



Calendar of the Order of Preachers

The *General Calendar of the Order of Preachers and the Particular Calendar for the Use of Provinces, Monasteries and Congregations* are combined below. Celebrations on the General Calendar of the Order are in **bold type**. The rank of feasts in the General Calendar are indicated as follows:

S = Solemnity
F = Feast
M = Memorial (Obligatory)
OM = Optional Memorial

Four secondary titles have been used to indicate the place of particular saints and blessed in the Order, i.e., friar, nun, sister and lay Dominican. Celebrations of the Roman Calendar with a particular reference to the Order, or for which we have particular texts, but with the same rank on both calendars are enclosed in brackets []. This calendar has been up-dated to conform to the *Catalogus Hagiographicus* (Rome: 2001) and the *Additamenta Missalis ad Proprium Missalis et Liturgiae Horarum* (2006).

JANUARY

- 3** **Holy Name of Jesus Votive Mass and Office recommended (OM)**
Bl. Stephana Quinzani, sister and virgin
- 4** **St. Zedislava [Berkiana] of Lemberk, lay Dominican and Mother (OM) (28 November in the U.S.)**
- 7** **St. Raymond of Peñafort, friar, priest and Master of the Order (M)**
- 10** Bl. Gonsalvo of Amarante, friar and priest
Bl. Ann of the Angels Monteagudo, nun and virgin
- 11** Bl. Bernard Scammacca, friar and priest
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- 18** **St. Margaret of Hungary, nun and virgin (OM)**
- 19** Bl. Andrew Grego of Peschiera, friar and priest
- 22** Bl. Anthony della Chiesa, friar and priest
- 23** Bl. Marcolino of Forli, friar and priest
- 28** **St. Thomas Aquinas, friar, priest and Doctor of the Church (F)**
- 29** Bl. Villana delle Botti, lay Dominican and mother

FEBRUARY

- 2** **[Presentation of the Lord (F)]**
- 3** Bl. Peter Cambiani of Ruffia, friar, priest and martyr
Bl. Anthony Pavonio, friar
Bl. Bartholomew of Cerverio, friar, priest and martyr
- 4** **St. Catherine de Ricci, sister and virgin (OM)**
- Ash Wednesday occurs no earlier than this.*
- 5**
- 7** **Anniversary of Deceased Fathers and Mothers**
- 12** Bl. Reginald of Orleans (France)
- 13** **Bl. Jordan of Saxony, friar, priest and Master of the Order (M)**

- 16 Bl. Nicholas Paglia, friar and priest
 18 **Bl. John of Fiesole (Fra Angelico), friar and priest (OM)**
 19 Bl. Alvarez of Zamorapriest (or of Cordoba), friar and
 20 Bl. Christopher of Milan, friar and priest
 24 Bl. Constantius Servoli of Fabriano, friar and priest
 Bl. Ascensión of the Heart of Jesus Nichol Goñi, virgin.

MARCH

- 10
Ash Wednesday occurs no later than this.
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Easter Sunday occurs no earlier than this.
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 24 [Vigil of the Annunciation of the Lord]
 25 **[Annunciation of the Lord (S)]**

APRIL

- 1 Bl. Guiseppe Girotti, friar, priest and martyr
 Girotti (Italy--St. Dominic; Austria-Bavaria) Bl. Joseph
 10 Bl. Anthony Neyrot, friar, priest and martyr
 13 Bl. Margaret of Città di Castello, lay Dominican and virgin
 14 Bl. Peter Gonzalez (“Saint Elmo”), friar and priest
 17 Bl. Clara Gambacorta, nun and widow
 Bl. Maria Mancini, nun and widow
 19 Bl. Isnard of Chiampo, friar and priest
 Bl. Sibyllina Biscossi, lay Dominican and virgin
 20 **St. Agnes of Montepulciano, nun and virgin (M)**
 24 Conversion of St Augustine, bishop and doctor of the Church
 25
Easter Sunday occurs no later than this.
 26
 27 Bl. Osanna of Kotor, lay Dominican and virgin
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 29 **St. Catherine of Siena, lay Dominican, virgin and Doctor of the Church (F)**
 30 **St. Pius V, friar and pope (M)**

Ascension Thursday occurs no earlier than this.

