



ST. BARTHOLOMEW CATHOLIC CHURCH AND SCHOOL

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Third Sunday of Lent - Year B

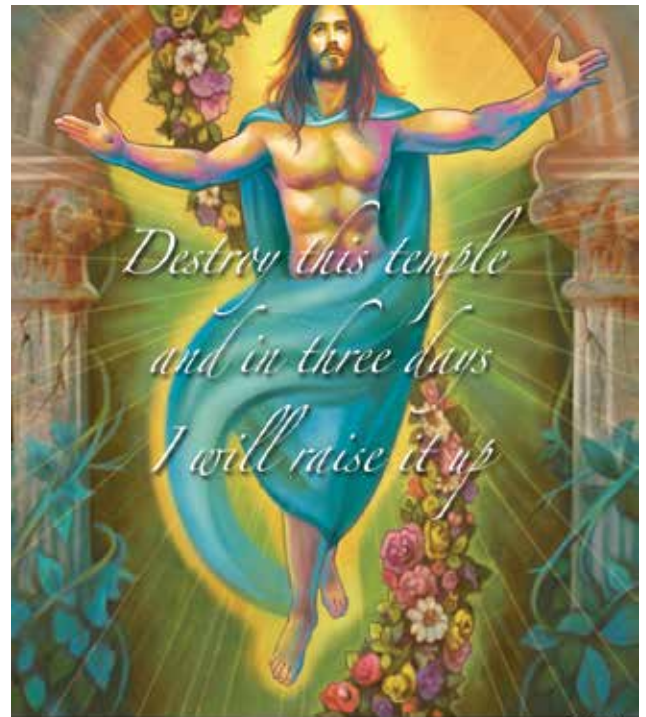
March 3, 2024

Who is Fr. Martín?

When he was a priest in the Archdiocese of Washington D.C. he was known as Father Richard Scott. After he founded the community, he took "Martín" as his community name when he founded "Siervos de la Divina Misericordia". The charism of his religious community life is based on the messages concerning our Lord's infinite Divine Mercy given to Saint Maria Faustina Kowalska. Over 95% of your donation directly supports Padre Martín and his community. We thank you and may God bless you for your support!



He will lead our English Mission from March 4th through the 6th at 7:30 PM nightly. Invite some friends, come and be blessed on your Lenten journey.



Evening Mass

**Monday - Friday
7:00 PM**



Confessions

**March 11
at 7:30 PM
in various languages**

**STATIONS OF
THE CROSS
FRIDAYS
7:30 PM**



Lenten Missions

**In Spanish
Feb 26**

**In English
March 4-6**

**In Creole
March 20-22**



**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
MONDAY - FRIDAY
9:30 AM to 7:30 PM**

PASTORAL STAFF

Priests

Rev. Andrew Chan-A-Sue

Pastor

Rev. Youry Jules

Parochial Vicar

Deacons

Deacon Michel DuChaussée

Deacon David Bowen

Religious Education

Mrs. Mercedes Brown

School Principal

Mrs. Christine Gonzalez

School Counselor/

Licensed Clinical Social Worker

Mr. Gerard John, LCSW, CCTP

Music Ministry

Mrs. Betty Bunnell

Mrs. Monique Abraham

Mr. Rodolfo Gramcko

Mr. Michael Martinez

MATRIMONY

Please contact the Rectory at least six months prior to the proposed date.

BAPTISMS

Please contact the Rectory at least three months before anticipated date to make arrangements. Baptisms in English are on the 1st and 3rd Sundays at 11:30 AM.

