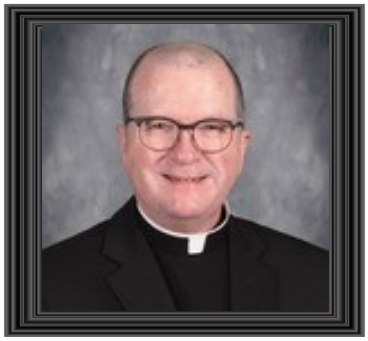

Pastor:
Fr. James Nall

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:
Wednesday at Noon

Office Hours:
Mon. – Fri. 9am-5pm

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Office Manager
John Hilmes
Office Secretary
526-7746

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Fourteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

July 6, 2025

First Reading: Isaiah 66:10-14c
Second Reading: Galatians 6:14-18
Gospel: Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

Parish Organizations, Committees and Ministries

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

Parish Council
Lynette Eilermann - Pres.
Dale Hempen - VP
Diane Kuhl - Sec.
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Chris Holthaus
Connie Robben
Helen Essenpreis
Tony Antonacci
Barb Koopmann

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Nancy Huelsmann

Adoration
Rich Carlton

Altar Sodality
Maribeth Detmer-Pres.
Staci Becker (Matt) VP

Men's Sodality
John Becker

Building & Maintenance
John Becker
Adam Becker

Choirs, Cantors, Musicians
Leah Loddeke

Church Decorating
Kathy Heinzmann
Sue Darr
Lauren Melton

Extraordinary Ministers
Parish Office

First Friday/Homebound Ministry
Parish Office

Finance Committee
Chris Holthaus

Golden Egg
Stacey Becker
Adam Becker
Katie Unverfehrt

Lectors
Rod Kloeckner

Liturgy & Stewardship Committee
Mary Hoffman
Laurie Klostermann
Diane Kuhl
Carol Garner
Helen Essenpreis

Media Committee
Katie Unverfehrt

Community & Welcoming Committee
Dot Bauman
Diane Grapperhaus
Katie Unverfehrt
Lynette Eilermann

Prayer Ministry
Parish Office

Rosary Leaders
Connie Robben

Sacristans
Helen Essenpreis
Dot Baumann
Amy Koch

Servers
Parish Office

Spiritual Formation
Diane Klostermann
Laurie Klostermann
Connie Robben
Helen Essenpreis

Ushers
Rich Eilermann

Youth Faith Formation
Dan Robben

Youth Ministry
Erin Ethridge
Rhonda Pulver
Paris Stulir

Picnic Executives
Jeff Niemeyer
Adam Becker
Katie Unverfehrt

Schedule for July 6th - July 12th

Sunday - 6	Monday - 7	Tuesday - 8	Wednesday - 9	Thursday - 10	Friday - 11	Saturday - 12
11am - Mass	**No Mass**	**8am - Mass** **1-7pm -** Adoration	**8am - Mass** **Please register your child for the 2025-2026 YFF school year.**	**8am - Mass**	**8am - Mass**	**5:30pm - Mass**

Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 5th
8:30am: Rosary
9:00am: Padre Pio Mass
5:30pm: Joe Voss

Sunday, July 6th
11:00am: Aurora Caterio

Monday, July 7th
No Mass

Tuesday, July 8th
8:00am: Dorothy Zinn
Adoration from 1-7pm

Wednesday, July 9th
8:00am: Jane & Wilbert Jansen

Thursday, July 10th
8:00am: Living & Deceased of the Humphrey & Woltering Families

Friday, July 11th
8:00am: Mary Lou Bowman
Susan Limer

Saturday, July 12th
5:30pm: Leo & Lorine Schmidt
Marvin Venhaus

Sunday, July 13th
11:00am: Living & Deceased of the Art & Regina Klostermann Family
Kathryn "Sis" Raymond
12:00pm: Baptism of Pillie Bergmann
Baptism of Kade Timmermann

Weekend Mass Attendance

227 Disciples at Saturday Night Mass
+
174 Disciples at Sunday Morning Mass
401 Total Disciples this Weekend!

44th Weekly Raffle Winner of $100!:

James B. Niemann, Congratulations!

