

January 3, 2010 – The Epiphany of the Lord

# SAINT DOMINIC CHURCH

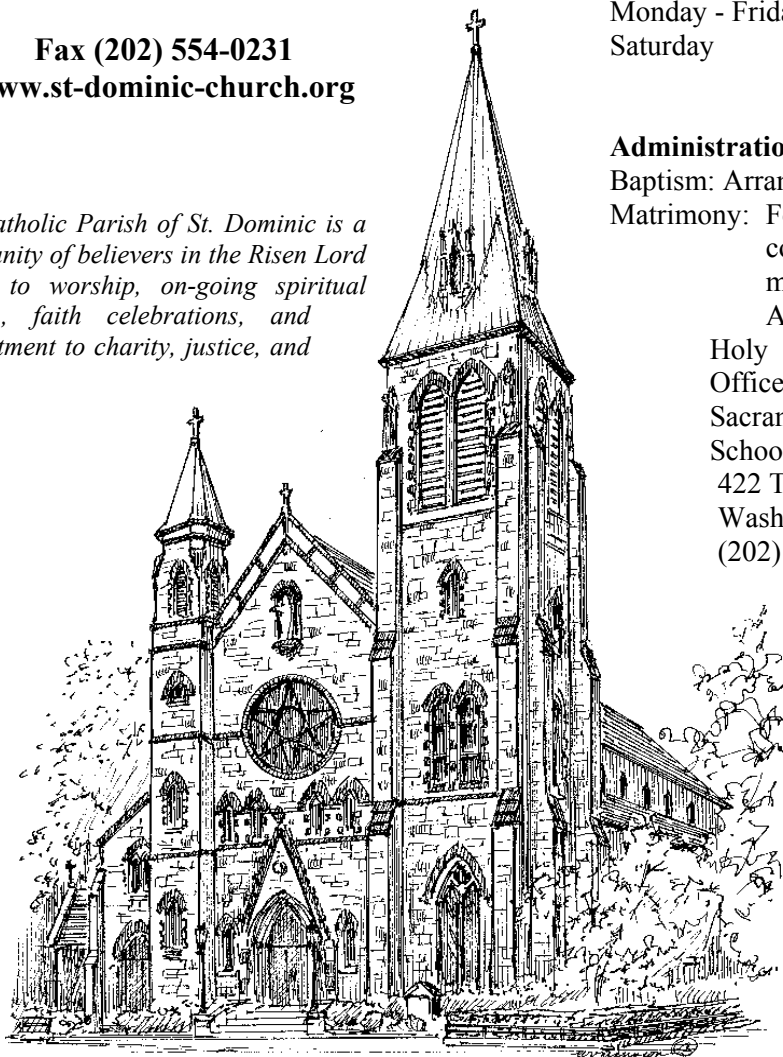
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*The Catholic Parish of St. Dominic is a community of believers in the Risen Lord called to worship, on-going spiritual growth, faith celebrations, and commitment to charity, justice, and peace.*



## Parish Staff

Pastor: Father Gregory R. Salomone, op  
Business / Facilities Manager: Ed Von Hagel  
Secretary / Administrative Assistant: Denise Marshall  
Worship Coordinator: J.C. Cantrell  
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Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Mon-Fri  
8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m., Sat., Sun. & Holidays

## Celebration of the Sacrament of the Eucharist

Saturday: 12:10 p.m., 5:15 p.m. (Vigil of Sunday)  
Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 10:45 a.m., 12:15 p.m. (Spanish),  
and 5:15 p.m.  
Weekdays: 8:00 a.m. and 12:10 p.m. in the Church  
(There are no services in the Church on a  
Federal holiday)  
Holydays: Please see inside bulletin.

## Celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation

Monday - Friday 11:55 a.m.  
Saturday 4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Upon request at the Priory

## Administration of the Sacraments

Baptism: Arranged in advance.  
Matrimony: For registered and active parishioners please  
contact the Parish Office. A minimum of six  
months preparation is required by the  
Archdiocese.  
Holy Eucharist at Home: Contact the Parish  
Office.  
Sacrament of the Sick: Contact the Parish Office.  
School: St. Peter's Interparish School  
422 Third Street, SE  
Washington, DC 20003  
(202) 544-1618

## Bulletin Deadline

Monday noon, in writing, to  
the Parish Secretary, with  
your name and telephone  
number on the copy. When  
Monday is a holiday, deadline  
is the preceding Friday.



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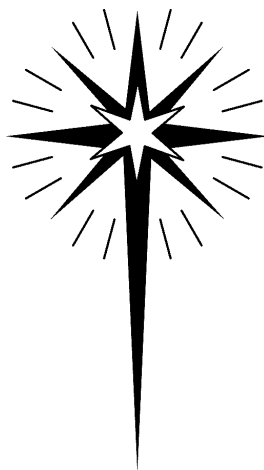
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**Pastor's Corner**

With the beginning of the new year and the celebration of the Epiphany, the Manifestation of the Lord, we enter into a new rhythm in the liturgy as we begin to hear in the Gospel the public life of Jesus. As men and women of faith, we are the Body of Christ that is present in and to the world and our actions reveal the power of God shining through us.

As we celebrate the Epiphany with the proclamation of the date of Easter and the manifestation of God in the world in a new way, we might ask the Lord to help us to become more conscious of how our daily lives, through our words and actions, can reveal God to those we encounter and be more aware during the course of our day of the Lord Whom we always proclaim.

Shortly after January 20, the parish will send out letters of your annual contributions in 2009 for you to use with your income taxes. The letters will be sent automatically to all registered parishioners whose contributions are \$251 or more and to those who have contributed by check and whose total is \$251 or more. If you are a registered parishioner or a parishioner who has contributed by check and your total annual contribution in 2009 is \$250 or less, the letter will not be sent automatically. If you wish to receive a confirmation of your annual contribution, please contact the parish office. If you have contributed by cash and are not a registered parishioner using envelopes, we will not be able to vouch for your annual contribution and you will not receive a letter. For those of you who have been using Faith Direct electronic contribution, your letter will be sent to you from Faith Direct and you will NOT receive a letter from the parish.



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**Worship  
J.C. Cantrell, Chair**

**Out of solemn respect for the liturgy and courtesy for everyone, please silence/turn off all electronic devices and cell phones when you arrive in the church. In keeping with tradition, gentlemen are asked to please remove their hats while in the church.**

Our community's song is most often best expressed during the singing of the Mass Propers. Please open your Breaking Bread Book and sing:

	<u>Organ Masses</u>	<u>Ensemble</u>
<b>Gloria</b>	#927	#899
<b>Holy</b>	#876	#904
<b>Memorial Acc A</b>	#877	#905
<b>Amen</b>	#878	#909
<b>Lamb of God</b>	#879	#910

**Regarding today's Liturgy: Epiphany Sunday...**

Today's feast of the Epiphany (La Fiesta de Reyes—Three Kings' Day in the Hispanic culture) celebrates more than the visit of the Magi; it is the manifestation of God to all. All peoples are considered among God's chosen. It has been linked with Christmas for many centuries for a variety of logical reasons. Besides the three kings, the feast has been a celebration connected with the baptism of Jesus and Cana, too. The Russian and Serbian-Orthodox churches call it the Theophany and celebrate it on January 19. Therein lies some insight into how everything is connected. A "theophany" is the appearance of God in a visible form to a human being. The three kings met God at the manger. The miracle of Cana, where water was turned into wine, was another example of divine intervention. But the example *par excellence* for many was the baptism of the Lord when the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit appear to those gathered.

The relationship of these feasts in our liturgical calendar offers us an even greater opportunity to dwell on the mystery of Incarnation and the manifestation of Jesus as the light for all nations. © 2007, OCP. All rights reserved.

**Our parish needs additional volunteers to serve as Ushers, Acolytes, Lectors, and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion** (known collectively as Lay Ministers of the Mass).