HOLY EUCHARIST (MASS)

Saturday: 5:00 PM (English)

6:30 PM (Spanish)

Sunday: 7:30, 10:00 AM & 5:00 PM

French/Créole 1:00 PM

Weekday: 7:00, 8:30 AM
(7 PM - during Lent only)

Saturday: 8:30 AM

First Friday: French/Créole - 7:30 PM

RECONCILIATION (Confessions)

Saturday: **11:00 - 11:30 AM**

4:00 - 4:45 PM

Weekdays: When priests are available.
Anytime by appointment

ROSARY

Weekdays at 7:30 AM
(after the 7:00 AM Mass)

CHARISMATIC PRAYER

English

Wednesday, 7:30 PM - Sacred Heart Center

French/Créole

Friday, 7:30 PM, School Rm B

LEGION OF MARY

Sunday 11:30 AM, School Rm A (English)



PARISH REGISTRATION

We welcome new parishioners to our parish family. Pick up a registration form at the rectory or print one from the website; later you will be invited to learn more about our parish and our many ministries.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

(In the Rectory Chapel)

Tuesday, Wednesday,

Thursday, Friday:

9:30 AM to 7:30 PM



RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Saturday - 9 AM to 5:00 PM

Sunday - CLOSED

Pastoral Hispana

Misa en Español - Los Sabados - 6:30 PM
El Santo Rosario los Sabados a las 6:00 PM

Confesiones - Los Sábados, 11-11:30 AM; 4:30-5 PM

Bautismos - Para el curso pre-bautismal, llame con TRES MESES de anticipación a la Rectoría. Los Bautismos en Español son los 4º Domingos del mes.

Matrimonio - Llame a la Rectoría lo menos seis meses antes de la fecha propuesta.

Legión De María - Se reúnen en Salón B en la escuela los sábados a las 4:30 PM.
Julia Cisneros 305-928-9097

Coro Hispano - Ensayo los Sabados a las 4:00 PM en la escuela (salón de música) con el Director Mr. Rodolfo Gramcko
305-505-1451



AVIS pour les Membres de la Communauté Haitienne

Messe en Créole / Français

1:00 PM chaque dimanche

7:30 PM chaque premier vendredi du mois avec Bénédiction du Très Saint Sacrement

Confession: Samedi 11-11:30 AM, 4:30-5 PM

Visite des malades: Contactez Père Youry au presbytère de l'église.

Baptême: 2è dimanche du mois à 11:30 AM.
Contactez le Père Youry trois mois avant la date prévue.

Mariage: Contactez le Père Youry, six mois avant la date prévue.

Prière Charismatique:

Vendredi de 7:30 à 10:00 PM (salle B de l'école)

Légion De Marie: Jeudi, de 6:00 à 7:00 PM (à l'école)
Samedi à partir de 4:00 PM (à l'école)

Répétition de Chorale: Samedi de 5:30 à 7:00 PM (salle B de l'école)

La Sainte Famille: Dimanche à 3:00 PM (à l'école)



EUCCHARIST



SUNDAY, MARCH 3 - THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

- (Sat) 5:00 PM + Marise Ganthier
+ Brigitte Ganthier
6:30 PM Peace in our communities
(Sun) 7:30 AM + Christie Owens
10:00 AM Arnold & Ruby Luisy (L)
+ Micheline Piquion
+ Michael Negron
1:00 PM James Daniel (T)
Christopher Montes (L)
Carcel Coimin family (T)
+ Sylvain Fils
5:00 PM Printy family (T)

Monday, March 4 - Saint Casimir

- 7:00 AM + Liliann Arlene Rivera
8:30 AM Herlande Estimable (T)
+ Eran Sam
7:00 PM Mildred Gallagher (L)

Tuesday, March 5 - Lenten Weekday

- 7:00 AM Yvrose Fils-Aimé (L)
Pierre St Vil (L)
8:30 AM Ramón Rivera & family (L)
7:00 PM + Miroslav Scesco
+ Michal Jasko

Wednesday, March 6 - Lenten Weekday

- 7:00 AM Barbara Manas (L)
Candy Larsen (L)
8:30 AM Special Intention
7:00 PM + Sheila Avin
+ Lucia Nikodemova
+ Titus Akos Akczel

Thursday, March 7 - Saints Perpetua and Felicity, Martyrs

- 7:00 AM + Souls in Purgatory
8:30 AM Mentally ill (L)
7:00 PM + Petr Zveska Jr.
+ Franta Zveska

Friday, March 8 - Saint John of God, Religious

- 7:00 AM Michael Silva (L)
+ Dcsd Mbrs of Milord, Jeanty, Benjamin families
8:30 AM Aria Lucia & Garcia Torres (T)
Jussome family (T)
7:00 PM Paul Abraham (L)
Pierre St Vil (L)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

