ST. DOMINIC CATHOLIC CHURCH Serving Southwest Washington since 1852



Second Sunday of

March 17, 2019



"Master, it is good that we are here; let us make three tents, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah."

Luke 9:33

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Mark Your Calendar

CHANT MASS

Chant Mass for St. Joseph



Tuesday, March 19th at 7pm

St. Dominic Church invites all to the Solemnity of St. Joseph, the unique experience of an all-sung Mass.

The Mass will be mostly in English with some Latin.

- 6:30pm—Confessions
- 7:00pm—Chant Mass

(Homilist: Br. Jonah Teller, OP)

• 8:30pm—Refreshments (Parish Mtg Rm)

KNEELER REPAIR

The next Kneeler Repair session will be on Saturday, **March 23rd**, after the 9:00am Mass. The project will be on-going until all the worn and damaged kneelers have been renewed.



Additional volunteers are welcome and needed. Whether or not you are good with tools, we'd be glad to have your help.

RSVPs encouraged to help us prepare: Email Ed Von Hagel at: businessmgr@stdominicchurch.org.

FOOD DRIVE



The next collection for the St. Vincent de Paul food pantry will be the weekend of **March 23rd & 24th**. Please be generous.

You may leave your donation at the front of the pulpit.

SOME



St. Dominic's next **SOME** (So Others Might Eat) meal is Saturday, **March 30th**. We need volunteers to prepare meatloaves and macaroni and cheese for the meal. Baking pans and

sign up sheets are available in the Church's main vestibule.

Your donation of food and time is greatly appreciated!

Passiontide Service

The Psalms Fulfilled



Saturday, April 6th

St. Dominic Church invites all to Passiontide

- 6:30pm—Confessions
- 7:00pm—Service
- 8:00pm—Refreshments (Parish Mtg Rm)

THE WAY RETREAT FOR SURVIVORS OF ABUSE

As the Church continues to minister to all survivors of abuse, the Archdiocese of Washington is sponsoring retreats for survivors. The Archdiocese will offer a men's



retreat on **April 5th-7th**, 2019, and a women's retreat on **April 12th-14th**, 2019 for survivors. These retreats are an occasion for survivors to reflect on God's plan for their lives and for healing through prayer and the sacraments. For more information and to register go to https://adw.org/the-way-retreat/or call Deborah McDonald at (301) 853-4466.

THIS WEEK:



Sunday, March 17

Religious Movie Seminar

Heavens Above!

6:30pm—Parish Meeting Room

- Peter Sellers, Cecil Parker, Malcolm Muggeridge
 - Director/Producer/Writer: John Boulting (1963) 105 minutes



Sunday, March 17

Lunch & Learn:

EVANGELIZATION: It's Not As Scary as it Sounds!

A TALK BY FORMER FOCUS STUDENT LEADER
KATHERINE DEAN

- 11:30am—St. Patrick's Day Lunch @ \$5 /each
 - 12pm—Talk



For the Solemnity of St. Joseph

- **6:30pm**—Confessions
- 7:00pm—Chant Mass (Homilist: Br. Jonah Teller, OP)
- 8:30pm—Refreshments (Parish Meeting Room)



Thursday, March 21

Temptations & Temperaments: Melancholy

St. Dominic Young Adults

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

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





Newly Added Confession Time on Sunday!

9:45AM (NEW TIME)

& AFTER THE 10:30AM MASS





St. Patrick of Ireland

St. Patrick of Ireland is one of the world's most popular saints. He was born in Roman Britain and when he was fourteen, he was captured by Irish pirates during a raiding party and taken to Ireland as a slave to herd and tend sheep. At the time, Ireland was a land of Druids and pagans but Patrick turned to God.

Patrick's captivity lasted until he was twenty, when he escaped after having a dream from God in which he was told to leave Ireland by going to the coast. There he found some sailors who took him back to Britain and was reunited with his family.



A few years after returning home, Patrick saw a vision that prompted his studies for the priesthood. He was ordained by St. Germanus, the Bishop of Auxerre, whom he had studied under for years, and was later ordained a bishop and sent to take the Gospel to Ireland.

