

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF
October 26, 2020**

Monday	8.00 a.m.(K)	Caroline Knestout (L)
Tuesday	8.00 a.m.(K)	Julie and Jerry Panaro (L)
Wednesday	8.00 a.m.(K)	Caroline Knestout (L)
Thursday	8.00 a.m.(SM)	Maria Theresa Valderrama (L)
Friday	8.00 a.m.(SM)	John Adkin +
Saturday	8.00 a.m.(SM) 5.00 p.m.(K)	Loranne "Muffet" McCaleb +
Sunday	7.00 a.m.(SM) 8.30 a.m.(MB) 10.00 a.m.(K) 12 Noon (K) 6.00 p.m.(SM) 8.00 p.m.(E)	All Souls Mass for the People Libia Orango de Sinisterra + Muffet McCaleb + Nicolas Chaparro and Isabel Vasquez + Twee Nguyen & Family (L)

+ deceased (L) living

**SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF
October 25, 2020**

Sunday	Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Ex 22:20-26; Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51; 1 Thes 1:5c-10; Mt 22:34-40
Monday	Eph 4:32—5:8; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6; Lk 13:10-17
Tuesday	Eph 5:21-33; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5; Lk 13:18-21
Wednesday	Feast of Saints Simon and Jude, Apostles Eph 2:19-22; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Lk 6:12-16
Thursday	Eph 6:10-20; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Lk 13:31-35
Friday	Phil 1:1-11; Ps 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 14:1-6
Saturday	Phil 1:18b-26; Ps 42:2, 3, 5cdef; Lk 14:1, 7-11
Sunday	Solemnity of All Saints Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a



**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.

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

**MASSES FOR ALL SAINTS
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1**

Normal Mass Schedule
Saturday, October 31, 5.00 pm
Sunday, November 1, 7.00, 8.30, 10.00 am, 12 Noon,
6 pm (Spanish) and 8.00 pm

**MASS FOR ALL SOULS
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2**

Normal Mass Schedule
8.00 a.m.

At the **8 am Mass on Monday, November 2**, we will offer a special Liturgy to honor all the deceased souls of our parish who have gone before us, and, in particular, the deceased whose Funeral Mass was celebrated at St. Bartholomew Church from November 2019 to date. Family members who attend will be able to take home the wooden Cross bearing the name of their beloved deceased, that has been in place on our Memorial Wall in the rear of the Church since the time of his/her funeral.

The priests of the parish will offer some of our 8.00 a.m. weekday Masses during the month of November for the All Souls. You may fill out one of the special "All Souls" offertory envelopes on the lectern near the Baptismal Font if you want to have family and friends remembered - either place in the offertory basket or hand in to the Rectory in November. You may write the names of others you wish to be remembered in the Book of Remembrance which will also be on the lectern. If you have a large list of souls please include in the envelope with all names clearly spelled out.

SOCIAL CONCERNS

The **Poor Box** for the month of **October** is for Montgomery Hospice, a non profit hospice serving residents of Montgomery County, MD.

October is National Domestic Violence Awareness Month. It Shouldn't Hurt at Home. The Catholic community cares about families experiencing violence and unhealthy relationships. Visit www.CatholicsforFamilyPeace.org to learn about this issue, how to help, who to call, and the rich Catholic teaching that supports survivors. If you need help now, contact the National Domestic Violence Hotline, 800-799-7233 (24 hours); 800-787-3224 (TTY); www.ndvh.org to find assistance near you.

Parishioner and 8th grader at Pyle, Andrew Deltoro, is collecting items for the homeless through Bethesda Cares as part of his Confirmation project. He will be collecting specific items through November 1 - please either place them in the marked bin in the vestibule of the church or drop them off in the marked bin at the Deltoro porch, 7405 Pyle Road, Bethesda. For a list of items, please check [here](#).