MAY

- 4 **Passion of Our Lord Jesus Christ * [Votive Mass and Office recommended]**
 Bl. Emily Bicchieri, nun and virgin
 5 **St. Vincent Ferrer, friar and priest (M)**
 7 Bl. Albert de Villa D’Ogna of Bergamo, lay Dominican and Husband
 8 **Patronage of the Blessed virgin Mary [Votive Mass and Office recommended] ***
 10 **St. Antoninus Pierozzi of Florence, friar and bishop (OM)**

Pentecost occurs no earlier than this.

- 11
 12 Bl. Jane of Portugal, nun and virgin
 13 Bl. Imelda Lambertini, nun and virgin
 15 Bl. Giles of Vouzela in Portugal, friar and priest Bl. Andrew Abellon, friar and priest
 16 **Bl. Valdimir Ghika (Vicariate of Eastern Europe)**
 19 **St. Francis Coll Guitart, friar and priest (OM)**
 20 Bl. Columba Guadagnoli of Rieti, sister and virgin
 21 Bl. Hyacinth-Marie Cormier (Italy--Roman)

The Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ occurs no earlier than this.

- 22
 24 **Translation of Our Holy Father Dominic (M)**
 27 Bl. Andrew (Francisco) Franchi, friar and bishop
 28 Bl. Mary Bartholomew Bagnesi, lay Dominican and virgin
 29 Bl. William Arnaud, friar and priest, and companions, martyrs
 30 Bl. James Salomonio, friar and priest

JUNE

- 2 Bl. Sadoc, friar and priest, and companions, martyrs

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Ascension occurs no later than this.

- 4 **St. Peter of Verona, friar, priest and martyr (M)**
 8 **Bl. Diana Andalò and Bl. Cecilia, nuns and virgins (OM)**
 10 Bl. Domnici (Italy--Roman. John)
 12 Bl. Stephen Bandelli, friar and priest

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Pentecost occurs no later than this.

- 14
 18 Bl. Osanna Andreasi of Mantua, lay Dominican and virgin
 20 Bl. Margaret Ebner, nun and virgin
 23 Bl. Innocent V, friar and pope

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The Solemnity of Body and Blood of Christ occurs no later than this.

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JULY

- 4 Bl. Catherine Jarrige, virgin
 Bl. Pier Dominican Giorgio Frassati, lay Dominican (OM)
 7 Bl. Benedict XI, friar and pope
 8 Bl. Adrian Fortescue, lay Dominican, Husband and martyr
 9 **St. John of Cologne, friar and priest, and Companions, martyrs (OM)**
St. Francis Fernandez de Capillis, priest, Peter Sans, bishop, and companions (OM)
 13 Bl. James of Varazze, friar and bishop
 17 Bl. Ceslaus of Poland (Poland)
 18 Bl. Bartholemew Fernandes dos Mártires, friar and bishop
 22 **[St. Mary Magdalen, patroness of the Order (M)]**
 24 Bl. Jane of Orvieto, lay Dominican and virgin
 Bl. Augustine of Biella, friar and priest
 27 Bl. Robert Nutter, friar, priest and martyr

AUGUST

- 2** **Bl. Jane of Aza, mother of St. Dominic and Bl. Mannes (OM)**
3 Bl. Augustine Kažotić of Lucera, friar and bishop
8 **Our Holy Father Dominic, priest (S)** (*In Australia/ New Zealand : 5 August*)
12 Bl. John of Salerno, friar and priest
Bl. Jean-Georges (Thomas) Rehm, friar and priest, martyr
Bl. Aimo Tapparelli, friar and priest
15 **[Assumption of B. Virgin Mary (S)]**
17 **St. Hyacinth of Poland, friar and priest (M)**
18 **Bl. Mannes (or Mames), friar, priest and brother of St. Dominic (OM)**
19 Bl. Jordan de Rivalto of Pisa, friar and priest
23 **St. Rose of Lima, lay Dominican and virgin (M)**
26 Bl. James Bianconi of Bevagna, friar and priest
28 **St. Augustine, bishop and Doctor of the Church (F)**

