

February 28, 2010 – Second Sunday of Lent

# SAINT DOMINIC CHURCH

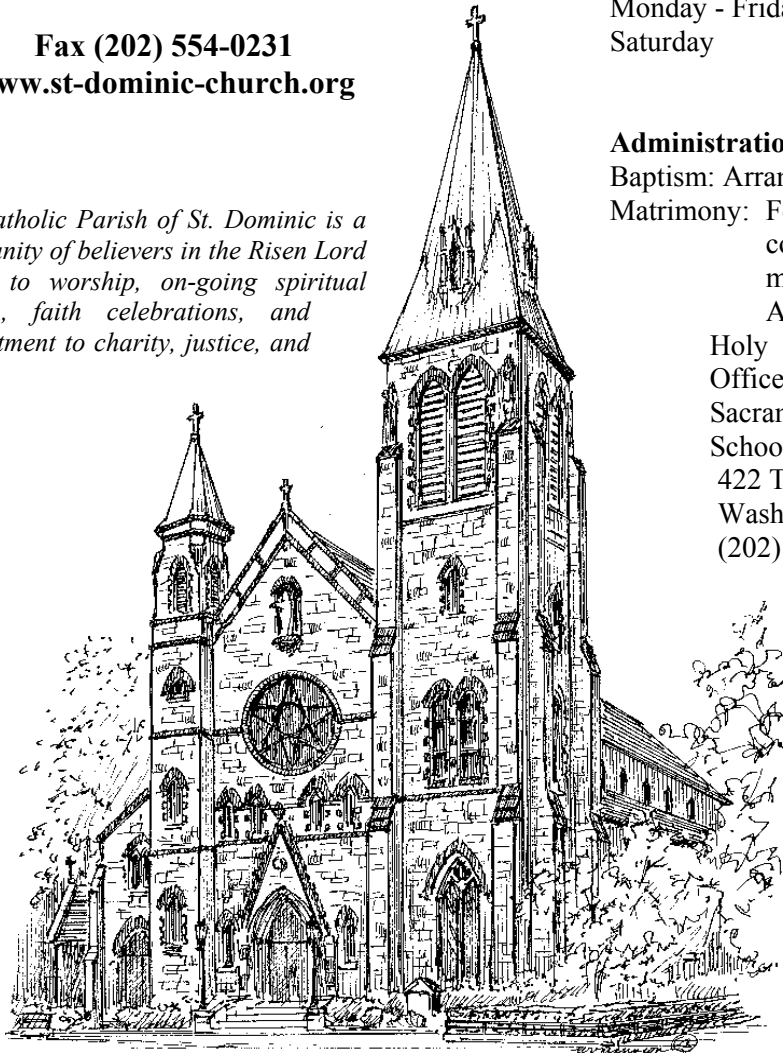
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*The Catholic Parish of St. Dominic is a community of believers in the Risen Lord called to worship, on-going spiritual growth, faith celebrations, and commitment to charity, justice, and peace.*



## Parish Staff

Pastor: Father Gregory R. Salomone, op  
Business / Facilities Manager: Ed Von Hagel  
Secretary / Administrative Assistant: Denise Marshall  
Worship Coordinator: J.C. Cantrell  
Finance Council Chair: Rich Santiago  
Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Mon-Fri  
8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m., Sat., Sun. & Holidays

## Celebration of the Sacrament of the Eucharist

Saturday: 12:10 p.m., 5:15 p.m. (Vigil of Sunday)  
Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 10:45 a.m., 12:15 p.m. (Spanish),  
and 5:15 p.m.  
Weekdays: 8:00 a.m. and 12:10 p.m. in the Church  
(There are no services in the Church on a  
Federal holiday)  
Holydays: Please see inside bulletin.

## Celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation

Monday - Friday 11:55 a.m.  
Saturday 4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Upon request at the Priory

## Administration of the Sacraments

Baptism: Arranged in advance.  
Matrimony: For registered and active parishioners please  
contact the Parish Office. A minimum of six  
months preparation is required by the  
Archdiocese.  
Holy Eucharist at Home: Contact the Parish  
Office.  
Sacrament of the Sick: Contact the Parish Office.  
School: St. Peter's Interparish School  
422 Third Street, SE  
Washington, DC 20003  
(202) 544-1618

## Bulletin Deadline

Monday noon, in writing, to  
the Parish Secretary, with  
your name and telephone  
number on the copy. When  
Monday is a holiday, deadline  
is the preceding Friday.