He arrived in Ireland on March 25, 433. He met the chieftain of one of the druid tribes, who tried to kill him. After an intervention from God, Patrick was able to convert the chieftain and preach the Gospel throughout Ireland. There, he converted many people—eventually thousands—and he began building churches across the country.

He often used shamrocks to explain the Holy Trinity and entire kingdoms were eventually converted to Christianity after hearing Patrick's message. Patrick preached and converted all of Ireland for 40 years. He worked many miracles and wrote of his love for God in Confessions. After years of living in poverty, traveling and enduring much suffering, he died March 17, 461.

He died at Saul, where he had built the first Irish church. He is believed to be buried in Down Cathedral, Downpatrick. His grave was marked in 1990 with a granite stone.

Today's Readings

First Reading — The Lord made a covenant with Abram (Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18).

Psalm — The Lord is my light and my salvation (Psalm 27).

Second Reading — Our citizenship is in heaven (Philippians 3:17 - 4:1 [3:20 - 4:1]).

Gospel — Atop a mountain, Jesus was transfigured before Peter, James, and John (Luke 9:28b-36).

STAND FIRM IN THE LORD

It is not hard to imagine, in this age of wars, evil groups bent on the destruction of humanity, and political follies, that the words of Saint Paul were so accurate, even for his time. It seems that the world never changes. Paul says, "Many . . . conduct themselves as enemies of the cross of Christ. Their end is their destruction . . . Their minds are occupied with earthly things" (Philippians 3:18, 19). The result is the destruction of innocent people and of the Earth itself. But Paul says to the Philippians, "our citizenship is in heaven, and from it we also await a savior, the Lord Jesus Christ" (3:20). He will "change our lowly body to conform with his glorified body" (3:21). Note that he says "body" rather than "bodies." He is talking about the whole community of believers, who, following the example of Jesus and of Paul, will come into the glory of God. So "stand firm in the Lord" (4:1).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10; Ps 79:8, 9, 11, 13; Lk 6:36-38

Tuesday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Ps 89:2-5, 27, 29;

Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22; Lk 2:41-51a

Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20; Ps 31:5-6, 14-16; Mt 20:17-28

Thursday: Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 16:19-31

Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a; 17b-28a; Ps 105:16-21;

Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12;

Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

Sunday: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15; Ps 103:1-4, 6-8, 11;

1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12; Lk 13:1-9

Stewardship		
Offertory Collection	3/10/2019	\$4,968.00
Capital Repair & Maint. Collection	3/10/2019	\$397.00

CHURCH CLEANING

We are looking for people to help manage our monthly church 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.

THE GARDEN ANGELS

The growing season is upon us! We do lawn and garden maintenance, and grounds clean-up on the 1st, 3rd,



and & 5th Saturdays of the month. If you would like to join us, please email Elysia Branson at ebowserbuddy@aol.com.

2019 Annual Jubilarian Mass



The annual Jubilarian Mass honoring couples married 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50 and 51+ years will be held **Sunday, June 23rd** @ 2pm at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. Please call the parish office or use the sign-up

forms in the back of church to register. Names of jubilarians need to be turned in to the parish office by Friday, April 26.

CHURCH HISTORY

We celebrate the feast day of St. Vincent Ferrer (1350-1419) on April 5th. In Spain, France, and elsewhere, he drew huge crowds among Jews, Muslims, and Christians as he warned of the evils of the time and preached the need for penance and church reform. The 2nd double window on the north



side of the church shows St. Vincent holding the Book of Revelation. "Timete Deum et date illi honorem quia venit hora iudicii eius" means "Fear God and give honor to him for the hour of his judgment is coming."

- Courtesy of Mary Moran.

LEAVE A LEGACY

Please remember St. Dominic Church in your will and estate planning. Your thoughtfulness will enable the parish to continue its presence, ministry, and outreach in Southwest Washington.

