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July 23, 2023 – 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

COME JOIN OUR PARISH - ALL ARE WELCOME

We welcome all new parishioners who would like to join our community. If you have made the Parish your spiritual home but have not yet registered, please do. This will help us to help you in case you are asked to be a godparent, or in case you would like to get married here. It will also help the Dominicans more intentionally to keep you in their prayers. Moreover, it will be a great means to help you get rooted in and connected to a community. Please visit our website, svsc.info/join-our-parish to register as a parishioner. You can also stop by the Parish office to complete a registration form.

SIGN-UP FOR PARISH EMAIL

To receive up to date information regarding the Parish schedule and important announcements, please sign-up for Parish email via our website, svsc.info or email the Parish office, parish@svsc.info

ONLINE GIVING

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You can also give via text message: text keyword SVSC to 800-950-9952. Click the link and complete your donation.

ST. JAMES THE GREAT

Tuesday, July 25 is the Feast of St. James the Great, Apostle. There will be a Sung Mass at 6 PM at St. Vincent Ferrer.

CELEBRATIONS OF ST. DOMINIC

Our Holy Father Dominic, the founder of the Order of Preachers, died on August 6, 1221. To mark the 802nd Anniversary, the Parish will have several days worth of special celebrations.

On **Friday, August 4**, the traditional feastday of St. Dominic, there will be a Solemn Mass in the Dominican Rite at 7 PM at St. Vincent Ferrer for which the Schola Cantorum will sing *Missa Cantate* by John Sheppard. The guest preacher will be Fr. Gregory Pine, O.P.

Tuesday, August 8 is the Solemnity of St. Dominic according to the modern liturgical calendar. There will be a Solemn Mass and Procession at 6 PM at St. Vincent Ferrer for which the Schola will sing *Missa Brevis in F Major*, K. 192 by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart; *Benedictus Redemptor omnium, Sanctus Dominicum* by Adrian Willaert; *Salve Regina* by Mitthaeus Pipelare. The guest preacher will be Fr. Malachy Napier, C.F.R. (By ancient tradition, a Franciscan is invited to preach at a Dominican church on St. Dominic's Day and vice versa.)

From August 2–8, the Memorial of Bl. Jane Aza, the mother of St. Dominic to the Solemnity of St. Dominic, relics of St. Dominic will be displayed for veneration by the Rosary Altar at St. Vincent Ferrer.

MASS AND CONFESSIONS

ST. VINCENT FERRER

MASSES

Weekdays: 8 AM, 12:10 PM, 6 PM

Saturday: 8 AM,

9:30 AM (DOMINICAN RITE)

6 PM (VIGIL)

Sunday: 8 AM, 9:30 AM,

12 NOON (SOLEMN), 6 PM

CONFESSIONS

Weekdays: 5:15–6 PM

Wednesday: 7:15–8 PM

Saturday: 5:15–6 PM

Sunday: 7:45–8 AM, 9:15–9:30 AM,

11:30 AM–12 NOON, 5:15–6 PM

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

MASSES

Weekdays: 7 AM, 5:15 PM

Saturday: 9 AM, 4 PM (VIGIL)

Sunday: 10 AM, 5 PM

CONFESSIONS

Weekdays: 4:40–5:05 PM

Saturday: 3–3:50 PM

LITURGY OF THE HOURS AND OTHER PRAYER

ST. VINCENT FERRER

Weekdays:

7:25 AM: MATINS AND LAUDS

5:25 PM: ROSARY AND VESPERS

Wednesday:

6:30 PM: EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Saturday:

8:30 AM: MATINS AND LAUDS

5:25 PM: ROSARY AND VESPERS

Sunday:

8:45 AM: MATINS AND LAUDS

5:25 PM: ROSARY AND VESPERS

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

Weekdays:

4:50 PM: ROSARY

Thursday:

5:45 PM: EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Sunday:

3 PM: EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

(SUSPENDED UNTIL SEPTEMBER 17)

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Monday–Friday:

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SUMMER PARISH STUDY TUESDAYS, JULY 11 THROUGH AUGUST 1 LOWER CHURCH AT 6:45 PM

Jesus Christ instituted the seven sacraments to save us in a particularly human way, that he might form our hearts after his own. Confession and the Eucharist play an especially central role in this, healing and nourishing us, and so leading us to abide more deeply and more completely in his life and love.

