

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF
June 14, 2021

Monday	8.00 a.m.(K)	Lelia de Sinisterra +
Tuesday	8.00 a.m.(E)	Jenny Mulhare (L)
Wednesday	8.00 a.m.(K)	Nicholas Pettey (L)
Thursday	8.00 a.m.(E)	Rosana Gatti +
Friday	8.00 a.m.(SM)	Ofelia Marquez +
Saturday	8.00 a.m.(SM)	
	5.00 p.m.(K)	Bonifacio Dinopol +
Sunday	7.00 a.m.(SM)	Mass for the People
	8.30 a.m.(E)	Deceased Members of the Smith/Wink Families
	10.00 a.m.(K)	John Eng +
	12 Noon (K)	Emily Paukstitus (L)
	6.00 p.m.(SM)	Fernando Donce Osejos +
	8.00 p.m.(E)	Mrs. Rae D. Burton +

+ deceased (L) living

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF
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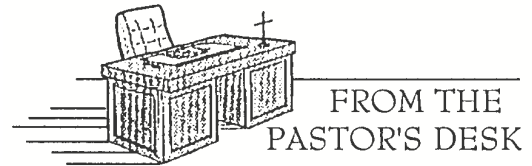
Sunday	Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Ez 17:22-24; Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16; 2 Cor 5:6-10; Mk 4:26-34
Monday	2 Cor 6:1-10; Ps 98:1, 2b, 3ab, 3cd-4; Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday	2 Cor 8:1-9; Ps 146:2, 5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a; Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday	2 Cor 9:6-11; Ps 112:1bc-2, 3-4, 9; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday	2 Cor 11:1-11; Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 7-8, Mt 6:7-15
Friday	2 Cor 11:18, 21-30; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mt 6:19-23
Saturday	Saint Romuald, Abbot 2 Cor 12:1-10; Ps 34:8-9, 10-11, 12-13; Mt 6:24-34
Sunday	Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time Job 38:1, 8-11; Ps 107:23-24, 25-26, 28-29, 30-31; 2 Cor 5:14-17; Mk 4:35-41



Stephen Ministry Care
During COVID-19

Trained and commissioned parish Stephen Ministers continue to provide one-on-one confidential, emotional and spiritual companionship for persons experiencing loss, illness, or other life difficulties during the pandemic. Germ-free: telephone, FaceTime, email, Zoom, Google Meet, etc. Call the Parish Office at 301-229-7933. See the flyer [here](#).

Stephen Ministry at: <https://stbartholomew.org>



As we approach the time of year when we are notified of archdiocesan transfers, I write to let you know that Fr. Santiago Martin will be leaving us in July. We thank Fr. Santiago for his hard work with our parish community, especially the Spanish community and wish him all the very best as he moves to be the Parochial Vicar at St. Peter's in Olney. We welcome Fr. Oscar A. Astigarraga who comes from his first assignment at St. Rose of Lima in Gaithersburg and we look forward to having him here with us in the years to come. These changes will take place on July 7.

Fr. Mark.

SOCIAL CONCERNS

The **Poor Box** for the month of **June** is for **Bethesda Cares**, a non-profit which serves the county's homeless and working poor.

New Neighbors Interfaith Alliance (NNIA) - This is a new network established by several faith communities in order to provide support to newly resettled immigrants (refugees, asylum seekers and others) to become acclimated in PG and Montgomery County. The needs are many and volunteers will be working in teams. Several information sessions are being planned. If interested, contact Bob Cooke (St Rose of Lima parish) at [301-661-0449](tel:301-661-0449) or cookerh@gmail.com

Catholic Charities' Care packs are a meaningful and flexible volunteer project for groups that want to support Catholic Charities clients and programs. Their programs have developed wish lists of care packs they hope to give each client that enters their program. These kits provide personal necessity items that can ease the worries of clients going through challenging times of transition. Fully prepared kits, as well as individual items are greatly appreciated! You can see a list of most needed items on their website by clicking [here](#).



"To what shall we compare the kingdom of God...?"

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



If you would like to sponsor flowers on the altar in memory of loved ones, living or deceased, please contact the rectory with the following details: your name, phone number, and the occasion or loved one you wish to remember. **Minimum contribution for two vases on the main altar is between \$90–100.** Please call or email the parish office and your request will be posted in the weekly bulletin.

We can only honor one individual request per weekend, so please bear in mind that, sometimes, the date you require may already be taken. Also, for your information, we will not be able to accept requests for the sponsoring of flowers on specific liturgical dates.

