2nd Sunday of Lent
March 8, 2020

Genesis 12:1-4a
Psalm 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22
2 Timothy 1:8b-10
Matthew 17:1-9

“This is my beloved Son, hear him.”

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

Mass Intentions

Sun 03/08  7:30 am  (D) Epifanio Sunpayco
         9:00 am  (D) Maria Alves
         10:45 am  (T) Lobo Family
         12:30 pm  (T) Antonio & Antonia Gomez
         5:00 pm  (T) People of the Parish
Mon 03/09  6:45 am  (H) Doreen Glynn-Pawski
         8:15 am  (B) Chonglim David Lee
Tues 03/10  6:45 am  (D) Long Vo
           8:15 am  (B) Edgar N. Oteyza
Wed 03/11  6:45 am  (H) Lydia Leveriza
           8:15 am  (B) Mary Chivetta
Thurs 03/12  6:45 am  (D) Ruth Groff
           8:15 am  (D) Magno Pasadilla, Sr.
Fri 03/13  6:45 am  (D) Diane Thomas
           8:15 am  (D) Valerie Quillin Miller
Sat 03/14  8:15 am  (D) Ben & Rose Gido
           5:00 pm  (D) Marty Dacey
Sun 03/15  7:30 am  (D) Iluminada M. Panganiban
           9:00 am  (D) Asuncion & Guillermo Gonzales
           10:45 am  (H) Lydia Leveriza
           12:30 pm  (T) People of the Parish
           5:00 pm  (D) Jim Guinasso

Legend:  (D) Deceased  (H) Health
         (A) Anniversary  (B) Birthday  (T) Thanksgiving
Pastor's Corner

Dear St. Dominic's Parishioner’s,

We pastors received a letter from Bishop Soto this past Monday. In addition to the flu season precautions he instituted back in December, in the light of the growing concern over spread of the COVID-19 virus, he has instituted a new precaution: we will not exchange “any” sign of peace during the Mass. This is effective immediately and will be in place until further notice.

For your reference, what follows is the text of the bishop’s memorandum.

Fr. Carl, OP

REMINDER

The flu season came early this year. Now, with growing concerns about the Corona virus it's important that we continue to be vigilant about taking precautions against the spread of disease. While the number of cases of people infected with the Corona virus in the U.S. is very small, the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) reports that the incidence of flu and flu-like illnesses is still widespread and at a level requiring we do everything reasonably possible to mitigate the spread of infection. Therefore, in order to protect the health and well-being of everyone, we wish to remind you of the following directives:

1. The use of the Communion cup is suspended temporarily.
2. Receive the Body of Christ in the hand (although receiving on the tongue is permitted)
3. Do not hold hands during the Our Father.
4. Effective immediately, Bishop Soto instructs the presiders anddeacons at Mass to refrain from inviting the assembly to exchange the sign of peace. After the priest says “The Peace of the Lord be with you always” and the assembly responds “And with your Spirit” he should proceed directly to the fraction rite. Prior to Mass the presider should advise the assembly of this change. This will remain in effect until further notice.
5. Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion must cleanse their hands with an alcohol-based antiseptic before and after administering Holy Communion. This also applies to those who take Holy Communion to the home-bound.

The obligation to attend Mass on Sunday and other Holy Days does not apply to those who are sick. If you are sick, stay home and take of yourself. Thank you for your patience and understanding during this time. And pray for those who are sick. The administration of Holy Communion in both kinds will resume as soon as the Bishop deems it safe and prudent to do so.

Upcoming Events

Stations of the Cross & Soup Supper
Fridays, February 28th - April 3rd
6:30 pm In the Church
Soup Supper following in the Parish Hall

Exodus Bible Study
Wednesday’s, March 4th-April 8th
at 9:15 am & 7:00 pm
Ministry Center Mary Magdalene Room

Grief Support Series
Saturdays, March 7th - April 4th at 11:00 am
Ministry Center Aquinas Room

Visit Vina with Fr. David
Monday, March 9th leaving 9:00 am
Carpooling, meet in front of Church

166th Parish Anniversary Dinner
Canceled

Benicia City Clocktower Vacation Bible Camp Rocky Railway
Jesus’ power pulls us through!
COMING SOON!

Parish Financial Report
7/1/2019-2/29/2020

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St. Dominic School 2020 Science Fair
We Need Judges!

If you are interested in supporting the science fair and our future scientists, please contact Christine Morrison at cnsouza914@gmail.com.
~ Ministries ~
Adoration Ministry: adoration@stdombenicia.org
Altar Servers: altarservers@stdombenicia.org
American Heritage Girls: AHG@stdombenicia.org
Catholics Returning Home: comehome@stdombenicia.org
Consolation Ministry: consolation@stdombenicia.org
Dominican Laity: domlaity@stdombenicia.org
Donut Ministry: donuts@stdombenicia.org
Eucharistic Ministers: emhc@stdombenicia.org
GIFT (Growing In Faith Together): gift@stdombenicia.org
Guadalupana: guadalupana@stdombenicia.org
Knights of Columbus: beniciaknights@gmail.com
Lazarus Ministry: lazarus@stdombenicia.org
Lectors: lectors@stdombenicia.org
Men’s Faith & Fellowship: mensfaith@stdombenicia.org
Music Ministry: fortiz@stdombenicia.org
Prayer Line: prayers@stdombenicia.org
RCIA: RCIA@stdombenicia.org
Respect Life: respectlife@stdombenicia.org
Seven Sorrows Rosary: 7sorrows@stdombenicia.org
St. Dominic Cemetery: lw6@comcast.net
St. Vincent de Paul: SVDP@stdombenicia.org

166th Parish Anniversary &
St. Patrick's Dinner

In the light of the growing concern over spread of the COVID-19 virus, the committee has decided to cancel this event in an effort to keep everyone safe and healthy. We look forward to hosting our celebration later this year.

If you have already purchased tickets please contact the parish office Tuesday. Sorry for any inconvenience this may have caused.

5-Week Grief Support Series
Meets Saturday’s,
March 7th - April 4th
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/

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

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

Judy Ann Hall, Joseph Hurst,
Teresa “Tess” Porter, Leroy Howell,
Jim Guinasso, Eileen Novoa, James Lemos,
Maria Alves, Connie Cavalieri, Shirley Go, Tony Donato, Barbara Piepho,
Jin Chul Kim, Jose Maria Miramontes, Michael Powell,
Andrew Koper

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

Win an All-Expenses-Paid Trip to Hawaii!
Enter the St. Vincent de Paul Raffle 14th Annual “Benefit for the Poor”

6 DAYS/5 NIGHTS AT THE SHERATON MAUI RESORT AND SPA
Airfare for two ($1,000 max),
Hertz Rental Car $400 Voucher
$500 American Express Gift Card
Value of Package $3,500
Only $10 per ticket

Buy your tickets after all Masses
March 14th & 15th

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 April 15, 2020. Questions regarding the scholarship can be directed to Kristin Schriber at kac9470@sbcglobal.net.
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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<td>Break room services, coffee &amp; vending. (707) 750-3835, Tery or Shane Carnahan</td>
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<td>John Passalacqua/Greg Silva, Directors (707) 745-3130</td>
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<td>310 Military West (707) 752-2990</td>
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<td>Exams, Glasses, Contacts (707) 745-6266, 874 Southampton Rd.</td>
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<td>Non-Emergency Medical Transport (707) 557-3781 / (707) 315-4652</td>
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<td>Angels to your rescue! Returns/ QB (707) 745-1040</td>
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<td>Dorothy Doscher (707) 334-3776</td>
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<td>Luxury Lease Returns, Tony &amp; Rita Nino (510) 235-1500</td>
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<td>Employment, Personal Injury Litigation (707) 745-3747 Se Habla Español</td>
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<td>Sac’s Tasty Hot Dogs</td>
<td>George &amp; Karolyn Maichel (707) 642-2442, 2445 Springs Rd, Vallejo</td>
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<td>Amy Pappas, Owner/Stylist (707) 745-4409, 814 First St.</td>
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<td>Wills/Trusts/Estate Planning/General Practice (707) 553-7360</td>
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<td>George Schandelmier Landscaping</td>
<td>georgeschandelmierjrlandscaping.com (707) 554-2722</td>
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<td>Home Care Services/Placement Referral (707) 747-2720, Carmen Haban</td>
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<td>Vincent R. Maher, The Maher Law Group</td>
<td>Certified Specialist Criminal Law (707) 427-2800, 724 Texas St, Fairfield</td>
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<td>Shutters and More</td>
<td>Bill Simpson, Parishioner (707) 746-8187</td>
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<td>Rex Sevilla–Crane and Electrical Services (800) 891-3888</td>
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<td>James M. McVeigh</td>
<td>Certified Public Accountant (707) 746-5604</td>
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<td>Teresa Stone- Notary Services</td>
<td><a href="mailto:tstone@stdombenicia.org">tstone@stdombenicia.org</a> (707) 330-0773</td>
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<td>Eagle Vines Realty-American Canyon</td>
<td>(707) 373-3139, Ron Banasik Broker/Owner (707) 333-9656, Lisa Guerrera Agent</td>
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<td>Minuteman Press</td>
<td>Copy, Print, Posters &amp; Banners (707) 647-1000, 812 Tennessee St, Vallejo</td>
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<td>Touch of Faith Catholic Gift Shop</td>
<td>725 Jefferson St. Fairfield, CA (707) 425-3393, M-F 10-4</td>
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<td>Charlie H. White, Design/Shopworking (707) 746-0169</td>
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<td>Landscaping, Maintenance &amp; Installation (707) 747-5273</td>
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<td>Tuolumne Street Auto Repair</td>
<td>John McLaughlin, Parishioner (707) 648-3434</td>
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<td>David Galligan, REALTOR Berkshire Hathaway HS Drysdale Properties</td>
<td>(707) 319-5397 Call/Text DRE00847290</td>
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<td>Up2Code Plumbing</td>
<td>Owner Mike Pitta - 24 hour service (707) 751-1714</td>
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<td>Hamann Real Estate, 513 First Street</td>
<td>Tim and Jeannie Hamann/Broker-Owners (707) 246-6567 DRE01348061</td>
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**Parish Office Hours**
- **Monday & Saturday:** Closed
- **Tuesday-Friday:** 9:00 am - 4:00 am (Closed 12:00 - 1:00 pm for Lunch)
- **Sunday:** 8:30 am - 1:00 pm

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