



# Welcome to St. Dominic Church

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**Pastor:**

Fr. Patrick N. Peter

**Deacon:**

Joel Seipp

## THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

June 28, 2020

**First Reading: 2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a**

**Second Reading: Romans 6:3-4, 8-11**

**Gospel: Matthew 10:37-42**

**Sunday Masses:**

Saturday Vigil 5:30pm  
Sunday 8am and 11am

**Weekday Masses:**

8am: Monday, Wednesday  
and Friday

**Holy Day Masses:**

8am, 12:10pm, & 7pm

**Confessions:**

4:30pm on Saturday  
or by appointment

**Baptism & Marriage:**

For arrangement please  
contact the Parish office

**Bulletin Deadline:**

Wednesday at Noon

**Office Hours:**

Mon. – Fri. 9am-3pm

**Office Staff:**

Judie Kuper  
Office Manager  
Carol Niemeyer  
Office Secretary  
526-7746

**All Saints Academy**

Kahiwalani Goetsch  
Principal  
Dustin McSparin  
Office Manager  
295 N. Clinton St.  
526-4323

**Mater Dei High School**

Dennis Litteken  
Principal  
900 N. Mater Dei Dr.  
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**Websites:**

St. Dominic Church [www.saintdominicbreese.org](http://www.saintdominicbreese.org)  
Diocese of Belleville [www.diobelle.org](http://www.diobelle.org)  
Knights of Columbus [www.breeseknights.org](http://www.breeseknights.org)  
Mater Dei High School [www.materdeiknights.org](http://www.materdeiknights.org)  
All Saints Academy [www2.asasaints.com](http://www2.asasaints.com)

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### Parish Organizations, Committees and Ministries

**Parish Council**

Helen Essenpreis Pres.  
Leann Wilke  
Joe McNamara-V-Pres.  
Bob Albers  
Amy Koch  
Laura Kruep-Sec.  
Helen Klostermann  
Paul Klostermann  
Dave Kruep

**Trustees**

Mike Niemeyer  
Dawn Tebbe

**Adult Servers**

Mary Ellen Detmer

**Adoration**

Allison Cowgill

**Altar Sodality**

Barb VonAlst-Pres  
Maribeth Detmer-V-Pres.

**Building & Maintenance**

Bob Albers  
Dave Kruep  
Mike Niemeyer

**Choirs, Cantors,  
Musicians**

Leah Loddeke

**Church Decorating**

Lynn Hollenkamp

**Community Committee**

Helen Essenpreis  
Laura Kruep  
Amy Koch

**Eucharistic Ministers**

Fr. Pat Peter

**First Friday/Homebound  
Ministry**

Fr. Pat

**Lectors**

Rod Kloeckner

**Liturgy Committee**

Leann Wilke  
Amy Koch

**Men's Sodality**

Dennis Ratermann

**Picnic Executives**

Tom Zurliene

**Prayer Ministry**

Lorine Schmidt

**Rosary Leaders**

open

**RCIA**

Fr. Pat Peter

**Sacristans**

Gail Linn  
Josie Timmermann  
Cyndi Riley

**Servers**

Fr. Pat

**Spiritual Formation**

Helen Essenpreis  
Helen Klostermann  
Amy Koch

**Stewardship Committee**

Joe McNamara  
Paul Klostermann

**Ushers**

Rich Eilermann

**Welcoming Committee**

Dot Bauman  
Leann Wilke  
Laura Kruep

**Youth Faith Formation**

Dan Robben

**Youth Ministry**

Diane Klostermann

## Mass Intentions

### Saturday, June 27

**5:30am:** Parish Family

### Sunday, June 28

**8:00am:** Eugene O. Niemeyer

Louis & Lucille Thole

**11:00am:** Tom & Marie Fields

### Monday, June 29

**8:00am:** Rev. Donald Blaes

Adoration 1-7pm

### Tuesday, June 30

**No MASS**

### Wednesday, July 1

**8:00am:** Caroline Draper

St. Jude Devotion after Mass

### Thursday, July 2

**NO MASS**

### Friday, July 3

**8:00am:** For our Country and all Military Personnel Past & Present

**6:50pm:** First Friday Benediction

### Saturday, July 4

**5:30pm:** Verene Helderfer and Milton Von Gerichten



### Sunday, July 5

**8:00am:** Parish Family

**11:00am:** Helen Wolters

**First Friday Home Visits:** There will not be First Friday home visits at this time. We will let you know when we will start the home visits again.

**First Friday Benediction:** We will have First Friday benediction on July 3rd at 6:50pm.

**Padre Pio Mass:** We will not have a Padre Pio Mass in July. We will let you know when we will begin these masses again.

