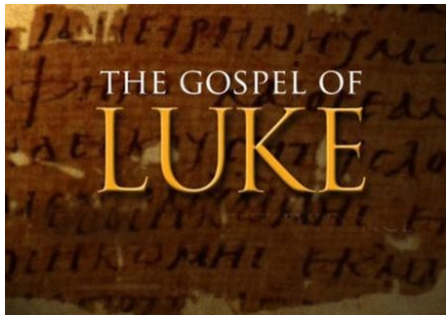
Sunday, January 27

RELIGIOUS MOVIE SEMINAR

Bakhita: From Slave to Saint (Part 2)

6:30pm—Parish Meeting Room

- Fatou Kine Boye, Stefania Rocca (2009) 190 minutes



Tuesday, January 29

THE GOSPEL OF LUKE: SCRIPTURE STUDY

Cenacle Meeting

A weekly group of discipleship for adults

- **7:00pm**— Mass (Church)
- **7:40pm**— Scripture Study (Parish Meeting Room)



Thursday, January 31

**COUNTER-CULTURE CATHOLIC
LIVING WELL WITH PRESTIGE**

St. Dominic Young Adults

For all young adults in their 20's and 30's

- **7:00pm**— Adoration and Confessions (Church)
- **7:45pm**— Discussion (Parish Meeting Room)
- **8:45pm**— Fellowship (Parish Meeting Room)



Saturday, February 2

CANDLEMAS

9:00am Mass

(See the opposite page for more information.)



Sunday, February 3

A FAREWELL FOR FR. BERNARD

After the 10:30am Mass
Parish Meeting Room

THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD OR "CANDLEMAS DAY"



Candlemas Day is another name for the feast of the Presentation of the Lord. Forty days after His birth, Mary and Joseph brought Jesus to the temple for the rites of purification and dedication as prescribed by the Torah. After the 40 days, the mother goes to the temple for the rite of purification, which included the offering of a sacrifice — a lamb for a holocaust (burnt offering) and a pigeon or turtledove for a sin offering, or, for a poor couple who could not afford a lamb, two pigeons or two turtledoves.

Joseph and Mary were obliged by the Torah to “redeem” their first born son: “The Lord spoke to Moses and said, ‘Consecrate to me every first-born

son among the Israelites, both of man and beast, for it belongs to me” (Ex 13:1). Simeon, a just and pious man, who awaited the Messiah and looked for the consolation of Israel, was inspired to come to the temple. He held baby Jesus in his arms and blessed God, saying, “Now, Master, you can dismiss your servant in peace; you have fulfilled your word. For my eyes have witnessed your saving deed, displayed for all the peoples to see: A revealing light to the Gentiles, the glory of your people Israel” (Lk 2:29-32). Simeon, thereby, announced that the Messiah has come not just for the Jew but the gentile; not just the righteous, but the sinner. He then blessed the Holy Family, and said in turn to Mary: “This child is destined to be the downfall and the rise of many in Israel, a sign that will be opposed — and you yourself shall be pierced with a sword — so that the thoughts of many hearts may be laid bare” (Lk 2:34-35). So the Presentation is a proclamation of Christ — Messiah and Priest, Lord and Savior. He is the light who came into this world to dispel sin and darkness. For this reason, traditionally at least since the seventh century, candles have been blessed at Mass this day that will be used throughout the year, hence coining the term “Candlemas”.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Rejoicing in the LORD must be your strength.

Psalm — Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life.

Second Reading — In one Spirit we were all baptized into one body.

Gospel — The Spirit of the Lord has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives.

TIME

The holidays are well behind us; the year stretches out ahead. And what sort of year will it be? To judge by the words of Jesus in today's Gospel, it will be “a year acceptable to the Lord.” And Jesus surely didn't mean only the next three hundred sixty-five days facing his listeners at that time.

When Jesus announced the “arrival” of God's favor, it was a message for all time, for every year. Similarly, we read today in Nehemiah how the people gathered with solemnity to hear God's word as though for the first time. They listened, and then fell to the ground and wept. But the prophet said, “Today is holy . . . do not be sad, and do not weep.”