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## Pastor's Corner

Although you will see a personal thank you from the Little Sisters of the Poor for your generosity to them on Ash Wednesday, I would personally like to thank you for your support of their annual appeal here.

As we enter into the second week of Lent, today's Gospel account of the Transfiguration calls to mind the central element of our faith. Jesus is for us the fulfillment of the promise of the Old Testament and the beginning of the new life that God is offering to believers. As He did in the Gospel story we hear today, Jesus brings us up that mountain to reveal this to us and He invites us to continue the journey of Lent upon which we have embarked and accompany Him to His redemptive action in Jerusalem on Good Friday.

For us who believe, this is more than an annual cycle in the liturgy. It is a reminder of the life that we have accepted in following Jesus and in taking up our own cross each day so that, as St. Paul reminds us, we make up in our daily sufferings what is lacking in the suffering of Christ. And by joining our personal Lenten penance and suffering to that of Christ's, our suffering is transformed—transfigured if you will—and joined to Christ's redemptive action for the world.

Eugenia Dixon, a long time parishioner at St. Dominic's, was killed in a automobile accident in Florida. I asked for you to remember her and her family in your prayers. A memorial Mass will be celebrated for her here at St. Dominic's on Saturday, March 13, at 1 p.m.

## Worship J.C. Cantrell, Chair

**Out of solemn respect for the liturgy and courtesy for everyone, please silence/turn off all electronic devices and cell phones when you arrive in the church. In keeping with tradition, gentlemen are asked to please remove their hats while in the church.**

**Organ Recital/Concert: Sunday Feb 28, 3:00 p.m.**

Dr. Kim Hess, renowned organist and music director, will provide a free Sunday afternoon concert featuring the Roosevelt Organ. Musical selections include compositions by Buxtehude, Sweelinck, Bach, Grant Still, and Alain. Open to the entire community—please bring your friends!

**Sung Mass Propers and Psalms for Lent:** Our community's understanding of the ritual elements of the liturgy is often best expressed during the singing of the Mass Propers.

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For the season of Lent, we will sing the Mass setting included in the insert stapled to the front cover of the Breaking Bread Book (pages 2-3 of the insert—the Trinity Mass for Lent).

As is our custom, we all sing the Kyrie, Gospel Acclamation, Sanctus, Memorial Acclamation. Great Amen and the Lamb of God. Many of the Psalms for Lent are also included in the insert (pages 4-5). Many know this music "by heart." Publishing the words and notes helps our visitors (and sometimes our own memory) so all can sing and pray.

**As an act of devotion in preparation for the mysteries and glories of Easter, this is the right time for you to volunteer your service as a Liturgical Minister.** We are actively recruiting volunteers to serve as ushers, acolytes, lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, and Music Ministers. We are always in need of volunteers.

- Please contact our parish Director of Liturgical Ministries (JC Cantrell) for more information  
E-mail: [music@st-dominic-church.org](mailto:music@st-dominic-church.org) or telephone 703-569-4231

**Parish Traditions: Inclusion of the Liturgy of Evening Prayer during the season of Lent:** As part of our heritage as a Dominican parish, we follow the Order's Lenten custom of incorporating the Liturgy of the Hours into the Saturday 5:15 p.m. and Sunday 5:15 p.m. Masses. The Liturgy of Evening Prayer, consisting of Psalms, will take the place of the Penitential Rite of the Mass. After communion, Mary's Hymn, the *Magnificat*, will be sung. On Palm Sunday the blessing and distribution of palms takes the place of the Penitential Rite at all Masses.

**Why is Lent a "purple season," Palm Sunday "red" and Easter "white or gold"?**

The color of vestments and other decorations that is assigned for a particular season, solemnity, feast, or memorial is generically specified in the Liturgical documents. Originally, vestments were simply more or less festive clothing: You wore your best outfit for a more important occasion. But as ordinary clothing changed while church vestments retained the look of Roman and Byzantine formal court clothing, certain colors were assigned to certain seasons and occasions.

