

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

May 24, 2020

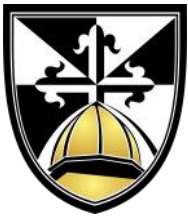
Acts of the Apostles 1:1-11

Psalms 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9

Ephesians 1:17-23

Matthew 28:16-20

**“I am with you always,
until the end of
the world.”**



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

Mass Intentions

Sun	05/24	7:30 am	(A) Rob & Lootsee Lustan
		9:00 am	(A) Rose Ursua
		10:45 am	(T) People of the Parish
		12:30 pm	(D) Juan Vicente Vargas
		5:00 pm	(B) Katie Perata
Mon	05/25		Happy Memorial Day
		8:15 am	(D) Stephen Ngo
Tues	05/26	6:45 am	(D) Omar Abuello
		8:15 am	(D) JoAnn McMillan
Wed	05/27	6:45 am	(H) Lourdes Chan
		8:15 am	(B) Dr. Carolyn Mary Lobo
Thurs	05/28	6:45 am	(D) Jack Hayes
		8:15 am	(D) Steveley Family
Fri	05/29	6:45 am	(D) Dolores Magnelli
		8:15 am	(D) Lou Petropoulos
Sat	05/30	8:15 am	(B) Glenn Bliss
		5:00 pm	(T) Br. Gregory Liu, O.P.
Sun	05/31	7:30 am	(D) Carol E. Atacador
		9:00 am	(B) John Flanagan
		10:45 am	(H) Joanne Flanagan
		12:30 pm	(T) People of the Parish
		5:00 pm	(D) Bobby Hilton

Legend: (D) Deceased (H) Health

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

For Mass & Flower Intentions

email: aaquino@stdombenicia.org

**Flowers in Thanksgiving
for Rose Ursua**



SDS 8th Grade Graduates



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Pastor's Corner

Dear Brothers and Sisters of St. Dominic Parish,

I have good news and bad news. First, the bad news: we have not received a date when we will be able to resume public Masses.

The good news is that Bishop Soto issued guidelines to be observed throughout the Diocese when public Masses resume. California is still in Phase II of the State's reopening plan; church openings are part of Phase III. These mandatory guidelines are based on the best available data from the CDC and the California Department of Public Health; they are designed to keep everyone safe and healthy while at Mass. The staff is working hard to implement them here at St. Dominic so we will be ready to go as soon as we get the green light.

I am aware that some parishes in the Diocese of Oakland are beginning to have outdoor Masses, "drive by" Communion, and other such things. Per Bishop's Soto's specific orders, these are not allowed in the Diocese of Sacramento. I certainly understand and appreciate your hunger for the Eucharist, and your frustration that we are not yet able to have Mass in person or give you Holy Communion, especially now when other nearby parishes are beginning to. St. Dominic's will continue to follow the instructions of the Diocese of Sacramento.

When we are able to have public Masses again, the adaptations we will have to make may seem awkward and hard. For example, the church will have to be cleaned after every Mass, seating capacity will be reduced by at least half, and masks and gloves will be highly encouraged. They are there to protect everyone, especially the most vulnerable among us. We will continue to do our part in preventing the spread of this highly contagious disease, which remains a serious threat to all of us. Thank you for your continued understanding, prayers, and support.

Yours sincerely,

Fr. Carl Schlichte, O.P.
Pastor
frcarl@stdombenicia.org 707-335-4668

Upcoming Events

St. Dominic School
Distance Learning

Confession Times (Church)

Tuesday & Thursday 6:30 pm
Friday 9:00 am
Saturday 3:30 pm

Masses Live Stream

Monday-Saturday 8:15 am
Sunday 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:45 am
& 12:30 pm (English/Spanish)
Watch online at
www.stdombenicia.org or YouTube

Rosary for the Sick Live Stream

Wednesday 7:30 pm

Subscribe to our YouTube Channel
[Youtube.com/c/StDominicsCatholicChurchBenicia](https://www.youtube.com/c/StDominicsCatholicChurchBenicia)

Virtual Vacation Bible Camp

~ Rocky Railway ~

Jesus' power pulls us through!

June 15th - 19th

Registration Required

Parish App Feature-of-the-Week



Homilies

- Recent or past homilies
- Easy access at any time
- Provided by our parish or other Catholic sources

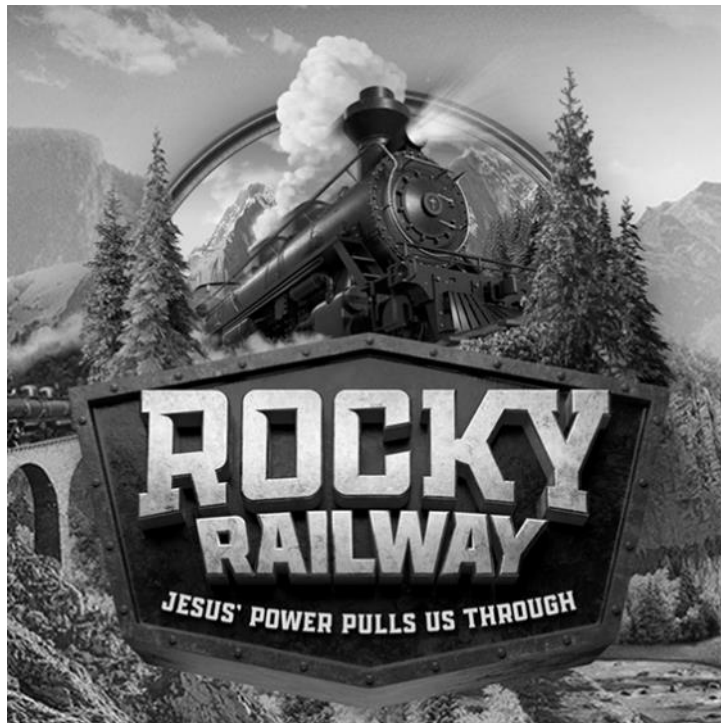
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AHG Popcorn Sales

Online ordering with curbside pick up Wednesday's.
For details go to stdombenicia.org/popcornopolis/



June 15th - 19th

Kindergarten - 5th grade virtual week of fun!
What better way to start a FUN-tastic summer than Virtual Vacation Bible Camp? Join us for VBC reimagined with an all new digital platform!
Your materials will be available for be picked up approximately one week prior to VBC.

Each kit will contain a t-shirt, goodies and gizmos that children can use each day to follow along with our online leaders. Each day's live video links will be emailed to you. If you can't attend the live camp, you can let us know so we can arrange for the recorded session to be emailed to you so you can attend with your child at a convenient time.

\$35/per child, limited spots available so sign up today!
No registrations after June 1st.
Online registration: stdombenicia.org/vbc/

Any questions please email:
Dalia Nino, VBC Volunteer Director
vbc@stdombenicia.org

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



Mary Barnhart	Jean Greer
Nina Aquino	Sara Smith
Stan Gabel	Joe Bosso
Joanne Flanagan	Lydia Leveriza
Sister Mary Angela, OP	Gladys Haddad
Margaret McClune	Bessie Sharp
Alma Johnson	Jane Gasper

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

JoAnn McMillan, Louise Thibeaux,
Lorenzo Quizon, Flordeliza Escalada,
Joe Thornton, Isaura Cabral, Harland Hall,
Jacobo Uy, Anthony Sylvester, Robin Quandt,
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

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

Knights' Scholarships

For ANY 8th Grade Student of the Parish

- public, parochial, charter or home-school
- who will continue at a Catholic High School
- who meets the requirements
- **\$500 each** to the TOP 2 Applicants



For ANY 6th-12th Grade Student of a Fr. Vilarrasa Council Knight of Columbus

- public, parochial, charter or home-school
- who meets the requirements
- **\$500 each** to the TOP 6th-8th Grade and 9th-12th Grade Applicants

Applications available by contacting the Knights at BeniciaKnights@gmail.com.

DEADLINE EXTENDED – JUNE 1, 2020

Congratulations St. Dominic 8th Grade Graduates

Where are our students heading?

- ✦ 12 Saint Patrick-Saint Vincent High School
- ✦ 5 Justin-Sienna High School
- ✦ 3 De La Salle High School
- ✦ 14 Benicia High School
- ✦ 1 Dougherty Valley High School
- ✦ 1 American Canyon High School

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Care Network, LLC Home Care Services/Placement Referral (707) 747-2720, Carmen Haban	James M. McVeigh Certified Public Accountant (707) 746-5604	Teresa Stone- Notary Services tstone@stdombenicia.org (707) 330-0773
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Eagle Vines Realty-American Canyon (707) 373-3139, Ron Banasik Broker/Owner (707) 333-9656, Lisa Guerrero Agent	Mr. Lawn Landscape Service Landscaping, Maintenance & Installation (707) 747-5273	Tuolumne Street Auto Repair John McLaughlin, Parishioner (707) 648-3434
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secure online tool to easily create a last will and
testament. Most people finish in about 20 minutes.

Age 70 1/2?

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to make a gift from your IRA.

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right form for a Qualified Charitable Distribution to
the Dominicans or your parish, which can help you
meet your Required Minimum Distribution.



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