

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF
November 19, 2018

Monday	8.00 a.m.(K)	Sidney Baker +
Tuesday	8.00 a.m.(E)	Eduardo & Concepcion Romualdez +
Wednesday	8.00 a.m.(E)	Virginia Wolf +
Thursday	9.00 a.m.(K)	All Souls
Friday	8.00 a.m.(E)	Ellen Hurson Steis +
Saturday	8.00 a.m.(TD)	All Souls
	5.00 p.m.(E)	James Werle +
Sunday	7.00 a.m.(K)	All Souls
	8.30 a.m.(TD)	Mass for the People
	10.00 a.m.(E)	Francesca Mancuso +
	12 Noon (K)	All Souls
	6.00 p.m.(TD)	Alberto R. Musalem +
	8.00 p.m.(E)	All Souls

+ deceased (L) living

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF
November 18, 2018

Sunday	Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Dn 12:1-3; Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11; Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32
Monday	Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 & 6; Lk 18:35-43
Tuesday	Rv 3:1-6, 14-22; Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5; Lk 19:1-10
Wednesday	The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Rv 4:1-11; Ps 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 19:11-28
Thursday	Saint Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr Rv 5:1-10; Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b; Lk 19:41-44 Thanksgiving Day Sir 50:22-24; Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9, 10-11; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lk 17:11-19
Friday	Saint Clement I, Pope and Martyr; Saint Columban, Abbot; Blessed Miguel Agustín Pro, Priest and Martyr Rv 10:8-11; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Lk 19:45-48
Saturday	Saint Andrew Dúng-Lac, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs Rv 11:4-12; Ps 144:1, 2, 9-10; Lk 20:27-40
Sunday	Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe Dn 7:13-14; Ps 93:1, 1-2, 5; Rv 1:5-8; Jn 18:33b-37



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



Mass on Thanksgiving Day, November 22, will be at 9.00 a.m. The offertory will be for the hungry of Sacred Heart Parish, DC. Please also bring the bread you plan to share at your Thanksgiving meal so that it can be blessed. If you prefer not to bring your own bread, you may avail yourself of the blessed bread that St. Bartholomew Church will offer.

SOCIAL CONCERNS

The Poor Box for the month of November is for Bread for the City, a nonprofit agency which provides clothing, food, medical care, legal assistance, and social services to an average of 10,000 needy DC residents each month.

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.

Make a Difference for Christians in Syria - the Franciscan Monastery of the Holy Land in Washington, DC is part of the Franciscan Custody (province) that has served the people and shrines in the Holy Land for 800 years. Please keep the Franciscan friars and parishioners in Syria in your prayers as they struggle to keep our Catholic faith alive in the midst of the war that has engulfed this second cradle of Christianity, the place of St. Paul's conversion. Learn more at myfranciscan.org/Syria or call 202-526-6800, x895.

17th Annual Thanksgiving Day Trot for Hunger - SOME (So Others Might Eat) invites you to join them on Thursday, November 22 for their 17th Annual Thanksgiving Day Trot for Hunger. As the only Turkey Trot in the District, this is a tradition for thousands of area residents and a meaningful way to remember people in need on Thanksgiving Day. Proceeds from the 5K benefit thousands of homeless families and single adults experiencing poverty, hunger, and homelessness. At Freedom Plaza (corner of 13th St. & Pennsylvania Ave., NW), the One Mile Little Turkey Fun Run begins at 8:30am; the timed 5K Run begins at 9am; and the 5K untimed Run/Walk begins at 9:15am. Please visit www.some.org to register and learn more, or contact the Trot for Hunger office at trotforhunger@some.org or 202-797-8806, x1131 for additional information. Thank you for your support of our community's most vulnerable men, women, and children.



The parish community of St. Bartholomew extends its deepest sympathy and prayers to Cecilia Castiello and family and friends upon the death of her father, Francis Rienzo, on November 3, 2018. A Mass of Christian Burial for Francis was celebrated at St. Bartholomew Church on November 8. Please keep the soul of the deceased and his family and friends in your prayers.

