

The Parish Family of  
**St. Dominic Church**

*Dedicated to Spreading the Gospel of Jesus Christ  
As we Honor the Past, Celebrate the Present,  
And Prepare for the Future  
Founded 1849*

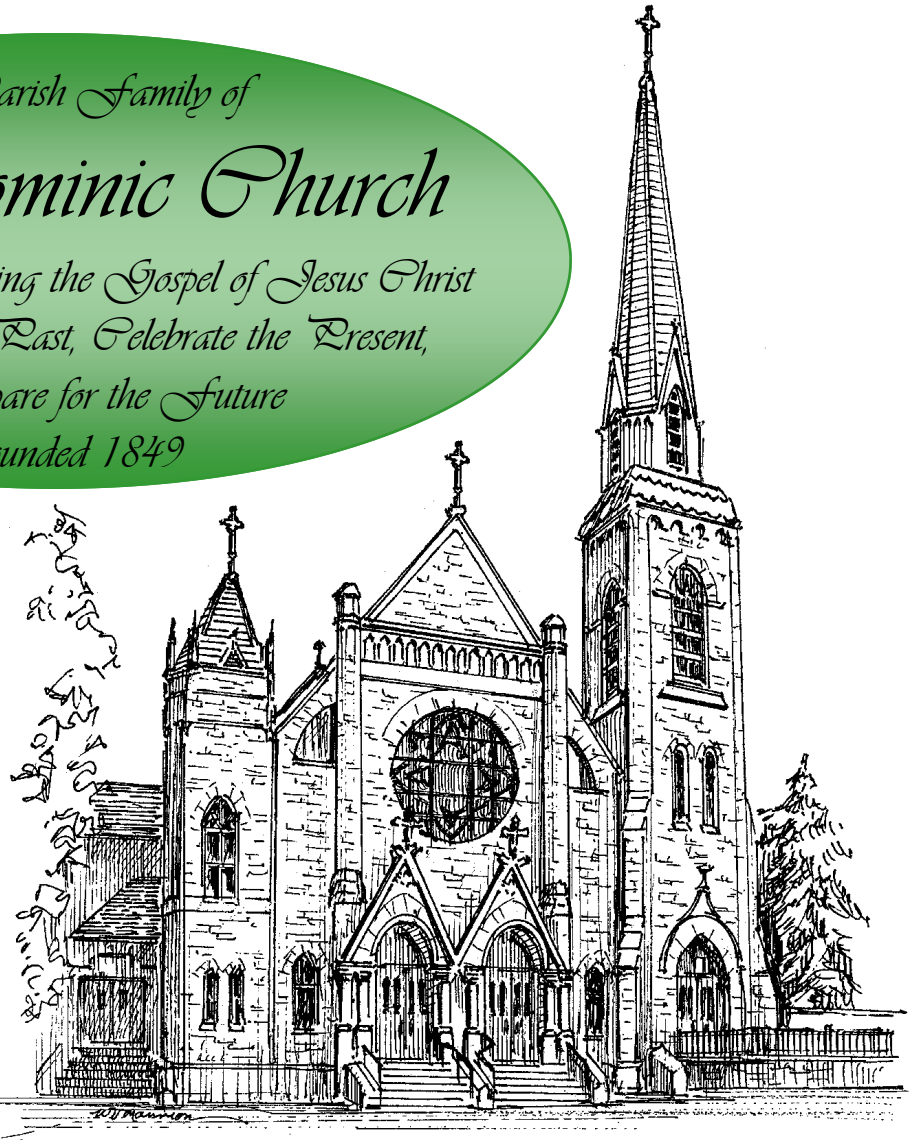
**MARCH 1, 2015**

**REV. EDWARD T. KEARNS,**  
*Pastor*

**REV. CHARLES GARST, OSFS,**  
*Parochial Vicar*

**REV. JACOB JOHN,**  
*Resident*

**DEACON MARK A. SALVATORE**



**MASSES:**

**Saturday:** 5:00 PM  
**Sunday:** 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 AM  
**Vigil of Holy Days:** 7:00 PM  
**Holy Days:** 8:00 AM; 12:05 N & 7:00 PM  
**Weekdays:** 8:00 AM  
**Saturday:** 9:00 AM

**Rosary Recited Daily Before Morning Mass**  
**Miraculous Medal Novena:** Saturday after the 9:00 AM Mass.

**CONFESSIONS:**

Saturday 3:30 to 4:30 PM and by appointment at the Rectory.

**Adoration Chapel:**

Open 8:30 AM to 8:30 PM daily; except during Mass times.

