

Intentions for the Week

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| Mon 6/4 | 6:45am (D) Bill Temple 8:15am (D) Arsenio Artille |
| Tues 6/5 | 6:45am (D) Crispin R. Corpus 8:15am (D) Gloria Peterson |
| Wed 6/6 | 6:45am (D) Matthew Alan Newman 8:15am (T) Diane Dawes |
| Thur 6/7 | 6:45am (H) Derek-Danie Guerrero 8:15am (T) David Lee (Jong Lim) |
| Fri 6/8 | 6:45am (D) Ethel Lenares 8:15am (T) Ray & Lolita Alvarez |
| Sat 6/9 | 8:15am (D) Connie Boeddeker 5:00pm (D) Adelaide Gentile |
| Sun 6/10 | 7:30am (D) Long Vo 9:00am (H) Emilio Ermio 10:45am (D) Gloria Garcia 12:30pm (T) Mr. & Mrs. Antonio Gomez and Family 5:00pm For the People of the Parish |

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

**Flowers this week are in
Memory of Alfredo N. Mendoza**

Mass Intentions for September opened up June 1st



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

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ June 3, 2018

Exodus 24:3-8
Psalms 116:12-12, 15-16, 17-18
Hebrews 9:11-15
Mark 14:12-16, 22-26 (168)

All Mass readings can be found at
<http://www.usccb.org/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)

Schedule of Masses

Weekdays: 6:45am and 8:15am
Saturday: 8:15am Daily Mass
5:00pm Vigil Mass
Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:45am,
12:30pm (English/Spanish),
5:00pm (Youth)
1st Sunday of Month: 3:00pm (Vietnamese)

Weekly Confession

Saturday: 3:30pm-4:30pm In the Church

Parish Office Hours

Closed Mondays

Tuesday-Friday: 9:00am-12pm, 1:00-4:00pm
Saturday: 9:00am-12:00pm
Sunday: 8:30am-1:00pm

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



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Pastor's Corner

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I would like to congratulate and ask for your prayers for the 24 students who graduated from our school last Friday. Next year 12 students will attend Saint Patrick-Saint Vincent, 4 Justin-Siena Catholic High School, 6 Benicia High School, 1 Rodriguez High School and 1 Cactus Shadows High School (Scottsdale, AZ). We are also saying goodbye to our 8th grade teacher and Vice Principal Mrs. Kirkman who has been with us for over 20 years. We thank her for her many years of service and send her off with all our prayers for her new adventure in San Diego.

A number of you have asked if you can join the youth group for our hike on June 25th. The short answer is no. This is an event for me to spend time with our youths and get to know them better. However, because of the interest, I will be offering a hike for the post-youth age group on July 9th. So, mark your calendar and more details will follow.

There will be two opportunities to see the inside of the new rectory coming up on June 11th from 7:00-8:00pm and June 16th from 9:00-10:00am.

Also, mark your calendars for my Potluck Q&A Summer Series on June 13th, July 12th, and August 8th.

God Bless,
Fr. Jerome

Scholarship



Scholarship Opportunity for Nursing Students

To honor their loving wife and mother, the Carl Family has established the Lois Anne Carl Memorial Nursing Scholarship for students who attended St. Dominic School and are currently in an accredited RN program, or in the last two years of their BSN program.

If you or someone you know is interested, scholarship packets can be picked up at the parish office, or by contacting Alisa Aquino at aaquino@stdombenicia.org.

The application deadline is **June 30, 2018**.

Questions regarding the scholarship can be directed to Kristin Schriber at kac9470@sbcglobal.net.