Experienced housekeeper/companion needed to care for elderly but independent gentleman/parishioner, living in Bethesda, for weekend only. Staying overnight is appreciated but not required. Scope of work includes meals, light housekeeping and companionship. Must be reliable and caring. Two References needed. Apply now. Driving license required. Saturday - Sunday. 10am - 5pm. Please contact FELIX: Cell: 202 997 2478 or E: famerasinghe@gmail.com



The Choir will be back singing 10am Mass on all Sundays in June through **July 25** (with the exception of Sunday, July 4). We are recruiting new members for fall. The choir has lost several members over the last year due to sickness, retirement, and relocation. We are particularly in need of altos and bases but all voice parts are welcome. First choir rehearsal of the season will be Wednesday, Sept. 8th, 8-10 pm in the choir room upstairs in the school building. See/contact Carole Wysocki (1wysemom@gmail.com) or any choir member for more information about the choir.



Remember In Prayer

Prayers for the Sick: Jenny Mulhare, Joyce Neary, Dolores Nolan, Ann Carnahan, Richard Bonsignore, Rose Loughran, Freddie Coppia, Richard and Kathleen Castiello, Tina Howe, George Ellis, Michael Campbell, Rubens Medina, Ron Repka, Tom Burns, Martina Rabade, and Marta Benitez.

Prayers for the Deceased: Ofelia Marquez (non-Covid related) and all those who have died from COVID-19 in the United States and around the world.

Lifting of the Dispensation from the Obligation to attend Mass

Cardinal Gregory of the Archdiocese of Washington announced last week that the dispensation of the Sunday and Holy Day Mass obligation would be lifted beginning the weekend of Saturday, June 26, and Sunday, June 27, 2021. Here at St. Bartholomew Church, if you are fully vaccinated and feel comfortable being in church, you are not required to wear a mask. If you prefer to continue to wear a mask, please do. If you are partially vaccinated or not vaccinated for Covid, please wear a mask - children too. During distribution of communion, the priest and EMHC will continue to wear a mask for the time being. Social distancing, working fans and open windows will continue to be part of our process, in order to make you all feel as comfortable as possible. If a window near you is unopened, please feel free to open it. Once school closes for the summer we hope to bring back coffee and doughnuts in the church hall on Sundays but this will only be during the summer months.

This time last year the world was turned upside down due to COVID-19, but our parish ministries continued because so many people needed our help. Recurring gifts helped sustain our parish in unprecedented times and continue to be a vital source of support for ministries that are a lifeline to those in need in our community.

Life is returning to normal, but many continue to depend on St. Bartholomew's Church. The more people use eGiving, the stronger foundation we will have for ministries that bring hope in times of uncertainty.

We prayerfully request that you consider signing up for eGiving from your computer, smartphone or tablet. You can set up a recurring donation or make a one-time gift.

Sign up today by visiting www.faith.direct/MD44, or text 'Enroll' to 301-284-3826. Thank you for your continued support of our parish family.

God Bless You,

Fr. Mark

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

You're invited! Come join the Council of Catholic Women's monthly virtual Tea and Reflection. On Sunday, June 13 we will celebrate St. Joseph. Our virtual tea begins at 3 p.m. We look forward to seeing you! To RSVP or for more information, please email the archdiocesan council at archdiocesecw@gmail.com and check out our website at: <https://www.councilofcatholicwomen-adw.com/>



XI DOMINGO ORDINARIO 13 DE JUNIO DE 2021

Podemos decir que El reino de Dios es la Iglesia; la semilla, la predicación; la tierra, los oyentes; el hombre que siembra es Jesucristo. Si *la tierra* es buena, todo irá bien; basta poner en ella la semilla de la Palabra y el reino de Dios llegará a su madurez. Si decimos que si a la Palabra de Dios, El le dará la fuerza necesaria y nosotros dispondremos de la fecundidad de esa semilla en nuestro Espíritu. En el evangelio de hoy hay una segunda enseñanza. Jesús compara el crecimiento del Reino de Dios con el pequeño grano de mostaza que cuando crece llega a ser el más grande de los árboles. San Marcos, embellece la narración diciendo de ese pequeño grano de mostaza que “echó ramas tan grandes, que a su sombra pueden cobijarse las aves del cielo”. De igual modo sucedería con el Reino: en los comienzos es mínimo, son pocas personas las que se le unen, pero vendrá a ser muy grande, tanto que cabrán en él multitudes.



