



ST. BARTHOLOMEW

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

APRIL 3
2022

5TH SUNDAY OF LENT
V DOMINGO DE CUARESMA

PARISH INFO

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Friday 8:30am-1:00pm
Sat-Sun Closed

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Senior Associate
Fr. Clement T. Davis
Deacons
Bill Jones
Juan Carlos Ramirez

MASS TIMES HORARIO DE MISAS

Tuesday 5:30 PM
Wednesday 12:00 PM
Thursday 8:15 AM School
6:00 PM Spanish
Friday 12:00 PM
Saturday 5:00 PM
Sunday 8:00 AM
11:00 AM
1:00 PM Spanish

STONE



“Let the one among you who is
without sin be the first to throw a
stone at her.”

JOHN 8:7

“Aquel de ustedes que no
tenga pecado, que le tire la
primera piedra”.

JUAN 8, 7

PASTOR'S LETTER • CARTA DEL PADRE

Dear Friends,

I hope you had a safe and relaxing Spring break. I was able to get away last week for several days to sunny Mexico! It was a great time spent relaxing, reading and maybe enjoying a couple Margaritas on the beach. It was nice to get away, but also nice to come home.

It's hard to believe that we are one week away from Palm Sunday, and the start of Holy Week. Thank you to all who have made this Lenten season very memorable. Beginning with the Ash Wednesday services the attendance has been very strong... even the 7:00am Ashes-only service was attended by more than 125 people! The attendance at the weekend masses continues to be strong and vibrant, and the music books are back!

We continue to reserve two sections of our Sanctuary with ribbons and ask those who sit in sections 1 and 2 to maintain social distance and wear masks. Four sections are available without any seating or mask restrictions. Some people have voiced a concern that our Church feels divided because of the ribbons. My perspective is that the divisions are to respect peoples different levels of comfort and health concerns. My hope is that we can see the ribbons as our way of honoring and respecting peoples different levels of comfort and health needs, as an act of charity.



As crowds continue to be strong, and mask-less faces reemerge with more frequency, I am reminded of how poor I am at remembering people's names. If you have a nametag, can you please begin to wear it again at Parish functions? If you do not have a nametag and would like one, they can be ordered through the Parish Office.

Blessings to you and your family in this final week of Lent. My prayer for our community is that this Lenten season has been a time to become even closer to the people God envisions us to be on Easter Sunday – hopeful, joy-filled and loving, celebrating our faith in Christ with enthusiasm...despite the daily struggles that weigh us down.

Peace, Fr. Chris

Queridos Amigos:

Espero que hayan tenido unas vacaciones de primavera seguras y relajantes. ¡Pude escaparme la semana pasada por varios días al soleado México! Fue un gran momento para relajarme, leer y tal vez un par de margaritas en la playa. Fue agradable alejarse, pero también fue agradable volver a casa.

Es difícil creer que estamos a una semana del Domingo de Ramos y el comienzo de la Semana Santa. Gracias a todos los que han hecho que esta temporada de Cuaresma sea memorable. Comenzando con los servicios del Miércoles de Ceniza, la asistencia ha sido muy fuerte... ¡incluso el servicio de cenizas de las 7:00 a. m. contó con la asistencia de más de 125 personas! La asistencia a las misas de fin de semana continúa siendo cada vez más fuerte y vibrante, ¡y los libros de música están de regreso!

Continuamos reservando dos secciones de nuestro Santuario con cintas y solicitamos a quienes se sientan en las secciones 1 y 2 que mantengan la distancia social y usen cubre bocas. Cuatro secciones están disponibles sin restricciones de asientos o cubre bocas. Algunas personas han expresado su

preocupación de que nuestra Iglesia se siente dividida debido a las cintas. Mi perspectiva es que las divisiones son para respetar los diferentes niveles de comodidad y preocupaciones de salud de las personas. Mi esperanza es que podamos ver las cintas como nuestra forma de honrar y respetar los diferentes niveles de comodidad y necesidades de salud de las personas. como un acto de caridad.

