



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

You Tube



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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Barbados

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 28, 2023 # 761 Year B



Metanoia

1st Reading: Deuteronomy 18:15-20

Psalm: 94(95):1-2,6-9

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 7:32-35

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, Alleluia

Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, for revealing the
mysteries of the kingdom to mere children. Alleluia!



Gospel

Mark 1: 21-28

Jesus and his disciples went as far as Capernaum, and as soon as the sabbath came he went to the synagogue and began to teach. And his teaching made a deep impression on them because, unlike the scribes, he taught them with authority.

In their synagogue just then there was a man possessed by an unclean spirit and it shouted, 'What do you want with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are: the Holy One of God.' But Jesus said sharply, 'Be quiet! Come out of him!' And the unclean spirit threw the man into convulsions and with a loud cry went out of him. The people were so astonished that they started asking each other what it all meant. 'Here is a teaching that is new' they said 'and with authority behind it: he gives orders even to unclean spirits and they obey him.' And his reputation rapidly spread everywhere, through all the surrounding Galilean countryside.



1973-2023



THE BEGINNING LET THOSE TIMES SPEAK

The Roundhouse in London is an iconic architectural landmark that has inspired architectural innovation and creativity in various parts of the world. This unique structure, originally built as an engine house for trains, played a crucial role in shaping the imagination of Father Taylor, leading to the construction of St. Dominic's, a round church with its own distinct charm.



PLANNING, BUILDING, FURNISHING (1998) Fr. Theodore Taylor, O.P.

For more than two hundred years after Barbados began to be settled Catholic priests were forbidden to land, and when their illicit presence became known they were deported. In the 1830s an Irish garrison was stationed in the island, and it succeeded in its request for a Catholic chaplain. So the Catholic residents, not many in those days, at last had the services of a priest. St. Patrick's was built, one church for the island. The common expression 'going to the Catholic' still refers to St. Patrick's, a cathedral since 1970. In the Marian Year of 1954 the Verdun St. John's chapel was built on land given by the Simpson family. The expansionist drive of the bishop, the Dominican Justin Field whose see was St. George's, Grenada, led in 1959 to the Jesuit Father Pearson constructing the Black Rock church of Our Lady. The Gaiety Cinema in St. James was converted to become St. Francis'. In the north near Speightstown the Sisters of the Sorrowful Mother built a church at the entrance to their hospital and novitiate. In the early 1960s notable development occurred up the west coast. There were

AN INTRODUCTION TO ST. DOMINIC'S



ST. DOMINIC'S 50TH ANNIVERSARY BOOK

**We are in the process of
finalizing the artwork for the
50th Anniversary book and
expect that printing will start
soon.**

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required.**

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



Mass Intentions

JAN 28 - FEB 3

Vigil: Sat 6.30 pm: Gordon Worme & Noel Mayhew-RIP & Roger Worme –B'day
Sun 7.00 am: for Parishioners & Visitors & Mario Hall—thanksgiving
10.30 am: Neville Browne—RIP
6.00 pm: Derek Fields—B'day
Tue 6.30 am: Randall Goddard—RIP & Special intention
Wed 6.30am: Anthony Wood—RIP
Thu 6.30 am: Austin & Babsie Wood—RIP
Fri 6.30 am: Tim Wood & family
Sat 7.00 am: Special intention



Feast of THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD—February 2

"God enters the temple not as a powerful ruler but as a little child in his Mother's arms. The King of glory comes not with a show of human force and power, not with a great fanfare and noise, not causing fright and destruction. He comes into the temple as he came into the world, as an infant in silence, in poverty, and in the company of the poor and the wise." – [Pope John Paul II](#)

(<https://www.nationalshrine.org/blog/why-we-celebrate-the-feast-of-the-presentation-of-the-lord/>)

The Presentation of the Lord is portrayed in mosaic in the [Rosary Walk and Garden](#)



SACRAMENT OF HOLY ANOINTING

Who are the recipients of the Sacrament of the Sick?

We are told in the Introduction to the Rite of Anointing of the Sick that the sacrament of anointing is the proper sacrament for those Christians whose health is seriously impaired by sickness or old age." (par 97) In practice, this instruction should encourage us to avoid two misinterpretations of the sacrament.

The first is the misinterpretation that this sacrament is a sacrament for the dying and that it should be delayed to as close to death as possible. The second is the misinterpretation that this sacrament is appropriate once I have reached old age or if I have a permanent physical, emotional or mental disability. In instructing about the appropriate use of this sacrament we need to focus on the phrase "whose health is seriously impaired" – old age or disability do not, on their own, necessarily equate with serious impairment of health

The Sacrament of Anointing is repeatable, even within the experience of one illness, when a person's condition may deteriorate. Also, within some long term medical conditions (for example, alcoholism, mental illness) there can be acute phases when an anointing can be beneficial to the individual.

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



REMINDER

PLEASE REMEMBER TO BOOK YOUR MASS INTENTIONS EARLY. TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT, DON'T WAIT UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE AS THE MASS MAY BE ALREADY BOOKED.
There are intentions available over the next few months.

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.



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