



SAINT BARTHOLOMEW *Parish Community*

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Parish Office Hours

Monday - Thursday

10 AM - 4 PM

Friday

10 AM - 3 PM

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Mass Times

SUNDAYS 9 AM | 11 AM | 5 PM
3 PM Vietnamese

DAILY 8 AM

SATURDAY 5 PM

FIRST FRI/SAT 8 AM

SAT CONFESSIONS 4 - 4:45 PM

January 25, 2026

3rd Sunday of Ordinary Time

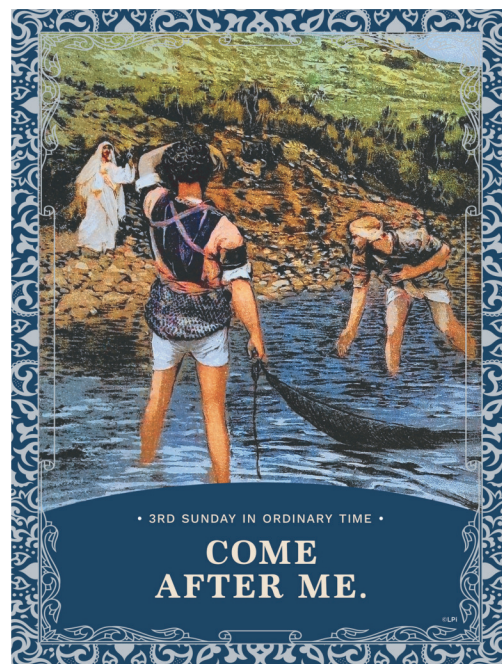
GOSPEL MEDITATION: Matthew 4:12-23

I was 22 years old, lying in bed one night while on a pilgrimage, when I suddenly sensed an idea in my mind: "Go to the seminary." There was no voice, no vision, but a gentle and unmistakable clarity. I simply prayed, "Lord, if that's from you, let me find great joy in it." Three days later, my heart was bursting with joy. I dropped everything and entered the seminary. The older I get, the stranger my rather careless and hasty departure seems to me. I followed not because it made sense, or because I was especially brave. I went because the Lord called me.

Something like this happens in today's Gospel. Jesus walks by Simon, Andrew, James, and John and says, "Come after me" (Matthew 4:19). And immediately they leave their nets and follow. There's no explanation, no hesitation ... just movement. Why? As St. John says, "In this is love: not that we have loved God, but that he loved us" (1 John 4:10). They do not leave their nets because his call made perfect, calculable sense. They left them because they were called. And Jesus' call is powerful.

Take a moment this week to remember when Christ first called you. However small or quiet it was, recall it, and give thanks. The more we marvel that Christ has called us personally, the more passionately and freely we will follow him.

— Father John Muir ©LPi



~THIS WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS~

Sun 1/25	9am	Dr. Edmondo Anteola (Deceased)
	11am	Dino Frediani (Deceased)
	5 pm	People of St. Bartholomew Parish
Mon 1/26	8 am	Stijn Albrecks (Deceased)
Tues 1/27	8 am	Ernesto Molinari (Deceased)
Wed 1/28	8 am	Ed Tempone (Deceased)
Thurs 1/29	8 am	Carole Molinari (Deceased)
Fri 1/30	8 am	Noreen Harrington (Deceased)
Sat 1/31	5 pm	Josephine Collins (Deceased)

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

OUR PARISHIONERS: Marcia Baumgarten, Brian Finerty, Mary Ann Pietro, Robert Garabedian, Betty Chan, Karen Fitzpatrick, Yolanda Meffert, Connie Leahy, Joan Morabito, Paul Gill, Judy Mwangi, Tom Tait, William Britter, Bob Pickerrell, Brian Sullivan, Richard Ruiz, Virginia Bradley, John Monfredini, Simi Tuitibou, Guadalupe Abad Sy, Shireen Fonseca, Pam Bastille, Angela Gill, Chuck Fontenot, and John Outzen

OUR MILITARY: Dan Lagomarsino, Elizabeth Constantino, Alaina Mariano, Sean McGinnis, and Michael Henry Tauskey

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January 18th = \$5,751.00
Upcoming 2nd Collection:
Feb 1st Building & Maintenance Fund

Join us for the Blessing of the Throats

Tuesday, February 3rd
8:00 am Mass



ST. BLAISE

**Patron Saint of
Throat Illnesses**

O GOD, deliver us through the intercession of Thy holy bishop and martyr Blaise, from all evil of soul and body, especially from all ills of the throat; and grant us the grace to make a good confession in the confident hope of obtaining Thy pardon, and ever to praise with worthy lips, Thy most holy name. Through Christ Our Lord.



**JANUARY
4-31**

**EPIPHANY
SOCK
DRIVE**



It's time for you to share kindness with others.

**Catholic Worker House
in Redwood City**

This January, we come together to support those in need of essential clothing during the cold winter months. Socks are one the most requested items by homeless shelters.

We will launch our Sock Drive on the Feast of the Epiphany. Please place donations of new socks and underwear in the bin located in the vestibule.

for more information call our office at:
650-347-0701



Save The Date!

**St. Bart's
Parish Lenten Retreat**

A time to rest, renew, and reconnect with
God and one another.

Saturday, February 28, 2026

**Time is TBD
Healy Hall**

Guest Speaker
Father Jim Voiss, SJ
Spiritual Director, El Retiro Retreat Center

more information coming soon!

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a short course for your marriage that's . . .
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This skills for marriage building day combines catholic teaching with the latest relationship research to let couples experience practical, attainable skills for a more successful marriage.

Create the marriage you want with the spouse you have!

SAINT MARK Catholic Church Saturday
325 Marine View Ave, Belmont, CA 94002
Feb 7
8:30 am - 4:30 pm

More Info contact: Ed Hopfner
hopfner@sarch.org

To register, **SCAN QR CODE** or visit: www.sfarch.org/aim





Happy Confirmation Day

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1 ST

5pm Mass



We would like to notify all parishioners that the Rite of Confirmation will be celebrated at the 5pm Mass on February 1st.

God bless all our Confirmation Candidates!



Donut Sunday

February 8th

following the 9am Mass



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