A medida que las multitudes continúan siendo más y los rostros sin máscara resurgen con más frecuencia, recuerdo lo pobre que soy para recordar los nombres de las personas. Si tiene un gafete con tu nombre, ¿puedes comenzar a usarla nuevamente en las funciones parroquiales? Si no tienes un gafete con tu nombre y deseas uno, puedes solicitarla a través de la Oficina Parroquial.

Bendiciones para ti y tu familia en esta última semana de Cuaresma. Mi oración por nuestra comunidad es que esta temporada de Cuaresma haya sido un tiempo para acercarnos aún más a las personas que Dios nos visualiza el Domingo de Pascua: esperanzados, colmados de alegría y amorosos, celebrando nuestra fe en Cristo con entusiasmo... a pesar de las luchas diarias. que nos pesan.

Paz, Padre Chris

AROUND THE PARISH • EN TORNO AL LA PARROQUIA

PARISH GIVING • DONACIÓN IGLESIA

SUNDAY MARCH 20, 2022

Envelopes • Sobres	\$ 25,394.91
Loose • Donación en Efectivo	\$ 1,505.75
Electronic Giving • Transferencia Electronica	\$ 29,259.83
Total	\$ 56,160.49

Second Collection • Segunda Colecta

FISCAL YTD (JULY 1, 2021—DATE)

Actual	\$ 1,620,292.32
Budgeted • Presupuestado	\$ 1,684,171.00
Overage (Shortage)	\$(63,878.68)
Parish Households on Record	1,788

SECOND COLLECTION SEGUNDA COLECTA

April 23/24: Catholic Home Missions



Donate Online:

<https://osvhub.com/saintbartholomew/>

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS • CALENDARIO DE EVENTOS

MONDAY APRIL 4 | L. 4 DE ABRIL

Prayer & Communion Service - 7:00 AM
 Lenten Study "The Creed" - 10:00 AM, Parish Hall & Meeting Rooms
 MOMS Play Group - 12:30 PM, Youth Ministry Space
 Lector Practice - 5:30 PM, Church
 First Communion Evening of Reflection - 6:00 PM, School Cafeteria
 Lenten Study "The Creed" - 7:00 PM, Parish Hall & Rooms 1,2,3,4
 K of C Council Meeting - 7:00 PM, Meeting Room # 5
 Boy Scouts - 7:00 PM, Youth Ministry Space

TUESDAY APRIL 5 | M. 5 DE ABRIL

Pastoral Staff Meeting - 9:00 AM, Parish Hall
 YM Afterschool Café - 3:00-5:30 PM, Youth Ministry Space
 Pulpit Announcements due by 4:00 PM
Liturgy of the Hours Evening Prayers - 5:00 PM
Daily Mass - 5:30 PM
 Liturgy Committee Meeting - 6:30 PM, Good Shepherd Room
 YAM Bible Study - 6:30 PM, Meeting Room # 2

WEDNESDAY APRIL 6 | X. 6 DE ABRIL

Daily Mass - 12:00 PM
 YM Afterschool Café - 3:00-5:30 PM, Youth Ministry Space
 High School Bible Study - 6:00 PM, Youth Ministry Space
 Lector Practice - 6:00 PM, Church
 The Chosen Movie Night *Spanish* - 6:00 PM, Youth Ministry Space
 Cancer Support Group - 7:00 PM, Good Shepherd Room

THURSDAY APRIL 7 | J. 7 DE ABRIL

School Mass - 8:15 AM
 Cursillo - 12:00 PM, Meeting Room # 1
 YM Afterschool Café - 3:00-5:30 PM, Youth Ministry Space
Misa en español - 6:00 PM (Spanish)
 Grupo de Jovenes - 6:30 PM, Youth Ministry Space
 RCIA - 7:00 PM, Parish Hall & Meeting Room # 5
 RCIT - 7:00 PM, Good Shepherd Room

FRIDAY APRIL 8 | V. 8 DE ABRIL

Daily Mass - 12:00 PM
 YM Afterschool Café - 3:00-5:30 PM, Youth Ministry Space
 K of C Fish Fry - 5:30-8:30 PM, School Cafeteria
 Kids Fun Zone - 6:00-8:00 PM, Youth Ministry Space
 Stations of the Cross | Estaciones de la Cruz - 6:00 PM, bilingual
 Adoration | Adoración - 7:30-9:30 PM, Church

