



## 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  
Solemnity of CORPUS CHRISTI  
June 11, 2023 # 734 Year A



## Metanoia

**1st Reading:** Deuteronomy 8:2-3,14-16  
**Psalm:** 147:12-15,19-20  
**2nd Reading:** 1 Corinthians 10:16-17

### Gospel Acclamation:

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

I am the living bread which has come down from heaven,  
says the Lord.

Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever.

**Alleluia!**



### Gospel

**John 6: 51-58**

Jesus said to the crowd:

'I am the living bread which has come down from heaven.

Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I shall give is my flesh,  
for the life of the world.'

Then the Jews started arguing with one another: 'How can this man give us his flesh to  
eat?' they said. Jesus replied:

'I tell you most solemnly, if you do not eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his  
blood, you will not have life in you. Anyone who does eat my flesh and drink my blood  
has eternal life, and I shall raise him up on the last day. For my flesh is real food and  
my blood is real drink. He who eats my flesh and drinks my blood lives in me and I live  
in him. As I, who am sent by the living Father, myself draw life from the Father, so  
whoever eats me will draw life from me. This is the bread come down from heaven;  
not like the bread our ancestors ate: they are dead, but anyone who eats this bread  
will live for ever.'

### The Anima Christi Prayer:

Soul of Christ, sanctify me.  
Body of Christ, save me.  
Blood of Christ, inebriate me.  
Water from the side of Christ, wash me.  
Passion of Christ, strengthen me.  
O good Jesus, hear me.  
Within your wounds hide me.  
Let me never be separated from you.  
From the malignant enemy, defend me.  
In the hour of my death, call me,  
And bid me come to you,  
That with your saints I may praise you  
Forever and ever. Amen.

— attributed to Saint Ignatius of Loyola (1491–1556)



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 11 - 17



Vigil: Sat 6.30 pm: Diana Fields—Thanksgiving & Louise McClean-RIP

Sun 7.00 am: Elza Gloumeau—RIP

10.30 am: Richard & Sandra Hart—Anniversary blessings

6.00 pm: for parishioners & visitors

Tue 6.30 am: Peter & Frances Reece—Anniversary blessings

Wed 6.30 am: Robert Bourque—RIP

Thu 6.30 am: Eli Brooker—blessings, Lee & Lauren Rutherford— Anniversary

Fri 6.30 am: Reggie Taylor—RIP

Sat 7.00 am: Gerarda Figueira—Birthday

### Corpus Christi

The Feast of Corpus Christi, or the Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ goes back to the 13th century, but it celebrates something far older: the institution of the Sacrament of Holy Communion at the Last Supper. In 1246, Bishop Robert de Thorete at the suggestion of St. Juliana of Mont Cornillon, convened a synod and instituted the celebration of the feast. From Liège, the celebration began to spread, and, on September 8, 1264, Pope Urban IV issued the papal bull "Transiturus," which established the Feast of Corpus Christi as a universal feast of the Church, to be celebrated on the Thursday following Trinity Sunday. At the request of Pope Urban IV, St. Thomas Aquinas composed the office (the official prayers of the Church) for the feast. This office is widely considered one of the most beautiful in the traditional Roman Breviary and it is the source of the famous Eucharistic hymns *Pange Lingua Gloriosi* and *Tantum Ergo Sacramentum*. For centuries after, the feast was also celebrated with a Eucharistic procession, in which the Sacred Host was carried throughout the town, accompanied by hymns and litanies. The faithful would venerate the Body of Christ as the procession passed by. While the Feast of Corpus Christi is one of the ten Holy Days of Obligation in the Latin Rite of the Catholic Church, in some countries, including Barbados, the feast has been transferred to the following Sunday.



### 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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