



## HOLY MASSES

**Sundays:**  
(Saturday evening) Vigil 6.30pm,  
7.00, 10.30am & 6 pm

**Tuesday – Friday:** 6.30 am  
**Saturdays & Holidays:** 7am

**Confessions:** before and after Masses  
*if possible and by appointment*

**Baptisms:**  
*Call to make an appointment*

**Online Masses**  
St Dominic Barbados



## Office hours

**Monday:** 7.30 – 12

**Tuesday:** 7.30 – 2 pm

**Wednesday:** 7.30 – 12

**Thursday:** 7.30 – 12, 3-5

**Friday:** 7.30 – 12

*Priests are available during office  
hours or by appointment*

### Office is closed:

on bank holidays & weekends, and  
sometimes we may be out of the  
office. (Please call before coming)

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# St. Dominic's Roman Catholic Church National Shrine of Divine Mercy



Barbados

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY  
June 4, 2023 # 733 Year A



## Metanoia

**1st Reading:** Exodus 34:4-6,8-9

**Psalm:** Daniel 3:52-56

**2nd Reading:** 2 Corinthians 13:11-13

**Gospel Acclamation:**

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;  
the God who is, who was, and who is to come.

**Alleluia!**



### Gospel

**John 3: 16-18**

Jesus said to Nicodemus:

'God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son,  
so that everyone who believes in him may not be lost  
but may have eternal life.

For God sent his Son into the world

not to condemn the world,

but so that through him the world might be saved.

No one who believes in him will be condemned;

but whoever refuses to believe is condemned already,

because he has refused to believe in the name of God's only Son.'

### Reflection on the Illuminated Manuscript Miniature

Today, the first Sunday after Pentecost, we celebrate the Holy Trinity, the three persons of God: the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.

Our image for today is taken from the Hours of Etienne Chevalier, a medieval illuminated manuscript by the miniature painter Jean Fouquet, commissioned by Etienne Chevalier, treasurer to King Charles VII of France. It shows a lavishly decorated palace hall with an orange angel-bordered aureola enclosing a bright yellow light emanating from each Person of the Trinity, who are seated on a monumental triple throne. All the Persons of the Trinity are illustrated as exactly the same, identical. Same importance. The Father, Son, and Holy Spirit are all of the same essence, God, but they are three distinct persons. The Father is not the Son, the Son is not the Spirit, and the Spirit is not the Father. This is the doctrine of the Trinity.

We are part of the row of people at the bottom of the illuminated manuscript page, watching the Trinity, Our Lady on her throne, the angels, the saints, the bishops, the kings.... To live the message of the Gospel means that we have into the light of the Trinity illustrated so beautifully here. The light is shining brightly on the coloured cloaks of all the people. Today's feast invites us to live in the awareness of the presence of the Triune God within us: The Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. Each time we say a prayer and make a sign of the cross (Father, Son and Holy Spirit) at the start and at the end of it, we place ourselves in the presence of the Trinity. All Sacraments are administered (we are baptized, confirmed, anointed, our sins are forgiven, and our marriage blessed, and our Bishops, priests and deacons ordained) in the name of the Holy Trinity. Happy feast day everyone.

(<https://christian.art/daily-gospel-reading/john-3-16-18-2023/>)



We are a Catholic community committed to welcoming our brothers and sisters, celebrating the Eucharist, receiving the Sacraments, spreading the Good News, passing on our Catholic faith and Traditions, promoting devotion to Divine Mercy and assisting the poor and less privileged in our community. As the National Shrine of Divine Mercy we encourage fuller participation in the Divine Mercy devotions in order to strengthen our Catholic faith, to experience the healing grace and mercy of God and to be merciful to others as Jesus.



## Our prayers:

### ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL PRAYER



"Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil; May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; And do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all evil spirits who wander through the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen."

### PRAYER OF ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI:

"Lord, make me an instrument of your peace; where there is hatred, let me sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is discord, union; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; and where there is sadness, joy.

"O Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled, as to console; to be understood, as to understand; to be loved, as to love; for it is in giving that we receive, it is in pardoning that we are pardoned, and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life." Amen.

### Prayer for vocations

Heavenly Father raise up holy vocations to the priesthood, to keep the faith alive and guard the memory of your Son Jesus, through the preaching of His word and the celebration of His Sacraments.

May Your Church sustain seminarians and priests in their vocations so that they may faithfully fulfil their mission at the service of the Gospel.

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SCAN ME

June 4 - 10



Vigil: Sat 6.30 pm: Robert Bourque & Richard Gordon—RIP  
Sun 7.00 am: for parishioners & visitors  
10.30 am: Ashaki Goodwin & Family—Healing and thanksgiving  
6.00 pm: Richard Carter  
Tue 6.30 am: Sienna Brooker & June Hutson—Birthdays  
Wed 6.30 am: Robert & Elizabeth Las Heras—RIP  
Thu 6.30 am: Mary Vale—Birthday  
Fri 6.30 am: Nicholas Ameer—Birthday blessingx  
Sat 7.00 am: Edward, Wendy & Christopher Sisnett—RIP

**SUNDAY 11TH JUNE IS FIRST HOLY COMMUNION** FOR THE FOLLOWING CANDIDATES.

Please remember them in your prayers.

Shane Anthony Scott, Sareena Emma Darroux-Francis, Ethan Julian Fitzwilliam  
Isla Marie Diana Leach, Levi Alexander Leelum, Suri Rose Lewis, William Anthony Towini, Maria Alicia Phillips, Savanna Aliya Phillips, Cooper Elliot Slater  
Marleigh Christina Mark, Ella Felicia Lewis, Levi Sampson Ramsden  
Jack Christopher Warren, Raegan Rashae Brayden Wiggins,  
Skylar Rae-Marie Black, Mariah Marissa Fiedtkou, Bella Zara Gittens,  
Emma Marie Me'gan Allan



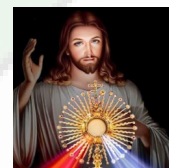
First Communion will be at the 7 am Mass

### 50th Anniversary Book

Do you have any photos of Baptisms, First Communion, Confirmation, Weddings or any special events over the last 50 years at St. Dominic's? If you do and they are good quality resolution, we are looking for memorabilia for our 50th Anniversary book of St. Dominic's Church. We ask that you send them to the email below. We do not guarantee that all will be printed, but will try our best to include as many as we can. Or maybe you have a special memory that you would like to share, you can send a short paragraph. Send to: [stdomsis50@gmail.com](mailto:stdomsis50@gmail.com)



**DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS & ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**  
FRIDAY 6.00 PM



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