SATURDAY APRIL 9 | S. 9 DE ABRIL

Kerygma Retreat Follow-Up Meeting - 10:00 AM, Meeting Rm # 3
 Confession - 4:00-4:50 PM
Vigil Mass - 5:00 PM
 Healing Prayer Ministry - after 5:00 PM Mass, Good Shepherd Room

SUNDAY APRIL 10 | D. 10 DE ABRIL

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD DOMINGO DE RAMOS "DE LA PASIÓN DEL SEÑOR"

Sunday Mass - 8:00 AM
 Healing Prayer Ministry after 8 AM Mass, Good Shepherd Room
 Children's Faith Formation (CFF) - 9:20-10:40 AM, School
 Jr. High Faith Formation Class - 9:30-10:30 AM, Youth Ministry Space
Sunday Mass - 11:00 AM
 Healing Prayer Ministry after 11 AM Mass, Good Shepherd Room
 Clases de Catecismo para Niños - 11:30 AM—12:45 PM, School
 Youth Ministry BCFF - 11:30 AM—12:45 PM, Youth Ministry Space
 Confession - 12:00-1:00 PM
Misa en español - 1:00 PM (Spanish)
 Healing Prayer Ministry after 1 PM Mass, Good Shepherd Room
 Kerygma Retreat Follow-Up - 2:00 PM, Meeting Room # 4
 Hot Meal Site - 5:00 PM, School
 Confirmation Classes - 5:15-6:15 PM, Church & Parish Hall
 High School Youth Group - 6:35-7:30 PM, Parish Hall



MINISTRY SCHEDULE | APRIL 9-10

*If you can fill any open positions, please visit the ministry scheduling website or contact Connie: csandlin@stbparish.net or 812-379-9353 ext. 1236

	GREETERS	GREETERS	M/C	SERVERS	LECTOR	COMMUNION MINISTERS
Saturday April 9 5:00 PM	Stephen Cecil Tom Mayer Alan Patterson	Dave Shaw LeRoy Stewart Need Volunteer	James Baker	Lucy Duran-Blanc Armando Duran-Blanc Danny Breeden	Carolyn Behrman Cheryl Bergin	Clarine Baker Jan Forbes Gabrielle Ryan Julie Steinmetz
Sunday April 10 8:00 AM	Ray Barnhorst Thomas Johnson Chelsea Miller	Bob Pruitt Charlie Rentschler Dee Weafer	Stewart Smith	Leyton Hottell Rylan Hottell Kellen Hottell	Monica Thomas Ed Eckerly	Paul Baugh Rebecca Brown Judith Johnson Stewart Smith
Sunday April 10 11:00 AM	John Baxter Jim Beamish John McDonald	Dave Wildemann Need Volunteer Need Volunteer	Patricia Shepherd	Mary Rayburn Margaret Rayburn Olivia Abon	Nancy Peterson Ben Jackson	Lisa Algee Gerald Fecteau Gerald Klingler Patricia Shepherd

PRAYER & WORSHIP • ORACION Y ADORACION



**“Blessed is the king who comes
in the name of the Lord.
Peace in heaven
and glory in the highest.”
- Lk 19:38**

**“¡Bendito el rey
que viene en el nombre del Señor!
¡Paz en el cielo
y gloria en las alturas!”
- Lc 19, 38**

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WEEKLY READINGS

READINGS FOR APRIL 10
PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD
First Reading: Isaiah 50:4-7
Second Reading: Philippians 2:6-11
Gospel: Luke 22:14-23:56

LECTURAS PARA 10 DE ABRIL
DOMINGO DE RAMOS “DE LA PASIÓN DEL SEÑOR”
Primera Lectura: Isaías 50, 4-7
Segunda Lectura: Filipenses 2, 6-11
Evangelio: Lucas 22,14 - 23,56.

