

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF  
January 14, 2019**

Monday	8.00 a.m.(K)	Kay Guillén +
Tuesday	8.00 a.m.(TD)	Anna Gaysunas +
Wednesday	8.00 a.m.(E)	Joan Lacey +
Thursday	8.00 a.m.(E)	Charles Larocco +
Friday	8.00 a.m.(K)	Edith Respeto (L)
Saturday	8.00 a.m.(K)	Ivan Gaysunas +
	5.00 p.m.(TD)	William A. Donahoe +
Sunday	7.00 a.m.(E)	Mass for the People
	8.30 a.m.(K)	Deceased Members of the Smith/Wink Family
	10.00 a.m.(TD)	Lina Ramondelli +
	12 Noon (K)	The Musalem/Pinto Family (L)
	6.00 p.m.(TD)	Gisela Vera Diaz +
	8.00 p.m.(E)	

+ deceased (L) living

**SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF  
January 13, 2019**

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Feast of the Baptism of the Lord</b> Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 40:1-5, 9-11; Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 or Ps 104:1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30; Acts 10:34-38 or Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7; Lk 3:15-16, 21-22
<b>Monday</b>	Heb 1:1-6; Ps 97:1 and 2b, 6 and 7c, 9; Mk 1:14-20
<b>Tuesday</b>	Heb 2:5-12; Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9; Mk 1:21-28
<b>Wednesday</b>	Heb 2:14-18; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; Mk 1:29-39
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Memorial of Saint Anthony, Abbot</b> Heb 3:7-14; Ps 95:6-7c, 8-9, 10-11; Mk 1:40-45
<b>Friday</b>	Heb 4:1-5, 11; Ps 78:3 and 4bc, 6c-7, 8; Mk 2:1-12
<b>Saturday</b>	Heb 4:12-16; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15; Mk 2:13-17
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Is 62:1-5; Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10; 1 Cor 12:4-11; Jn 2:1-11



**You don't need to be alone**

This Ministry is provided by members of our parish, intensely trained to care for people who are experiencing a loss, going through difficult times, illness or life transitions. Every time you need a friend that can listen and comfort you, please call the Stephen Ministry. Our Ministers personally attend *one-on-one* to people who request help. For information, do not hesitate to call Deacon Julio Blanco-Eccleston: 703-821-1654/[Jublec18@earthlink.net](mailto:Jublec18@earthlink.net)

**SOCIAL CONCERNS**

The **Poor Box** for the month of January is for **Mercy Health Clinic (MHC)**. Mercy Health Clinic serves uninsured, low-income adult residents of Montgomery County and is committed to providing high quality medical care, health education and pharmaceuticals to eligible patients free of charge.

Sister Betsy Hartson RSCJ seeks **gently-used and working laptops and printers with power adapters for Living Wages**, a nonprofit educational program for DC residents age 25 and over seeking their high school diplomas. If you can help, please leave your donation at the rectory. Our parish is a generous supporter of this noble cause.

**A big Thank-You to all who contributed to the Bethesda House Dinner** this year - 240 dinners were provided through your generosity. A 2019 calendar has been posted in the vestibule so please sign up if you are able. We are so grateful for your continued support.

The **Second Collection** this week is for Church Missions within the United States. This collection supports home mission dioceses in this country that are unable to offer their people basic liturgical, pastoral, and service ministries without outside help. It also supports vulnerable Black and Native American communities with funds for parish support and evangelization needs.

**Renting in Maryland? You Might Be Eligible for a State Tax Credit** - the state of Maryland has a program that aims to assist low income renters struggling with rising rent payments, particularly for those who are over 60 years old, permanently disabled, or have a dependent under age 18. If you are a renter in Maryland and want to learn if you qualify for up to \$1,000 in financial assistance, contact the Housing Partnership Initiative ([hiphomes.org](http://hiphomes.org)) at 301-916-5946 or [ccastro@hiphomes.org](mailto:ccastro@hiphomes.org). More information at [MarylandTaxCredit.com](http://MarylandTaxCredit.com).

