

Incarnation continues . . .



*As the day draws near,
when the glory of Christ
will make radiant
the night
of the waiting world,
we contemplate
the Divine Mystery,
the explosion
of God's infinite love
incarnating all of creation.*

Dominican Center Offerings

Register at dominicancenter.com or call 616-514-3325.

Advent Icon Retreat: Saint Dominic

Monday, Dec 2 - Friday, Dec 6 • 8:30 am - 4:30 pm
with Diane Hamel, Iconographer and Retreat Facilitator

Zentangle® : Gifts of Gold

Thursday, Dec 5 • 6:30 - 8:30 pm
with Amy W.M. Kam, Certified Zentangle Teacher

O Antiphons: The Tradition and Significance

Saturday, Dec 7 • 9:00 - 11:30 am
with Mary Catherine Fodrocy, OP

Enneagram and Relationships

Saturday, Dec 7 • 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
with Ann Walters, OP and Kim Bartz, LMSW

Dominican Center at Marywood Art Gallery

Exhibit Nov 1—Dec 31 : "The Tuesday Painting Class
with Kathleen Kalinowski" oils and pastels paintings.
Part of the Grand Valley Artists.
Reception: Sunday, Dec 8, 1:00 - 4:00 pm

Dominican Center Bookstore

Dominican Center Bookstore honors all spiritual paths with its collection of books and materials chosen to nourish minds and hearts for the spiritual journey. Many hand-crafted gifts, created by the Dominican Sisters or crafted by artisans of villages in various countries, are available for purchase.

Hours: Mon-Fri: Noon - 5:30 pm

Sat: 10:00 am - 1:30 pm

Sun: 11:00 am - Noon (December only)

For more information call 616-514-3312 or visit
dominicancenter.com/bookstore

About Us

The Dominican Sisters~Grand Rapids are a community of vowed women religious and Associates who follow the Catholic traditions of St. Dominic and St. Catherine of Siena. Since 1877, we have been leading efforts to educate children and adults, care for people who are sick, and advocate for vulnerable populations. We have established and staffed schools, a college, and missions in Michigan, New Mexico, and Peru. Today we are teachers, caregivers, spiritual companions, advocates for peace and justice, artists, musicians, authors, and poets. Together we praise, bless, and preach God's love through all we do. Visit grdominicans.org to learn more about Dominican Sisters~Grand Rapids.



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Advent & Christmas 2019

WELCOME

The Dominican Sisters invite you to pray with us this Advent & Christmas Season at Dominican Chapel/Marywood.



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Advent Weekend Liturgies

Saturdays

4:00 pm Eucharist: Chapel of the Word

Sundays

9:30 am Morning Prayer: DCM Chapel
10:00 am Eucharist: DCM Chapel

Christmas Season Liturgies

Christmas Eve Tuesday, December 24

6:30 pm Carols
7:00 pm Eucharist: DCM Chapel
Reception following Liturgy

Christmas Day Wednesday, December 25

9:30 am Morning Prayer: Chapel of the Word
10:00 am Eucharist: Chapel of the Word

Holy Family December 28 / 29

4:00 pm (Sat) Eucharist: Chapel of the Word
10:00 am (Sun) Eucharist: DCM Chapel

New Year's Eve Tuesday, December 31

7:00 pm Eucharist: DCM Chapel

Epiphany January 4 / 5

4:00 pm (Sat) Eucharist: Chapel of the Word
10:00 am (Sun) Eucharist: DCM Chapel

Baptism of the Lord January 11 / 12

4:00 pm (Sat) Eucharist: Chapel of the Word
10:00 am (Sun) Eucharist: DCM Chapel

Advent O Antiphons

Dec 17 — 23 • 7:00 pm • DCM Chapel

This 7-day prayer is an ancient ritual of the Church. It includes a candle light procession, the singing of hymns and psalms, the proclamation of scripture, preaching, and chanting of Old Testament prophecies.

O Wisdom Tuesday, December 17

Preacher: Rosita Schiller R.S.M.
Mercy Health—Grants & Research Specialist
Catholic Schools—Mission Effectiveness

O Adonai Wednesday, December 18

Preacher: Fr. Phil Shangraw
Retreat Director
Catholic Diocesan Priest

O Root of Jesse Thursday, December 19

Preacher: Ann Karasinski
Dominican Associate
Adjunct Professor—Education—Aquinas

O Key of David Friday, December 20

Preacher: Peter Vander Meulen
Retired Coordinator: Office of Social Justice
Christian Reformed Church

O Radiant Dawn Saturday, December 21

Preacher: Su Hood
Guardian Ad Litem
Member of Sunday Assembly

O Ruler of Nations Sunday, December 22

Preacher: Andrea Tiller
Previous Volunteer in Mongolia
Peace Corps Recruiter

O Emmanuel Monday, December 23

Preacher: Ruth Sanborn
Bio-ethicist—Spectrum Health
Member of Sunday Assembly

Advent/Christmas Events

Reconciliation Service

Sunday, December 1

7:00 pm DCM Chapel

Taize Advent Prayer

Sunday, December 8

7:00 pm DCM Chapel

Mañanitas: Feast La Virgen de Guadalupe

Thursday, December 12

9:00 am Aquinata Chapel

We will begin by singing hymns to Mary and telling the story of Mary's appearing to Juan Diego. A Word/Communion Service follows.

Anointing of the Sick

Friday, December 13

9:00 am Chapel of the Word
9:45 am during Mass Aquinata Chapel

Outreach Activities

Cathedral Outreach Center: Each week more than 50 coats in all sizes are needed for the needy in our area. Coats, new and used, may be brought to Sunday Mass and placed on cart. Coats will be taken after Mass to Cathedral Outreach Center. Please, no coats during the week.

Wedgwood Christian Services: Pajamas are needed for kids in need, as well as for adults. Pajamas may be placed in bins in the Chapel lobby until December 8th. For more information, contact Terri Sierzant: 616-706-5581 or terri@summerskills.com

Your Weekly Contributions support the ministries and justice outreach of the Dominican Sisters.