In this time of Eucharistic Revival, join the Parish of St. Vincent Ferrer & St. Catherine of Siena for a four-week summer study with Rev. Br. Charles Marie Rooney, O.P. on the inner workings of the Sacrament of Confession, its particular effects on our souls, and its key relationship to holy reception of the Eucharist. Talks will run for about 50 minutes with Q&A and fellowship to follow. Feel free to attend one or all, as you are able. Please bring a friend! Please visit our website, svsc.info/parish-study for additional information and to register for the series.

Talk Schedule:

- July 11: The Sacraments and Our Salvation
- July 18: Penance, Confession, and the Christian Life
- July 25: Inside the Box: The Essential Dynamics of the Sacrament of Confession
- August 1: Raised to Eternal Life: Confession, Communion, and the Kingdom of Heaven

MUSIC NOTES

Next weekend, for the Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, the Schola will sing a setting of the Gospel parable of the merchant searching for fine pearls. Jacobus Vaet's musical education followed the typical of the Low Country singers who dominated European church music in the Renaissance: he became a chorister at the Church of Notre Dame at Koortrijk (Courtrai) in 1543 at the age of thirteen, and when his voice broke in 1546 he was given a scholarship to the University of Leuven (Louvain). By 1550 he was working as a tenor for the Emperor Charles V. Preferment came rapidly, and he was *Kapellmeister* to the Archduke Maximilian, Charles's nephew, by 1554.

Simile est regnum caelorum (Homini negotiatori) – Jacobus Vaet

PARISH COFFEE HOUR

Our parish coffee hour is held at St. Vincent Ferrer after the 12 NOON Mass. Take some time to connect with your fellow Parishioners and enjoy some light refreshments. All are most welcome.

RCIA BEGINS ON SEPTEMBER 7

Interested in becoming Catholic? Or are you a Catholic adult who needs to be confirmed? Email rcia@svsc.info to ask about our RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) program.

RCIA will meet on Thursdays from 6:45 PM to 8 PM at St. Vincent Ferrer in the lower church. This parish year, our regular meetings will start on September 7, 2023 and meet weekly through May of 2024.

Newcomers are always welcome! Our program is designed so that people can enter throughout the year.

PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

St. Joseph's Church, the Dominican Parish on Sixth Avenue in Greenwich Village, will open a Perpetual Adoration Chapel the week of July 30. For more information, visit stjosephgv.nyc/perpetual-adoration.

MASS INTENTIONS
ST. VINCENT FERRER

SUNDAY, JULY 23

6:00 PM (Vigil) Edward C. Perry (D)
8:00 AM For the People of the Parish
9:30 AM Bayard G. Schaeffer (D)
12 NOON Raymond M. Hicks III (D)
6:00 PM Catherine McHale (L) & John McHale (D) and Living and Deceased Members of the McHale and Lionetti Families

MONDAY, JULY 24

8:00 AM For the deceased of the Parish, the deceased parents of members of the Order, and the deceased brothers, sisters, familiars, and benefactors of the Order
12:10 PM Rene Concepcion (D)
6:00 PM Ken Joseph (D)

TUESDAY, JULY 25

8:00 AM Anthony Sellner (D)
12:10 PM Luigi & Marinella Lombardo (D)
6:00 PM Nicholas Lloyd Webber (D)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 26

8:00 AM Alphonso & Anna Rose Pisacano-Cecere (D)
12:10 PM David Oliver (D)
6:00 PM Victoria Osejo Special Intention

THURSDAY, JULY 27

8:00 AM Adolfo Sardina (D)
12:10 PM Marie & Jack Powers (D)
6:00 PM Jorge Miranda (D)

FRIDAY, JULY 28

8:00 AM Martin Slattery & Joel Crager (D)
12:10 PM Noreena Rose - Matt Reyes Yncierto
6:00 PM Frances & Richard Reynolds and Edmund Lukas (D)

