



ST. BARTHOLOMEW CATHOLIC CHURCH AND SCHOOL



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2024 ABCD
ARCHDIOCESE OF MIAMI

Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time - Year B

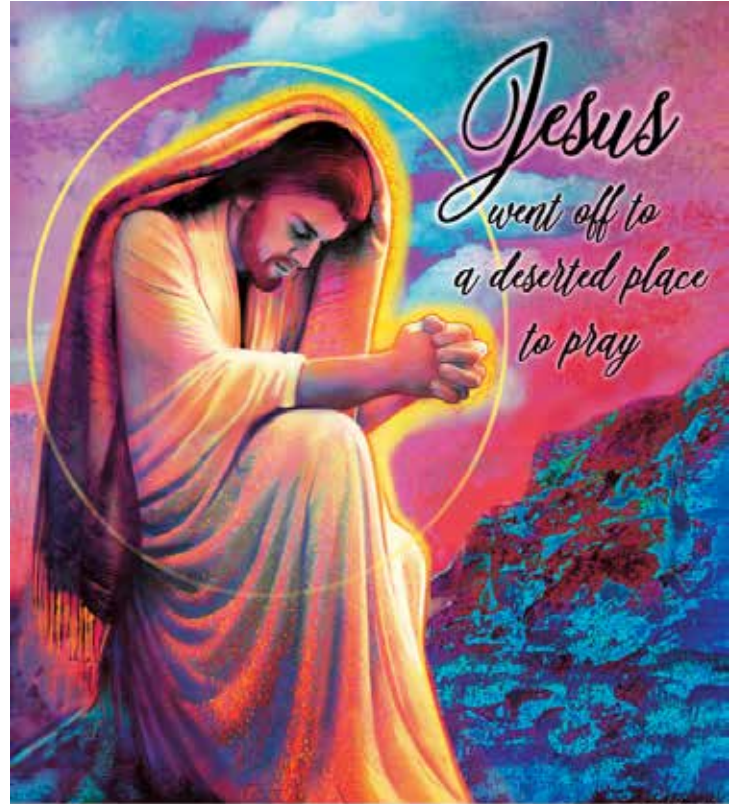
February 4, 2024

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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 on 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.

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WORLD DAY FOR CONSECRATED LIFE - FEBRUARY 2 (CELEBRATED TODAY)

Please pray for all those who have made commitments in the consecrated life, and be sure to thank them on their special day. May they continue to be inspired by Jesus Christ and respond generously to God's gift of their vocation.

In 1997, Pope Saint John Paul II instituted a day of prayer for women and men in consecrated life. This celebration is attached to the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord on February 2nd. This Feast is also known as Candlemas Day; the day on which candles are blessed symbolizing Christ who is the light of the world. So too, those in consecrated life are called to reflect the light of Jesus Christ to all peoples. The celebration of World Day for Consecrated Life is transferred to the following Sunday in order to highlight the gift of consecrated persons for the whole Church.



The Presentation at the Temple
WORLD DAY FOR CONSECRATED LIFE

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 - 4:30 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, FEBRUARY 4 - FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

(Sat) 5:00 PM Antonio Casas (T)
+ Jean Yvon Toussaint
6:30 PM + Veronique Blot
(Sun) 7:30 AM + Kamaria King
10:00 AM + Christie Owens
+ Edmonde Manigat
1:00 PM James Daniel (T)
Jeff Josma (T)
+ Rose & Charles Celerin
+ Jean Baptiste & Anne-Marie Monestime
5:00 PM Printy family (T)

Monday, February 5 - St Agatha, Virgin and Martyr

7:30 AM Sick of our parish (L)
8:30 AM Madeleine Querette (T)
+ Dcsd Mbrs of William Young's family
+ Virginia Macatangay

Tuesday, February 6 - Saint Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs

7:00 AM + André Sautier
+ Gerald Oriol
8:30 AM + Gerald Oriol

Wednesday, February 7 - Weekday

7:00 AM Guerda Lucas (T)
+ M/M Diogene Richardson
8:30 AM Lourdie Denis (T)
Peace and order in Haiti
+ Joe Kannikal

Thursday, February 8 - Saint Jerome Emiliani; Saint Josephine Bakhita, Virgin

7:00 AM Negron & London families (L)
8:30 AM Allison Matthews (L)
Jolande Jules (L)