**BAPTISMS:**

The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on the second and fourth Sunday of each month at 1:00 PM in church. Please call the rectory at 215-624-5502 to set up an appointment. A date can be scheduled at this time. Parents must attend a Baptism Class. Baptism Class is held on the first Monday of February, April, June, August, October and December in the Rectory Basement at 7:00 PM. If this falls on a holiday, the class will be held the following Monday.

**MARRIAGE:**

Diocesan rules require that a couple make arrangements for their marriage at least six months before the date of the wedding. Most couples schedule their weddings one year in advance. Marriage Preparation (PreCana) classes are offered here at St. Dominic every Spring.

**RECTORY**  
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THERE WERE NO INTENTIONS  
FROM MARCH 1ST TO MARCH 7TH FOR  
THE SANCTUARY LAMP ON OUR ALTAR.

FROM MARCH 1ST TO MARCH 7TH  
THE CANDLES ON THE ALTAR IN  
OUR BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL  
WILL BURN IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
DEBORAH CARUSO  
FROM MOTHER, IRMA  
AND BROTHER, MICHAEL.

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN MAKING A DONATION  
FOR THE ALTAR WINE & HOST, CHAPEL CANDLES  
OR THE SANCTUARY LAMP ON OUR ALTAR,  
PLEASE COME TO RECTORY  
DURING BUSINESS HOURS.



IN LOVING MEMORY OF JACK KNIGHT ~ 1ST  
ANNIVERSARY, A DONATION OF \$100 HAS BEEN  
RECEIVED WITH THANKS TO WEDNESDAY AID  
FOR FRIENDS GROUP , TO BE USED FOR THE  
ALTAR WINE AND HOSTS DURING THE MONTH OF  
MARCH 2015.



### ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

#### SATURDAY, MARCH 7TH

5:00 PM Joseph & Timothy Horton, Reonna Giosa

#### SUNDAY, MARCH 8TH

7:30 AM Emma & Sarah Rooney, Anthony Pirrone  
9:30 AM Jacob & Jeffrey Gonsiewski, Faith Ranalli  
11:30 AM Brianna & Paul Coates, Dillon Rooney

## Mass Intentions For The Week



### MARCH 1ST

**Sunday** Father Kearns will celebrate  
Mass this weekend for the  
Intentions of all the Parishioners

#### **Monday**

8:00 AM Stephen Stanton

#### **Tuesday ~ St. Katherine Drexel**

8:00 AM Ron Jancey

#### **Wednesday ~ St. Casimir**

8:00 AM Timothy Doran

#### **Thursday**

8:00 AM Elizabeth Dillon

#### **Friday**

8:00 AM James J. Ryan

#### **Saturday ~ SS. Perpetua and Felicity**

9:00 AM Mary Carboni

5:00 PM Jack Knight

**PRAY FOR THE SICK:** Frank & Dolores Aileo, Bryan Anderson, Kathleen Bransky, Agnes Cammisa, Deborah Caruso, Michael Curley, Jr., Frank Dabundo, Dondi DeCosta, James DeFrates, Patrick Devlin, Norman Dufrese, Joyce R. Elliott, Helen Fanini, Mark Farrington, Connie Flaherty, Mildred Fleming, Eleanor Fries, Payton Avery Fritz, Sheila Giuranna, William Graf, Walter Gudowski, Angela Heavey, Joe Heavey, Larry Iaccio, Louis Izzo, Gail Kratzner, Marie Lawley, Monica Lawley, Mary Ling, Maryann Machon, Krystzna Margeson, Phyllis Martin, Ronald McCall, Baby Shane McCuen, Baby Ryan McCuen, Pat McShay, Betty Miller, Dan Morris, Edward Newman, Nico Nocero, Veronica Papson, Francis Parson, Marie Parson, Grace Pounder, Bob Quinn, Kevin Reichart, Mary Riece, Roseanne Ritchie, Robert Robb, Kathleen Roszko, Sue Sanders, Juan Santiago, Fay Schmidt, Christina Serpico, Sheila Sheridan, Terry Smith, John Sykes, Sr., James Tobin, Dolores Tolassi, Baby Mila Tomasco, Mary Vianillo, Dave Ward, Joan Ward, Baby Olivia Grace Warner, Baby Julianna Elizabeth Warner, Albert Zachwieja, John Zachwieja, Walt Zarzycki, Mary Zimba and Luke Zimmer .

