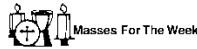




**FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**



**Mass Intentions:**

Sunday, April 17, 2016

8:00 a.m. Manies Scott

11:30 a.m. Mass for the people of God

Sunday, April 24, 2016

8:00 a.m. Mass for the people of God

11:30 a.m. Norma and Malcolm Gentry

Mass Intentions are now being scheduled for 2016 each family is limited to six Sunday Masses per year. Any additional Masses will need to be scheduled for a weekday Mass. Please call the Rectory for information.

**Weekly Mass**  
**8:15 a.m. Wednesday and Friday**  
**(In the Parish Center Chapel)**



Sunday, April 24, 2016 Fifth Sunday of Easter

First Reading: Acts 14:21-27

Second Reading: Revelation 21:1-5a

Gospel: John 13:31-33a, 34-35



**Liturgical Ministry Schedule April 24, 2016**

Ministers	Sunday 8:00a.m.	Sunday 11:30a.m.
Lectors	Patricia White Linda Brown	Jason Adu-Gyamfi Charlene Brown
Eucharist	Bunny Neal Jeanne Braxton	Carol Weind Beverly A. Moore
Eucharist	Rachelle Martin	Trayia Pannell Beverly Thompson DeloresEwans
Ushers	Becky Boyd Theresa Bland	Steve Gentry Hugh Cliff
Server	Bonnie Evans	Bailey Smith
Greeter		Natherlee Kirksey

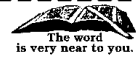
**Weekly Bible Readings (April 18, 2016)**

First Reading	ACTS 11:1-18	ACTS 11:19-26	ACTS 12:24-13:5A	ACTS 13:13-25	ACTS 13:26-33	ACTS 13:44-52
Psalms	PS 42:2-3; 43:3, 4	PS 87:1B -3, 4-5, 6-7	PS 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8	PS 89:2-3, 21-22, 25 and 27	PS 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11AB	PS 98:1, 2-3AB, 3CD-4
Alleluia	JN 10:14	JN 10:27	JN8:1 2	REV 1:5AB	JN 14:6	JN 8:31B-32
Gospel	JN 10:1-10	JN 10:22-30	JN 12:44-50	JN 13:16-20	JN 14:1-6	JN14:7-14



**Wednesday Morning Bible Study**

Wednesday Morning Bible Study is held following the Mass and Rosary at 10:00 a.m. in the Parish Center. All are welcomed.



**Women and Men's Evening Bible Study**

Women and Men's Bible Study is held on Wednesdays at 6:00P.M. in the Parish Center.



**Men's Prayer Breakfast**

Men's Prayer Breakfast will be held on the second Saturday of each month at 9am. All men 18 and older are welcome.



**Prayer/Sick list**

If you or a loved one is having surgery or are otherwise not physically able to attend mass and wish to receive communion please contact: Margaret Bowman, Coordinator for Visitors for Christ 933-8838 or 578-6602. To be added/removed from the Prayer/Sick list call 252-5926 ext.1.



**Fiscal Year July 1, 2015 – June 30, 2016**

**Sunday April 10, 2016**

Weekly Goal	\$4,808
Actual	\$3,847
Variance	\$(961)
Year to Date Variance	\$(19,350)
Tuition Assistance	\$20
Building Fund	\$140

**Sunday April 10, 2016**

No. of Envelopes	31
No. of Electronic Deposit	34
Total Attendance	163
No. of Registered Parishioners	206
Percentage of Envelopes	31%



The St. Dominic Church Parish Center is available for rent. The Center is suitable for: Wedding Receptions, Parties, Meetings or Tutoring/Educational programs. The Parish Center is located behind the church, at 453 N. 20th Street Columbus, OH 43203. For more information, please contact Cecil Douglas, Parish Center Manager at (614) 252-9983.



To St. Joseph for Protection: "Gracious St. Joseph, protect me and my family from all evil as you did the Holy Family. Kindly keep us ever united in the love of Christ, ever fervent in the imitation of the virtue of our Blessed Lady, your sinless spouse, and always faithful in devotion to you. Amen" ~ From the Franciscan Mission Associates



Come one, come all because "God can break every chain! The St. Dominic Gospel Choir under the direction of Vernon Hairston will present a gospel concert on April 17, 2016, at 5pm in church. This will feature the youth choir. Free and open to all. Come early for good seating.