PRAYER REQUEST LIST • LISTA PETICION DE ORACION

Submit requests to: prayerrequest@stbparish.net

Ron Shadley	Ariel Roberts
Noah Lonaker	Coral Roberts
Rylie Bennett	Marco Antonio Torres Juarez
Norman Gentry	The Garcia Family
Leon Huerta Maldonado	John Thomas
Christopher Levine	Duane Barker
Sandra Sacanamboy	Greg Woodworth
Barbara Crowell	Dan Hirsch
Louise Baldonado	Art Beck
Rochelle Betsch	Vanessa Staley
James Baker Jr.	Bill Crouch
Billy Chase	Bob Crouch
Dustin Jenkins	Phyllis Porter
Ray Hildreth	Holly Hall
Graziella Bush	Ken Arnold
Jerome McDonald	Jeff Cain
James McDonald	Kyleigh Green
Darlene Byrd	Linda Green
Cheryl Johnson	Katie Menefee
David Fipp	Yolande Modly
Wally Oliver	Kevin Villaseñor
Charlie Oliver	Gricelda García
Preston Byrd	Maria Nehrt
Sheila McMullen	Karen Johnson
Theodore Winters	Larry Higdon
JB Freeman	John & Bev Storms
Joan Sztukowski	Lee Perkins
Charlotte Condon	Rochelle Hart
Linda Burge	Jack Wellman
Carter Guess	Sandra Kuecho
Loreen & Darren Bryant	Nataraja Pattel
Michelle Bishop	Ed Hudecek

LITURGY SCHEDULE • CALENDARIO DE LITURGICO

MON. APRIL 4 / M. 4 DE ABRIL

7:00 AM - Prayer & Communion Service

TUES. APRIL 5 / M. 5 DE ABRIL

5:00 PM - Liturgy of the Hours Evening Prayers
5:30 PM - †Intention: William Bickers

WED. APRIL 6 / X. 6 DE ABRIL

12:00 PM - †Intention: Clarice Olmstead

THURS. APRIL 7 / J. 7 DE ABRIL

8:15 AM (school) - †Intention: Gerald Walsh
6:00 PM (español) †Intención: *call office to add intention

FRI. APRIL 8 / V. 8 DE ABRIL

12:00 PM †Intention: Carl Patterson
6:00 PM (bilingual) - Stations of the Cross

SAT. APRIL 9 / S. 9 DE ABRIL

5:00 PM Intention: Members of St. Bartholomew Parish

SUN. APRIL 10 / D. 10 DE ABRIL

8:00 AM †Intention: Frank & Carolyn Souza
11:00 AM †Intention: Tommy Green
1:00 PM (español) †Intención: Manuel Madrigal Torres

***Add your own intentions for a \$10 donation. Please stop in or call the Parish Office at 812-379-9353 and speak with Margaret (x1285) or Maria (x1235).**

CHAIRS - FREE TO A GOOD HOME!



St. Bartholomew was gifted gently-used stackable chairs for the parish hall. In light of this, we need to do some spring cleaning. We have over 75 wooden chairs from the old St. Bartholomew Church free for the taking. This is first come, first serve. Sorry, no delivery. Please contact the AFF Office to arrange pick up, 812-379-9353 ext 1240

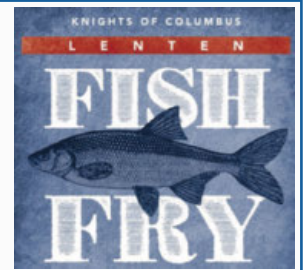
Friday April 8th, 5:30-8:30pm St. B's School Cafeteria

Fish or Cheese Pizza Meals
1 piece - \$8, 2 pieces - \$10
*includes 2 sides and a drink

CFF will have desserts for sale.

A 'Kids Fun Zone' will be available from 6-8pm in the Youth Space, for children ages 5 years and up (parents will need to sign-in and sign-out kids).

April 8th proceeds will benefit the Pro-Life Ministry.



VBS 2022 ANNOUNCEMENT

CFF will be taking a break this year from VBS to allow time for transition and preparation for a **NEW YEAR of FUN!** Thank you for your support and understanding!

