

ST. DOMINIC CATHOLIC CHURCH

Serving Southwest Washington since 1852



Sunday, 20 September 2020
25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

THIS WEEK:

Tuesday, September 22



St. DOMINIC CENACLE

Join Cenacle via Zoom as they watch and discuss
Episode 2 of "The Chosen" at **7pm**

See the parish website for the Zoom link.

Thursday, September 24

St. DOMINIC YOUNG ADULTS

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

Join the group for Adoration and the Rosary
in person in the church or via YouTube at 7pm.

See the parish website for the YouTube link or check the SDYA page.



PRAY FOR THE SICK

Doris Baldwin, Debora Brownlee, Jerome Buke, Col. Roscoe Campbell, Khristofer Chowbay, Sally Daly, Barbara Dever, Helen G. Hewit, Thomas Geron, Jazz Goff, Carmen Gowers, Patricia & Patrick Hannon, 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



In memory of Albert Balint.

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

THE WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, September 20

5:00pm Vigil † Edward Tchong
8:00am Rosary Shrine of St. Jude Benefactors
10:30am † Dr. Michael Nie
5:00pm People of the Parish

Monday, September 21

8:00am † James F. McGrath, Sr.
12:10pm Cecile Tchong

Tuesday, September 22

8:00am Sr. Mary St. John
12:10pm Luisa Maria Paredes

Wednesday, September 23

8:00am † Gabriel William Maxwell
12:10pm † Deceased Dominican Sisters

Thursday, September 24

8:00am † Richard Runyon
12:10pm Yesid Rodriguez

Friday, September 25

8:00am Maria
12:10pm † Francois & Simone de Wilde

Saturday, September 26

9:00am † Simeona Estelita Villanueva

MARK YOUR CALENDAR



The St. Dominic Chapter of the
Lay Dominicans will have a
Fraternity Meeting on
Sunday, October 4th

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

Come and join us!

COATS FOR KIDS



Even though it is still warm outside, it is time to think about helping a child stay warm this winter by supporting the Knights of Columbus Coats for Kids program. We expect the need to be more intense this year because many families are struggling with unemployment due to the pandemic.

Just \$25 will buy a new, good-quality coat for a child in our neighborhood. We will distribute the coats in conjunction with the St. Vincent de Paul food pantry. You may donate through FaithDirect.net or you can make a check out to St. Dominic Church and write "Coats for Kids" in the subject line, or write Coats for Kids on an envelope and place it in the collection basket.

Thank you for your generosity.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Turn to the LORD who is generous in forgiving (Isaiah 55:6-9).

Psalm — The Lord is near to all who call upon him (Psalm 145).

Second Reading — Live your lives in a way worthy of the gospel of Christ (Philippians 1:20c-24, 27a).

Gospel — The last will be first, and the first will be last (Matthew 20:1-16a).

DIRECTION

Isaiah tells us something that we already know, and yet seem to forget every now and then. He tells us, essentially, that God is God and we are not. When we're confused and troubled and can't figure everything out, it might be wise to recall Isaiah speaking on the Lord's behalf and explaining that God—who is on a much more, well, Godly wavelength than we are—moves in ways we can't even imagine.

Saint Paul, by comparison, has everything figured out. Kind of. At least he understands his calling in life—to magnify Christ in everything he does. That should give all of us the direction we need. Jesus gives us direction, too, explaining to us once again in the parable of the workers in the vineyard that the last will be first, and the first, last.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-5; Mt 9:9-13

Tuesday: Prv 21:1-6, 10-13; Ps 119:1, 27, 30, 34, 35, 44;
Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday: Prv 30:5-9; Ps 119:29, 72, 89, 101, 104, 163;
Lk 9:1-6

Thursday: Eccl 1:2-11; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17bc; Lk 9:7-9

Friday: Eccl 3:1-11; Ps 144:1b, 2abc, 3-4; Lk 9:18-22

Saturday: Eccl 11:9 — 12:8; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17;
Lk 9:43b-45

Sunday: Ez 18:25-28; Ps 25:4-9; Phil 2:1-11 [1-5];
Mt 21:28-32



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 Mtg Rm*)
- 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

- 9:45am

MONDAY-FRIDAY

- 11:55am—12:15pm

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: Tuesday & Thursday from 7-7:30pm (Church); Thursdays from 5pm-6pm (Friar's Chapel).

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



CHURCH HOURS

SUN—FRI

- 7am—8pm

SAT

- 8am—8pm

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

SUNDAY

- 9:00am—1:00pm

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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