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**Please contact JC Cantrell to volunteer as a parish Usher, Acolyte, Lector, or Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion** (JC Cantrell, 703-569-4231 or via email: [music@stdominic-church.org](mailto:music@stdominic-church.org))

**Worship Commission meets Monday, January 11**

Please come prepared to discuss the Christmas liturgies and to assist with planning for Lent. Meeting starts at 7:00 p.m. in the parish conference room.



**Parishioners/Family Requesting Prayers.** If you have friends or family members whose names should be added to the list, please call the parish office at 202-554-7863 or send an email to: [receptionist@st-dominic-church.org](mailto:receptionist@st-dominic-church.org).



Pray for ... Preston Adams, Bob Bark, Rita Barksdale, Bogomila Mireva, Iveta Bojinov, Pavel Bojinov, Daniel Brochier, Janie Brooks, Rudy Cirell, Joan Cody, Dan Collins, Leslie Cooper, Jose Cordova, Genevieve Cromer, Thomas Cromer Jr., Mark Russell Davis, Maxine Davis, Edward C. Dever, James Early, Juanita Eaton, Marie Helena Ferrira, Richard J Fanning, Irene Fields, Lorraine Fleming, Elizabeth Fuller, Ely Frias, Bette Glickert, Peggy Gooding, Pete Grelish, Joanne Grobe, Vivian Hardrick, Jean Hazou, Mary Hewitt, Larry Hunt, Billie James, Thomas Jackson, Marilyn Jarvis, Margaret Kelly, Kathleen Lake, Presley Lawrence, John Leino, Stacy Lombard, Emily Mandell, Jackie Manotas, Richard Medcalfe, Jody Mosesso, Daniel Metzlar, Jerry Mulvihill, Christine Nguyen, Ann Nguyen, Scottie O'Neal, Maryann Peterczak, Ana Petkova, Maia Petkova and son Paul, Theresa Puzzupo, Bernice Scott, Deloris Saltis, Patrocinio Sandoval, Clementina Sandoval, John Soos, Scott Spacie, Colleen Stanford, Mitchell K. Teasley, Agnes Timcheck, Carol Marie Tucker, Arturo Velena, Matthias B. Vogel, Mary Davis Williams, Hattie Wilson, Cheryl Yates, Loli Zimbrano, and the sick of the Parish and Priory.

**Pray for Our Military ...**

- LT Johnathan Willis, USN, grandson of June Jaeger
- 2d Lt James Cantrell IV, USAF, son of JC & Mary Lou Cantrell

**Weekly Mass Intentions**

**Sun. Jan. 3 – THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD (S)**  
 8:00 a.m. Shrine  
 10:45 a.m. Confraternities of St. Dominic  
 12:15 p.m. For the People of the Parish  
 5:15 p.m. Ernest & Alice Oliver (d)

**Mon. Jan. 4 - St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, religious (M)**  
 8:00 a.m. Intention of Donor  
 12:10 p.m. Eddie Kuhn (d)

**Tue. Jan. 5 - St. John Neuman, bishop (M)**  
 8:00 a.m. Special Intention (d)  
 12:10 p.m. Helen Dominic (d)

**Wed. Jan. 6**  
 8:00 a.m. Infant of Prague Novena -1  
 12:10 p.m. Special Intention (d)

**Thu. Jan. 7 - St. Raymond of Penafort, OP, priest (M)**  
 8:00 a.m. Infant of Prague Novena - 2  
 12:10 p.m. Special Intention (d)

**Fri. Jan. 8**  
 8:00 a.m. Infant of Prague Novena - 3  
 12:10 p.m. Special Intention (d)

**Sat. Jan. 9**  
 12:10 p.m. Infant of Prague Novena - 4  
 5:15 p.m. For the People of the Parish

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Sunday: **The Epiphany of the Lord (S)**  
 [20] Is 60:1-6/ Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/ Mt 2:1-12

Monday: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, religious (M)  
 [USA]  
 [212] 1 Jn 3:22-4:6/ Mt 4:12-17, 23-25

