



Saint Bartholomew Church

A faith community in the Roman Catholic Tradition Since 1959



PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

The Mission of the Catholic Community of Saint Bartholomew is to build our lives in the image of Christ through love, worship and service.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m., Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.,
& 12:00 p.m.

Monday thru Friday: 8:30 a.m., Saturday: 8:00 a.m.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every First Friday, 12:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., (October—May)

RECONCILIATION

Saturday or by appointment, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

BAPTISM

The sacrament is celebrated on Sundays at 1:15 p.m. with the exception in Lent. Please contact the parish office.

MARRIAGE

Marriage is a major step in anyone's life. If you are planning your marriage, please contact the parish office one year in advance.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

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The Parish Center is CLOSED

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FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 3, 2020



MASS SCHEDULE



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SATURDAY, May 2, 2020: Saint Athanasias, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

No Mass on Saturday

SUNDAY, May 3, 2020: Fourth Sunday of Easter

10 A.M. Thomas & Mary O'Brien r/o Tarzia Family
Debbie Gioia r/o The Perrotta Family
Catherine & Gustav Verriest r/o Gail & Joseph Spinello
Grace McCarron r/o Daniel & Elizabeth McCarron

MONDAY, May 4, 2020: Easter Weekday

8:30 A.M. Michael Kleinschmidt r/o Bonnie & Sam Saloom

TUESDAY, May 5, 2020: Easter Weekday

8:30 A.M. Anne Marie Carney & Mary Hagen r/o
Linda & John McHugh

WEDNESDAY, May 6, 2020: Easter Weekday

8:30 A.M. Noel Lacson r/o The Lacson Family

THURSDAY, May 7, 2020: Easter Weekday

8:30 A.M. The Intentions of the Parishioners of
St. Bartholomew Parish

FRIDAY, May 8, 2020: Easter Weekday

8:30 A.M. Michael Congiusta r/o The Family
Gliceria, Celestino & Celese Marie Balcon
r/o Miriam Suntay
Brian Reitsma r/o The Reitsma Family

SATURDAY, May 9, 2020: Easter Weekday

No Mass on Saturday—Intentions offered on Friday

SUNDAY, May 10, 2020: Fifth Sunday of Easter

10 A.M. Kyle Furey r/o The Furey Family
Elena DeRojas r/o The Angeline Family
Gliceria G. Batacan & Remedios F. Ruiz r/o
The Family
Joseph & Josephine Raimond r/o The Family

Calendar of Events

1

Make an act of faith

Come up with your own prayer or use a traditional one to express to the Lord our faith in his real presence in the Eucharist.



2

Make an act of love

Say a prayer that expresses your love and gratitude to the Lord. Thank Him for his infinite love as well.



4

steps for
Spiritual Communion



3

Express your desire to receive him

As you are not able to physically receive the Lord, express your desire to receive Him in your heart.



4

Invite Jesus to come into your heart

With a humble and contrite heart we ask the Lord to come to us just as He would if we were able to receive the sacrament.



The Church is open from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. daily for private prayer. Please practice social distancing and no large groups are permitted.

Sacraments of the Church

Infant Baptism

The Sacrament is celebrated on Sunday at 1:15 PM. by appointment only. A Pre-Baptism Catechetical Session is required for parents. Godparents (Sponsors) must be practicing Catholics and at least 14 years of age. A practicing non-Catholic Christian may act as a witness along with a Catholic Sponsor.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

We welcome all unbaptized individuals, friends, family members and neighbors who are not Roman Catholic Christians or those individuals within the Catholic Tradition who may have never received the Sacraments of the Holy Eucharist or Confirmation to participate in our parish program for adult Christian Initiation at this time. This program is also ideal for baptized Christians of other Christian denominations who are interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith. If you know of someone who may wish to experience the richness of our Catholic Faith and who desires to participate fully in the sacramental life of the Church.

Please contact Barbara Bunag at 732-257-7722.

Christian Marriage

The Sacrament of Matrimony requires an extensive period of preparation. Contact must be made with Parish Center one year in advance.

Anointing of the Sick

The Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist and the anointing of the sick is available to our parish sick and shut-ins upon request. Please inform the parish concerning the needs of the sick by calling the Parish Office. If any member of the parish is hospitalized, please notify the Parish Office immediately so that a member of the Pastoral Staff may visit.

“And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.” -Colossians 3:17

Easter Sequence *Victimae Paschali*

Before the Gospel is proclaimed, the ancient sequence *Victimae Paschali* of Easter Sunday is read or sung. The Sequence (Sequentia) is the liturgical hymn of the Mass, which occurs on four feasts: Easter, Pentecost, Corpus Christi and Our Lady of Sorrows. This sequence, *Victimae Paschali* is attributed to Wipo of Burgundy, who was chaplain of the German Emperor Conrad II during the 11th century.

Christians, to the Paschal Victim Offer
your thankful praises!

A Lamb the sheep redeems: Christ, who
only is sinless, Reconciles sinners to the
Father.

Death and life have contended in that
combat stupendous: The Prince of life, who
died, reigns immortal.

Speak, Mary, declaring What you saw,
wayfaring. "The tomb of Christ, who is
living, The glory of Jesus' resurrection;

Bright angels attesting, The shroud and
napkin resting. Yes, my Christ my hope is
arisen:

To Galilee he goes before you." Christ in-
deed from death is risen, our new life
obtaining. Have mercy, victor King, ever
reigning!

Amen. **Alleluia.**



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