

Fourth Sunday of Easter

April 30, 2023

Acts 2:14a, 36-41
Ps 23: 1-3a, 3b4, 5, 6
1 Pt 2:20b-25
Jn 10:1-10

*"The Lord is my shepherd;
there is nothing
I shall want."*



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

**Altar Flowers in Celebration of
Anniversary of
Joji & Clint Holzwarth**

Mass Intentions

Sun	04/30	7:30 a.m. (T) People of the Parish 9:00 a.m. (B) Virgillio Austria 11:00 a.m. (R) Tim Heney 1:00 p.m. (R) Celedonio Hernandez
Mon	05/01	6:45 a.m. (R) Imelda Mendoza 8:15 a.m. (H) John Potter
Tues	05/02	6:45 a.m. (R) Christain Schuh 8:15 a.m. (R) Alex Espinosa
Wed	05/03	6:45 a.m. (R) Edmundo De Joya 8:15 a.m. (R) Ramon & Juan Espinosa, Jr.
Thurs	05/04	6:45 a.m. (R) Santos Barreras 8:15 a.m. (T) Joger & Jocelyn Dionisio
Fri	05/05	6:45 a.m. (B) Br. Jose Maria Barrero, O.P. 8:15 a.m. (H) Ed Gonzales
Sat	05/06	8:15 a.m. (B) Lloyd Morr 5:00 p.m. (T) People of the Parish
Sun	05/07	7:30 a.m. (R) Souls in Purgatory 9:00 a.m. (R) Luz Navarro 11:00 a.m. (R) Jonna Karin Elise 1:00 p.m. (T) Shauna Portugues 5:00 p.m. (T) Mary Catherine Sandoval

Legend: (R) Repose of the Soul (H) Health
(A) Anniversary (B) Birthday (T) Thanksgiving



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



Joe & Frances Taglang, Maria Lupe Sanchez,
Greg Gormley, Leonor Cruel,
Aurora Basilio, Joshua Chavez-Carroll,
Colin Larkin, Connor Larkin, Jerry Schilz, Pauline Soop,
Alma Johnson, Lee Schaffner, Barbara Flores,
Angela Taylor, Rob Lustan, Nita Calvo,
Mel Gaoen, Sean Daly, Jackie Ho, Robert Krupp,
Laura Carnes Dietrich, Lisa Santini, Liz Thurin,
Rosie & Don Klatt, Aurora Basilio,
Leonor Cruel, Mark Nees, Lilian Fajardo, Margaret Lobo,
Gregory Quillin, Albert Tan Co, Russell Ho, Ron Pearman,
Patricia Weber, Bernice Cure, Margaret Haddad,
Donna W., Gladys Haddad, Julia Haddad,
Pete & Dorothy Szabo

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

Joseph Lindley, Lisa Corsi, Alex Espinosa, Artur Cardoso,
Tim Heney, Ronald Azevedo, Emmanuel Romero,
Christopher Gonzales, Gary Dinneen, Elpidia Flandez,
Janice Hoss, Miguel Contreras, Petrocino Ferrer,
Merlie Guerrero, Louis Bacher, Gracelee Chatman,
Tom Gavin, Rosita Cruz, Maurice Edward Huguet, Jr.



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Pastor's Corner

For my post-Easter getaway the week before last, I hung out with one of my "longest serving" friends, and indeed my first best friend: a guy I've known since Kindergarten. We went to different schools after 4th grade. We kept in occasional touch over the years, so I got to hear when he married, career changes, when his kids were born, and other such milestones. He reminded me that I was present for his now-twenty-one-year-old son's first haircut. (That struck a chord: my father kept a picture of that traumatic event from my life on his desk his entire working career; fortunately, it disappeared after he retired. In those days, I was a toe-head blonde, and in the picture, my face was beet-red, and I was clearly screaming my lungs out.) Ironically, as I was leaving from my last haircut, a mom and dad were just bringing in their little one for that big event.

Both of my friend's children are now in college, and he and his wife are adjusting to being empty nesters. Fortunately for me, he decided that, among other things, he wanted to be back in regular contact with me and this trip together was the first of hopefully many. It was also a treat to see his mom and his wife. Sadly, his mom is at the beginning stages of dementia, so she forgot the times over the decades she and I had seen each other and was "stuck" in remembering me when I was in Kindergarten. I must admit though, it was pretty cute and heart-warming to see her face light up, over and over again, as she relived those memories at dinner.

My friend and I were also able to connect with another Kindergarten classmate that I hadn't seen since we were about 12, and my friend hadn't seen since they graduated high school. His communication with us was terse and infrequent. Even until the day we agreed to meet, we weren't sure he was actually going to show up. But happily, he did. Those few hours were a highlight for both of us.

As I approach my 25th anniversary at the end of next month, I am having more and more reminisces about so many people that I have encountered as a priest and as a Dominican. And at the same time, reconnecting with my oldest best friend and this childhood acquaintance, the memory net is bringing up all sorts of folks prior to my Dominican life that I haven't thought about in a very long time. At the same time, I am in the home stretch in my time with you, which is bittersweet: sad to say "goodbye for now" to you and getting excited to see what my next assignment brings.

All of this is reminding me to be grateful, truly and deeply grateful, for all the people in my life, past and present.

