

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time November 3, 2019

Wisdom 11:22 - 12:2
Psalm 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13-14
2 Thessalonians 1:11 - 2:2
Luke 19:1 - 10

“I will praise your name forever, my king and my God”



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

Mass Intentions

Sun	11/03	7:30 am	(T) Lootsee Lustan
		9:00 am	(B) Allyson & Ashlee Telepak-Compton
		10:45 am	(D) Manuel DaSilva
		12:30 pm	(T) People of the Parish
		5:00 pm	(D) Evelyn Baugh
Mon	11/04	6:45 am	(D) Capapas-Zorrilla Family
		8:15 am	(T) Margaret McClune
Tues	11/05	6:45 am	(D) Marie Morrison
		8:15 am	(D) Stephen Rappa
Wed	11/06	6:45 am	(D) Bobby Hilton
		8:15 am	(D) Nancy Niecikowski
Thurs	11/07	6:45 am	(D) Harry Shoup
		8:15 am	(T) Norman Brule & Family
Fri	11/08	6:45 am	(D) Deceased Brothers & Sisters of the Dominican Order
		8:15 am	(D) Siumint Lau
Sat	11/09	8:15 am	(D) Bea Boland
		5:00 pm	(D) Norman Shopay
Sun	11/10	7:30 am	(T) People of the Parish
		9:00 am	(D) Long Vo
		10:45 am	(D) Jack Hayes
		12:30 pm	(D) Carmelita Tierro
		5:00 pm	(D) Emilio Chulli Movoa

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

Altar Flowers in Thanksgiving of Hay Family

We continue to pray for those affected by these fires and power outages.
Please be safe and God Bless.



Red Ribbon Week



Faith Families



Master of the Order Visit



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Br. Athanasius Column

All Saints and All Souls

Now that we have celebrated All Saint's Day on November 1st and All Soul's Day on November 2nd, we are reminded that Advent and Christmas are right around the corner. For many of us these celebrations are connected with Halloween and its ghouls, goblins, and creeping things of the night. However, entertaining this aspect of All Saint's Day and All Soul's Day,

there is a deeper, more spiritual reality that the Church draws our attention to on these celebrations: the power of intercessory prayer.

Intercessory prayer is prayer that we undertake for the sake of others. We "intercede" for them by offering our petitions for them to God. The catechism emphasizes that by praying for others in this way, we are made similar to Christ: "Intercession is a prayer of petition which leads us to pray as Jesus did. He is the one intercessor with the Father on behalf of all men, especially sinners. He is 'able for all time to save those who draw near to God through him, since he always lives to make intercession for them.'" (CCC 2634). Thus, intercessory prayer is one of the best ways we have of growing as disciples of Jesus: the more we pray for others, the more we become like Jesus our Savior.

With the celebrations of All Saints Day and All Souls Day, there is a twofold instruction on the power of intercessory prayer: on the Feast of All Saints, we ask the saints in heaven to pray for us who still labor here on earth, while on the Commemoration of the Faithful Departed (All Soul's Day), we offer up our intercessory prayers for the souls of all the faithful departed who might need one last "push" of spiritual support to enter fully into eternal life. This need that the faithful departed have for our prayers teaches us about the Church's doctrine of purgatory: when faithful souls move on from this earthly existence, there is a final purification where the soul is made ready to enter into the infinitely holy presence of God. The saints in heaven have already made it through this purification, and rest securely in the presence of God for all eternity. For this reason, they can devote their energy to joining Christ in offering up their prayers for us who are still involved in the struggles of earthly life. For the faithful departed who are still undergoing this final purification, however, it is they who are in need of our prayers!

So, as we get ready for the holiday season, we enjoy a blessed exchange of intercessory prayer: on the Feast of All Saints, we ask the saints in heaven to offer their prayers for us, while on the Commemoration of the Faithful Departed, we offer our prayers for the departed souls still on their way to perfect blessedness. What a wonderful way to grow as a Church, following the example of Jesus Christ,

ALL Eucharistic Ministers Mandatory Meeting

November 16th
1:00 pm
In the Church

Fr. Carl & Fr. Brad will be explaining the extensive changes to our procedures which will start on December 1st, the first Sunday of Advent. Please email Jo Ann Talken at emhc@stdombenicia.org with any questions or concerns.

Dominican Appeal Thank You

THANK YOU to all those who have responded to our recent Rosary Sunday: Dominican Student Appeal. If you haven't been able to yet, you still have a chance to help the 34 young men currently in formation to become your future Dominican priests and religious brothers. If you still wish to make a gift you may go online today to www.opwest.org/rs



Is the Lord calling you to explore a religious or priestly vocation? Single, Catholic men ages 20-35 are invited to attend a Come and See Discernment Weekend.

**November 8th - 10th
or March 6th - 8th**

At St. Albert the Great Priory, our Dominican house of studies in Oakland, California. Do not miss this great opportunity to pray, learn about Dominican life, and meet our student brothers, novices, and other friars. There is no cost to attend, but space is limited!

To register, contact Fr. John Marie Bingham, O.P., Director of Vocations, at vocations@opwest.org or (510) 658-8722.



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



Alice Louie	Albert Horvath
George Louie	Bill Telepak
Anthony Sylvester	Joey Guila
Gladys Haddad	Merlie Guerrero
Gretchen Watt	Tim Wade
Barbara Piepho	Arleen Saitz
Patricia Butler	Bessie Sharp
Sharon Fischer	Jane Gasper
Ryan Morgado	Darrell Perry

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

Gil Payongayong, Terry Martin Marcacci, Roman Frantela, Cyril Cooper, Vera Siri, Richard Lundin, Isabelle Sevier, Florence Brown, Daniel Medeiros, Stasia Maciejewski, Moyra Dacey, Harry Shoup, Edna Watson, Robert Josef Samuel "Bobby" Hilton, Peter McWalters, Corazon Vargas, Bishop Robert Christian, O.P.

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



Workshop

Help Needed for The Giving Tree

All are welcome who want to help label ornaments for the Christmas Giving Tree

Tuesday, November 12th

7:00 pm

**In the Ministry Center
Mary Magdalene Room**

St. Dominic School



Looking for a part-time (2 days/wk) school counselor. Must be licensed or in the process of being licensed. Call 707-745-1266

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

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<p>Buddahful Salon Amy Pappas, Owner/Stylist (707) 745-4409, 814 First St.</p>	<p>Minuteman Press Copy, Print, Posters & Banners (707) 647- 1000, 812 Tennessee St, Vallejo</p>	<p>Touch of Faith Catholic Gift Shop 725 Jefferson St. Fairfield, CA (707) 425-3393, M-F 10-4</p>
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<p>Crane Station, Inc. Rex Sevilla—Crane and Electrical Services (800) 891-3888</p>	<p>Napoli Pizza and Pasta Chris & Lisa Guerrero- Owners (707) 746-8906, www.napolibenicia.com</p>	<p>Up2Code Plumbing Owner Mike Pitta - 24 hour service (707) 751-1714</p>
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