



## 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)

Parish Priest - Fr. Andy Nyga SAC  
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# St. Dominic's Roman Catholic Church National Shrine of Divine Mercy



Barbados

6th SUNDAY of EASTER  
MAY 5th, 2024 # 775 Year B



## Metanoia

**1st Reading:** Acts 10:25-26,34-35,44-48

**Psalm:** 97(98):1-4

**2nd Reading:** 1 John 4:7-10

**Gospel Acclamation:**

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

*Jesus said: 'If anyone loves me he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we shall come to him.'*

**Alleluia!**



## GOSPEL

John 15:9-17

Jesus said to his disciples:  
'As the Father has loved me,  
so I have loved you.  
Remain in my love.  
If you keep my commandments  
you will remain in my love,  
just as I have kept my Father's commandments  
and remain in his love.  
I have told you this  
so that my own joy may be in you  
and your joy be complete.  
This is my commandment:  
love one another, as I have loved you.  
A man can have no greater love  
than to lay down his life for his friends.  
You are my friends,  
if you do what I command you.  
I shall not call you servants any more,  
because a servant does not know  
his master's business;  
I call you friends,  
because I have made known to you  
everything I have learnt from my Father.  
You did not choose me:  
no, I chose you;  
and I commissioned you  
to go out and to bear fruit,  
fruit that will last;  
and then the Father will give you  
anything you ask him in my name.  
What I command you  
is to love one another.'

## ST.DOMINIC'S/SVP FUNDRAISER



We would like to thank all those who worked to make the Fundraiser a very enjoyable and successful event. We also thank all who came out to enjoy the evening and make it the success that it was.

Thank you to Sandra Hart and her team for the delicious eats.

Thank you to DJTrev for his very enjoyable music!

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.

### Our Ministries:

Altar Servers  
Catechists  
Choir – practice Friday 7pm  
Care Ministry: Breakfast team  
Hampers team  
Decorators and flower arrangers  
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist  
Liturgical group  
Men's group  
Prison Ministry  
Readers  
Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SVP)



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## Mass Intentions

**MAY 5 - 11**

Vigil: Sat 6.30 pm: Frances Reece—Birthday  
Annie Laquis & Family—Blessings  
Sun 7.00 am: for Parishioners & Visitors  
Sun 10.30 am: Nathan Nicholls—for success in exams  
Sun 6.00 pm: Maurine Gahan—RIP  
Tue 6.30 am: George Gomez—RIP  
Wed 7.00am: Owen Davis—Birthday  
Thu 6.30am: Richard cox—Birthday  
Nina Brooker—Birthday  
Fri 6.30 am: Robert Bourque—RIP  
Sat 7.00 am: Kathleen Wood—RIP



### MEMORIAL/PRAYER GARDEN

We encourage you to visit our prayer garden and the Memorial wall. The wall is slowly being filled. If you would like to purchase one of the plaques to commemorate your loved-one, contact the office.

The price, including the Porcelain, engraving and mounting is :  
12 x 6: \$500.00 / 12 x 12: \$1,000.00.

There is also the Columbarium. Cost of a niche is \$2,500.00. There will be an extra charge for the Engraving and inurnment which is done by Coral Ridge Memorial Gardens. Each Niche holds 2 small urns.



### FEAST OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA—May 13

#### Messages from Our Lady

When Our Lady ... appeared to the children, she appeared in the pasture where they were shepherding their flocks, next to a holm oak tree. The area was known as the Cova da Iria, or Cove of Peace. She appeared "more brilliant than the sun" and told the children that she came from Heaven. She wore white with a gold-edged mantle. In her hand, she held a Rosary, a prayer which the children would all pray when she appeared to them on the 13th of the month for six consecutive months. (It is believed that the Rosary began in 1214 when Our Lady appeared to St. Dominic and presented him with both the beads of the Rosary and the prayers which accompanied them.) She came to the children asking them to "pray the Rosary every day, in order to obtain peace for the world, and the end of the war."

During her third apparition she gave the children a vision of hell saying, "You have seen hell where the souls of poor sinners go. To save them, God wishes to establish in the world devotion to my Immaculate Heart. If what I say to you is done, many souls will be saved and there will be peace."

She also told the children that in October she would perform a miracle so that all would see and believe.

(<https://blessedisshe.net/blog>)

### NATIONAL SHRINE OF DIVINE MERCY

As a National Shrine of Divine Mercy, we are commissioned to spread the Message of Divine Mercy to all. Please join us for Divine Mercy Devotion **on Fridays at 6.00 pm**. Jesus gives us 168 hours each week, can we not give Him half an hour of our time?



### On-Line BANKING information for DONATIONS/SUNDAY COLLECTIONS:

**Name:** St. Dominic's Church **Account Type:** Chequeing  
**Transit Number:** 09616 **Account Number:** 78101019 **Currency:** BBD  
**Institution:** FCIB First Caribbean International Bank Ltd. Branch: Rendezvous