

# St. Bartholomew Catholic Church

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South Illinois Street (across from St. Bartholomew Church) POB 819 (Fax) 986-8144 Jaivi Howell, Principal

## Mission Statement of St. Bartholomew

To be a living Catholic Christian community that follows the way of Jesus as mapped out in the Gospel, focusing on internal and external growth, and emphasizing everyone's responsibility to God, Church, and our community.

### Weekend Masses:

### Daily Masses:

### Holy Day Masses:

### Confessions:

### Baptism and Marriage Preparations:

### RCIA (convert classes):

### Director of Religious Education:

### Youth Director:

### Meetings

### Church Secretary:

### Ladies Society: Meetings 2nd Sunday after Mass (no summer meetings)

### Music Ministry at All Masses:

### Prayer Line:

### Bereavement Committee:

### Hospitality Committee: (Refreshments Sept. – May)

### Parish Hall Rental Information

### Parish Council:

Members: Jim Spencer '12, Chairman; Ashleigh Bailey '12, Jim Horak '13; Dennis Kaiser '12; Bob Legere '13; Tim Lopez '14; Tiffany Parker '14; Daryl Weeks '13 and Laurie Young '12.

Ex-officio: Financial Chairman, Ladies Society President, Church Secretary, and Fr. Howard.

Saturday 6:00 p.m. and Sunday 8:00 & 10:00 a.m.  
Mon. ~ Sat. 6:45 a.m.

7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. (with exceptions)

Saturday 5:00 p.m.; anytime upon request

Please call Fr. Howard for arrangements

Please call Deacon Kenny Kaiser 987-1503

Kelly Spencer 987-1178 (H) 850-384-5047 (Cell)

Sarah Kaiser 989-7209 (H) 850-501-3025 (Cell)

Wednesdays – Call Mrs. Kaiser for time & place

Margaret Peterson 987-5251 (H) 752-5250 (Cell)

Arlene Saucier, President 987-5330

Erin Faulk, Director 978-2383

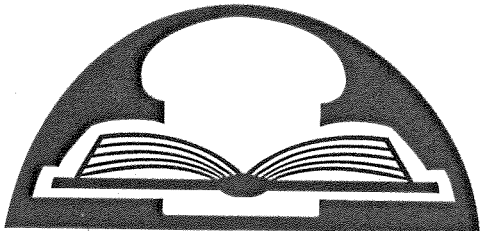
Joyce Horak 986-5248 for prayers

Margaret Klein 986-5256 to help/ask for a meal

Alma Doege 986-5201

Call Paulette Corban 923-9787 (note new number)

Second Monday of Month 7:00 p.m.



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## The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

June 26, 2011

Not by bread alone does one live, but by every word  
That comes forth from the mouth of the LORD.

— Deuteronomy 8:3b

### TODAY'S READINGS:

**First Reading** — Never forget the LORD your God, who brought you out of slavery and fed you with manna in the desert (Deuteronomy 8:2-3, 14b-16a).

**Psalm** — Praise the Lord, Jerusalem (Psalm 147).

**Second Reading** — Because the loaf of bread is one, we who partake of it, though we are many, are one body (1 Corinthians 10:16-17).

**Gospel** — Jesus said to the crowds, "I am the living bread; whoever eats this bread will live forever" (John 6:51-58).

### FOOD FROM HEAVEN

God sustained the people of Israel for forty years in the desert with manna sent down from heaven, and Moses doesn't want them to forget it. God brought forth water from stone for them to drink, and Moses doesn't want them to forget this, either. And Moses tells them—twice—that the food that God sent was a food that neither they nor their ancestors before them had ever experienced before.

Jesus, too, speaks of food come down from heaven, food that the Jewish people had never experienced before. Recalling the manna in the desert, Jesus doesn't want them to forget it either, explaining that he is the food and drink of eternal life. And Paul reiterates to the Corinthians and to all of us that in the bread and in the cup, we share in the body and blood of Christ.