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



If you would like to sponsor flowers on the altar in memory of loved ones, living or deceased, please print your name, phone number, and the occasion or loved one you wish to remember on a purple Flower Contribution envelope, which you will find in the church vestibule. **Minimum contribution for two vases on the main altar is between \$90—100.** Please drop off your envelope in the collection basket, or call the parish office, 301-229-7933, 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.

SEASON OF HEALING

As we move into the next stage of the Season of Healing, we recognize that the healing continues for all survivors of abuse. Therefore, on Saturday, December 1, from 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. the Archdiocese of Washington is offering a one day retreat for survivors. For more information and to register go to <https://adw.org/outreach-to-survivors/>

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

11/25: Thanksgiving Break - no Youth Group.

SAVE THE DATE

Saturday, Dec. 1st @ 7:30 p.m. is the **Choir Concert of Handel's Messiah to benefit Mount Carmel Shelter.** Please see the flyer in this week's bulletin. The Committee for the benefit for Mt Carmel requests donations for the reception such as: festive fare in the form of desserts, cookies, cakes or fruit, and/or savory plates of cheese platters, and hors d'oeuvres. Please drop off in the Church Hall kitchen area from 6 pm onwards.

Advent Wreath Workshop in the Church Hall, Sunday, December 2, 9.00 a.m.-2.00 p.m. Come and learn how to make a beautiful wreath for your home. Please register/see the flyers in this week's bulletin or go to our website stbartholomew.org under *Current Events*.

The **Faith and Fiction Book Group** will meet on Sunday, December 2, at 1:30 in the parish meeting room to discuss James Carroll's 2017 novel, *The Cloister*. The Montgomery County Library System has ample copies. All are welcome.

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

St. Bart's Christmas Tree Fundraiser - Christmas trees will be available for purchase in the lot before the Big Cross, starting Friday, November 23. Please know that a portion of the proceeds goes to help St. Bartholomew Parish with its annual snow and ice removal. General opening hours will be weekdays 10.00 a.m. - 8.00 p.m. and 9.00 a.m.- 8.00 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

On Saturday, December 1, 2018, the Archdiocese of Washington will be celebrating the **Annual Walk with Mary Pilgrimage and Liturgy** commemorating the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe at 1:00 pm, at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. The celebration this year will begin with the procession with our Blessed Mother departing at 11.30 am from the Shrine of the Sacred Heart in Washington, DC, to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception - we will pray the Rosary in multiple languages, have the parade of flags, Aztec Dancers, the portrayal of San Juan Diego and the Mass Celebration. For more information, please go to <https://adw.org/event/walk-with-mary/>

On Saturday, December 1, 2018 from 9:45 am to 12:00 pm, all women ages 18 and up are invited to the Saint John Paul II National Shrine for a gathering focused on the gift of motherhood. As always, a light breakfast and babysitting for children ages 2-12 will be provided, plus we will continue to offer the opportunity for Confession (take advantage of this while your kids are in babysitting!) and the Rosary with meditations. Our speaker will be Colleen Duggan, who is giving a presentation titled, "Good Enough Parenting Is not Mediocre Parenting." Please reserve your Eventbrite tickets at teaandarosary.eventbrite.com for you and your children by November 30, 2018.

Are your days overcrowded, jam-packed, and busy, busy, busy? Jesus tells us to "Come away with me," ... to Our Lady of Bethesda Retreat Center where your very own personal retreat awaits. In the short, focused, weekday hours from 8:30am - 4pm, an experienced retreat master will guide you to a place of rest with Christ. With time for one-on-one spiritual direction, quiet reflection, Mass, Confessions, and Eucharistic Adoration, plus continental breakfast and hot lunch, you will be nourished and cared for while Our Lord speaks to your soul about the depths of His love for you. Upcoming dates for this personal experience are January 11 and March 22, at a cost of \$120 per person. Registration is required, go to www.ourladyofbethesda.org Our Lady of Bethesda Retreat Center is located at 7007 Bradley Blvd., Bethesda, MD.



TRIGESIMOTERCER DOMINGO ORDINARIO 18 DE NOVIEMBRE 2018

El Profeta narra una visión profética que describe el final de los tiempos. La vida transcurre en una lucha entre el bien y el mal, entre los buenos y los malos. Terminará triunfando el bien sobre el mal. Tenemos que luchar para no ser dominados por el mal. No tengamos miedo. Dios está de nuestra parte. Nos ha dado a Jesucristo y con Él, la gracia que necesitamos para vencer al mal. Seamos fieles a la gracia. Si perseveramos en ella, venceremos con Cristo y alcanzaremos la salvación.

El Evangelio nos sitúa en el momento de la segunda venida de Cristo. Irá precedido de una lucha violenta del mal, descrito en forma apocalíptica: la tribulación, la oscuridad, el temblor, se apoderarán de la tierra. La segunda venida de Cristo será en la plenitud de su realeza. Será el triunfo definitivo del bien sobre el mal. Seremos juzgados en el amor. Los que posean la gracia y el amor irán al Cielo. Los que no tengan la gracia y el amor serán rechazados para siempre. Se habrá realizado el triunfo del bien sobre el mal para siempre. La segunda venida de Cristo será en el amor y en la misericordia. Cristo nos concede su perdón hasta el último instante con tal que hagamos un acto perfecto de amor y Él nos perdona.



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.

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

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

INTENCIONES DEL PAPA PARA NOVIEMBRE

Universal: "Al servicio de la Paz"

El Pontífice pide orar para que el lenguaje del corazón y el diálogo prevalezca siempre sobre el lenguaje de las armas.

ESTUDIO DE LA BIBLIA

Dictadas por el Padre Tim, los miércoles a las 6:30 p.m. en el aula bajo la Iglesia. Asista a esta actividad de renovación de Fe y conocimientos sobre la Biblia. Si Ud. está interesado por favor póngase en contacto con Padre Tim, 301-229-7933 ex. 22, o por correo electrónico: frtimdaniel@gmail.com.

DIA DE ACCION DE GRACIAS

El próximo jueves 22 de noviembre celebramos la fiesta por excelencia de los Estados Unidos: el Día de Acción de Gracias. Aunque no es propiamente una fiesta religiosa, para muchos estadounidenses es una confirmación de su fe en Dios, al igual que una oportunidad para darle gracias al Creador por las bendiciones del año que pasa. La fiesta está relacionada con los primeros eventos de la colonización inglesa en el Nuevo Mundo y sus vicisitudes durante los primeros años de la colonia. Los peregrinos llegaron a Plymouth Rock el 11 de Diciembre de 1620. El primer invierno fue muy duro para ellos. Pero el siguiente otoño, ellos obtuvieron una buena cosecha de las semillas que ellos plantaron. Decidieron celebrarlo con una gran cena, incluyendo a los indios que les habían ayudado a sobrevivir el primer año. El Día de Acción de Gracias fue proclamado oficialmente por el presidente Lincoln en 1863, para ser celebrado el último jueves del mes de noviembre. En 1941 el Día de Acción de Gracias fue declarado oficialmente, por el Congreso de los Estados Unidos un día festivo, a celebrarse el cuarto jueves del mes de noviembre.



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.

GRUPO DE JUVENTUD DE SAN BARTOLOME

El grupo de Juventud de San Bartolomé no se reunirá el Domingo 25 de Noviembre por Thanksgiving. Informes con María Kaufmann : 32kaufmann@cardinalmail.cua.edu

VOLUNTARIOS

Los programas y ministerios de la comunidad hispana de San Bartolomé son realizados por voluntarios que comparten su talento, tiempo y energía a servir a la comunidad. Invitamos a las personas que se incorporen en este servicio a la comunidad. Si usted está interesado en servir en algún ministerio, por favor hablar con Hernan Oyarzabal: hov41@yahoo.com

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

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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
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	Paul Johnson (Chair).....	301-320-4632
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Monaguillos/Hisp. Coord.	Bill Ayers.....	301-469-8023
Arimatheans	Joe Hanle, Dir.	301-320-6151
Bartholomew House	Jesus Manuel Berard, Ph.D.	631-793-2005
Busy Men at Work Group	James Strother.....	301-706-5818
CYO	Diana Carter.....	301-229-5117
Children's Liturgy	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	301-320-8876
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