

Our Mission

To seek Christ, know Christ,
and become Christ,
each one for the sake of all.

SAINT
DOMINIC
CATHOLIC PARISH



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BUT WHO DO
YOU SAY THAT
I AM?

MARK 8:29

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

WELCOME

SEPTEMBER 15

2024

Pastors & Deacons

Pastor: Fr. Dennis Saran
Associate Pastor: Fr. David Sweeney
Deacons: Deacon Greg Diciaula
Deacon Jeff Kucharski

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 PM
Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 AM
9:00 AM Live stream
stdominic.net/live
Mon/Wed/Fri: 8:30 AM
Tues/Thurs: 6:30 AM

Reconciliation

Saturdays: 3:00-4:00 PM

Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesdays: 1:00-7:30 PM

Parish Center Office Hours

Monday-Thursday: 9:00 AM-5:00 PM
Friday: 9:00 AM-3:00 PM

Parish Connections

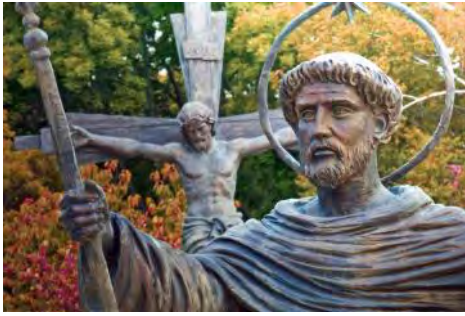
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Welcome



Guests and Visitors

At St. Dominic Catholic Parish you will discover a welcoming group of people with a desire to seek Christ, know Christ, and become Christ, each one for the sake of all. We offer a place to belong, to worship, to grow, and to serve. We are excited to get to know you as you learn more about us. Please let us know how we can help!

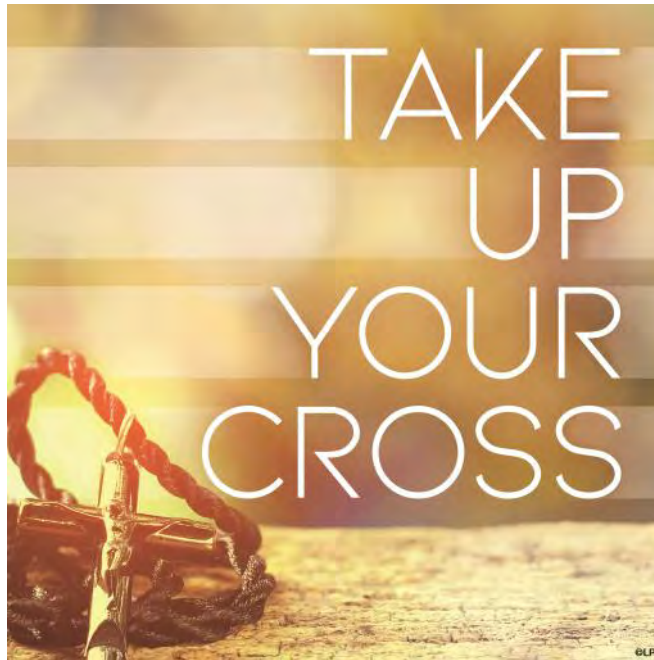
New Members

We meet personally with all new members to provide a warm welcome, answer questions, fill out the necessary forms, and help you get connected. To join our parish family, please contact Molly Schmidt at 262.781.3480, Ext. 241 or molly.schmidt@stdominic.net. We look forward to meeting you!

Becoming Catholic

We are glad of your interest in learning more about the Catholic faith. For each person, the path to seeking, knowing, and becoming Christ is unique. The Church recognizes the importance of this journey. Please contact our Pastoral Associate, Mary Lestina, who will be happy to talk with you about the process at 262.781.3480, Ext. 228 or mary.lestina@stdominic.net.

REFLECTION



He is asking them to do something: pick up the cross. Find the problems in this world, in this life, and throw your arms around them. Drag them to God, even if it kills you. It's not enough to stand by the sidelines, watching Christ ascend to Calvary, nodding your head in approval. Yes, I agree. Yes, I believe. Yes, Jesus, good job! You have to follow in every bloody footprint he leaves in the dust. Set your face like flint. And when you

Take Up Your Cross

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

When I'm interviewing people for my job as a staff writer at an archdiocesan newspaper, I like to ask them this question: at the end of your life, when you meet God, what do you want to hear Him say?

I've gotten a lot of interesting answers.

"I called and you listened."

"What tee time would you like tomorrow?"

"What were you thinking?"

"Your service made things better."

It's a question I've thought a lot about, personally. What I want to hear God say when I finally see His face is this: "You can put it down now."

When Jesus asks his disciples "Who do you say that I am?" he is not just asking them to verbalize an answer.

meet him at the top, you better not be empty-handed. He has a cross, he will expect you to have one, too.

I hope that I can do it. I hope that I am strong enough. I am not one of those great, hardy souls. I stumble terribly under the weight of my very small cross. I grumble as I shift it from shoulder to shoulder. But every time I have been almost at the point of giving up, almost ready to lay it down, there is something — Someone — who supports my drooping arm. The Lord God is my help.

If, at the end of everything, I hear the words, "You can put it down now," then I will know I have made it. I will know I have not failed: I took up the cross.

"Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me." Matthew 16:24

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Parish Highlights

EVENTS



Pancake Breakfast

Sun., September 22 | 8:00-11:00 AM

Enjoy a pancake breakfast next Sunday in the school cafeteria, offered by the Knights of Colubus. Breakfast includes pancakes, sausages, apple sauce, coffee, juice, milk, and seconds.

Family: \$30

Over 10: \$10

Under 10: \$6

Proceeds will benefit Hebron House in support of Waukesha's Homeless.

Fall Fish Fry Dates

Join us for our Fall Fish Fries on October 4 & October 18 from 4:30-6:30 PM. Drive-thru or Dine-in!



Married Couples Event

September 20 | 7:00-9:00 PM

Couples married less than 10 years are invited to a gathering in the Marcy Center. Children are welcome as babysitting will be provided. This is a wonderful opportunity to exchange contacts, best practices of married life, and learn about the value of married life in the world today.

Please RSVP by September 16 at <https://tinyurl.com/MarriedCouplesEvent> or scan the QR code.



My Parish Matters

September 21 | 9:00 AM-1:00 PM



Do you ever wonder how to speak to a family member or friend about your faith?

Do you have a family member, friend, or neighbor who has fallen away from the Church?

Do you struggle with just speaking up from a Catholic viewpoint?

My Parish Matters is a morning of inspiration and practical tips offered by the Archdiocese to help you share Christ in this challenging world. It will be held at St. Dominic on Saturday, September 21, from 9:00 AM-1:00 PM.

There are two tracks from which to choose. The personal track of My Parish Matters will give you helpful tools to navigate conversations, share your faith, and invite others to take the next step.

St. Dominic members can register for free with the code `STDOMSMATTERS`. Please register at <https://www.archmil.org/myparishmatters>.

FAMILY EVENT

Blessing OF THE Animals



Blessing of the Animals

October 5 | 9:30 AM

In celebration of the Feast of St. Francis, we will be offering our annual blessing of the animals on October 5 at 9:30 AM, on the playground near the baseball fields. Pets of all kinds are welcome, including beloved stuffed animals!

THIS WEEK'S FLYERS

Voting with a Conscience

September 24 | 6:15-7:30 PM | PAAC

A new year of Tuesday Time-Outs will begin on September 24 with a 3-part series, "Voting with a Conscience." See the Discipleship article on page 4 for more information on this topic.



Women of Grace

September 25 | 7:00 PM | PAAC

See the flyer in today's bulletin for details on our upcoming event with guest, Heather Mehring Grams.

Discipleship

YOUNG ADULTS



Brew City Catholic

Brew City Catholic exists to inspire adults in their 20's and 30's to become close companions of Jesus and who joyfully invite others to walk with them. As an initiative of the Young Adult Ministry Office of the Archdiocese of Milwaukee (Southeastern Wisconsin), our invitation is for you to enjoy this moment in your 20s or 30s, knowing that Christ and the Catholic Church are with you and for you.

