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)
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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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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Hello!

Our names are Samuel Russell and Laura Fullam (soon-to-be Russell). We are parishioners at St. Dominic, and this year we are helping to organize the Proverbs 24 Community (P24), along with Bessie Thibodeaux-Belcher and Monsignor Pope from nearby Holy Comforter-Saint Cyprian.

About P24: "Rescue those who are being taken away to death; hold back those who are stumbling to the slaughter." (Proverbs 24:11 RSV). P24 was founded in 2016 in response to the building of a Planned Parenthood facility in the NoMA neighborhood. Drawing our mission and inspiration from Proverbs 24, we are a pro-life community of lay people, priests, and religious from several D.C. parishes, primarily in and around Capitol Hill and Northeast. We strive to be witnesses of God’s grace, mercy, and healing. We pray especially for courage for those in difficult situations to make life affirming decisions. We pray for the conversions of those who work for or with Planned Parenthood and similar institutions. We pray for our society to embrace an authentic culture of life.

P24 usually meets one Saturday each month at Holy Name of Jesus Church in Northeast D.C., the closest church to the Planned Parenthood. From there, some people go out to pray in front of the facility, to simply be a peaceful and joyful presence to witness to the value of life. Some people remain at Holy Name for a Holy Hour of Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament to pray for the actions and intentions of those on the sidewalk. And some people prepare a meal for the entire group to share when we reconvene to debrief and be in fellowship with one another.

Our next P24 Witness Day will be Saturday, September 22nd beginning at 10:30am at Holy Name (920 11th Street, NE) There is a parking lot and street parking, and it is walkable from the NoMa/Gallaudet Metro Station. We invite you to consider joining us. If you are unsure but would like to learn more, or unable to make it but interested in supporting our ministry in another way, we welcome your questions and ideas. Please email p24community@gmail.com or visit our website at http://p24community.weebly.com.
Pastoral Corner … continued

About Us: Finally, a little more about us. Sam comes from southwest Georgia and studied Philosophy and Theatre at Georgia Southern University before moving to D.C. Laura grew up in upstate-ish New York and studied Music Education at Providence College. We met in graduate school at The Catholic University of America for Library and Information Science (plus History for Sam) and currently both work in the D.C. area. We’ve been coming to St. Dominic for almost three years - during which time Sam became Catholic through R.C.I.A. in 2017 - and are so thankful to be part of the parish community here. We love participating in Mass, being involved in the young adults group, attending Sunday night discussion and movie series, and, of course, sharing coffee and doughnuts on Sunday mornings. We are getting married in October and ask for your prayers. God bless!
- Sam and Laura

Music Ministry: Choir and Ensemble

The Parish Lay Ministers of the Mass support “regularly scheduled” weekday and weekend masses, as well as recurring liturgies such as Feast Days, Holy Days of Obligation, Weddings, Funerals, and Parish special events such as Advent Stations and Passiontide.

This past Friday night (September 14th) we hosted a special liturgy which included time for Reparation prayer for the universal church, Eucharistic Adoration and individual confession/Sacrament of Reconciliation. The liturgy provided time for reflection and healing for all who attended/participated. Of particular note, and in recognition of their service to our community, we are grateful for the prayerful service of the Lay Acolyte and Music Ministers (as well as the clergy) who supported the Friday night liturgy.

Social Justice

We will collect healthy, non-perishable food for the St. Vincent de Paul pantry next weekend. The pantry needs all types of food but please consider adding jelly or canned fruit to your donation.

Please consider making macaroni and cheese or meatloaves for our SOME meal on Saturday, September 29th. Recipes and baking pans are in the main vestibule.

St. Dominic Church will again partner with the Knights of Columbus to provide new, good quality children’s coats for low-income families. Each coat costs about $20. You may donate through faithdirect.org or using the collection basket and writing Coats for Kids in the check’s subject line or on the envelope.

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

Many weekday and weekend masses for the month of September have unfilled vacancies for Lay Ministers. Lectors, Acolytes and EMHC Lay Ministers are asked to volunteer whenever they are available to fill the vacancies. Please use the MSP smartphone app or website to volunteer. The complete schedule thru Thanksgiving week is available for review via the MSP smartphone app or website. Please contact JC Cantrell thru the Parish Office or by e-mail music@stdominicchurch.org if you need assistance or have questions regarding the schedule.

Parish Community

The Knight of Columbus are hosting a Spaghetti Supper on Saturday, November 3rd at 6:00 p.m. The suggested donation is $12 per person, $25 for a family. The proceeds will benefit the poor box.

Church Maintenance & History

We will next clean the church on after the 9:00 a.m. Mass on Saturday, October 13th. New volunteers are always welcome.

History: The figure on the Southeast corner of the Altar of Sacrifice represents St. Pius V (1504-72). He wears the Papal Tiara and is holding a cross and rosary. Pius V is known as the ‘Pope of the Rosary’ because he declared October 7th the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary to honor Our Lady’s intercession in the miraculous victory of the Christian fleet over the Turks in the battle of Lepanto on October 7, 1571. - Courtesy of Mary Moran

Save the Date

Heritage Day
Sunday, October 21st
10:30AM Mass

• Bishop Michael Fisher will celebrate Mass for the formal installation of Fr. Hyacinth as Pastor
• Heritage Day Celebration after Mass
**The Weekly Mass Intentions**

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**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, 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, 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 Lamp Burning in the Sanctuary**

For purification and renewal within the Church

Arrangements to donate the Sanctuary Lamp for a week can be made in the parish office. The suggested offering is $15.00.

**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.

**St. Peter School News**

Calling all St. Peter School Moms: The HSA’s 3rd Annual Moms’ Night Out will take place on Thursday, September 20 at 8 pm on the roof deck at Red Rocks at 1348 H Street NE. Come join your fellow moms for a refreshment and lovely conversation.

The St. Peter community would like to extend a warm welcome to our new school counselor, Misty Motion. Mrs. Motion started her career in education in 2001. In 2004, she began her career as a school counselor and has worked at the elementary and high school levels. She holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Psychology and a Master of Education degree in School Counseling along with certifications in the fields of School Counseling and Middle Grades Language Arts and Social Studies.
**This Week:**

**Sunday, September 16**

Faith and Life Series  
Week 12 - The Challenge of Racism Today  
- 6:30 p.m.—8:30 p.m. (Parish Meeting Room)  
*Potluck—Please bring a dish to share

**Tuesday, September 18**

Cenacle Meeting  
* A weekly group of discipleship for adults.  
- 7:00 p.m. — Adoration and Confession (Church)  
- 7:40 p.m. — “Ordained to Serve” The Bible and the Sacraments, Episode 11: Holy Orders (Parish Meeting Room)

**Thursday, September 20**

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.— Seeing the World through the Lens of the Gospel  
- 8:40 p.m.—Refreshments and Fellowship (Parish Meeting Room)

**Sunday, September 23**

Faith and Life Series  
Final Week - “Who is My Brother?” Immigration as a Life Issue  
- 6:30 p.m.—8:30 p.m. (Parish Meeting Room)  
*Potluck—Please bring a dish to share