Upcoming Summer Events

**Want to become Catholic?
RCIA Inquiry Meeting**
Wednesday, June 6th, 7pm
In the Siena Room

Vacation Bible Camp: Shipwrecked
Monday-Friday, June 11-15th
8:45am-Noon

Potluck Q&A Summer Series with Fr. Jerome
Wednesday, June 13th at 6:15pm
Thursday, July 12th at 6:15pm
Wednesday, August 8th at 6:15pm
In the Parish Hall

Rectory Open House
Monday, June 11th at 7:00pm
Saturday, June 16th at 9:00am
436 East I Street

Br. Christopher Wetzel, O.P. Ordination Mass
Friday, June 22th at 2pm
St. Dominic's Catholic Church
2390 Bush Street
San Francisco, CA 94115

Fr. Christopher Wetzel, O.P. "First Mass"
Sunday, June 24th at 9:00am and 10:45am
With Receptions to follow in Parish Hall
St. Dominic's, Benicia

Youth on a Mission
Friday-Sunday, June 29th-July 1st
At St. Mary's College

Deacon Shawn Carter "First Mass"
Sunday, July 1st at 9:00am and 10:45am
With Receptions to follow in Parish Hall
St. Dominic's, Benicia

Hike with Fr. Jerome
Monday, July 9th
Details Coming Soon

St. Dominic's Cemetery Mass with Bishop Soto
Saturday, July 14th at 9:30am
St. Dominic's Cemetery

Parables Class
Mondays, July 9th - August 13th at 7:00pm
Presented by Dcn. Errol Kissinger and Tom Cashman
In the Parish Hall

Chant Camp
Monday-Friday, July 23rd-27th at 9:00am-2:00pm
Mass Friday 27th at 6:00pm
In the Parish Hall and Church

Marriage Encounter Weekends

Married Couples!
Open your hearts and let your spouse in.

A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend will give you that chance. It is the greatest gift you can give each other. The weekend will give you the time and tools to revitalize romance, deepen communication, and nourish the spirituality in your marriage. Upcoming weekends are:

- August 24-26 in Sacramento, CA.
- October 5-7 in Reno, NV.
- November 9-11 in Sacramento, CA.

IT IS NOT TOO EARLY TO REGISTER, CALL NOW!
For more information visit our website at:

<https://www.sacramentowwme.org>

Or contact Terry & Janet at
applications@sacramentowwme.org
or 916-489-3464.



Have you thought about becoming Catholic?

RCIA is the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. This journey of inquiring, learning and becoming Catholic will lead you to full communion in the Catholic Church.

Join us for Inquiry Meetings
First Wednesday of the month
Next meeting
June 6, 2018 at 7:00pm
In the Ministry Center
Siena Room

For more information please contact
Shannon Carter
email: RCIA@stdombenicia.org

ST. DOMINIC'S TEEN MINISTRIES

FAITH, FELLOWSHIP, & FUN

Teen Ministry

Come Hiking with Fr. Jerome! The Mt. Diablo/ Mitchell Canyon hike will take place on Monday, June 25th from 9:00AM-1:30PM. All are welcome!

St. Dominic's Youth

Have you ever felt compelled, motivated, or called to take a journey that will have a positive impact on yourself and others around you? Now is your chance to take the opportunity to make a difference. Youth on a Mission leadership retreat will take place on June 29th – July 1st at St. Mary's College in Moraga.



Please contact Lisa Toomey for more information. To register for any of these gatherings, please visit the church website and select Faith Formation/Teen Ministry or email Lisa at ltoomey@stdombenicia.org

Rectory Open House

Many parishioners have expressed interest in seeing the rectory inside. The Dominican Friars would like to invite you all to an Open House at **436 East I Street**.

Monday
June 11, 2018
At 7:00pm

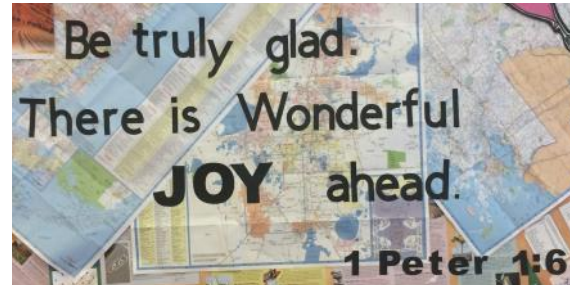
or

Saturday
June 16, 2018
At 9:00am





Congratulations SDS Class of 2018!



Morning Rosary for May



Slimmed for a good cause!



Fun with Fr. Jerome



A few highlights from this past school year we will treasure them all!! As we say goodbye to the 8th grade, we look forward to all our students moving up and we will see you next school year.



LOVE is thicker than smoke!

