ST. BARTHOLOMEW CHURCH

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RECTORY: 438-3826
252 Granada Ave.
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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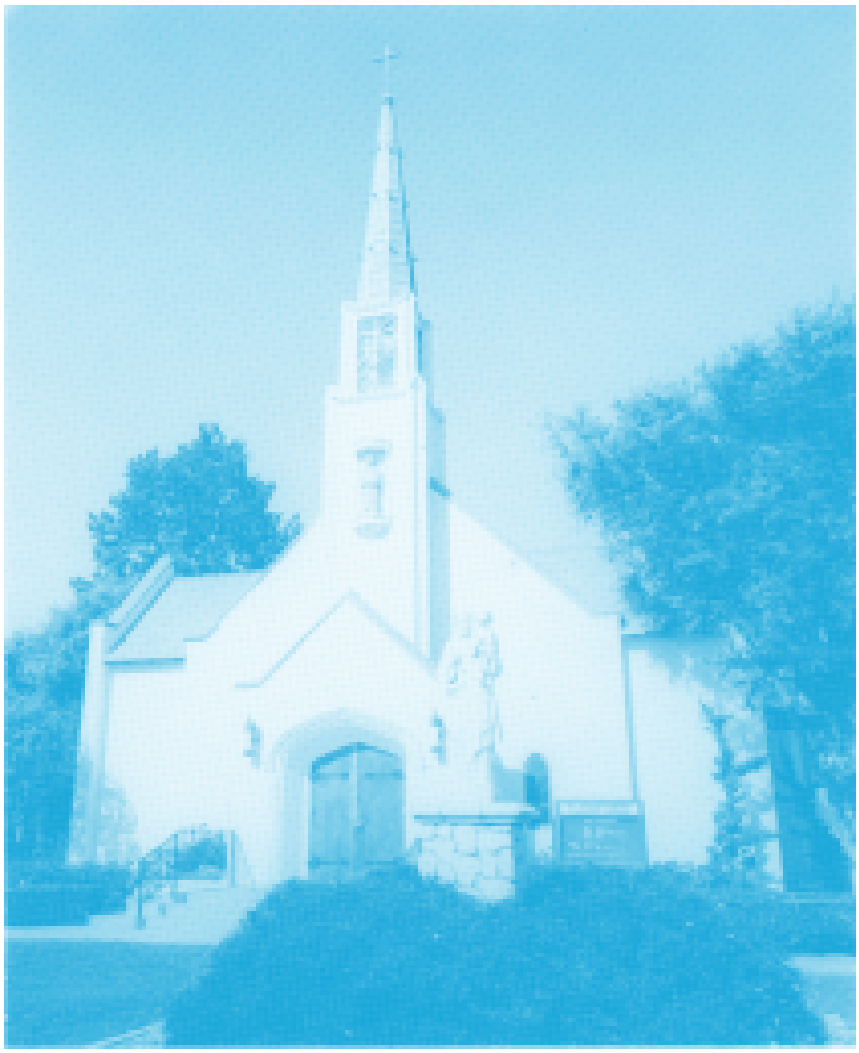

MASSES:
Saturdays: 8:00 am & 5:00 pm (Vigil Mass)
Sundays: 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 am; 12:30 pm
Eves of Holy Days: 5:00 pm (Vigil Mass)
Holy Days: 8:00 am; 12:15 pm, 7:00 pm
Weekdays: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 8:00 am

RECONCILIATION:
Saturdays: 3:45 to 4:45 pm. **First Fridays:** Before the 8:00 am Mass.
Eves of Holy Days: Before the Vigil Mass.

BAPTISMS: By Appointment. Call the Rectory at least 10 days in advance. Administered on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month.

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

VISIT OUR PARISH WEB SITE		**http://www.sblb.org**
PARISH COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN	Liz Thometz	**438-8222**
SCHOOL OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - 4545 E. 4th St. (Monday & Wednesday)	Pat McGlynn	**439-1802**
CONFIRMATION COORDINATOR	Cindy Rodriguez	**431-2414**
RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (RCIA)	Earl Lovett	**439-3198**
RESPECT LIFE MINISTRY	Dave McCaughey	**438-3263**
LEGION OF MARY	Margherita Hoehne	**438-9843**
MEN'S CLUB & USHERS	Ron Fawl	**494-3342**
PARISH MUSIC DIRECTOR AND ORGANIST	Brian Archambault	**208-8222**
LECTOR /EUCHARISTIC MINISTER COORDINATORS	Ken & Colette Santucci	**439-6970**
COMMUNITY GROUP	Carl Gibboney	**596-1091**
ALTAR SERVERS	Chris Ahumada	**434-3461**
CENTERING PRAYER (Christian Meditation)	Pat Metzger	**243-8460**
YOUTH BIBLE STUDY	Patricia Goodman	**429-3171**
CHILDERN'S CHOIR	Julie Westervelt	**243-1286**

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, KING OF ALL

On this, the final Sunday of the liturgical year, we celebrate the solemnity of Christ the King. 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.

