



Welcome to St. Dominic Church

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**SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

July 19, 2020

First Reading: Wisdom 12:13, 16-19

Second Reading: Romans 8:26-27

Gospel: Matthew 13:24-43

Parish

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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
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295 N. Clinton St.
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Mater Dei High School

Dennis Litteken
Principal
900 N. Mater Dei Dr.
526-7216

Parish Council

Helen Essenpreis Pres.

Websites:

St. Dominic Church www.saintdominicbreese.org
Diocese of Belleville www.diobelle.org
Knights of Columbus www.breeseknights.org
Mater Dei High School www.materdeiknights.org
All Saints Academy www2.asasaints.com

zations, Committees and Ministries

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, July 18

5:30pm: Gene Kuhl

Sunday, July 19

8:00am: Dave Niemann

11:00am: Parish Family

12:00pm Baptism: Isabella Rose Pate

Monday, July 20

8:00am: Richard G. Timmermann

Adoration 1-7pm

Tuesday, July 21

No MASS

Wednesday, July 22

8:00am: Evelyn & August Ratermann

St. Jude Devotion after Mass

Thursday, July 23

NO MASS

Friday, July 24

NO MASS

Saturday, July 25

10:00am: Funeral Memorial Mass for

Virginia Ratermann

5:30pm: Karen Robben

Sunday, July 26

8:00am: Parish Family

11:00am: Irene Maue

St. Jude Novena video is on our YouTube channel. To pray along, go to <https://youtu.be/n8TmyWQfXa4>

Mass Intentions: With the beginning of public Masses, all "Mass Intentions" will resume and Carol will be rescheduling the Masses that were missed. A Mass intention is \$10.00. If you would like to schedule a Mass for someone, please call the parish office at 526-7746.

Last Week's Stewardship

Sunday	\$8,440.00
Loose	\$5.00
Online Giving	\$2,909.00
Adopted	\$60.00
Needy	\$160.00
Tuition Assist.	\$30.00
Misc. Blue	\$156.00
Building	\$190.00
Picnic	\$600.00
Peter's Pence	\$6.00

**Fr. Pat will be on vacation from July 23rd to August 7th.
Fr. Pete Schavitz will be next weekend while Fr. Pat is away.**

WELCOME TO CHURCH.

Please sign up on "Sign-Up Genius" and schedule the Mass you would like to attend. We are still limited to a maximum of 100 people in Church at one time. Advance reservations are required to ensure you will be able to attend! Masks, social distancing, hand sanitation, etc. are required! 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. Our first and foremost concern is to protect the safety and well being of all while maintaining due respect and reverence for the sacraments and liturgical norms of our faith. We wear masks, etc., not to protect ourselves, but to protect those at risk, those over 65 and those who may be vulnerable. 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. We will continue to record Masses every weekend and on weekdays until all restrictions have been lifted. Go to: saintdominicbreesse.org

Volunteers: Right now, the volunteers to clean the Church consist of a lot of teachers. Very soon the teachers will be going back to school and we do not have enough volunteers to help clean the Church during the week. In order to continue to have mass during the week, we are needing more volunteers. If you are available to help, please contact Connie Robben at 401-3991.

Our condolences to our seminarian, Luke Fitzgerald whose mother passed away last Sunday. May God welcome her home, fill her with peace and bless those who will miss her.



Congratulations to Fr. Joel Seipp, Fr. Nick Flemming and Fr. Carl Schrage who were ordained into the Priesthood last Saturday. Fr Joel was here with us at St. Dominic. He will be at St. Mary The Immaculate Conception in Mt. Vernon as an Associate Pastor. If you would like to send him a card and congratulate him you may send it to: St. Mary The Immaculate Conception Church 1550 Main Street, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864.

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 200 families in our parish that have donated \$37,604.00 to the church picnic. We are \$12,396.00 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 on August 8. Forms are in the back of Church and in the breezeway. Deadline to register is noon July 24th. **Pick up Raffle Tickets** from the breezeway of the Rectory. Tickets will also be available at the event.

46th Weekly Raffle Winner: Leonard & Barb Bathon

The Liturgy of Ordination and Installation of Bishop-Elect Michael G. McGovern as the ninth Bishop of Belleville will take place on **Wednesday, the twenty-second of July in the Year of Our Lord, 2020 at two o'clock in the afternoon.** In order to provide for the health and safety of the community, the number of people present at the Cathedral must be limited. **Everyone is invited to view the Mass which will be televised live on EWTN. The Mass will also be available on the EWTN website at <http://www.ewtn.com/>.**



Rice Bowl: If you still have a Rice Bowl to turn in, please bring the money to the Rectory.

Unfortunately, we had to cancel the **Parish Mission** that was scheduled in September because of the COVID-19 Virus. We are hoping to reschedule the Mission for 2021.

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 if you can.

Applications for financial assistance are available for families with children attending All Saints Academy or Mater Dei High School during the 2020-2021 school year. Applications can be picked up in the breezeway. Please return completed forms to the Parish Office by August 10th.

ASA school board is looking for a female volunteer to take Cassie Peppenhorst place on the board. Cassie's term is ending and we need someone to take her place. If you are interested, please call the parish office 526-7746.

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. **Online Giving** is also a great way to contribute to your church without worrying about leaving home. Go to: saintdominicbreese.org and click on the Online Giving link.