El campamento de verano (VBS) tomará un descanso este año, para prepararnos para el **SIGUIENTE AÑO!** Gracias por su apoyo y comprensión!

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**Lenten Reconciliation
Reconciliación Cuaresmal**
April 9, 3:00-5:00 PM

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Estaciones de la Cruz
Every Friday 6:00 PM, bilingual

**Holy Week
Semana Santa**

April 10: Palm Sunday / Domingo de ramos
Masses: 8:00 am, 11:00 am, 1:00 pm *español*

April 14: Holy Thursday / Jueves Santo
Mass: 7:00 pm followed by Adoration until 10:00 pm

April 15: Good Friday / Viernes Santo
Service: 1:00 pm. Servicio Penitencial 6-8pm, español

April 16: Holy Saturday / Sabado Santo
Easter Vigil: 8:30 pm

April 17: Easter Sunday / Domingo de Pascua
Masses: 6:30am, 8:00am, 11:00am, 1:00pm *español*

SEEKING VOLUNTEERS

HEAVENLY DUSTERS

Cleaning supplies are provided, please meet in the narthex.

**2nd and 4th Fridays of the month
10:00-11:00am**

Would you like to volunteer or learn more?
Please contact Kathy Davis-Shanks: 812-379-9353 ext 1240, kdavis-shanks@stbparish.net



ADULT FAITH FORMATION | FORMACIÓN DE FE PARA ADULTOS

MOMS PLAY GROUP

A weekly Monday afternoon playgroup has begun at St. Bartholomew, **12:30-2:00 PM in the Youth Space** (please enter by the Parish Office entrance). We have a craft/activity, fellowship, and playtime with our little friends! Please bring a drink for your family and a snack to share with the group. If you have any questions, email Megan Doup at: megancdoup@gmail.com.

APRIL PICKLEBALL

In April, to avoid Palm Sunday and Easter, Pickleball will be held **Sunday April 3 and 24** in the School Gym at **6:00 PM**. This is for anyone 18 and older and any ability level. Balls are provided and paddles are available, if needed. Come and join the fun! Questions? Please contact Sue Wildemann 812-350-5737 or Jennifer Villiger 812-371-2531.

CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

Our parish cancer support group will meet on **Wednesday, April 6 at 7:00 PM** in the Good Shepherd Room for prayer and sharing of our cancer journey. For more information contact Kathy in the AFF Office.

EASTER BASKET BLESSING - ŚWIĘCONKA

Święconka, meaning "the blessing of the Easter baskets", is one of the most enduring and beloved Polish traditions on Holy Saturday during Easter. The tradition of food blessing at Easter has early-medieval roots in Christian society. The tradition is said to date from the 7th century.

Baskets containing a sampling of Easter foods are brought to church to be blessed on Holy Saturday. The Blessing of the Food is a festive occasion. The three-part blessing prayers specifically address the various contents of the baskets, with special prayers for the meats, eggs, cakes and breads. The priest or deacon then sprinkles the individual baskets with holy water.

Join us around the baptismal font on **Holy Saturday, April 16 at 10:30 AM** to have your basket blessed and help us continue this fun Easter tradition!



BENDICIÓN DE LA CANASTA DE PASCUA

Święconka, significado "la bendición de las canastas de Pascua", es una de las tradiciones polacas más perdurables y amadas en el Sábado Santo durante la Pascua. La tradición de la bendición de alimentos en Pascua tiene raíces medievales en la sociedad cristiana. Se dice que la tradición data del siglo 7th.

Las canastas que contienen una muestra de alimentos de Pascua son traídas a la iglesia para ser bendecidas el Sábado Santo. La Bendición de la Comida es una ocasión festiva. Las oraciones de bendición en tres partes abordan específicamente los diversos contenidos de las canastas, con oraciones especiales por las carnes, huevos, pasteles y panes. El sacerdote o diácono luego rocía las canastas individuales con agua bendita.

Ven con nosotros alrededor de la fuente bautismal el **Sábado Santo, 16 de Abril a las 10:30 AM** para bendecirte tu canasta con agua bendita.

DAVE RAMSEY'S FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY

Financial Peace University is a nine-lesson course that teaches you how to save for emergencies, pay off debt fast, give generously, spend wisely, and invest in your future. For over 25 years, Dave Ramsey's program has successfully taught millions of people commonsense, biblical money principals that work.



Please consider taking advantage of this **FREE GIFT**, by using the Parish's site license you gain free access to the Dave Ramsey Programs for Financial Planning. This includes access to the popular Financial Peace University, Legacy Journey, Every Dollar App, and other resources is included for all members of our Parish.

Materials will be available online for self-study or you can sign up for an in-person class. Two new classes have just been added!

- **In-person Class : Monday at 6:30pm, starting April 11.**
- **Virtual Class: Wednesday at 6:30pm, starting April 13.**

Use this Activation Link to register for a class today!
www.ramseysolutions.com/ramseyplus/hosts/stbartholomew?pc=45557548. Please contact Greg Schmelz for more details:
Greg_Schmelz@hotmail.com, 317-331-6591

IN STATE CHOICE VOUCHER PROGRAM

A Voucher will cover the cost of tuition for parishioner families. Want to learn more?

Step 1: Meet Income Requirements
Paso 1: Cumplir con los Requisitos

Household Size Integrantes en el Hogar	Household Income to Qualify Ingreso por familia para tener derecho a
1	\$75,424.50
2	\$101,620.50
3	\$127,816.50
4	\$154,012.50
5	\$180,208.50
6	\$206,404.50

Step 2: Meet A Pathway (Track)

- **Two Semesters in a Public School:** Student attended public school for 2 semesters.
- **Special Education:** Student has a disability (IEP or SP)
- **Foster Care:** The student is in foster care
- **Sibling:** A sibling qualified for a Voucher or SGO the previous year.
- **Previous SGO:** The student received an SGO in a previous school year.

Paso 2: Encuentra el camino (pista)

- **Dos semestres en una escuela pública:** El estudiante asistió a una escuela pública durante 2 semestres.
- **Educación Especial:** el estudiante tiene una discapacidad y tiene un IEP o SP.
- **Cuidado de Crianza Temporal:** el estudiante está en cuidado de crianza
- **Hermano:** Un hermano calificado para un vale o SGO en el año escolar anterior.
- **Programa de becas previo SGO:** el estudiante recibió una beca SGO en un año escolar anterior.

What if my child is entering Kindergarten?

You will not qualify for a Voucher if your child has never attended a public school. But, if you meet the income criteria listed above, you can qualify for an SGO Scholarship. We also have other financial aid for Kindergartners, such as the Helen Heckman Memorial Scholarship. The next year, you would qualify for a Voucher.

¿Qué pasa si mi hijo apenas va a ingresar a Kinder?

Es verdad que tu hijo no califica para un Voucher si nunca ha asistido a una escuela pública. Pero, si cumples con los criterios de ingreso listados anteriormente, puedes calificar para una beca SGO. También contamos con otros apoyos financieros para los niños de kinder, tal como el fondo de becas en memoria de Helen Heckman. El próximo año calificaras para los Voucher.

Schedule a School Tour Today!

Please call Kelly Glick 812-379-9353 or kglick@stbirish.net

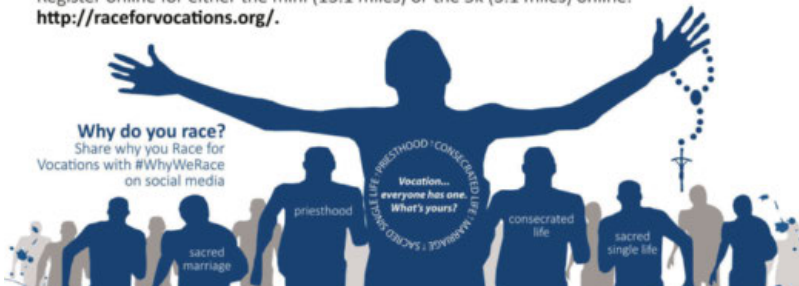


Race for Vocations
"I have competed well; I have finished the race; I have kept the faith."
 -II Timothy 4:7
+ May 7, 2022



Register Online for the Vocations Team

Join us to participate in the annual **Race for Vocations**, part of the Indianapolis 500 **Mini-Marathon and 5k race**. Help us pray for and promote a culture of vocations in Indiana! Register online for either the mini (13.1 miles) or the 5k (3.1 miles) online:
<http://raceforvocations.org/>.



Why do you race?
 Share why you Race for Vocations with #WhyWeRace on social media

priesthood

consecrated life

sacred marriage

sacred single life

PRO-LIFE MINISTRY | MINISTERIO POR LA VIDA

SPIRITUAL ADOPTION

Week 11: I get hiccups now and I know how to swallow. I can turn my head and make facial expressions, like frown, squint, and wrinkle my forehead. I am now about 2 inches long! Please pray each day the following prayer by Archbishop Sheen: *Jesus, Mary and Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of (baby's name), the unborn baby, I have spiritually adopted who is in danger of abortion.*



40 DAYS FOR LIFE PRAYER
(ASH WEDNESDAY–PALM SUNDAY, APRIL 10)

Lord, help us to value all human life, from the elderly and those with disabilities to the unborn, the unwanted, and the outcast. We are all Your children, with Your indelible image imprinted upon our souls. May we grow in respect for the miracle of life and be open to creating the sacred bonds of family. Forgive us for every offense that we have committed against the dignity of the human person. Guide us in our efforts to defend the sanctity of human life, so that we might not sit in judgment upon others but rather invite all people to partake more fully in the beautiful way You intend for us to treat one another. We ask this with confidence in Your divine providence, knowing that every sorrow, every pain, every wrong, can work towards Your purpose of bringing us all into a deeper appreciation of the gifts of life and love. Amen

ADOPCIÓN ESPIRITUAL

Semana 11: Ahora tengo hipo y se como deglutir. Puedo voltear mi cabeza y hacer expresiones faciales, como fruncir, entrecerrar los ojos y arrugar la frente. Ahora mido 2 pulgadas de longitud! Por favor reza cada día la siguiente oración por Arzobispo Sheen: *Jesus, Maria y Jose, Te quiero mucho. Te pido salvar la vida de (nombre del bebe), el bebe aun no nacido que he adoptado espiritualmente y quien esta en peligro de aborto.*

40 DÍAS DE ORACIÓN POR LA VIDA
(MIÉRCOLES DE CENIZA-DOMINGO DE RAMOS, 10 ABRIL)

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EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE ASSISTANCE

In Haiti, medical care is a privilege that most can't afford. Hands up for Haiti (HUFH) has an Emergency Fund that covers medical and surgical costs for children with life threatening illnesses or children in need of surgery. HUFH refers these patients to our partner hospitals. The cost of the average emergency surgery is \$400. Last year, 29 children required hospitalization for life threatening conditions and 11 needed surgery, including cardiac surgery and treatment for childhood cancer.

This emergency fund is crucial to HUFH's work. Every team is faced with two or three children who come to the outreach clinics who need advanced care. Several of these children are victims of trauma and require treatment for broken bones or wounds, others are severely malnourished or very ill.



St. Bartholomew's partnership with Hands Up for Haiti helps provide this care. Please be generous with your donations to our Lenten Carton. Donations can also be made at the Parish Office or at OSV Online Giving: <https://osvhub.com/saintbartholomew/funds> Please return cartons Palm Sunday. Thank you for your family contributions during Lent. You are saving lives!

ASISTENCIA DE SERVICIO MÉDICO DE EMERGENCIA

En Haití, la atención médica es un privilegio que la mayoría no puede pagar. Hands up for Haiti (HUFH) tiene un Fondo de Emergencia que cubre los costos médicos y quirúrgicos para niños con enfermedades potencialmente mortales o niños que necesitan cirugía. HUFH remite a estos pacientes a nuestros hospitales asociados. El costo de la cirugía de emergencia promedio es de \$400. El año pasado, 29 niños requirieron hospitalización por afecciones potencialmente mortales y 11 necesitaron cirugía, incluida la cirugía cardíaca y tratamiento para cáncer durante la infancia.

