



Pastor:
Fr. Jim Nall

Welcome to St. Dominic Church

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fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Times
July 7, 2024
First Reading: Ezekiel 2:2-5
Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 12:7-10
Gospel: Mark 6:1-6



Parish Organizations, Committees and Ministries

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

Weekday Masses:
8am: Monday, Tuesday,
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:
Tuesday at 5pm.

Office Hours:
Mon. – Fri. 9am-5pm

Office Staff:
Tom Kannall
Office Manager
John Hilmes
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.
526-7216

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 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
Trustees Suann Fields Steve Usselman	First Friday/Homebound Ministry Parish Office	Rosary Leaders Connie Robben
Adult Servers Mary Ellen Detmer	Finance Committee	RCIA Parish Office
Adoration Rich Carlton	Golden Egg Stacey Becker Adam Becker Katie Unverfehrt	Sacristans Helen Essenpreis Dot Baumann Bonnie Ritzheimer
Altar Sodality Maribeth Detmer-Pres. Staci Becker (Matt) V-P	Lectors Rod Kloeckner	Servers Parish Office
Building & Maintenance Dave Kruep Adam Becker	Liturgy & Stewardship Committee Mary Hoffmann Amy Koch Laurie Klostermann Joan Meredith Katie Unverfehrt	Spiritual Formation Laurie Klostermann Joan Meredith
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		Picnic Executives Jeff Niemeyer Adam Becker

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St. Dominic!**



UPCOMING EVENTS:

Sunday July 7th: Youth Ministry Carpool at the Annex to Emmaus Days at 2pm.

44th Weekly Raffle Winner \$100!: Janice Gebke

We would like to thank the family & friends of Dennis Richter for the many donations in memory of Dennis. Please pray for the repose of his soul.

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!

The final numbers for the picnic will be in next weeks bulletin!

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)



Mass Intentions

Sat., July 6

Rosary at 8:30am

Padre Pio Mass at 9am

5:30pm: Maurice Thien
Raymond Husmann

Sun., July 7

11:00am:

Those Suffering From Mental Illness

Mon., July 8

No Mass

Tues. July 9

8:00am: Kenneth Porter

10:00am(N.H.):

For the Care of life at All Stages

Adoration from 1-7pm

Wed. July 10

8:00am: Mary Schleper

Thurs., July 11

8:00am: Lorine Schmidt

Fri., July 12

8:00am:

Protection of First Responders and Law Enforcement

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 "Slugger" Lampe

This Week's Stewardship

Sunday Envelopes	\$4,635.00
Loose	\$409.00
Online	\$3,289.00
Adopted Parish	\$200.00
Peter's Pence	\$473.00
Seminarian	\$15.00
Children's Envelopes	\$1.00
Tuition Assist	\$30.00
Misc. Blue	\$100.00
Building	\$280.00

Thank you for your generous donations.



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>.

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.

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 a 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.

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.

Youth Ministry

Cheryl 526-7594

Diane 526-4395

Erin 618-604-7640

Rhonda 248-840-1857

Angie 618-604-3116

Paris 618-910-4551

Next youth ministry meeting: No meeting due to Emmaus Days, the next meeting is yet to be scheduled.

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.

Softball: The next softball game will be Sunday at Breese Southside Park and will begin at 6pm. You must have your signed permission slip.

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.

Eucharistic Revival: Plans are being made to attend the Eucharistic celebration at the Shrine on 7/7/24. We will meet at the Saint Dominic Church Annex at 2pm and carpool to the Shrine. Watch Groupme for details.

Youth Faith Formation

Let's get ready for another fun, faith-filled year of Youth Faith Formation. Please fill out next year's registration and turn it into the Parish office.

Registration Forms can be picked up via request to the Parish office, or by registering online using the link on the Parish website.

