

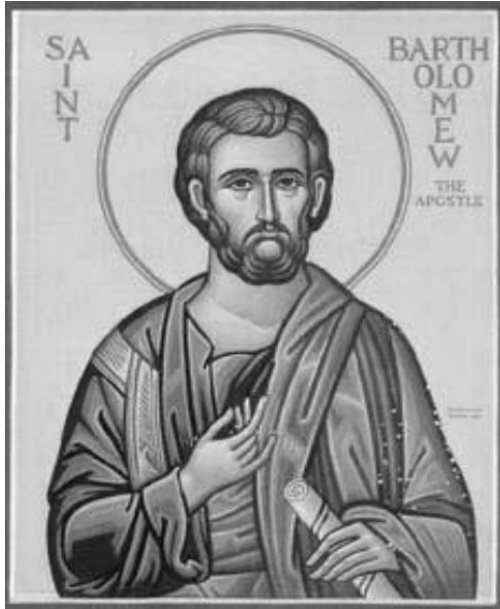
# Saint Bartholomew Parish

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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

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Tues, Wed, Thurs & Fri 8:30am

Saturday 9:00am

## CONFESSION

Saturday 4pm-4:45pm or  
by appointment

## ANOINTING OF THE SICK & HOLY COMMUNION TO SICK/SHUT-IN

Call parish office for appointment

## PARISH SCHOOLS

St. Bartholomew 416-393-5334  
St. Ignatius of Loyola 416-393-5365  
St. Elizabeth Seton 416-393-5386

## 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 5:00pm	Stephanie Silverio
Saturday Choir 5:00pm	Amy Vaz/Emmanuel Lim
Sunday Choir 9:30am	William Lynch
Sunday Choir 11:15am	Michael Cole/Sheilah D'Souza
Eucharistic Ministers Coordinator	Desiree Vical
Hospitality Coordinators	
5:00 pm Cecille Santiago	
9:30 am Tessie Malonzo	11:15 am Janrol Vinci Fajardo
Knights of Columbus	Mardhani Wirapratama ext 509
Legion of Mary	Melanie Sotelo
Finance Council	Dennis Marcelino
Out of the Cold	Daphne Smith, Joseph Duarte & Nelson Fernandes
Parish Food Bank	Michael Gomez
RCIA Coordinators	Sonia Da Costa-Spence/John Leitmann ext 511
First Holy Reconciliation & Communion ext 208	Confirmation ext 513
Sacramental Preparation	Fr. Fernan Serrano
Shut-In Coordinator	Desiree Vical ext 512
Society of St. Vincent de Paul c/o Prince of Peace call 647-234-0265	
Volunteer Screening Committee	Lita Abesamis & Cecille Santiago ext 206

## Other Telephone Extension Numbers

The following are ANNOUNCEMENT ONLY voicemail boxes and will only provide you with information and will not accept messages.

501	Regular Mass Schedule
502	Special messages
503	Church Hours, address and email address



**First Reading: Baruch 5:1-9**

Jerusalem shall see the splendor of God's glory.

**Second Reading: Philippians 1:4-6,8-11**

Paul prays for the Philippians.

**Gospel: Luke 3:1-6**

John preaches repentance and baptizes in the region of the Jordan.

**FAMILY CONNECTION:**

During the season of Advent, we choose to add many activities to our family's schedule to prepare for our celebration of Christmas. John the Baptist reminds us that our repentance is another way in which we can prepare for the Lord's coming and our celebration of Christmas. Parish communities often offer a communal celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation during the Advent season. Your family might choose to participate in the communal celebration of the sacrament, or you might seek out this sacrament on an individual basis.

Read together today's Gospel, Luke 3:1-6. Talk about how John the Baptist called upon the people to prepare the way of the Lord through repentance. Together as a family, prepare a simple reconciliation service in preparation for Christmas. Gather in a prayerful space, perhaps around the family Advent wreath. Read again from today's Gospel, Luke 3:1-6.

Invite each family member to pray silently, asking God to forgive his or her sins. Pray together the Act of Contrition. Then celebrate God's forgiveness by sharing the sign of peace with one another.

**SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION SESSION**



**Be reminded of your next session.**

**FIRST RECONCILIATION & HOLY COMMUNION**

December 13, 2021 – Children's Liturgy

**CONFIRMATION**

December 12-19, 2021 – Attend Mass every weekend.



Let us be considerate of one another. The Masses are now being sold out early and there are some who doesn't show up. **If you can't come please cancel your Eventbrite registration ASAP** so that other people can come and celebrate the Eucharist.

**Please and Thank You Song**



*We are trying to maximize the capacity of the church in order for more people to be able to celebrate with us. **KINDLY DON'T CHANGE SEATS** that were assigned by the Volunteer Hospitality Ministers.*

Thank you for remembering your parish this Christmas Season. This means so much to the parish community. God bless us all.





# Mass INTENTIONS

**Saturday** **DECEMBER 4, 2021**  
 9:00 AM - SPECIAL INTENTIONS OF GENE & LINDA SAZON  
 - NG CHI-KI (†)  
 - 50<sup>th</sup> WEDDING ANNIVERSARY OF RICK & CECILLE NUGUID

5:00 PM - BERT KRAMER (†)

**Sunday** **DECEMBER 5, 2021**  
 9:30 AM FOR ALL THE INTENTIONS OF ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISHIONERS  
 CAROL ANN BRENNAN (†)

11:15 AM **DECEMBER 6, 2021**  
**Monday** WHOLE DAY PASTOR'S REST DAY

**Tuesday** **DECEMBER 7, 2021**  
 8:30 AM DOMENICO SIDOTI (†)

**Wednesday** **DECEMBER 8, 2021**  
 8:30 AM FOR ALL THE INTENTIONS OF ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISHIONERS

**Thursday** **DECEMBER 9, 2021**  
 8:30 AM ISABEL JHOCSON (†)

**Friday** **DECEMBER 10, 2021**  
 8:30 AM BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS FOR ALBERT ALO

**BURNING THIS WEEK:**

**SANTUARY LAMP:**

26<sup>th</sup> WEDDING ANNIVERSARY OF MARICHA & VICTOR ECHAVEZ



**NOVEMBER 29-DECEMBER 8, 2021**  
**@6:15PM**

## Offering Envelopes



**2022 donation envelopes are now available.** Claim them after each Mass. Please don't use the envelopes yet. If you don't have the envelope this year just use a regular envelope and write your name, address and phone number in order for us to record your donation for your tax receipt. Thank you.

LET EVERY HEART

# Prepare



## ADVENT CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Dec. 14	Tuesday	9am to 5pm
Dec. 15	Wednesday	9am to 12pm
Dec. 16	Thursday	9am to 12pm
Dec. 17	Friday	9am to 5pm



Please register by using Eventbrite for the weekend Masses so that you won't be disappointed if you will be turned away. Our capacity at present is 150 parishioners. **NO WALK INS** especially the holiday season. If you need help with the registration kindly ask relatives or friends to do it for you.

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



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