These are based on a traditional Roman sense of which colors are more or less festive. *White* is the color of joyful celebration, so it is used for celebrations of the Easter and Christmas seasons, other celebrations of the Lord, and solemnities and feasts of the saints who were

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not martyrs. Because of its associations with blood, *red* is used on Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion, Good Friday, other celebrations of the Lord's Passion, and celebrations of the martyrs.

*Violet or purple* was a color once restricted to Roman nobility, but perhaps because Christianity valued poverty over noble family heritage, it became associated with penitence and mourning, and so it came to be used during Advent and Lent and at funeral liturgies. (Because of the sources for purple dyes, there are several shades of purple, from one that is close to blue to one that is close to red. It became the custom, particularly in the British Isles, to use a bluer purple for Advent and a redder purple for Lent.)

*Rose* may be used on the Third Sunday of Advent and the Fourth Sunday of Lent (traditionally, when fasting and other disciplines were very severe in these seasons, these were days to mark a break and note that the severe seasons were soon to be over); and *gold* or *silver* vestments may be worn in the United States on more solemn occasions. Because of the earliest layer of our tradition, and because some cultures have other associations for some of these colors than those found in European tradition, the *General Instruction of the Roman Missal* says that you may wear your best clothes for more important celebrations: "On more solemn days, sacred vestments may be used that are festive, that is, more precious, even if not the color of the day" (GIRM, 346g).

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

- Sunday: **SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT**  
 [27] Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/ Phil 3:17--4:1 or 3:20--4:1/ Lk 9:28b-36
- Monday: [230] Dn 9:4b-10/ Lk 6:36-38
- Tuesday: [231] Is 1:10, 16-20/ Mt 23:1-12
- Wednesday: [232] Jer 18:18-20/ Mt 20:17-28
- Thursday: [233] Jer 17:5-10/ Lk 16:19-31
- Friday: [234] Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a  
 Mt 21:33-43, 45-46
- Saturday: [235] Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/ Lk 15:1-3, 11-32
- Sunday: **THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT**



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**Weekly Mass Intentions**

**Sun. Feb. 28- Second Sunday of Lent**

- 8:00 a.m. Shrine  
 10:45 a.m. Mr. Joseph Nysewander (d)  
 12:15 p.m. Nina Intention  
 5:15 p.m. For the People of the Parish

**Mon. Mar. 1**

- 8:00 a.m. All Souls  
 12:10 p.m. Mr. George Yao (d)

**Tue. Mar. 2**

- 8:00 a.m. All Souls  
 12:10 p.m. Ms. Nancy Mak (d)

**Wed. Mar. 3**

- 8:00 a.m. All Souls  
 12:10 p.m. Jean Nguyen Quoc Lai (d)

**Thu. Mar. 4**

- 8:00 a.m. All Souls  
 12:10 p.m. Father Victor Chu (d)

**Fri. Mar. 5**

- 8:00 a.m. Father Paulinus Lee (d)  
 12:10 p.m. For Conversion and return to the Catholic Faith

**Sat. Mar. 6**

- 12:10 p.m. Nguyen family, relatives, friends and benefactors (l&d)  
 5:15 p.m. For the People of the Parish

**Schedule for Lectors & Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion**

**Sat. Feb. 27 – Vigil**

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| 5:15 p.m. | B. Mireva    | M. Ortiz |
|           | M. Farinelli | A. Hunt  |

**Sun. Feb. 28 – Second Sunday of Lent**

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| 8:00 a.m.  | M. Reed      | R. Morgan*     |
|            | E. Dever     | J. Darlington  |
|            |              | H. Morgan      |
| 10:45 a.m. | T. Ramstack  | E. Maturi*     |
|            | T. McCormack |                |
| 5:15 p.m.  | M. Moy       | M. Daigneault* |
|            | O. Chowbay   | A. Artusa      |
|            |              | B. Daigneault  |

**Catechesis**  
**Mary Moran, Maryalice Locke, Co-Chairs**

Winter Bible Study — Parish Conference Room  
 Sundays — 3:30 - 5:00 p.m.