SATURDAY, JULY 29

8:00 AM Stefano Triulzi (D)
6:00 PM Teresa Latawiec Zatorska (D)

MASS INTENTIONS
ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

SUNDAY, JULY 23

4:00 PM (Vigil) Mr. & Mrs. Oettinger & Living and Deceased Members of the Oettinger Family
10:00 AM Raymond Martin Hicks III (D)
5:00 PM Patrick Kennedy (D)

MONDAY, JULY 24

7:00 AM Triduum Honoring Sts. Joseph & Anne
5:15 PM Living & Deceased Priests of the Parish

TUESDAY, JULY 25

7:00 AM Triduum Honoring Sts. Joseph & Anne
5:15 PM For the Province of St. Joseph

WEDNESDAY, JULY 26

7:00 AM Triduum Honoring Sts. Joseph & Anne
5:15 PM Special Intention

THURSDAY, JULY 27

7:00 AM For the Patrons of the Shrine of St. Jude
5:15 PM Gabriel & Jenara Malave (D)

FRIDAY, JULY 28

7:00 AM For the Purgatorial Society of St. Catherine of Siena
5:15 PM Cesar Bernardo (D)

SATURDAY, JULY 29

9:00 AM Special Intention (D)
4:00 PM David Gale (D)

HOSPITAL MINISTRY
PRAYER INTENTIONS

We continue to pray for the sick, the dying, and their families in Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, New York-Presbyterian Hospital, Hospital for Special Surgery, Rockefeller University Hospital, Residents of the Mary Manning Walsh Home, and the Intentions of the Dominican Healthcare Ministry.

PARISH PRAYER
INTENTIONS

Elaine Arace, Michael Carty, Nimah Collins, John Crosson, Annette Cunningham, Pat Groh, Maggie Heath, Jeremy Kyser, Jay Mortimer, Robert J. Quackenbush, Bill Rudd, and Helen Skoratowicz

Please pray for the repose of the souls of:

August Arace, Elise Brown, Carol Higgins Clark, Therese Martin Di Maio, Barbara Fontana, Jim Griffin, Derek Harrelson, Donald Moglia, Margot Slater, and the souls of all the recently deceased.

CANDLE INTENTIONS
ST. VINCENT FERRER

Sanctuary Lamps

Ramon Javier & Fernando Jose Gonzalez; Elsie O'Connor (D); Nellie Sullivan (D); People of the Parish; Intention of Donor; Special Intention; and Souls in Purgatory.

Sanctuary Madonna

Jack Ryan Keegan

Our Lady of Fatima Shrine

Peace in Ukraine

CANDLE INTENTIONS
ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

Purgatorial Altar Candle

Renato S. Ventigan (D); Rosa J. Silan (D); Marie E. Litrenta (D); Olga Rose Litrenta (D); Pedro Litrenta, Sr. (D); and Pedro Litrenta, Jr. (D)

Blessed Mother Shrine,

Sanctuary Lamp

Priscilla Ventigan

St. Martin de Porres Candle

Maria Marta Litrenta; Rose Ann Connolly (D); Bridget Heeran (D)

St. Thomas Chapel, St. Dominic, Sacred Heart of Jesus, St. Joseph, St. Margaret of Costello, Priory Chapel, and St. Jude Shrine

Maria Marta Litrenta

Rosary Altar

Maria Marta Litrenta; Letty Dolan

Mass Intentions and Candles may be reserved in the Parish Office Monday–Friday, 9 AM–1 PM and 2 PM–4 PM, and in the Church Office of St. Catherine of Siena Monday–Friday, 10 AM–3 PM.

EUCCHARISTIC REVIVAL



Participation and Holy Communion, Part VII

Having spent the last few weeks speaking about preparing ourselves for the reception of Holy Communion, it will be helpful to say a few words about the practicalities of receiving Communion. This week I want to say a few words about receiving on the tongue, and next week I will share some thoughts about receiving on the hand.