Friday, February 9 - Weekday

7:00 AM + Montas Remy
8:30 AM + Michael Steven Negron

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday 2/4: Jb 7: 1-4, 6-7/ Ps 147: 1-6
1 Cor 9: 16-19, 22-23/ Mk 1: 29-39
Monday: 1 Kgs 8: 1-7, 9-13/ Ps 132: 6-7,
8-10/ Mk 6: 53-56
Tuesday: 1 Kgs 8: 22-23, 27-30/ Ps 84: 3, 4, 5
and 10, 11/ Mk 7: 1-13
Wednesday: 1 Kgs 10: 1-10/ Ps 37: 30-31, 39-40
Mk 7: 14-23
Thursday: 1 Kgs 11: 4-13/ Ps 106: 3-4,
35-36, 37 and 40/ Mk 7: 24-30
Friday: 1 Kgs 11: 29-32; 12: 19/ Ps 81: 10-
11ab, 12-13, 14-15/ Mk 7: 31-37
Saturday: 1 Kgs 12: 26-32; 13: 33-34
Ps 106: 6-7ab, 19-22/ Mk 8: 1-10
Sunday 2/11: Lv 13: 1-2, 44-46/ Ps 32: 1-2, 5, 11
1 Cor 10: 31 -- 11: 1/ Mk 1: 40-45

Saturday, February 10 - Saint Scholastica, Virgin

8:30 AM River Pierre (L)
+ Dcsd Mbrs of Jean-Louis family

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11 - SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

(Sat) 5:00 PM + Eva Guillet
+ Mary Ann Seaton
+ Ivan Tirado
6:30 PM + Souls in Purgatory
(Sun) 7:30 AM + Kamaria King
10:00 AM + Christie Owens
1:00 PM James Daniel (T)
Antoine Garçon & family (T)
+ Anthony Joseph Zamys
5:00 PM Special Intention

Ash Wednesday is February 14th



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.



Remember the Departed

Michael Steven Negron
Steven Boudreau

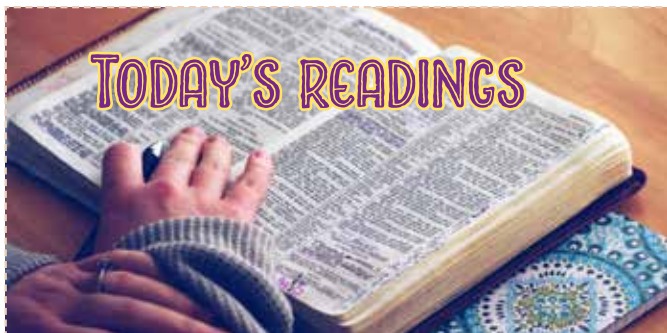


Victims of hatred and violence, War, abortion and natural disasters.

"Frequent Confession, frequent Communion and daily Mass are the pillars that must support an educational building that we desire to protect from threats and scourges."

St John Bosco

Please use your envelopes or donate online at our website. Our parish needs your support.



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading -- I am filled with restlessness until the dawn. Job 7:1–4, 6–7

Responsorial Psalm -- “Praise the Lord, who heals the brokenhearted.” Psalm 147

Second Reading -- Woe to me if I do not preach the Gospel. 1 Corinthians 9:16–19, 22-23

Gospel Reading -- Jesus cured many who were sick with various diseases.

Mark 1:29–39

Introduction to the Liturgy of the Day

We gather on this midwinter day, as we do each Sunday, to celebrate the meal that Jesus left us so that we could be nourished by him as we continue our journey to the kingdom. We give praise and thanks to God for this opportunity, even as we acknowledge our failings, our sinfulness, and our need for God’s mercy. Let us lift our voices in song and prayer to our God.

There’s nothing like listening to a passage from Job to bring a person down. What happens to the poor guy ranges from tragic to miserable, leaving him in the throes of despair. Still, he turns to God for mercy and healing, much as the people of Capernaum later looked to Jesus. Listening to the word of God today, may we renew our trust in the Lord in the face of illnesses and difficulties.