- Enjoy this moment in your life
- Meet new people.
- Get to know the person of Jesus Christ.
- Discover the richness of the Catholic Faith.
- And, be equipped to live this wonderful adventure with Christ by your side.

Visit brewcitycatholic.com

Brewing the Faith

Brewing the Faith is an evening designed to help you connect with other adults in their 20s and 30s. It's open to absolutely anyone; grab a beer, hear a message, and meet your neighbor. It's that simple! No registration is needed. We can't wait to see you there!

MISSIONARY DISCIPLESHIP

Over the nearly 30 years as a Catholic educator, I have been asked countless times how to vote when neither party, let alone candidate, fully represents my beliefs and values. Nonetheless, we do have a moral duty to be politically engaged. The role that the teaching body of the Church plays in the process is with the formation of conscience. The formation of one's conscience begins when we are little and continues to develop throughout our entire lives, even into old age. Our responsibility is to learn what the Church teaches on various topics in order to vote with a conscience: learn, discern, decide.

When exploring the topic of conscience in the Catechism of the Catholic Church (Libreria Editrice Vaticana, 2016), I found these nuggets:

1777 Moral conscience, present at the heart of the person, enjoins him at the appropriate moment to do good and to avoid evil. It also judges particular choices, approving those that are good and denouncing those that are evil. It bears witness to the authority of truth in reference to the supreme Good to which the human person is drawn, and it welcomes the commandments. When he listens to his conscience, the prudent man can hear God speaking.

1778 Conscience is a judgement of reason whereby the human person recognizes the moral quality of a concrete act that he is going to perform, is in the process of performing, or has already completed. In all he says and does,

man is obliged to follow faithfully what he knows to be just and right.

1785 In the formation of conscience the Word of God is the light for our path, we must assimilate it in faith and prayer and put it into practice.

1786 Faced with a moral choice, conscience can make either a right judgment in accordance with reason and the divine law or, on the contrary, an erroneous judgment that departs from them.

1787 Man is sometimes confronted by situations that make moral judgments less assured and decision difficult. But he must always seek what is right and good and discern the will of God expressed in divine law.

1788 To this purpose, man strives to interpret the data of experience and the signs of the times assisted by the virtue of prudence, by the advice of competent people, and by the help of the Holy Spirit and his gifts.

1789 Some rules to apply: one may never do evil so that good may result from it, follow the Golden Rule, charity always proceeds by way of respect for one's neighbor and his conscience.

If you want to learn more about what to consider when casting your ballot this election season, come to our three-part series on Voting with a Conscience on Tuesday, September 24, October 1, and October 8 from 6:15-7:30 PM in the PAAC. **We will not be debating issues or promoting parties or candidates.** This is an opportunity to learn and pray together.

Serve & Share

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Contributions YTD Month Ending 8/31/2024

7/1/24-6/30/25—Fiscal Year 2025

	August Actual	YTD Actual	FY'25 Budget
Donations from parishioners	\$156,077	\$ 332,168	\$ 2,500,000
Offertory/Anonymous donations	\$ 2,526	\$ 5,445	\$ 45,000

Don't "Fall" off the track in Autumn

Fall is a very busy time for us. Back to school excitement, fall sports, festival wrap up and payment of final expenses, preparing last fiscal year reports for the archdiocese, gearing up for fish fries, and the settling in of new staff. With all of the hustle and bustle we can forget about taking time to count our blessings, appreciate the changing seasons, and to just sit quietly to pray. Though daily routines may have changed, practicing our faith through prayer and worship should never be derailed for other pursuits. Prioritizing our relationship with God is what keeps our heart and soul on track. Jesus is the fuel for our engines. Blessings to you!

~Vivian Roe, Director of Finance

EACH ONE FOR THE SAKE OF ALL

Baby Items Collection Next Weekend!

September 21/22

The Knights of Columbus are sponsoring a collection of baby items. Collection bins will be in the church narthexes on September 21/22 ONLY. See the list of needed items at <https://stdominic.net/event/2024-09-22-baby-items-collection/>



Thank you!

The members of St. Vincent de Paul thank St. Dominic parish members for their generous contributions for the School Supply Drive. We received 60 backpacks and the supplies to fill them, as well as \$1,380 to purchase additional supplies and gift cards for shoes for the children. Our donations combined with other parishes enabled the Waukesha Council of St. Vincent de Paul to distribute 596 backpacks this year.