The more ancient practice of receiving Communion likely was to receive on the hand. Within the first few centuries of the Church, though, it seems that receiving on the tongue became more widespread and then the universal norm (it is still the norm in the Eastern Churches). The reasoning for this was twofold: to avoid dropping the Eucharist and to increase devotion among the faithful for the Eucharist. First, there was a desire to protect the Eucharist from being dropped (as still happens even now) as well as from someone walking off with the Eucharist and not reverently consuming it (which also still happens even now). It is of grave importance to protect the Eucharist from profanation. Still, those situations are not the everyday experience in most churches. Thus, the second reason is the more regular one for the average Catholic.

How does receiving on the tongue increase devotion among the faithful? It is all about an attitude of humility and receptivity. Just think of the Blessed Mother. When she received the Lord into her body at the annunciation, she had a disposition of humility and receptivity. She pondered the words of the angel, not with disbelief but with a desire to be faithful to God. She humbly heard the angel's words and then offered her *fiat*. Similarly, receiving the Lord on the tongue should foster this same disposition. You see in this way the whole physical action is one of receptivity for we do not even bring the Host to our own mouth. Rather, Jesus is placed on our tongue. As we kneel or even stand there receiving from the priest, it is humbling. Yet, in that action, our souls are shaped to become humble and receptive before the Lord.

It is also worthwhile saying a few words about the practicalities of receiving Communion on the tongue. First, when the priest says, "The Body of Christ," it is important to say, "Amen" before trying to receive Communion. Simply say "Amen," and then open your mouth and stick your tongue out a little bit. Please make sure to keep your head still rather than lunging forward or trying to bite the Host. The Host will easily stick to your tongue, and when you receive in this way, the priest will easily be able to place the Host on your tongue without touching your tongue with his hand. If you are also kneeling, it is helpful to *slightly* tilt your head back so that the priest can more easily see your tongue.

Another thing to keep in mind is not to send mixed signals to the priest. If you desire to receive on the tongue, then please do not also stick your hands out as that will confuse the priest. Moreover, while some people like to fold their arms in front of their chest while receiving on the tongue, please do not do it in the shape of an X, as the priest will think that you desire a blessing instead of receiving Communion.

Finally, a word should be said about receiving Communion at the Dominican Rite Masses. At these Masses, the rubrics indicate that the laity are to receive on the tongue. You also do not say "Amen" in response to the priest's words. His formula for distribution includes the word "Amen" at the end.

No matter which way you prefer to receive Holy Communion, may you have a disposition of receptivity and humility so that just as the Lord filled the Blessed Mother with Himself so too may He do for us when we receive Him in Holy Communion.

In Christ,

Jr. Peter Martyr Jungwirth, O.P.

ST. DOMINIC'S DAYS



AUGUST 2-8

Relics of St. Dominic reposed in the Sepulcher Niche by the Rosary Altar

AUGUST 4

7 PM - Solemn Dominican Rite Mass of St. Dominic

AUGUST 2

Regular Mass Schedule with Masses of Bl. Jane, Mother of St. Dominic
(at both churches)

AUGUST 8

6 PM - Solemn Mass of St. Dominic
(Reception to follow Mass)
8:30 PM - Compline



These events are at the
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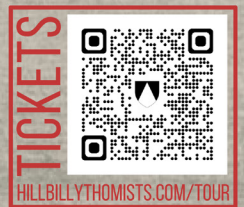
"Geneology of St. Dominic," part of "El Santoral Dominic," 1837-1841, workshop of the Cabrera brothers, Museo Historico Dominic, Santiago, Chile



THE HILLBILLY THOMISTS

AUGUST 11, 2023 | 7 PM

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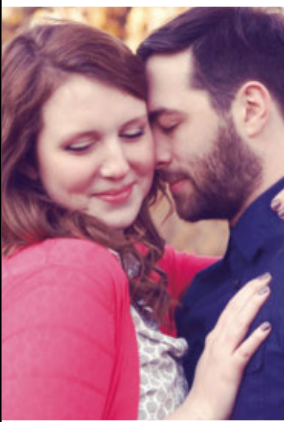
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