

Fourth Sunday Of Easter May 12, 2019

Acts of the Apostles 13:14, 43-52
Psalm 100:1-2, 3, 5
Revelation 7:9, 14B-17
John 10:27-30

**“I am the good shepherd,
says the Lord;
I know my sheep,
and mine know me.”**



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Mass Intentions

Sun	05/12	Happy Mother's Day!
Mon	05/13	6:45 am (T) Lolita Alvarez 8:15 am (B) Edward Miller
Tues	05/14	6:45 am (D) Dan Macariola 8:15 am (T) Our Lady of Fatima Rosary Members
Wed	05/15	6:45 am (T) Living & Deceased Benefactors of Dominican Province 8:15 am (D) Fran & Mila Grepo
Thurs	05/16	6:45 am (D) Janelle Stevens 8:15 am (A) Harry & Fran Shoup
Fri	05/17	6:45 am (D) Steve McCouff 8:15 am (D) Gene Asercion
Sat	05/18	8:15 am (A) Rolly & Fe Tayag 5:00 pm (T) Amy Collins
Sun	05/19	7:30 am (D) Arthur & Helen Lewis & Family 9:00 am (T) Becca Fegley 10:45 am (D) Ivan Ingilisov 12:30 am (D) Dorothy Marie Branch 5:00 pm (T) People of the Parish

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

Altar Flowers
Available July-August



First Eucharist Weekend



**St. Dominic School Play
The Lion King**



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Fr. Carl's Message

Fr. Carl Schlichte, O.P.: The New Pastor 2.0

I come to St. Dominic parish after an unexpectedly brief and intense year at the Western Province's newest ministry, St. Raymond parish in Menlo Park, where Fr. Jerome is going. After helping transition St. Mary Magdalen Parish in Berkeley to its first diocesan priest pastor and anticipating my 20th year of ordination, I was granted a sabbatical from July 2017 through June 2018. My time away from ministry included a 77-day container ship cruise around the world, living with Trappist monks for two and a half months, an 11-week program of classes and touring in Rome (culminating with the papal Mass in St. Peter's Square on Palm Sunday), a pilgrimage to the Holy Land (including the Triduum in Jerusalem), two weeks as a confessor in the sanctuary of Our Lady of Lourdes, France, and five weeks of lectures and study at Blackfriars College in Oxford, England.

I was born in 1970 in Santa Rosa, a cradle Catholic one of whose uncles was a "second career" priest before they were trendy (I was his first Baptism). Both of my parents are deceased. An only child raised in Walnut Creek, I graduated from De La Salle High School, Concord in 1988, entered the Dominicans in 1990 and was ordained a priest in 1998. I have served as parochial vicar at four parishes and one campus ministry (Stanford University - celebrating 503 weddings while at Stanford); and as pastor/director at one parish and three campus ministries as well as parish administrator in one parish and interim director at two campus ministries (including Stanford). My likes include -- in no particular order -- friendly dogs (fluffy too is a bonus!), gin martinis and negronis, cooking and eating good food -- especially baking and making limoncello, traveling (I did a cruise that stopped in Havana, Cuba after Easter), reading and occasionally attempting to write short stories; and listening to classical music, audiobooks, and podcasts. Other fun facts include that I ran two half marathons in my mid 40's. I've stepped foot on the continent of Antarctica, transited Drake's Passage three times as well as both the Panama (both the new and the old locks) and Suez Canals, the latter on St. Dominic's day, 2017. I have studied French, ancient Greek, Latin and Russian even though I am monolingual.

One of my big life decisions I will have to make soon is whether to train for a full marathon on or before my 50th birthday in 2020. If there are any barefoot or minimalist runners in the parish, I would like to speak with you. And, just so you know, I have not run in four years, so the decision is real, people!

My plan is to move to Benicia during the first week of July. I will also assist at the wedding of a young man I brought into the Church in 2017; I may or may not be at all of the Masses the first weekend of July. Then I will take two weeks of vacation. My plan, as of writing this in May, is to be in place and ready to go around July 22. (A big "thank you" in advance to Fr. Brad, along with Frs. Vincent and David, for covering those weeks!)

-Fr. Carl, O.P., frcarl@stdombenicia.org

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

Day Trip With Fr. David

Tuesday May 14th

9:30 am - 2:00 pm

Meet in front of church at 9:30 am and carpool to the Municipal Rose Garden in Berkeley, CA. Bring a bag lunch.



The Berkeley Rose Garden is considered by many to be the finest rose garden in Northern California with its 3,000 rose bushes and 250 varieties of roses. Besides row upon row of gorgeous fragrant roses, the Berkeley Rose Garden has a redwood pergola, four tennis courts, a picnic area, scenic hiking trails, foot bridges, a semicircular terraced amphitheater, a

breathtaking view of the sunset behind the Golden Gate Bridge, and an ornamental pool fed by Codornices creek which runs through the garden.