CALENDAR FOR JUNE & JULY 2011

Wednesdays  
Sunday, June 26  
Sunday, July 3  
Sunday, July 10  
Monday, July 18

Youth Choir Practice continues at 5:30 p.m.  
Second Collection for the Holy Father (Peter's Pence)  
Second Collection for Building & Maintenance Fund  
Second Collection for Missionary Co-op  
VBS begins at 5:30 p.m. 'til 8:00 p.m. Three-year-olds to Fifth Grade.  
Sixth thru Twelfth needed as Mentors/Aides. Thank you!  
SIGN-UP SHEETS IN VESTIBULE

STEWARDSHIP

Stewardship – June 19, 2011  
80 Weekly Envelopes: \$2,652.00

Loose: \$299.00

Attendance: 283  
Total: \$2,951.00

Thank you for your continuing generosity!

For Your Information:

Teachers Needed for CCD - Share Your Faith!

Teachers are needed for CCD classes, especially Middle School age, that will begin soon after school starts. Would you consider sharing teacher duties with someone else or teaching part-time? Please contact Kelly Spencer for more information at: Home: 987-1178 or Cell 850-384-5047.

\*\*\* SPECIAL SATURDAY NIGHTS FOR OUR YOUTH \*\*\*

The Knights of Columbus and the Youth Group will be hosting Special Saturday Nights for the youth of the parish after the 6:00 p.m. Mass from 7:30 'til 9:30 p.m. at St. Benedict School Gym.

Mark your calendars for July 9 and 23 and August 13 and 27.

*Children age 10 and under need to be accompanied by an adult.*

Attend Mass on Saturday night – walk across the street to St. Benedict School Gym and join the fun! Includes basketball, volleyball, Wii Rock Band, Wii Just Dance, movie nights and guest speaker.

*TOBE PREGNANCY SERVICE*

JUNE IS THE MONTH for St. Bartholomew Ladies to support TOBE Pregnancy Center in Fairhope. A box will be in the vestibule of the Church for your donations. Needed right now are the following: Newborn and Infant car seats (perfect for 2 or 3 to go in on) Premie Diapers; also diapers in sizes 2-5; Pull-ups for older kids; and Toiletries. Of course, cash donations are always appreciated and can be put in the collection made out to: TOBE or sent to: 399 S. Section Street, Fairhope, AL 36532.

Sign up now for VBS

July 18-22

5:30 - 8:00 p.m.

<u>DATE/TIME</u>	<u>SERVERS</u>	<u>LECTORS</u>	<u>USHERS</u>	<u>BIRTHDAYS &amp; ANNIVERSARIES</u>
6/25 6:00 p.m.	K. Kurtts E. Kurtts J. Kurtts	Betty Wood	T. Feely N. Frank	Gerry Fischlein B – 25th Madeline Taylor B – 25th Bob Donovan B – 28th
Extraordinary Ministers:		Betty Wood, Diana Kurtts & Shirley Helms		Morgan Fowler B – 28th
6/26 8:00 a.m.	J. Kaechele C. Kaechele T. Bailey	Kathy Sanchez	C. Gruber G. Bloch	Gail Neumann B – 28th Ian McCormick B – 30th Zachary Salzmman B – 30th
Extraordinary Ministers:		Kathy Sanchez, B. Byerley & Debbie Wallace		
6/26 10:30 a.m.	T. Chandler J. Kaiser M. Kaiser	Michael Kaiser	Sam Carter Eric Carter	Henry & Jackie Cummings A – 26th Brian & Marie Kane A – 26th
Extraordinary Ministers:		M. Peterson, M. Klingelberger & B. Schneider		Charles & Margaret Peterson A – 27th