Knights of Columbus Scholarship Awards

St. Dominic School 8th Grade Graduates:

Stephanie Tuck - daughter of Christine & David

- \$750 tuition to St. Patrick-St. Vincent HS

Nicholas Fuentes - son of Marlene & Gabriel

- \$750 tuition to St. Patrick-St. Vincent HS

Madison Urot - daughter of Michelle & Jed

- \$750 tuition to St. Patrick-St. Vincent HS

Council Knight Student Awards:

Charles Rose - son of Grand Knight Marc & Lady

Gaye - Junior, St. Pat-St. Vin HS - \$500

Sophia Roth - daughter of Knight Scott & Marigel

- 7th Grader, Benicia Middle School - \$400

Liam & Ava Kelly - son & daughter of Knight John &

Kristen - 5th & 3rd Graders, St. Dominic's - \$300

(split)

CONGRATULATIONS to all of these fine students who have demonstrated the ideals of learning, behavior, school spirit and Catholic example espoused by the Knights.



And **THANK YOU** to all of you parishioners for your financial support through our Breakfasts for making all of this possible!

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St. Vincent de Paul



Summer Food Drive for School-Age Children

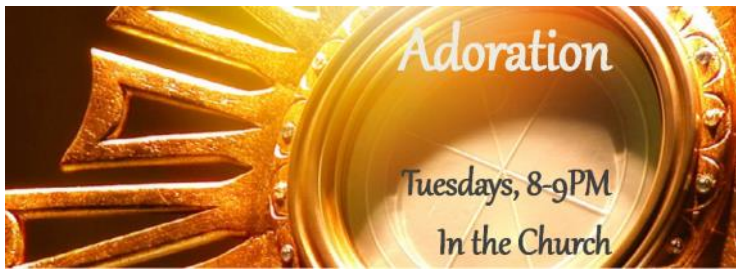
Please help us support families
with school-age children
this summer.

During the school year 1,000 school-age children in Benicia are eligible for free/reduced meals at school (21% of Benicia Unified attendees). During the summer months these same students are in need of meals at home, which can put a strain on the food budgets of families.

In addition to our regular pantry needs, St. Vincent de Paul will be collecting kid-friendly food and snacks from now until the end of August. You may drop food off in the vestibule of St. Dominic's where they will be added to daily deliveries for families in need. Items needed:

- ♦ Fruit snacks
- ♦ Jelly/Jam
- ♦ Peanut Butter
- ♦ Individual fruit cups
- ♦ Crackers/pretzels
- ♦ Sun chips
- ♦ Cereal/cereal bars
- ♦ Nutri-grain bars
- ♦ Pancake mix
- ♦ Canned pastas
- ♦ Easy Mac n' cheese
- ♦ Snack packs
- ♦ Popcorn
- ♦ Fruit drinks
- ♦ Other non-perishable kid-friendly foods
- ♦ Cash donations

To learn more about our ministry and get involved contact svdp@stdombenicia.org



"O Jesus! On this day, you have fulfilled all my desires. From now on, near the Eucharist, I shall be able to sacrifice myself in silence, to wait for Heaven in peace. Keeping myself open to the rays of the Divine Host, in this furnace of love, I shall be consumed, and like a Seraphim, Lord, I shall love You." - St. Therese of Lisieux

Join us for an Hour of Contemplation in front of the Blessed Sacrament, Tuesdays 8:00pm-9:00pm In the Church

CURRENT EUCHARISTIC ADORATION NEEDS

SATURDAY 5:00pm(Six week rotation=9x per year)
Call Marie Earp @ 548-0899

SUNDAY 11:00am (Weekly or alternating weeks)
Call Bernadette Cambra @ 745-6868

SUNDAY 7:00pm (Alternating weeks – 3rd, 5th)
Call Rose Gallagher @ 746-6312

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Hours:

Daily Hours: Open to the public 7:00am – 8:00pm
in the Adoration Chapel

Scheduled Adorer Hours Only: 8:00pm – 7:00am
in the Adoration Chapel

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



Blessed are those who mourn:
they shall be comforted. (MT 5:4)

For more information contact Joanne Flanagan. 707-747-9416 or email consolation@stdombenicia.org

<http://www.stdombenicia.org/grief-support/>

Respect Life Corner

The Culture of Life

"In the midst of the many attacks on human life these days, we are called to help establish a "culture of life" that has at its heart the understanding that each of us is deeply loved by God, created to be with him, and offered redemption through Christ's death and Resurrection. We can vote in a way consistent with respect for life, take part in Respect Life Month observances each October, and participate in events like the March for Life each January. But is there anything else we can do?"

