St. Dominic Holy Week Schedule
April 2 – 8, 2023

Palm Sunday
Saturday, April 1, 2023
Mass: 5:00pm
Sunday, April 2, 2023
Masses: 8:00am and 10:30am

Holy Thursday, April 6, 2023
Holy Thursday Celebration: 7:00pm

Good Friday, April 7, 2023
Stations of the Cross: 12:00pm (noon)
Good Friday Service: 6:00pm

Holy Saturday, April 8, 2023
Easter Vigil: 8:00pm

Easter Sunday, April 9, 2023
Masses: 8:00am and 10:30am
WELCOME TO ST. DOMINIC CATHOLIC CHURCH.
We are so happy to have you here with us. Please, if you are new to the parish, fill out a registration form on our website, or you can pick one up in the office, or ask an usher after Mass. Be sure to ask about all the ministries we have here. There is something for everyone. If you are just visiting thank you for coming and we hope you will come back and see us soon.

**St. Dominic Lenten Schedule**

**Stations of the Cross:**
Friday at 6:00pm with soup supper following on the following date: March 31st.
April 7th: Good Friday Stations are at 12:00pm (noon) - no soups.

**Perpetual Adoration**
Chapel of the Most Precious Blood
"Heaven for me is hidden in the little Host where Jesus, my Spouse, is veiled for love. I go to that Divine Furnace to draw out life, and there my Sweet Savior listens to me night and day." - St. Therese of Lisieux

**WEEKEND MASSES**
Saturday—5:00 PM
Sunday: 8:00 AM and 10:00 AM

**WEEKDAY MASSES**
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 8:00 AM

**RECONCILIATION**
Saturday: 3:00—4:30 PM

**LIVE STREAMING MASS**
SUNDAY—10:00 AM

WEBSITE: [http://www.StDominicOnline.org](http://www.StDominicOnline.org)
facebook.com/
OUR MISSION STATEMENT
We, the people of God, members of St. Dominic Parish guided by the teachings of the Holy Roman Catholic Church reaffirm our commitment to be a truly Eucharistic Community; nurtured by the Word of God and the Body and Blood of Christ.
United in Christ, we are dedicated to ministering to one another and to all God’s children through public worship, personal prayer, stewardship, education formation and youth and social ministries.

SUNDAY, MARCH 26—FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

8:00 am  The People of St. Dominic
10:00 am RCIA Candidates

MONDAY, MARCH 27

TUESDAY, MARCH 28

8:00 am  Mary Kuntz rb Vicki Chiment

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29

8:00 am  Orphaned Souls rb Tommy Hoang

THURSDAY, MARCH 30

8:00 am  +Ingeburg Miller rb Aaron Miller

FRIDAY, MARCH 31

8:00 am  +William Biondini and +Fr. Carmody rb Carolyn Carthcart

SATURDAY, APRIL 1

5:00pm  +Sheri Miller rb Aaron Miller

SUNDAY, APRIL 2 — PALM SUNDAY

8:00 am  + Angelica Leon Lopez
10:30 am  The People of St. Dominic

Readings for the week of March 26, 2023

Sunday: Ez 37:12-14/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (7)/Rom 8:8-11/Jn 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45


Tuesday: Gn 17:3-9/Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 8:51-59

Wednesday: Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56/Jn 8:31-42

Thursday: Gn 17:3-9/Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 8:51-59

Friday: Jer 20:10-13/Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7/Jn 10:31-42

Saturday: Ez 37:21-28/Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13/Jn 11:45-56


Mt 26:14—27:66 or 27:11-54

Psalm:

With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption. (Ps 130)
WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, March 27
6:30pm, Triduum Liturgy Meeting, Luke A

Tuesday, March 28
6:00pm, RCIA Session 20 (Family Room)
6:30pm, Small Group, Luke C

Wednesday, March 29
No events

Thursday, March 30
No events

Friday, March 31
6:00pm, Stations of the Cross & KOC Fish Fry, Nave and Narthex

Saturday, April 1
8:00am, Men’s Spiritual Study Group, Family Room
8:00am, Lent Retreat, Narthex
12:00pm, Catholic Daughters of America Meeting, Narthex with Kitchen

Sunday, April 2
11:30pm, PEP, Narthex and Kitchen
1:00pm, Altar Server Presentation, Nave
RE Classes (Narthex, Family Room, Trailers)

If you or someone you know in our community needs an Easter Dinner Basket, please contact Ana K. Martinez by email at amartinez@stdominiconline.org or call the Parish Office at 392-7653.

The deadline for basket requests is March 23rd, 2023, and the basket distribution date will be March 30th, 2023, 9:00am—12:00pm (noon)

We need the following food items for these Easter Dinner Baskets:

Biscuit Mix, Brown Sugar, Dinner Rolls, Canned Peas and Carrots, Ham, Eggs, Easter Candies, Easter Egg Coloring Kits, Jell-O or Pudding, Mashed Potatoes

Any perishable items must be dropped off at the Parish Office during office hours. Donations are due Tuesday, March 28, 2023. Thank you and God Bless.

Catholic Daughters are having a Pre-Easter Bake Sale March 25—26th after all Masses. Bring your Appetites and Donations.

The Knights of Columbus are hosting a Fish Fry after Stations of the Cross on Friday, March 31st. Enjoy great food & fellowship.

A big THANK YOU to the following ministries for supporting the Soup Supper on Friday, March 17th. There were a variety of soups, breads, crackers, & sweet treats that were shared along with parishioner fellowship. St. Dominic’s is truly blessed. Participating Ministries: Prayer & Rosary Groups, Choir and smaller ministries.
Do you know how the Heart of Christ loves?