The “year acceptable to the Lord” is this year. The day that is “holy” is this day. The time to listen is now. What sort of year will you have? What sort of day? God's help is always here. What you do with each day can be holy and acceptable to the Lord if you but listen to and act on God's word.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Heb 9:15, 24-28; Ps 98:1-6; Mk 3:22-30

Tuesday: Heb 10:1-10; Ps 40:2, 4ab, 7-8a, 10, 11; Mk 3:31-35

Wednesday: Heb 10:11-18; Ps 110:1-4; Mk 4:1-20

Thursday: Heb 10:19-25; Ps 24:1-6; Mk 4:21-25

Friday: Heb 10:32-39; Ps 37:3-6, 23-24, 39-40; Mk 4:26-34

Saturday: Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7-10; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40 [22-32]

Sunday: Jer 1:4-5, 17-19; Ps 71:1-6, 15, 17; 1 Cor 12:31 — 13:13 [13:4-13]; Lk 4:21-30

STEWARDSHIP

Offertory Collection	1/20/2019	Unavailable
Capital Repair & Maint. Collection	1/20/2019	Unavailable

FOR THOSE WITH HEARING IMPEDIMENT

The parish has a number of personal listening system receivers with earbuds for use at the Mass. Please inform a Music Minister (Director or Cantor) if you would like to use one of the receivers, and it will be provided. Please return the receiver to the Music Director after Mass so that it is available for others.

FAITH DIRECT

Our parish's many ministries are examples of how many of you answer that call. Our ministries require not only gifts of time and talent, but also of financial help.

Please prayerfully consider supporting St. Dominic Church with electronic donations through Faith Direct. You can sign up online by visiting www.faithdirect.net using our church code: **DC117**.

SOCIAL JUSTICE

In response to the new Planned Parenthood in DC, a pro-life community drawn from five local parishes was formed called the Proverbs 24 Community. This is an active and trained pro-life community begun last year among our parishes that encourages people to give witness to life in three different ways: walkers, prayers, and cooks. For more information, contact social@stdominicchurch.org.

CHURCH HISTORY

The 5th double window on the north side of the church includes a depiction of Blessed Reginald Receiving Scapular on the lower left. Reginald of Orleans (1180-1220), a doctor of laws, was a prominent public figure and distinguished scholar before becoming a Dominican. Reginald's example and eloquent preaching attracted many young men to the Dominican Order to Italy and later in Paris.



~ Courtesy of Mary Moran

PARISH MUSIC MINISTRY WORKSHOP

Saturday, February 2nd St Dominic's is hosting a Music Ministry workshop for all choristers, singers, and instrumentalists (and those interested in the Music Ministry). Mr. Paul Inwood, an internationally renowned clinician will be leading the workshop.

- Workshop Date: Saturday, Feb 2nd
- Time: 12:00 (noon) - 2:45 p.m.

Additional information available by email. Please contact JC Cantrell thru the Parish Office or by e-mail (music@stdominicchurch.org) if you have questions.

PARISH WORKSHOP FOR ALL LECTORS AND ALL INTERESTED PARISHONERS

Sunday, February 3rd, St Dominic's is hosting a workshop for all Lectors and those interested in the Lector Ministry. All are invited to participate. Mr. Paul Inwood, an internationally renowned clinician will be leading the workshop.

- Workshop Date: Sunday, Feb 3rd
- Time: 12:00 (noon) - 2:45 p.m.

Additional information available by email. Please contact JC Cantrell thru the Parish Office or by e-mail (music@stdominicchurch.org) if you have questions.

WORSHIP

We are blessed by the presence of many visitors and guests each week. Out of solemn respect for the Mass, we follow the custom of remaining at our places within the church until the conclusion of the Song for Sending Forth (recessional).

Please silence your cell phone: As an overt act of courtesy (and respect for the prayer of all), please silence/turn off your cell phone when you arrive in the church.

Sung Mass Responses: Our community's sung and spoken responses during the ritual prayers of the liturgy are a core element of our communal prayer.

- All weekend masses use the sung mass responses of the Missa Simplex, starting with the Kyrie [found in the Blue Hymnal (#133) or the Breaking Bread Book (insert pg. 2)]. Reminder: The Gloria is not sung on Sundays of Advent.
- The other mass parts follow the Kyrie.

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Doris Baldwin, Debora Brownlee, Jerome Buke, Col. Roscoe Campbell, Khristofer Chowbay, Danny Chowbay, Barbara Dever, Helen G. Hewit, Thomas Geron, Jazz Goff, Carmen Gowers, Marion Halwick, Patricia & Patrick Hannon, Mona Hennesy, Mary Hogan, Karla Humbles, Marilyn Jarvis, June Jaeger, Maureen Kish, C. Richard Kotulak, Ray Leslie, Andrea Martin, James F. McGrath, III, Mary McMorrow, Rose Montas, Richard Pane, Tomas Ramirez, Maria DeJesus Sanchez, Bruce Sanowar, Rosa Maria Santos, Mike Scarpulla, Frances White, Sandra Yates, and the other sick of the Parish and Priory.

SANCTUARY CANDLE



*For Fr. Bernard Timothy, O.P.
and his new assignment*

Arrangements to donate the Sanctuary Lamp for a week for \$15 or a Mass Intention for \$10 can be made in the parish office.