This Week's Stewardship

Regular Sunday Envelopes	**$4,613.00**
Loose	**$324.00**
Online	**$2,979.00**
Sunday Contributions	**$7,916.00**
Adopted Parish	**$65.00**
Peter's Pence	**$656.00**
Children's Envelope	**$1.00**
Needy	**$30.00**
Tuition Assistance	**$93.00**
Building	**$610.00**

Thank you for your generous donations!

Tuition Assistance Forms: There are ASA & Mater Dei tuition assistance forms for St. Dominic parishioners located in the back of Church & in the breezeway. They are due back to the Parish Office by Monday, August 11th.

We have had a few Parishioners report in to the office of someone claiming to be Fr. Jim asking for credit card information, or to purchase gift cards for him. We would like everyone to remember that Fr. Jim will NEVER contact you to try to obtain any form of money.

Congratulations! To newlyweds Susie & Corben Zanger. May God guide them and lead their lives in happiness & Holiness, through good times and badn sickness and health, for as long as they both shall live.

Thank you for the donations made in memory of Jane Jansen and Pat Hitpas.

!NOTICE!

CHURCH WILL BE CLOSED FOR WAXING THE FLOORS FROM July 21ST-25TH.

The Editor from the Messenger has informed us that in recent weeks, subscribers to The Messenger have made us aware of a delivery problem that is resulting in papers arriving late to their mailboxes. We apologize for the service issue and are investigating the cause of it with post offices throughout the Diocese of Belleville. Please be patient during this time as we search for a solution. Thank you!

If you have had a change of address, phone number or email address, please contact the Parish Office. We want to have the most up-to-date information we can for our parishioners.

If you would like to schedule a Baptism for your child, please contact the Parish Office around a month to a month-and-a-half ahead of time to make sure there are no scheduling issues.

The next Baptismal preparation class is Tuesday, August 12th at 7pm located at St. Augustine Catholic Church in Breese. Please call the Parish Office and Register by Friday, August 8th to sign up for this class.

The Picnic Wrap Up Meeting is Thursday, July 24th at 7pm. The meeting will be at the Breese Knights of Columbus Hall. It is suggested that all stand leaders attend a wrap-up meeting to evaluate this year's picnic and discuss any feedback or suggestions for improvement.

The following people won their respective raffles at the 2025 St. Dominic Parish Picnic.

$5,000 Cash Raffle Winner - Linus & Leann Wilke
$1,500 Cash Raffle Winner - Janice Gebke
$500 Cash Raffle Winner - Joe & Barb Richter
Quilt Raffle Winner - Nancy Huelsmann

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AROUND THE AREA

St. Damian's Parish Picnic is Saturday, July 12th. The chicken and sauerbraten dinner is from 3:30-7pm. Quilt & cash Bingo begins at 6:30pm. They will also have a country store, cash raffle, homemade ice cream, hamburgers, Mexican corn; along with, bounce houses and games for children.

St. Anthony Ladies Sodality will be holding a Bunco and Dessert Party on Monday, July 21 at 1:00 pm in the Parish Center. St. Anthony's Parish Center is located at 670 Maddux Street in Beckemeyer. Cost is $5 per person. Be sure to join in the fun! This event is open to everyone from all area parishes.

St. Charles Church in DuBois is hosting their Annual Summer Social on Saturday, July 26th. They Serving a 4-piece chicken dinner from 3-7pm. Which includes the chicken, potato salad, green beans, slaw, applesauce, dessert & beverage. Carryouts are available as well. Their quilt and cash Bingo will be inside and air conditioned, it begins at 7pm. They also have raffles for quilts, cash and many other great prizes. There will be Polka Mass starting at 4pm, at St. Charles Church.

St. Anthony in Lively Grove is having their Church Picnic on Saturday, August 2nd. Polka Mass with Mike Wisnecki of Polka Connections begins at 4pm. Their Chicken dinner goes from 4-8pm, rain or shine. The quilt and cash Bingo starts at 6:30pm. There will also be concessions, novelties & prizes.

