Second Sunday of Lent

March 17, 2019

Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18 Psalm 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14 Philippians 3:17-4:1 Luke 9:28B-36

"This is my chosen Son; listen to him."





St. Dominic's is a Catholic
Parish Inspired by
Dominican Spirituality
Igniting the Faith for the
Salvation of Souls

Mass Intentions

03/17 7:30 am (D) Brenda Navarro Sun 9:00 am (D) Trinidad Julian 10:45 am (D) Bienvenido "Bobby" Anacta 12:30 pm (T) People of the Parish 5:00 pm (B) Olivia Makinano 03/18 6:45 am (D) Mary Ebright Mon 8:15 am (T) Gabriel Bonroy & Family Tues 03/19 6:45 am (D) Mr. & Mrs. J Maloney 8:15 am (D) Deceased Members of the Gabriel Bonroy Family Wed 03/20 6:45 am (D) Mary Ebright 8:15 am (B) Henry Cooper Thurs 03/21 6:45 am (D) Ruth Lydia L. Remo 8:15 am (D) Mary Bettencourt Fri 03/22 6:45 am (D) Mary Ebright 8:15 am (D) Rolando de Joya

Sun 03/24 7:30 am (D) Ventura Lustan 9:00 am (B) Arthur Haeni

03/23 8:15 am (D) Trinidad Julian

10:45 am (H) Elias Morr 12:30 pm (D) Pilar Garcia

5:00 pm (T) People of the Parish

5:00 pm (D) Cipriano & Lourdes Surban

Legend: (D) Deceased (H) Health (A) Anniversary (B) Birthday (T) Thanksgiving

In Observation of Lent No Altar Flowers

Ash Wednesday







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Messages

- Helpful parish updates
- Easily reply to requests
- Connect with our parish throughout the week

Learn more or download our parish app at **myparishapp.com**

*Available on Apple and Android Phones.



Interested in Joining St. Vincent de Paul?

St. Vincent de Paul Ministry meets the first Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm in the ministry center. To learn more about our ministry and get involved contact svdp@stdombenicia.org.

Please help us stock our pantry. We are in need of mayo, tuna, peanut butter, jelly, pasta, pasta sauce, rice, canned vegetables, canned fruit, soups, beef stew, cereal, pancake mix, syrup, fruit cups, etc.

If you know anyone who could use St. Vincent de Paul's help, please have them call 707-746-1773.

Schedule of Masses

Monday - Friday

6:45 am and 8:15 am Daily

Saturday

8:15 am Daily 5:00 pm Vigil

Sunday

7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:45 am 12:30 pm Spanish / English 5:00 pm Youth

1st Sunday of Month 3:00 pm Vietnamese

Weekly Confession

Saturday

3:30 pm - 4:30 pm In the Church Or by Appointment

Eucharistic Adoration

Open to the public

7:00 am - 8:00 pm daily In the Adoration Chapel

Tuesday

8:00 pm - 9:00 pm In the Church

Thank you for supporting our neighbors in need through the Annual Catholic Appeal

Your gift will make a difference in someone's life. If you have not yet made a donation, it's not too late! Envelopes are still available in the church or in the parish office. Please remember ...25% of what you give is returned to our parish to assist people in our own community who need help.

Guadalupana Association

The Guadalupana Association promotes devotion to Our Lady of Guadalupe and encourages community spirit among our parishioners. The Guadalupana Association meets at the Church the first Saturday of the month at 6:45 pm to pray the rosary in Spanish.



For more information, please contact us at guadalupana@stdombenicia.org

Upcoming Events

Grief Support Series

Saturdays, March 2nd - April 6th at 11:00 am In the Ministry Center Aquinas Room

Opening the Word Lent Through Easter

Mondays, March 11th - June 10th at 9:15 am In the Ministry Center Siena Room

Stations of the Cross & Soups Supper

Fridays, March 8th - April 12th 6:30 pm In the Church Soup Supper following in the Parish Hall

The Truth about Truth (Veritas) With Fr. Brad

Thursday, March 21st at 7:30 pm In the Parish Hall

The Characters of the Passion ~A Lenten Mission~

Saturday, March 23rd at 9:00 am In the Parish Hall

Knights of Columbus Breakfast

Sunday, March 24th at 8:00 am - Noon In the Parish Hall



RESPECT LIFE CORNER

respectlife@stdombenicia.org

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ, we wanted to take this opportunity to invite all of you to prayerfully consider participating in this years Lenten baby bottle drive.



Many of you participated last year and we were able to raise \$7,556.48 for The Bishop Gallegos Maternity Home in Sacramento.

The Bishop Gallegos Maternity Home is an awesome resource for mothers who wish to choose life, but are struggling financially, or in some other significant way, and need help. They provide temporary shelter, counseling services, food and clothing, financial support, as well as assistance with adoption services if they so choose. This is an excellent opportunity to do almsgiving to support pro-life activities during the Lenten season. The bottles will be available throughout Lent, please take one bottle per family and fill it with spare change, dollar bills, whatever you can sacrifice. Once filled, bring the bottles back to the parish office during office hours and we will collect them and turn them over to the Maternity Home. Thanks for your support of this life giving and loving service to our neighbors. Let's continue to build a culture of life through prayer, sacrifice, and alms giving.

God Bless you all.



Confirmation of adults is offered twice a year in our diocese. The next Confirmation Mass will take place on the Vigil of Pentecost, Sat. June 8, 2019 at 5:00 p.m. the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament.

This special Mass is for adults who were baptized in the Church, received First Holy Communion and have been regularly attending Mass, but were never confirmed. Those who have not received First Holy Communion and have not been attending Mass regularly should be treated as candidates in the RCIA process.

It is the parish's responsibility to prepare candidates for Confirmation based on the four pillars of the Catechism, with a special emphasis on the rites of initiation. Candidates should receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation before Confirmation.

For more information, please contact Deacon Errol Kissinger, ekissinger@stdombenicia.org or (707) 335-4674.

Classes begin Sunday, March 31, 2019 2:00 - 3:30 pm

In the Ministry Center Siena Room.

Together We Do More



God bless the generous donations of our parishioners. St. Vincent de Paul was able to help the needs of our Benicia community during the month of February 2019.

75 calls assisting 275 individuals Food: 59 deliveries Rent Assistance: \$237 Utility Assistance: \$2,342 Misc. Assistance: \$1,182*

Totals for those served: \$4,494
*Provided \$1,000 to the *Get on the Bus* program to help children visit incarcerated paretns on Mother's and Father's Day in California prisons.

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Fridays at 6:30 pm In the Church Soup Supper to follow In the Parish Hall

Hosted By:

March 22nd: St. Vincent de Paul March 29th: St. Dominic School **April 5th: Guadalupana Association April 12th: RCIA Alumni**

RCIA ALUMNI

Looking for RCIA Alumni for readings. set up and clean up on April 12th. Please reach out to Shannon Carter RCIA@stdombenicia.org



Mondays with Deacon Errol March 11th - June 10th 9:15 - 10:30 am **Ministry Center Siena Room**

Welcome to Opening the Word, a program offering prayer and insights for the Sunday Readings. Featuring a variety of experienced presenters including Dr. Tim Gray, Jules Miles, Dr. Scott and Annie Powell, Dr. Edward Sri, and Dr. Ben Akers, the videos are designed to facilitate thought and discussion for personal faith formation or in the context of a group meeting. Personal Prayer Journals and a group Leader's Guides are also available to make the most of these Sunday Readings.

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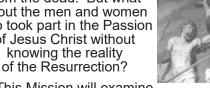
March 23rd at 9:00 am to 12:00 pm In the Parish Hall Led by Fr. Jerome Cudden, O.P.

In Lent we prepare ourselves spiritually to enter into our Lord Jesus Christ's Passion.



When we read the scriptural accounts of the Passion of Jesus Christ, we read the Gospels through a Resurrection lens because we know Jesus has risen from the dead. But what about the men and women who took part in the Passion of Jesus Christ without knowing the reality







This Mission will examine the roles played by Peter, Judas, Pilate, Herod, Claudia, Herodias, Mary, Barrabas and Dismas and how their actions are applicable to our own spiritual lives.



~Meets SDS Catechism Requirement



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We are recruiting judges from the STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math) fields to judge our middle school science projects. We are looking for field experts (who do not have a child enrolled in grades 6-8) from our school, parish, and community!

Judges will be on a team evaluating middle school level projects on April 2, 2019, at 5 p.m.

If you are interested in supporting the science fair and our future scientists, please contact Christine Morrison at cmsouza914@gmail.com.

Knights of Columbus Fr. Vilarrasa Council #7268

March 23rd/24th Intellectual Disabilities Collection



Look for the Knights of Columbus members at all the Masses

COLUMBIAN FOUNDATION SUPPORTING PEOPLE WITH



INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES

March 24th Sunday Breakfast 8:00 am - 12:00 pm In the Parish Hall

Supporting Seminarian & Student Scholarships



Dominican Speaker Series

Veritas (The Truth about Truth)
with Fr. Brad Elliott, O.P.
Thursday, March 21st at 7:30pm in Parish Hall

Questions & Answers with Fr. Brad Elliott, O.P. Monday, April 1st at 7:00pm in Parish Hall

Life of St. Vincent Ferrer with Br. Patrick Rooney, O.P.

Thursday, April 4th 9:15 am & 7:00pm in Parish Hall

~Meets SDS Catechism Requirement~

ST. DOMINIC'S TEEN MINISTRIES

FAITH, FELLOWSHIP, & FUN

Youth Ministry

There will be a 40 Days for Life, teen gathering on Friday, March 22nd from 7:00 - 8:00 pm in the Siena Room. This gathering will be led by youth leader Adriana Vree and will include information and discussion about the 40 Days for Life movement. For more information, please email Lisa at Itoomey@stdombenicia.org.

All hands on deck! Join us for the blessing bags service project on Wednesday, March 27th from 7:00-8:00 pm in the Siena Room - all are welcome.

There will be a Hot Topic gathering on Sunday, March 31st from 3:30-4:30 pm upstairs in the Ministry Center – bring a friend.



YR I Confirmation:

Teens will gather tomorrow Monday, March 18th from 7:00-8:00 pm in the Parish Hall and Ministry Center. Please refer to your parent email for specific meeting locations.

YR II Confirmation:

Please continue to pray for the seventy-one YR II teens who were confirmed by Bishop Soto yesterday, March 16th.

Lent: Confirmation parents, please check your email for an update that includes various resources and suggestions to help your teen have a meaningful Lent.

Blessing Bags

Thank you again to everyone who donated items for Operation Gratitude. Although this service project has concluded, we will continue to gladly accept donations on behalf of Vallejo Together, an organization that supports our friends in need who live in Vallejo.

What items are needed? Any **small sized**, personal care items are perfect - toothbrushes, toothpaste, combs, deodorant, hand sanitizer, nail clippers, Kleenex packs, mouthwash, lotion, quarters, band aids, etc. The key word is small! The youth of our parish will use these items to make blessing bags that will be donated to Vallejo Together this spring. Donations can be dropped off in the lobby of the ministry center. Thank you for your continued generosity!

Eucharistic Adoration Tuesdays 8:009:00pm In the Church

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Chapel Hours: Daily Hours: Open to the public 7:00 AM – 8:00 PM Scheduled Adorer Hours Only: 8:00 PM - 7:00 AM

CURRENT EUCHARISTIC ADORATION NEEDS

Please prayerfully consider spending an hour with Jesus.

MONDAY 7:00 am (Weekly or alternating weeks) Call John Elizalde @ 602-318-3235

MONDAY 10:00 am (Weekly or alternating weeks) Call Siane Peters 707-771-0549

TUESDAY 3:00 am (Weekly or alternating weeks) Call Euly Le Gro @ 707-315-2338

TUESDAY 6:00 am (Weekly or alternating weeks) Call Valerie Bechelli @ 707-319-5993

WEDNESDAY 7:00 Pm (Weekly or alternating weeks) Call Antonio Gomez @ 707-567-0568

TUESDAY 7:00 am (Weekly or alternating weeks) Call John Elizalde @ 602-318-3235

FRIDAY 1:00 am (Weekly or alternating weeks) Call Ed Miller @ 707-853-5910

SATURDAY 10:00 am (Once a month - 4th Week) Call Siane Peters 707-771-0549

SATURDAY 5:00 pm (Once every 6th week) Call Marie Earp @ 707-745-0899

SUNDAY 7:00 am (Once a month – 1st Week) Call John Elizalde @ 602-318-3235

SUNDAY 2:00 pm (Once every 6th week)
Call Joji Holzwarth @ 707-704-8779

SUNDAY 5:00 pm (Once every 5th week)
Call Maria Lau @ 707-515-5814

SUNDAY 7:00 pm (Weekly or alternating weeks) Call Antonia Gomez @ 707-567-0568

If you have questions about Eucharistic Adoration, please contact Shirley Cortez (707) 208-2004 or Joji Holzwarth (707) 704-8779.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday Tuesday-Friday Closed for lunch (T-F)

Saturday

Sunday

Closed 9:00 am - 4:00 pm 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Closed

8:30 am - 1:00 pm

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Retired

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RCIA: RCIA@stdombenicia.org

Respect Life: respectlife@stdombenicia.org

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St. Dominic Cemetery: lew6@comcast.net St. Vincent de Paul: SVDP@stdombenicia.org SDYG Youth Choir: joelucero@prodigy.net

Please pray for the recovery of the sick listed in our Book of Intentions and the following:



Colleen Haight Tommy Thompson Dennis Garvey Gladys Haddad

Malcolm Duvall Rosendo Lara Dorothy Szabo Peter Szabo, Sr.

Please remember the following recently deceased (and their families) in your prayers:

Br. Fredrick Narberese, OP, Bernice Clark, Brian Kelly, Maria Del Refuio, Ann Heiser, Mike Stanbrough, Daniel Starkey, William "Bill" Francis, Bienvenido "Bobby" Anacta, Jeanne Jeannette Claudia Susada

Sick or remembrances will be listed for a period of 3 months

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Honoring:

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Saturday, March 30, 2019

5:30 pm Mass, 6:30 pm Reception and Dinner St. Mary of the Assumption Cathedral, San Francisco

Sponsorship Opportunities & Tickets: dspt.edu/alemany2019 or 510-883-2086



Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers

Qualifications: A fully initiated Catholic, having celebrated the sacraments of Baptism,

Confirmation, and First Eucharist.

Any parishioner who is interested is welcome to join us as we are in need of more ministers. Email Jo Ann Talken. EM Coordinator at

EMHC@stdombenicia.org

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