

FIRST READING: WISDOM 18:6-9

The Hebrew people awaited the salvation of the just.

SECOND READING: HEBREWS 11:1-2,8-19

We will look for the city designed and built by God.

GOSPEL: LUKE 12:32-48

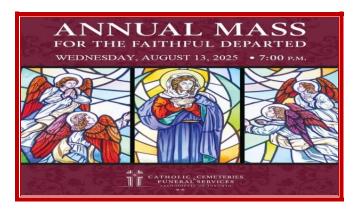
You also must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come.

FAMILY CONNECTION:

Years ago, most families had only one or two clocks in their home. Today, we have clocks everywhere—on our walls, on our microwave ovens, on our cell phones, and so on. As a family, go through the house and count how many clocks (time-telling devices) your family has. Talk about important events for which family members need to be on time. Recall experiences of being late for something, either as individuals or as a family. Explain that in this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus talks about how important it is for us to be aware and alert, otherwise, we will miss something.

Read aloud Luke 12:32-48. Talk about the parable that Jesus told and discuss how the master will feel if he arrives to find his servant doing his job. Discuss what our job is as disciples of Jesus. Explain that, just as we need to be aware of the time so that we don't miss anything important, we also need to be alert and focused on our jobs, our responsibilities as followers of Jesus.

Encourage each family member to place a sacred symbol near the clock that they use most in the house and to use the symbol and the clock as a reminder that it is always "time" for us to be acting like disciples of Christ.



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

Saturday **AUGUST 9, 2025**

9:00 AM - JULITA BAUTISTA (†)

> - THANKSGIVING OF **BONIFACIO QUIMING** -JOSEPHINE CAMILLERI (†)

-ROGELIO EMPENSANDO (†)

-ALOY & ANNE CANAGASURIAM (†) 5:00 PM INTENTIONS AND BLESSINGS OF

IAN CANAGASURIAM

Sunday **AUGUST 10, 2025**

FOR ALL THE INTENTIONS OF 9:30 AM

ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISHIONERS

11:15 AM **EDMOND CORTEZ (†)** Monday **AUGUST 11, 2025**

WHOLE DAY - PASTOR'S REST DAY Tuesday **AUGUST 12, 2025**

8:30am SPEEDY RECOVERY OF

NELSON LAM SAI KIT Wednesday **AUGUST 13, 2025**

8:30am

SPECIAL INTENTIONS OF **FILOMENA LAM**

AUGUST 14, 2025

Thursday 8:30am JUNE VELEZ WHITMER (†)

Friday AUGUST 15, 2025

8:30am FOR ALL THE INTENTIONS OF

ST. BARTHOLOMEW PARISHIONERS







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: Fon August 22 (Queenship of the Blessed Vingin Many) we will begin at 5pm with Adonation, Rosany and Mass

August 23-24 Parish Family Fun Celebration

Tickets are on sale in the church lobby starting this weekend until August 17, 2025.

\$5 hotdogs or burgers/ ticket

Drinks are available for \$1.00

There's more food to be ordered (kebabs, crème brulee, spring rolls etc.). Each parish organization and ministry has some other food to offer. Bring cash.

FAMILY FU BINGO

SUNDAY AUG 24TH @ 1:00PM

\$10/book of bingo cards available after the weekend Masses.

All are welcome. Looking forward to seeing you.





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

Parents please check with the parish office if you are a

registered parishioner. See website for details.

Second C. Collection

August 17, 2025 - Canadian Mission

August 24, 2025 - Feast of our Patron Saint

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.



SAFETY GRILL APPEAL

Launched June 21 & 22, 2025



\$585.00 August 2-3 **\$2080.00** July 19-27

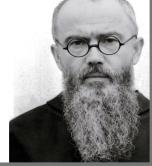
\$6265.75 June 21 & July 13

For the safety of our church family and community, a protective grill was installed urgently on our premises. The total cost is \$20,000, and with God's help and your generosity, we've already received nearly 50% in donations. We now humbly invite those who feel led to give, to help us reach the remaining amount. Every contribution, big or small, is deeply appreciated and makes a difference. Thank you for standing with us in faith, love and support.

"Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver."

- 2 Corinthians 9:7 (NIV)

"The deadliest poison of our time is indifference."



St Maximilian Kolbe