PRAYER GARDENS



Prayer Garden Sponsorships

The Prayer Gardens of St. Dominic provide beauty, enjoyment, and comfort to those seeking a quiet place to reflect and remember. At this time, a limited number of opportunities for individual sponsorships remain. Now is the time to contact us to discuss a sponsorship gift in your own name, or in memory of a loved one. Prayer Garden Terrace sponsorships are available for \$2,500 and above. Please contact Vivian Roe at 262.781.3480 by October 4 to have your sponsorship included with this fall's engravings.

ONLINE GIVING

GIVE ONLINE:
stdominic.net/e-giving

VANCO MOBILE APP:
Download the **Vanco Mobile Faith Engagement App**

TEXT TO GIVE:
833.251.1703

If you would like to learn more, visit <https://stdominic.net/egiving> or contact Vivian Roe in the Parish Center at vivian.roe@stdominic.net or 262.781.3480.

Catholic Kids

GOING DEEPER

Today's Gospel Reading

Take a moment to sit with today's Gospel: Mark 8: 27-35. Allow the Spirit to work in you, with you, and through you.

In the gospel today, Peter boldly rebukes Jesus. Jesus counters with the phrase, "Get behind me, Satan. You are thinking not as God does, but as human beings do." What does Jesus mean by this? Why is Jesus calling out the Satan in Peter?

Jesus says that those who wish to follow Him must deny themselves and take up their cross. Do you wish to follow Jesus?

Are you afraid of the crosses in your life? How can you begin to follow Jesus?

What does Jesus mean by "lose your life"?

These few verses give us a clear depiction of what a true disciple looks like according to Jesus himself. What does it look like? What might it cost? Where do you fit in this depiction?



St. Dominic Catholic School

As the school year begins, we are excited to welcome back our teachers as well as introduce the newest members of our St. Dominic Catholic School staff:

Brita Willis- Principal

Katie Evans – 2nd Grade

Jennifer Marlock and Laura Brielmaier – 6th Grade

Mary Jo Shapiro and Barb Corby – Learning Support Team

Jennifer Ortman and Genie Hilder-Baade – Knights Café

Matt Holden – Art Teacher

Desperately Seeking Help

Child formation classes begin this week! Our children need YOU to serve as a catechist, co-catechist, or an assistant, Sunday mornings from 9:00—10:00 AM, Monday afternoons from 4:45-6:00 PM, or Tuesday evenings from 6:15-7:30 PM.

High School students! Being a classroom assistant is a great way to give back to your parish and earn service hours. Please contact Mrs. Stacey Irvine, at stacey.irvine@stdominic.net for more information. *Thank you!*

Is your child baptized? Would you like them to be?

What happens if the reception of the sacrament of baptism has been delayed? Fear not! Children under the age of 7 are able to be welcomed into the Church at any time. If they are older than 7 they are welcomed into the Church through the Order of Christian Initiation for Children. If your child has been baptized but reception of reconciliation and Eucharist has been delayed, they may receive the sacraments after proper formation. Contact Jill Fischer at jill.fischer@stdominic.net or at 262.781.3480, Ext. 252 for a conversation.

Student Ministry

MIDDLE SCHOOL: EDGE & EMMAUS

Emmaus

Emmaus returns on Monday September 16! All 6-8th grade students are invited to join us for a deep dive into the Bible as we discover how to know God more through Scripture.



THIRSTING

Save the date for our Middle School Retreat on Sunday, October 20, at St. Joseph in Wauwatosa from 11:30 AM-6:00 PM, offered by Spiritus Ministries. See the flyer in today's bulletin for details and how to register.

EDGE Kick Off! All 6-8th grade students AND parents are invited to join us on Tuesday, September 17, at 6:00-7:30 PM in the Marcy Center, for the start of our new EDGE year which includes meeting the Core Team, food, crazy activities, a guessing jar, and prayer! A light dinner of pizza and sides will be provided. At least one parent should attend with their student.

