

# SAINT BARTHOLOMEW PARISH

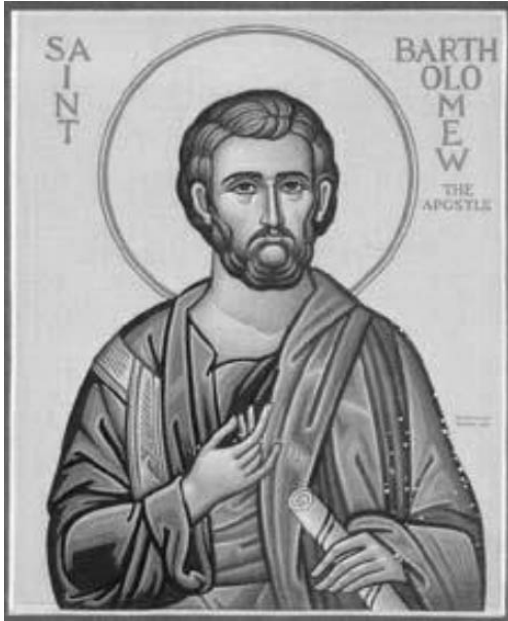
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**Pastor:** Rev. Father Fernan Serrano

**Permanent Deacon:** Deacon Gerry Cruz

**Parish Secretary:** Marichu Alo

**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

### Altar Society

### Catholic Women's League

### Children's Liturgy

### Choir

5:00pm

9:30am

11:15am

### Eucharistic Minister

### Hospitality Ministers

5:00pm

9:30am

11:15am

### Knights of Columbus

### Lectors

5:00pm

9:30am

11:15am

### Finance Council

### Parish Charity Work

### Parish Food Bank

### RCIA Coordinator

### Shut-in Coordinator

### Society of St. Vincent de Paul

### Volunteer Screening Committee

Rebecca Cadawas

Annette MacDonald

Stephanie Silverio

Amy Vaz

William Lynch

Michael Cole/Sheilah D'Souza

Desiree Viceral

Cecille Santiago

Tessie Malonzo

Janrol Vinci Fajardo

Derek McDonald

Flora Vaz

Louisa Uduehi

Shiranka Warnakulasuriya

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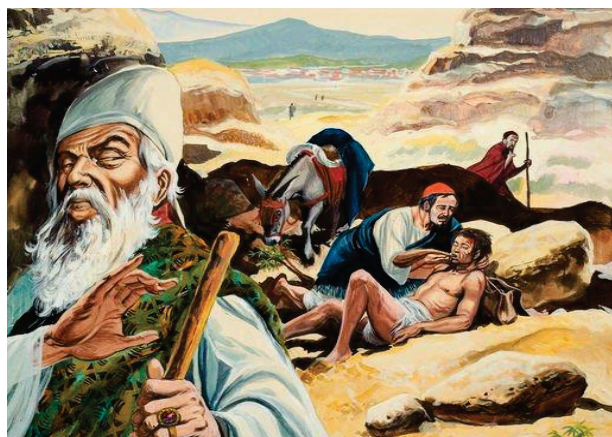
Sonia Da Costa-Spence

Desiree Viceral

c/o Prince of Peace Parish

call 647-234-0265

Cecille Santiago

**FIRST READING: DEUTERONOMY 30:10-14**

Moses reminds the people that God's commandments are not remote but are already in their hearts.

**SECOND READING: COLOSSIANS 1:15-20**

Jesus is the head of the body, the Church.

**GOSPEL: LUKE 10:25-37**

The parable of the Good Samaritan

**FAMILY CONNECTION:**

Families rely on selfless love. Parents show love for their children not just when it's convenient, but whenever their children's needs must be met. Imagine if the members of a family were concerned only with their own needs. How quickly things would fall apart!

In the story of the Good Samaritan, we learn about someone who went out of his way to care for the needs of another. He recognized the victim as his brother and accepted responsibility for him. As a family, talk about the responsibilities of each member of the family. Share how you, as parents, care for the needs of everyone in the family even when it's inconvenient. Ask your children to share times when they did chores and helped the family even when it was not convenient.

Read aloud this Sunday's Gospel, Luke 10:25-37. Talk about how the Samaritan went out of his way to care for the needs of the victim. Make a commitment as a family to follow the example of the Good Samaritan. Explain that the more you learn to accept responsibility for each other's needs at home, the more you'll be able to accept responsibility for the needs of others in the world.



**Saturday July 26 from 8:30am-2:00pm**

Contact us at [kofc11813@gmail.com](mailto:kofc11813@gmail.com) or (437)435-0333 for details. Payments **Thank you for NOT calling the parish office.**



<b>Saturday</b>	<b>JULY 12, 2025</b>
9:00 AM	- CORNELIA LIM (†) - DECEASED DEVAKAR FAMILY (†) - ELLEN YAM (†)
5:00 PM	GILBERT & SEQUEIRA FAMILY (†)
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>JULY 13, 2025</b>
9:30 AM	FOR ALL THE INTENTIONS OF ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISHIONERS SPECIAL INTENTIONS OF DEREK McDONALD & JANE FAJARDO
11:15 AM	
<b>Monday</b>	<b>JULY 14, 2025</b>
<b>WHOLE DAY – PASTOR'S REST DAY</b>	
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>JULY 15, 2025</b>
8:30am	INTENTIONS OF FILOMENA LAM
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>JULY 16, 2025</b>
8:30am	IUT SAM (†) <i>Pronounced Yee Yuet Sam</i>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>JULY 17, 2025</b>
8:30am	SPECIAL INTENTIONS OF ELAINE & RON YU
<b>Friday</b>	<b>JULY 18, 2025</b>
8:30am	- ASUNTA FERNANDO (†) - ANTONIA TUMULAK (†) - SAM SPENCE (†)



**July 13, 2025 – Building Fund**

**August 10, 2025 – Building Fund**

We kindly ask that you ensure your donation reaches the parish within one month of the collection date. Your generosity is vital, as 100% of the special collection contributions will be sent directly to the Archdiocese of Toronto within that timeframe. Together, we can make a meaningful impact in our community.