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Upcoming Events

Knights of Columbus Breakfast

Sunday, April 30 after Mass
Parish Hall

SVdP Shredding Event

Saturday, May 6, 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Large Parking Lot

Gabriel Project Baby Shower

Sunday, May 7, 10 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Parish Hall

Book Study with Fr. Carl

Books \$10—Parish Office
Mondays at 9:00 a.m.
April 17 - May 22
Mary Magdalene Room



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 Catholic School or St. Patrick-St. Vincent High 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 St. Dominic's parish office, or by contacting Lori Telepak at ltepak@stdombenicia.org. The application deadline is May 31, 2023. Questions regarding the scholarship can be directed to Kristin Schriber at kac9470@sbcglobal.net.





Gabriel Project Baby Shower

Sunday, May 7, 2023

**10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
(after 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. Masses)**

The Gabriel Project (TGP) is hosting a Baby Shower to help expecting and current mothers with supplies for their babies.

Join us for refreshments, games and a raffle with wonderful prizes.

Raffle tickets will be sold after Masses on April 23rd and 30th and during the Baby Shower. Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5. You don't need to be present to win.

Due to storage constraints, we are only able to accept monetary and gift card donations at this time. Walmart, Kohl's, Target, or Amazon gift cards can be purchased from stores or through St. Dominic School.

All donations are greatly appreciated. We hope to see you at the Parish Hall on Sunday, May 7.



If you have any questions about the Baby Shower or The Gabriel Project, please email Gabriel@stdombenicia.org



Shredding for Shelter

Shredded On Site



BAY SHRED

Certified Protection Total Destruction

Date: Saturday, May 6

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Location: St. Dominic's Church Parking Lot
475 East I Street Benicia

Questions? Call 707-200-4940 or email svdp@stdombenicia.org

Suggested donation \$15 per bankers' box

****All proceeds used for emergency supplies to
support Benicians in a natural disaster***

St. Vincent de Paul is a 501c3 non-profit organization.
Cash, checks, credit cards accepted.

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m.
 Sunday: 7:30 a.m. - Livestreamed
 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.

1:00 p.m. (Spanish/English)

First Sunday of month Vietnamese Mass – 3:00 p.m.

Daily Mass

Monday – Friday: 6:45 a.m.

Monday – Saturday: 8:15 a.m. - Live-streamed

Confession Times

Tuesday & Thursday 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday 9:00 a.m.

Saturday 3:30 p.m.

Ministries at St. Dominic's

♦ Adoration

Euly Legro - adoration@stdombenicia.org

♦ Choirs

Dr. Cyril Deacoff - cdeaconoff@stdombenicia.org

♦ Consolation/Grief

Patti Erickson - grief@stdombenicia.org

♦ Dominican Laity

Dirk Fulton - domlaity@stdombenicia.org

♦ Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Mike & Sara Monahan - emhc@stdombenicia.org

♦ Gabriel Project

Sandy Scafani & Maria Padrones - gabriel@stdombenicia.org

♦ GIFT - Growing In Faith Together

Shannon Carter - gift@stdombenicia.org

♦ Guadalupe Association

Patricia Chavez - guadalupe@stdombenicia.org

♦ Hospitality

Kristina Ruiz - hospitality@stdombenicia.org

♦ Knights of Columbus

Joe Thurin - beniciaknights@gmail.com

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Ann Espinosa - lazarus@stdombenicia.org

♦ Parish Pastoral Council

Kaitlin Demers - ppc@stdombenicia.org

♦ RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Shannon Carter - rcia@stdombenicia.org

♦ St. Dominic School

Penny Ogden - pogden@sdschoolbenicia.org

♦ St. Vincent de Paul

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♦ St. Dominic's Cemetery

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Deacon

Deacon

Parochial Vicar

Resident Brother

Business Manager

Music Director

Communications

Teen Ministry

Children's Sacraments

Office Assistant

Maintenance

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PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT

7/1/2022-3/31/2022

	YTD	YTD	+ / -
	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Budget</u>
Sunday Offertory	\$ 698,895	\$ 738,750	\$ (39,855)
Second Collections:			
Building Improvement	\$ 27,413	\$ 30,000	\$ (2,587)
Faith Formation	\$ 8,042	\$ 7,275	\$ 767
SDS Tuition Assistance	\$ 21,111		
St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 61,848		
Total Operating Income	\$ 889,992	\$ 944,850	\$ (54,858)
Operating Expenses	\$ 984,382	\$ 954,896	\$ (29,486)
Net Income/Loss	\$ (94,390)		\$ (84,344)

Taxes Statements for 2022

Instructions on our website
<https://www.stdombenicia.org/tax-statements/>

or you may email your request to
Lori-ltelepak@stdombenicia.org

**Tax Statements are
 available now!**

TAXES



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	Olson Realty, Inc. Kathleen McInerney Olson/Broker (707) 745-3602	
SPECIAL COLLECTIONS FOR APRIL	Apr 02: Building Improvement Apr 06: Holy Thursday/SVdP Apr 07: Good Friday/Holy Lands Apr 09: Easter Sunday	Apr 16: SDS Tuition Assistance Apr 23: Faith Formation Apr 30: Catholic Home Missions Apr 30: St. Vincent de Paul

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