Este fondo de emergencia es crucial para el trabajo de HUFH. Cada equipo se enfrenta a dos o tres niños que vienen a las clínicas de extensión que necesitan atención avanzada. Varios de estos niños son víctimas de traumatismos y requieren tratamiento para huesos rotos o heridas, otros están gravemente desnutridos o muy enfermos.

La asociación de San Bartolomé con Hands Up for Haiti ayuda a proporcionar esta atención. Por favor, sea generoso con sus donaciones a nuestro cartón de Cuaresma. Las donaciones también se pueden hacer en la Oficina Parroquial o en OSV Donación Electrónica <https://osvhub.com/saintbartholomew/funds>. Por favor regrese su cajita de cartón el Domingo de Ramos. Gracias por su contribución familiar durante la Cuaresma. ¡Estás salvando vidas!

CARE FOR OUR COMMON HOME MINISTRY

CELEBRATE EARTH DAY 2022

The St. B's Climate Restoration Team, Horticulture Club and Care for Our Common Home Ministry will be celebrating **Earth Day 2022 on Saturday, April 23**. Several activities are being planned and we hope that you will come and celebrate with us!

9:00am-12:00pm on the St. Bartholomew Campus:

- . Bring your garden tools and help us prepare the area for the church Pollinator Garden, planned for the north side of the church.
- . Help install the Mason Bee Houses that have been purchased through a grant. Mason Bees are gentle non-stinging bees that are native to Indiana. They are excellent pollinators and they do not drill holes in wood structures.
- . Bring your excess plants and/or seeds for the Plant & Seed Swap Event hosted by the St. B's School Horticulture Club. They will also have info and order forms for the 4th Annual Spring Plant Sale.



Coffee and donuts will be provided and the Climate Restoration Team and Horticulture Club students will be hosting the **Earth Day Mass at 5:00pm on Saturday April 23**.

CELEBRATE SAFE BABY HAVEN MONTH

April is Safe Baby Haven month, a time to recognize safe alternatives to infant abandonment by promoting Safe Haven laws. The National Safe Haven Alliance (NSHA) celebrates the 4,510 babies that have been saved nationally utilizing the Safe Haven law. Please take this opportunity to celebrate the lives of each and every child saved in the last 22 years. This life saving alternative will continue as long as there is a need to save these special newborns.

The Safe Haven law (passed in Indiana, 2001) provides a safe alternative for a mother in crisis who is unable or unwilling to care for her newborn, to safely hand her unharmed baby (within 30 days of birth) to an emergency medical provider at a Hospital, Fire Department, Law Enforcement or 911. Anonymous placement allows a parent in crisis to consider the alternatives to abandoning their infant. Safe Baby Haven leaders have worked to support and provide the resources needed to help a mother in their critical time of need. By walking alongside a parent in their crisis, they are not alone, they want someone to offer them HOPE and that is what NSHA and the mission of Safe Haven gives.



The first safe baby haven law was enacted in 1999, and to date over 4510 infants have been saved. Not only has this law saved many lives, this option has helped connect thousands of parents to resources for parenting their child, temporary placement, or traditional adoption. Anonymity is a critical component of how we successfully support parents in crisis, trained experts operate the national 24/7 helpline, confidential and caring support is provided to both the mother and their baby.

NSHA works to promote the existence of Safe Baby Haven laws across the US and supports efforts to prevent infanticide and abandonment through the crisis response initiative which includes resources for parenting, adoption support and Safe Baby Haven relinquishment. NSHA is a non-profit, 501 (c)(3) public charity. Please call the 24/7 Safe Baby Haven crisis response team for support, options and resources at 1-888-510-BABY or learn more at www.nationalsafehavenalliance.org.

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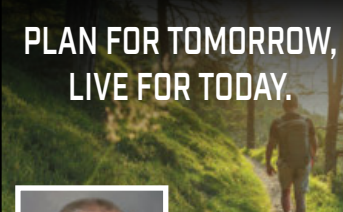

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