Upcoming Events

Opening the Word

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

Grief Support Series

Saturday, May 4th - June 1st at 11:00 am
In the Ministry Center, Aquinas Room

Men's Faith & Fellowship

Wednesday, May 15th at 7:00 pm
NEW LOCATION: Ministry Center
Aquinas Room

Fr. Jerome's Farewell Receptions

Saturday & Sunday
May 18th & 19th, After All Masses
In the Parish Hall

SDS 8th Grade Graduation

Friday, May 24th, at 6:00 pm
In the Church

Memorial Day Mass

Monday, May 27th at 9:30 am
St. Dominic's Cemetery

SDS Last Day of School

Friday, May 31st

Vacation Bible Camp

Monday - Friday, June 17th - 21st
8:45 am - 12:00 pm
In the Parish Hall & Campus

Chant Camp

Monday - Friday, June 24th - 28th
9:00 am - 2:00 pm
In the Parish Hall & Church
Mass: Friday June 28th at 6:00 pm

Mother's Day Diaper Drive

After All Masses
THIS WEEKEND



Help Mother's in need! AHG will be collecting diapers and pull-ups at all the masses on Mother's Day weekend. The donations will then be given to LAAM (Life Abortion Alternative Ministries) of Vallejo. Thank you!



MEN'S FAITH & FELLOWSHIP
JOIN US FOR READINGS & DISCUSSIONS
Wednesday, May 15th at 7:00 pm
NEW LOCATION:
Ministry Center Aquinas Room



Fr. Jerome's Farewell Next Weekend!

**Saturday & Sunday
May 18th & 19th
In the Parish Hall**

Potluck Dinners

After Saturday & Sunday 5:00 pm Masses

Donuts & Coffee Receptions

After all Sunday Morning Masses

Lunch

Hosted by the Guadalupe Ministry
After Sunday 12:30 pm Mass

Memorial Day

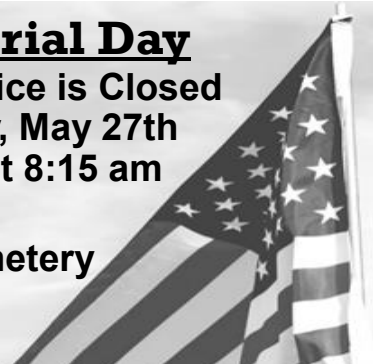
Parish Office is Closed

Monday, May 27th

Mass at 8:15 am

St. Dominic's Cemetery

Mass at 9:30 am



Flowers for Mother's Day



Our Fr. Villarrasa Council #7268 Knights of Columbus will be offering silk carnation corsages to the Ladies of our Parish at Mothers' Day Masses May 11th and 12th. Honor your Motherhood or that of your Mother by wearing one of these lovely remembrances at the Saturday Vigil or Sunday Mass!



Parish Financial Report
7/1/2018-04/31/2019

	YTD	YTD	+/-
	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Budget</u>
Sunday Offertory			
Envelopes & Loose	\$578,654	N/A	N/A
Electronic Giving	\$265,831	N/A	N/A
Total Sunday Offertory	\$844,485	\$875,692	\$ (31,207)
Easter	\$22,509	\$26,200	\$ (3,691)
Restricted Donations:			
Building Improvement	\$48,502	\$45,000	\$3,052
Faith Formation	\$9,987	\$10,417	\$(430)
SDS Tuition Assistance	\$10,771	N/A	N/A
St. Vincent de Paul	\$52,939	N/A	N/A

ST. DOMINIC'S TEEN MINISTRIES

FAITH, FELLOWSHIP, & FUN

Youth Ministry

Get ready to serve! There will be a parent & teen food bank service project on Wednesday, May 15th from 6:00 -8:00 pm. To register, please email Lisa at ltoomey@stdombenicia.org

Diocesan youth leader, Rhyann Ramirez will lead a youth retreat **Unique & Unrepeatable** on Saturday, May 18th from 11:00 - 6:00 pm. Registered teens will receive an email update this week.



YR I Confirmation

Registration is available online on the Parish website. Please select Faith Formation, then Confirmation. For more information, please contact Lisa at ltoomey@stdombenicia.org.

YR II Confirmation

It was wonderful to gather one last time with the YR II teens at the Mystagogia gathering this past Sunday. A special thank you to Diego Menjivar for sharing a beautiful testimony on the Sacrament of Confirmation. May God continue to bless all the teens who were confirmed on March 16th.

A Special Thank You!



We would like to express our gratitude to the anonymous donor who paid to have our candle sticks on the high altar re-plated in 24 kt gold. They were once all discolored and worn, but have now been recoated to their natural beauty.