Vocation Corner

After His teaching at the Temple in today's Gospel, Jesus notes that "A prophet is not without honor except in his native place." This "rejection" is often what we have to truly face in the daily living of our vocation. Evangelizing is not always an "accepted" thing. Evangelizing is not always an "accepted" thing. But, nonetheless, we are all called to be proclaimers of the Gospel. Do you have that "empty spot" in your soul that might be filled by becoming a priest? Do you feel that "gnawing feeling" of being called to the religious life? Do not waver in the face of this "rejection"! Let the Lord lead you down the right path.

Emmaus Days are Sunday, July 7th & Monday, July 8th at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows. Hopefully, your family can spend some time with the Eucharist and be part of the procession.

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.

Emmaus Days:

Bishop Michael McGovern and the Diocese of Belleville invite you to Emmaus Days!

Come encounter Jesus, the Bread of Life, as the Diocese of Belleville celebrates the Eucharistic Revival/Pilgrimage July 7th & 8th, at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows.

Parking for Emmaus Days will be in the Hofbrauhaus parking lot with shuttles to take you. Sunday activities for all begin at 3pm. Mass on Monday morning begins at the Cathedral at 10am, followed by Adoration, which is then headed off by the biggest event, the Procession to Collinsville.

His excellency, The Most Reverend Edward K. Braxton, Bishop Emeritus of Belleville invites you to join him for a Mass of Thanksgiving on Sunday, July 14th at 5pm in the Cathedral of St. Peter commemorating the 54th anniversary of his Ordination to the Priesthood, the 29th anniversary of his Consecration to the Episcopacy & his 80th birthday. The intention of this Mass will be prayers for Vocations to the priesthood in our Diocese. You are invited to greet the Bishop & enjoy refreshments at a reception following Mass in the undercroft of the Cathedral.
RSVP by Wednesday, June 26th to Mary Fleming, Chief of Staff, mfleming@diobelle.org, 618-722-5031.

The 2024 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal
 Serve the Lord with Gladness

- Psalm 100

"Psalm 100 reminds us that we are called to serve the Lord and our service is not just done out of obligation but with a spirit of joy and gladness. With confidence in Jesus, I am turning to you asking for your support of this year's Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal. Sharing our resources together we can truly 'serve the Lord with gladness' throughout southern Illinois."

- Bishop Michael McGovern

Pro-Life Corner:



**Abortion Pill Series - Part 3:
 The Law & New Risk of the Abortion Pill**

Over the years, the FDA has bent the law and shown disregard for women's health when it comes to chemical abortion. Most recently, the FDA began allowing mifepristone to be prescribed through virtual doctor's visits, to be ordered online and to be available at neighborhood pharmacies. This lack of safety standards puts women and girls at risk, because they are less likely to go to a doctor's office and get an ultrasound, they may knowingly have an ectopic pregnancy or be farther along in their pregnancy than they realized. It is very dangerous to the woman to take abortion pills in either of these circumstances. In addition, allowing access to these pills through virtual appointments and online orders may be exploited by violent partners and human traffickers.

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 13th & 14th

	USHERS	ALTAR SERVERS	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	
Sat. 5:30pm	Leonard Bathon Dave Moss Doug Kuhl Rich Kruep Stewart Freeman Mike Garner	Will Miller Wesley Murray Ryan Kienlen Lincoln Niemeyer	Pat Voss Lynette Eilermann Mary Niemann Dot Baumann Linda Deiters Robin Fix Connie Robben Tim Moylan	Lector: Jeff Frerker Organist/Cantor: Greg S./ Leah L. Gift Bearer: Volunteer
Sun. 11:00am	Dan Kampwerth Bill Koetting Deb Koetting Karen Lager Dawson Detmer	Lane Hilmes Kaylan Hilmes Easton Pollmann	Leslie Klay Helen Essenpreis Frank Richter Brenda Hellige Karen Lager Sam Muscarello Maggie Timmermann Jane Jansen	Lector: Paul Klostermann Organist/Cantor: Rich C. Gift Bearer: Lisa Helmink