### Last Week's Stewardship

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>\$8,265.55</b>
<b>Loose</b>	<b>\$2.00</b>
<b>Online Giving</b>	<b>\$2,597.00</b>
<b>Adopted</b>	<b>\$ .00</b>
<b>Needy</b>	<b>\$15.00</b>
<b>Tuition Assist.</b>	<b>\$5.00</b>
<b>Misc. Blue</b>	<b>\$ .00</b>
<b>Building</b>	<b>\$1,095.26</b>
<b>Seminarian</b>	<b>\$4.00</b>
<b>Picnic</b>	<b>\$2,790.00</b>

## **GOD BLESS AMERICA**



Never take your freedom for granted. Always remember that our freedom was purchased at a very high price. Our freedom cost others their lives. On the weekend of the anniversary of our country's birthday, St. Dominic would like to thank and wish God's blessings upon all who have served and continue to serve for our freedom.

**The Office will be closed Friday July 3rd in observance of our County**

### **WELCOME TO CHURCH.**

We are doing everything possible to keep you safe, but our Administrator, Bishop Braxton, stressed the following in a letter to us and all parishes: The information provided by the Illinois Department of Public Health continues to suggest that the safest approach for the celebration of the Eucharist is to provide live-stream or recorded Masses. We must abide by certain guidelines and we are limited to a maximum of 100 people in Church at one time. Please sign up on "Sign-Up Genius" and schedule the Mass you would like to attend. If we are at the maximum people it will not let you sign up and you will need to try another Mass time. For those of you who do not have access or use a computer, you need to call Jane Jansen 920-8120, Donna Nettekmeier 526-4997 or 560-9888, or Connie Robben at 401-3991, and they can help you schedule a time. Bishop Braxton also reminds us "that the current dispensation is in effect" which means the Sunday Obligation to attend Mass is lifted until the Covid-19 threat is no longer a grave concern. So, if you are not feeling well, please do not attend these public liturgies, and if you feel compromised by your health in any way, please stay home and watch the recorded liturgy for our weekend and weekday Masses. The committee could still use more volunteers. If you are available to help, please contact Connie Robben at 401-3991.

**Church Picnic:** As a parish, we are getting closer to achieving our goal of \$50,000 for our 2020 St. Dominic Picnic. Thank you to the 182 families in our parish that have donated \$33,224.00 to the church picnic. We are \$16,776 short of our \$50,000 goal.

**Parish Event:** Please join our parish family in the upcoming St. Dominic **Steeple to Steeple Walk/Fun Ride**. T-shirt and packet pickup will take place August 8. More information and registration forms coming soon!

**43rd Weekly Raffle Winner:** James Kaulig

**Thank You:** to the family of Dan Lampe for the memorials given to the Church in his honor.

**Sympathy:** In our thoughts and in our prayers, we pray for the repose of the soul of James Timmermann. May God welcome him home, fill him with peace and bless those who will miss him.

**St. Jude Novena** video is on our YouTube channel. If you would like to listen, go to <https://youtu.be/n8TmyWQfXa4>

**New Bishop's Ordination Invitation:** Bishop-elect, Fr. Michel McGovern has invited two (2) representatives from each parish to attend his Ordination & Installation as Bishop of the Diocese of Belleville on July 22, 2020 at 2:00pm in the St. Peter Cathedral in Belleville. Due to the required corona-virus health and safety precautions attendance will be limited, thus only two people from each parish can attend. If interested, submit your name to the rectory by July 1st for the drawing. Fr. Pat will select an individual to attend by a lottery. Masks and Social Distancing will be required. Call the office if you need additional information.

**Mass Intentions:** With the beginning of public Masses, all "Mass Intentions" will resume and Carol will be rescheduling the Masses that were missed.

**CSMA:** As of today 136 households have pledged \$20,007.00. Our goal is \$22,567.00. We are within \$2,560.00 of our parish goal. If you have not made a contribution, please do so if you can.

**Collection:** We received information from the Diocese that the **Peters Pence Collection** which was originally scheduled for this weekend has been rescheduled for October 4th, 2020 due to the COVID 19. Any funds received prior to this notification will be held until October. Please note the change on your Peters Pence Collection envelope if you wish to contribute. Thanks.

**Ushers: We are still needing ushers.** If you would like to usher, male or female, please call the Parish Office at 526-7746 or email Carol at: carolatstdominic@gmail.com

**Contributions:** Please remember that St. Dominic still has expenses to meet. Your weekly contribution is greatly appreciated. You can mail in your envelope to St. Dominic Catholic Church 493 North 2nd Street, Breese, IL 62230 or drop it off in the drop box in the breezeway. Our **Online Giving** is also a great way to contribute to your church without worrying about leaving home. Go to: [saintdominicbreese.org](http://saintdominicbreese.org) and click on the Online Giving link where it says Give Now.