HIGH SCHOOL: LIFE TEEN



We believe that when a teenager encounters Christ through the beauty of the Catholic faith, they will transform their parish, community, and culture. The goal of Life Teen is to provide a safe and fun place for youth to find a solid Catholic community, get answers to their questions, and, most importantly, to experience Jesus in a profound and personal way.

All high school teens are welcome to join us for our Life Teen nights. Bring your friends!

Core Team & Confirmation Small Group Leaders Needed

Do you love Middle or High School students? Do you love Jesus? Have you ever considered becoming a Core Team member or leading a confirmation small group? We are looking for more adults willing to accompany our middle school and high school teens and confirmation candidates in their faith journey. To learn more, contact Sami or Karissa (emails on the right) or call 262.781.3480.

UPCOMING DATES

EDGE/Emmaus

September 16 | 4:45 PM | Emmaus
September 17 | 6:00 PM | EDGE
September 30 | 4:45 PM | Emmaus
October 1 | 6:00 PM | EDGE

Contact Karissa:

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Karissa Tousignant

Karissa Tousignant
Middle School Minister

UPCOMING DATES

LIFE TEEN

September 15 | 6:30 PM | Life Teen
September 22 | 6:30 PM | Life Teen
September 29 | 6:30 PM | Life Teen


Contact Sami:


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Samantha Taylor
Samantha Taylor
High School Minister

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Gather



In Loving Memory

- † Rosemary Toby, mother of Mark (Michele) Toby, Sue Schwartz, and grandmother of Andrew Toby
- † Stefan Hering, husband of the late Anna Hering
- † Kevin Ripple, brother of Terry (Sue) Ripple, uncle of Meg (Nathan) Anderson & Joe Ripple

Batisms

Harrison Fredrick Bodendorfer
Shay Morgan Medaglia

Wedding Banns

Amanda Durst & David Loffredo

Sanctuary Lamps

Church: Susan Osowski
Chapel: John Zinda

READINGS | MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, September 16

1 Cor 11:17-26, 33/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17/Lk 7:1-10

FSW 8:30 AM: † Ken & Bernice Saeman

Tuesday, September 17

1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/Lk 7:11-17

DS 6:30 AM: † Carl & Ann Pellegrini

1:00-7:30 PM: Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday, September 18

1 Cor 12:31—13:13/Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 12 and 22/Lk 7:31-35

FSW 8:30 AM: † Louis G. Friedrichs, Sr.

Thursday, September 19

1 Cor 15:1-11/Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28/Lk 7:36-50

FSW 6:30 AM: † Linda Kosiuck

Friday, September 20

1 Cor 15:12-20/Ps 49:6-7, 8-10, 17-18, 19-20/Lk 8:1-3

FSW 8:30 AM: † Becky Buhdalik

Saturday, September 21

Eph 4:1-7, 11-13/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Mt 9:9-13

FSW 4:30 PM: † Tom Schaefer

Sunday, September 22

Wis 2:12, 17-20/Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6-8 (6b)/Jas 3:16—4:3/Mk 9:30-37

CF 7:30 AM: † JJuanito & Gloria Leong, † Ken Schaeetz, † George Falkenstein

DS 9:00 AM: For all our parishioners

DS 11:00 AM: † Fran Schroeder, † Phil Austin, † Warrend Sladky, † Dorothy Rubenzer

DS Fr. Dennis | **FSW** Fr. Sweeney | **CF** Fr. Curt



Order of Christian Initiation of Adults

Are you interested in learning more about how you join the Catholic Church? You may be a member of another Christian denomination, another faith tradition, or are seeking a faith tradition for the first time. Maybe you were never baptized. Maybe you were baptized Catholic, but never completed the sacraments of initiation in Confirmation and Eucharist. The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults is the process by

which an individual is initiated into the Catholic Church, through baptism, confirmation and Eucharist. Please join us on this journey into the faith community of St. Dominic. Contact Mary Lestina at 262.781.3480, Ext. 228. All are welcome.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

Respect Life Church Hall Meeting

Saturday, September 28 | 9:00-11:00 AM
St. Mary Visitation Church

All are welcome, and there is no charge to attend. Registration is requested at <https://qrco.de/bfJFi9>

Optional: Attend St. Mary's 8:00 AM Mass, with the Sacrament of Reconciliation after Mass.