**PRAY FOR THE DECEASED :** James A. Bonese,  
Geraldine M. Reilly and all deceased parishioners.

#### ELIZABETH MINISTRY

We, the Parish community of St. Dominic, give our prayerful support to our expectant Moms and their unborn babies. If you would like your name or the name of a family member to be included in our prayers, leave your name at the Rectory or in the collection basket marked "Elizabeth Ministry." Also, please remember to notify the Rectory when the baby is born,  
**Megan Gary, Melissa McManus and Kristin Rozanski.**

# FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

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## Transfigured and Humbled

The Transfiguration of Jesus on the mountain astonishes Peter, James and John. They barely understand that Jesus is on a unique mission from God. On this mountain-top, they didn't know what to say especially when Moses and Elijah appear with Jesus. When the voice of the Father says, "This is my beloved son. Listen to Him" these three apostles were astounded and didn't know what to do.

The Catechism of the Catholic Church describes this mysterious event in this manner:  
For a moment Jesus discloses his divine glory, confirming Peter's confession. He also reveals that he will have to go by the way of the cross at Jerusalem in order to "enter into his glory." Moses and Elijah had seen God's glory on the Mountain; the Law and the Prophets had announced the Messiah's sufferings. Christ's Passion is the will of the Father: the Son acts as God's servant; the cloud indicates the presence of the Holy Spirit. "The whole Trinity appeared: the Father in the voice; the Son in the man; the Spirit in the shining cloud.

As we reflect on this wondrous revelation 2,000 years later, we too are mystified that Jesus must first suffer before entering into His glory. Why would God allow His only Son to suffer, die and then rise from the dead? The short answer makes us shake our heads in humble adoration. God did this because He loves us. Simply and mysteriously loves us.

## HOLY HOUR

On Tuesday, March 3, the parish will once again celebrate a Holy Hour in preparation for the Pope's Visit. We will once again pray the rosary during exposition followed by Benediction. All are welcome to attend on Tuesday at 7 pm in the Church.

## CONFESSIONS AND STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Confessions will be heard every Wednesday evening at 7 PM during Lent except during Holy Week.

Stations of the Cross will be held on Fridays at 1 PM (School) and 7 PM except during Holy Week.

## Stations of



the Cross

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Registration for the World Meeting of Families is now open!

To register for the World Meeting, September 22-25, 2015, or to learn more visit [WorldMeeting2015.org](http://WorldMeeting2015.org) and go to the "Register" page.

For additional questions and information, please call 1-855-WMF-2015

## **NEW PARISH HYMNAL MEMORIAL DONATION**

For our church year starting in Advent, our new Hymnals will be a combination of Sunday and weekday readings and hymns in one large-print book. The parish invites any family to make a small donation of \$10 ***In Memory*** or ***In Honor of*** a loved one. For each donation a special Dedication label will be affixed to one of the new hymnals. It will bear the name of the donor and the name of the person to be remembered in prayer. Throughout the year whenever the hymnal is used, the Dedication label on the front page will remind the user to pray for the person named. To make a donation for a Dedication label, **PRINT** on the form below:

## **HYMNAL DONATION (PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION)**

**In Memory of:** \_\_\_\_\_

**In Honor of:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Your Name (donor):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Your address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Telephone#:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Sunday envelope#:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Amount enclosed (\$10) each:** \_\_\_\_\_

***Sincere thanks for your support***

Place form and donation in Sunday envelope



### SCRIP OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY 8:30AM-11:30AM  
THROUGH 12:30PM-3:00PM  
FRIDAY 6:30PM-8:00PM

SATURDAY 9:00AM-1:00PM  
SUNDAY 9:30AM-1:00PM



**MARCH 2ND:** Yankee Candle Sale begins

**MARCH 6TH:** First Friday Mass at 8:45 AM; all are Welcome! Noon Dismissal/Faculty Meeting

**MARCH 9TH:** Third Trimester begins

**MARCH 17TH:** Report Card Day!

**MARCH 20-27TH:** Terra Nova Testing Days (testing done in morning sessions only)



### JACKPOT

**The drawing held on Monday, February 23rd, 2015, did not have a Jackpot winner.** The winning numbers were **3-4-22-23-34**. There were no consolation prize winners.

**PLEASE CHECK YOUR TICKETS AND NOTIFY US IMMEDIATELY IF YOU HAVE A WINNING TICKET AND HAVE NOT BEEN CALLED. YOU ONLY HAVE 7 DAYS TO CLAIM YOUR PRIZE!**

**Please Note:** Our next drawing will be held on Monday, March 2, 2015, at 7:30 PM in Marian Hall and the Jackpot is worth

**\$37,500.**

**FOR FUTURE REFERENCE:** ALL JACKPOT TICKETS MUST BE DROPPED OFF AT THE RECTORY BEFORE 3:00 PM EVERY MONDAY.



### LORD, PROTECT OUR TROOPS

Please pray for the following members of the military serving in Iraq and Afghanistan that Our Lord protect them and all our troops around the world and keep them safe. Call the rectory to place your loved one on this prayer list.