**Quilts:** If you still have a quilt to turn in please contact Barb Lammers 304-7546 or Brenda Hellige 604-1283.

**Baptismal Prep Class:** Wed. July 8th St. Anthony Parish Center Beckemeyer at 7:00pm. Call 526-7746 to register.

**All Saints Academy After School Program:** We are hiring high school or college students for 2020-2021 school year. Hours are 3:00-5:30pm on school days. Download applications from ASA website [www2.asasaints.com](http://www2.asasaints.com) (Click PARENTS and Click AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM). Applications must be submitted to ASA by Wednesday, July 1, 2020. (If the office is closed, place in the school mailbox next to Father Pat's garage.) For more information, contact Miss Spillan at: [jspillan@asasaints.com](mailto:jspillan@asasaints.com).

**Youth Faith Formation:** Dan Robben is the new Program Coordinator. We are **looking for a 5th and 6th grade teacher** for the new school year. Anyone interested in these positions please contact Dan Robben at 604-3792 or St. Dominic Parish Office at 526-7746.

**Food Drive:** With the shelter-in-place, Youth Ministry is hosting a food drive for the House of Manna. Please contact Cheryl 526-7594; Rhonda 248-840-1857 or Diane 526-4395 to porch pickup your items or drop off at Rhonda's porch at 10014 President Ct in Breese.

**Cemetery:** Mowing season has begun. Our policy is to remove Memorial Day decorations by June 15, unless the flowers are placed in a permanent vase that will not interfere with mowing and trimming. Thank you for your cooperation.

**Chicken Fry:** Breese K of C Friday Night Chicken has resumed. Please park and come in the front (West) door, then downstairs to order. **Carryouts Only!** They have implemented new sanitation procedures to keep their volunteers and customers safe. Please observe social distancing. 4:00pm-7:00pm.

**Thrill of the Grill!!!** Breese Knights of Columbus, Sunday, June 28th 11:00am to 6:00pm. Breese, KC Hall, 480 North Walnut Street, Breese. BBQ Pork Steaks, Brats, Hot Dogs, Hamburgers, German Potato Salad, Baked Beans, Slaw and Beverages.

## Youth Ministry

**Cheryl 526-7594, Rhonda 248-840-1857, Diane 526-4395**

**Groupme:** Events will be posted on Groupme.

**Movie night:** Movie night/Game Night – June 30<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm Youth Ministry will have a game night/movie night at Rhonda's 10014 President Ct Breese. All high school youth are invited. We will watch "The Shack". Bring your blankets/lawn chairs.

**New members:** We welcome any graduating 8th graders to be part of the high school youth ministry program. Please contact Cheryl, Rhonda, or Diane to be added to the groupme.

**Luke 18 Photos:** High school youth who participated in the Luke 18 – your photo of the group is in an envelope in the breezeway. Please pick up. Photos have your name on the back.

**Re-Opening Church:** Any high school youth (age 16 and older) who want help with re-opening the churches, contact Diane, Cheryl, Rhonda. Permission slips required.

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**Position Available:** Full-time Administrative Assistant for the Office of Human Resources at the Belleville Diocese. Send cover letter with resume and preferred salary to Human Resources, Diocese of Belleville, 222 S. 3rd St., Belleville, IL. 62220. Email to [humanresources@diobelle.org](mailto:humanresources@diobelle.org) or Fax 618-722-5020; Application deadline: Mon., July 6th.

### St. Vincent DePaul Needs Our Help!

Due to the current COVID19 pandemic, St Vincent de Paul's Night Time Drop-In Center has been at full capacity: housing homeless men, women, and children. They are in need of the following individually packaged sack lunch items:

Cookies	Fruit cups	Chips
Cheese sticks	Cereal	Crackers
Pop Tarts	Breakfast bars	Yogurt
Bottled water	Tuna snack pack	
Chicken snack pack	Soup/Pasta in a cup	
Luncheon meat/cheese for sandwiches		

**Also needing gently used blue jeans** - men's, women's, & children's - all sizes. Also they are requesting **gently-used children's clothing**— all sizes infant through teens. Food items and the clothing items can be placed in the breezeway at St Dominic's Church.

Mail checks to: Society of St Vincent de Paul  
PO Box 3415  
East St Louis, IL 62203

Or you can donate online at:  
<https://svdpsouthil.org/monetary-donations>.