THE WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, January 27

8:00am People of the Parish
10:30am Shrine of St. Jude Benefactors
5:00pm Mary Healey

Monday, January 28

8:00am William Kormos (D)
12:10pm Deceased Dominican Sisters

Tuesday, January 29

8:00am Bohdana Krawick (D)
12:10pm Dick Wong (D)

Wednesday, January 30

8:00am David Putnam
12:10pm Audrey McQuillan

Thursday, January 31

8:00am Philip Akers
12:10pm John Paul Williams

Friday, February 1

8:00am Lane Sayles
12:10pm Irene Butchkosky (D)

Saturday, February 2

9:00am Catie Fedoryka
5:00pm Danylo Fedoryka

STAFF AND DOMINICAN FRIARS of the PROVINCE of SAINT JOSEPH

PARISH:

Pastor: Fr. Hyacinth Cordell, O.P.
Parochial Vicar: Fr. Bernard Timothy, O.P.

PARISH MINISTRIES:

Altar Servers & Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Alice Serar
Lectors: Kathryn Aldridge
Music: JC Cantrell
RCIA: Fr. Hyacinth Cordell, O.P.
St. Dominic's Cenacle: Fr. Hyacinth Cordell, O.P.
Social Concerns, The St. Martin de Porres Society & Community Events: Cecilia Daly
Gardening Angels: Elysia Branson
Young Adults: Katie Brizek

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEMBERS:

A new Parish Council is currently being formed.
Look for a new list with photo coming soon.

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL MEMBERS:

Simon Ciccarillo, Jackie Griffin, Eileen Lyons,
MaryJane Morrow, Ria Nicole Robinson

PARISH STAFF:

Business / Facilities Manager: Ed Von Hagel
Pastoral Associate: Margaret Maxwell
Worship Coordinator: JC Cantrell

FRIARS IN RESIDENCE:

Prior: Fr. Jacob Restruck, O.P.

Reverend Father: Aquinas Beale, O.P., Leo Camurati, O.P., Luke Clark, O.P., Hyacinth Cordell, O.P., Peter Gautsch, O.P., Andrew Hofer, O.P., Jacob Bertrand Janczyk, O.P., Gerard Lessard, O.P., Louis Mason, O.P., Mannes Matous, O.P., Andrew Nicolichia, O.P., Gabriel O'Donnell, O.P., Matthew Rzczkowski, O.P., Bede Shipps, O.P., Bernard Timothy, O.P.

Brother: Patrick Foley, O.P.

Deacon Student Brothers: Paul Clarke, O.P., Joseph Hagan, O.P., Norbert Keliher, O.P., John Paul Kern, O.P., Antoninus Samy, O.P., John Mark Solitario, O.P.



WELCOME

No matter how long you're planning to be in the neighborhood, please consider this your home. Fill out a registration form found in the vestibule of the church or on the website, or stop by the parish office.



MASS TIMES

SUNDAY MASSES

- 5:00pm Vigil (Saturday)
- 8:00am
- 10:30am (followed by coffee and donuts in the Parish Meeting Room)
- 5:00pm

WEEKDAYS

Monday—Friday:

- 8:00am
- 12:10pm (followed by the veneration of a relic of St. Jude on Fridays)

Saturday:

- 9:00am

HOLY DAYS

- 5:00pm Vigil
- 8:00am
- 12:10pm
- 7:00pm



CONFESSION TIMES

SUNDAY

- Following the 10:30am Mass

MONDAY-FRIDAY

- 11:55am—12:30pm

SATURDAY

- 4:30pm



ADMINISTRATION OF THE SACRAMENTS

Please Contact the Parish Office

Baptism: "Parents are obliged to take care that infants are baptized in the first few weeks" (*Code of Canon Law, 867§1*).

Matrimony: "And the two shall become one flesh" (*Mark 10:8*).

Holy Eucharist at Home: When a fellow parishioner is in the hospital or unable to attend Mass.

Anointing of the Sick: Those facing serious illness or entering the hospital.



CHURCH HOURS

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| SUNDAY | MON—FRI | SAT |
| • 7am—6pm | • 7am—3:30pm | • 8am—6pm |

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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| SUNDAY | MON—FRI | SAT |
| • 9:00am—1:00pm | • 8:30am—5:00pm | • Closed |



ST. PETER SCHOOL

- 422 3rd St SE Washington, DC
- (202) 544-1618
- www.stpeterschooldc.org
- Grades K—8



WATERFRONT ACADEMY

- 60 I Street SW Washington, DC
- (202) 484-0044
- www.waterfrontacademy.org
- Montessori 18months—Grade 8

St. Dominic Church is a Christ-centered, Roman Catholic, and Dominican parish for the people of Southwest, DC and beyond.

Our mission is to preach the Gospel and make disciples, and glorify God through the Eucharist and the other Sacraments, build up the communion of the Church, and serve others through the spiritual and corporal works of mercy.

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