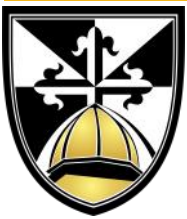


The Baptism of the Lord

January 13, 2019

Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7
Psalm 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10
Acts of Apostles 10:34-38
Luke 3:15-16, 21-22

***"You are my beloved Son; with
you I am well pleased."***



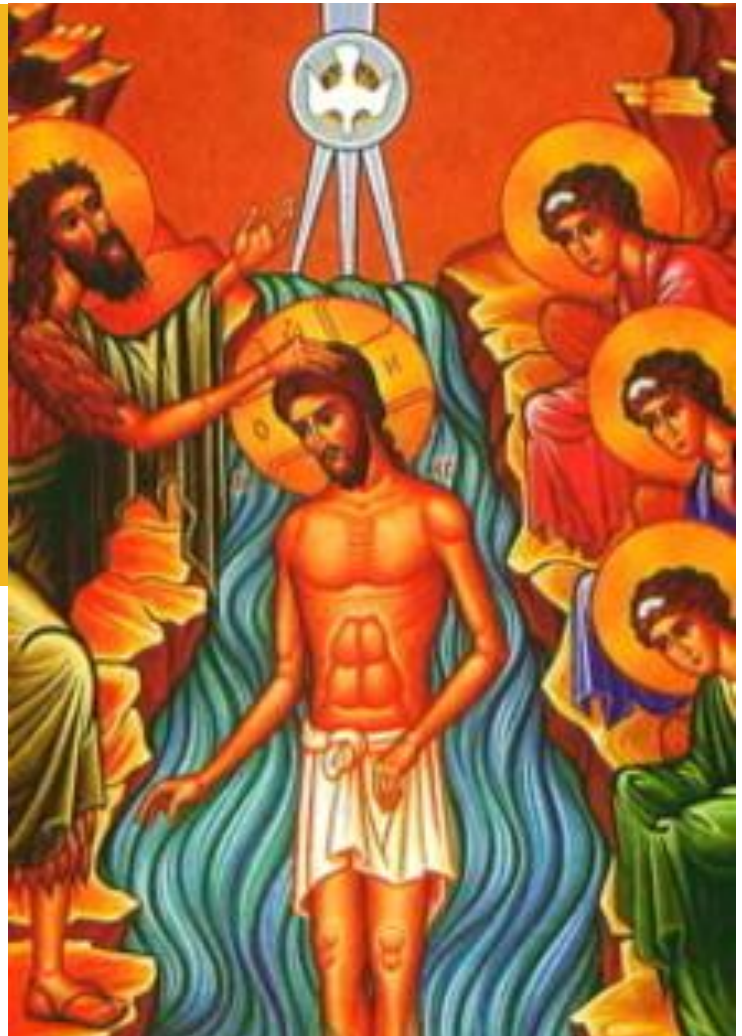
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Igniting the Faith for the
Salvation of Souls**

Mass Intentions

Sun	01/13	7:30 am	(T)	People of the Parish
		9:00 am	(D)	Beverly Baugh
		10:45 am	(B)	Brian Lucas
		12:30 pm	(D)	Pedro Franco Rojas
		5:00 pm	(D)	Kwee Hong Lim
Mon	01/14	6:45 am	(D)	Ronald Magbojos
		8:15 am	(D)	Leo De Joya
Tues	01/15	6:45 am	(D)	Ernesto Abrahan
		8:15 am	(T)	Esther Silva
Wed	01/16	6:45 am	(B)	Alisa Aquino
		8:15 am	(D)	Ed Yarbrough
Thurs	01/17	6:45 am	(T)	Jude Potter
		8:15 am	(T)	Esther Silva
Fri	01/18	6:45 am	(H)	Fr. Vincent Serpa, O.P.
		8:15 am	(D)	Carmenza San Roman
Sat	01/19	8:15 am	(D)	Frances & Gene Jackson
		5:00 pm	(T)	Mark & Siane Peters & Family
Sun	01/20	7:30 am	(D)	Larry Trusty
		9:00 am	(T)	People of the Parish
		10:45 am	(D)	Maria E. Harrington
		12:30 pm	(D)	Leo De Joya
		5:00 pm	(D)	Eutropia Cayabab

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

**Altar Flowers In Memory of
Valerie Quillin Miller**



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Pastor's Corner

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

January is an exciting and very busy month here at St. Dominic's. Here is just a snap shot of all that is going on.

This weekend is the Knight's of Columbus Breakfast in the hall after the morning masses on Sunday. While enjoying the best breakfast in town you can also buy your crab feed tickets.