Prayers for the Sick: Tony Morella, Caroline Knestout (mother of Fr. Mark), Bill Class, (father of Deacon John), Rubens and Yolanda Medina, Rosemarie Vargo, Julia Carver, Barbara Grady, Laura Harding, Kent Brinley, Ron Repka, Nicolas Gobbs, Merlin Flores, Tom Burns, Martina Rabade, Billy Davis, Maria Theresa Valderrama, Ellen Marie Walsh Fagan, and Sue Barrett.

Prayers for the Deceased: Maria Helena Sinisterra (non-COVID related), Marie Garland and all those who have died

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Youth Group - for students in grades 6th-12th who are interested in serving their neighbor, learning more about the Faith, and hanging out with others who want to do the same! Please contact John & Maria Archer 32kaufmann@cua.edu to receive weekly emails about upcoming events. Youth Group Fall Schedule - to ensure everyone's safety we ask that everyone wear a mask, maintain social distancing and bring their own drinks. We also ask that everyone be dropped off and picked up at the hiking locations. Thank you for everyone's understanding!

11/1: Hike, Location TBA, 3:30- 5pm.

11/15: Formation Night, Zoom, 5:30- 6:30pm.

The next meeting of the **Faith and Fiction Book Group** will be this Sunday, October 25th at 4:00 pm. The book for discussion is a collection of short stories -- *Sabrina and Corina: Stories* (2019) by Kali Fajardo-Anstine. This book was a finalist of the National Book Prize Award. The meeting will be held by Zoom. Meeting ID: 896 8075 5487. Passcode: 506512. All are welcome to participate.

Calling all lectors - your workbooks are ready for pick up from the sacristy.

We thank our parishioners who have donated to the 2020 Annual Appeal. Our parish currently stands at 75.0% of our 2020 goal of \$182,300. The Annual Appeal amplifies the impact our parish can make for people in need especially during this pandemic across Washington, DC and Maryland such as Chaplains heroically serving the sick and dying in hospitals, Catholic Charities providing food and other assistance to thousands and St. Ann's Center for Children, Youth and Families continuing to offer temporary housing, counseling and child-care services to single mothers. These needs, and many others benefited by the Annual Appeal, depend on our financial support. If you have not yet made your gift to the 2020 Annual Appeal, it is not too late. Visit appeal.adw.org to make your gift today. We thank you again for your support of the Annual Appeal.



2021-2022 ST. BARTHOLOMEW SCHOOL ADW/TADS Financial Aid Open For Tuition Assistance

TADS financial aid and assessment manages the process on behalf of the Archdiocese of Washington Catholic schools. Please note that you only need to complete one form for all children in a family, whether elementary school students or high school students, even if seeking tuition assistance for children attending different schools. The deadline to apply for Archdiocesan tuition assistance for the 2021-2022 school year is Friday, December 4, 2020. Please apply by going to: <https://adwcatholicschools.org/tuition-assistance/>

"Socktober" Fundraiser Goal- 1,000 Pairs of Socks!

St. Bartholomew School and parish are collecting new MEN'S socks to benefit the Adam's Place Emergency/Hypothermia Shelter. A bin will be in the vestibule and we will be collecting the socks for the month of October.

SMALL GROUPS AT ST. BART'S

Please consider joining one or more of our small groups, outlined below, where your participation will allow you to enjoy the small group companionship that is offered. The groups generally start up again in September after the summer months in normal circumstances but all are continuing to meet virtually at present. Please contact each ministry leader for updates.

The **Tuesday Morning Bible Group** meets September - June on Tuesdays, 9-10:30 am in the library at Bartholomew House Assisted Living, and is currently meeting via Zoom. We use the Loyola Press Bible Series "A Guided Discovery for Groups". These books give structure and enable scripture discussions in a small group setting and help to increase our understanding of the Bible and how to apply it to our daily lives. New members are always welcome - contact Cecilia Motha 301-229-5990 or email ccmotha@comcast.net

The **St. Bart's Women's Prayer and Book Discussion Group** has been meeting for over 15 years in various respective members' homes. During two hours of fellowship, members share their faith, offer intercessory prayers, and discuss current faith-related books and topics. The group meets on the second and fourth Thursday of each month from 9:30 am - 11:30 am. Currently they are meeting every Thursday on Zoom at 10 am. New members are welcome. Contact Ann Kennedy at 301-367-5988 or alkenne@aol.com for more information.

