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Welcome to St. Dominic Church

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Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Times

July 14, 2024

First Reading: Amos 7:12-15

Second Reading: Ephesians 1:3-14

Gospel: Mark 6:7-13



Parish Organizations, Committees and Ministries

Sunday Masses:
Saturday Vigil 5:30pm
Sunday 11am

Weekday Masses:
8am: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 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:
Tuesday at 5pm.

Office Hours:
Mon. – Fri. 9am-5pm

Office Staff:
Tom Kannall
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John Hilmes
Office Secretary
526-7746

All Saints Academy
Kahiwalani Goetsch
Principal
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Dennis Litteken
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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	www.asasaints.com

Parish Council Adam Becker - Pres. Katie Unverfehrt Joan Meredith Diane Kuhl Stacey Becker Dale Hemen Lynette Eilermann Chris Holthaus Connie Robben	Eucharistic Ministers Parish Office	Prayer Ministry Parish Office
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		Picnic Executives Jeff Niemeyer Adam Becker



UPCOMING EVENTS:

Floor Waxing: Tuesday, July 23rd through Friday, July 27th the there will be no Adoration or Weekday Morning Masses due to the Church floors being stripped and waxed. Thank you for your patience with this process.

45th Weekly Raffle Winner \$100!: Ms. Lois Toennies

In our thoughts and prayers , we pray for the repose of the soul of Lorine Schmidt. May God welcome her home, fill her with peace & bless those who will miss her.

We would like to thank the family & friends of Lorine Schmidt for the many donations in memory of Lorine. Please pray for the repose of her soul.

We would like to thank the family & friends of Kathy Schrage for the many donations in memory of Kathy. Please pray for the repose of her soul.

Mass Intentions

Sat., July 13

5:30pm: Kathryn "Sis" Raymond
Marvin Venhaus
Raymond Husmann

Sun., July 14

11:00am: Living & Deceased of the
Ralph VonBokel Family
Francis & Avina Luitjohn
Raymond Husmann
Joan & Richard "Sluggger" Lampe

Mon., July 15

No Mass

Tues. July 16

8:00am: Leo & Lorine Schmidt
10:00am(N.H.):
Those Receiving Cancer Treatment
Adoration from 1-7pm

Wed. July 17

8:00am:
Those recovering from Hurricane Beryl

Thurs., July 18

8:00am:
Safety of Those Traveling to Guatemala

Fri., July 19

8:00am: Leo & Lorine Schmidt

Sat., July 20

5:30pm: Joe Voss
Gertrude Kruep

Sun., July 21

11:00am: Caroline Draper
Frances Klostermann

NOTICE TO ALL PICNIC STAND CHAIRS!

We are having the Picnic wrap-up meeting on Thursday, July 25th at 7:30pm in the TURF Banquet/Meeting room. Please plan to attend. Final numbers will be revealed and a good time had by all.

To all parishioners:

We have a wonderful opportunity. It is common knowledge that the St. Dominic electric sign on Route 50, just north of the ASA classrooms and gym, is too expensive to repair. A very generous parishioner has offered to match donations from parishioners (dollar for dollar), to replace this sign. Our Building & Maintenance committee has looked at vendors and pricing for a modern electronic sign. The cost is estimated to be \$30,000. An example of a similar sign can be found in front of the Knights of Columbus Hall. Please help us take advantage of this good-hearted offer by donating to replace the route 50 sign. **When you donate, please identify your donation as "NEW SIGN", or something similar, so that we can track all donations for this project. You can mail your donation, or drop off an envelope at the Rectory, or place an envelope labeled "New Sign" in the collection basket. Thank you!** St. Dominic Parish Council

MAY GOD BLESS HUMBLE DONORS!

Attention Mater Dei Class of 1971!

We are having a class reunion on Saturday, July 20th at the Breese Knights of Columbus Hall.

The events are as follows:

- **3pm:** Tour of Mater Dei
- **4pm:** Mass with St. Augustine Parish
- **5pm:** Reception at the Breese KC Hall
- **6pm:** Dinner
- **7-11pm:** Dance with music by the Jorell's

The Cost is \$35/Person and we will have a cash bar.

For information, contact Lois Garcia (loisgarcia53@gmail.com)



Society of St. Vincent De Paul Needs Your Help!

With the temperature rising & summer beginning, St. Vincent De Paul is in great need of bottled water for those they are assisting. We humbly ask for your prayers for SVDP and its clients, and if you are able, please donate water along with spring and summer clothes, which include: t-shirts, shorts, capris, athletic shorts. Along with these, there is always a need for socks and underwear.

There is a donation box in the breezeway between the Church & Rectory, and is accessible at all hours to drop off your items.

Thank you for helping St. Vincent De Paul

Do you have a spiritual calling for the Catholic Ministry and a commitment to live faith through charitable works? **Our partner Society of St. Vincent De Paul Belleville, Illinois Council is hiring an Assistant Executive Director.** This is the career opportunity of a lifetime! Send resume and cover letter to: svdphr@svdpsouthil.net. You may also view the job description on their website, <https://svdpsouthil.org/job-opportunity>.