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



Bernadette Projecki
Devon (Tony) Shaw
Mildred Gallagher
Marilyn Constantine-Lane
Cherry-Ann Edwards
Antonio Casas
Quincie G. Cajuste
Jennifer Evans
Gloria Beason
Low Joseph
Paulo Mendonça
Joseph Ewald Marcelin
Ashley Baker
Adriana Rodriguez
Mary-Ann Printy
André Paes Cardoso
Jairo Frota
Busgith Vida
Candy Larsen
Marie Georges Louis
Abiah Tiday
Lorraine Fuller
Marjorie Minott
Patricia Khlon

Johnston family
Camal Mohammed
Cynthia Horvath
Andy Fortune
Ryan Rodriguez
Pierre St Vil
Kaitlyn Lottie
Erin Bacon
Paulette Scuotto
Rain Pierre
Jean-Robert Bijoux
Kathleen Def-Moreau
Jared Def-Moreau
Valarie De Freitas
Jasmine Springer
Joyce Desiato
Jeffrey
Patrice Legagneur
Natasha Retana
Jessi Menendez
Micheline Piquion
Ursula Rodriguez
Robert Stewart
Marie Françoise Baptiste

If you are new...



Collection on: 1/28/24
Fourth Sunday in OT

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	49	\$853.00
Sat. 6:30 PM	46	\$393.00
Sun. 7:30 AM	118	\$1,086.00
Sun.. 10:00 AM	189	\$1,504.00
Sun. 1:00 PM	278	\$2,497.00
Sun. 5:00 PM	70	\$786.00
Loose Coins		\$10.50
Office		\$555.00
SVDP Online		\$160.00
Maintenance		\$162.00
Offertory Online		\$942.00
Main Collection		750 \$8,948.50
Candles		\$202.00
Latin America		\$449.00
Total		\$9,599.50

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time *What do You Want?*

Jesus was starting to become very popular, at least with the ordinary people. They had seen how he had cured the sick and cast out demons. The gospel has one unusual sentence about those demons: Jesus did not let them speak “because they knew who he was.” (Mk 1:34) Apparently, the demons would have identified him as the Son of God. Jesus knew the people would not understand this and try to proclaim him as their king. Jesus had no intention of living as a worldly king, in comfort and riches. In fact, he came to free people from needing wealth and power.

Popularity and wealth do not interest St. Paul, either. When he preaches the gospel, the good news of Christ’s resurrection (and ours), he needs no other recompense. (1 Cor 9:18) All he wants is to share eternal life. He specifically refuses to be paid for his preaching, to show that he will be rewarded by Christ.

So what do you hope for; what is your goal in life? Do you only feel secure when you have saved enough money and invested it wisely? Do you need other people to make you happy? Or at least a few hundred Facebook friends? Or are you like Job in the first reading: having no hope of escaping a life of drudgery? He eventually found that only by trusting God can anyone be happy, even when things go wrong.

We can follow Paul’s example of love for all people no matter who they are. Paul’s love was not to make others like him. He genuinely wanted to bring the good news to them: by his love for them, Paul showed that God loves them even more. He knew the gospel requires a change of heart, so his love for others helped them to be more open to change. Let us ask the Lord to fill us with his love, so that we can help each other to hear the good news.



2024 ABCD

ARCHBISHOP'S CHARITIES & DEVELOPMENT DRIVE

Today is the day to make your gift to the 2024 ABCD!
It is an opportunity for us to demonstrate the love of Christ through our actions. By supporting the ABCD, we can provide vital resources and support to those who are struggling. Join us and put our love in to action today and make a positive impact in our community.



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Archbishop's Charities & Development Drive

Archbishop's Letter

My dear Brothers and Sisters,

The Sacred Heart of Jesus is the manifestation of the human and divine love in Jesus Himself. The love of the Sacred Heart is a human love, coming from the heart of one who is really and truly man. It is a sensible love capable of feeling affection and is influenced by it. His is a sympathetic love experiencing all that we suffer. Jesus not only understands all our troubles; He has felt each trouble in His own person.



Devotion is any action in which we freely show ourselves willing to serve God. All true devotion is to be offered out of love- the offering of our talents, our thoughts, our actions, and our sufferings to Him. We offer all these things for His service and the service of His Church. This is the love that we return for the love that we freely receive from God.

Love is not a mere abstraction but a transformative force that finds its fullest expression in action—a selfless and self-giving offering of oneself to God. Love is always an action. In a world where the meaning of life can often feel uncertain, where the needs of our brothers and sisters are vast and diverse and where defending the dignity of every person is a paramount duty, there is a force that can guide us. That force is love.