**MASS INTENTIONS – June 25 – July 3**

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6:45 a.m. – Saturday, June 25		++ Deceased of St. Bernard Abbey		
6:00 p.m. – Saturday, June 25		+ Ron Hager		Betty Hager
8:00 a.m. – Sunday, June 26		+ Evelyn Kichler		Marie & Kenny Kaiser
10:00 a.m. – Sunday, June 26		++ Deceased Members of Mullek Family		Al Mullek
6:45 a.m. – Monday, June 27		+ Richard Falzone		Lucille Falzone
6:45 a.m. – Tuesday, June 28		+ William T. Gotelli		Carole Gotelli
6:45 a.m. – Wednesday, June 29		+ Mike Fischlein		
6:45 a.m. – Thursday, June 30		+ Jack Grussel		Gerry Grussel
6:45 a.m. – Friday, July 01		+ Vera Stevens		Family
6:45 a.m. – Saturday, July 02		+ P. Aubrey Zellner, OSB		
6:00 p.m. – Saturday, July 02		+ Victoria Feely		Tom Feely
8:00 a.m. – Sunday, July 03		Pro Populo		
10:00 a.m. – Sunday, July 03		++ Deceased Members of the Mullek Family		

*Requested by:*

**IN YOUR CHARITY**—Please remember these people in your prayers: Claudia Adam, Alice Burkhardt, Butch Gruber, Roger Kaiser, Joyce Langston, Fred Leiterman, Joe Martino, Mary Morgan, Rhonda Willis, and also: Barbara Carter, Ima Ree Carter; Audrey and Walter Cummings; Guiliana Fell; Eileen Hinrichsen, Olive Keller; William Morris; Mary O'Donnell; Charles Peterson, Libby O'Pry; Carolyn Rohe; Joe Salzmman; Phillip Schaumburg; Joan Simpkins; Frank Shellem; Velma Viscuso; and Bootsie Williams.

**Please pray** for our recently deceased brothers and sisters: Samuel Carter, Sr., Dennis Corban, Kenny Feely, Buddy Fodor, Adam Frank, Ruby Frank, Alby Gruber; Ron Hager, Helen Kaiser, Evelyn Kichler, Karen Linton; Gene Morris, Eugene Plachta, Emily Saulters, Pauline Salzmman, Jack Sheehy, Teresa Sheehy, Vera Stevens, Anita Warriner, and Carson Williams.

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7/02 6:00 p.m.	S. Young A. Odee J. Akins	Paulette Corban	Frank Young Michael Krehling	Madelyn Akins B – 1st Bill Specht B – 3rd Alma Doege B – 4th Barbara Hoffman B – 4th
Extraordinary Ministers:		L. Young P. Corban & Jim Horak		
7/03 8:00 a.m.	N. Weeks T. Worsley B. Bailey	Mickey Kaiser	Eddie Frank David Worsley	
Extraordinary Ministers:		Bill Byerley, Marie Kaiser & Nita Kaiser		
7/03 10:00 a.m.	T. Chandler C. Schaff E. Kaiser	Andy Schaff	Sam Carter Richard Krauss	
Extraordinary Ministers:		Glen Kaiser, Natalie Saucier & Andy Schaff		Bob & Carol Legere A – 3rd

**STAFF OF LIFE** Bread is the staff of life.—English saying

## SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: The Holy Body and Blood of Christ  
Monday: Thirteenth Week in Ordinary Time;  
St. Cyril of Alexandria  
Tuesday: St. Irenaeus  
Wednesday: Ss. Peter and Paul  
Thursday: The First Holy Martyrs of the Holy  
Roman Church  
Friday: The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus;  
Canada Day (Canada); First Friday  
Saturday: The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed  
Virgin Mary; First Saturday

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 18:16-33; Mt 8:18-22  
Tuesday: Gn 19:15-29; Mt 8:23-27  
Wednesday: **Vigil:** Acts 3:1-10; Gal 1:11-20;  
Jn 21:15-19  
**Day:** Acts 12:1-11; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18;  
Mt 16:13-19  
Thursday: Gn 22:1b-19; Mt 9:1-8  
Friday: Dt 7:6-11; 1 Jn 4:7-16; Mt 11:25-30  
Saturday: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Lk 2:41-51  
Sunday: Zec 9:9-10; Ps 145; Rom 8:9, 11-13;  
Mt 11:25-30

## FEAST OF FAITH The *Corpus Christi* Procession

In the thirteenth century, a Belgian nun by the name of Juliana had a vision: she saw the full moon silvery and radiant except for one dark spot. The meaning of the vision was revealed to her: the moon was the Church's liturgical year, the dark spot a missing feast in honor of the Blessed Sacrament. