April 22nd, 2018
Fourth Sunday of Easter

Intentions for the Week

Mon 4/23  6:45AM †Howard Dancel
          8:15AM †Macario Fernandez
Tues 4/24  6:45AM †Sidonio Resendes
          8:15AM Mila Panares (B)
Wed 4/25  6:45AM Dr. Mark Lobo (T)
          8:15AM Veronica Tong Tim Chang (T)
Thur 4/26  6:45AM †John & Loreta Lacuesta
          8:15AM †Bob Fischer
Fri 4/27  6:45AM †Pascual & Luisa Agraan
          8:15AM Consuelo Ingle (T)
Sat 4/28  8:15AM Fr. Peter Cameron, O.P. (T)
          5:00PM †James Manning
Sun 5/29  7:30AM For the People of the Parish
          9:00AM †Grace Ignacia Castro
          10:45AM Clint & Joji Holsworth (A)
          12:30PM †The Chavez Family
          5:00PM †Eileen Hunt

Legend: († ) Memorial  (H) Health
         (A) Anniversary  (B) Birthday  (T) Thanksgiving

This Week’s Flower Intentions for the People of the Parish

St. Dominic's is a Catholic Parish inspired by Dominican Spirituality. Igniting the Faith for the salvation of souls.

Readings:
Acts 4:8-12
Psalm 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28-29
1 John 3:1-2
John 10:11-18

All Mass readings can be found at http://www.usccb.com/bible/readings

Dominicans & Deacons
Fr. Jerome Cudden, O.P. Pastor
Fr. David Farrugia, O.P. (In Residence)
Fr. Vincent Serpa, O.P. (In Residence)
Rev. Br. Christopher Wetzel, O.P. (Deacon)
Deacon Errol Kissinger
Deacon John Flanagan (Retired)
Br. Matthew Heynen, O.P. (Residency Student)

Schedule of Masses
Weekdays:  6:45AM, 8:15AM
Saturday:  8:15AM Daily Mass
          5PM Vigil Mass
Sunday:    7:30AM, 9AM, 10:45AM,
           12:30PM (English/ Spanish),
           5PM (Youth)
1st Sunday of Month: 3PM (Vietnamese)

Weekly Confession/Reconciliation:
Saturdays, 3:30PM-4:30PM In the Church

Parish Office Hours
Closed Mondays
Tuesday-Friday: 9AM-12PM, 1PM-4PM
Saturday: 9AM-12PM
Sunday: 8:30AM-1PM

In case of a priestly emergency after hours, call 707-747-7220 and press “1” to speak with a priest.

Mass Intention Schedule:
Mass Intentions for July 2018 opened April 3rd.
Please make requests in the Parish Office.
Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

We have a new shrine to St. Dominic in our Church on the right side of the altar. Please take a moment to enjoy this beautiful piece of art and ask for his intercessions regarding the needs of our parish.

Below are some details found online about the original artwork:

The Original painting was estimated to be completed around 1605 by artist El Greco (Domenikos Theotokopoulos) in Spain.

From the Museum of Fine Arts in Boston... St. Dominic was a favorite subject of El Greco and his workshop. His novel work conveys a sense of spiritual intensity as Dominic kneels in solemn devotion before the crucifix. Such paintings were especially popular during the Counter-Reformation because they encouraged direct empathetic responses from viewers.

From the Web Gallery of Art... The painting represents the thirteenth-century founder of the Dominican order kneeling in isolation on a rocky plateau in prayerful devotion before a crucifix. Behind him is a landscape with one of El Greco's haunting skies filled with swirling, backlit clouds. Considering the individual features El Greco has given the saint, it is assumed that the picture was based upon the features of a particular person, someone the artist knew personally.

The crucifix, propped against the rocks, is repeated by El Greco in a number of paintings showing saints in devotion: he must have created a drawn or painted model that he could refer to for replication.

Holy Easter Season!
Fr. Jerome
Confirmation
There will be a YR I parent/teen gathering on Monday, April 23rd and again on Thursday, April 26th from 7-8PM in the Parish Hall. Parent and teen will only need to attend one of these two meetings.

YR I teens will participate in the Entrance Ritual on Sunday, April 29th at the 5:00 Mass.

Youth Ministry
There will be a youth prayer hike followed by Double Rainbow ice cream on Wednesday, April 25th from 6:30PM-8:00PM.

Tamale Sale
Pre-Order Now!
Asociación Guadalupana is taking orders now through May 1st, 2018 for the Annual Tamale Sale!
All sales are by pre-order and will be available for pick up on Sunday, May 6th after Mass in the Parish Hall.
To place your order please call:
Patricia Chavez 707-642-4513 or
Maria Luisa Reyes 707-290-4497.

Small Group Study
“Who Am I to Judge?”
Led by Deacon Errol with video presentations featuring Edward Sri
Tuesday evenings, April 10th-May 29th, 7-8PM,
In the Mary Magdalene Room
In this small group study, attend eight sessions featuring Edward Sri. We’ll explore the classical view of morality and find that it’s not merely a set of guiding principles for theoretical situations—it is an entire way of life. Topics by session:
1. Don’t impose your morality on me
2. Recovering the basics: virtue and friendship
3. Real freedom, real love
4. The lost “art” of living
5. Engaging moral relativism
6. “I disagree” doesn’t mean “I hate you”
7. Exposing the mask: What relativism often covers up
8. What is truth? Answering common questions
*These sessions count toward SDS Catechism Hours

St. Dominic School Presents:
Disney’s The Little Mermaid Jr.
Friday, April 27th at 7PM
Saturday, April 28th, 2PM & 7PM
St. Patrick St. Vincent High School – Vallejo
Tickets $10.00 adults/
$7.00 for children under 12
Tickets sold at the door!

The American Heritage Girls are hosting a diaper drive for L.A.A.M. (Life Abortion Alternative Ministries) in Vallejo.
Help us, help moms in need! We will be collecting diapers (sizes 4, 5, & 6) and training pants at all the Masses on Mother's Day weekend (May 12-13).
Thank you for your kind generosity!
In this Sunday's Gospel reading, Jesus identifies himself as the Good Shepherd. We are the sheep for whom he has laid down his life. He put everything aside for our sake -- his human desire for an easy life, the security and familiarity of a home of his own, his time, his sleep, his tiredness, and his natural preference to avoid persecution, torture and death.

We are the sheep who recognize our Shepherd's voice and willingly follow him to better pastures. We want him to be our Good Shepherd. We want his protection, his guidance, and his love.

However, sometimes we forget to listen for his voice. This usually happens when life doesn't go as planned, the way we want it to. In frustration and fear, we assume that Jesus has left the sheepfold. We think he's gone after the lost sheep and left us behind to fend for ourselves, and -- oh no! -- this is surely when the wolves attack! Doesn't he realize that? How could he do this to us if he really cares as much about us as he says he does? Why is he more concerned about the sheep who strayed than he is about us who are good sheep?

However, no matter how busy Jesus gets and no matter how far he has to go to rescue lost sheep, he never leaves our side. He is always with us. When the path of life takes us to dead ends or dangerous cliffs, it's not because he's abandoned us. The pain we feel is his shepherd's staff tapping and prodding us to get us to move in a different direction, and we just haven't understood.

We don't want to go in that other direction. We like the familiarity of this old pasture. We're getting annoyed at the tap-tap-tapping of the staff on our heads. And we won't discover the blessing of this discipline until we turn again to Jesus with eyes of trust and ears that are attentive to everything he says, even if at first we don't like what he's saying.

Questions for Personal Reflection:
In what areas of your life do you feel lost and alone or abandoned? What activities can you do that will restore your vision and your hearing so you can recognize the presence of your Good Shepherd?

Questions for Community Faith Sharing:
Name some of the ways that the Good Shepherd's voice calls out to us. Share the story of a time when he prodded you but at first you didn't realize it was him. When did something feel painful until you realized that you were going in the wrong direction? What helped you recognize the voice and the staff of the Good Shepherd?

The Tap of the Good Shepherd’s Staff

Welcome to the Life Corner!

What is the Bishop Gallegos Maternity Home (BGMH)?

The Bishop Gallegos Maternity Home (BGMH) is a home for women over the age of 18 who are pregnant and in need of shelter, food, safety, comfort and support during their pregnancy and for a short time afterwards. Established in 1992, BGMH is a non-profit, non-denominational home with a loving environment. They have housed more than 1,000 women and babies since their inception. BGMH is a safe haven that provides temporary shelter, food and education to homeless, pregnant women and their infants. In addition to care and security, they offer case management services to assess the needs of homeless mothers, connecting them with necessary resources for addiction treatment, life skills education, prenatal care and post-traumatic counseling, while providing a handful of these on site. The goal of BGMH is to empower these women to become self-sufficient and independent in their return to the community with their babies or to facilitate adoption as an option if they so choose. BGMH is a pro-life home and has found that in saving babies the mothers have also been saved.

What is the Respect for Life Ministry at St. Dominic’s?

We are committed to "promoting the protection and respect of the worth and dignity of every human being at every stage of biological development, from conception to natural death, regardless of age, degree of perfection or condition."

Our ministry has a broad spectrum of interests, from the protection of the unborn to the dignity of the living.

Interested in learning more about this important ministry?

Contact Barbara Cavanagh at respectlife@stdombenicia.org for more information.

Look out for upcoming events, stories and ways to help each week in the new St. Dominic's Life Corner!
Join us for an Hour of Contemplation in front of the Blessed Sacrament, Tuesdays 8-9 PM In the Church

CURRENT EUCHARISTIC ADORATION NEEDS

MONDAY 12 PM (Alternating weeks - 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th)
Call James Werder @ 853-3107

TUESDAY 4 AM (Every 4th week of the month)
Call Ann Espinosa @ 745-0640

TUESDAY 11 PM (Weekly or alternating weeks)
Call Dee Case @ 746-6731

THURSDAY 12 PM (Alternating weeks – 2nd, 4th)
Call James Werder @ 853-3107

THURSDAY 1 PM (Every 2nd week of the month)
Call Millie Resendes @ 246-9015

SATURDAY 2 PM (Weekly or alternating weeks)
Call Maggie Ruszel @ 747-0734

SATURDAY 9 PM (Weekly or alternating weeks)
Call Marie Earp @ 548-0899

SUNDAY 11 AM (Weekly or alternating weeks)
Call Bernadette Cambra @ 745-6868

SUNDAY 10 PM (Weekly or alternating weeks)
Call Ted or Irma Perez @ 685-6258

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

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

Truth and Life Audio Bible: Mark

The Gospel Comes to Life!

This dramatic reading of Saint Mark’s Gospel invites you deep into the extraordinary story of true discipleship and life with Christ. Be inspired anew to pick up your cross and follow Christ as you experience the Gospel in a new and vivid way.

Listen on formed.org

New Bible Study!

Join Br. Matthew’s New Bible Study Series on the Gospel of St. Matthew!

St. Matthew’s Gospel was considered the most influential and popular book among the early Christian community. For the early Jewish Christians, in particular, St. Matthew clearly makes the case for how the long-awaited hopes of the Jewish people are being fulfilled in Jesus.

If you’ve ever wanted to learn more about how Jesus fulfilled the Old Testament then this study is for you!

Schedule of Classes

Thursdays at 7PM in the Siena Room:
March 15th, 22nd, April, 19th, 26th, May 3rd, and 17th.

Fridays at 9AM in the Mary Magdalene Room:
March 16th, 23rd, April 20th, 27th, May 4th, 18th.

These classes count toward SDS Stewardship Catechism hours.

St. Vincent de Paul & You!

During the month of March, SVdP responded to 55 calls for assistance serving 165 of our neighbors. We made 38 food deliveries providing nourishment to 130 family members in addition to the 120 Easter boxes you filled. Your ongoing support and generosity enabled us to pay 13 utility bills, 2 rent bills, and provide motel stays for 2 of our homeless neighbors, serving an additional 35 individuals. God bless you and thank you for you continued support of St. Vincent de Paul. Please consider a 5th Sunday donation on April 29th.

Pantry Needs

Please help us stock our pantry this spring. 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.
St. Vincent de Paul Ministry meets the first Thursday of the month at 7:00 pm in the 5th Grade classroom. To learn more about our ministry and get involved contact svdp@stdombenicia.org
Please pray for the recovery of the sick listed in our Book of Intentions and the following:

Derek Daniel Guerrero    Jackie Ho
Elaine Novoa             Kim McElhaney
Gregg Albright           Maria Bongco
Carol Smith              Andy Moelk
Lazlo Egeto              Ricky Campbell
Charles Harrison Stewart  Diane Rieschick
Angelo Miozza            J. Raymond Kim
Tim Wade                 Leo De Joya
Veronica Arkin           Dorothy Szabo

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

Fr. Thomas Paul Chrysostom Raftery, O.P., Louise Lambro, Dolores Lundin, Barbara Perez, Larry Booth, Luzil Whalen, Mary Ebright, Ann Hansen, Epifanio Sunpayco, Jose Paulino, Laverne Marie Willits, Mila Lawrence, Gloria Peterson, Miguel Toruno, Richard Belcher, Chris Carinño, Mildred Dubas, Diane Wassmann, Sr. Claire Herlihy, OP, Brian Ferrucci

Sick or remembrances will be listed for a period of 3 months
Please patronize the following businesses owned by members of our parish community. Their contributions each week underwrite our Parish Bulletin. Thank you!

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