PAGINA WEB DE SAN BARTOLOME
<http://www.stbartholomew.org> - Ver Comunidad Hispana

MISA DIARIA Y EXPOSICIÓN DEL SANTISIMO
Lunes-sábado
Exposición del Santísimo a las 7:30 y Misa 8:00 a.m.
Domingos a las 5:15 PM antes de la Santa Misa
La adoración es entrar con la profundidad de nuestro corazón en comunión con el Señor que se hace presente corporalmente en la Eucaristía. Vengamos a adorarlo.

CONFESIONES
Domingos: 5:30 - 5:45 p.m. en español
El Señor los espera siempre, en especial todos los domingos.

PETICIONES PARA LA MISA DOMINICAL
Si usted desea que se nombre en las peticiones de la Santa Misa en español de los domingos a familiares o amigos suyos que estén sufriendo por la enfermedad del Covid-19 o que quizás lamentablemente hayan fallecido debido a esta, por favor póngase en contacto con Raúl Yépez para ser incluido en las peticiones luego del Credo. El correo electrónico es reyopez@verizon.net

INFORMACION PARA EL BOLETIN
La fecha límite es a mediodía del día domingo anterior a la publicación del mismo. Contactar a Rafael Espinosa. juraescha@verizon.net

AVISO IMPORTANTE

Desde el pasado Domingo 21 de Junio 2020 se reanudaron las Misas dominicales en San Bartolomé en los horarios usuales. Asimismo comenzó tanto la Adoración Eucarística a las 7:30 a.m. y las Misas diarias a las 8:00 a.m. Seguidas de confesiones al estilo antiguo en los confesionarios.

Y desde el pasado Domingo 19 de Julio 2020 ya está con nosotros el Padre Santiago Martín quien es quien reemplaza al Padre Tim en nuestra parroquia.

La dispensa continúa vigente, permitiéndole a aquellos que deseen asistir a la Misa virtual continuar haciéndolo.

Esto implica que cualquiera de nuestros Ministros que no se sienta seguro asistiendo a la Iglesia pueda permanecer en su casa. No se permitirá Monaguillos en la celebración.

No participaran Ministros Eucarísticos. El Padre dispensará la Comunión para quien se sienta cómodo de recibirla, sin obligación. Habrá un solo lector, quien permanecerá en el área cerca del ambo o Altar durante la celebración.

Habrá música en la Misa. Se agradece la colaboración de ujieres para ayudar en la orientación de los feligreses para garantizar el distanciamiento social.

El Ministerio Digital estará disponible si el coordinador decide participar en la Liturgia. Es obligatorio el uso de tapabocas y seguir procedimientos de distancia, que ya están marcados en el piso y en los asientos. Si desean escuchar la Santa Misa por internet o por la TV, pueden permanecer por seguridad en sus casas.

El horario de las misas para el domingo en EWTN es:

En Ingles: 8am, 12m y 7 pm

Español: 8am y 4pm.

Si tienen Fios-Verizon los canales son:

Ingles 845 y en español 1741.

La Misa del Papa desde el Vaticano se puede ver por Youtube.

El sitio web de la Arquidiócesis contiene una página con recursos de información sobre el coronavirus: <https://adw.org/coronavirus/>.

INTENCIONES DEL PAPA PARA JUNIO

Intención para la evangelización: La belleza del matrimonio
Recemos por los jóvenes que se preparan para el matrimonio con el apoyo de una comunidad cristiana: para que crezcan en el amor, con generosidad, fidelidad y paciencia.

MISAS DURANTE VACACIONES

Las personas y familias que viajan durante el verano a diversos lugares de los Estados Unidos, pueden encontrar información sobre iglesias y horarios de Misas del lugar que visitan en la siguiente dirección: <http://www.masstimes.org>

FLORES PARA EL ALTAR

Las familias de nuestra parroquia que deseen contribuir con las flores que adornarán el Altar en memoria de un ser querido, vivo o difunto, pueden hacerlo escribiendo su nombre, teléfono y la ocasión o fecha en que quieren ser recordados en los sobres púrpura de dedicación de flores que están en las mesas del vestíbulo. La contribución mínima es de \$ 90.00. Estos sobres con su donación pueden ser entregados en la oficina de la parroquia o depositados en las canastas de la colecta. Siempre llame a la oficina parroquial 301-229-7933 para que su solicitud sea incluida en el boletín semanal correspondiente. Solo se puede honrar una solicitud por cada fin de semana, así que tenga en mente que algunas veces las fechas solicitadas estarán ya reservadas con anterioridad. Además la parroquia no podrá aceptar solicitudes en algunas fechas Litúrgicas especiales.

