

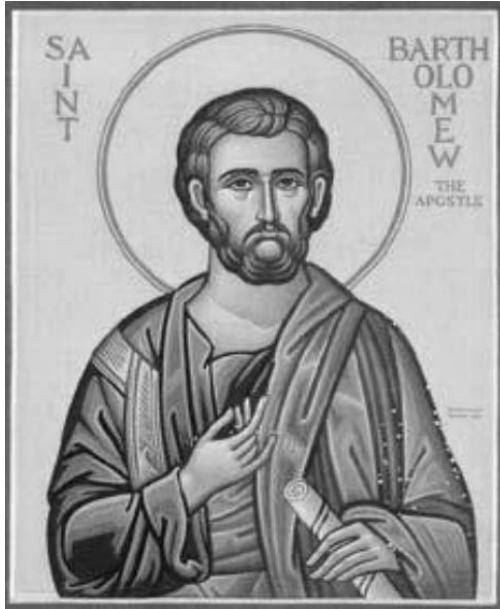
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OFFICE HOURS:

Closed on Mondays

Tuesday – Friday 9am-5pm

Office closed for lunch 12:30pm-1:30pm

SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00pm

Sunday 9:30am, 11:15am, 1:00pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tues, Wed, Thurs & Fri 8:30am

Saturday 9:00am

CONFESSION

Saturday 4pm-4:45pm or by appointment

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PARISH SCHOOLS

St. Bartholomew 416-393-5334

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PARISH REGISTRATION

If you attend the Mass here, register at the church office and use the Sunday envelopes. Registration forms are available in the parish office and website. Please let the office know if you are moving out of the parish.

MARRIAGE

Contact the parish priest one year in advance. Please do not book the time and place of the wedding and reception before your appointment with the priest.

BAPTISM

(Last Sunday of the month @2:30pm)

Parents must be **REGISTERED PARISHIONERS** and regularly attend the Sacraments. The information package is available at the parish office.

PARISH MINISTRIES

Altar Society:

Rebecca Cadawas

Catholic Women's League:

Anne Wylie ext 508

Children's Liturgy 11:15am

Children's Liturgy 5:00pm

Margaret Thomas

Saturday Choir 5:00pm

Amy Vaz

Sunday Choir 9:30am, 1:00pm

William Lynch

Sunday Choir 11:15am Michael Cole/Sheilah D'Souza

Eucharistic Ministers Coordinator Desiree Vical

Hospitality Coordinators

9:30 am Tessie Malonzo

11:15 am Janrol Vinci Fajardo

1:00 pm Daryl Marcelino

5:00 pm Cecille Santiago

Knights of Columbus

Dennis Marcelino ext 509

Legion of Mary

Melanie Sotelo

Maturing Adult Group

Out of the Cold Daphne Smith, Joseph Duarte & Nelson Fernandes

Parish Food Bank

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Bernadette So ext 510

RCIA Coordinators Sonia Da Costa-Spence/John Leitmann ext 511

Sacramental Preparation

Fr. Fernan Serrano

Shut-In Coordinator

Desiree Vical ext 512

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501 Regular Mass Schedule

502 Special messages

503 Church Hours, address and email address

AUGUST 15, 2021 THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



First Reading: Revelation 11:19a; 12:1-6a,10ab

The sign of God's salvation will be a woman clothed with the sun.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:20-27
Christ has redeemed Adam's sin.

Gospel: Luke 1:39-56

Mary greets Elizabeth and sings God's praise.

Background on the Gospel Reading

Today's feast celebrates Mary's Assumption into heaven. It is one of three feasts of Mary: January 1 is the feast of Mary, the Mother of God, and December 8 is the feast of the Immaculate Conception of Mary. The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary into heaven has long been held as an important Catholic belief. The belief was not defined as dogma, however, until 1950 by Pope Pius XII. The dogma teaches that Mary, who was without sin, was taken, body and soul, into the glory of heaven.

The Gospel for this holy day recalls Mary's actions after the announcement of Jesus' birth by the Angel Gabriel. Mary goes to visit her cousin Elizabeth who is also with child. Elizabeth greets Mary with full recognition of the roles they and their unborn children will play in God's plan for salvation. Mary

responds to Elizabeth's greeting with her song of praise, the Magnificat. Both women recall and echo God's history of showing favor upon the people of Israel. Mary's Magnificat, in particular, echoes the song of praise offered by Hannah, the mother of Samuel.