Next week our parish goes mobile! A new St. Dominic's App will allow you to have everything at your fingertips such as the weekly bulletin, homily, events calendar, and much more. Full instructions will be available in the bulletin. We will be available to assist you in the hall after mass at donuts.

Our Town Hall Finance Meetings have been rescheduled to the 23rd and 30th. We will have a short presentation and then we will open the floor for any questions.

Walk for Life West Coast in San Francisco is Saturday, the 26th at 12:30. A group will be meeting here in the parking lot at 10:00 am and heading over together on BART. See the article in the bulletin if you would like more information.

It is a great time to have children in Catholic schools as we celebrate Catholic School's Week. Starting the 27th with Mass at 9:00 am followed by donuts in the parish hall and SDS Open House. Join us and see what the school has to offer!

God is good, and keeping us busy in the new year!

God Bless, Father Jerome

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 December 2018.

55 calls assisting 187 individuals

Food: 45 deliveries & Safeway Certificates

Rent Assistance: \$300

Utility Assistance: \$1,428

Lodging Assistance: \$74

Misc. Assistance: \$425 Storage fees paid

Totals for those served: \$5,329

Camp Fire Relief: \$9,500 Cash & Supplies

Delivered 116 Christmas boxes & numerous gifts

Remaining boxes & gifts went to Chico Lions Club

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



Electronic Tax Statements will be available in My Own Church by January 31st.

Please watch for an email letting you know your statement is ready to download.

Not registered for My Own Church?

Go to <https://sacramento.parishsoftfamilysuite.com>.

Click **New User?** and complete the registration page. Be sure to select St. Dominic's Catholic Church, Benicia as the organization. You will receive an email with a link and login information. Be sure to watch your spam folder. Once logged in, you can download your statement under the MyOfferings tab. Printed statements will be available on request.

Please email aaquino@stdombenicia.org to request a printed statement.

Upcoming Events

Catholic's Returning Home

Tuesdays, January 8th - February 12th at 7:00 pm
In the Ministry Center Siena Room

Scripture Series Opening the Word

Mondays, Starting January 14th at 9:15 am
In the Ministry Center Siena Room

Grief Support Series

Starting Saturday, January 19th at 11:00 am
In the Ministry Center Aquinas Room

Town Hall Finance Meeting

Wednesday, January 23rd at 7:00 pm
Wednesday, January 30th at 9:00 am
In the Parish Hall

Growing In Faith Together (GIFT) For Married Couples

Fridays, starting January 25th at 6:45 pm
In the Parish Hall

Walk for Life West Coast

Saturday, January 26th at 12:30 pm
San Francisco

Catholic School's Week Open House

Sunday, January 27th
Starting with Mass 9:00 am

Catholic School's Week

Sunday, January 27th-February 1st

St. Dominic's Cemetery Mass

Saturday, February 2nd at 9:30 am



New Parish App Coming Soon!

In the coming weeks St. Dominic's Catholic Church will launch our own app for iPhone and Android smart phones.

This will allow us to better communicate with you throughout the week and keep you updated with relevant parish news or updates. The app is very well designed and very intuitive. It will be a great resource for parishioners by providing daily Mass readings, Catholic news and prayers, convenient prayer and Confession reminders, our bulletins and more.

We hope for our new app to be a tool for fostering stronger parish life at St. Dominic's Catholic Church and better engaging the New Evangelization.

Please watch in the coming weeks for our official launch announcement.



A GIFT for Married Couples

St. Dominic's G.I.F.T. (Growing In Faith Together) Ministry will be hosting a three-week series on living the theological virtues of **FAITH, HOPE & LOVE** in our marriages. Our evenings will include a Dominican presentation, hospitality, and encouragement, as we seek for a greater unity in our marriages through Christ who loves and strengthens us.

Please join us and meet other married couples in our parish. Registration not required. For more information, contact Gaye Rose or Shannon Carter at: GIFT@stdombenicia.org

**Fridays: January 25th,
February 1st, and February 8th
6:45 pm - 9:00 pm**

(Hospitality from 6:45-7:15 pm)
~Meets SDS Catechism Requirement

BREAKFAST AFTER MASS **TODAY** In the Parish Hall



**Knights of Columbus Fr.
Vilarrasa Council #7268**



AND GET YOUR TICKETS

Saturday, February 23, 2019
Crab Feed

Dine-In = \$50
**(1 alcoholic drink
or 2 non included)**

Take-out = \$45
(no drinks)





Have you
thought
about
becoming
Catholic?