- February 28—Luke 15:1-19:27 Parables of the Lost

R.C.I.A. — Classes are held on Tuesday evenings from 7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. in the Parish Conference Room

- March 2 — Initiation Sacraments (continued) Confirmation/Eucharist
- March 9 — Sacraments of Healing - Reconciliation and Anointing



Preston Adams, Bob Bark, Rita Barksdale, Iveta Bojinov, Pavel Bojinov, Terrie Braxton, Daniel Brochier, Rudy Cirell, Joan Cody, Dan Collins, Jose Cordova, Genevieve

Cromer, Thomas Cromer Jr., Mark Russell Davis, Maxine Davis, Edward C. Dever, Yvette Earles, James Early, Juanita Eaton, Richard J. Fanning, Marie Helena Ferrira, Frank Fernandes, Irene Fields, Lorraine Fleming, Elizabeth Fuller, Bette Glickert, Peggy Gooding, Gladys & Carolyn Green, Pete Grelish, Joanne Grobe, Vivian Hardrick, Jean Hazou, Mary Hewitt, Larry Hunt, Billie James, Thomas Jackson, Marilyn Jarvis, Margaret Kelly, Lourdes Lawas, Kathleen Lake, Presley Lawrence, John Leino, Stacy Lombard, Emily Mandell, Jackie Manotas, Richard Medcalfe, Jody Mosesso, Daniel Metzlar, Jerry Mulvihill, Bogomila Mireva, Christine Nguyen, Ann Nguyen, Scottie O’Neal, Jim Phillips, Maryann Peterczak, Ana Petkova, Maia Petkova and son Paul, Theresa Puzzupo, Bernice Scott, Deloris Saltis, Patrocinio Sandoval, Clementina Sandoval, Adele M. Sawicki, Cynthia Shepherd, Theodora Shepherson, John Soos, Colleen Stanford, Mitchell K. Teasley, Agnes Timcheck, Carol Marie Tucker, Arturo Velena, Matthias B. Vogel, Mary Davis Williams, Hattie Wilson, Cheryl Yates, Loli Zimbrano, and the sick of the Parish and Priory.

- Pray for Our Military ...**
- LT Johnathan Willis, USN, grandson of June Jaeger
  - 1Lt James Cantrell IV, USAF, son of JC & Mary Lou Cantrell

**Social Justice & Community Service**  
**Cecilia Daly, Chair**

We will accept donations of diapers, wipes, and formula on behalf of the Northwest Pregnancy Center next weekend. Young mothers appreciate your generosity.

If you are interested in participating in Catholic Relief Services’ Operation Rice Bowl, please contact Cecilia by calling the priory or sending an e-mail to [Cecilia@st-dominic-church.org](mailto:Cecilia@st-dominic-church.org). Please continue to pray for those living in poverty around the world.

The Archdiocese of Washington’s website includes information about the Church’s position on important issues, including health care reform, environmental stewardship, welfare and other social justice issues. For more information, please see [www.adw.org](http://www.adw.org).



**Parish Finance Council**  
**Rich Santiago, Chair**

<b>Offertory Collection</b>	<b>2/21/2010</b>	<b>\$6,766.65</b>
<b>Deficit Reduction</b>	<b>2/21/2010</b>	<b>\$1,593.90</b>
<b>Offertory Collection</b>	<b>2/14/2010</b>	<b>\$4,704.16</b>
<b>Deficit Reduction</b>	<b>2/14/2010</b>	<b>\$175.00</b>
<b>Offertory Collection</b>	<b>2/7/2010</b>	<b>\$2,854.51</b>
<b>Deficit Reduction</b>	<b>2/7/2010</b>	<b>\$25.00</b>

**Movie Seminar!** — Enjoy the Religious Movie Seminar every Sunday evening at 6:30 p.m. through March 28 in the community room of Town Square Towers, 700 7th Street, SW.

**Feb. 28 — The Passion of Bernadette** - Sydney Penny (1989) 106 minutes & trailer

**Mar. 7—The Miracle of Our Lady of Fatima** (1952) 102 minutes

Learn from viewing films, documentaries, handouts, and discussions, while sharing food and companionship. Spanning the gamut from biblical epics to controversial modern films, the seminar will judge how well the art has conveyed the truth.



