



# ST. DOMINIC

## Parish

The Second Sunday of Advent

December 10, 2023

### SUNDAY MASSES

Vigil: 4:30 pm Saturday  
Sunday: 8:00 & 10:30 am, 5:30 pm

### DAILY MASSES

Monday 8:00 am  
Tuesday 8:00 am  
Wednesday 6:30 am & 6:30 pm  
Thursday 8:00 am  
Friday 8:00 am  
Saturday 8:00 am

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:15-4:15 pm  
Wednesday 5:30-6:20 pm  
and by appointment

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

On the First Wednesday of each month we have All Day Adoration beginning at 6:30 am with Benediction at 6:10 pm. It is also available every Wednesday at 5:30 pm with repose at 6:20 pm.

### BAPTISM

Baptismal Preparation Classes are required and take place over two evenings. Contact a priest or Brenda Christian for more information.

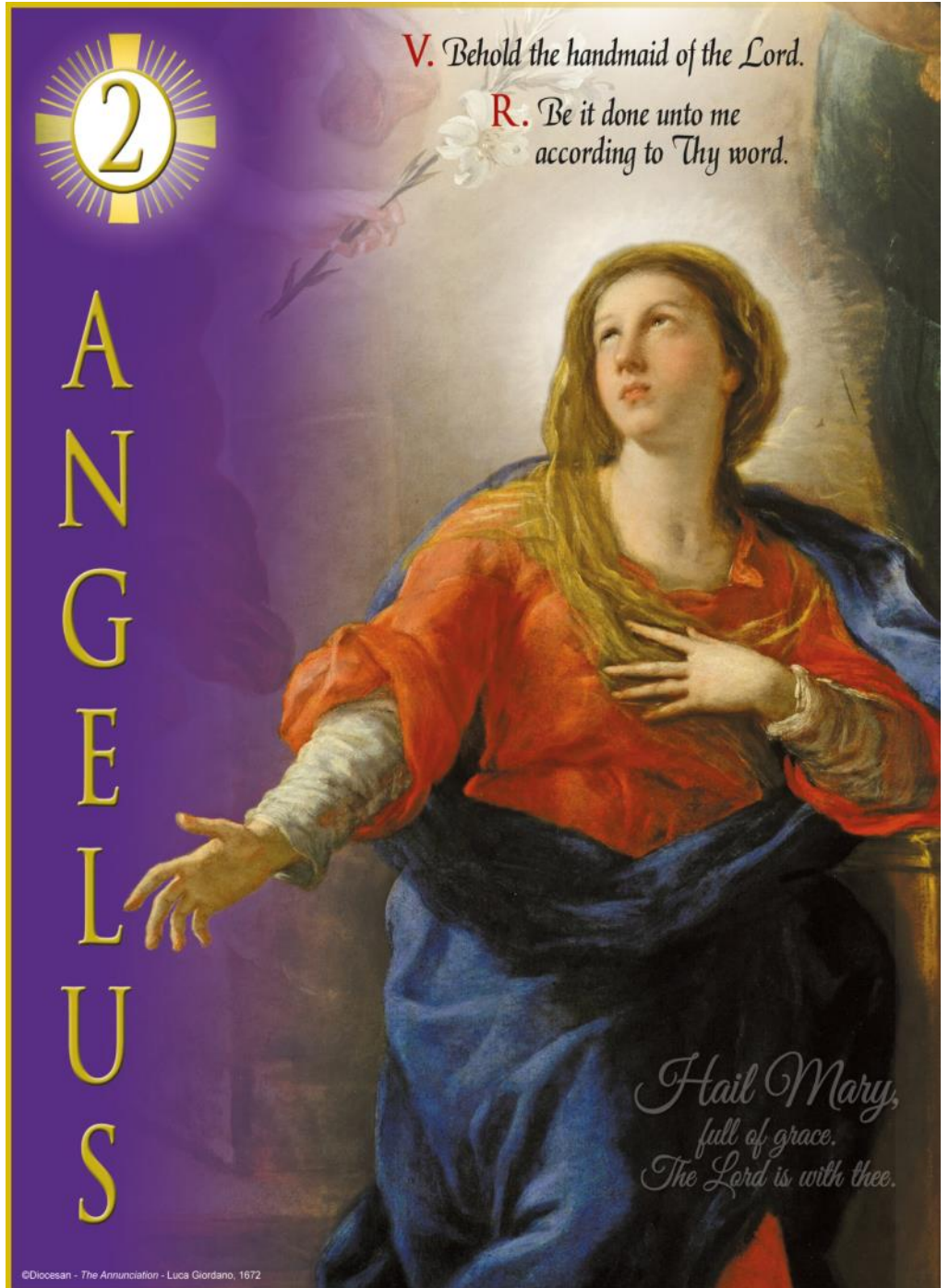
### MARRIAGE

Please contact a priest or deacon six months before the wedding date for adequate preparation and counseling as required by the Archdiocese.

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Contact a priest or the Parish Office when someone is seriously ill or in the hospital.

**SUNDAY NURSERY** at the 8:00 am and the 10:30 am Masses.



**Pastor, Rev. Patrick R. Driscoll**

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**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday to Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**ST. DOMINIC CATHOLIC SCHOOL HOURS**

Monday to Friday, 7:15 am - 3:45 pm.

**For more information about Saint Dominic Catholic School or to schedule a tour, please call the Office at 251-661-5226 or email development@stdominicmobile.org.**

The readings for this Sunday, December 10, 2023 can be found online using the following link: <https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/121023.cfm>

Thank you for your continued support of the St. Vincent de Paul Society! You can make a donation in the Poor Box in the back of the Church or drop it by our Parish Office.

*St. Dominic JUBILEE Club for Seniors includes Food, Fun, Fellowship, & Travel Meets Monthly, September - May Membership Applications are available at the church side entrances.*

If you would like a name added or removed from the sick list, please contact the Parish Office at (251) 661-5130 or email mwilson@stdominicmobile.org.  
If you have a family member in the hospital and would like a clergy member to visit, let the Parish Office know by calling or emailing.

If you are interested in hosting the Pilgrim Virgin in your home, email Marguerite Larche at marguerite.larche@gmail.com or call 251-510-9654.

**Welcome to St. Dominic Parish,  
Where Stewardship is a Way of Life**

We invite newcomers to complete a registration form which can be found in the Parish Office.

**Mass Intentions For The Week**

Sat, Dec 9	4:30 p.m.	Jonah Waits (L)
Sunday, Dec 10	8:00 a.m.	Missa Pro Populo
	10:30 a.m.	The Ankersen Family
	5:30 p.m.	Barbara White-Spunner (D)
Monday, Dec 11	8:00 a.m.	Mary Vollentine (D)
Tuesday, Dec 12	8:00 a.m.	Thurston & Olive Womble (D)
Wed, Dec 13	6:30 a.m.	Patty Reed (L)
	6:30 p.m.	George Ellis Lundy, Sr (D)
Thurs, Dec 14	8:00 a.m.	Teresa Bao Chau Nguyen Salvador (D)
Friday, Dec 15	8:00 a.m.	Joshua Johnson (D)
Sat, Dec 16	8:00 a.m.	Joshua Johnson (D)

**Please pray for the sick:**

John Adams	Denise Koschell
Lois Addison	Alice Langham
Toni Aldrich	Tony Laurence
Caesar Alshibli	Donna Laws
Kathy Atwell	Mary Lindamood
Joyce Bailey	Sam Lyons
Leonard Bankester	David Melton
Cheryl Barrow	Schelle Miles
Frances Baugh	Kat Monahan
Lois Bean	Margaret Mortellaro
Laura Bellew	Bernadette Neece
Melissa Breland	Eleesha Neece
Georgette Brocato	Carl Nelson
Darryl Brown	Henry Nguyen
WM Cazalas	Mary Lou Noletto
Cleo Cleary	Mike O'Sullivan
George Coleman	Mike Piazza
Matt Coleman	Shari Piccini
Susan Coffey	Cheryl Polozola
Anna Payton Dancy	Clarence Pool
Donlei Darnell	Baby Samuel Porr
Joy Deupree	Emily Poteat
Amanda Donovan	Jean Rathle
George Elders	Joe Riello
Bobby Farrell	Alani Rodgers
Don Foster	Walter Rodriguez
Lennox Godwin	Cathy Schwartz
Jacque & Ray Green	Louis Seiter
Barbara Harrington	Ava Smith
Charlie & Gabriel Hawkins	Mary Claire Smith
Katie Histing	Joe Verneuille
John Holman	Florence Ward
Doris Hubiak	Jim Weisser
Mark Jones	John West
Logan Kay	David & Sandra Williams
Jackson Kelly	Sam Wimberly
Mary Kerr	Claire Zaunbrecher
The Klein family	