Are you a busy man? Then please consider joining St. Bartholomew's **Busy-Men-at-Works Group** which meets on Thursdays, 7:30 pm - 9 pm in the rectory dining room. If you are interested, please consider joining us for readings, discussions, prayer, coffee, doughnuts and fellowship! Currently meeting via Zoom every Thursday at 7:30 pm. For more information, please contact Manny Berard, jmb10@caa.columbia.edu

The **St. Bart's Women's Saturday Morning Prayer Group** meets on the first and third Saturday of the month from 8:30 a.m.-10:30 a.m. in private homes, with light refreshments offered. Besides opening and closing prayers, we read and discuss selected books that deepen our faith and our understanding of how it fits into our lives and bringing us closer to God. The group is open to all women and new members are always welcome. The group is currently meeting every Saturday on Zoom. Contact: Kathleen Goldsmith, goldsmitikit@gmail.com or call 301-469-6455.

The **St. Bart's Men's Group** goal is mutual support and spiritual development based on shared insights gained from a diverse membership. We meet for about 90 minutes at 9:30am on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of the month. Members volunteer to host meetings on a rotating basis and each host picks the topic to be discussed. (Currently, meetings are held via Zoom videoconferencing.) The group has been meeting for 25 years and we always enjoy the fresh perspective brought by new members. The value of the group can be appreciated by the comments of members: - "The input from our group is invaluable to me as I listen to other members describe how they deal with individual and family concerns and the problems of aging." - "It has provided me with a trusted sounding board as I face new and difficult life issues." - "Mutual support is a true blessing. As we listen to each other with respect we learn we are not alone as we face tough problems and decisions in our personal lives." - "I look forward to our Saturday get-togethers. They truly are spiritual retreats!" - "It's a sharing/caring group. I feel better after each meeting." If you would like to attend or for more information, contact Jerry Hoskins at jfhoskins@comcast.net or Don Connolly at donconnolly1962@gmail.com



TRIGESIMO DOMINGO ORDINARIO 25 DE OCTUBRE DE 2020

El amor a Dios y al prójimo en el mismo nivel y con la misma importancia es la nueva directiva de Jesús, reemplazando al primitivo mandamiento principal que era el del amor a Dios.

Amar a Dios con todo el corazón tiene un sentido estimativo o apreciativo. Dios es el valor absoluto. Tenemos que amar desde Él y ordenándolo todo hacia Él. Amar a Dios con toda el alma porque es la Verdad que perfecciona la inteligencia y el Amor que perfecciona la voluntad. Amar a Dios con todo nuestro ser, o sea, con nuestras palabras y obras.

Amar al prójimo como a nosotros mismos, o sea, si buscamos nuestro bien espiritual y material, no podemos sentirnos ajenos a las necesidades espirituales y materiales de nuestros hermanos: la salvación de sus almas, la formación religiosa, los bienes de la educación, la vivienda digna, el salario justo, la alimentación y el vestido.



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 adorarle.

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 reyepez@verizon.net

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>

Tener en cuenta las restricciones impuestas por cada estado sobre distanciamiento, cuarentena y disposiciones especiales.

INFORMACION PARA EL BOLETIN

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

AVISO IMPORTANTE

Desde el pasado Domingo 21 de Junio 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 ya está con nosotros el Padre Santiago Martin 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/>.

INTENCIÓN DEL PAPA PARA OCTUBRE

Intención de oración por la Evangelización: La misión de los laicos en la Iglesia. Recemos para que en virtud del Bautismo, los fieles laicos, en especial las mujeres, participen más en las instancias de responsabilidad de la Santa Iglesia.

