

SAINT BARTHOLOMEW PARISH

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As the leaves turn gold and yellow...

The air turns crisp...

Thanksgiving comes, a time to remember...

*Our blessings and make good cheer
with all those who are so dear.*

*Wishing you a Thanksgiving
as special as
you are.*



Pastor: Rev. Father Fernan Serrano **Permanent Deacon:** Deacon Gerry Cruz
Parish Secretary: Marichu Alo ext 201 **Parish Custodian:** Angelito Flauta

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 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.



FIRST READING: WISDOM 7:7-11

Wisdom is preferred above gold and silver.

SECOND READING: HEBREWS 4:12-13

The Word of God exposes the heart.

GOSPEL: MARK 10:17-30 (SHORTER FORM MARK 10:17-27)

A man with many possessions asks Jesus what he must do to gain eternal life.

FAMILY CONNECTION

Today's Gospel might make us uncomfortable about our possessions. This discomfort offers us an opportunity to consider our possessions and our family's commitment to the poor. Material possessions are a necessity in our culture. Our use of these possessions and our attitude about their importance is our choice, however. It is a choice we can make with the awareness that our faith in Jesus commits us to show our care for the poor.

As you gather as a family, consider together these questions: Would it be possible to inventory our possessions? Are there things in our house that we no longer need or use? What might we do with these things? Read together today's Gospel, Mark 10:17-30. Talk about the warning about material possessions that Jesus gives in this Gospel. How does this make you feel? Choose an action that helps your family show its commitment to the poor. Conclude by praying together the Peace Prayer of Saint Francis.


Mass INTENTIONS

- Saturday** **OCTOBER 12, 2024**
- 9:00 AM - RAFAEL DE LEON (†)
- RINA ANDRES (†)
- VIVENCIA PENA (†)
- 5:00 PM - THANSIVING OF D'SOUZA FAMILY
- Sunday** **OCTOBER 13 2024**
- 9:30 AM FOR ALL THE INTENTIONS OF ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISHIONERS
- 11:15 AM LETICIA CHUA (†)
- Monday** **OCTOBER 14, 2024**
- 8:30AM ROWENA IANTHE ALFONSO (†)
- Tuesday** **OCTOBER 15, 2024**
- 8:30 AM LILIBETH BERCASIO (†)
- Wednesday** **OCTOBER 16, 2024**
- 8:30 AM CESAR FERNANDEZ (†)
- Thursday** **OCTOBER 17, 2024**
- 8:30 AM THANKSGIVING OF CORA BELTIJAR & FAMILY
- Friday** **OCTOBER 18, 2024**
- 8:30 AM IRENEO NERY (†)

BURNING THIS WEEK: SANCTUARY LAMP: THANKSGIVING FOR BLESSINGS BESTOWED UPON ECHAVEZ FAMILY



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



NOVEMBER VOTIVE CANDLES are now available. You have 4 weekends to choose from. Your candle/s will be lit in front of the altar based on the date that you chose. Get the form from our hospitality ministers. A donation of \$10.00 PER CANDLE is appreciated.

MEMORIAL MASS
NOVEMBER 8, 2024 (Friday)
ROSARY @ 6:30PM MASS @ 7PM

GUIDELINES:

1. This is a Mass requested by IMMEDIATE FAMILY only.
2. Your loved one died from NOVEMBER 2023 UNTIL OCTOBER 2024 only.
3. Funeral Service was held at St. Bartholomew or Funeral Service was presided by Fr. Serrano
4. One candle will be provided for every family. If you wish to have more a donation of \$10 will be appreciated.
5. Please submit name of deceased, date of death, your relationship on or before October 25, 2024 (Friday). Email is preferred but you can also call the office. Just leave a message. For email on the subject line: Memorial Mass.
6. We also have the form available in the office. We will also need the name and phone number of the people who will be joining the Memorial Mass.

Our parish community continues to pray for the deceased members and for the loved ones of every member of our parish community for the entire month of November

GUIDE TO FUNERAL ARRANGEMENT

1. Go to the funeral home of your choice. **Don't call the church and make the arrangements yourself.**
2. Discuss to the funeral director all that you wish for your loved ones funeral (date, time, organist etc.).
3. The funeral director will then call the parish to make the necessary arrangements
4. Once everything has been confirmed you will then be asked to see the pastor for the readings.
5. Call the parish office to set an appointment. Normally families would come to the parish after the arrangement in the funeral home.

Please note:

1. **The funeral arrangement can only be done by immediate family.**
2. The prayer service is done by either the deacon or priest on the day of the viewing which is the day before the funeral.
3. If you wanted another priest to do the funeral service the family must inform the parish office ahead of time. The bereaved family will take care of the stipend of the visiting priest on top of the donation to the parish.
5. Eulogy must be done at the funeral home (during visitation). This will prevent the delay of going to the cemetery. You will be charged by the cemetery if you are late.
6. If you wish for live streaming discuss with the funeral director. The parish doesn't provide that service.

FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR

Saturday, October 19, 2024 at 9:00 a.m.

TO REGISTER:
 Send an email to: Development@ArchToronto.org and write "webinar October 19" in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.



Parish Head Count
October 14/15, 2024 and
October 21/22, 2024



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