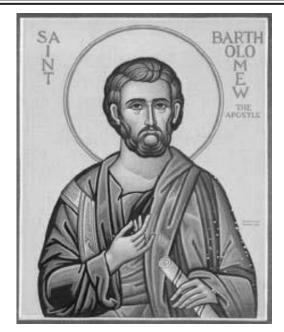


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OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday - Friday 9:00am-12:30pm &

1:30pm - 4:00pm

Closed for: Lunch (12:30pm-1:30pm)

Weekends & Mondays

Last appointment 3:00pm

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00pm

Sunday 9:30am, 11:15am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tues, Wed, Thurs & Fri 8:30am Saturday 9:00am

CONFESSION

15 minutes before and after each Mass or by appointment on weekdays.

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

Call or email 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

Parents must be **REGISTERED PARISHIONERS** and regularly attend the Sacraments.

FIRST COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION PREPARATION

These programs normally run from September-May. Information Session takes place a week after the school opens in September (schedules are subject to changes). We only give one information session in a year. Dates are provided to the parish schools in the newsletter and also posted on our website, bulletin, bulletin boards and pastor's announcements as early as June. PARENTS must be **REGISTERED PARISHIONERS** and actively attend the Sacraments.

PARISH MINISTRIES

Altar Society		Rebecca Cadawas
Catholic Women's League		Sheilah D'Souza ext508
Children's Liturgy		Stephanie Silverio
Choir	5:00pm	Amy Vaz
	9:30am	William Lynch
	11:15am	Michael Cole/Sheilah D'Souza
Eucharistic Minister		Desiree Viceral
Hospitality Ministers	5:00pm	Cecille Santiago
	9:30am	Tessie Malonzo
	11:15am	Janrol Vinci Fajardo
Knights of Columbus		Derek McDonald ext 509
Lectors	5:00pm	Flora Vaz
	9:30am	Louisa Uduehi
	11:15am	Shiranka Warnakulasuriya
Finance Council		Dennis Marcelino
Parish Charity Work		Daphne Smith
Parish Food Bank		Michael Gomez
RCIA Coordinator		Sonia Da Costa-Spence
Shut-in Coordinator		Desiree Viceral ext512
Society of St. Vincent de Paul		c/o Prince of Peace Parish
		call 647-234-0265
Volunteer Screening Committee		Cecille Santiago ext206

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17th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



FIRST READING: 2 KINGS 4:42-44

Elisha the prophet feeds 100 people with 20 barley loaves.

SECOND READING: EPHESIANS 4:1-6

The Ephesians are encouraged to live the unity of their Baptism.

GOSPEL: JOHN 6:1-15

Jesus feeds the crowd of more than five_thousand people with five barley loaves and two fish.

FAMILY CONNECTION

Parents may sympathize with the disciples' protests when Jesus asks Philip where food might be found for the crowd. In the responses of both Philip and Andrew, we hear feelings of inadequacy as they survey their limited resources in the face of such great need. We may sometimes share these feelings about our own material possessions or our emotional and spiritual resources in the face of our family's needs. This is a Gospel of hope for these times, which are all too frequent in parenting and family life. As Jesus made the five barley loaves and two fish sufficient to more than meet the needs of over five thousand people, Jesus will also work with what we have to provide for our family's needs. When we offer our efforts to God, we ask him to transform them so that they will be more than adequate to the tasks and needs before us. As you gather as a family, talk together about the things that your family needs, starting with the basics-food, shelter, safety, and so on. Continue by naming other things that a family needs to be happy and healthy—time together, cooperation, patience, and so on. Observe that sometimes we can feel like we don't have enough of the things that we need or want. Read together today's Gospel, John 6:1-15. Talk about how Jesus provided plenty of food for the crowd with just five barley loaves and two fish. We have faith that

Jesus will also take what we have and make it enough to satisfy and fill all our needs. We ask for this blessing when we offer to God the work of each day in prayer in the Morning Offering. Pray together the Morning Offering, asking God to bless and make fruitful the work of each of our days.

H. Mass INTENTIONS

Saturday JULY 27, 2024

9:00 AM QUEENIE CHOW (†)

5:00 P.M. ESPERANCE & FELIX D'SOUZA (†)

Sunday JULY 28, 2024

9:30 AM FOR ALL THE INTENTIONS OF

ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISHIONERS

11:15 AM SABINO ZITOLI (†)

Monday JULY 29, 2024

WHOLE DAY - PASTOR'S REST DAY

Tuesday JULY 30, 2024

8:30 AM =AVAILABLE= Wednesday JULY 31, 2024

8:30 AM PRESTON SEEDANEE (†)

Thursday AUGUST 1, 2024

8:30 AM HEALING & RECOVERY OF

MARGARET KONG

Friday AUGUST 2, 2024

8:30 AM DONALD D'MELLO (†)

BURNING THIS WEEK:

SANCTUARY LAMP: SAFETY & PROTECTION FOR ECHAVEZ FAMILY



SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION Reconciliation First Eucharist and Confirmation

2024-2025

PARENTS OF GRADES 2, 3, 7 & 8

MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

The Sacramental Preparation Information

Registration for 2024-2025 will be

September 14, 2024.

First Reconciliation & Communion is @

10am

Confirmation @ 1pm.

See website for details.

17th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Expecting a baby, or have been blessed with the birth of a child? Would you like your child to be Baptized at St. Bartholomew Parish? You must be a registered parishioner for at least 3 to 6 months, and attending Mass

regularly before the Baptism date. So, check with the office to see if you are registered.

Although Baptisms are not refused at St. Bartholomew Parish, all forms and details must be completed before the sacrament is given. Sacraments should not be entered into due to family pressure, or because social and thev are seen as merely cultural conventions. The pastor the must be sure that proper understanding and disposition towards sacrament is evident before proceeding. We are not looking for perfection from parents, but a reasonable assurance that commitment meaningful their is to themselves and to the faith-life of their family.



FEAST OF ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISH FAMILY DAY & NOVENA

The Feast of parish patron;

St. Bartholomew the apostle falls on a weekend. This is an opportune time to celebrate with our parish family and welcome the fall season.

NOVENA: August 16-24, 2024
Begins with the Rosary at 6pm followed by the liturgy. On the last day of the Novena it will be at 9am followed by brunch at the lobby.

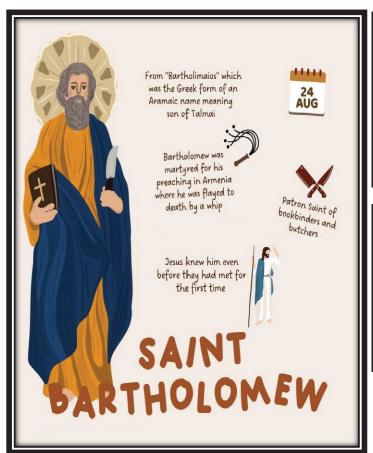
PARISH FAMILY DAY: AUGUST 24-25, 2024 (After ALL Masses)

Tickets are on sale in the church lobby starting this weekend until August 18, 2024.

\$5 hotdogs or burgers/ticket Drinks are available for \$1.00

There's more food to be purchased on the event.

Bring cash.





Our parish was able to raise \$590.00 from your donations of household items, wall decors, clothes etc. All proceeds will go towards our soon to be hall. Thank you for the support and to our volunteers for manning the parish table.



Thank you Tony, Alba Segreto & family for donating the statue of the parish patron saint; St. Bartholomew. God bless you and your family.

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



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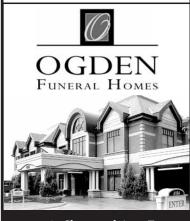
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