This Week's Stewardship

Sunday Envelopes	\$5,011.00
Loose	\$298.00
Online	\$5,378.00
Peter's Pence	\$13.00
Needy	\$35.00
Tuition Assist	\$120.00
Misc. Blue	\$20.00
Building	\$1,015.00

Thank you for your generous donations.

Around the Area



Fair-Trade Market: St. Dominic's Parish is selling Fair-Trade products July 20th & 21st after the 5:30pm & 11:00am Masses. The booth will be set up inside of Fr. Jim's garage. **15% of ALL sales will be divided between our Sister Parish, Our Lady of the Holy Rosary in Guatemala, & House of Manna.** Some products available include: coffees, chocolates, Palestinian olive oil, cocoa, teas, Haitian banana paper greeting cards, and more.



Knights of Columbus 4th Degree Meeting will be held on Tuesday, July 16th at St. Mary Parish Center in Trenton, IL.

JOB OPPORTUNITY: St. Francis Parish in Aviston still has an opening for a full time (30 hours a week) Director of Religious Education (DRE). The job requires supervising the Parish School of Religion (PSR) along with other educational programs. It also includes some administrative work. If interested please email resume to parish@stfrancisav.org or call the parish office at 618-228-7219.

Mid-Life Singles: Are you looking for a renewed sense of purpose & belonging? Register today for a life-changing REFLECT weekend retreat at the Pallottine Renewal Center in Florissant, MO, July 19th-21st. Take a chance and get involved, you won't regret it. The cost is \$256 including meals. Visit www.ReflectRetreat.com, email reflect.stlouis@gmail.com or call (603)222-8303 for more details.

The Mater Dei Marching Knights will be hosting their 2nd Annual Mattress Fundraiser on Saturday, August 10th from 10am through 5pm in the Mater Dei High School Gymnasium. This is a one day mattress sale with over 25 different styles of names of mattresses on display. Items are made to order and financing and delivery are available. Every purchase benefits the Mater Dei Band Program. If you have any questions, please contact cfsstlouis@cfsbeds.com or call 314-305-0262 for more information. Thank you for your support.

Come out and enjoy the Breese American Legion 252-que on Saturday, July 20th! The opening ceremony starts at 10am with the first barbecue tasting at noon. Come and experience a day filled with delicious food, cold drinks, a kids' area with bounce houses, live music & community spirit.

The 2024 Catholic Service & Ministry Appeal *Serve the Lord with gladness.* *-Psalm*

Did you know **YOUR GIFT** to the 2024 Catholic Service & Ministry Appeal can be made online? Visit your Belleville Diocese's website at www.diobelle.org and click on "Giving". It's that simple! Every donation, large or small, is needed to continue our diocesan ministry to those in need. We are counting on **YOU**. Please visit www.diobelle.org today!

Youth Ministry

Cheryl 526-7594

Rhonda 248-840-1857

Diane 526-4395

Angie 618-604-3116

Erin 618-604-7640

Paris 618-910-4551

Next youth ministry meeting: August 4th at 12pm at St. Anthony Parish Center in Beckemeyer

Updates: For Youth Ministry, events will be posted on Groupme. Download the Groupme app and please contact Cheryl, Rhonda, Angie, Diane, Erin or Paris to be added to the Groupme.

Any adult wanting to assist with youth ministry, please contact Cheryl, Rhonda, Angie, Diane, Erin or Paris. Share your faith with the youth as they share theirs with you.

Service Project: Plans are being made for a service project/trip to Cairo, IL to help the needy. Watch groupme and the bulletin for details.

Softball: Youth Ministry will play softball on July 14th at Southside Park at 6:30pm. Pizza and Ski will be provided. All graduating 8th graders and seniors are encouraged to attend.

Youth Faith Formation

Summer vacation is already half over & Youth Faith Formation will be resuming soon. Please be sure to get your children registered for Youth Faith Formation as soon as possible so the correct amount of instructional materials can be ordered

Registration Forms can be picked up in the back of Church, the breezeway between the Church and the office and via request to the Parish office. You are now able to register your children online using the link on the Parish's website.

Church Picnics

St. Damian Church in Damiansville is having their Picnic on Saturday, July 13th. They will have a dine-in & carry-out chicken and sauerbraten dinner from 3:30-7pm. The quilt & cash bingo begins at 6:30pm. They will also have a country store, homemade ice cream, Mexican street corn, burgers & refreshments. There will also be fun for the kids including Bounce houses, laser tag & other games.

St. George Church in New Baden is having their Picnic on Saturday, August 10th. They will have a dine-in & carry-out chicken dinner from 3:00-7pm. Mass with music by the Prairie Travelers will begin at 4pm. The quilt & cash bingo begins at 6:30pm. During the picnic there will be other fun such as, raffles, a basket stand, kid's bounce houses, a jar ticket stand and Texas poker,

St. Charles Church in Dubois is having their Picnic on Saturday, July 27th. They will have a dine-in & carry-out pork chop dinner from 3-6:30pm. Polka Mass will begin at 4pm. The quilt & cash bingo begins a 7pm. During their picnic they have their dessert and basket raffle stand. They will also have a raffle for quilts, cash and more, with tickets available from St. Charles Parishioners and from local Dubois businesses.