**Telephone Rosary for Healing** - the Washington Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women (WACCW) is hosting a telephone Rosary call from now until September 4, 2019, with the special intention of healing for all hurt by individuals within the Church. All are welcome to join the call at 8pm EST, Mondays-Saturdays, at 605-468-8016, code 357090#. For more information, contact Sharon O'Brien, WACCW President, at [ArchdioceseCCW@gmail.com](mailto:ArchdioceseCCW@gmail.com), and follow on Facebook at [Facebook.com/WashACCW](https://www.facebook.com/WashACCW).



The parish community of St. Bartholomew extends its deepest sympathy and prayers to Pauline Reeping and family and friends upon the death of her husband, Jack Nadol, on January 5, 2019. A Memorial Mass for Jack will be celebrated at St. Bartholomew Church on Saturday, February 9 at 10.30 am. Please keep the soul of the deceased and his family and friends in your prayers.

## THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

St. Bartholomew Parish will join together with Montgomery County Christian congregations in the annual **Ecumenical Celebration for Christian Unity** which will be held at the North Bethesda United Methodist Church (10100 Old Georgetown Road, Bethesda) on Sunday, January 27, at 3.00 p.m. Fr. Jack Macfarlane will give the homily. A reception and fellowship will follow the service.



**Spotlight on  
St. Bartholomew School**  
*Focusing on Faith,  
Family, and the Future*  
[school.stbartholomew.org](http://school.stbartholomew.org)



St. Bartholomew School & Parish Winter Coat Drive now through Jan. 31. We're collecting clean (gently-used or new) winter coats, hats, gloves, and scarves to benefit Adam's Place Hypothermia Shelter.

St. Bartholomew Celebrates Catholic Schools Week will be celebrated with a special Mass on Sunday, 1/27 @ 10am. Join us as we celebrate our exceptional Blue-Ribbon school so generously supported through our Parish and friends.

Bobcat for a day! Monday, 1/28 Prospective students in grades K-7 are invited to spend the day as a St. Bartholomew Bobcat! Experience dynamic classes taught by highly qualified teachers and discover what our school has to offer your child. Call 301-229-5586 ext. 12

Discover the value of a St. Bart's education. Schedule a private tour or attend our next Open House on Feb. 7 @ 9:30am.

St. Bart's First Annual Pasta Night and Cook-off! Saturday, February 2, from 6-8pm. Enjoy a family-friendly buffet dinner and vote for your favorite dish prepared by one of our very own chefs! Think you have the best pasta recipe? Contestants must prepare a dish for 12 people. Questions?? E-mail [admissions@stbartholomew.org](mailto:admissions@stbartholomew.org) HSA will provide family-friendly entertainment, salad, dessert, water. Families may bring their own beverages. Purchase tickets online at [stbartspastacookoff.eventbrite.com](http://stbartspastacookoff.eventbrite.com) or return flier (see the school bulletin board in the vestibule) with payment to Rectory or School Office by Monday, 1/28.

If you are currently a serving usher at St. Bartholomew Church, please email Head Usher Theresa Kowal at [tessmac@aol.com](mailto:tessmac@aol.com) with your current email address and best telephone number with which she can contact you. Theresa would like to update the Usher Ministry contact information. Thank you.

The **Faith and Fiction Book Group** will read three books by towering Catholic authors of the 20th century. They are *Wise Blood* by Flannery O'Connor on January 27, *Second Coming* by Walker Percy on March 3, and *Brideshead Revisited* by Evelyn Waugh on May 5. Discussions are Sundays at 1:30 in the parish meeting room. All are welcome.

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**St. Bart's Youth Group:** we are 6th-12th graders interested in serving our neighbor, playing together and getting to know Our Lord Jesus Christ! All are welcome! If you would like to receive weekly emails about upcoming activities, please email: John & Maria Archer, [32kaufmann@cua.edu](mailto:32kaufmann@cua.edu)

**1/13 Zavazone, Rockville (MS & HS), 4:30- 6:30pm.** We will meet in a classroom across from the courtyard (by the parish hall).

**1/18 March for Life (Friday). We will not be going as a group.**

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The next **Liturgy Meeting** will be held this Monday, January 14, at 7.30 p.m. in the Parish Meeting Room.