Community Link's Golf Scramble originally scheduled for Saturday, August 29th at Governors Run **has been cancelled** due to COVID-19. A **Virtual golf tournament is planned** for July 18-Aug. 18. Please **go to www.commlink.org/golf** to learn more about it and/or register.

National Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows 77th Annual Novena to Our Lady of the Snows, Tuesday, July 28th through Wednesday, August 5th. Mass begins at 7:30pm. "With Mary on Holy Pilgrimage" - Each evening of the Novena includes Mass, special music and prayers, Scripture reflections and praying the rosary. Go to: snows.org/novena or call 618-394-6276.

Don't miss the **Six-Month Calendar for the Diocese** in the July 23rd issue! Subscribe today to the The Messenger at 618-233-8670. For online go to www.bellevillemessenger.org

PAL meetings on Tuesdays Parents of Addicted Loved Ones (PAL) meets at the Breese Activity Center (419 S. Clinton St. in Breese) on Tuesdays from 7-8:30 pm. We will also use Zoom for those who cannot attend in person. Contact Craig at (618) 567-6095 if you have questions. PAL is for parents and loved ones over the age of 18 who have someone in their life who is struggling with or recovering from substance use.

Position Available: The Diocese of Belleville is seeking a full-time Maintenance Technician. Essential qualifications include a minimum of a high school diploma or GED and experience with building maintenance and repairs. To apply send cover letter with résumé to Human Resources, Diocese of Belleville, 222 S. 3rd St., Belleville, IL. 62220. FAX to 618-722-5020; email to humanresources@diobelle.org. Application deadline: August 15, 2020

Youth Ministry

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

Groupme: Events will be posted on Groupme.

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: 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.

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

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.

St. Vincent DePaul Needs Our Help!

Needing **crew neck shirts** (any age), *gently used blue jeans* - men's, women's, & children's - all sizes.

School Supplies for all grades

Children and teen clothing.

Water or Gatorade is always needed

*******Absolutely NO Winter Clothes*******

And NO large boxes or bags. Please use smaller bags to carry and lift.

Food items and the clothing items can be placed in the breezeway at St Dominic's Church. **If you would rather make a cash donation**, please 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>.

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		

Do you know someone who is thinking about joining our Catholic Faith? The RCIA is a process which guides and prepares people who want to join the Catholic faith community. Call Fr. Pat at 526-7746. Classes will begin in September.

If you change your address, phone number or e-mail address, don't forget to keep the parish office informed!

Online Mass at St. Dominic Join Fr. Pat in Mass M, W & F mornings and on weekends at saintdominicbreese.org. You can also pray along with the rosary online at 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>)

Respect Life Corner- In the first reading, A reading from the first Book of Kings, the Lord tells Solomon in a dream to ask for something and "I will give it to you." Solomon, thinking of himself not as a king, but as a mere youth, asks for inner wisdom and a "listening heart." This humble mindset is one that closely attends to the people near to him, so that Solomon could understand the complexity of their situations, ultimately, helping to discern right from wrong. The Lord was pleased that Solomon did not ask for the usual requests: a long reign, wealth and/or defense of his enemies. Instead, in humbleness, Solomon requested other riches that are lasting: a heart and mind of empathy and understanding. **Think, Act, Connect and Pray-** It is important that in our lives and in our faith that we work to hold up, "dignify" all life from the unborn in the womb to the elderly prisoner on death row. By recognizing that Christ is in each one of us, we are able to think and act in ways that fulfill our need for agape love. A love that does not discriminate. A love that is there for each one of us because we all are God's children. This week, think of a way to bridge a gap. Say "hello" to someone you may not normally greet. Smile and make eye contact with those around you. Be open and watch new relationships form!

Covid-19: A Prayer of Solidarity

For all who have contracted coronavirus, We pray for care and healing.

For those who are particularly vulnerable, We pray for safety and protection.

For all who experience fear or anxiety, We pray for peace of mind and spirit.

For affected families who are facing difficult decisions between food on the table or public safety, We pray for policies that recognize their plight.

For those who do not have adequate health insurance, We pray that no family will face financial burdens alone.

For those who are afraid to access care due to immigration status, We pray for recognition of the God-given dignity of all.

For our brothers and sisters around the world, We pray for shared solidarity.

For public officials and decisionmakers, We pray for wisdom and guidance.

Father, during this time may your Church be a sign of hope, comfort and love to all. Grant peace. Grant comfort. Grant healing. Be with us, Lord. Amen.

Holy Mary, Health of the Sick, pray for us.

St. Joseph, Hope of the Sick, pray for us.

St. Rocco, protector against epidemics, pray for us.

Prayer for Emotional Healing: Holy Mary, loving mother and heavenly guide, be present to me now and let me know your compassion and kindness. Pray for me to your Divine, Son, that I may experience calmness, tranquility and peace in all my emotions. Help me to grow in faith and love. Protect me from all that displeases God, and obtain for me serenity of mind, body and spirit. I place my trust and confidence in you, dear Blessed Mother, and I pray that God's blessings of mercy, grace and gentle goodness will bring happiness to my life, now and always. Amen.

Prayer in Time of Loneliness: Heavenly Father, there are days when I feel that You have forgotten about me. When I need You most, it seems I cannot reach You. Yet I do believe You are present during times of loneliness, and when my heart feels empty. Teach me to find You even in my darkest hours. Amen.

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.