

# THE CATHOLIC CHURCHES OF ST. CASIMIR & ST. DOMINIC

<http://stcasimir-stdominic.org>



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## STEWARDSHIP

*A Way of Life*

### St. Casimir

#### COLLECTION September 16 & 17, 2023

Adult Envelopes Holy Day:	\$ 3,561.00
Building Fund:	\$ 812.00
Online Giving:	\$ 487.00
Loose:	\$ 532.00

**Total : \$ 5,392.00**

### St. Dominic

#### COLLECTION September 17, 2023

Adult Envelopes/Holy Day:	\$ 1,760.00
Loose:	\$ 431.00

**Total : \$ 2,191.00**

### ST. CASIMIR MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

**Wednesday September 27 Parish Office Closed**  
9:00 AM No Mass  
**Friday September 29 Parish Office Closed**  
9:00 AM Mass of Thanksgiving (Will & Paula Orban)  
**Saturday September 30**  
4:00 PM John Kroll (Family)  
**Sunday October 1**  
10:00 AM Leona Hilla (Richard & Louise Kuznicki)

**Sacrament of Reconciliation** Saturday @ 3:30 PM or by appt.  
**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION** First Friday - 9:30 AM @ St. Casimir

### ST. DOMINIC MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

**Tuesday September 26 Parish Office Closed**  
5:30 PM No Mass  
**Sunday October 1**  
8:30 AM All the Living & Deceased Members of Our Parishes & Louie Konieczny (Frances & Ray Haynes)

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION** Tues: Noon - 5:30 PM @ St. Dominic

### Religious Education

Religious Education will be every Monday starting Sept 18th from 6:15 PM—7:30 PM

### Coast to Coast Rosary

The St Ignatius Rosary Society is organizing the 2023 Rosary Coast to Coast, which will take place on Sunday, October 9th at 4 p.m. Because our weather is unpredictable, the Rosary will take place at St Ignatius Church.

See bulletin boards for more information.

### Divine Mercy Prayer Group

1st Wednesday of the month  
1PM

To request prayers  
call or text 989 -766-2781  
All prayers are confidential  
All are welcome

### Online Giving

St. Casimir offers a convenient option of on line giving to parishioners. For more information or to sign up go to [www.stcasimir-stdominic.org](http://www.stcasimir-stdominic.org) and click on **DONATE**.

St. Casimir Church is open Monday thru Friday 8:30 am to 2:00 pm, unless the Parish Office is closed.

**St. Casimir Perpetual Lights for the week of Sep. 24,2023**

**Sanctuary:** Health

**Marian:** All Cancer Patients and Survivors

**Sacred Heart:** John Kroll (Family)

**St. Vincent De Paul, French Catholic Priest – 1580 -1660**

**Feast day: Sept. 27**

**Patron of all Charitable Societies**

In the late sixteenth century, although St. Vincent de Paul was initially attracted to the priesthood to acquire a comfortable life and retirement, he became a source of inspiration for those moved to compassion for the poor and sick. His preaching to peasants across France attracted donations from the wealthy that enabled him to build hospitals, homes for orphans and the elderly poor, and buy freedom for more than 1,200 galley slaves. Today, the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul cares for the poor in 132 countries.

Ordained at 19 in rural France, he continued his theological studies until he was sent to Paris to become chaplain for the wealthy Gondi family.

Encouraged by Countess Gondi, he preached to the peasants on the estate and was moved by their plight. The countess convinced her husband to support Vincent and other missionaries to work among the poor in the surrounding areas. The Congregation of the Mission, or Vincentians, was born. In 1617, he began working with the Daughters of Charity, a group of wealthy Paris women. In helping organize their relief efforts for victims of war and slavery, he established the Confraternity of Charity, a lay organization for social action. With Saint Louise de Marillac, he established the Daughters of Charity of Saint Vincent de Paul, the first noncloistered religious order for women dedicated to charitable service. He accomplished what many consider the greatest work of charity of the seventeenth century – the building of an asylum that provided housing and useful work for 40,000 people. A number of charitable societies inspired by the generosity of Vincent are known as the Vincentian Family. The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul was established in 1833 by Blessed Frederic Ozanam and French university students.

The story of St. Vincent provides another example of the surprising way that God touches hearts, changes plans and brings people together to serve one another.

**St. Casimir & St. Dominic Cemetery Decorations**

Please remove all decorations from the cemetery by October 1st.

**Day of Reflection for Liturgical Ministers**

Saturday, November 4, 2023 | 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

**Diocese of Gaylord Pastoral Center**

[www.dioceseofgaylord.org/liturgicalministersday](http://www.dioceseofgaylord.org/liturgicalministersday)

**2023 Wedding Anniversary Mass**

The Most Reverend Bishop Jeffrey J. Walsh cordially invites married couples celebrating milestone anniversaries of 10, 25, 50 and 60+ years in 2023 to a celebration of marriage. This special event will include Holy Mass and a blessing by Bishop Walsh, followed by a light reception in the parish hall.

Where: St. Mary Cathedral, Gaylord

When: Saturday, September 30, 2023 | 11 am

Please RSVP by September 25, 2023 via [dioceseofgaylord.org/marriage](http://dioceseofgaylord.org/marriage)

**Meetings**

**D of I Circle 974:** Meet the first Tuesday of the month @ the K of C Hall in Posen. Social Hour 6 PM meeting @7 PM.

**4th Degree K of C #1711:** All meetings will be every 4th Tuesday of the month in Posen at 7 pm.

**VFW Breakfast: 8 AM to Noon:** Sep. 24, Oct. 23, Nov. 26

**VFW Meetings: Ladies Aux.**

Meetings Oct 10 . & Nov. 13

**Men** 7 PM Oct. 9 & Nov. 13

**K of C Council #6657 :** Meet the second Wed. of every month @ 7 PM Posen K of C Hall.

**Volunteers**

St Casimir & St. Dominic is always in need of VOLUNTEERS. Please offer your talents and time. Many hands are needed to maintain all areas of our Parishes. Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers, Ushers, Sacristans and Altar Servers. Stop in at the Parish Office or call.

**Michigan Catholic Women's Conference**

Saturday, October 21, 2023 at 9:00am

Lansing Center

333 E Michigan Ave, Lansing, MI

Visit <https://michigancwc.org>

Pedal and Praise with Bishop Walsh September 24th, see bulletin board for more information.

St. Casimir Rosary Sodality Meeting

Monday, September 25 Parish Office Building

**CSA Update 2023/2024**

**St. Casimir**

**St. Dominic**

**Target \$ 32,397.00**

**Target \$ 12,459.00**

Paid \$ 15,510.00

Paid \$ 6,465.00

Pledge Balance \$17,287.00

Pledge Balance \$5,994.00