The Gospel for this day reminds us that Mary's Assumption into heaven is best understood with regard for the full spectrum of Catholic beliefs about the person of Christ and the person of Mary. Only Mary, who was born without stain of original sin—the Immaculate Conception—could give birth to Christ, who is fully God and fully human. This is called the Immaculate Conception. Because of Mary's role in God's plan of salvation, she does not suffer from the effects of sin, which are death and decay. Mary is the first to receive the fullness of the redemption that her son has won for all of humanity. The Church, therefore, recognizes Mary as the sign of the salvation promised to all.

Today's Gospel highlights Mary's faith. Mary's faith enabled her to recognize the work of God in her people's history and in her own life. Her openness to God allowed God to work through her so that salvation might come to all. Mary is a model and symbol of the Church. May we be like Mary, open and cooperative in God's plan of salvation.

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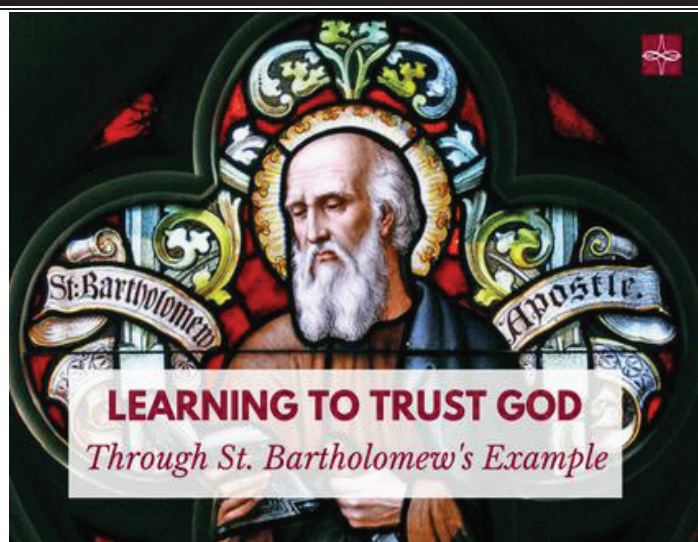
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FEAST DAY:

AUGUST 24, 2021 (TUESDAY)

**NOVENA ON AUGUST 16-24,
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PLEASE NOTE

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AUGUST 7-8, 2021

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Mass INTENTIONS

Saturday 9:00 am 5:00 PM	AUGUST 14, 2021 INTENTIONS OF LAURICE MAHLI FOR ALL THE INTENTIONS OF ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISHIONERS
Sunday 9:30 AM, 11:15 AM, 1:00 PM	AUGUST 15, 2021 FOR ALL THE INTENTIONS OF ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISHIONERS
Monday 8:30 AM	AUGUST 16, 2021 FE PANGANDIAN (†)
Tuesday 8:30 AM	AUGUST 17, 2021 RUSTICA BEREDO DMYTERKO (†)
Wednesday 8:30 AM	AUGUST 18, 2021 WILLIE G. FERMIN SR. (†)
Thursday 8:30 AM	AUGUST 19, 2021 MANUEL ERPELO (†)
Friday 8:30 AM	AUGUST 20, 2021 MILFRED MARCOS (†)

BURNING THIS WEEK:

SANCTUARY LAMPS:

THANKSGIVING FOR BLESSING BESTOWED UPON
MARICHA ECHAVEZ

TABERNACLE CANDLE:

- NELLIE MENDOZA (†)
- SPECIAL INTENTIONS OF SADIARIN FAMILY



Catholic Women's League

I would like to thank the Catholic Women's League for leading the Novena of the Blessed Virgin Mary.



KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS

The Knight will lead us for the Novena of the Patron Saint.

Thank you also to all those who participated in the novena.

May God bless you and your family.

Fr. Fernan Serrano

If there are errors or mistakes in the bulletin we are humans too. Nobody is perfect. -FZS

Trust is...

knowing someone is there to catch your fall. It's knowing someone will be there when you need a shoulder to cry on. It's knowing a promise made is a promise kept. Trust is something we earn everyday.



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