Today’s Readings

First Reading — “The man said, ‘This one is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; this one shall be called ‘woman.’’” (Genesis 2:18-24)

Psalm — “May the Lord bless us all the days of our lives.” (Psalm 128)

Second Reading — “He who consecrates and those who are being consecrated all have one origin.” (Hebrews 2:9-11)

Gospel — “Whoever does not accept the kingdom of God like a child shall not enter it.” (Mark 10:2-16 [2-12])

Readings for the Week

Monday: Jon 1:1 — 2:2, 11; Jon 2:3-5, 8; Lk 10:25-37
Tuesday: Jon 3:1-10; Ps 130:1b-4ab, 7-8; Lk 10:38-42
Wednesday: Jon 4:1-11; Ps 86:3-6, 9-10; Lk 11:1-4
Thursday: Mal 3:13-20b; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 11:5-13
Friday: Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2; Ps 9:2-3, 6, 16, 8-9; Lk 11:15-26
Saturday: Jl 4:12-21; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12; Lk 11:27-28

Prayers for the Sick & Deceased

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

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

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

Sanctuary Candle

In Honor of Mary Ann Balint from her loving family.

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

On October 20, 1886, a grand celebration of 2,000 people marked the opening of a new Dominican school and parish hall. By the 1850’s, the public school movement emerged as an essential component of American life, but conflict developed between the Catholic hierarchy and public schools—especially over the issue of Teaching the Protestant Bible. At the meeting of American Bishops in the First Plenary Council of Baltimore in 1852, the concept of parochial schools emerged as "indispensable to secure faith and morals among Catholic children.” — Courtesy of Mary Moran

Mass Intentions Availability

It is thought 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 early October 2021 are available now. Contact the Parish Office, Monday through Friday, at (202) 554-7863 or email us at StDominicChurch.org.

The Weekly Mass Intentions

Sunday, October 3
5:00pm Vigil † Justin Castano
8:00am People of the Parish
10:30am Holy Rosary Novena
5:00pm Rosary Shrine of St. Jude Benefactors

Monday, October 4
8:00am Holy Rosary Novena
12:10pm † William Kormos

Tuesday, October 5
8:00am Holy Rosary Novena
12:10pm Olivia Jolet

Wednesday, October 6
8:00am Holy Rosary Novena
12:10pm Jason Dingman

Thursday, October 7
8:00am Holy Rosary Novena
12:10pm † Harrold Shipps

Friday, October 8
8:00am Elcira Mosquera
12:10pm † Marie Weirig

Saturday, October 9
9:00am Charles P.
**This Week:**

**Sunday, October 3**

*St. Dominic's Chapter of the Lay Dominicans*

will gather for a Fraternity Meeting

- **12pm** — in the Church
- **1pm** — in the Parish Meeting Room where

  Martha Maturi will present the RULE of the Lay Fraternities of St. Dominic.

**Tuesday, October 5**

*St. Dominic Cenacle*

Join Cenacle, via Zoom, as they watch

**Lectio Prayer — Episode 3**

“Lectio & Meditatio — Climbing the First Rungs”

- **7pm** — via Zoom

See the parish website for the Zoom link.

This is NOT an in-person meeting.

**Thursday, October 7**

*St. Dominic Young Adults*

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

Confessions & Adoration

- **7pm** — in the Church
- **7:40pm** — Group Discussion — “Favorite Saints: John Henry Newman”

8:20pm — Fellowship

Face coverings requested.

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**Rosary Coast to Coast**

Please join with people all over America in praying the Rosary simultaneously for our Nation. Rosary Coast to Coast is **Sunday, October 10, 2021**.

Join Bishop Joseph Coffey, Archdiocese for the Military Services and Monsignor Charles Pope for a Eucharistic procession to the Mall. The group will gather at St. Peter Church on Capitol Hill, located at 313 2nd Street, SE by 1:30pm.

If you would like to see more information, visit www.RosaryCoastToCoast.com.

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**Catechism of the Catholic Church**

Join us for “*A Journey Through the Catechism of the Catholic Church*,” our **new weekly, in-person program** with Bro. Dominic Koester, OP.

All of your questions about the Catholic faith answered. A terrific program for “seasoned” Catholics as well as those new to the faith.

The group will meet in the Parish Meeting Room every Tuesday evening at 7pm. A book will be available for those wishing to purchase it.
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 Confession Times
- 9:45am

Monday-Friday Confession Times
- 11:45am—12:10pm

Saturday Confession Times
- 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 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

Catholic Schools
St. Peter School
- 422 3rd St SE Washington, DC
- (202) 544-1618
- www.stpeterschooldc.org
- Grades K—8

Waterfront Academy
- 222 M Street SW Washington, DC
- (202) 484-0044
- www.waterfrontacademy.org
- Montessori 18 months—Grade 8

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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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