**Love photography and the country life?** Submit your best photo of farm life to the Breese Journal for your chance to win four tickets to Holiday World and Splashin' Safari. Email farm landscape, pictures of animals, crops, or any farm-related photos to [mandy@breese.pub](mailto:mandy@breese.pub), or drop off at the Breese Journal office by Mon., July 13th. at 5 p.m. for your chance to win. A winner and a runner-up will be chosen based on photo quality and adherence to the theme.

**Online Mass at St. Dominic** Join Fr. Pat in Mass M, W & F mornings and on weekends at [saintdominicbreese.org](http://saintdominicbreese.org). You can also pray along with the rosary online at [saintdominicbreese.org](http://saintdominicbreese.org).

**Please visit our Facebook Page**, St. Dominic Catholic Church, Breese for up to date information within our parish.

**EWTN:** <https://www.ewtn.com> (common link to cable channels is: <https://www.ewtn.com/channel-finder>)

**Mater Dei High School Videos** with Fr. Chuck. Go to: [www.materdeiknights.org](http://www.materdeiknights.org)

**Bishop-Elect Michael G. McGovern: EWTN Will televise the Mass of Ordination and Installation of Bishop-Elect Michael G. McGovern at 2:00pm on Wednesday, July 22nd.**



**Blood Drive:** Aviston Legion Monday, July 6th from 2-7pm.

**Blood Drive:** Breese K of C Hall Wednesday, July 8th from 1:00pm to 6:00pm.

Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. Go to: [RedCrossBlood.org](http://RedCrossBlood.org) and enter: Breese to schedule an appointment. Sponsor Code: CARDS 1-800-7RED CROSS (733-2767). All donors will receive a free commemorative St. Louis Cardinals Blood Drive T-Shirt

**For a limited time, the American Red Cross will test all blood, platelet and plasma donations for COVID-19 antibodies as an additional health service to our donors.** This testing will provide critical insight into whether donors may have possibly been exposed to this coronavirus. The Red Cross is committed to helping others in meaningful ways during this pandemic.

**Mental Health Awareness:** Nearly 43.8 million American adults have experienced some form of mental illness in any given year, which can present itself in a wide variety of disorders, including anxiety, schizophrenia, substance abuse, eating, mood, and personality disorders. For about 9.8 million people these disorders are so severe that they impair their ability to function in major life activities. Further, untreated mental illness increases the risk of homelessness, substance use disorders, legal issues, and suicide. Help is available for dealing with mental illnesses, unfortunately, it's significantly underused. Yet early intervention is crucial since it can slow the progression of the disease and restore your ability to function normally. Mental health hotlines are a good starting point for getting help for mental illness since hotline operators have access to a wealth of information and resources and provide support to people with mental illness or their loved ones. All calls to a hotline are private and confidential, which can ease the discomfort about making the call for some people. When you reach a hotline, you'll speak to thoroughly trained hotline employees and volunteers. While there are many emergency mental health hotlines, if you or someone you care about is having thoughts of suicide, call 911 for immediate help. Some of the reputable 24-hour mental health hotlines that can provide you with support, education, and resources include: [Mental Health America Hotline: Text MHA to 741741](#). Mental Health America is a nationwide organization that provides assistance through this text line. You will be linked to someone who can guide you through a crisis or just provide information. [National Suicide Prevention Lifeline: 1-800-273-8255](#). Crisis intervention and free emotional support are available, which is helpful when you need confidential assistance during a time of emotional distress for you or a loved one. The helpline is open 24/7, and a live online chat is available as well.

**Respect Life Corner-**In the second reading, Romans 6:8-11, Saint Paul writes to the Romans that as Christ's death freed us from sin, we too must think of ourselves as dead to sin and living for God in Christ Jesus. Our new life in Christ begins with our Baptism, a life-changing event. Paul urges the Romans (and us) to die to their/our former life so they/we can share on earth in His resurrected life and the fullness of His love forever. We have a new identity because of our Baptism! Learn, Act, Connect and Pray-As we die to our old habits and adopt the ways of Christ, we are transformed in Him. Sin becomes less attractive as we want nothing to keep us from the peace and joy God has promised us. Try praying an "Examination of Conscience" and see where God is calling you to change. Remember to act in a way pleasing to God and there peace will be. Please check out [www.usccb.org/pray](http://www.usccb.org/pray).