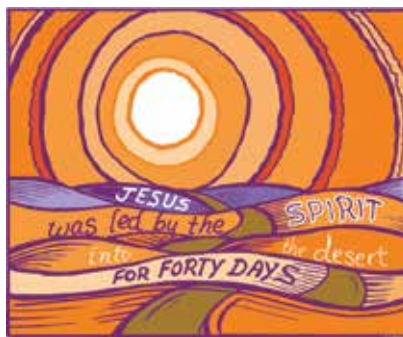
- Sunday 3/3: Ex 20: 1-17/ Ps 19: 8. 9. 10. 11
1 Cor 1: 22-25/ Jn 2: 13-25
Monday: 2 Kgs 5: 1-15b/ Ps 42: 2. 3; 43: 3. 4
Lk 4: 24-30
Tuesday: Dn 3: 25. 34-43/ Ps 25: 4-5ab. 6 and
7bc. 8 and 9/ Mt 18: 21-35
Wednesday: Dt 4:1. 5-9/ Ps 147: 12-13. 15-16.
19-20/ Mt 5: 17-19
Thursday: Jer 7: 23-28/ Ps 95: 1-2. 6-7. 8-9
Lk 11: 14-23
Friday: Hos 14: 2-10/ Ps 81: 6c-11ab.
14 and 17/ Mk 12: 28-34
Saturday: Hos 6: 1-6/ Ps 51: 3-4. 18-21ab
Lk 18: 9-14
Sunday 3/10: 2 Chr 36: 14-16. 19-23/ Ps 137: 1-6.
Eph 2: 4-10/ Jn 3:14-21

Saturday, March 9 - St Frances of Rome, Religious

- 8:30 AM Barbara Manas (L)

SUNDAY, MARCH 3 - THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

- (Sat) 5:00 PM + Derrick Mitchell
6:30 PM + Rosa Flores de Fuller
(Sun) 7:30 AM + Lucrecia Jimenez
+ Meliton Edralin
10:00 AM Julienne Jean-François (T)
Chris Dyan Bien-Aimé (L)
+ Antonio Louk Po
1:00 PM James Daniel (T)
+ Dudley Mc Calla
+ Dacy Daphnis
+ Sylvain Fils
5:00 PM Sick of our parish
Peace in the world



We are grateful for your donations. Please pick up your packet of **2024 envelopes** as you leave and use them to continue supporting your parish. St Bart is counting on you. The ushers are glad to help you locate your envelopes on the tables in the back of church.

"Truly matters in the world are in a bad state; but if you and I begin in earnest to reform ourselves, a really good beginning will have been made."

St Peter of Alcantara



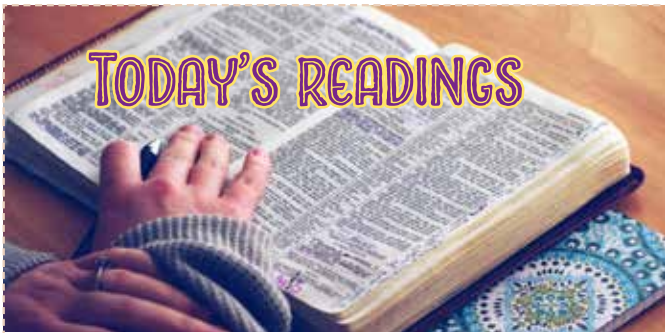
Remember the Departed

*Raymond Elie
Arlene Rivera
Jeanine Dorval*



Victims of hatred and gun violence, War, abortion and natural disasters.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading -- The law was given through Moses. Exodus 20:1–17

Responsorial Psalm -- “Lord, you have the words of everlasting life.” Psalm 19

Second Reading -- We proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling block to many, but to those who are called, the wisdom of God. 1 Corinthians 1:22–25

Gospel Reading -- Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up. John 2:13–25

Introduction to the Liturgy of the Day

Today we hear God deliver the ten commandments to Moses and the Chosen People. The commandments provide a way for them to live up to their part of the covenant. We face the same challenge today. Lent is a wonderful opportunity to examine our consciences and recall times when we have failed to follow one of God’s commands and determine which commandments we find difficult to obey consistently. Particularly during this penitential season, let us repent of our sins, reconcile with God and those we’ve wronged, and pray for the grace to do better.

