



*All you peoples,
clap your hands;
shout to God with joyful cries.
Sing praise to God;
sing praise;
sing praise to our king; sing praise.*

(Psalm 47:2, 7)

St. Cecilia, patron of music, musicians, and makers of stringed instruments.

As Music Ministers . . .

We strive to enhance the beauty of our liturgies through our songs;

To help the community pray through our music;

To encourage the assembly to participate more fully by joining in the singing;

And to lift the hearts and minds of all those gathered for liturgy through our song.

Parish Mission Statement

St. Bartholomew is a diverse Catholic community welcoming to all.

Called to serve,
we are united by faith,
bonded by prayer, and committed to living the Gospel message.

Mass Schedule

Saturdays: 5pm (Vigil)

Sundays: 8, 9:30 & 11am;

12:30 & 5:30pm

Daily: 8am

Pastor

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MUSIC MINISTRY



"God has bestowed upon his people the gift of song. God dwells within each human person, in the place where music takes its source. Indeed, God, the Giver of song, is present whenever his people sing his praises."

Sing to the Lord
Music in Divine Worship,
United States Conference of
Catholic Bishops (USCCB)



" . . . From joy to sadness, from praise to lamentation . . . the manifold possibilities of the organ . . . remind us of the immensity and the magnificence of God." -Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

Parish Choir Ministry

Open to all adults who can make the commitment to a weekly rehearsal and participation at the Sunday 11am Mass. Choir members must be able to carry a tune and match pitch. The ability to read music *is not* a requirement.

The choir sings weekly at Sunday Mass from mid-September through Pentecost Sunday, and at all special Liturgies throughout the year, including Thanksgiving, Midnight Mass at Christmas, Christmas morning, Holy Days at 7pm, and at the Triduum Liturgies for Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter Vigil, and Easter Sunday.

The Cantor Ministry

The Cantor Ministry is a specific ministry for confident and trained vocalists who lead our assembly in song.

Raising our voices in prayer

Good liturgy reflects who we are as a parish community. Good music helps us to pray and enhances our liturgies. The cantors and the choir lead us in sung prayer to glorify God.

*"He who sings well,
prays twice."*

—St. Augustine

The Music Ministry repertoire is taken from a mix of:

- ❖ Traditional Music
- ❖ Contemporary Music
- ❖ Classical Music
- ❖ Some Latin Music



I will sing of love and justice; to you Lord, I sing praise. (Psalm 101:1)

Join us in song!

If you are interested in volunteering your time and musical talents and in glorifying God in our music, contact the Parish Music Director & Organist:

Brian Archambault

562-208-8222

Rehearsal Schedule

Wednesdays 7-8:30pm in the Church

"The Holy Spirit is love and it is he who produces the singing. He is the Spirit of Christ, the Spirit who draws us into love for Christ and so leads to the Father."

—Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI