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St. Dominic

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PARISH STAFF

Fr. Terence Dias - Pastor
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OUR LITURGICAL LIFE

Sunday Eucharist

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m.
Baptisms: 1:00 p.m.

Weekday Eucharist

Tuesdays & Thursday: 7:00 p.m.
Fridays: 8:00 a.m.
Wednesdays & Saturdays: 9:15 a.m.
Rosary Saturdays at 8:45 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays: 3:30 - 4:00 p.m.
and anytime by request.

Baptisms

Contact the parish office even before the birth for preparation and arrangements.

Marriages

By appointment with at least one year notice to permit adequate preparation.

Ministry to the Sick and Shut-Ins

Please notify the office if a family member is in hospital or confined to the home.

Holy Orders

For information contact Fr. Chris Lemieux
416-968-0997 or www.vocations.ca

Parish Schools

St. Dominic's Elementary 905-278-9821
Queen of Heaven Elementary 905-278-9771
St. Paul's Secondary 905-278-3994
Archbishop Romero School 416-393-5555

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Tuesday, Thursday: 9:30 a.m. - 8:30 p.m.
Saturday: 10:00 a.m - 6:30 p.m. & Sunday: 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome! Please introduce yourself to the pastoral staff and others and complete a registration form located in the vestibule of the Church.

PARISH MINISTRIES

Altar Guild	Monica Parlette
Altar Servers	Christi Robert
	Natalye Mete
Baptism Ministry	Fr. Terence Dias
Children's Liturgy of the Word	Lianne Henderson
Coffee Ministry	Joyce Varriano
Collection Counters	Michelle Gal-Chalmers
Confirmation Preparation	Marie Jansa
Finance Council	Fr. Terence Dias
First Eucharist and	
First Reconciliation Preparation	Beverly O'Grady
Funeral Ministry	Gloria Noronha
General Church Maintenance	Paul Cantlon
Kitchen Coordinator	Laura Cordovado
Knights of Columbus	Paul Horbatiuk
Marriage Rehearsal	Marian Yuill
Ministers of Eucharist	Marie Jansa
Ministry of Music (SATB Choir)	Brian Bonnici
(Folk Choir)	Sean Bator
Ministers of the Word	Christine Kot
Ministers of Welcome	Gary MacDonald
Social Justice Education	Carlos Diaz
Spiritual Direction	Beverly O'Grady
Pastoral Council	Erica Miceli
RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)	Barbara-Anne Krampert
Resettlement	Bev Carpenter
ShareLife	Fr. Terence Dias
St. Vincent de Paul	Margaret Ramsay
Youth Ministry	Meredith Erochko
	Natalye Mete
	Maureen Pangan





Monday, August 12th
Ferial
NO MASS

Tuesday, August 13th
Ferial
7:00PM – Mass
– All Souls in Purgatory✠

Wednesday, August 14th
St. Maximilian Kolbe
9:15AM – Mass

Thursday, August 15th
The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
7:00PM – Mass
– Amedeo & Angela Traetto✠

Friday, August 16th
Ferial
8:00AM – Mass

Saturday, August 17th
Ferial
9:15AM – Mass
– Elmo Legaspi Custodio✠

Sunday Bulletin Schedule

➤ August 24/25, 2019

Parking Signs



I am happy to announce that we have installed parking signs in our parking areas, Atwater and Cawthra entrances. This is in order to restrict the intruders taking advantage of our parking. I thank Jose Azavedo our parishioner for his assistance.

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reflection from the desk of the Pastor

The parable in today's Gospel focuses on the unpredictable return of Jesus and our need to be prepared for his return. He is saying to us, "Ready or not, here I am." Normally when we think of being ready, we usually think of being prepared for the worst could happen: locks on the door in the case of thieves, life jackets in the event of a boat, plane accident.

The returning of Jesus is a certainty. We can never know precisely when He will return or when we will die, but his return is certain. We must constantly watch being always faithful and ready so that we may be found worthy to share in the heavenly banquet He has prepared for us. So that question of the parable is not whether or not Christ is coming again or when he is coming, or even how he is coming. The point is about being prepared for his coming and ready to receive Him whenever He comes, now or later.

Happy Feast of St. Dominic



I wish all our parishioners Happy Feast of our patron saint. St. Dominic. Through the intervention of St. Dominic may we be blessed and grow stronger in faith and commitment in building vibrant parish community.

Statue of St. Dominic

It was fitting occasion to bless and install the statue of St. Dominic. Thanks to all our donors for their contribution towards this, in particular the coffee ministry: Joyce Varriano, Laura Cordovado, Isabel De Filippis & team. A special thanks to Bishop Boissonneau for accepting our invitation to celebrate this festal Mass and blessing the statue. Thanks to the altar servers, our Ministry of Music – SATB & Folk Choir, Ministers of Eucharist, Ministers of the Word, Ministers of Welcome, Youth Ministry & Knights of Columbus for their support and cooperation.

Weekend Mass Intentions

From now onwards we will be taking Mass intentions for Saturday vigil Mass 5pm and Sunday 11:30am Mass. However, Sunday 9:30am Mass will be celebrated as *Pro Pupulo* (Mass for the people of our parish). Hence, no intentions for 9:30am Mass.

For single Mass – exclusively to one family we charge \$40.
For multiple intentions – up to three or 4 people we charge usual \$20.

Sacramental Preparation for First Reconciliation & First Communion

Parents of all Grade 2 students are asked to attend a meeting on Registration on Sunday Sept 29 at 1:30pm – 2:30pm or Tuesday Oct 1 at 7:00pm – 8:00pm in the parish hall. For further information please email bevogrady@stdominicschurch.ca

Mission Co op Appeal

I thank you dear parishioners for giving warm welcome to our last weekend Mission speaker Fr. Tiburtius Fernandez who was here requesting our help to support mission's in Africa. We have received very little, please pick up the mission appeal envelope and put your contribution in the basket. Thanks again for your generous support.

Ministry of the Word

I am pleased to announce that Virginia Ittig-Deland as co-ordinator of Ministry of the Word. I also take this opportunity to thank our former co-ordinator Christine Kot for her dedicated service in the ministry for past couple of years. Thanks, Christine for that you did. We appreciate it. God Bless you.

Liturgy of the Word with Children

I thank Lianne Henderson who has stepped down as coordinator of children's Liturgy of the word. On behalf of the parish community we thank you for your assistance. And I would like to welcome, Silvana Altomare, our new coordinator for the children's Liturgy of the Word. We wish her good luck.

Welcome through Baptism

Welcome and congratulations to the New members of the church:

- ✠ Roman Bouclair
- ✠ Blakely Boyd
- ✠ Adalynn Boyd
- ✠ Persephone Small



August 10th – August 17th, 2019

Planning Events & Setting up the Calendar for 2019 - 2020



I invite below mentioned ministries and representatives to get together into their groups, discuss and come up with events and activities that would help to build St. Dominic's parish community by raising funds by organizing various events throughout the year to support

the church and other church related works and ministries. I encourage following ministries and their leaders to take up the initiative and cooperate with me in doing the calendar for 2019 -2020. This is just a suggestion and a request.

Knights of Columbus: Paul Horbatiuk &Team; **Music Ministry:** Sean Bator, Brian Bonnici & Team; **Pastoral Council:** Erica Miceli &Team; **Seniors Group:** Monica Parlette & Team; **Coffee Ministry:** Joyce Varriano &Team; **Collection & Counting Ministry:** Michelle Gal-Chalmers & Team; **Eucharistic and Confirmation Ministry:** Marie Jansa & Team; **Ministries of the Word:** Christine Kot &Team; **Ministry of Welcome:** Gary MacDonald; **Social Justice and Education:** Carlos Diaz & Team; **Resettlement:** Bev Carpenter &Team; **General Church Maintenance:** Paul Cantlon; **RCIA & Marriage Rehearsal Ministry:** Barbara Anne Krampert, Marian Yuill & Team. **Others are also Welcome.**

Open air Thanksgiving Mass

October 6, 2019, a week before thanksgiving weekend, we are planning St. Dominic's parish community Thanksgiving Mass, coming together to acknowledge and to thank the Lord for his blessings and sharing a meal together. More information will be updated in the course of time.