### Special Collection:

This Sunday, December 10,  
Retired Religious

### Reminder:

We continue to collect non-perishable food items the first weekend of each month.

### Altar Care Team, December 9

Mary Lynn Farrell, Julie Nonnenmacher, Judi Naylor

### Altar Care Team, December 16

Eileen Rodgers,  
Carl and Mary Engerson

### St Charlotte Crochet Crew

Meets Thursdays at 6:30pm

For more information contact

Tricia Spafford by email at  
praycreategive@gmail.com

McGill-Toolen's Junior Legion of Mary is now leading the

**First Saturday Rosary** after the 8:00 am Mass.

### Daughters of Mary

meets Mondays. Morning Session, 9:00-10:00 am; Evening Session, 6:30 pm. Both in Rooms 1 & 2 with Prayer & Reflections.

**The Legion of Mary** meets in the meeting rooms on Wednesdays at 10:00 am.

**The Men of St. Joseph** meets at 7:00 am on Wednesdays & Saturdays at 6:45 am for one hour in the Murphy Center meeting rooms 1 & 2.

**Scripture Study** with Deacon Ward takes place on Fridays at 8:45 am in the Murphy Center meeting rooms 1 & 2.

**The St. Dominic Knights of Columbus** meet on the third Wednesday of every month at 7:00 pm in the meeting rooms.

**The St. Dominic Mothers' Ministry** meets every Sunday morning in the Murphy Center from 9:15—10:15 a.m.

Join us to decorate the Church for Christmas on Friday, December 21, immediately following the 8:00 am Mass. Many hands make for light work!

### Parish Office Christmas Hours

Monday—Thursday (12/25-12/28) and Monday, January 1 - Office Closed  
Please note, we will be checking the Parish email while the office is closed during the Christmas break. If you need a Priest or office staff to contact you, please email [mwilson@stdominicmobile.org](mailto:mwilson@stdominicmobile.org).

We will return to regular business hours on Tuesday, January 2.



### Christmas week confession schedule

Wednesday, 5:30-6:20 p.m.

Saturday, 3:15-4:15 p.m.

### Special Mass Schedule

*\*Please note, Christmas Eve Vigil Mass does not take the place of your Fourth Sunday of Advent Mass Obligation.*

### Fourth Sunday of Advent, 12/24

8:00 & 10:30 a.m.

### Christmas Eve, Sunday (12/24)

4:00 p.m. (Children's Mass), 6:00 & 10:00 p.m.

### Christmas Day, Monday (12/25)

9:00 a.m. Mass - \*No evening Mass.

### Sunday, December 31

The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph  
Regular Mass Schedule - 8:00 & 10:30 a.m., 5:30 p.m.

### Monday, January 1

The Solemnity of Mary  
Regular Mass Schedule - 8:00 a.m.

*\*Not a Holy Day of Obligation*

*"For a child is born to us, a son is given to us." Isaiah 9:5*

# Christmas Caroling

Join us as we spread  
Christmas cheer to  
the homebound!

Sunday, December 17  
at 5:30 p.m.

Gather in the Main Hall

After caroling we will return  
to the hall for food and  
fellowship.



### Thank You for Your Support!!

It is with sincere thanks that the staff of Catholic Social Services of Mobile expresses our gratitude for the collection of canned goods, dry goods, baking items, and beverages for those individuals seeking assistance through the Catholic Social Services food pantry. The generosity of St. Dominic Parish and parishioners is a blessing to all the individuals in our community who seek the vital necessity of food. Thank you again for your wonderful support and outreach to Catholic Social Services of Mobile, and the individuals we serve on a daily basis.

We wish you all the best for a wonderful and blessed holiday season!