Today’s readings are very familiar. We hear the ten commandments, which we probably memorized as children. In the Gospel, Jesus drives the money changers out of the temple, overturning their tables and spilling their coins. Let us challenge ourselves to listen to these words today as if God is personally speaking to us, telling us how to live and reminding us of the purpose of worship. With Easter less than a month away now, let us take to heart the words of the psalmist: “Lord, you have the words of everlasting life.”

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Please pray for healing & comfort for the sick and for strength and endurance for all caregivers



Gifford Silva	Abiah Tiday
Candy Larsen	Lorraine Fuller
Jessi Menendez	Patricia Khlon
Chris Dalheim	Johnston family
Paul Abraham	Camal Mohammed
Bernadette Projecki	Cynthia Horvath
Devon (Tony) Shaw	Andy Fortune
Mildred Gallagher	Ryan Rodriguez
Marilyn Constantine-Lane	Pierre St Vil
Cherry-Ann Edwards	Kaitlyn Lottie
Antonio Casas	Erin Bacon
Quincie G. Cajuste	Paulette Scuotto
Jennifer Evans	Rain Pierre
Gloria Beason	Jean-Robert Bijoux
Low Joseph	Kathleen Def-Moreau
Paulo Mendonça	Jared Def-Moreau
Joseph Ewald Marcelin	Valarie De Freitas
Ashley & Kimar Baker	Jasmine Springer
Adriana Rodriguez	Joyce Desiato
Mary-Ann Printy	Jeffrey
André Paes Cardoso	Patrice Legagneur
Jairo Frota	Natasha Retana
Busgith Vida	Ursula Rodriguez
Marie Georges Louis	Robert Stewart
	Marie Françoise Baptiste

If you are new...



Collection on: 2/25/24
Second Sunday of LENT

Stop by the Rectory Office to fill out a registration form if you are new to the area or the parish. It only takes a few minutes, then use your parishioner number when making a donation to support your parish community. Remember your donations are tax deductible and will be fully credited to your account. You can also donate online at our website: stbartholomew.com or by texting your amount to (954) 280-0901



Offering Envelopes

Mass	Attendance	Collection
Sat. 5:00 PM	52	\$774.00
Sat. 6:30 PM	45	\$509.00
Sun. 7:30 AM	112	\$976.00
Sun.. 10:00 AM	206	\$1,625.00
Sun. 1:00 PM	360	\$2,134.00
Sun. 5:00 PM	36	\$662.00
Loose Coins		\$10.00
Office		\$897.00
SVDP Online	4	\$50.00
Maintenance	3	\$257.00
Offertory Online	21	\$842.00
Main Collection	839	\$8,736.00
Candles		\$180.00
Latin America		\$430.00
Total		\$9,346.00

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

HE UNDERSTANDS US WELL

Jesus came to save. From what? From sin, yes. From death, yes. But he goes to the very root cause of those things in every word and action of his life – and the root is hypocrisy and egoism, which is pride. In order to restore and defend man's authentic relationship with God, Jesus must cleanse us from everything that gets in the way of that relationship, particularly whatever detracts from authentic faith and sincere worship. He came to save us from ourselves and our own contradictions.



The Temple officials directed their fellow Jews in the proper rituals, but had allowed the provision for that worship to gradually become adulterated with unholy practices. So when Jesus sees how the Temple has become a place of buying and selling, greed and worldly ambition (the businesses that provided proper sacrifices and the currency exchange making a lot of money for themselves), he cannot bear the hypocrisy that is detracting from true worship and sacrifice.

In his righteous anger, Jesus demonstrates uncharacteristic outrage. The very few times in the Gospel that we see Christ angry, it is to condemn hypocrisy. Hypocrites are holding themselves outside of the Kingdom, even as they claim to be at the pinnacle of it. We are all prone to this, due to the effects of Original Sin; by thinking of ourselves as exemplary citizens of God's Kingdom, we are subtly seeking to be rulers of our own kingdom.