PRIMERA COMUNIÓN

Siguen todavía abiertas las inscripciones para niños/as que deseen recibir preparación para recibir el Sacramento de la Primera Comunión en español. Las clases de Catequesis son ONLINE y comenzaron el domingo 27 de Setiembre. Para registrarse, contactar por favor a Valeria Conde (202) 664 3308 valeriaconde70@hotmail.com o con Ivanna Bandura (202) 256 1799 ivannabandura@hotmail.com

OBRA DE TEATRO VIRTUAL

El Grupo Teatral Gaudete, de la Legión de Cristo Rey, junto con la Camerata y Coro Regina Angelorum, representará para todos ustedes un destacado Autosacramental de don Pedro Calderón de la Barca llamado: "No hay más suerte que Dios". Esta obra se podrá ver el 25 de Octubre por un canal de Youtube luego de adquirir la entrada que tiene un valor de \$ 5.00. Para informes y entradas por favor comunicarse con Cecilia al Tel: 266 487-0671 (Whatsapp), o al E-mail: economatosanluis@legioncristorey.com.ar

Con la compra de una entrada, usted está contribuyendo en la construcción de la Casa de Formación "San José" del Instituto Cristo Rey; Los padres y hermanos del Instituto, agradecen su colaboración y les envian su saludo en Cristo Rey y María Santísima.

GRUPO DE ORACIÓN RIOS 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 correo: rieraescha@verizon.net

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

St. Bartholomew Parish Office

6902 River Road, Bethesda, Md. 20817

Tel: 301-229-7933 ♦ Fax: 301-229-7998

♦ www.stbartholomew.org ♦

Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m.—4:30 p.m.
sbartsrectory@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	Roberto Soto (Acting Chair)	301-512-4302
Finance Committee	Hernan Oyarzabal (Hisp. Rep.)	301-732-9586
Altar Servers	Valeria Conde (Hisp. Rep.)	301-340-8227
Monaguillos/Hisp. Coord.	Paul Johnson (Vice Chair)	301-320-4632
Arimatheans	Richard Elliott	202-686-0263
Bartholomew House	Jesus Manuel Berard, Ph.D.	631-793-2005
Bible Group	Bill Ayers	301-469-8023
Busy Men at Work Group	Joe Hanle, Dir	301-320-6151
CYÖ	Cecilia Motha	301-229-5990
Children's Liturgy	Jesus Manuel Berard, Ph.D.	631-793-2005
Choir	James Strother	301-706-5818
Church Guild	Valeria Conde (Hisp. Coord.)	301-340-8227
Windows 10 Computer Donations	Carole Wysocki (Director)	301-717-8850
Eucharistic Ministers	Maria El-Khoury	301-897-9005
Ministros Eucaristicos	Raul Ypez	301-873-7491
Gabriel Network	Selma deLeon	301-229-6591
Home and School Assn.	Jennifer Bautista	301-793-1899
Hospitality & New In the Pew	Bonnie Perkins	301-299-8091
Ignatian Volunteer Corps	Nancy Brouillard McKenzie	301-229-1071
Knights of Columbus	John Vivian	301-461-3597
Lectors/Liturgy Committee	AnneMarie Economopoulos	301-365-1233
Lectores	Hernan Oyarzabal	301-732-9586
Hispanic Liturgy	Hernan Oyarzabal	301-732-9586
Prayer Chain	Susan Schill	301-469-4973
Respect for Life	Contact Rectory	301-229-7933
Saturday Women's Prayer Group	Kathleen Goldsmith	301-469-6455
Sick and Homebound	Contact Rectory	301-229-7933
Social Concerns	Tom Carty	301-587-8860
St. Bart's Parish Times Editor	Peter J. Mermagen	703-971-4778
Stephen Ministry	Contact Rectory	301-229-7933
Ushers	Theresa Kowal	240-460-5756
Ujieres	Carlos Andres Guiza	919-519-7450
Wedding Coordinator	Mary Ann Chalfant	301-299-3739
Youth Minister	Maria Archer	901-296-9786