Tuesday: St. John Neuman, bishop (M) [USA]  
 [213] 1 Jn 4:7-10/ Mk 6:34-44

Wednesday: [214] 1 Jn 4:11-18/ Mk 6:45-52

Thursday: St. Raymond of Penafort, OP, priest (M)  
 [215] 1 Jn 4:19-5:4/ Lk 4:14-22a  
 Or prop: 2 Cor 5:14-21 [722.7] or Ez 33:1  
 7-11 or Gal 5:16-17,22-23,24-25 [765.10]  
 Ps 103 [739.6] or Ps 119 [450]/ Mt 5:13-19  
 [730.1] or Lk 12:42-44, 48b



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**Catechesis  
Mary Moran, Maryalice Locke, Co-Chairs**

**Bible Study — Conference Room**  
**Sundays — 3:30 - 5:00 p.m.**  
**Bible Study will resume after Christmas**



**Inquiry/R.C.I.A. — Classes are held on Tuesday evenings from 7 - 8:30 p.m.. Location to be announced.**

- **Jan. 5 - God The Father**

**Movie Seminar — The Movie Seminar has been postponed until further notice.**

**Schedule for Lectors & Extraordinary Ministers  
of Holy Communion**

<b>Sat. Jan. 2 - Vigil</b>		
5:15 p.m.	T. Ramstack J. Flowers	C. Daly A. Hunt
<b>Sun. Jan. 3 – THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD (S)</b>		
8:00 a.m.	A. Monteiro T. Ocampo	H. Morgan R. Morgan J. Darlington
10:45 a.m.	T. McCormack K. Layne	R. Branson N. Brown E. Branson
5:15 p.m.	B. Mireva M. Moy	M. Daigneault A. Artusa B. Daigneault

**Social Justice & Community Service  
Cecilia Daly, Chair**

Please leave your donations for the Northwest Pregnancy Center in front of the altar for a blessing. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

Our next S.O.M.E. meal is January 30. Sign-up sheets and baking pans will be available next weekend.

We wish to thank all parishioners who helped with the prison ministry Angel Tree project. Our parish helped make Christmas brighter for 52 children and their families. We especially wish to thank Cecilia, Judy, and Ora for their assistance. If you are interested in the prison ministry, the Welcome Home Program is looking for mentors to provide support for people who are returning to the community. For more information, please see [www.prisonoutreachministry.org](http://www.prisonoutreachministry.org).

Please contact Cecilia at [cecilia@st-dominic-church.org](mailto:cecilia@st-dominic-church.org) or leave a message at the priory if you are interested in these projects, or any other Social Justice and Community Service activity.



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**Facilities Calendar**

<b>Sun. Jan. 3</b>	<b>THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD (S)</b>	
11 a.m.– noon	English Class	Conference Room
<b>Mon. Jan. 4</b>		Conference Room
Noon - 1 p.m.	AA Meeting	Conference Room
<b>Tue. Jan. 5</b>		Conference Room
Noon - 1 p.m.	AA Meeting	Conference Room
<b>Wed. Jan. 6</b>		Conference Room
Noon - 1 p.m.	AA Meeting	Conference Room
<b>Thu. Jan. 7</b>		Conference Room
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**Comunidad Hispana  
Padre Eugenio Cahouet, O.P.**

**Epifanía  
Tiempo Navideño  
3 de enero de 2010**

Estimada Comunidad Hispana:

A Israel le asigno Dios la misión de convocar a todos los pueblos, para que se cumpliera así la promesa hecha a ABRAHAM, de que a través de la bendición de Dios habría de llegar a todas las naciones. Por eso, en la primera lectura de hoy Jerusalén es presentada como la luz que se opone a las tinieblas; precisamente porque en ella brilla la gloria del Señor. La presencia del Señor atrae a los hijos e hijas de Sion; pero también a todos los pueblos. Es la idea universalista que aparece también a otras profecías de Jeremías Mica, Zaqueo, y que comienza a hacerse realidad con la venida de Jesús (evangelio de hoy).

