## Fourth Sunday in **Ordinary Time February 3, 2019**

Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19 Psalm 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15-17 1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13 Luke 4:21-30

"So faith, hope, love remain, these three; but the greatest of these is love."



Walk

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

## **Mass Intentions**

Sun	02/03	9:00 am (D 10:45 am (D 12:30 pm (T)	) Tom Gigliotti ) Larry Trusty ) William Earp, Sr. People of the Parish
Mon	02/04		) Gary Harty ) Adesina Raji ) Zolia Lara
Tues	02/05		Dominican Sisters and Laity in Iraq
Wed	02/06	6:45 am (D	Won Kyu Choi Benedict Maria Sun Nam Choi Fr. Emmanuel Chan
Thurs	02/07	6:45 am (D	Ran Hur ) All Deceased Parents & Relatives of the Friars
Fri	02/08	6:45 am (D	) Leo De Joya ) Cynthia Trias Alvarez ) John Ruszel
Sat	02/09	8:15 am (T)	Rose Ursua
Sun	02/10	7:30 am (D 9:00 am (D 10:45 am (D 12:30 pm (D	) Tom Hannigan ) Anne Steveley ) Long Vo ) Ofelia T. Bitanga ) Robert Velez Indart People of the Parish
Sun	52,10	9:00 am (D 10:45 am (D 12:30 pm (D 5:00 pm (T)	) Long Vo ) Ofelia T. Bitanga ) Robert Velez Indart

(A) Anniversary (B) Birthday (T) Thanksgiving

## **Altar Flower In Memory of John Ruszel**



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## **Pastor's Corner**

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Our elective chapter recently ended and lots of new appointments had to be made as a result of the elections that occurred. As such, I have been appointed the new pastor of St. Raymond Church in Menlo Park, CA.

Words cannot express the sorrow I feel knowing I will be leaving this worshiping community. For the past six years you have called me father and that is a title I do not take lightly. You allowed me to baptize you, give you First Communion, witness your marriage, and bury your loved ones. You have become my family. I have seen the face of God and His love in you. I will never be able to thank you enough for all you have done for me.

I will continue as your pastor until the end of May or early June. For those of you who have signed up for the Turkey/Greece pilgrimage in September, I will know in a week or two what will happen with it. I will keep you posted.

Your new pastor will be Fr. Roberto Corral, OP. He has been a pastor before and is a former provincial. Fr. Roberto is currently ministering in Seattle with Fr. John Marie Bingham, OP.

Again, words cannot express the sorrow I feel knowing I will be leaving this worshiping community. Now, I am not dying. I will only be 60 miles away. I look forward to continuing the friendships we have developed over the years.

I love you very much! God bless,

Fr. Jerome

## **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



St. Dominic School Basketball Last Home Game-SDS for the WIN!



## **Upcoming Events**

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

8 Week Scripture Series Opening the Word Mondays, January 14th-March 4th at 9:15 am In the Ministry Center Siena Room

6 Week Grief Support Series Saturdays, January 19th-February 23rd at 11:00 am In the Ministry Center Aquinas Room

The History Of St. Dominic's Church Presented by Benicia Historical Museum Thursday, February 7th at 7:00 pm In the Parish Hall

Growing In Faith Together (GIFT) For Married Couples Friday, February 8th at 6:45 pm In the Parish Hall

**St. Faustina Play** Tuesday, February 12th at 7:00 pm In the Church Reception following in the Parish Hall

**St. Dominic's School Crab Feed** Saturday, February 9th at 5:30 pm Portuguese Hall

Knights of Columbus Crab Feed Saturday, February 23rd at 6:00 pm In the Parish Hall



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



WFEBRUARY 9TH, 5:30pm www.sdscrabfeed.com for tickets



#### Topics for each session include:

- Welcome! Overview of the Series **January 8 January 15 Our Faith Journey**
- January 22 The Church Today
- Walk Through of the Mass/Q&A **January 29**
- Explanation of Reconciliation/Q&A February 5
- 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

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

Blessed are those who mourn:

they shall be comforted. (MT 5:4)

**In the Ministry Center** 

**Aguinas Room** 

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

# SAINT LUKE PRODUCTIONS PRESENTS Messenger of Divine Mercy Performed Live by Jennifer Pagano Tuesday, February 12, 2019 at 7:00pm St. Dominic's Catholic Church 475 East I Street, Benicia, CA 94510

Admission: \$12/ticket ~Meets SDS Catechism Requirement Suitable for Ages 13 & Up Sponsored by Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Ministry

**Tickets and Information:** St. Dominic's Parish (707) 747-7220 www.stdombenicia.org

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## **Youth Ministry**

Bring your appetite and join us for a Valentine's Day themed cooking class this Wednesday, February 6th from 6:30 – 8:00 pm in the Parish Office kitchen. Pre-register is required, please email Lisa at Itoomey@stdombenicia.org.