### FOR YOUR INFORMATION

On January 31 & February 1, the Catholic Mobilizing Network is honored to host **Fr. David Kelly to facilitate a Restorative Justice Circles Intensive**, at St. Peter's Parish in Washington, DC. Consider for yourself or pass along to someone else in leadership who would benefit from this experience. You can learn more and register at [www.catholicmobilizing.org/intensive](http://www.catholicmobilizing.org/intensive).

**Men's Discernment Retreat** - St. John Paul II Seminary invites men in their 20's - 40's who are interested in learning more about the priesthood to attend a discernment retreat led by priests of the Archdiocese of Washington. The retreat will be held the weekend of February 1 - 3, 2019 at Saint John Paul II Seminary in Washington, D.C. The weekend will be an opportunity to pray and reflect on God's call, meet priests and seminarians, hear their stories, and learn more about the seminary and priesthood. Registration is now open at [www.DCPriest.org](http://www.DCPriest.org). For more information, contact the Office of Priest Vocations 202-636-9020 [vocations@adw.org](mailto:vocations@adw.org)

Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue, or have you just stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse? Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. This program has helped 10's of 1,000's of couples experiencing difficulties in their marriage. For confidential information or to register for the upcoming program beginning with a weekend on February 1-3, 2019, please visit: [www.HelpOurMarriage.com](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.com), call (443) 400-7017, or email: [3015@retrouvaille.org](mailto:3015@retrouvaille.org)



## BAUTISMO DEL SEÑOR 13 DE ENERO DE 2019

El cielo se abre y confirma la misión de Jesucristo. Se hace visible el Espíritu Santo que desciende sobre Él en forma de paloma y se oye la voz del Padre: *Tú eres mi Hijo, el amado, el predilecto*. Es momento culminante de la revelación cristiana: se revela el misterio de Dios, se confirma la misión de Jesucristo y se anuncia la vida divina que se nos dará en el sacramento del Bautismo que Cristo instituye. Jesucristo es la Palabra del Padre: abramos nuestros oídos para escucharlo. Es el Señor de todos: reconozcamos su dominio universal y vivamos sometido a su realeza de amor. Nos trae la paz: dejémonos reconciliar por Él. Jesucristo es el *ungido por Dios con la fuerza del Espíritu Santo* para perdonar nuestro pecado, redimirnos del mal y salvarnos. Dios está con Él. Por eso, *pasa haciendo el bien y curando a los oprimidos por el diablo*. Todos los hombres *sin distinción* nos salvamos si aceptamos a Jesucristo, si vivimos en temor filial y obramos justamente dando a Dios el lugar que le corresponde y cumplimos los Mandamientos.



### 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.

### MINISTERIO DE SAN ESTEBAN

Escucha, consuela, ayuda, acompaña. Este ministerio de cuidado pastoral a nuestra comunidad, ofrece apoyo a personas que están experimentando momentos difíciles, traumáticos, que momentáneamente no pueden superar o resolver. Nuestros ministros asisten de manera personal uno-a-uno a las personas que solicitan ayuda. Contamos con ministros que hablan español. Para información, no duden en llamar al Diácono Julio Blanco-Eccleston. Tel: 703-821-1654; [jublec18@earthlink.net](mailto:jublec18@earthlink.net)

### CAMBIOS EN LA SANTA MISA

Actualmente se viene rezando el Rosario Dominical a las 4:45 pm, para luego proceder a la Exposición y Adoración del Santísimo a las 5:15 pm., antes de la Santa Misa. Las confesiones seguirán a las 5:30 p.m.

### INFORMACION PARA EL BOLETIN

La fecha límite es el día domingo anterior a la publicación del mismo. Contactar a Rafael Espinosa.

[juraescha@verizon.net](mailto:juraescha@verizon.net)

### INTENCIONES DEL PAPA PARA ENERO

Por la unidad de todos los creyentes en Cristo, para que pronto llegue el día en que las iglesias y comunidades eclesiales seamos uno como lo quiere el Señor.

### PROMESA DE AÑO NUEVO

Ayudar en la parroquia. La obra de Dios no se hace sola. La Comunidad Hispana necesita de tu ayuda. Dios ha puesto en nuestras manos la Parroquia de San Bartolomé. Crezcamos, trabajemos y vivamos nuestra vida cristiana en ella. El Señor quiere que los árboles crezcan donde han sido plantados.