St. Francis' Parish Picnic is Saturday, August 2nd. Dinner begins at 3:30pm and lasting until 6:30pm. Quilt Bingo begins at 6:30pm, with every game being for a quilt. There will be raffles, baskets, refreshments, & fantastic finds. Ethan Carl will be performing from 8pm until midnight. Come enjoy some family fun before summer ends.

St. Augustine Parish in Hecker, Illinois is having their Annual Kirchenfest on Saturday, August 16th. They will be serving old-fashioned fried chicken and pork sausage dinners from 3-7pm. Their Quilt Bingo will start at 6:30pm. They will also have a kid's corner, cake stand, silent auctions, basket stand, country store, sandwich stand. Most stands will be opening following the 3pm Mass.

The Columbus Corner

Breese Knights of Columbus Council #2869 meeting starts at 7:30pm on July 10th.

Knights of Columbus 4th Degree Meeting will be held on Tuesday, July 15th at St. Mary's Parish Center in Trenton at 7:30pm.

If you are interested in joining or would like more information on the Knights of Columbus, please contact Neil Hustedde at grandknight@breeseknights.org.

Youth Faith Formation (YFF)

IT IS TIME TO REGISTER FOR YFF AGAIN!

Youth Faith Formation (YFF) registration forms are available at the Parish Office, and also in the back of Church.

Youth Faith Formation is looking for two amazing volunteers to step up and be Catechists for all of our wonderful students seeking religious instruction for the 2025-2026 school year. The grades we are seeking volunteers for are the 4th & 5th grade classes. If you or someone you know may be interested, please contact Dan Robben at (618)604-3792 or email the Parish Office.

Pro-Life Corner:

"O God our Creator… we ask you to bless us in our vigilance for the gift of religious liberty. Give us the strength of mind and heart to readily defend our freedoms when they are threatened; give us courage in making our voices heard on behalf of the rights of your Church and the freedom of conscience of all people of faith."

USCCB, "Prayer for the Protection of Religious Liberty"

Vocations Corners

"When I was 15, my father died suddenly; it's a low point in my life, but also a turning point. My mom, who had converted to Catholicism several years earlier, encouraged me to speak to our parish priest. I quickly saw a transformation within myself and began bto think, "If God is helping me through this Catholic priest, there must be something to this Catholic Church." After my confirmation, the Lord said to me in prayer, "Anthony, you see what I've done for you through the priesthood; now go and do likewise." I was ordained in June 2018, and I wake up every morning thanking God for allowing me to be his servant.

Fr. Anthony Stewart; Diocese of Nashville;
Columbia Magazine Feb. 2021

Discernment is the process of prayerfully discovering what God's will for our lives. It is an essential part of coming to know our vocation.

Do you have questions about vocational discernment? Check out our resources or contact our vocations director Fr. Joel Seipp at (618)687-2012 or pastor@sasmboro.org

Explore Graduate Theology at Saint Meinrad
Discover how our Master of Arts and certificate programs in theology can deepen your understanding of the faith and support your call to ministry or discipleship. Visit saintmeinrad.edu/openhouse.

The 2025 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal

Hope in the Lord

A donation to the Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal assists people throughout southern Illinois through the work of 17 diocesan ministries and programs. Your donation can be a one-time gift or a pledge and be made in cash, by check, credit card (MasterCard or VISA) or stocks and securities. If you haven't yet done so, please consider making your gift today!

Our goal set by The Diocese is $31,966.00.
We current amount pledged is $20,614.00.

Thank you for your generosity.

Youth Ministry

Erin Etheridge 618-604-7640
Paris Stulir 618-910-4551
Rhonda Pulver 248-840-1857

Please check GroupMe for updates and the schedule of upcoming Youth Ministry Meetings & Events.

The next Life Teen meeting is Sunday, July 20th at 6pm, at The Upper Room at St. Augustine.

Fair-Trade Market: The next Fair-trade market is scheduled for July 19th & 20th, after the 5:30pm & 11:00am Masses. 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.