Jubilee Mass

All couples celebrating their 25th (silver) anniversary, 50th (golden) anniversary, and couples married over 50 years are invited to the Archdiocese of Milwaukee's annual Jubilee Mass on Saturday, October 5, 2024 at St. John Neumann Catholic Church, Waukesha. Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Jeffrey Haines, and a photo opportunity and cake reception will follow. Register for this FREE event by Friday, Sept. 20, at <https://archmil.regfox.com/jubilee-celebration-2024>.



Day of Healing Beyond Divorce

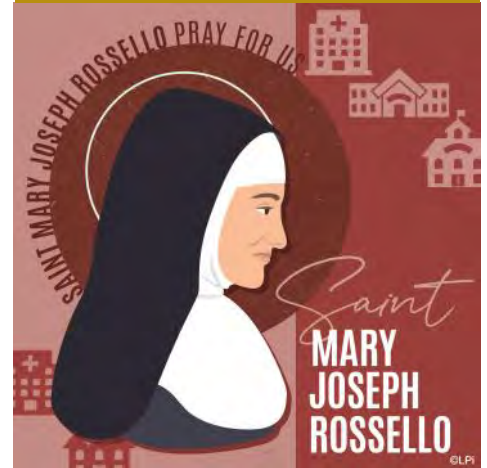
Whether you are still in the process of divorcing, or you have been divorced for years, this day of healing is offered to all. Explore divorce in a deeper, gentler way, including presentations that guide you in a relationship with yourself, with God, and with others. Saturday, November 2, 8:00 AM-4:30 PM. Schoenstatte Sisters Retreat House, Waukesha. Cost: \$50 includes lunch. Financial assistance available. Adults only. People of all faiths welcome! Register at: <https://qrco.de/bfit39>



Archdiocesan Perimenopause Prep Event

Perimenopause is the 10 years prior to menopause. During this transitional time, women experience shifting menstrual cycle patterns and fertility. This event will equip you with the tools needed to navigate perimenopause with confidence and positivity! Grab a sister or friends and join us. Learn more or register at archmil.regfox.com/perimenopause-prep-cathedral

SAINT OF THE WEEK



St. Mary Joseph Rossello

St. Mary Joseph Rossello was born in 1880 in Italy. She entered the third order of Franciscans at the age of 16. However, she longed to dedicate her life to God in a community of sisters. The Lord provided for St. Mary Joseph in the form of the bishop of Savona who recognized in her a unique ability to teach. She and three other young women were given a house, with some rooms made into classrooms, and in 1837 they began the Institute of the Daughters of Our Lady of Mercy, teaching the young and caring for the sick. Mary Joseph professed her vows in 1840. She was appointed Superior General of the order and led the community as mother superior for 40 years.

In 1875 the order opened their first house in the Americas in Buenos Aires, Argentina and continued to grow to more than three thousand sisters in two hundred houses spread across the world. St. Mary Joseph was canonized Pope Pius XII in 1949. ©LPI

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High School Minister: Samantha Taylor.....	x229
Middle School Minister: Karissa Tousignant.....	x243
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Calendar

THIS WEEK AT ST. DOMINIC

Sunday, September 15

9:00 AM	Children's Liturgy of the Word	MC7
9:00 AM	K3/K4 Kairos	MC1
9:00 AM	K5 Formation Class	MC2
10:00 AM	OCIA	MC4
6:30 PM	Life Teen	MC7
8:00 PM	Adult Basketball	PAF

Monday, September 16

9:15 AM	Morning Prayer	CHPL
9:30 AM	Holy Dusters	CH
2:50 PM	Strings-Beginner	PAAC
4:00 PM	Vocations Committee	PC104
4:45 PM	Emmaus	SL
4:45 PM	K5-Gr. 5 Formation Classes	SCH
6:00 PM	Grief Share	MC3
7:00 PM	Marketing Meeting	PC105
7:00 PM	St. Vincent de Paul Society Meeting	MC6

Tuesday, September 17

10:00 AM	Small Group - Klinker	MC4
1:00 PM	Eucharistic Adoration	CHPL
2:50 PM	Strings-Intermediate	PAAC
6:15 PM	K5-Gr. 5 Formation Classes	SCH
6:15 PM	EDGE	MC7