SEPTEMBER

- 2** Bl. Guala of Bergamo, friar and bishop
Bl. Ingrid Skänninge, widow and nun
4 Bl. Catherine Mattei of Racconigi, lay Dominican and virgin
5 **Anniversary of Deceased Friends and Benefactors**
Bl. Jean Joseph Lataste, friar and priest
6 Bl. Bertrand of Garrigue, friar and priest
Bb. Michael (John Francis) Czartorysky, priest, and Julia Stanislava Rodzińska, virgin and sister, martyrs in Poland.
7 **Bl. John-Joseph Lataste (France)**
18 **St. Juan Macias, friar and Religious (OM)**
19 Bl. Pio Alberto del Corona, friar and bishop
22 Bl. Francis Posadas, friar and priest
Bb. Hyacinth Serrano López, priest, and companions, martyrs in Spain
24 Bl. Dalmatius Moner, friar and priest
25 Bl. Mark Scalabrini of Modena, friar and priest
26 Bl. Lawrence of Ripafratta, friar and priest
28 **St. Dominic Ibañez de Erquicia & St. James Kyushei Tomonaga, friars and priests, and St. Lawrence Ruiz of Manila, lay Dominican and husband, & Comp., martyrs in Japan (OM)**
Bl. Alphonsus Navarrete, friar and priest, and companions, martyrs in Japan (OM)

OCTOBER

- 3** Bl. Dominic Spadafora, friar and priest
4 **Our Holy Father Francis of Assisi, deacon (F)**
5 **Bl. Raymond delle Vigne of Capua, friar, priest and Master of the Order (OM)**
6 Bl. Bartolo Longo, lay Dominican
7 **Blessed Virgin Mary of the Rosary (F)**
8 Bl. Ambrose Sansedoni, friar and priest
Bl. Matthew Carreri, friar and priest
9 **St. Louis Bertrán, friar and priest (M)**
11 Bl. James Griesinger of Ulm, friar and Religious
13 Bl. Magdalen Pannatieri, lay Dominican and virgin

- 14** Bl. Mary Poussepin, sister and virgin
19 Bl. Agnes of Jesus Galand, nun and virgin
21 Bl. Peter Capucci of Città di Castello, friar and priest
22 **Anniversary of the Dedication of the Church (S)** (*when the actual date is unknown.*)
25 Bl. Peter of Geremia, friar and priest
26 Bl. Damian Furcheri of Finale, friar and priest
27 Bl. Bartholomew of Vicenza, friar and bishop
30 Bl. Benvenuta Bojani, lay Dominican and virgin
 Bb. Terence Albert O'Brien, bishop, and Peter Higgins, priest, martyrs in Ireland

NOVEMBER

- 1** [All Saints (S)]
3 **St. Martin de Porres, friar and religious (F)**
5 Bl. Simon Ballachi, friar and religious
6 **Bb. Bonaventure Garcia Paredes, Hyacinth Serrano Lopez and Companions (OM)**
7 **All Saints of the Order of Preachers (F)**
8 **Anniversary of Deceased Brothers and Sisters**
14 Bl. John Liccio, friar and priest
 Bl. Lucy Broccadelli of Narni, virgin and sister
15 **St. Albert the Great, friar, bishop and Doctor of the Church (F)**
19 St Maria-Alphonsina Danil Ghattas, virgin and sister
 Bl James Benefatti, friar and bishop
24 **St Ignatius Delgado, friar & bishop**
St. Vincent Liem, friar and priest
St Dominic An-am, lay Dominican & father, and companions, martyrs in Vietnam (M)
25 St Catherine of Sinai, virgin and martyr
27 Bl. Margaret of Savoy, nun and widow
28 **St. Zedislava [Berkiana] of Lemberk, lay Dominican and Mother (OM) (28 November in the U.S.)**

DECEMBER

- 1** Bl. John of Vercelli, friar, priest and Master of the Order
8 [Immaculate Conception of B. virgin Mary (S)]
9 St. Narcisa of Jesus Martillo y Morán (Peru)
16 Bl. Sebastian Maggi, friar and priest
20 St Dominic of Silos, priest
22 **Anniversary of the Approval of the Order ****
24 [Vigil of the Nativity of our Lord] ***
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26 [Christmas – Nativity of Our Lord Jesus Christ (S)]

Explanation of symbols:

- * Celebrations thus marked are not strictly speaking part of the Calendar of the Order, but are suggested on these days in the Proper; if these days are unsuitable, they may be celebrated as votive offices on any other suitable day

** This anniversary should be marked by an intercession in Prayers of the Faithful at Mass and Intercessions at the major hours of the Office.

*** A “solemn chapter” or other similar proclamation of the Lord’s Incarnation is suggested in the Proper for these days

In addition, one may note two frequent celebrations customary in the Order:

- *Conventual Mass should be offered for the deceased of the Order once a week; they are to be mentioned in the Prayer of the Faithful.*
- *Mass and Office of the Blessed virgin Mary is encouraged on the free Saturdays of Ordinary Time.*

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