GRUPO DE ORACIÓN RÍOS DE AGUA VIVA

El grupo de oración “Ríos de Agua Viva” le invita a compartir virtualmente un momento con el Señor, los lunes de 10:00 a.m. a 12:30 pm. En la primera media hora se rezará el Rosario. Dirigido por Sonia Ruiz, para mayores informes por favor contactarse al email : sschruiz@gmail.com

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St. Bartholomew Parish Office

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Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

stbartsrectory@gmail.com

Baptisms—by appointment with a priest. **Registration is required.** Call the Parish Office for more information.

Weddings—Please contact one of the priests at least 6 months prior to anticipated wedding date. Pre-Cana and instruction are required.

Sacrament of Reconciliation—Saturday, following 8.00 a.m. Mass, and 3:30-4:30 p.m.; Sunday, 5:15-5:45 p.m. (Español), or by appointment.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) - The process of becoming a Catholic Christian. Call the Parish Office for information.

Adult Choir—Weekly rehearsals on Wednesday, 8:00-10:00 p.m. Choir sings every Sunday at 10:00 a.m. Mass.

Pastoral Care of the Sick and Homebound—Please notify the Rectory Office if you know of any parishioner who is sick or homebound and who would like to receive Holy Eucharist or the Sacrament of the Sick so that we can arrange to take him/her the Eucharist or the Sacrament of the Sick.

Note to New Parishioners—We extend to you a warm welcome from our Parish Community and encourage you to become active, involved members of the parish. Please obtain a registration form from the parish office, or from the Church vestibule.

Please Note: Bulletin notices must be received no later than 12 Noon on the Sunday prior to the desired weekend of publishing.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW ORGANIZATIONS/MINISTRIES

Pastoral Council	Roberto Soto (Acting Chair)	301-512-4302
	Hernan Oyarzabal (Hisp. Rep.)	301-732-9586
	Valeria Conde (Hisp. Rep.)	301-340-8227
	Paul Johnson (Vice Chair).....	301-320-4632
Finance Committee	Richard Elliott.....	202-686-0263
Altar Servers	Jesus Manuel Berard, Ph.D.	631-793-2005
Monaguillos/Hisp. Coord.	Bill Ayers.....	301-469-8023
Arimatheans	Joe Hanle, Dir	301-320-6151
Bartholomew House	Cecilia Motha.....	301-229-5990
Bible Group	Jesus Manuel Berard, Ph.D.	631-793-2005
Busy Men at Work Group	James Strother.....	301-706-5818
CYO	Valeria Conde (Hisp.Coord.)	301-340-8227
Children's Liturgy	Carole Wysocki (Director).....	301-717-8850
Choir	Maria El-Khoury.....	301-897-9005
Church Guild	Jerry Hoskins	301-320-6337
Windows 10 Computer Donations	Contact Rectory	301-229-7933
Eucharistic Ministers	Raul Yopez.....	301-873-7491
Ministros Eucaristicos	Selma deLeon	301-229-6591
Gabriel Network	Jennifer Bautista	301-793-1899
Home and School Assn.	Bonnie Perkins.....	301-299-8091
Hospitality & New In the Pew	Nancy Brouillard McKenzie	301-229-1071
Ignatian Volunteer Corps	John Vivian.....	301-461-3597
Knights of Columbus	AnneMarie Economopoulos.....	301-365-1233
Lectors/Liturgy Committee	Hernan Oyarzabal	301-732-9586
Lectores	Hernan Oyarzabal	301-732-9586
Hispanic Liturgy	Susan Schill	301-469-4973
Prayer Chain	Contact Rectory	301-229-7933
Respect for Life	Kathleen Goldsmith	301-469-6455
Saturday Women's Prayer Group	Contact Rectory	301-229-7933
Sick and Homebound	Tom Carty.....	301-587-8860
Social Concerns	Peter J. Mermagen	703-971-4778
St. Bart's Parish Times Editor	Contact Rectory	301-229-7933
Stephen Ministry	Theresa Kowal	240-460-5756
Ushers	Carlos Andres Guiza	919-519-7450
Ujieres	Mary Ann Chalfant	301-299-3739
Wedding Coordinator	Maria Archer.....	901-296-9786
Youth Minister		