Wednesday, September 18

8:00 AM	Rosary	CHPL
8:30 AM	All School Mass	CH
9:30 AM	Women at the Well	MC6
9:30 AM	Small Group - Kopp	MC4
10:30 AM	Cantor Rehearsal	CH
2:45 PM	Young Rembrandts	CAF
2:50 PM	Strings-Advanced	PAAC
6:15 PM	1st Reconciliation Parent Meeting	PAAC
6:30 PM	Missionary Discipleship Training	MC4

Thursday, September 19

11:30 AM	Small Group - Ziolkowski	MC4
11:45 AM	School Lunchtime Reconciliation - Gr. 5-8	CH
2:45 PM	Boy Scouts Den 3 Meeting	CAF
6:30 PM	Choir Rehearsal	CH
6:30 PM	Small Group - Novak	MC4
9:00 PM	Adult Basketball	PAF

Friday, September 20

6:15 AM	That Man Is You!	MC7
9:15 AM	Rosary	CHPL
6:00 PM	AA Meeting	MC6
6:30 PM	Newly Married Couple Event	MC7
9:00 PM	Adult Volleyball	PAF

Saturday, September 21

8:00 AM	Men's Faith Sharing Group	MC5
9:00 AM	My Parish Matters	MC7
3:00 PM	Sacrament of Reconciliation	CHPL

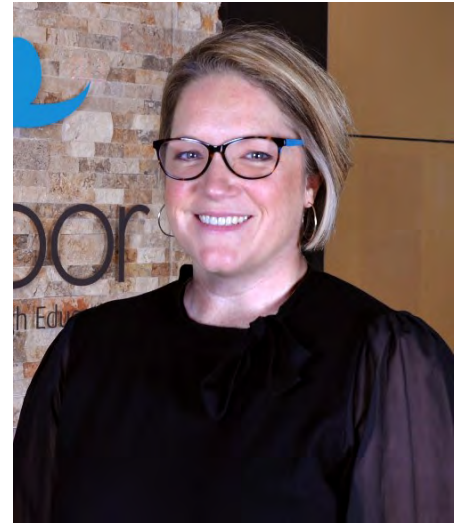
Sunday, September 22

7:30 AM	Pancake Breakfast	CAF
9:00 AM	Children's Liturgy of the Word	MC7
9:00 AM	K3/K4 Kairos	MC1
9:00 AM	K5 Formation Class	MC2
10:00 AM	OCIA	MC4
10:00 AM	Welcome Home Gathering	MC7
12:30 PM	Baptism Service	CH
6:30 PM	Life Teen	MC7
8:00 PM	Adult Basketball	PAF

Women OF Grace

cordially invites women from St. Dominic and surrounding parishes to

*Finding Inspiration through
Times of Trial, Uncertainty,
and the Everyday*
with Heather Mehring Grams.



Faith is paramount as the lens through which Heather sees the world, and she looks forward to spending time with you as we discover and dig deeper into God's inspiring presence in our lives.

Heather was both a former student and teacher at St. Dominic Catholic School, and her family members are long-time parishioners. She holds an undergraduate degree in Education and masters degrees in Pastoral Care and Counseling and Educational Leadership. Heather has worked as a Catholic School elementary teacher, high school Theology teacher, retreat director, hospital chaplain, Restorative Justice outreach coordinator, Catholic school administrator, and currently serves as president of Next Door Foundation in Milwaukee. Heather is mom to two teenagers and an infant through foster care.

Wednesday, September 25, 2024

Doors open at 6:30 pm Program begins at 7:00 pm

Parish Arts & Activities Center (PAAC)

RSVPs are required by Monday, September 23.

To register, please visit <https://bit.ly/WoG09252024>

**or contact Molly Schmidt at 262.781.3480 or
molly.schmidt@stdominic.net.**



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Diaconate Information Evening

Wednesday, October 2, 2024

6:00-8:00 PM | Marcy Center

Join Deacon Greg, his wife, Linda and Deacon Jeff and his wife, Maria

Light refreshments will be served.

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