There will be a Youth Advisory Council meeting on Wednesday, February 13th from 7:30-8:30 pm in the Ministry Center.

## Confirmation

#### YR I Confirmation:

Teens will meet on Mondays, February 11th and 25th from 7:00-8:00 pm at the small group locations.

#### YR II Confirmation:

Looking ahead...the YR II Confirmation Conference, *Fired Up* will take place on February 10th.

Candidates for Confirmation will receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation on Tuesday, February 19th. Check-in begins at 6:00 pm in front of the Church.

## **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 February 28, 2019.

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



Here in the Parish Hall Doors Open at 6:00 pm



Crab or Tri-Tip Dine-In \$50 (includes a beverage) or Take-Out \$45

Tickets on sale now! In the Parish Office

## A Message from the Helmholz's



Hi everybody, and as they say here, in Mombasa, Kenya Jambo!

Sunday in Voi is a day of rest and worshipping God. We rise at 5:00 am every day for 6:30

am Mass and as we drive to Church we hear singing from every Church or Centre that we pass. The humblest of stalls, made of sticks, plastic and rags are closed. The little restaurant, where we stop every weekday morning after church to enjoy HOT tea and mandazi (a triangular type of donut which is hollow inside delicious!) is closed on Sunday. It is so impressive and pleasing to us that this community takes it seriously as they honor God. The will surely be blessed.

The spirituality is rich in our Church, Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic Church, is presently housed in a corrugated iron building as a new Church is in the process of being built. Wow, and do the ladies dress up – that is so encouraging to witness. Ribbons, bows, lace, sparkles, sequins, matching dresses for siblings or mothers and daughters. This morning a lady pushed another lady in a wheel chair – they had matching dresses.

All Masses are in Swahili, Fr. Were (where ray) our Pastor, as well as others who fill in, will occasionally speak in English. Before we get to Church I look up the readings in the Magnificat on my phone and read them to Pat as he drives.

Only on Sunday do we have the choir and they sing at every Mass. They and the congregation sing with complete joy and abandonment as they "dance" and clap. The most impressed I have been is that they know all the words – no books. In the week the congregation sings acapella. Masses usually run overtime and as we try to exit, others are pouring in which had me stumbling over rocks and debris left on the grounds while the new Church is being built.

We drive to The Voi Wildlife Lodge where we spend the day watching the animals at the waterhole, take a swim in their fabulous pool and rest. The heat is intense now as Summer is starting in the southern hemisphere and we are not that far from the equator.

Prayers are valued and cherished especially for safety and good health.

Thank you, Ilona and Pat



**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

MONDAY 7:00 am (Weekly) Call John Elizalde (602) 318-3235

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

**THURSDAY 4:00 pm** (Once a month-3rd week) Call Marie Brule (707) 745-1032

FRIDAY 1:00 am (2nd & 4th weeks) Call Ed Miller (707) 853-5910

FRIDAY 4:00 pm (Weekly) Call Maria Brule (707) 745-1032

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

**SATURDAY 3:00 pm** (Weekly or alternating) Call Maureen Dutcher (707) 745-3475

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

**SUNDAY 7:00 pm** (Weekly or alternating) Call Antonio Gomez (707) 567-0568

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

## Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers



Eucharistic Ministers prayerfully serve the people of St. Dominic's by distributing the Body and Blood of Christ during Eucharistic celebrations.

**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

#### **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

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

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Pastor

Closed

Closed

9:00 am - 4:00 pm

8:30 am - 1:00 pm

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

**Parochial Vicar** 

**Student Brother** 

Deacon & Dir Rel Ed

Deacon

**Business Manager** 

**Ministries Coordinator** 

**Parish Secretary** 

**Music Director** 

**Teen Ministry** 

**Children's Sacraments** 

In Residence / Retired In Residence / Retired Retired

#### **ST. DOMINIC'S SCHOOL**

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kperata@sdbenicia.org

Katie Perata (K-8th grade) Tanya Sanchez (Pre-School) tsanchez@sdbenicia.org

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



Gladys Haddad Patricia Butler Malcolm Duvall Don Larkin

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, Thomas Gigliotti, Pilar Garcia, John Haas, Willie Vallejos, Ofelia T. Bitanga, Cynthia Lewis

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

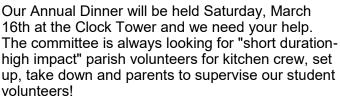
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> Please email aaguino@stdombenicia.org to request a printed statement.

## St. Patrick's Day Dinner & **Church Anniversary Celebration Coming SOON!** Join the Committee



Contact Joe Thurin at jmt1687@yahoo.com

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

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