

ST. DOMINIC CATHOLIC CHURCH

Serving Southwest Washington since 1852

Fourth Sunday of Easter



Sunday, April 25, 2021

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — "There is no salvation through anyone else." (Acts 4:8-12)

Psalm — "The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone." (Psalm 118)

Second Reading — "See what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God." (1 John 3:1-2)

Gospel — "The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep." (John 10:11-18).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4; Jn 10:1-10

Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-7; Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday: Acts 12:24 — 13:5a; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Jn 12:44-50

Thursday: Acts 13:13-25; Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25, 27; Jn 13:16-20

Friday: Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-11ab; Jn 14:1-6

Saturday: Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 14:7-14

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK & DECEASED

Please pray for the sick and recently deceased parishioners and family members of the Parish and Priory.

Sick: Lynn McGrath, Ernest Yambot, Pat L., and Christina Cateuro

Deceased: Lauren Morris, Yvonne Parker, Patricia Lucas, Charlie Colman, Timothy Gipe, Doris Baldwin, Gloria Goodwin, Rose Montas, and Elsie L. Fleming.

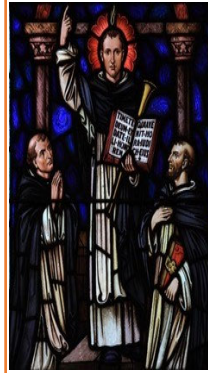
SANCTUARY CANDLE



*In memory of
Zachary D'Souza*

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

CHURCH HISTORY



The feast day of St. Vincent Ferrer (1350-1419) was April 5th. The 2nd window on the north side of the church features St. Vincent Ferrer holding the Book of Revelation. The flame above his head symbolizes the Holy Spirit's call to preach the Gospel.

~ Courtesy of Mary Moran

ST. ANSELM & MASS INTENTIONS



St. Anselm declares that a single Mass offered for oneself during life may be worth more than a thousand celebrations for the same intention after death.

Dates beginning in mid-April 2021 are available now. Contact the Parish Office, Monday through Friday, at (202) 554-7863, 8:30am to 5pm or email us at Office@StDominicChurch.org for 2021 dates.

THE WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, April 25

5:00pm Vigil Simone & Albert Families
8:00am Hanna Dudek
10:30am People of the Parish
5:00pm Rosary Shrine of St. Jude Benefactors

Monday, April 26

8:00am † Helen Borkowski
12:10pm † All Souls in Purgatory

Tuesday, April 27

8:00am Joseph Miller
12:10pm Shirley Handler

Wednesday, April 28

8:00am † All Souls in Purgatory
12:10pm Melissa Ferrucci

Thursday, April 29

8:00am Melissa Ferrucci
12:10pm Jennifer Lee Kormos

Friday, April 30

8:00am † James Hofer
12:10pm † All Souls in Purgatory

Saturday, May 1

9:00am Mothers Day Novena

THIS WEEK:

Sunday, April 25



DONUT SOCIAL

Join us after the 10:30 Mass
for coffee, donuts and fellowship on the sidewalk in front of the church.

- **After the 10:30 Mass**

Weather permitting. Face coverings required.

Tuesday, April 27



St. DOMINIC CENACLE

Join Cenacle, via Zoom, as they discuss
“Reflections on Mercy”

- **7pm** – via Zoom

See the parish website for the Zoom link.

Thursday, April 29



St. DOMINIC YOUNG ADULTS

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

Confessions, Adoration & the Rosary

- **7pm** – In the Church
- **7:50pm** – Fellowship on the front sidewalk

In-Person & Via YouTube

Face coverings required. Check the SDYA web page for the YouTube link.

SAINT OF THE DAY FOR APRIL 28 — ST. PETER CHANEL



Anyone who has worked in loneliness, with great adaptation required and with little apparent success, will find a kindred spirit in Peter Chanel.

Born in France, Peter's interest in the missions began in school, when he read letters missionaries to America sent back home. As a young priest, Peter revived a parish in a “bad” district by the simple method of showing great devotion to the sick. Wanting to be a missionary, he joined the Society of Mary, the Marists, at 28. Obediently, he taught in the seminary for five years. Then, as superior of seven Marists, he traveled to Western Oceania. The bishop accompanying the missionaries left Peter and a brother on Futuna Island northeast of Fiji, promising to return in six months. He was gone five years.

Meanwhile, Peter struggled with this new language and mastered it, making the difficult adjustment to life with whalers, traders, and warring natives. Despite little apparent success and severe want, he maintained a serene and gentle spirit, plus endless patience and courage. A few natives had been baptized, a few more were being instructed. When the chieftain's son asked to be baptized, persecution by the chieftain reached a climax. Father Chanel was clubbed to death.

Within two years after his death, the whole island became Catholic and has remained so. He was canonized by Pope Pius XII in 1954. Peter Chanel is the first martyr of Oceania and its patron.

Source: Franciscan Media



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.



SUNDAY MASSES

- 5:00pm Vigil (*Saturday*)
- 8:00am
- 10:30am
- 5:00pm

MASS TIMES

WEEKDAYS

Monday—Friday:

- 8:00am
- 12:10pm

Saturday:

- 9:00am

HOLY DAYS

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



SUNDAY

- 9:45am

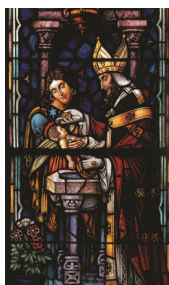
CONFESSION TIMES

MONDAY-FRIDAY

- 11:45am—12:10pm

SATURDAY

- 4:30pm



ADMINISTRATION OF THE SACRAMENTS

Please Contact the Parish Office

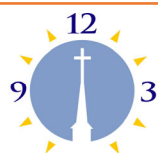
Baptism: "Parents are obliged to take care that infants are baptized in the first few weeks" (*Code of Canon Law, 867§1*).

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.

Adoration: Every other Thursday from 7-7:30pm (Church)

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



CHURCH HOURS

SUN—FRI

- 7am—7pm

SAT

- 8am—7pm

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

MON—FRI

- 8:30am—5:00pm



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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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