**Jonathan Castro, David Toms, James Kash, Mark O'Connor, Kevin Sprage, Scott Druckrey, Vincent Heeney, Anne Jachinowicz, Vincent Simonetti, Sean Patrick Maguire, William Bush, Joe Bromley, Ross Peterson, Steve Wszolek, James Gormley, A.J. Jacquot, Patrick Connors, Joseph C. Spado, Cheryl A. Stevens, Austin Leach, Nicholas R. Greco, William Lindenmuth, Rusty Glantz, Anthony Hunt, George Moraczewski, John Michael Doehne, Colin Whalen, Michael Lindenmuth, Johnathan Rodriguez, Frankie Ludovici, Sean Carey, Patrick Gorey, Matthew Kisinski, Jeremy Thomas and Declan C. Fowler.**



### WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES COMING TO PHILADELPHIA IN SEPTEMBER 2015 AND YOU CAN HELP!

Thousands will visit for this international event from September 22-27, 2015.

You can open your home and host a family or an individual.

Open your home and host a family!

It is easy to sign up online.

Be a part of this historic event and learn more at [WorldMeeting2015.org](http://WorldMeeting2015.org) or email us at [host@WorldMeeting2015.org](mailto:host@WorldMeeting2015.org).

### PRAY WITH US

In the months leading up to the World Meeting of Families-Philadelphia 2015, we ask you to pray the official prayer with us. We also invite you to share your special intentions so that we can pray for you and all families. Visit our Spirituality Center ([WorldMeeting2015.org](http://WorldMeeting2015.org)) to send us your intentions. If you'd like, you can accompany your intentions with a donation. Just text "PRAY" to 80888 to have a candle lit for you in the spectacular Cathedral Basilica of SS Peter and Paul in Philadelphia. \$10 will be charged to your mobile cell phone bill. Please pray with us for the World Meeting of Families...Jesus, Mary and Joseph, Pray for us!

**SAVE THE DATE!!!**  
**ST. DOMINIC CRAFT BEER**  
**FESTIVAL AND**  
**CRAFT FAIR**



**TICKETS ON SALE NOW IN THE  
RECTORY!!!**

**April 26, 2015 from 12:00 to 4:00 PM**

Be sure to join us at our Craft Fair outside Marian Hall. Patrons 21 and older have the opportunity of joining our Craft Beer Festival in Marian Hall. Tickets for our Craft Beer Festival are \$30 in advance, \$40 at the door. Be sure to look for more information in our Church bulletin for a list of breweries and crafters participating at our event.



Our Outdoor Craft Fair is  
**free.**

**CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS**  
**ST. DOMINIC'S FLEA MARKET**

Saturday, March 14, 2015 from 8AM to 2PM in Marian Hall. There will be food, a cake table, lottery basket and much more.



**SAVE THE DATE!!!**  
**ST. DOMINIC'S**  
**COACH BAG BINGO**



May 1, 2015 at 7:00 PM in Marian Hall.  
Coach Bag Bingo tickets go on sale starting  
February 20th.  
Tickets will be \$30.00 per person and will be  
sold in the Rectory during scrip hours.

All proceeds will benefit  
**The Saint Dominic Restoration Project.**



**REGISTRATION FOR STUDENTS THAT WILL BE**  
**NEW TO ST. DOMINIC SCHOOL FOR THE**  
**2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR**

REGISTRATION FOR THE 2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR IS TAKING PLACE NOW! PLEASE CALL THE SCHOOL OFFICE AT 215-333-6703 BETWEEN 9:00 AM AND 3:00 PM FOR AN **APPOINTMENT TIME**.

**PLACE OF REGISTRATION:** SCHOOL OFFICE  
(PLEASE USE THE "BLUE AWNING" DOOR)

**REQUIREMENTS FOR REGISTRATION:**  
ALL GRADES (PRE-K TO GRADE 6) **MUST** BRING COMPLETE IMMUNIZATION RECORDS AT TIME OF REGISTRATION.

**AGE REQUIREMENTS:**  
BIRTH CERTIFICATE **MUST** BE BROUGHT TO REGISTRATION  
PRE-K (3): 3 YEARS OF AGE BEFORE SEPTEMBER 1, 2015  
PRE-K (4): 4 YEARS OF AGE BEFORE SEPTEMBER 1, 2015  
K: 5 YEARS OF AGE BEFORE SEPTEMBER 1, 2015

**CHILD'S BAPTISMAL CERTIFICATE** - IF NOT BAPTIZED AT ST. DOMINIC CHURCH

**GRADES 1-6**  
PARENT/GUARDIAN **MUST** PRESENT THE MOST RECENT REPORT CARD OR STANDARDIZED TESTING RESULTS (e.g. TERRA NOVA, PSSA) AT THE TIME OF REGISTRATION.