We are created to be Temples of the Lord's Presence, but too often we allow lesser things to gradually occupy us and obscure the One Thing That Matters. Even if we are doing all the proper things on the outside, our hearts can become distracted and filled with lesser things.

Jesus understands us well. He knows the needs and desires and contradictions of our hearts and the many ways we fall as we try to walk in His ways. While our failures may surprise us, they do not surprise him. While we may forget we need to be saved and cannot save ourselves, he is ever our strong Savior, redeeming and refreshing and reminding us that we need to get up and look anew in the right direction.

And he delights to come to our aid! Lent is a time when we repent and ask the Lord to dust us off and clean our glasses so that we can see aright who we are and who He calls us to be, and adjust our course. We do not need to be perfect before we place all our confidence in Him – it is in placing all our confidence in Him that we grow in the way of perfection. He allows us to see our need so that we can entrust ourselves completely to His Heart, aching and beating and burning and pouring Himself out completely for love of us. This Lent, we can open ourselves anew to His Presence within us and entrust all our needs to Him.

St. Bartholomew Catholic Church

Baby Bottle Drive



Benefiting the South Broward
Pregnancy Help Center
Respect Life Ministry
February 24th through
Lent 2024



Entering Canaan Day of Prayer and Healing for Women

Do you or someone you know suffer from an abortion experience?

Saturday
March 23rd, 2024



Come back to God who is Love & Mercy

Contact
Archdiocese of Miami/ Respect Life Ministry
Project Rachel Ph 954-981-2984
projectrachel@theadom.org



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Fish Fry

LENTEN FRIDAY FISH DINNER

Feb. 16, 23, Mar. 1, 8, 15, 22

HOURS: 5PM TO 7:45PM

FISH DINNER \$13.00

SNAPPER 6-8 oz (BAKED or FRIED)
Choice of 2 sides and Beverage

Sides: SEASONED RICE
ROASTED MIXED VEGGIES
PASTA SALAD

SERVED IN THE PARISH HALL
EAT IN or TAKE OUT



God our Father, we thank you for calling men and women to serve in your Son's Kingdom as priests, deacons, and consecrated persons. Send your Holy Spirit to help others to respond generously and courageously to your call. May our community of faith support vocations of sacrificial love in our youth and young adults.

CONFESSION NIGHT

MARCH 11 AT 7:30 PM

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is a most natural way to celebrate God's forgiveness and love. To reconcile with God is the reason for the sacrament of reconciliation. Lent is an especially penitential season, meaning that during Lent we are called to make an extra effort to examine our lives and to strive to live in greater conformity with our faith, to imitate Jesus in a greater way. During Lent we also take on some extra penitential practices in order to grow in holiness and be free from the bondage of sin. Because of this, it is fitting that many Catholics choose to receive the sacrament of reconciliation during this holy season.

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PRAYER

Short prayers we can all say to feel connected to God during Lent:



- "God, may Your light guide my day, and your spirit bring me peace. Amen."
- "God, may my sacrifice of today of (state your Lenten sacrifice) remind me of my dependence on You for all the blessings I enjoy. Amen."
- "May I stand in solidarity today with all my brothers and sisters around the world who are suffering. May we be united in your love, and may I work to build your kingdom here on earth."
- "Heavenly Father, I'm truly sorry for the moments today where I missed the mark. I ask for your forgiveness and the strength to better follow Your call tomorrow. Amen."
- "God, I lift up (name of the person you'd like to pray for) today. I ask that you bless them abundantly today and throughout Lent. Amen."
- "Oh Jesus, I surrender myself to you, take care of everything. Amen."



Share YOUR Faith

**PLEASE USE THE
SPECIAL ENVELOPES
AT THE ENTRANCE
OF CHURCH TO
CONTRIBUTE TO
THIS COLLECTION**

Support the Collection for the Church in Latin America

Christ calls his disciples to love God and to love our neighbor. We Catholics can show love for our neighbors by performing corporal works of mercy, which include feeding those who are hungry, giving shelter to those who are homeless, and visiting prisoners.