**Bishop Edward K. Braxton invites you to view the Liturgy of Ordination** of The Reverend Mr. Nicholas T. Fleming, St. Clare of Assisi Parish in O'Fallon; The Reverend Mr. Carl E. Schrage, St. Lawrence Parish in Sandoval and The Reverend Mr. Joel L. Seipp, St. Clare of Assisi Parish in O'Fallon, to the Order of Priesthood on Saturday, July 11, 2020 at 10:30 am in the Cathedral of St. Peter. During this Liturgy, our Priest Jubilarians will be honored. The Oil of Catechumens and the Oil of the Sick will be blessed. The Sacred Chrism will be consecrated. In order to provide for the health and safety of everyone during this pandemic, we regret that the number of people that can participate in the Cathedral must be limited. Therefore, **the Mass will be livestreamed at: [www.cathedralbelle.org](http://www.cathedralbelle.org)**. Please join me in praying for our candidates for Priesthood and our Jubilarians.

**Rev. Nick Junker has offered the following addresses** of our transitional deacons if you wish to reach out to Deacon Nick, Carl and Joel to assure them of your prayerful support.

**Rev. Mr. Nicholas Fleming**  
1028 Cypress Pointe Drive,  
Caseyville, IL 62232

**Rev. Mr. Carl Schrage**  
3 Wood Drive  
Carlyle, IL 62231

**Rev. Mr. Joel Seipp**  
108 Anne Ave.  
O'Fallon, IL 62269

(Joel is with us here at St. Dominic until his ordination July 11th, so you can send anything to the rectory here at St. Dominic for him or if you would like to speak with him you can reach him at the rectory.)



## **Our St. Dominic Reopening Plan**

First and foremost, it is important for everyone to understand that our efforts will prioritize the safety and wellbeing of all while maintaining due respect and reverence for the sacraments and liturgical norms of our faith.

We have assembled a Leadership Team to lead our efforts. We have attended the required training to ensure that our parish reopening plan conforms to the guidelines developed by the Diocese and are properly trained. Please send a message to Connie Robben at [crobber2@gmail.com](mailto:crobber2@gmail.com) or leave a message on her cell phone at 401-3991 and indicate your willingness and ability to volunteer.

### **Volunteers Needed!!! (Please Call Connie Robben 401-3991 and volunteer to help)**

**Volunteers are Needed.** Volunteers should not be part of a "vulnerable population" that is not over the age of 65, no underlying medical conditions such as diabetes; lung disease; undergoing cancer treatments, etc.), if possible. I ask all of you who are younger than 65 and healthy to consider assisting with one of three reopening teams:

- **Setup Team:** Make sure all supplies needed for each sacramental celebration/gathering are ready for use, entrances and exits are marked and propped open prior to gathering
- **Greeting Team:** assisting with the flow of congregation as they enter church, make sure attendees use hand sanitizer upon entering, are wearing mask and reminded not to enter if ill. Directing people to seating area.
- **Cleaning Team:** Maintaining and cleaning essential and trafficked areas of the church before and after church has been used. Mask and gloves will be provided.

**A Prayer for Our New Bishop** O God, eternal shepherd of the faithful, who tend your Church in countless ways and rule over her in love, grant, we pray, that Michael, your servant, whom you have set over your people, may preside in the place of Christ over the flock whose shepherd he is, and be faithful as a teacher of doctrine, a Priest of sacred worship and as one who serves them by governing. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen

### **An Act of Spiritual Communion**

It has long been a Catholic understanding that when circumstances prevent one from receiving Holy Communion, it is possible to make an Act of Spiritual Communion which is a source of grace. Spiritual Communion means uniting ourselves in prayer with Christ's sacrifice and worshipping Him in the consecrated bread and wine which are His Body and Blood. Always remember that the consecrated bread is the Body and Blood of Christ and the consecrated wine is the Body and Blood of Christ, even if you receive the Eucharist only under one species. The most common reason for making an Act of Spiritual Communion is when a person cannot attend Mass. An act of Spiritual Communion increases our desire to receive sacramental Communion and helps us avoid the sins that would make us unable to receive Holy Communion worthily.

### **A Prayer for Spiritual Communion**

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You in my body, my soul, and my whole being. Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, Come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if you were already there And unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You.

**Prayer for when Health is Threatened here and throughout the world** Those who dwell in the shelter of the Most High, will find rest in the shadow of the Almighty. You alone are our refuge, our rock of safety, our God in whom we trust. For You will rescue us from every trap and protect us from deadly disease; shelter us, O Lord, within Your wings, Your promises our armor and protection. We need not fear the terrors of the night, nor the arrow that flies by day; nor dread the disease that stalks in darkness, nor the disaster that strikes at noon. Let no evil conquer us; no plague come near our homes. Order Your holy angels to protect us wherever we would go. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning is now, and will be forever. Amen. O Mary, health of the sick, pray for us.

### **Saint Michael the Archangel**

Saint Michael the Archangel, Defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, By the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits that prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.