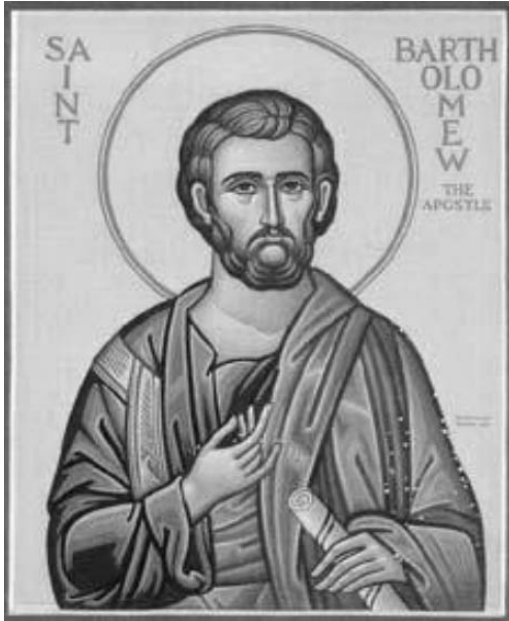


# SAINT BARTHOLOMEW PARISH

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**Pastor:** Rev. Father Fernan Serrano  
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**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 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

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



**FIRST READING: 1 KINGS 17:10-16**

Through Elijah, a widow and her son are blest with enough flour and oil to supply them for a year.

**SECOND READING: HEBREWS 9:24-28**

Christ died once to take away sin; He will return again to bring salvation.

**GOSPEL: MARK 12:38-44 (SHORTER FORM, MARK 12:41-44)**

Jesus notices a poor widow's offering and commends her great sacrifice.

**FAMILY CONNECTION**

Today's Gospel leads us to think about our family's financial contributions to our parish community, the diocese, other Church-sponsored organizations, and other charitable organizations. Good stewardship invites us to share our treasure as well as our time and talent. Sometimes, however, decisions about a family's charitable giving are made without our children's knowledge. Yet we teach more when we invite all family members to be aware of how we contribute to our Church and to other charitable organizations.

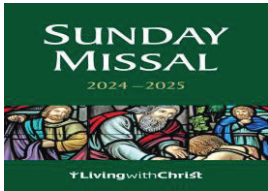
As you gather as a family, talk about your family's financial contributions to your parish and to other Church activities. If your family supports other charitable organizations, you might talk about these as well. Talk together about why it is important for us to share our resources with these organizations. Read today's Gospel, Mark 12:41-44. Talk about

what Jesus observes about the generosity of the poor widow. Talk also about ways in which your family might also make a sacrificial gift to support your parish or other charitable organization. (Perhaps your family might choose not to go out to dinner but to contribute the money to your parish). Invite all family members to participate in the decision about what action you will take and which organization you will support with your contribution. Conclude in prayer together asking God to help your family be generous like the poor widow in today's Gospel. Pray together the Peace Prayer of St. Francis.




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| <b>Saturday</b>               | <b>NOVEMBER 9, 2024</b>   |
| 9:00 AM                       | - BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS FOR THERESE SANTOS<br>- AURORA CALANTUAN (†)<br>- GEORGE HART (†)<br>- DECEASED HART-BENITEZ FAMILY (†)<br>- EASTER SORIANO ZABALA (†)<br>- ANTONIA CASTILLO MAGBAGO (†) |
| 5:00PM                        | DECEASED VILLALUZ & BELTIJAR FAMILY (†)   |
| <b>Sunday</b>                 | <b>NOVEMBER 10, 2024</b>  |
| 9:30 AM                       | FOR ALL THE INTENTIONS OF ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISHIONERS  |
| 11:15 AM                      | LIBERTA FERNANDES (†)   |
| <b>Monday</b>                 | <b>NOVEMBER 11, 2024</b>  |
| WHOLE DAY – PASTOR'S REST DAY |   |
| <b>Tuesday</b>                | <b>NOVEMBER 12, 2024</b>  |
| 8:30 AM                       | INTENTIONS OF STANLEY NUNES (†)   |
| <b>Wednesday</b>              | <b>NOVEMBER 13, 2024</b>  |
| 8:30 AM                       | PRESTON SEEDANEE (†)  |
| <b>Thursday</b>               | <b>NOVEMBER 14, 2024</b>  |
| 8:30 AM                       | LITA DIMAANO (†)  |
| <b>Friday</b>                 | <b>NOVEMBER 15, 2024</b>  |
| 8:30 AM                       | ESPERANZA PRUDENCIANO (†)   |


**BURNING THIS WEEK:**  
**SANCTUARY LAMP:**  
 THANKSGIVING OF CHERYL TUMULAK



2024-2025 Missals are now available for \$10 each. Please approach Hospitality Ministers before and after Mass.

**Offering Envelopes**  
2025 donation envelope is now available at the North lobby.

  
With much joy and anticipation let us welcome the pastoral visit of the **Most Rev. Vincent Nguyen** in **DEC. 13-15, 2024**. The Bishop will celebrate all the Masses on these dates. **ALL ARE WELCOME.**



 *Catholic Women's League*  
**CWL Raffle & Bake Sale**  
Raffle tickets will be sold on the weekends of November 9/10 & 16/17 before and after all Masses.  
Bake sale Saturday, 23rd and Sunday 24th November after all Masses.  
*All proceeds go to CWL charities. Your support is greatly appreciated.*



If you are packing a shoebox for Operation Christmas Child, please remember to bring your box to Mass on **November 16 or 17**. This is the deadline for the collection of shoeboxes. The CWL thanks you for your support.

*join us*  
It's time to enjoy some holiday cheer, so join us for dinner for Christmas is here!  
**FUNDRAISING FOR OUR PARISH HALL**  
**Pre-Christmas Party**  
**December 14, 2024**  
**6pm till midnight**



Enjoy a night of dancing, singing and fellowship and win surprise prizes.

**VENUE:** The Estate Banquet & Event Centre  
430 Nugget Ave., Toronto, ON M1S 4A4

**ATTIRE:** Semi-formal with a touch of Christmas

**TICKETS:** \$80 for adults and kids  
2 years old and below free

**MENU:**

**HORS D'OEUVRES**

**ANTIPASTO BUFFET**

**PASTAS**

(Penne, Cheese or meat Tortellini, Fusilli)

**SAUCES**

(Fresh tomato & basil sause, Alfredo, Alla vodka, Arabiata)

**SALAD (MIXED GREENS)**

**ENTREES**

**Grilled Chicken Breast** (Marinated in olive oil & garlic, served in a mushroom peppercorn sauce)

**Salmon fillet** (served in lemon butter sauce)

**DESSERT & BAR**

\*All entrees served with seasonal vegetables & parisienne potatoes or rice

**Tickets are now available through the office.**

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