For more than 50 years, the US bishops' program to aid the Church in Latin America has helped the Church carry out its pastoral mission of mercy among those with both spiritual and material needs across Latin America and the Caribbean.

In Mexico's Diocese of Iztapalapa, much of the population lives below the poverty line and has trouble meeting basic needs. The crime rate is high. Offenders who complete their jail sentences face rejection and isolation and risk reoffending upon their return to society. With grant support from the Collection for the Church in Latin America, the diocese created the Cristo Redentor evangelization center, where persons released from prison can receive job search help, group therapy, spiritual direction, and the Sacrament of Reconciliation. And they can participate in recreational activities such as theater, games, and music, all at no charge.

In Venezuela, economic hardship and political turmoil have caused food shortages and a migration wave that has left behind vulnerable people, such as seniors. Without adequate resources, the elderly are particularly vulnerable to health problems, malnutrition, and homelessness. The Diocese of Carúpano, with help from the Collection for the Church in Latin America, established a social dining room at its Casa de la Caridad Santa Ana, where it provides nutritious lunches and spiritual and medical care to 100 people every day. The diocese also delivers bags of food and supplies to an additional 80 people every week.

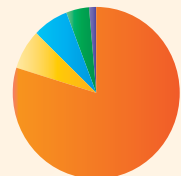
These works of mercy are made possible through the generosity of Catholics in the United States to the Collection for the Church in Latin America.

For more information about the Collection for the Church in Latin America, visit www.usccb.org/latin-america.

2022 CLA Financials

Expenses

- Grants and Donations: **79.98%**
- Program Costs: **7.26%**
- Allocations—Internal Grants: **6.93%**
- Promotions and Fundraising Expenses: **4.52%**
- Administrative Expenses: **1.30%**

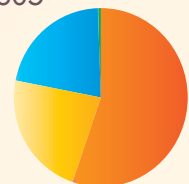


Total Expenses: \$6,517,768

Total Number of Grants Approved: 251

Total Amount Approved: \$6,583,605

- General Pastoral*: **55.46%**
- Formation of Clergy and Religious, and Vocations: **22.85%**
- Emergency Disaster Funds: **21.19%**
- Child Protection: **0.50%**



*includes evangelization, religious education, family and other pastoral ministries



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*On behalf of St. Bartholomew Church, we wish to thank you for your financial contributions for the tax year 2023. If your offertory contributions totaled \$250 or more, your statement is available for pick up at the rectory. Under \$249, please call the rectory with **your envelope number** so we can prepare a copy of the contribution record for you.*

We are grateful for your support in 2023. Your continued contributions are greatly appreciated.