Lay Minister of the Mass? Volunteers wanted

We encourage Catholic members of the community in good standing to become more involved in our parish as a Lay Minister of the Mass. Lay Ministers serve at all scheduled liturgies as well as Holy Days and special Parish liturgies. Every volunteer is important as there are over 100 slots every week to fill.

 Lay Ministries include Acolyte, Lector, Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, and Music. All ministries need additional volunteers.

Please contact JC Cantrell thru the Parish Office or by email for more information. JC email: (music@stdominicchurch.org)

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.

For the Season of Lent, we will be singing the responses from the Roman Missal (usually referenced as the Latin Chant Mass). Also, in accordance with the Liturgical Rubrics, the Gloria is omitted during the Season of Lent (with the exception of special Feast Masses).

- The Latin Chant Mass is published in the Tan/Green (Breaking Bread) Book starting with the Sanctus (BB#932). The other mass parts follow the Sanctus.
- The Latin Chant Mass is also published in the Blue Hymnal (using historic chant notation of the 12th-14th century) starting with the Sanctus #101. The other mass parts follow the Sanctus.

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, James F. McGrath, Jr., Mary McMorrow, Rose Montas, Richard Pane, Tomas Ramirez, Maria DeJesus Sanchez, Bruce Sanowar, Rosa Maria Santos, Mike Scarpulla, Frances White, Saundra Yates, and the other sick of the Parish and Priory.

SANCTUARY CANDLE



In memory of Jim Russell

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, March 17

8:00am Lenten Remembrance 10:30am People of the Parish

5:00pm Shrine of St. Jude Benefactors

Monday, March 18

8:00am Lenten Remembrance

12:10pm Poor Souls

Tuesday, March 19

8:00am Lenten Remembrance

12:10pm Deceased Dominican Sisters

Wednesday, March 20

8:00am Lenten Remembrance

12:10pm Dr. Mark Li

Thursday, March 21

8:00am Lenten Remembrance

12:10pm Ann DeSano

Friday, March 22

8:00am Lenten Remembrance 12:10pm People of the Parish

Saturday, March 23

9:00am Lenten Remembrance5:00pm People of the Parish

St. Dominic Staff

PARISH STAFF:

Fr. Hyacinth Cordell, OP (Pastor), Fr. Bede Shipps, OP (Associate),

JC Cantrell (Worship Coordinator)

Ed Von Hagel (Business/Facilities Mgr), Michael White (Organist),

Mary Lou Cantrell (Musician)

and Margaret Maxwell, (Pastoral Associate)

Parish Pastoral Council Members:

Margaret MacLeod, Maria Eugenia Lane, Chris Nodes, Amelia Castro-Mendoza, Deborah Irwin, Simon Ciccarillo

Parish Finance Council Members:

Eileen Lyons, Jackie Griffin, Nicole Robinson, Simon Ciccarillo, MJ Marrow



THE DOMINICAN FRIARS AT St. DOMINIC PRIORY

DID YOU KNOW? ... There are 26 Dominican Friars living in the building attached to the church (the *Priory*): 2 Parish Priests; 1 Prior (Superior of the Community); 1 Student Master (of the Deacons); 3 Professors; 1 Mission Preacher; 4 "Young Dads" (newly ordained priests finishing their studies); 3 Retired Priests; 1 Priest on a Brief Sabbatical; 1 Vocational Director; 1 Supply Work Priest; 1 Cooperator Brother (who helps out in the parish); 6 Deacons preparing for priesthood, and; 1 Priest assigned but not living here (a seminary professor in Colorado).



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 (followed by coffee and donuts in the Parish Mtg Rm)
- 5:00pm

Mass Times

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

MONDAY-FRIDAY SUNDAY

• 9:45am & after the 10:30am Mass (Starting Sunday, March 24)

• 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.

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



CHURCH HOURS

Mon-Fri SAT SUNDAY

• 7am-6pm • 7am-3:30pm • 8am-6pm

Parish Office Hours

SUNDAY Mon-Fri SAT

• 9:00am—1:00pm • 8:30am—5:00pm • Closed



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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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