WELCOME TO OUR SUMMER FESTIVAL!
We extend a warm welcome to parishioners, friends, and devotees of St. Bartholomew Church who have come to honor our Parish Patron. Through his intercession, may the Lord send down special blessings upon all of us as we turn to him today in faith and prayer.

★ SATURDAY, AUGUST 8th ★
Festival open for TAKE-OUT only!
Doughboys, Italian Sandwiches, Tripe, Pastelitos, French Fries, & Carne Asada
3:00 pm to 8:00 pm on church grounds.
To help stop the spread of COVID-19 the wearing of Face Masks is REQUIRED while on church grounds and while ordering or waiting for food.
Curbside pick-up, & delivery available!

★ SUNDAY, AUGUST 9th ★
Festival open for TAKE-OUT only!
Doughboys, Italian Sandwiches, Tripe, Pastelitos, French Fries, & Carne Asada
following the 9:30 am Mass to 8:00 pm on church grounds.
**First Sunday for Calendar Raffle drawings! Prizes for August 1 - 9 will be drawn today**
To help stop the spread of COVID-19 the wearing of Face Masks is REQUIRED while on church grounds and while ordering or waiting for food.
Curbside pick-up, & delivery available!

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$100 per ticket.
Winner receives 20% of income received from booster ticket sales.
Tickets on sale until August 23rd at the Parish Office, after all Masses, & at the Festival.

Drawing on Sunday, August 23rd, 2020
**MASSES FOR AUGUST 10 - 16, 2020**

Every Mass is offered for the faithful, living or dead. However the following are specifically remembered this week.

**Monday, August 10 St. Lawrence**
- 7:30 am - Deceased of Verzichelli Family by Sr. Rose
- 7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

**Tuesday, August 11**
- 7:30 am - Peter Gallo, Jr. by family

**Wednesday, August 12**
- 7:30 am - Joseph Scungio by Cynde & José
- 6:00 pm - Eucharistic Adoration - Spanish
- 7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

**Thursday, August 13**
- 7:30 am - Intentions of Parishioners

**Friday, August 14**
- 7:30 am - Intentions of Andrew Anton by Sr. Rose
- 3:00 pm - Divine Mercy Chaplet
- 7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

**Saturday, August 15**
- 8:00 am - The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- 10:00 am - In Honor of Our Lady of Urkupiña

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**Gospel Reflection**

Faith and doubt. Ever battling within us, they influence our responses and often determine our actions. Peter, the impulsive apostle, today shows us the power of faith and our need to rely on the Lord to enter the unknown. Sometimes we find God in the storms of life; sometimes in moments of tranquility. Here, we encounter the Lord in His Church, gathered in His name, and in the Eucharist. Have you ever felt strengthened after having doubts about God?

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**ASSUMPTION OF MARY INTO HEAVEN**

On **Saturday, August 15**, we celebrate the feast of the Assumption of our Blessed Mother Mary into heaven. Although NOT a Holyday of Obligation this year, on this day we commemorate the taking into heaven of Mary, body and soul, at the end of her earthly life, a truth of our Catholic faith. On this day we celebrate not only her passing from this earthly life, but also her resurrection and ascension into the glory of heaven.

**OUR PATRON ST. BARTHOLOMEW**

He was chosen by our Lord Himself to be one of the 12 Apostles (also know in the Gospel as Nathanael). He preached the Gospel in Asia Minor. The last field of his labors was Armenia. Tradition records that he was first flayed and then, in imitation of Christ, crucified. His relics are preserved in the church dedicated to him on the Isola Tibertina, in Rome’s Tiber River. We are honored to call him our PARISH PATRON!