La llegada de los Magos de Oriente marca el comienzo de la unidad de la gran familia humana. Esa unidad será realizada plenamente cuando la fe en Jesucristo haga caer las barreras que existen entre los hombres. Todos se sentirán hijos de Dios en la unidad de la fe, igualmente redimidos, hermanos unos con otros.

El capítulo primero de Mateo se sitúa en el marco del pueblo judío: los acontecimientos del nacimiento de Jesús son presentados a la luz de las profecías. En el capítulo es horizonte se ensancha: los paganos, como hijos de ABRAHAM, son atraídos por la luz de Jesús-Rey y van hacia Él. Los Magos, expertos en el conocimiento de los astros, son llamados por medio de una estrella, mientras que Herodes y los sacerdotes son llamados por el testimonio de los magos y por las Escrituras. Pero, ¿qué manera de reaccionar tan diferente!

Después del encuentro con María y con Jesús y después de haber presentado Oro, Incienso, Mirra, los Magos “se retiraron a su tierra”, y no vuelven a aparecer en el Nuevo Testamento. Pero su historia sigue siendo un emblema para todos aquellos que, como ABRAHAM, a lo largo de los siglos, guiados por la razón y por la Palabra de Dios, lo buscan con un corazón sincero. Los extranjeros y los pobres (los pastores) son los ciudadanos privilegiados del Reino al que Jesús da comienzo en Belén.

Esta Eucaristía es por todos los buscadores de la verdad que son hijos e hijas ABRAHAM (Según C. Soltero S. J. *Actualidad litúrgica* n. 212)

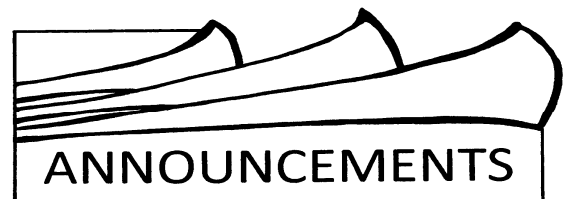
**Community Information**

**Calendars:** If you did not get one of the 2010 religious calendars distributed in the church in November we have a few left. You may pick one up at the parish office. Please see the receptionist.

**Education•Parish•Service Courses**

Are you ready to take the next step in your spiritual development? Do you have plenty of questions about your faith, but not enough answers? Education•Parish•Service (EPS) will present “Speaking God’s Word: The Prophets,” a study of the Old Testament prophets and the prophetic mission of the Church today. The course will be offered Tuesdays, January 5–26, 10:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. with instructor Rev. Michael Gallagher, Ph.D. EPS will also present “This We Believe,” an introduction to the study of the theology, drawing on the Creed and the Catechism of the Catholic Church, Tuesdays, January 5–26, 7:00 p.m.–9:15 p.m., with instructor Elizabeth-Jane McGuire, Ph.D. cand., a chaplain-in-residence, Georgetown University. EPS classes are held on the campus of Trinity (Washington) University, 125 Michigan Ave., NE, Washington, DC. To register, contact Ann Kitterman at [kittermana@trinitydc.edu](mailto:kittermana@trinitydc.edu) or call 202-884-9030. Please note that EPS relies solely on donations. For more information on EPS and its programs, visit <http://eps.trinitydc.edu>.

**Saint Matthew the Apostle**—Always our Children (AOC), the gay and lesbian ministry of the Cathedral, will have its monthly Support Group meetings on the second Sunday of each month. Following are the dates for the Support Group meetings: January 10, February 14, March 14, April 11, and May 9. The purpose of the meetings is to offer a forum in which gay and lesbian Catholics and Catholic parents of gay and lesbian children can share experiences, ask questions, and receive support in a non-judgmental, Christian setting in the spirit of the NCCB’s 1997 pastoral letter *Always Our Children*. If you have any questions, please contact Msgr. Jameson at 202-347-3215 or email AOC at [alwayssourchildren@verizon.net](mailto:alwayssourchildren@verizon.net).



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