

# Blast from the Past



**St. Bartholomew Parish  
Jubilee Year 1973-2023**



**First Reading: DEUTERONOMY 8:2-3,14B-16A**

Moses tells the people to remember how God delivered them from slavery in Egypt.

**Second Reading: 1 CORINTHIANS 10:16-17**

Though many, we are one body when we partake of the Body and Blood of Christ.

**Gospel: JOHN 6:51-58**

Jesus says, "I AM THE LIVING BREAD."

**FAMILY CONNECTION:**

Our faith teaches us that when we gather to celebrate Mass, Jesus is present to us. The bread and wine truly become the Body and Blood of Christ. This is what we mean by the word transubstantiation: Jesus makes Himself present to all who receive the Body and Blood of Christ.

If there are children in your family who have already celebrated their First Holy Communion, invite them to share their memories of this special day. If there are family photos taken on this occasion, bring them out and share them together. Adults in the family may also share memories or photos that they have of their First Communion. Then read together today's Gospel, John 6:51-58. Reflect together on what Jesus means when he calls himself the "living bread." Recall that every time we receive the Eucharist, Jesus keeps the promise He made in today's Gospel—those who eat His flesh and drink His blood will remain forever connected to Him. Perhaps family members can share what it means for them to receive Jesus in the Eucharist. Together thank God for this gift of Holy Communion. Pray together the Lord's Prayer or today's Psalm.



**Mass INTENTIONS**

- Saturday**      **JUNE 10, 2023**
- 9:00 AM        JOSEPH MOLINARI (†)
- AURORA CALANTUAN (†)
- MARIA DI MARCO (†)
- GRANT McCLEMENT (†)
- 5:00 PM        VICTORIA NORONHA (†)
- Sunday**        **JUNE 11, 2023**
- 9:30 AM        CESAR FERNANDEZ (†)
- 11:15 AM       FOR ALL THE INTENTIONS OF
- ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISHIONERS
- Monday**        **JUNE 12, 2023**
- WHOLE DAY – PASTOR'S REST DAY**
- Tuesday**        **JUNE 13, 2023**
- 8:30 AM        ALESSANDRO FERRANTE (†)
- Wednesday**    **JUNE 14, 2023**
- 8:30 AM        DANIEL RAMIREZ JR. (†)
- Thursday**        **JUNE 15, 2023**
- 8:30 AM        GEORGE HART (†)
- Friday**          **JUNE 16, 2023**
- 8:30 AM        SPECIAL INTENTIONS OF
- MARISSA FRANCO

**BURNING THIS WEEK:**  
**SANCTUARY LAMP:**  
 SPECIAL INTENTIONS OF VICKIE RIVERA



*Prayer to the Sacred Heart of Jesus*

O most holy heart of Jesus, fountain of every blessing, I adore you, I love you, and with lively sorrow for my sins I offer you this poor heart of mine. Make me humble, patient, pure and wholly obedient to your will. Grant, Good Jesus, that I may live in you and for you. Protect me in the midst of danger. Comfort me in my afflictions. Give me health of body, assistance in my temporal needs, your blessing on all that I do, and the grace of a holy death. Amen.

IMAGE FROM ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER PARISH, OSHAWA

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**The month of June is dedicated to our strong devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.**

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



Spring cleaning??? If you have some new items that you won't be using or previously loved items that still look new please consider donating them for our silent auction which is to be held on December 2, 2023.

You may drop off your silent auction donation/s to the office. All donations are welcome. All proceeds will go towards our Building Fund.



1. Advance Feast Day Mass with Bishop Vincent on August 20, 2023 at the 11:15am Mass

2. FEAST OF ST. BARTHOLOMEW, August 24, 2023 (Thursday) breakfast after the morning Mass.



3. **HERITAGE NIGHT**  
**EMBRACING OUR DIFFERENCES**  
December 2, 2023 (Saturday), 6:30pm till Midnight  
QSSIS Banquet Halls  
3474 Kingston Rd, Scarborough, ON M1M 1R5  
Adults \$50.00, Children under 12 \$20.00

*It's a night of fun, dancing, dining, silent auction, prizes galore, and many more.*

The Theme: Unity in Diversity

Attire: Wear something that will represent your heritage & culture

Food: Bread, Pilaf, Pasta, Salad, Rice, Chicken, Beef & Dessert

Bottomless non-alcoholic beverages, coffee & tea

Tickets are now on sale. Approach our jubilee committee before and after Mass. TICKETS WILL NOT BE SOLD AT THE DOOR.

**NEW TO THE PARISH OR HAVEN'T REGISTERED AS A PARISHIONER YET?**

PLEASE DO NOT TAKE FOR GRANTED THE IMPORTANCE OF BEING A REGISTERED PARISHIONER. ATTENDING THE MASS HERE DOESN'T MEAN THAT YOU ARE. Did you fill up the registration form? Do you receive envelopes? If not, it could be quite frustrating to us, to you, and to your family when someone wants to make wedding plans, have a baby Baptized, or if you are asked to act as a sponsor for Baptism or Confirmation requiring a note of Catholicity from us. If we have no record of your membership, we cannot do this.

**PARENTS:** If you have children living at home who are 18 years old or older, they need to register in the parish on their own.

**Belonging to our parish community is more than filling out a registration form.**

**Why Should I Give?**

1. Giving is one of the purest forms of worshipping God.
2. Giving demonstrates a dedicated heart.
3. Giving is an important part of God's nature and should be an important part of the nature of every believer.

*"But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys, and where thieves do not break in or steal; for where your treasure is, there your heart will be also. — No one can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and wealth." (Matthew 6:20-21; 24 NASU)*

Using offertory envelopes/PAG (Pre-authorized giving) not only allows the church to give you a yearly **receipt for income tax** but it also lets us know that you are a **regular active parishioner**. This helps when you want to have a **Baptism, Communion, Confirmation or Marriage** in the parish or if you want a **letter of reference**. Father cannot say that you are a regular parishioner when he sees over 1000 people per weekend.

To register please go to the office/website and fill out the parishioner registration form and email it/drop it off in the office.

**MASS: NATIONAL INDIGENOUS PEOPLES DAY**

His Grace Archbishop Francis Leo will celebrate Mass at the Native Peoples' Mission in observance of National Indigenous Peoples Day. The day honours and celebrates the culture and heritage of First Nations, Inuit and Métis people.  
**Date: Wednesday, June 21, 2023 Time: 7 p.m.**  
**Place: Native Peoples' Mission, St. Ann's Church, 120 First Avenue, Toronto** Following Mass, a reception will be held in the parish hall. All are Welcome!



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