Thank you for making our church beautiful!

Poland-Italy Pilgrimage with Fr. Michael

PILGRIMAGE INFORMATION MEETING Thursday, May 23rd at 7:00 pm

St. Dominic's Aquinas Room, 2390 Bush St., San Francisco. Parishioners from St. Dominic's Benicia are invited to join St. Dominic's San Francisco on an April 2020 parish pilgrimage to Krakow and Rome, in celebration of the 100th anniversary of St. John Paul II's birth. Learn more about the holy sites we will visit, and find out how you can join Fr. Michael Hurley, O.P. and Fr. Stephen Maria Lopez, O.P. on this journey. Brochures will be available at the meeting.



Have you thought about
becoming Catholic?
Are you are Catholic but never took
First Eucharist or Confirmation?

Join us for Inquiry Meetings
ALL Welcome!
First Wednesday of the Month
Next Meeting

June 5th at 7:00 pm
In the Ministry Center, Siena Room
For more information please contact
Shannon Carter
email: RCIA@stdombenicia.org



American Heritage Girls

Troop CA1214

Bring a Friend Day

May 15th at 4:00 pm

In the Ministry Center

Girls ages 5-18 who want to have a great time with friends, participate in fun activities, earn badges and serve in their community. You are welcome to visit our amazing troop and check it out. We meet the 1st & 3rd Wednesday of every month during the school year.

For more information email:
AHG@stdombenicia.org



REGISTER TODAY ONLINE!

<https://spsv.org/summer-at-spsv>
or email summercamp@spsv.org

Chant Camp 2019!

June 24th - 28th from 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

Friday Evening Mass 6:00 pm

Children Ages 9-17

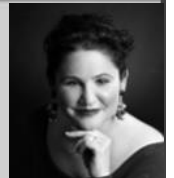
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Coming to St. Dominic's, Benicia!

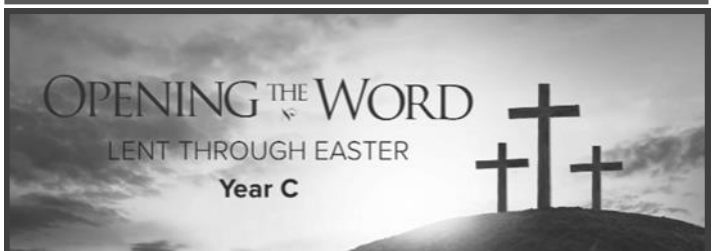
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Mondays with Deacon Errol

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.

Eucharistic Adoration Every Tuesday 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

The PEA Ministry will work with you to find an hour that fits your schedule.

MONDAY, TUESDAY or WEDNESDAY 7:00 am

(Weekly or alternating weeks)

Call John Elizalde @ 602-318-3235

MONDAY or FRIDAY 10:00 am

(Weekly or alternating weeks)

Call Siane Peters 707-771-0549

MONDAY 1:00 pm

(Every 1st & 4th week)

Call Millie Resendes @ 707-246-9015

TUESDAY 3:00 am

(Weekly or alternating weeks)

Call Euly Le Gro @ 707-315-2338

TUESDAY 6:00 am

(First or third weeks)

Call Valerie Bechelli @ 707-319-5993

TUESDAY 11:00 pm

(Weekly or alternating weeks)

Call Dee Case @ 707-746-6731

WEDNESDAY 5:00 am

(Weekly or alternating weeks)

Call Dennis Hirth @ 707-747-9609

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

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.

**Please prayerfully consider spending
an hour with Jesus.**

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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 March 2019.

63 calls assisting 183 individuals
Food: 48 deliveries
Food Expense: \$3,424
(Includes the Safeway certificates for Easter boxes)
Utility Assistance: \$2,495
Misc. Assistance: \$376
Totals for those served: \$6,295
We coordinated the collection and delivery of 142 Easter dinner and Safeway certificates.

God bless our parishioners and other donors for their generosity this Easter Season.

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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Deacon John Flanagan	Retired

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



Bessie Sharp
Jane Gasper
Darrell Perry
Doris Seitz

Colleen Haight
Tommy Thompson
Gladys Haddad
Dorothy Szabo
Peter Szabo, Sr.

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

Frank Mulholland, Dorie Cramer, Concepcion Caba,
Ralph Richard Montgomery, Don Thurin,
Rosan Sullivan Staubach, Socorro "Corrine" Basilio,
Dennis Garvey, Geneva Chiabotti, Br. Fredrick
Narberese, OP, Bernice Clark

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

6-Week Grief Support Series

**Meets Saturdays,
May 4th - June 1st at 11:00 am**

**In the Ministry Center
Aquinas Room**

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

For more information contact Joanne Flanagan
Email: consolation@stdombenicia.org

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



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