St. Vincent de Paul Society



St. Vincent de Paul Society is committed to helping the marginalized all year round. We have a poor box at all the entrances to the church. Our Needy people require our help. We are also short of some items in our pantry specially, "Peanut butter, jam, pasta sauce, cereals, instant coffee, cookies for kids.

Your contributions; monetary or in kind will be much appreciated. Thank you for helping us in helping others.

RCIA

If you, or anyone you know who lives in our neighbourhood and would like to become a Catholic, please call 905-278-7762. Our RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation Adults) 2019-2020 program will begin in the fall.



Catholic Cemetery

Annual Mass for the Faithful Departed will be on **August 14, 2019** at 7:00pm at Assumption Cemetery, Mississauga. The celebrant will be Most Rev. John Boissonneau.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

We remember our parishioners for their recovery to health especially: Barbara Ptashinski, Peter Banken, Sean Seepaul, Denise Lamontagne, Maureen Timms, Louise Paquette, Anita Cottreau, Eric Holgan, Marilza Alvarez, Flavia Silva, Colleen & Walter Popovic, Ann-Marie Cameron, Angelica Cagetano, Asia Tkacz, Michael Plante, Larry Elmer, Arlene Ceccetto, Edith Ardito, Mary Melnik, Eva Lill, Paul Von Zuben, Rusty Von Zuben, Phyllis Horbatiuk, Erna Go, Aline Vandewaeter, Philippe Paquette, Christopher Faion, Jeff Gollob, Geraldine Jeanes, Henry Kaluzny, Carmilia Attanasio, Kayla Farrell, Denis Price, Paulette Kennan, Cristina Salvo, Germain de Backer, Joseph DiBiasi, Grace Roberto, Eamonn & Alice Browner, Alain Paquette, Bill & Diane Cranor, Perfecto Raymundo, Margaret Reynolds, Victoria Thomas, Daphne Lobo, Loretta Milligan, Rita Nicoll, Matthew Whiteley, Eugene & Heather Munro, Pat and Mel Melnike, Aiden Thurlow, Loren Giles Forrest, Marie Orna Arayata, Floyd Thorn, Ian Masson, Clare Paul, Alda & Joao Aguiar, Charlene Paculaba, Wilf Langevin, Paul Cantalon, Nicholas Wong, Catatino Tumaneng, Corazon Samoy.



Gardening Update



Our garden coordinator, Catherine Mowat & Team has requested some volunteer assistance. Please look into the parish notice boards. We greatly appreciate your time and help.

Sharelife

The 2019 campaign ended on July 31. We have received \$17,819.15. We thank those who have generously made a contribution to date. Thank you for your generosity toward sharelife.

Tour Pilgrimage

Join Fr. Martin on a Tour-Pilgrimage to England, France, Spain and Portugal featuring a Cruise on the Royal Caribbean Cruises. For additional details please check the bulletin board or call Fr. Martin @ 416-900-9202 or email revmartinp@gmail.com

Coffee Ministry

The coffee Sunday will resume in September.



Seniors' Group

The seniors' group will be resuming in September.

Altar Servers Schedule

There will be no schedule for the Altar Servers for the month of August due to Summer break. Whoever shows up for Mass is welcome to serve at any Mass.

Liturgy of the Word with Children

There will be no Liturgy of the Word with Children in the months of July and August.

Summer Office Time

The office hours for Summer, August and September, Tuesday and Thursday will be from 9:30am to 4:30pm.

LET US PRAY

For the Sick:

We pray for all the sick in our community.



For the Deceased:

Andrew Calder†
Margaret Sliwa†
Peter Richards†

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I thank you for your ongoing generosity and support of the parish.

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