

ST. BARTHOLOMEW CHURCH

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The Rectory Office is open

Monday-Friday 9:00 am-12:00 noon; 1:00 pm-4:00 pm

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MASSES:

Saturdays: 8:00 am & 5:00 pm (Vigil Mass)

Sundays: 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 am; 12:30 pm

Eves of Holy Days: 5:00 pm (Vigil Mass)

Holy Days: 8:00 am; 12:15 pm, 7:00 pm

Weekdays: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 8:00 am

RECONCILIATION: **Saturdays:** 3:45 to 4:45 pm. **First Fridays:** Before the 8:00 am Mass.

BAPTISMS: 1st and 3rd Sundays of each month, by Appointment, through Rectory.

WEDDINGS: By Appointment at least 6 months in advance, through the Rectory..

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

VISIT OUR PARISH WEB SITE
 PARISH COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN
 SCHOOL OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - 4545 E. 4th St. (Monday & Wednesday)
 CONFIRMATION COORDINATOR
 RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (RCIA)
 RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY
 LEGION OF MARY
 MEN'S CLUB & USHERS
 PARISH MUSIC DIRECTOR AND ORGANIST
 LECTOR / EUCHARISTIC MINISTER COORDINATORS
 COMMUNITY GROUP
 ALTAR SERVERS
 CENTERING PRAYER (Christian Meditation)
 YOUTH BIBLE STUDY
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NOTE: All announcements for the Bulletin must be submitted to the Rectory Office by Monday at 2:00 pm. The deadline for Pulpit Announcements is Friday evening. **DO NOT** come to the Sacristy before Mass to request an announcement.

CALLED BY GOD

Today's scriptures invite us to listen to two calls. The first is the call issued by the Lord to the prophet Amos, the "shepherd and a dresser of sycamores" (Amos 7:14). The second is the call the Lord Jesus issued to the Twelve, whom he sent out "two by two" (Mark 6:7). These faithful people responded to the call, prophesying and preaching to the people to whom they had been sent. Each of us received a call when we were baptized. The second reading invites us to ponder that call as we are reminded that we are chosen in Christ and that, in love, God "destined us for adoption" (Ephesians 1:5). As adopted daughters and sons of God we are called to bring the presence of Christ into our marriages, families, schools, and places of work. Let us be inspired today to say "yes" to the call we hear once again through God's living word.

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ALTAR SERVERS

July 18	5:00	Cowan/Parker/Scolamieri
July 19	8:00	Roberts/Nyquist
	9:30	Guerin/Bigham
	11:00	Rowan/S.Ramos
	12:30	Sweeney/D.Ramos

DIACONATE FORMATION

Are you being called to become a deacon? Information Day for all men (between the ages of 30 and 60) who are interested in learning more about becoming a permanent deacon in our Archdiocese will be Sunday, July 26th, 1:30—4:00pm, at St. John Chrysostom, 546 E. Florence Avenue in Inglewood. For information, please call (213)637-7383.

"If you want to be first, make yourself servant of all"
 (Mt. 20:27)

LECTORS—EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

July 18	5:00	Stutz/Boessow—Team 4
July 19	8:00	Mehler/Dominguez—Team 4
	9:30	Griffith/Bodner—Team 2
	11:00	Villa-McDowell/Wolf—Team 2
	12:30	Armstrong/Reus—Team 4

HEALING MASS

Tuesday, July 21st, St. Cornelius Catholic Church, 7:30pm, with Fr. Edward Benioff.



THE SICK OF THE PARISH

Xavier Dybbro, Sarah Fries, Catherine Thompson, Harry Fehner, Michael Fehner, Josephine Bilsley, Dolores Detarr, Nathan Laherty, Mark Lott, Clark Boyd, Lorna Klemp, John Coppens, Timothy Hanley, Richard Gardner, and John Scandura.

THE DECEASED OF OUR PARISH

June Rozier, Daniel Kurtz, and Lee Schneider.



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**Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 12, 2009**

Truth shall spring out of the earth, and justice shall look down from heaven.

-Psalm 85:12

SPECIAL COLLECTION

Next weekend for the **National Needs Combined Collection**. Your generosity:

- Makes it possible to continue strengthening Catholic faith, values and education through The Catholic Communication Campaign's television, radio, and print messages
- Helps support some of the poorest dioceses in the country that depend on annual collections. Through vital evangelization programs, the Black and Indian Home Mission provides aid to some of the neediest African-American and Native American communities.
- Helps to insure the highest standards of quality Catholic education through The Catholic University of America's exceptional programs of scholarship, research, and service.
- Strengthens the Church at home, and helps to provide basic pastoral resources and services to needy ethnic communities in scattered and isolated areas through the Catholic Home Missions Appeal.

Envelopes are in the pews.

SAVE THIS DATE!
Annual Parish Picnic,
Saturday, September 26th
 Hosted annual by our Parish Community Group, but new people are needed this year to plan the day.
 Please volunteer to help bring new ideas to this event.
 Call: Deacon Carl (562)400-4099.

ATTENTION LADIES!

There will be a priest directed Women's Silent Retreat at the Carmelite Sisters Sacred House Retreat House from September 11 to September 13. The Retreat provides a silent and restful atmosphere in a beautiful garden setting in which you can come closer to God and deepen your prayer life. You will return consoled, strengthened and spiritually refreshed as there is 'Great Power in Prayer and Silence'. For reservation/information, please call Eva Talastas or Carmela Chiurazzi directly at (562)428-7194.

CENTERING PRAYER

A prayer of consent to the presence and action of God within us and prayed in God's first language—SILENCE—every 2nd and 4th Monday, in the Church at 7:00pm, every First Friday, at 7:30pm. For more information: Pat (562)433-2452; Melissa (562)434-1998.

MASS FOR LIFE

Every first Sunday of the month, 5:00pm, at St. Cornelius Catholic Church, 5500 E. Wardlow Rd., Long Beach, CA. 90808 (562)421-8966.

BANNS of MARRIAGE

3rd Chris Riggins and Sarah Reynolds

CHEER CAMP

St. Joseph High School in Lakewood, July 17-19. An affordable weekend of skill and technique training and a lot of fun. Ages 5-14, no experience necessary. \$55.00 includes cheer training, as well as lunch on Saturday and Sunday, camp t-shirt, and the opportunity to earn prizes. Please contact: Nicole Vazquez (562)925-5073,x166, or nvasquez@sj.jester.org

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COLLECTIONS; July 4th/5th \$15,416.00