\$150.00 **NON-REFUNDABLE** REGISTRATION FEE FOR 1 CHILD  
\$250.00 **NON-REFUNDABLE** REGISTRATION "SPECIAL FAMILY FEE" FOR 2 CHILDREN OR MORE (REGISTRATION FEE INCLUDES \$50.00 SMART TUITION FEE)

**FAMILIES NEW TO ST. DOMINIC SCHOOL WILL RECEIVE A \$200.00 TUITION CREDIT FOR THE 2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR.**

**HASA NEWS**

Be sure to like us on Facebook to be informed of our upcoming events.

<https://www.facebook.com/pages/St-Dominic-Home-and-School-Association/681599>





We welcome to the Christian Community the following children who were recently Baptized in Saint Dominic Church:

*Joseph Ryan Schwarz, Jr.,  
Emerson Monroe McConnell,  
Ava Rose Santiago,  
Anthony Francis Wlas  
and  
Cassidy Joan Di Bello  
On February 22, 2015.*



**Collection for February 22, 2015: \$5,121**  
**Rice Bowl: \$640**  
**Central & Eastern Europe: \$341**



**ST. DOMINIC STUDENTS**  
**EXCEL AT:**

**ROMAN CATHOLIC H.S.**  
**FIRST HONORS:**

Timothy Edward Kutchner '15

**NAZARETH ACADEMY H.S.**  
**FIRST HONORS:**

Kaitlin Agnew '16

**ST. HUBERT H.S. SPRING OPEN HOUSE**

March 1, 2015 from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. for all 6th, 7th and 8th graders. RSVP: [www.huberts.org/openhouse](http://www.huberts.org/openhouse). For more information contact Annemarie Szambelak at 215-624-6840 ext. 258 or [aszambelak@huberts.org](mailto:aszambelak@huberts.org).

**“SISTER STRIKES AGAIN!” A show in the Late Night Catechism Series.**

Sunday, March 15th at 2 PM in St. Hubert Auditorium. Tickets: \$35 per person. Contact Anna Marie at 215-332-3636 or [ampulaski7201@yahoo.com](mailto:ampulaski7201@yahoo.com)

**MOUNT SAINT JOSEPH ACADEMY**

The Mount, a Catholic college preparatory school for girls, invites all interested 7th grade girls to register for The Pre)HSPT to be given on Saturday, March 28, 2015 from 8:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. The Pre-HSPT is a 7th grade edition of the actual Scholarship/Entrance Exam given to eighth grade applicants. Registration is available online only. You will receive registration confirmation via email. Register at: [www.msjacad.org/practicetest](http://www.msjacad.org/practicetest).

**NAZARETH ACADEMY PARENTS ASSOCIATION ANNUAL SPRING CRAFT SHOW AND BAKE SALE**

Saturday, March 14th from 9am to 2pm. Come out get an early jump on Easter Gift shopping, pick up delicious homemade baked goods, soups and dinner items. For more information please contact Jen McGurk at 215-333-1748.

**SISTERS OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

**Security Guard:** The Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament have a part time security guard position available for every Saturday and Sunday. Also need to be available to fill in when needed during the week. Offer vacation and sick time. If interested please call 215-244-9900 ext.348 or apply at 1663 Bristol Pike, Bensalem PA 19020.

**MOTHER BONIFACE SPIRITUALITY CENTER VOCATIONAL EXPLORATION RETREAT “The Next Chapter in the Story of My Life”**

Saturday, March 7th from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. One day retreat consisting of prayer, activity and reflection to uncover what God has been writing your life story. Fee: \$10 (meal included).

**“Sound Doctrine: Journeving with Jesus Through Lent”**

Monday, March 9th from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.. Come join fellow young adults for an evening filled with modern music, activity, reflection and prayer. Fee: Free Will Offering. Please register by phone or email 3 days prior to program. Please call Young Adult Ministry Office at 267-350-1835 for more info. or to register.



**FATHER JUDGE H.S. INTERACTIVE FINANCIAL AID & EXPRESS REGISTRATION NIGHTS**

Thursday, March 12th from 6:30 PM to 9:00 PM. Please bring your entire 2013/2014 Tax Return Form, your W2 and/or 1099's, proof of any non-taxable income verification and the \$28 non-refundable fee made payable to the “Private School Aid Service.” Apply for financial aid NOW!