

Reflection

So many of the great saints sold all their goods to follow the Lord. It is easy to think of this as a hardship they endured for the faith. However, as in today's parables, we see that the old goods were joyfully discarded for a much greater good. St. Alphonsus Liguori, for example, worked tirelessly to bring the word of God to the rural poor. He endured hardships, but enthusiastically pressed on joyfully pursuing the pearl of great price. May we do the same.

ST. BART'S
★ SUMMER FESTIVAL ★
Saturday, August 8th
& Sunday, August 9th

Our annual festival in honor of our patron, St. Bartholomew, will take place this year, under restrictions set forth by the State due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

The festival, held on church grounds, will be open for "take-out" foods on Saturday, August 8th from 3:00 pm until 8:00 pm and on Sunday, August 9th following the 9:30 am Mass until 8:00 pm.

The financial success of our Festival depends greatly upon the participation of all our parishioners & friends.

St. Bart's Summer Festival
Calendar Raffle!

Tickets are now on sale for a special **CALENDAR RAFFLE** for the month of **AUGUST**.

Tickets are \$20 each for 31 chances to win cash prizes, gift cards, & a 50" Smart TV!

Tickets can be purchased at the Parish Office and after all Masses. Please consider taking tickets to sell to family, friends, and co-workers. Thank you for supporting our Parish Festival!

FEAST BOOSTER SHARE
DONOR PROGRAM

DONATION: \$100 per ticket.

Winner receives 20% of income received from booster ticket sales.

Drawing on Sunday, August 23rd, 2020

Tickets available at the Parish Office & after all Masses.

Our thanks to these donors:

*Angelica Iglizzi
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Artemio & Mirla Cortez
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**Thank you for supporting
our Parish Festival!**

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS IN AUGUST

Thank you for your generosity!

August 2 - Holy Father/Peter's Pence

August 9 - Feast of St. Bartholomew

August 15 - Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

August 16 - Major Repair Fund

August 23 - Parish Extraordinary Expenses

August 30 - Second Collection

MASSES FOR JULY 27 - AUGUST 2, 2020

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

Monday, July 27

7:30 am - Rev. Alfred P. Almonte, CS
3 Year Remembrance
7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

Tuesday, July 28

7:30 am - Intentions of Parishioners

Wednesday, July 29

7:30 am - Intentions of Mary Ellen Malloy by Sr. Rose
6:00 pm - Eucharistic Adoration - Spanish
7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

Thursday, July 30

7:30 am - Peter Gallo, Jr. by family

Friday, July 31

7:30 am - Intentions of Priest Celebrant
3:00 pm - Divine Mercy Chaplet
7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

Saturday, August 1 - St. Alphonsus Liguori

8:00 am - Intentions of Parishioners

PROPER DRESS IN CHURCH – Now that the warm weather is here, we wish to remind parishioners to dress properly, neatly, and modestly for Church during the summer months. The Church is a House of God and a House of Prayer. When attending Mass, please dress with pride and good taste. What may be proper for the beach or the backyard may not be proper for Church. Thank you.

Be kindhearted to the poor, the unfortunate, and the afflicted. Give them as much help and consolation as you can. Thank God for all the benefits he has bestowed upon you, that you may be worthy to receive greater.

LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday, August 1

5:00 pm
Intentions of Parishioners

6:30 pm - Mass in Spanish

Sunday, August 2

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am
Intentions of Parishioners

9:30 am - Mass in Spanish

11:30 am

Rosina Camarda by Rosanna I. Grillo
Emanuela & Bambino Ventresca by Peter & Lillian

Sanctuary Candle:

Peter Gallo, Jr. by family

Altar Bread & Wine:

Peter Gallo, Jr. by family

+ Died in Christ +

Antonette "Etta" Greco
Irene Antonelli

2020 Mass Intentions

Mass intentions are a beautiful way to remember a loved one or a Special Intention. **Every Mass will be a Community Mass, offered for every intention requested; in this way every family will be considered.** Mass intentions for 2020 may be scheduled at the Parish Office. An offering should be given at the time of scheduling. Thank you.