

# ST. BARTHOLOMEW CHURCH

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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.

**Eves of Holy Days:** Before the Vigil Mass.

**BAPTISMS:** By Appointment. Call the Rectory at least 10 days in advance. Administered on the 1st and 3rd Sunday

## 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**  
**CHILDREN'S CHOIR**  
**GUITAR GROUP**

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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.

### THE HEAVENLY BANQUET

The mountain of the Lord described in today's first reading is a place where there is no more hunger, no more weeping, and no more division of any kind. We need to pause and ponder these images every now and then, especially given the fact that we live in such a fractured world. The responsorial psalm continues to paint a picture of a place where only goodness and kindness flourish. These readings describe the heavenly banquet, to which God calls each of us through baptism and continues to call us throughout our lives. Let us "RSVP" to God's invitation and live our lives consistent with gospel values so that one day we will be welcomed to the table of the kingdom.

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### ALTAR SERVERS

Oct. 18	5:00	Mendez
Oct. 19	8:00	Scolamieri/Cowan
	9:30	Guerin/Sepera
	11:00	Roberts
	12:30	Ramos/Rowan

### LECTORS—EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Oct. 18	5:00	Bergam/Hammeras—Team 1
Oct. 19	8:00	Montgomery, Sourverielle—Team 1
	9:30	Surfus/Gorman—Team 3
	11:00	Woznicki/Caputi—Team 3
	12:30	Salsameda/Salsameda—Team 2

### ANNUAL "PRAY FOR A CURE" MASS

3rd Annual Mass to ask God that cures be found for cancer, Sunday, October 19th, at 3:15pm, Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels in Los Angeles. During the Mass there will be an anointing of the sick for those suffering from cancer. Everyone is invited to come and pray for a loved one that is unable to attend. If illness or distance prevents you from attending this important Mass, please send your name to be put in our Prayer Petition Book that will be presented for blessing and prayer during the Mass. For more information, please contact Deacon Mark or Vickie Race at (323)293-4877, or go online:

[Www.faithhopeandcharityccm.com](http://www.faithhopeandcharityccm.com)

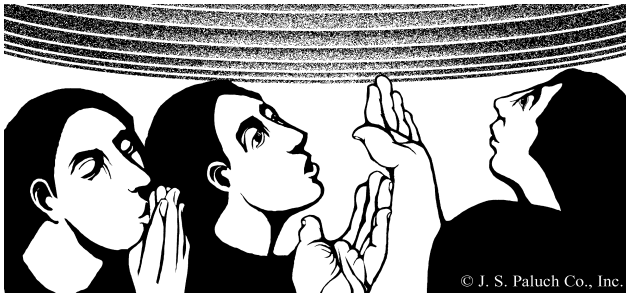
### HEALING MASS

St. Cornelius Church, 3330 Belleflower Blvd. in Long Beach, Tuesday, October 21st, 7:00pm.



### THE SICK OF OUR PARISH

Calvin Carlson, Harry Fehner, Xavier Dybbro, Leo Poissant, Marie Therese Arslan, Sandra Shadden, Josephine Ronan, Patricia Schuck, Alan Arslan, Mark Lott, Matthew Frank Arslan, Edward Kulik, Peggy Kinkella, Sarah Fries, Maureen Murray, Gloria White, Ray Esquivel, Carol McEachen, Betty Gill, Bill Green, Tess Fitch, Catherine Thompson, Michele Arslan, Bill Williams, Diane Marie Walker, Jerry Ganz, Bob Kacsuta, Edward Jette, Max Milton, David and Betty Hatch, Mike Campbell, Henrick Peterson, Oneida Casares and Michael Fehner.



**Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
October 12, 2008**

I can do all things in Him who strengthens me.

*-Philippians 4:13*



Next Sunday, October 19th, **World Mission Sunday**, Pope Benedict XVI calls every Catholic in the world to celebrate our vocation to be a missionary. On the day we were baptized, we became a missionary, called by

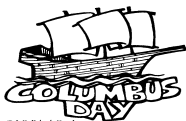
our Lord to share our faith with those around us—and to be part of the Church’s mission to the world. On **World Mission Sunday**, we have the opportunity to be part of the Church’s missionary work in Asia, Africa, Latin America, and the Pacific Islands through our prayers and support offered to the “Society for the Propagation of the Faith”. Envelopes can be found in the pews for donations, and once again we thank you for your on-going generosity.

**NOVEMBER ELECTION MATERIALS**

A statement of the California Conference of Catholic Bishops supporting Proposition 8, and a press release of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops regarding marriage and same-sex unions can be found in the Vestibule, as well as the back of the side chapel. Also, there is material supporting Proposition 4 (Sarah’s Law regarding parental consent before a teen child can get an abortion).

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

World famous Spaghetti Dinner to benefit the **Columbian Foundation for People with Mental Retardation and Wheelchairfoundation**, Saturday, October 18th, 5pm-9pm, in the Monsignor Guarderon Hall at St. Anthony’s, East 6th Street and Alamitos, here in Long Beach. \$7.00 and kids 7 and under eat free! For tickets, or to make a donation, call: Jeff Lewis (562)490-2691



**MONDAY, OCTOBER 15TH**  
The Rectory will be **open**.

**Thank You**

The Carlson Family expresses their sincere gratitude for the love and prayers for their beloved Jane at this most difficult time for the family. A special thank-you to Monsignor Sean, Monsignor McGovern, Father Jim Halley and Deacon Carl, and to all who helped with the Memorial Mass and the luncheon following.

(Parish note: Words cannot express how deeply Jane will be missed by all who knew her at this parish and other parishes in Long Beach where she devoted so much of her time and energy.)

**OSCAR WINNING PROGRAM**  
Featuring inspirational movie and book reviews, complimented by a savory luncheon. Wednesday, October 29th, 11:30am at the Long Beach Yacht Club on Appian Way.  
\$30.00 donation  
Reservations can be sent to Judy Houston, 280 Claremont Avenue, Long Beach, CA 90803; or call (562)434-5011.  
The reviewers have chosen some thought-provoking movies and books depicting challenging and heroic efforts by ordinary people. This program is sure to delight and inspire, **so make your reservations now.**  
Sponsored by our Parish Women’s Council  
(Please give them your support)

**CHILDREN’S/YOUTH CHOIR**

Rehearsals are held on Thursday nights in the Social Hall. This choir will sing once a month at the 9:30am Mass. Please join us at 6:30pm every Thursday. All are invited. Contact: Julie (562)243-1286 or, Jwesty212@msn.com

**COLLECTIONS**

Ordinary Income: October 4th/5th \$ 15,037.00