**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.

**Listening Device:** If you are in need of a personal listening device at Mass, please ask the Music Minister or Priest.

**Our Church is Open:**
*Mon—Fri:* 7 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.; *Sat:* 8 a.m. – 6 p.m.;
*Sun:* 7 a.m. - 6 p.m. (Note: The Church is closed after Mass on a Federal Holiday)

**Fellowship with Coffee and Donuts:** Sundays after the 10:30 a.m. Mass. All are welcome.

**Bulletin Deadline:** Fridays - 8:00 a.m.

**St. Peter School:** “Founded in 1868, St. Peter School provides children with an education founded on love of God and service to others, characterized by Catholic values and academic excellence.”

**Celebration of Holy Mass**

**Weekdays**
*Mondays—Fridays:* 8:00 a.m. & 12:10 p.m.
*(8:00 a.m. only on a Federal Holiday)*
*Sat* (Saturdays): 9:00 a.m.

**Sunday Masses**
*Saturdays:* 5:00 p.m. Vigil
*Sundays:* 8:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 5:00 p.m.

**Holy Days**
5:00 p.m. Vigil; 8:00 a.m., 12:10 p.m., 7:00 p.m.

**Devotions and Sacraments**

**Devotions — Rosary Shrine of St. Jude**
http://www.rosaryshrineofstjude.org
Phone: (212) 535-3664
Rosary: 11:45 a.m. Mondays - Fridays
Veneration of the relic of St. Jude: Fridays, following the 12:10 p.m. Mass.

**Holy Hour (Eucharistic Adoration)**
*Thursdays:* 4:45 p.m. — 5:45 p.m.

**The Sacrament of Reconciliation**
*Mondays—Fridays:* 11:55 a.m.; *Saturdays:* 4:30 p.m.
*Sundays:* Immediately following the 10:30 a.m. Mass

**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:** A minimum of six months preparation is required by the Archdiocese.
- **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.

Please note that the first two rows of the center aisle of the church are reserved for individuals with disabilities. The entrance for persons with disabilities is on Frontage Road on the south side of the church.

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Good morning (or evening)!

My name is Katie Brizek and I’m currently serving the parish as the president of St. Dominic Young Adults (efficiently shortened to ‘SDYA’). SDYA was founded in October 2015 by Fr. Hyacinth and a handful of passionate young parishioners, with just a smidge of help from our friend St. Therese of Lisieux. Since that time the group has grown into a close-knit community of young people who are serious about faith, virtue, community and good conversations, and who come from right here in southwest or as far away as Baltimore to support one another in our individual and shared journeys to become the saints that God has created us to be. And we’re always realizing afresh how challenging and incredible and beautiful a path it is to travel, and how much easier and merrier it becomes with friends to help you on your way.

As for me, I grew up in northern New Jersey with my two brothers, only sister, and amazingly hardworking mother and father who homeschooled us and run their own business. I dwelt happily in the shadow of the Appalachian Mountains until my undergrad days at Christendom College where I studied history but most importantly learned how profoundly God loves me in particular, the plans he has for my life and the amazing and holy people he will give me along the way. For the first year after I graduated I worked as a missionary, first in Chile and then in upstate New York, but for the past two years I have been living and working in DC. I never get far from the Dominicans because when I’m not at St. Dominic’s I’m in my office at the Dominican House of Studies in northeast, event planning and fundraising for the Thomistic Institute. I love to discover new places, whether that be right here in DC or halfway across the world and have had some of the best times road tripping with friends across various states, taking in corn fields and laughing at billboards. I also enjoy dancing (especially swing and in-my-kitchen), hiking, singing, debating (mostly philosophy, but you can get me started on pretty much anything), reading, crocheting and lingering over brunch until twilight with good friends, talking about everything under the sun.
Pastoral Corner... continued

Possibly the only thing SDYA-ers like better than old friends is new faces. Please join us any Thursday at 7 pm for Eucharistic adoration followed by a discussion on anything from the doctors of the Church to the four temperaments. We hope to welcome you soon into our little slice of the communion of saints!

In Christ,
Katie Brizek

Save the Date

St. Dominic Mass
Wednesday, August 8th
7pm Solemn Mass

- Homilist: Fr. Bernard Timothy, O.P.
- Veneration of a relic of St. Dominic
- Reception in the Parish Meeting Room

Attention Weekday and Weekend Acolytes, Lectors, Ushers, and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Typically July and August are months with many unexpected absences of our Weekend and Weekday Lay Ministers. Lectors, Acolytes and EMHC continue to be needed at almost all masses. All Lay Ministers are asked to volunteer to fill vacancies whenever possible.

We will update the September—October Lay Minister Schedule of Masses next week. We request all Lay Ministers update their available/unavailable dates for the months of September and October as soon as possible via the Ministry Scheduler Pro (MSP) web-site or app.

Please contact JC Cantrell thru the Parish Office or by e-mail music@stdominicchurch.org if you need assistance or have questions regarding MSP.

Worship

At all weekend celebrations of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, we are singing the Siena Chant Mass responses starting with the Kyrie (#149) and Gloria (#150) in the Blue Hymnal. The other mass parts follow the Gloria.