Grow closer to God! Pick up a copy of the devotional publication ***The Word Among Us*** and spend 5 to 10 minutes each day reflecting on the word of God in your life. Copies are located the back of Church.

The Word Among Us features uplifting and thought-provoking meditation based on the daily Mass readings.

The July & August's issue is *Jesus, the First and the Last.*

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Schedule of Upcoming 2025-2026 Healing Masses

St. Charles/St. Michael/St. Barbara (Scheller) - 7/15/25

St. Felicitas/St. Rose/St. Francis - 9/16/25

St. Teresa (Marydale)/St. Mary (Carlyle) - 11/18/25

St. Mary (Mt. Vernon), St. Mary (Centralia), St. Lawrence - 1/20/26

St. Anthony (Lively Grove)/St. Barbara (Okawville) - 3/17/26

St. Anthony (Beckemeyer)/St. Dominic/St. Augustine - 5/19/26

St. Cecilia/St. Boniface - 7/21/26

St. Elizabeth/St. Teresa (Salem) - 9/15/26

Job Opportunity

Mater Dei Catholic High School is hiring!

Mater Dei is currently seeking qualified and enthusiastic candidates to fill teaching positions for 3 courses, all of which are offered one period a day.

- **Drafting (Introductory Level)**
- **Introduction to engineering (introductory/exploratory level)**
- **Woodshop**

For all three courses, both the time of & the content of the course is flexible.

Qualifications include an Associate's or Bachelor's Degree in related field or applicable experience.

For additional information, contact Principal Dennis Litteken at dlitteken@materdeiknights.org or 618-526-7216.

Spiritual Formation

Looking for a way to serve and make a difference? Join one of our church ministries and use your gifts to bless others and grow in faith. Whether it is distributing the Body & Blood of Christ to your fellow disciples, your children assisting Fr. Jim as Altar Servers or spreading the Word of God as a Lector, there's a place for everyone to contribute in a ministry !

**If you would like to schedule a Mass intention, please contact the Parish Office to reserve a date.
Mass intentions are $10 per intention.**

"Arctic Wings and a Shrine," a multi-room exhibit focusing on the ministries of the Oblates of Mary Immaculate, especially in the Arctic regions of Canada. The devotion to Our Lady of the Snows was brought to Belleville in the late 1930s by former Arctic missionary, Fr. Paul Schulte, O.M.I

The exhibit will begin near the main entrance to the Shrine's Visitors' Center with a focus on the Oblate founder, St. Eugene De Mazenod. There will be videos of the Saint's life, and enlarged copies of some of his letters written his early missionary trips to the Artic.

The path will then lead past pictures of what visitors can expect in the exhibit, to the exhibit itself. The visitors will be able to learn more about the difficult Arctic missions both past & present, as well as about The Shrine & its origins, from a small image painted by the friend of a German missionary, Fr. Paul Schulte, O.M.I. to the now realized vision and dream of the Shrine's founder, Fr. Edwin J. Guild, O.M.I.

MINISTERS OF THE MASS FOR JULY 12th & 13th

	USHERS	ALTAR SERVERS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	
Sat. 5:30pm	Leonard Bathon Dave Moss Stewart Freeman Mike Garner Brian Albers Curt Weh	Aliyah Melton Emeri Pollmann Carson Loddeke	Pat Voss Mike Nettemeier Donna Nettemeier Susie Hempen Maggie Timmermann Dennis Litteken Kate Rivera-Kunz Mary Berndsen	**Lector:** Jeff Frerker **Organist/Cantor:** Maribeth/Amy K. **Gift Bearers:** Nancy Schomaker
Sun. 11:00am	Dan Kampwerth Bill Koetting Deb Koetting Karen Lager Dawson Detmer Dave Toennies	Lucah Lyons Camryn Wheeler Lydia Helmkamp	Leslie Klay Diane Klostermann Diane Grapperhaus Mary Ellen Detmer Frank Richter Tony Antonacci Deb Antonacci Jan Deiters	**Lector:** Deb Antonacci **Organist/Cantor:** Leah/Choir **Gift Bearers:** Jane Jansen