**THANK YOU**  
for your generosity  
**YOUR SUPPORT HELPS SUSTAIN OUR PARISH!**

**SAFETY GRILL APPEAL**

**Launched June 21 & 22, 2025**



➡ Goal: \$20,000

➡ **\$2190.00** July 5 & 6  
➡ **\$2211.75** June 28 & 29  
➡ **\$595** June 21 & 22

Make a meaningful impact on the safety of St. Bartholomew Parish by generously contributing to our safety grill appeal. Please drop off your donation, clearly marked for the safety grill, before the appeal concludes. Your support is essential in creating a secure environment for our community. Thank you.

## AUGUST SCHEDULE

### August 15, 2025 Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

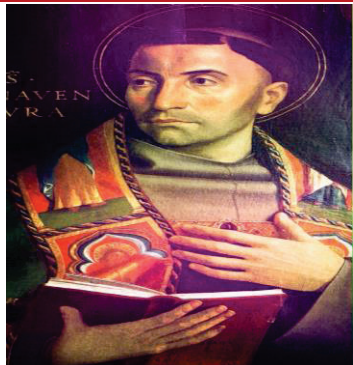
8:30am Mass  
5:00pm Adoration  
6:00pm - Rosary followed by Mass

### August 16-23, 2025 Novena to the Parish Patron

6pm Rosary followed by the Mass


Note: For August 22 (Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary) we will begin at 5pm with Adoration, Rosary and Mass

### August 23-24 Parish Family Day Celebration



THREE THINGS ARE  
NECESSARY TO EVERYONE:  
TRUTH OF FAITH WHICH  
BRINGS UNDERSTANDING,  
LOVE OF CHRIST WHICH  
BRINGS COMPASSION,  
AND ENDURANCE OF HOPE  
WHICH BRINGS PERSEVERANCE.

**ST. BONAVENTURE**



*Prayer to  
Our Lady of  
Mt. Carmel*

O Most beautiful flower of Mount Carmel, beautiful vine, splendor of heaven, Blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in this my necessity... O Star of the Sea, help me and show me herein you are my mother.

O Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of heaven and earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart, to succor me in this my necessity; there are none that can withstand your power.

O show me herein you are my Mother. O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse. Sweet Mother, I place this cause in your hands.

Amen.

## Archdiocesan Pilgrimage to Martyrs' Shrine Sunday, August 24, 2025 (16163 Highway 12 West, Midland, Ontario)

During this Jubilee Year, please consider joining Cardinal Leo and the bishops, priests and deacons of the Archdiocese for a pilgrimage to the Martyrs' Shrine, a national holy and historic space honoring the lives of the Canadian Martyrs and a designated Archdiocesan Jubilee Site (for pilgrimage and plenary indulgence).

The program for the day will be as follows:

- **9:00 – 10:45 a.m.** Arrival and personal time to explore and discover the grounds; Sacrament of Reconciliation offered
- **11:00 a.m.** Holy Mass with Frank Cardinal Leo, Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto
- **12:30 p.m.** Lunch (you are encouraged to bring a picnic lunch – limited catering available onsite)
- **1:30 p.m.** Rosary Procession
- **2:00 p.m.** Eucharistic Adoration
- **2:45 p.m.** Benediction
- **3:00 p.m.** Fellowship and departure at leisure

Entrance Fee (payable on arrival) Adults: \$10 / Youth (0-18): Free  
Please bring your own lawn chair for seating at Mass (and sunscreen and hat)

You may wish to drive yourself or arrange with a parish or group to charter a bus. To register as an individual pilgrim or group or for more information, please visit:  
<https://bit.ly/JubileePilgrimageToMartyrsShrine>



**SACRAMENTAL  
PREPARATION**

Reconciliation  
First Eucharist  
and Confirmation

**2025-2026**

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

The Sacramental Preparation Information Registration for 2025-2026 will be **in September 14, 2025.**

**First Reconciliation & Communion is @ 10am**

**Confirmation @ 1pm**

**See website for details.**

Parents/legal guardian must be registered parishioners. Check with the parish office.

It is the responsibility of the parents to be active and alert to the announcements and information about the Sacramental preparation. Check our website, grab a bulletin and attend the weekend Masses to know what is happening in the parish. Pay attention to avoid disappointment.

If you belong to another parish, by either geographical territory or registration, we would recommend that you contact that particular church. For meaningful preparation and celebration of the sacraments to happen, it is important that these take place in the same parish that your family goes to Mass.

If you are not a registered parishioner anywhere and you want your child to attend the sacramental preparation at St. Bartholomew Parish kindly fill out the parish registration form.



## JUBILEE 2025 PILGRIMS OF HOPE

As we move into the summer season, know that you are always most welcome at any of our 200+ Catholic Churches throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto. You may also be interested in a visit to one of our [Jubilee pilgrimage churches](#). To stay updated on the latest events and news, visit: [www.archtoronto.org](http://www.archtoronto.org)

Be assured of our prayers and best wishes to you and your loved ones for a relaxing and joy-filled summer.

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



## CATHOLIC CEMETERIES & FUNERAL SERVICES

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