First and foremost, we can turn to God in prayer.

Second, we can become informed about what is happening on life issues at the national and local levels and respond accordingly.

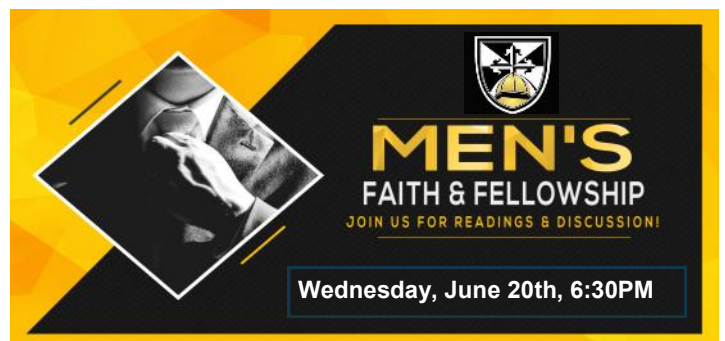
Third, we can follow the words of Pope Saint John Paul II: "[T]he Gospel of life is to be celebrated above all in daily living, which should be filled with self-giving love for others....there is an everyday heroism, made up of gestures of sharing, big or small, which build up an authentic culture of life" (EV, no. 86). This can mean saying a little prayer for a homeless man receiving care from an EMT on the side of the road. It can mean responding with compassion and gentleness to loved ones facing an unexpected pregnancy or struggling to support a sick or dying loved one. It can even mean simply giving up a cup of coffee and donating that money to a food bank.

We are each called to help establish a culture of life in our own unique way; we only need to discover how. With God's help, our eyes can be opened to the countless ways in which we can build this culture in our daily lives."

From "Life Issues Forum: The Culture of Life"
by Anne McGuire



If you would like more information about the Respect Life Ministry here at St. Dominic's email Barbara Cavanagh at respectlife@stdombenicia.org



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Potluck Q & A Summer Series

June 13th, July 12, and August 8th

Fr. Jerome

Join in Faith, Community, God, and Fellowship

In the Parish Hall

Potluck: 6:15pm

Q & A: 7:00pm

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

Bishop Richard Garcia
Lora Bertelotti
Kate Papke
Derek Daniel Guerrero
Eileen Novoa
Gregg Albright
Carol Smith

Lazlo Egeto
Veronica Arkin
Jackie Ho
Kim McElhaney
Andy Moelk
Dorothy Szabo



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

Annie Louie, Jeremiah Gamboa, Dolores Souza, Virginia Florea, Joseph Puentes, Andre Davis, Diane Rieschick, 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

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

Dominican Province of Nigeria Missionary



The Dominican Province of Nigeria is committed to: The formation of priests and religious brothers, education at all levels, preaching and evangelization in Africa.

The Missionary Cooperative Appeal is an annual program in which missionaries from around the world speak at each parish. The goal of this appeal is to increase awareness of missionary work and to raise funds to help missionary organizations continue their evangelization efforts.

Our parish will be visited by Fr. Raymond Nwabueze, O.P. the weekend of June 16th and 17th. He will share with us the courageous evangelization efforts by Dominicans on behalf of the Catholic Church in Nigeria & Ghana and give us an opportunity to support their work in the field. Their efforts are very much concentrated in the areas of basic formation and training for the priesthood and religious life; primary evangelization in rural parts of Africa; on-going Christian formation in the faith through parish ministries; ministry among Muslims; social justice ministries, and health care delivery; chaplaincies and education ministries at all levels. We would greatly appreciate your support and encouragement for a successful appeal.

A second collection will be taken up following their presentation. Special envelopes will be provided for your convenience. Donations made by check should be made payable to the parish. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

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Their contributions each week underwrite our Parish Bulletin. Thank you!**

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