Join us for Inquiry Meetings
First Wednesday of the month
Next meeting

February 6th at 7:00 pm
In the Ministry Center Siena Room

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



8 Week Scripture Series **Opening the Word** With Deacon Errol Kissinger

Mondays
January 14th-March 4th
at 9:15 am
In the Ministry Center
Siena Room
~Meets SDS Catechism Requirement



RESPECT LIFE **CORNER**

respectlife@stdombenicia.org



Join St. Dominic's as we "Walk the Walk"
Walk for Life West Coast
January 26th!

Parishioners will be meeting in the school
parking lot at 10:00 am and
traveling together to take
BART into the city.

For more information please email
respectlife@stdombenicia.org

ST. DOMINIC'S **TEEN MINISTRIES** *FAITH, FELLOWSHIP, & FUN*

Youth Ministry

Training for new, teen ministers:

Tuesday, January 15th In the Church

6:00 - 6:30 pm for Ushers

6:30 - 7:00 pm for Lectors

Thursday, January 17th In the Church

6:30 - 7:30 pm for EM's

In anticipation of the Walk for Life West Coast, there will be a youth gathering on Wednesdays, January 16th & 23rd at 7:00 - 8:00 pm in the Siena Room. All are welcome to help prepare for this important event that will take place on Saturday, January 26th in San Francisco.

There will be a youth Hot Topic gathering on Sunday, January 27th at 3:30 - 4:30 pm in the Siena Room. The Knots 4 Love service group will meet on Wednesday, January 30th at 7:00 - 8:00 pm in the Siena Room.

Confirmation

YR I Confirmation:

The year I Confirmation teens will have a small group meeting tomorrow, January 14th and again on January 28th at 7:00 - 8:00 pm at the small group locations.

YR II Confirmation:

The year II Confirmation Retreat will take place today, January 13th at 3:00 - 8:30 pm. Please keep the YR II Candidates, Catechists, and Confirmation team in your prayers.

Come and See!
Saturday, Jan. 19, 2019

Catholic, single women, ages 18-38

For more information
 and to register online, visit:
opnunsmenlo.org/upcoming-events/
 or contact Sister Joseph Marie, O.P. at
vocations@opnunsmenlo.org

 DOMINICAN NUNS
 OPNUNSMENLO.ORG

DISCERNMENT DAY: Are you seeking for Truth? Are you yearning for the infinite and for happiness? Christ is the Answer! Come and See!

The Dominican Nuns of Corpus Christi Monastery are hosting a Come and See Day for single, Catholic women ages 18-38 on January 19, 2019 at their monastery on 215 Oak Grove Avenue in Menlo Park, California. For those outside the San Francisco Bay Area, the nuns also have limited accommodations for overnight guests.

The day begins with Mass at 8:00 a.m. followed by Divine Office, Rosary, Conferences on Discernment, Recreation with the nuns, Adoration and more! The event is free and all meals will be provided.

For more information and to register visit
www.opnunsmenlo.org/upcoming-events/
 Or contact Sister Joseph Marie O.P. at
vocations@opnunsmenlo.org.

**Catholics
 Returning
 Home**

*Come Home to the
 Catholic Church,
 there's a place
 for you here!*

**Tuesday,
 January 15th at 7:00 pm
 In the Ministry Center
 Siena Room**

"Catholics Returning Home" six-week series continues. Come join us! These sessions are for non-practicing Catholics or anyone seeking answers to questions and/or doubts about their faith and the Catholic Church. All sessions are structured in a support-group format and participants are free to attend as many or as few as they wish.

Topics for each session include:

January 8 Welcome! Overview of the Series
January 15 Our Faith Journey
January 22 The Church Today
January 29 Walk Through of the Mass/Q&A
February 5 Explanation of Reconciliation/Q&A
February 12 The Creed; What Catholics Believe & Discipleship

~Meets SDS Catechism Requirement

For questions or more information, please contact
 Gaye Rose or Susan McCain at (707) 747-7220
 email: comehome@stdombenicia.org

**Pilgrimage to
 Turkey & Greece**

**September 16-27, 2019
 With Fr. Jerome**

Join us as we visit some the cities of St. Paul's letters and travels: Ephesus, Corinth, and Troas. We will also visit Patmos, where St John was taken up to heaven, and six of the seven churches mentioned in the Book of Revelation chapter 2-3: Ephesus, Pergamum, Thyatira, Sardis, Laodicea, and Philadelphia. On our pilgrimage we will visit the Church of the Virgin Mary, the House of Mary, and the Tomb of St. Luke. We will also visit the Hagia Sophia, which is one of the Seven Wonders of the World, in Constantinople. Other cities we will visit include Athens, Delphi, and Troy.

Complete details available online at stdombenicia.org

Join the Committee

**St. Patrick's Day Dinner &
 Church Anniversary Celebration
 Coming SOON!**

Our Annual Dinner will be held Saturday, March 16th at the Clock Tower and we need your help. The committee is always looking for "short duration-high impact" parish volunteers for set up, decorations, and parents to supervise our student volunteers!

**ST DOMINIC'S THIRD ANNUAL
 MASS and DINNER CELEBRATION**

*World
 Marriage
 Day*

Sunday, February 10th at the 5:00 pm Mass
 Dinner Reception to follow in the Parish Hall

Connect to our Sound System!

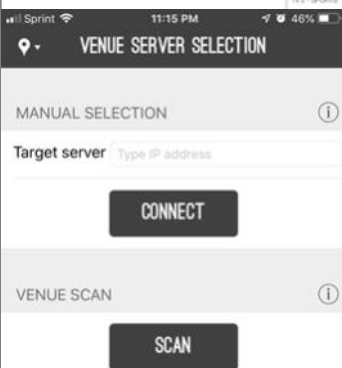
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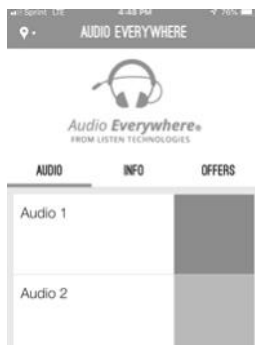


Once the app is on your cell phone, you will have to connect to the wifi in the Church. When you open the app you will see the screen on the left.

Press scan and choose "STDOMAV." The password is StDom2018.

Once your phone is connected to the system you will see the screen to the right.

Press the white section in where it says, "Audio 1", and you should be able to hear the sound system on your personal smartphone with earphones.



For those of you with hearing aids connected to your smart phones, this should work with that as well. Happy listening!

Without a Smartphone

If you do not have a phone that is adaptable we have something for you as well. These loaner devices are available to borrow at each Mass. You will need to bring your own headphones/earbuds.



Catholic Schools Week Save the Date!

January 27th-February 1st

January 27th is our St. Dominic School Open House. Starting with Mass at 9:00 am. All prospective families from any grade, preschool-8th, alumni, and parishioners are welcome to check out what our parish school offers our student families and the community!



January 27th after the 9:00 am Mass
In the Parish Hall & Classrooms
Join us for tours, teachers and treats!

6-Week Grief Support Series

**Meets Saturdays,
January 19th – February 23rd
In the Ministry Center
Aquinas Room**

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/>

Eucharistic Adoration Tuesdays 8:00-9:00pm 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

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

FRIDAY 1:00 am (2nd & 4th weeks)
Call Ed Miller (707) 853-5911

SATURDAY 1:00 pm (2nd & 4th weeks)
Call Millie Resendes (707) 246-9015

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

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday	Closed
Tuesday-Friday	9:00 am - 4:00 pm
Closed for lunch (T-F)	12:00 pm - 1:00 pm
Saturday	Closed
Sunday	8:30 am - 1:00 pm

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ST. DOMINIC'S SCHOOL

www.sdbenicia.org (707) 745-1266

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RCIA: RCIA@stdombenicia.org
Respect Life: respectlife@stdombenicia.org
Seven Sorrows Rosary: 7sorrows@stdombenicia.org
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:



Gladys Haddad	Monica Pangalanan
Mary Anne Fiori	Dave Murphy
Peter Szabo, Sr.	Don Larkin
Alfonso Corral	Rosendo Lara
Patricia Butler	Dorothy Szabo
Malcolm Duvall	

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

Brian Kelly, Maria Del Refugio, Ann Heiser, Mike Stanbrough, Daniel Starkey, William "Bill" Francis, Bienvenido "Bobby" Anacta, Jeanne Jeannette Claudia Susada, Thomas Gigliotti, Pilar Garcia, John Haas, Willie Vallejos, Ofelia T. Bitanga, Cynthia Lewis, Virginia Lugatiman, Soledad B. Santos

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

Parish Wish List



The coffee pots we use for "coffee and donuts" after the Sunday Masses and other events in the parish hall cannot keep up with our insatiable demand for caffeine. To meet the demand, we would like to upgrade to a commercial coffee maker system. This would guarantee our blood caffeine levels are always kept at a safe level. If you would like to purchase or donate towards the purchase of the coffee maker, \$1,000, or one of the 8 needed carafes, \$50 each, please contact Fr. Jerome or Teresa Stone, the office manager.



~Meets SDS Catechism Requirement

MEN'S FAITH & FELLOWSHIP

JOIN US FOR PRAYER & SCRIPTURE STUDY!

Wednesday, January 16th at 7:00 pm

**Please support the following businesses owned by members of our parish community.
Their contributions each week underwrite our Parish Bulletin. Thank you!**

A & S Chem Dry, Anthony & Shelly Trevino <i>Serving St. Dominic's Parish for over 20 years!</i> (707) 748-7726	Healthy Options Vending Break room services, coffee & vending. (707) 750-3835, Tery or Shane Carnahan	Pro-Faction Martial Arts For All Ages Boxing, Jiu-Jitsu, Muay Thai Women/Men (707) 750-1644, Geoff Quares
All About Beauty Spa, 523 First Street Facials * Eyelash Extensions * Permanent Make-Up (707) 747-1471	Richard Joyce, O.D. Optometrist Exams, Glasses, Contacts (707) 745-6266, 874 Southampton Rd.	RCS Transports, LLC Non-Emergency Medical Transport (707) 557-3781 / (707) 315-4652
Amso Healthy Chiropractic 310 Military West (707) 752-2990	Kindred Spirits Pet/House Sitting Dorothy Doscher (707) 334-3776	Re/Max Real Estate Maria Gema Rapolla, 426 First Street (707) 333-9858, Servicio en Español
ATS Tax & Financial Solutions Tax Angels to your rescue! Returns/ QB (707) 745-1040	Law Offices of Randal M. Barnum Employment, Personal Injury Litigation (707) 745-3747	Reyes Electric Co. & Design LIC#32877 Residential/ Commercial (707) 747-6818
BarocciMotorGroup.com Luxury Lease Returns, Tony & Rita Nino (510) 235-1500	Law Offices of Thomas R. Healy Wills/Trusts/Estate Planning/General Practice (707) 553-7360	Sac's Tasty Hot Dogs George & Karolyn Maichel (707) 642-2442, 2445 Springs Rd, Vallejo
John W. Bristow, D.D.S. Inc. Family Dentistry, 23 Rotary Way, Vallejo (707) 642-3319	James M. McVeigh Certified Public Accountant (707) 746-5604	George Schandelmier Landscaping georgeschandelmierjrlandscaping.com (707) 554-2722
Rick Brown Construction All Phases Home Remodel (707) 746-8596 or (707) 246-9975	Minuteman Press Copy, Print, Posters & Banners (707) 647- 1000, 812 Tennessee St, Vallejo	Shutters and More Bill Simpson, Parishioner (707) 746-8187
Buddahful Salon Amy Pappas, Owner/Stylist (707) 745-4409, 814 First St.	Mr. Lawn Landscape Service Landscaping, Maintenance & Installation (707) 747-5273	Teresa Stone- Notary Public tstone@stdombenicia.org (707) 330-0773
Care Network, LLC Home Care Services/Placement Referral (707) 747-2720, Carmen Haban	Napoli Pizza and Pasta Chris & Lisa Guerrero- Owners (707) 746-8906, www.napolibenicia.com	Touch of Faith Catholic Gift Shop 725 Jefferson St. Fairfield, CA (707) 425-3393, M-F 10-4
Crane Station, Inc. Rex Sevilla—Crane and Electrical Services (800) 891-3888	Old Capital Lockshop Automotive Lock Specialist (707) 745-5244	Tuolumne Street Auto Repair John McLaughlin, Parishioner (707) 648-3434
Eagle Vines Realty-American Canyon (707) 373-3139, Ron Banasik Broker/Owner (707) 333-9656, Lisa Guerrero Agent	Olson Realty, Inc. Kathleen McInerney Olson/Broker (707) 745-3602	Up2Code Plumbing Owner Mike Pitta - 24 hour service (707) 751-1714
Furniture Service & Repair Charlie H. White, Design/Shopworking (707) 746-0169	Kristine Passalacqua, Studio of Interior Design StudioOfInteriorDesign.com (707) 746-7123	Warring & Assoc. Realtors Bill/Diane Brokers/Owners, 829 First St. (707) 746-6990
Gavin/Schreiner Insurance, Tom Gavin Chartered Financial Consultant (707) 745-5626	Passalacqua Funeral Chapel John Passalacqua/Greg Silva, Directors (707) 745-3130	Water Heaters Express- Robert Gurulé Water Heater Repair and Installation (707) 334-6567
Hamann Real Estate, 513 First Street Tim and Jeannie Hamann/Broker-Owners (707) 747-9300		Tim Wright, Carpenter/Handyman 35 yrs. experience. Licensed & Insured (707) 319-5357

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