

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

Office Aides: Monday-Thursday 4:00 pm-7:00 pm

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE: 439-1802

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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.

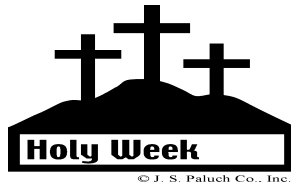
WEDDINGS: By Appointment at least 6 months in advance, through the Rectory..

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

<http://www.sblb.org>
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 Pat Metzger 243-8460
 Patricia Goodman 438-3981
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 Lina Hayek 708-7050

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.



HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE 2010

PALM SUNDAY – March 27/28

Blessing and Distribution of Palms at all Masses

Saturday – 5:00pm Mass

Sunday – 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am, 12:30pm Masses

Monday, March 29th thru Wednesday, March 31st

8:00am Mass

HOLY THURSDAY – April 1st (no morning Mass)

Holy Thursday Liturgy – 7:30pm

Procession of the Eucharist to the Altar of Repose with
 Adoration in the Parish Hall until 10:00pm

GOOD FRIDAY – April 2nd

Stations of the Cross and Veneration– 12 noon

Solemn Liturgy - 6:00pm

HOLY SATURDAY – April 3rd

Easter Vigil Liturgy – 7:30pm

(fulfills Sunday obligation)

Sacraments of Initiation with Catechumens and Candi-
 dates
 and Mass of Resurrection.

EASTER SUNDAY – April 4th

Masses at 8:00am (Church and Hall)

9:30am (Church & Hall)

11:00am, 12:30pm (Church only)

PARISH PENANCE SERVICE

Tuesday, March 23rd, 7:00pm, in the Church.

Many priests will be in attendance.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday, March 27th, 3:45-4:45pm

**Ushers are needed for Easter Services. Please
 sign up in the Vestibule.**

LECTORS—EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

March 27 5:00 Boessow/Stutz—Team 4

March 28 8:00 Dominguez/Mehler—Team 4

9:30 Bodner/Griffith—Team 2

11:00 Van Dijks/Villa-McDowell—Team 2

12:30 Reus/Armstrong—Team 4

ALTAR SERVERS

March 27 5:00 Monconduit/Sacker/Salaben

March 28 8:00 Crowley/Farmer

9:30 Rowen/Ramos/Petro

11:00 Scolamieri/Bigham/Rhodes

12:30 Roberts/Nyquist



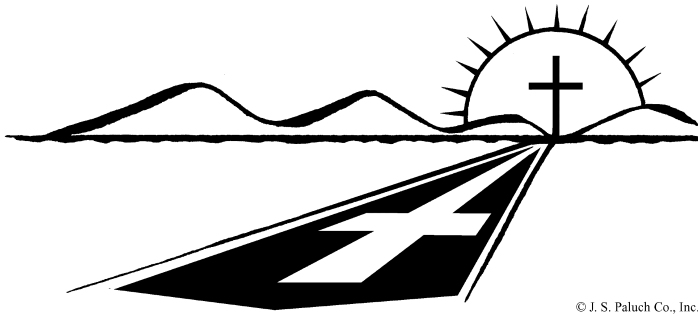
THE SICK OF THE PARISH

Xavier Dybbro, Sarah Fries, Harry Fehner, Nathan Laherty, Mark Lott, Clark Boyd, John Coppens, Stefania Chadsey, Marilyn Omby, Dorthine Maloney, Patty Sova, Betty Suttie,

Laurie Manzo, and Patrick Farrell.

THE DECEASED OF OUR PARISH

Herman Makovitz



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Fifth Sunday of Lent March 21, 2010

I consider everything as a loss because of the supreme good of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord.

-*Philippians 3:8*



Dear Parishioners:

I ask your assistance in identifying parishioners who are home-bound and may not be able to come to Mass. I intend to do home visits to these people and offer them the opportunity to receive Eucharist, Penance and the Sacrament of the Sick.

Please call the Rectory with names, addresses and home phone numbers of family members and acquaintances.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Father Bernie

CHILDREN'S BULLETINS

Children's Bulletins are available at all entrances to the Church and Chapel, and in the Social Hall. There are new ones each week. Please make a point to take them home for your children.

EASTER

Pamphlets with the Holy Week Schedule and Reconciliation Schedule are at all entrances to the Church and Chapel.

SAVE THIS DATE!!!
WOMEN'S COUNCIL
ANNUAL FASHION SHOW
Sunday, April 18th

2:30pm in the Social Hall
\$30.00—Donation

Fashions by Draper and Damon's
Food by Edward's Steak House
Raffle and Chinese Auction

FOOD, FRIENDS AND FUN!!
Don't Miss This Event!

For Reservations: Judy Houston 434-5011

R.C.I.A.

How Does a Person Become a Catholic?

Are you curious about Catholicism? Or, do you know someone who is interested in the Catholic faith? As a Catholic community, it is our greatest joy as well as our mission, to continually welcome new members. "Inquiry" is the first step in the four-step process of faith formation and education known as the **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)**. If you would like to learn more about the RCIA process, we invite you to join us for an informational meeting on **Wednesday, April 21st, 7:00pm, in the Jubilee Room**. We encourage and invite interested individuals to "come and see" what living a life as a committed Catholic Christian can mean for you. For more information, please call the Rectory (562)438-3826.

Join the RCIA Team

The RCIA team is seeking additional members who can help them in their ministry of Christian Initiation. Members of the RCIA team pastorally support the Catechumens (unbaptized) and Candidates (already baptized) in their journey towards full reception in the Catholic Church. If you are a person of deep faith, who is joyful, prayerful, a good listener, flexible, extroverted and hospitable—there is a place for you in Initiation Ministry. The RCIA has several involvement opportunities with various levels of commitment. If you are interested in participating in Christian Initiation, please call the Rectory.

CENTERING PRAYER

A prayer of consent to the presence and action of God within us, prayed in God's first language—**SILENCE**. Every 2nd and 4th Monday in the Church at 7:00pm, and after Stations of the Cross during Lent, Fridays, 6:30pm in the Church. For more information, call: Pat (562)243-8460; Melissa (562)434-1998.