**St. Dominic Women's Retreat**

Come and be spiritually renewed at the 2016 St. Dominic Women's Retreat. The theme is "Prayer: The Path to Peace". Registration forms are available at the main church entrance. We are retreating to a new location at the Spiritual Center of Maria Stein, 2365 St. Johns Road, Maria Stein, OH 45860, [www.spiritualcenter.net](http://www.spiritualcenter.net). Leave Lakefront Bus Lines on Friday, August 19- 9:a.m.; Depart retreat center on Sunday, August 21-12:00 p.m. The fee is \$235 for the weekend which includes overnight stay, all meals and bus transportation. T-shirts are an extra cost. Payment plan offered. \$35 due the first Sunday of each month beginning February 7. Last payment is \$25. Make checks payable to St. Dominic Church with Women's Retreat in the memo. Payment accepted by Kim Coleman at 8:00 mass and Tina Moody at 11:30 mass. Grace is not accepting any payments. All registration fee balances are due by August 7. No money will be accepted at the retreat center.

The Martin de Porres Center, a place for spirituality, education, and the arts, will host an Open House on Sunday, April 24 from 2:00-4:00pm. Explore our space and art! Experience our programs and community! Staff and volunteers will be on hand to answer questions about upcoming programs, space rental, art exhibits and much more. The center is located at 2330 Airport Dr., Columbus. Call (614)416-1910 or check our website [www.martindeporrescenter.net](http://www.martindeporrescenter.net) for more information.

**CONGRATULATIONS**

Congratulations to Gabrielle Sharp for achieving 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter Honor Roll at Bishop Hartley. Also Congratulations to Christopher Walker and Robert (Kwesi) Aikins, for achieving 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter Honor Roll at St. Charles Preparatory School.

Our Lady of Consolation Shrine, Carey, Ohio will offer a Mass for the victims of cancer, their families, friends and caregivers on Friday, May 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm. We welcome all to come and pray together. Following Mass, visitors are invited to participate in special prayers for healing.



Dear Fellow Parishioners,  
Tulips and daffodils, hyacinth and crocuses and even those pesky dandelions are once again in full bloom. Last spring we were blessed to have members of **The Harmony Project** clean up and weed the **St. Dominic/Neighborhood House Garden area**. This garden was originally created through the work of Becky Boyd, Rebecca Peacock-Creagh and others. Let's continue their intentions to have a Community Garden in our Neighborhood where fresh items are currently hard to find. If you enjoy planting, weeding and seeing plants grow to harvest, please plan to help out this spring and summer whether it be once, weekly, monthly or whenever you have the time. Parish organizations and families as well as people in the community are invited to plant the many beds in the garden. High school students looking for Community Service hours are invited to also participate. All ages are welcome to share your expertise and effort. If you would like to spend time this garden season growing vegetables and/or flowers to beautify the space at the rear of the Parish Hall, please **plan to meet for a brief meeting after 11:30 mass on Sunday, April 17<sup>th</sup>** during the Fellowship time in the Parish Hall. St. Dominic Church has received a small grant from the Diocese of Columbus to help in making our garden have a bountiful harvest this year. Signup sheets for those interested will be at the rear of the church and at the Parish Hall on April 10<sup>th</sup>.

Linda Little Waddell



**DIOCESAN SENIOR CITIZENS DAY CELEBRATION IS JUNE 6**

The 38<sup>th</sup> annual diocesan Senior Citizens Day Celebration is Monday, June 6, 2016, at St Edward the Confessor Catholic Church, 785 Newark Granville Rd., Granville, OH. Bishop Frederick F. Campbell will celebrate Mass at 10:30a.m. Mass will be followed by a luncheon. Registration for the celebration is \$10. This annual event is a great opportunity of prayer, food and fellowship with senior citizens from around the 23 county Catholic Diocese of Columbus. To register, please send a check payable to the Office for Social Concerns, Catholic Diocese of Columbus, 197 E. Gay Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215. For questions, call (614)241-2540 or email at [socmailbox@coldioc.org](mailto:socmailbox@coldioc.org). Registrations are requested by June 1.

**CALLING ALL 2016 SDC GRADUATES**

SDC would like to recognize all rising high school and college graduates. Submit your graduation information by or before May 1. Contact: Deneen Leonard [-Smith-nsaps@netscape.net](mailto:-Smith-nsaps@netscape.net) or Charlene Brown – [cb825neal@aol.com](mailto:cb825neal@aol.com)