When you want to know a person, you usually ask about that person’s most important characteristics. You ask: What is he like? What does he do? Is he a good person? And, knowing their main features gives you an initial idea of the person.

Ask yourself and search the gospels, what is Jesus Christ like? How does Christ love? How does He forgive? How much did he suffer for me? How did he talk? How did he smile? How did he correct people? How did he heal and comfort people? How does he love me?

To love Christ you must know him. We don’t love him enough because we don’t know him. Christ invites us to know his heart, in these days of Lent and especially on Holy Days, let us see how Christ loves, suffers, and dies for us.

It is time to see God, it is time to know his love, it is time to get down on our knees and to adore the only savior and redeemer.

Lazarus, Martha, and Mary knew Jesus. They believed and shared beautiful moments with Jesus.

Jesus went to his friends' house to enjoy his friendship, to rest, to share... Friendship is a gift from God, who is capable of creating very close ties that help us in life and sustain us in adversity. They knew Jesus, that’s why they believed in him, they trusted him and above all they loved him.

It is time to know, to believe, to trust and love Christ, that great friend who wants to share everything with us. Friends, believers, helpfulness...three gifts to receive and three important tasks in which we must grow in our relationship with the Lord.

With words from this Sunday's gospel: “The teacher is here and is asking for you.” (John 11,28)

Fray Ricardo Rosales
On March 9, 2023, pro-abortion lawmakers in the Colorado General Assembly introduced a three-bill abortion legislation package, deceivingly named the “Safe Access to Protected Health Care.” Even though the 2022 Reproductive Health Equity Act (RHEA) already made Colorado one of the most extreme pro-abortion states in the country, pro-abortion lawmakers are still pushing for more abortion access. The package is even referred to as “RHEA 2.0.”

Here’s what these damaging bills do:

**SB23-190 Prohibiting Deceptive Practices at Anti-Abortion Centers**
Eliminate a woman’s choice to sustain her pregnancy and save her child’s life through Abortion Pill Reversal (APR) by banning the treatment; Restrict and censor the good work Pregnancy Resource Centers do for our community.

**SB23-189 Increasing Access to Reproductive Health Care Services**
• Circumvent Colorado’s constitutional prohibition against public funding of abortion; Increase access to contraception and abortion referrals to minors under 19 years of age.

**SB23-188 Protecting Health Care Patients, Providers, and Assistors**
• Violate First Amendment rights of medical professionals and medical centers/hospitals that do not provide abortion-related services or “gender-affirming care;”
Violate First Amendment rights of employers who do not provide abortion-related services or “gender-affirming care” in their insurance plan.

Here’s what you can do to advocate against “RHEA 2.0”:

- **Write to your representative here:** https://cocatholic.org/take-action/action-alerts/
- **Sign-up for Colorado Catholic Conference alerts** here (including hearing dates/times): https://cocatholic.org/take-action/colorado-catholic-advocacy-network/
- **Testify against these bills.** We need your voice! If you would like to testify and need assistance, please sign-up here: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/cocatholic
- **Call and email bill Prime Sponsors**, whose emails and phone numbers can be found here: https://cocatholic.org/take-action/action-alerts/
- **COME RALLY FOR LIFE on April 4, 2023**, the one-year anniversary of RHEA
Colorado Capitol West Steps from 10:00am – 12:00pm
Hosted by Pro-Life Colorado coalition
We will announce the inaugural Colorado March for Life in partnership with National March for Life

**WATCH:** Pro-Life Colorado’s video of a Colorado mother sharing her story of using the Abortion Pill Reversal process, while a Denver-based Bella Health and Wellness OB-GYN explains the safety, efficacy, and common practice of the treatment for women who choose to preserve the life of their pre-born child after taking chemical induced abortion pill(s). Here: https://rumble.com/v2cbyjc-abortion-pill-reversal.html

The united voice of the Catholic Bishops of Colorado, serving the Archdiocese of Denver and the Dioceses of Pueblo and Colorado Springs.
St. Dominic
is hosting an Easter Luncheon Potluck on Easter Sunday, April 9th, starting at 1:00 pm. All are invited! Potluck items are welcome, but not required. Please RSVP to Deacon JR McMinn at jmcminn@stdominiconline.org or call the office at 719-392-7653 to reserve a spot and let us know what food item you will bring.
COME AND ENJOY AN EASTER CELEBRATION WITH US!

Please pray for—
Toni McDonald, Kassie Linn, the Linn Boys, Carsten Huffstetter, Gary Adams, Maxson Hollister, Danny Bustamento, Malinda Valcik, Doloris Cain, Steve Sawyer, Ralph Lucero, Maria Olemeda, and Eileen Taylor.

For the Repose of the Soul:
Joseph Klimczak, John Ornelas & Josh Chernecky.

St. Dominic Food Pantry
Tuesday & Thursday
Hours: 9AM—Noon
Any perishable items must be brought to the

Food Donations & Personal Items needed:

Personal Items
Deodorant, (Men’s & Women’s), Toilet Paper, Toothbrush, Shampoo & Conditioner.

Thank you for your donations & God Bless.

March Wedding Anniversaries

March 6, 1965—Pat & Brigitte Shonka—58 yrs
March 1, 1966—Robert & Laura Perry—57 yrs
March 19, 1983—Jim & Nancy Moore—40 yrs

To list your wedding anniversary
Contact the Parish Office 719-392-7653 or email mcorser@stdominiconline.org