At the end of time as we know it, Christ's work of restoring all things to unity and harmony with their Creator God will be completed. This Sunday, when we claim Christ as both our Shepherd and our King, we recognize our own calling to participate in Christ's saving work by caring for those whom Jesus calls "the least ones" (Matthew 25:45).

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ALTAR SERVERS

Nov. 29	5:00	Roberts
Nov. 30	8:00	Ramos/Rowan
	9:30	Sweeney
	11:00	Lund
	12:30	Bebek/Monconduit

LECTORS—EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Nov. 29	5:00	Killian/O'Donnell—Team 3
Nov. 30	8:00	Metzger/Myrtle—Team3
	9:30	Griffith/Bodner—Team 1
	11:00	Thompson/Bauch—Team 1
	12:30	Arnold/Foraste—Team 2

THANKSGIVING DAY MASS

On Thursday, November 27th, we will celebrate a Parish Mass at 9:00am—there will **not** be an 8:00am Mass that day. 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.

ADVENT WREATHS are on sale this weekend in the Vestibule after the Saturday 5pm Mass and in the Social Hall after all Masses on Sunday. Also available will be a pamphlet for your family with prayers for each evening as you light your Advent Wreath.

THE SICK OF OUR PARISH

Calvin Carlson, Harry Fehner, Xavier Dybbro, Leo Poissant, Marie Therese Arslan, Sandra Shadden, Josephine Ronan, Patricia Schuck, Alan Arslan, Mark Lott, Matthew Frank Arslan, Edward Kulik, Peggy Kinkella, Sarah Fries, Maureen Murray, Gloria White, Ray Esquivel, Carol McEachen, Betty Gill, Tess Fitch, Catherine Thompson, Michele Arslan, Diane Marie Walker, Jerry Ganz, Bob Kacsuta, Max Milton, David and Betty Hatch, Henrick Peterson, Oneida Casares, Carl Klein, John Burson, LaVae Ransom, and Michael Fehner.

Our Lord Jesus Christ the King
November 23, 2008

"I was hungry and you gave me food,
I was thirsty and you gave me drink."

-Matthew 25:35

CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

There is a special collection this weekend for The Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD), begun by the bishops of the United States 38 years ago, and funds projects in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles that break the cycle of poverty. Your support of CCHD will help people find a way out of poverty for a lifetime. Envelopes are in the pews. Thank you.

DANCE LIKE A STAR!

Come learn how to ballroom dance like a pro, or just for fun. Professional dancers Nick and Cheryl Cotton will "wow" you with their skill and teaching ability. The child care is free, and **all proceeds go to our Confirmation Candidates' housebuild in Mexico.** The donation is $100, but you are welcome to donate more if you want to! Lessons start January 9th, so please contact the Rectory (562-438-3826) if you want to join the fun! Lessons will run for six consecutive weeks.

ST. ANTHONY HIGH SCHOOL

Open Houses—Sunday, November 23rd, and Sunday, January 11th, at 1pm or 2:30pm.
For more information, call (562)435-4496; or: www.longbeachsaints.org

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Our Program is still in need of help with 2nd and 4th grades. If you would like to volunteer, please call Director Pat McGlynn (562)494-8149.

ORDINARY INCOME
November 15/16 $ 10,090.00

HOLIDAY CONCERT

Featuring the Long Beach City College Christmas Chorale, on Sunday, December 7th, 5:00pm, in the Social Hall. Food, desserts and coffee catered by Edwards. Donation: $25.00—adults; $12—children. Reservations by mail or phone—deadline December 1st—to: Judy Houston, 280 Claremont, Long Beach, 90803, (562)434-5011. Proceeds go to the Catholic Charities.

SEE'S CANDY

Order forms are at all entrances to the Church and Chapel, an in the Social Hall, for See's Candy for the holidays. Forms can be filled out and dropped into the boxes provided or into the mail slot at the Rectory. This is a great way to get See's Candy at cost with no wait in lines.

Both events are sponsored by our Parish Women's Council. Please give them your support.

ALUMNI DANCE

Our Lady of Refuge is having their annual Alumni Dance on January 31st. Alumni of St. Bartholomew School are invited to join them for fun, dancing and an evening filled with memories. For more information go to: www.olrs.org or call Janis (Hughes) Krantz (562)494-9491.

There will be no coffee and donuts next Sunday, November 30th, due to the Thanksgiving Holiday.

The Rectory will be closed on Friday, November 28th, the day after Thanksgiving.