As disciples, we are all called to look beyond our differences and unite in ways that allow us to demonstrate love in action. We must serve one another by advocating for the sick, needy, and unborn; by showing compassion and patience for one another; by sharing our blessings with those less fortunate; and by forgiving one another like God forgave us. Your support of the Archbishop's Charities and Development Drive (ABCD) is an act of love that can change your life and the lives of others.

This past year, the Archdiocese celebrated 65 years of its unwavering dedication to our faith and service in our community, but our work is not done. As we look to future, we are reminded that we need to act today to make for a better tomorrow. Together, let us unite our efforts, recognizing that the power of transformative love can influence positive change in our world.

In devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, I invite you to make a gift to the ABCD today. In so doing, you put your love into action and make a difference in the lives of those who need it the most.

May God bless you for your selfless love and generosity. May He grant us the grace to be living witnesses of love in action in a world longing for the true and transformative love that flows from the Sacred Heart of our Savior.

With love and gratitude,

Most Rev. Thomas G. Wenski
Archbishop Of Miami

SAINT JOSEPHINE BAKHITA (c. 1869-1947)

Feast day - February 8

“Save Darfur!” That cry echoes around the world and in the heart of the Church, where a child of Darfur is one of our newest saints: Josephine (her baptismal name) Bakhita (“Lucky One,” the slave-traders’ nickname). Kidnapped at nine, sold in Sudan’s slave-markets, flogged daily till covered with scars, Bakhita was finally bought by Italians and taken to Italy. There Bakhita discovered a “Master” who had himself been flogged to redeem her from slavery! “I am truly loved,” she thought, “and awaited by this Love.” Baptized, she often kissed the baptismal font, exclaiming, “Here I became a daughter of God!” For fifty years as a Daughter of Charity, Bakhita provided cheerful hospitality to all who knocked at the convent door. In her final illness, she relived slavery’s horror: “Please, loosen these chains,” she begged the nurse. “They are so heavy!” Her last words were: “Our Lady! Our Lady!” John Paul II canonized her in the Jubilee Year 2000, praising God for leading her “from abject slavery to the dignity of being your daughter and the Bride of Christ.”

—Peter Scagnelli



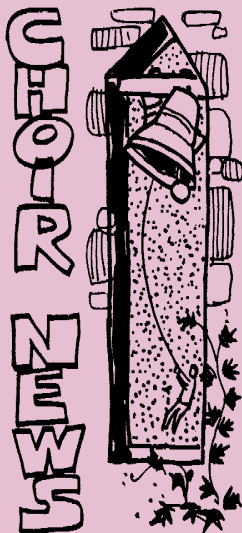
Ministry Leaders



If your group is meeting in the school, please stop by the rectory and fill out a form to secure a room. Please help us stay organized. Do not assume that an empty room is available.

The English choir is inviting you to join them. All voices are needed. Instrumentalists are also needed. Speak to Betty or simply stop by their rehearsal on Thursday at 7:45PM in the church.

*Come sing
JOYFULLY
to the Lord!*



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**



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

**Lenten Mission
in Creole
March 20-22
7:30 PM nightly**



Volunteers needed

We still need a couple more volunteers to help out with our expanding **MEDIA MINISTRY**. Interested parties will be trained. Teenagers and young adults especially are encouraged to join this ministry. For more information, please call the rectory at 954-431-3600



Parish Project for Lenten **FOOD PANTRY**

The number of people seeking help has increased. St. Vincent de Paul is currently serving more clients than last year. Most of us have in some way been impacted by the cost of living and the rise in food prices, but the POOR have more difficulty managing. We need your help to help them.

**Drop items off at the entrance of church
in the St. Vincent de Paul collection box**

Thank you, and God bless you.

Most needed items at this time:

- canned tuna, meats like chicken or turkey
- beef stew
- Vienna sausage
- canned vegetables, peas, corn
- beans/legumes: black, baked, red, green
- canned soups, and juices
- canned fruit, Jello, puddings
- cereals, hot and cold
- shelf stable milk (liquid Borden, evaporated or dried powdered)
- macaroni and cheese, pasta, spaghetti sauce and spaghetti, noodles
- peanut butter and jelly
- canned and boxed juices,
- pancake mix (such as Bisquick) and pop tarts,
- baby formula, baby food & diapers

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**Open House
Sunday,
February 11th
after the
10AM Mass**

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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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