SAINT KATHARINE DREXEL (1858–1955) – A LIFE OF SERVICE Feast Day March 3

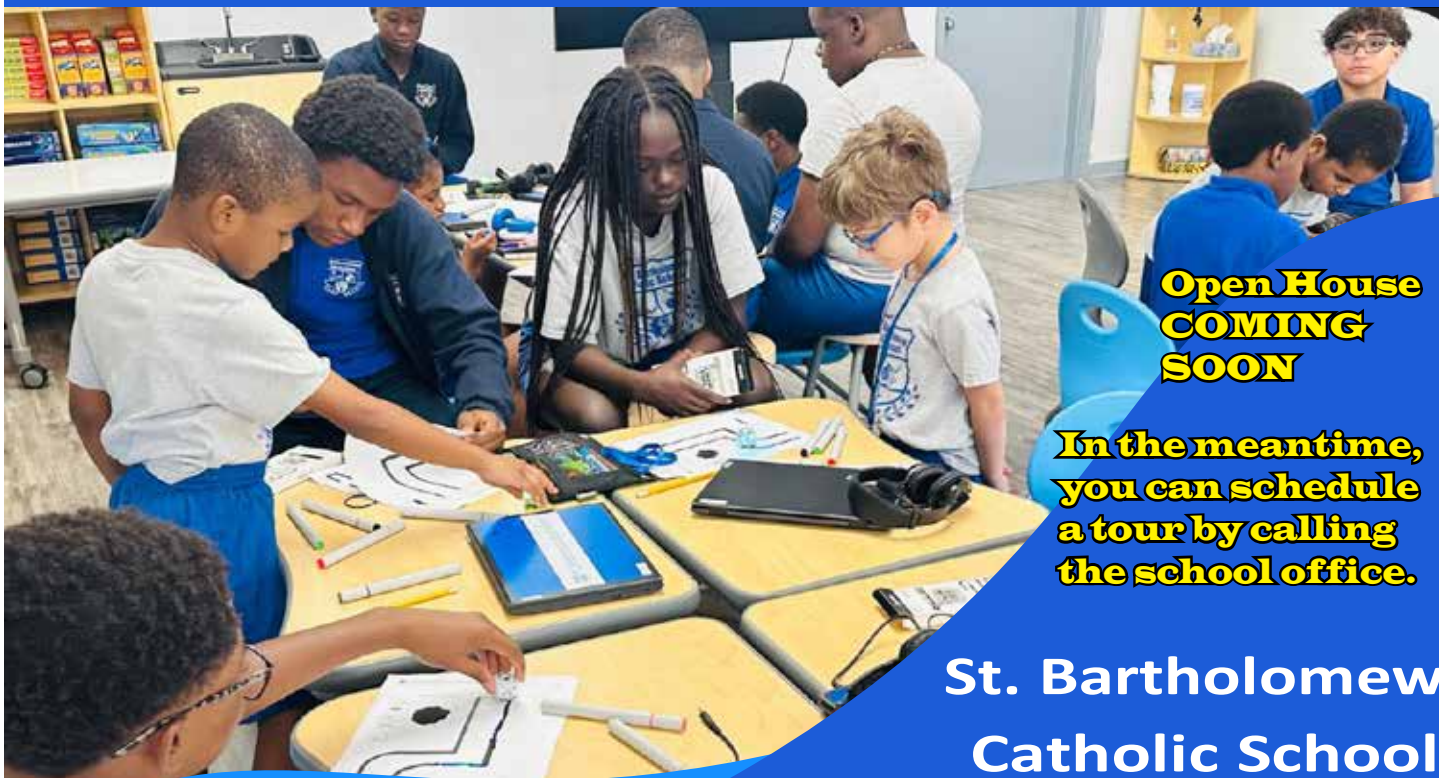
Born into Philadelphia society, Katharine was an infant when she lost her mother. Her father remarried and the couple taught their daughters that their wealth was a “gift on loan” to be shared with the poor, whom they fed and cared for in their home. Invited by priest-friends to witness firsthand the destitution on Native American reservations, Katharine resolved to devote her inheritance to this apostolate and enter a contemplative order. When, however, in private audience, she begged Leo XIII to send missionaries to staff the schools she was building, the pope replied, “My child, why not become a missionary yourself?” Katharine renounced a twenty-million-dollar fortune and founded the Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament, adoring Christ present in the Eucharist and ministering to Christ suffering in victims of racial discrimination. Her Sisters established over sixty schools nationwide, including Xavier University, New Orleans, the first dedicated to professional education for African Americans. In 2000, John Paul II canonized “Mother Drexel,” praising her “excellent example of practical charity and generous solidarity with the less fortunate, long the distinguishing mark of American Catholics.”



—Peter Scagnelli

ST. BARTHOLOMEW CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Office Hours : Monday - Friday - 7:30 AM to 3:30 PM



**Open House
COMING
SOON**

**In the meantime,
you can schedule
a tour by calling
the school office.**

St. Bartholomew Catholic School 2024-2025 School Year

Open for Admission

As a student at St. Bartholomew Catholic School your child will receive:

- A safe learning environment
- Daily Religion instruction
- iPad for use in school
- Chromebook for use at home
- Access to our brand new Innovation Lab

ABOUT US

St. Bartholomew Catholic School has been serving the community since 1965. As the only Catholic school in Miramar, we strive to provide an environment that continues to innovate while embracing our Catholic faith and leading our students in Service-Learning opportunities.



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