### EL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

El Tiempo Ordinario del año comienza con el lunes que sigue al domingo después del 6 de enero y se prolonga hasta el martes anterior a la Cuaresma, que comienza con el Miércoles de Ceniza; vuelve a reanudarse el lunes después del domingo de Pentecostés y finaliza antes del Domingo Primero de Adviento. Las fechas varían cada año, pues se toma en cuenta los calendarios antiguos que estaban determinados por las fases lunares, sobre todo para fijar la fecha del Viernes Santo, día de la Crucifixión de Jesús. A partir de ahí se estructura todo el año litúrgico. El color del Tiempo Ordinario es el verde. Tiempo Ordinario es un tiempo de crecimiento espiritual.



## Liturgia de Niños

### LITURGIA DE LA PALABRA DE LOS NIÑOS

Para niños en Escuela Elemental, 5-10 años, Valeria Conde, Coordinadora de la Liturgia. Está diseñada para que los niños experimenten la Palabra de Dios durante la Eucaristía en la misa dominical, de modo que puedan entender las enseñanzas de Jesús, con una pedagogía acorde a sus edades.

### CORO PARA LA MISA DOMINICAL

Se necesita la participación perseverante de nuestros jóvenes y adultos para formar el coro durante la Santa Misa los domingos y dar un formal apoyo a la Liturgia de la Santa Misa. Información con Carolina Sarmiento 301-560-4757 o hablar con ella después de la Misa.

### INSCRIPCIONES EN LA PARROQUIA

Inscribirse en la parroquia a la que uno asiste es la práctica tradicional de la iglesia católica en los Estados Unidos.

Todas las familias o personas que asisten de manera regular, inclusive quienes están temporalmente en el país y en especial, aquéllos que están desempeñando algún ministerio, servicio o apostolado en San Bartolomé, se les sugiere inscribirse como miembros de la Parroquia.

### UNAMONOS EN ORACION POR NUESTROS SACERDOTES

En esta época del año en que la Arquidiócesis de Washington realiza los cambios anuales en las asignaciones de sacerdotes en las distintas parroquias, es el momento en que debemos unirnos todos en fuerte oración por nuestros pastores.

### GRUPO DE ORACIÓN RIOS DE AGUA VIVA

El grupo de oración "Ríos de Agua Viva" le invita a compartir un momento con el Señor, los lunes de 10:00 a.m. a 12:30 pm. en la oficina hispana, al lado de la Sacristía. En la primera media hora se rezará el Rosario. Dirigido por Sonia Ruiz, informes: [sschruiz@comcast.net](mailto:sschruiz@comcast.net)

## THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

### St. Bartholomew Parish Office

6902 River Road, Bethesda, Md. 20817

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♦ www.stbartholomew.org ♦

Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m.—4:30 p.m.

stbartsrectory@gmail.com

**Baptisms**—3rd Sunday of the month, **appointment only**. Parents are obliged to take a brief class related to the Sacrament prior to the Baptism. Class is held 1st Wednesday of the month. **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 Monday prior to the desired weekend of publishing.**

### ST. BARTHOLOMEW ORGANIZATIONS/MINISTRIES

Pastoral Council	Rollie Flynn (Chair).....	301-335-2374
	Hernan Oyarzabal (Hisp. Rep.).....	301-732-9586
	Valeria Conde (Hisp. Rep.).....	301-340-8227
	Paul Johnson (Chair).....	301-320-4632
	Hernan Oyarzabal (Hisp. Rep.).....	301-732-9586
Finance Committee	Richard Elliott.....	202-686-0263
	Jesus Manuel Berard, Ph.D. ....	631-793-2005
	Bill Ayers.....	301-469-8023
	Joe Hanle, Dir. ....	301-320-6151
	Jesus Manuel Berard, Ph.D. ....	631-793-2005
	James Strother.....	301-706-5818
	Diana Carter.....	301-229-5117
	Valeria Conde (Hisp.Coord.) .....	301-340-8227
	Carole Wysocki (Director).....	301-717-8850
Choir	Maria El-Khoury.....	301-897-9005
Church Guild	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	Deacon Julio Blanco-Eccleston.....	703-821-1654
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		