Ministerial Formation: Increasing our understanding of the ministerial roles and functions of Lay Ministers of the Mass

We provide Lay Minister of the Mass training in the practical procedures used by our Parish Lay Ministers as well as ministerial formation and development opportunities. In the month of July, our parish music ministers are participating in clinics and workshops sponsored by the National Association of Pastoral Musicians. In the coming year, virtual training webinars as well as parish workshops are being planned for all Lay Ministries (Acolytes, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC), Lectors, Music Ministers and Ushers).

We are always seeking/recruiting additional volunteers to serve our parish community as Lay Ministers of the Mass. If you would like to volunteer or additional information, please contact JC Cantrell thru the Parish Office or e-mail music@stdominicchurch.org.

Church Maintenance & History

The next monthly cleaning will be Saturday, August 11th, after the 9:00 a.m. 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.

History: The figure on the Northwest corner of the altar is St. Hyacinth (1185-1257) with the ciborium and statue of Virgin Mary. The Virgin Mary helped St. Hyacinth save both the Eucharist and her heavy statue when the Tartars sacked Kiev. As Hyacinth fled the attack, he and the community that accompanied him escaped the Tartars by miraculously walking on the water. His feast day is celebrated on August 17. - Courtesy of Mary Moran

The Garden Angels

We do lawn and garden maintenance, grounds clean-up, and anything that comes up on the 1st & 3rd & 5th Saturdays of the month. Drop-ins welcome! We need HELP to keep St. Dominic’s beautiful. Please email Elyisia Branson at ebowserbuddy@aol.com for further information. No Experience Needed!
The Weekly Mass Intentions

Sun, Jul 29
8:00 AM Paul Klauss
10:30 AM People of the Parish
5:00 PM Rosary Shrine of St. Jude Benefactors

Mon, Jul 30
8:00 AM
12:10 PM Frank Fernandes (D)

Tue, Jul 31
8:00 AM Deceased Dominican Sisters
12:10 PM Chirdon Family

Wed, Aug 1
8:00 AM Jeremy, Michael, & Robert
12:10 PM

Thu, Aug 2
8:00 AM Poor Souls
12:10 PM Bridget Cassady

Fri, Aug 3
8:00 AM Salvations of Souls
12:10 PM Samuel Fanucci

Sat, Aug 4
9:00 AM Deceased members of the Torrelli Family
5:00 PM

Mass Intention Requests

Requests can be made for the living or deceased, in intercession or thanksgiving. Requests are made at the parish office. The suggested offering is $10.

Pray for the Sick

Doris Baldwin, Debora Brownlee, Jerome Buke, Col. Roscoe Campbell, Kristofer Chowbay, Danny Chowbay, Barbara Dever, Thomas Geron, Jazz Goff, Carmen Gowers, Marion Halwick, 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, Tomas Ramirez, Maria DeJesus Sanchez, Rosa Maria Santos, Mike Scarpulla, Frances White, Sandra Yates, Bruce Sanowar and the other sick of the Parish and Priory.

For the Intentions of:
Our Faith & Life Series Presenters

Stewardship

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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.

Thank you for your continued support of our parish family!

Poor Box

Donations to the parish Poor Box can be made by using the envelope in your packet, Faith Direct, dropping it off at the parish office, or by giving it to one of the priests. Your generosity enables the parish to assist the poor with grocery cards, rent assistance, utility assistance, etc. Please note that money put into the receptacle at the votive candle racks does not go to the Poor Box.

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.

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.

Thank You Fr. Aquinas!

This weekend is Father Aquinas Beale’s last weekend of summer service here at St. Dominic Church. Please take a moment to thank him for his service over these summer months and wish him well in his year of studies and future ministry. If you missed an opportunity to say thank you, please send a little note of gratitude to aquinas.beale@opeast.org
**This Week:**

**For Sunday Masses on July 28/29:**
Food Drive for the St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry. Food donations can be placed in front of the Ambo (pulpit) at the front of the Church.

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**Sunday, July 29**

Faith and Life Series
Week 6 - The Sexual Revolution’s Impact on the Life Issues
- 6:30 p.m.—8:30 p.m. (Parish Meeting Room)
  *Potluck—Please bring a dish to share*

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**Tuesday, July 31**

Cenacle Meeting
* A weekly group of discipleship for adults.
- 7:00 p.m. — Adoration with Confessions (Church)
- 7:40 p.m. — “On a Mission for God” The Bible and the Sacraments, Episode 3: Confirmation (Parish Meeting Room)

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**Thursday, August 2**

St. Dominic Young Adults
* For all young adults in their 20’s and 30’s*
- 7:00 p.m. — Adoration with Confessions (Church)
- 7:40 p.m. — 4 Signs of a Dynamic Catholic: Prayer

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**For Sunday Masses on August 4/5:**

Baby Items Drive for Capitol Hill Pregnancy Center.
We will collect practical items, such as diapers, wipes, and formula

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**Sunday, August 5**

Faith and Life Series
Week 7 - If you have a Right to Life, do you have a Right to Die?
- 6:30 p.m.—8:30 p.m. (Parish Meeting Room)
  *Potluck—Please bring a dish to share*