

# 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.

**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 /EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER COORDINATORS**  
**COMMUNITY GROUP**  
**ALTAR SERVERS**  
**CENTERING PRAYER (Christian Meditation)**  
**YOUTH BIBLE STUDY**  
**CHILDREN'S CHOIR**  
**CONTEMPORARY CHOIR**

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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.

### CHRIST IS KING

On the final Sunday of the liturgical year we celebrate the feast of Christ the King. It's easy to understand today's scriptures as events that happened long ago and far away, or predictions that will come true somewhere, some day. But they invite us to claim Christ as our King here and now. Jesus' words to Pilate in the Gospel remind us that his kingdom transcends time and place. And the prophecies from Daniel and Revelation give us reason to be faithful to Christ our King right here and right now.

By concluding the year with this feast we are proclaiming our faith that Jesus Christ is the one and only King over all seasons, all peoples, and all of creation. No matter what nation we belong to or what language we speak, he "has made us into a kingdom" (Revelation 1:6) —one people united in love and peace for all eternity.

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### ALTAR SERVERS

Nov. 28	5:00	Lund/Stonic,/Dobbs
Nov. 29	8:00	Crowley/Crowley
	9:30	Oberhaus/Meyer
	11:00	Bebek/Monconduit
	12:30	Cowan/Feldman/Parker

### LECTORS—EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Nov. 28	5:00	O'Donnell/Killian—Team 3
Nov. 29	8:00	Myrtle/Metzger—Team 3
	9:30	Therrell/Gibboney—Team 1
	11:00	Bauch/Thompson—Team 1
	12:30	Santif/Arnold—Team 3

### ALTAR FLOWERS

Altar Flowers this weekend are donated by Doreen Kent in memory of her husband, Robert Kent, and her daughter, Mary Elizabeth Kent Robards.

### SPECIAL COLLECTION

This weekend, there is a special collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD), begun by the Catholic Bishops of the United States 39 years ago, with the funds going towards projects in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles that break the cycle of poverty. It is a complement to the direct-assistance mission of Catholic Charities agencies and other emergency relief programs run by the Church. Envelopes are in the pews, and, again, we thank you for your generosity.

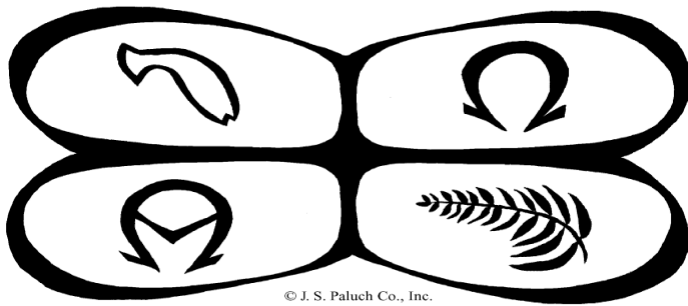
### LEGION OF MARY

Meets every Wednesday, 8:45am, in the Jubilee Room. Everyone is welcome.



### THE SICK OF THE PARISH

Xavier Dybbro, Sarah Fries, Catherine Thompson, Harry Fehner, Dolores Detarr, Nathan Laherty, Mark Lott, Clark Boyd, John Coppens, Frank Risica, Carol McEachen, Donald Dimarzo, Michael Carlson, Candace Weissman, Teresa Balogh, Sara Simpson and Amber Trossen Lippert.



**Our Lord Jesus Christ the King  
November 22, 2009**

Jesus Christ is the faithful witness,  
the firstborn of the dead  
and ruler of the kings of the earth.

*-Revelation 1:5*



**THANKSGIVING DAY  
MASS**

9:00am Thanksgiving  
Day, November 26th.  
This Mass takes the

place of the 8:00am Mass. Please think of those in need and bring canned goods and non-perishable food items, and/or monetary donations with you to Mass that day. These will be offered during a special procession to the Altar at the Preparation of the Gifts. Monetary contributions will be given to local charities with donations of food going to Catholic Charities. As always, we thank you for your very generous response.

**The Rectory will be closed on November 27th,  
for the Thanksgiving Holiday.**

**SPIRITUAL ENRICHMENT**

Spend one afternoon during this Season of Advent preparing for the coming of Jesus, just as Mary did. Join us for a day of spiritual enrichment with Fr. Carl J. Arico, in the parish hall, Sunday, Dec. 6th, 3-5pm, \$20 registration fee. This afternoon will include Fr. Carl's presentation and the opportunity to experience Centering Prayer. For info/registration call: Pat (562)243-8460; or Melissa (562)434-1998.

**MEALS ON WHEELS**

Please consider volunteering to help Meals on Wheels deliver hot meals to ill, disabled, aged in our local St. Bart's area. Volunteers can help one morning a week or even one morning a month from 10:30am until about 11:45am, delivering in-home nourishment. Call Julie (562)433-0232 for info.

**Coffee and Donuts after all Masses this Sunday  
are hosted by our Parish Men's Club.**

**WOMEN'S COUNCIL NEWS**



**SAVE THIS DATE:** Annual  
Christmas Concert, Sunday, De-  
cember 13th, 5:00pm.

**ANNUAL SEE'S CANDY SALE**

Order forms are at all entrances to the Church and Chapel for our annual Christmas See's Candy sale. Forms can be dropped into the designated box in the Social Hall, or into the mail slot at the Rectory. Orders can also be placed by calling the #'s on the flyer or e-mailing to the addresses listed there. Get your orders in early. **This is a great way to avoid standing in the long lines during the holidays. Orders will be available for pick-up after all Masses on Sunday, Dec. 13th.**

**Monthly Meeting:** Monday, December 7th, 12 noon, in the Jubilee Room. All women of the parish are welcome.

**ADVENT WREATHS** are on sale this weekend in the Vestibule after the 5pm Saturday Mass and in the Social Hall after all Masses Sunday.

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES**

Catholic Charities, in conjunction with St. Mary Medical Center, will hold a Christmas party for 700 children and their parents December 8th. Toy donations are greatly needed for children, ages 1 month to 12 years. Please deliver them to Catholic Charities, 123 E. 14th Street, Long Beach, by Dec.4. For information, call: (562)591-1641.