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**Comunidad Hispana  
Padre Eugenio Cahouet, O.P.**

**Segundo Domingo  
de Cuaresma  
28 de Febrero de 2010**

Estimada Comunidad Hispana:

El relato de la Transfiguración está construido a la luz de las teofanías del Antiguo Testamento y representa una anticipación de la gloria de la Pascua. Todo acontece en “lo alto del monte”, espacio simbólico de la trascendencia y del mundo divino, mientras Jesús estaba en oración.

La presencia de **Moisés, que simboliza la Ley, y de Elías, que simboliza la profecía**, indica que **con Jesús** la Historia de la Salvación ha llegado a **su culminación**. Lucas describe a Jesús hablando con ellos de “la muerte que le separaba en Jerusalén”. El texto griego dice exactamente que hablaban del *éxodo* de Jesús es decir, de su Pascua. La transfiguración se describe indicando que “que las vestiduras se hicieron blancas y relampagueantes”. El color blanco simboliza en la tradición apocalíptica la pertenencia al mundo de Dios y la condición de resucitado (Daniel y Apocalipsis).

No es clara la motivación de Pedro que desea construir tres tiendas. Podría manifestar su anhelo de ver ya a Jesús en la condición de Moisés y Elías, simplemente querer prolongar aquella situación gloriosa sobre la tierra. Amabas cosas son imposibles en ese momento. Según el evangelista, no sabía “lo que decía”. Desde una nube que los cubre y llenos de temor ante la trascendencia, se escucha la voz del Padre: **“ESTE ES MI HIJO, mi escogido; ESCÚCHENLO”**. Este es el momento culminante del relato. Se revela así la especialísima relación entre Jesús y Dios. Si bien dialoga con Moisés y Elías, Jesús posee una identidad personal distinta. Más allá de lo que Pedro pudo haber imaginado, el es el Hijo de Dios.

Al final, Jesús aparece solo, porque solo escuchando su palabra, los discípulos de ayer y de hoy podrán aceptar y seguir su camino de muerte y gloria. Los discípulos por el momento guardan silencio, ya que solamente a la luz de su resurrección podrán comprender y anunciar lo que han visto y vivido con él en el monte.

Podemos recibir la Eucaristía, Jesús crucificado y Resucitado en tal gloria, saliendo del templo como del monte Tabor viviendo **nuestras vidas transfiguradas**. (Según Silvio José Báez *Actualidad litúrgica* n. 212)



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**Facilities Calendar**

**Sun. Feb. 28 Second Sunday of Lent**

11 a.m.- noon	English Class	Conference Rm. & Parlor 2
3 p.m.	Organ Recital	Main Church
3:30 - 5 p.m.	Bible Study	Conference Rm.

**Mon. Mar. 1**

Noon - 1 p.m.	AA Meeting	Conference Rm.
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**Tue. Mar. 2**

Noon - 1 p.m.	AA Meeting	Conference Rm.
7 - 8:30 p.m.	RCIA	Conference Rm.

**Wed. Mar. 3**

Noon - 1 p.m.	AA Meeting	Conference Rm.
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**Thu. Mar. 4**

Noon - 1 p.m.	AA Meeting	Conference Rm.
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**Fri. Mar. 5**

Noon - 1 p.m.	AA Meeting	Conference Rm.
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**Community Information**

**Palm Sunday Weekend Retreat for Women**—Feeling a need to be refreshed and renewed? Seeking a deeper spirituality? Come and share with us on March 26-28, 2010 at the Dominican Retreat in McLean, Virginia. This retreat emphasizes our traditional Lenten devotions and experiences.

Father Patrick McMahon, O. Carm., will guide us on this weekend retreat. The theme is **“Nothing Can Separate Us From the Love of God”** *Romans 8:3*.

For reservations or more information, call Jan Ishee, retreat co-coordinator, at 703-481-1484, or Sr. Deborah Baker at the Dominican Retreat at 703-356-4243.

**Motown Dance**—Due to the severe weather conditions, the Catholic Alumni Club’s Singles “Motown Dance” at the Knights of Columbus Hall on 9709 Rosensteel Ave. in Silver Spring at 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. (originally scheduled for February 13) has been postponed until Saturday, March 6. Admission is \$20. Join us as we “blast out of the blizzard!” For more information, please contact Lynn Sorbara at 301-460-1799 or visit the website at [www.DCsingleCatholicPro.org](http://www.DCsingleCatholicPro.org).