St. Bruno Church in Pinckneyville is hosting their Parish Picnic on Saturday, July 20th. Their Dine-in or Carry-out Chicken Dinner begins at 3:30pm and will last until 7:30pm, or until they are sold out. Their bingo starts at 8pm in the Columbian Hall. There is additional fun as well, including a country store, kids games, poker stand, and escape room. They will have a shuttle service available as well. For more information visit their Facebook page, St. Bruno Parish Picnic.

Vocation Corner

The Apostles are sent out on mission today with only a walking stick, no food, no sack & no money. They are truly called to live their faith and evangelize. Can we let go of our fear and worries, and immerse ourselves in proclaiming living a life in the Lord? Do you feel an "emptiness" that you can't seem to explain or satisfy? Maybe it is the Lord asking you to be a priest, a sister or a brother. Make some time for silence and just sit and listen. The Lord may be talking in a whisper to you.

Discernment Night: Are you searching for what God's plan is for your life? Are you discerning your vocation and wondering what steps to take? The Diocese of Belleville is hosting a discernment night for high school students and single young adults to help answer your questions on Sunday, August 3rd at the Cathedral of St. Peter in Belleville. The night begins with a 4pm Mass with Bishop Michael McGovern, followed by dinner in the undercroft, a talk on discernment, and Eucharistic Adoration. For any questions, please email mskorch@diobelle.org. Scan the QR code to RSVP.



Join Fr. Thomas Lugge and other Catholic young adults for Bibles and Brews at Olde City Café and Bar in Breese, located at 292 N. Clinton St. on Thursday, July 25th. Join Fr. Thomas and enjoy drinks, delightful dishes, & faith conversations. The event will start at 6:30pm on the main patio.

PLEASE PRAY FOR MORE VOCATIONS!

Pro-Life Corner:



NFP Week

Part 1: What is NFP (Natural Family Planning)?

Natural Family Planning (NFP) is the general title for the scientific, natural, and moral methods of family planning that can help married couples either achieve or postpone pregnancy. NFP methods are based on the observation of the naturally occurring signs and symptoms of the fertile and infertile phases of the woman's menstrual cycle. No drugs, devices or surgical procedures are used to avoid pregnancy. Since methods of NFP respect the love-giving (unitive) and life-giving (procreative) nature of the conjugal act, they support God's design for married love.

The Clinton County Citizens for Life, in coordination with churches throughout the county, will host a one hour Pro-Life Prayer Service the second Thursday of each month in 2024. Please join us on Thursday, July 11th at St. George Catholic Church in New Baden from 7-8pm; praying our state and nation will get back on a moral and virtuous path and our culture will change to more fully appreciate and cherish our Lord's precious gift of life.

Join Coalition Life for their annual Circle Gala on Tuesday, July 23rd starting 6:30pm at the Greensfelder Recreation Complex located at 550 Weidman Rd., Ballwin, Missouri.

During this fantastic evening you will enjoy a delicious meal, hear behind-the-scenes stories & ministry results; all while getting to know some of the amazing men & women who stand up for life on the front lines. They are thrilled to welcome their keynote speaker, Kyle Mann. Kyle is the editor-in-chief of *The Babylon Bee*. Founded in 2016, *The Babylon Bee* is a news satire website that lampoons religion, politics, current events & public figures from a conservative, Christian viewpoint. Kyle will talk about dealing with censorship, wokeness in media and the importance of laughter & humor in dealing with difficult topics.

To register contact Joe Hodes, Coalition Life's Director of Stewardship at 314-827-4039.

St. Anne Cradle of Hope is in need of more clothing donations, specifically clothing for boys sizes 2T, 3T, & 4T. If anyone is interested in donating, drop off is at 20415 W Main St. suite b in Carbondale, IL. Their hours of drop-off are Monday and Wednesday from 10am until 2pm.

MINISTERS OF THE MASS FOR July 20th & 21st

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Sat. 5:30pm	Kent Robben Curt Weh Tim Richter Rich Eilermann Don Deiters Mark Hitpas	Emeri Pollmann Brie Winkeler (Volunteer)	Vernon Mohesky Mark Renschen Sarah Becker Marla Mensing Suann Fields Kay Schlarmann Kim Miller	Lector: Chris Streetman Organist/Cantor: Rich C. Gift Bearer: Laura Kruep
Sun. 11:00am	Alan Grapperhaus Cindy Grapperhaus Darlene Ciborowski Jeff Foppe Yvonne Foppe Laurie Klostermann	Chase Varel Levi Wagoner Xavier Buller	Beth Bedard Karen Lager Joan Meredith Diane Klostermann Deb Koetting Mary Hoffmann Mary Ellen Detmer Ava McSparin	Lector: Joan Meredith Organist/Cantor: Maribeth D. / Rita N. Gift Bearer: Susan Heuiser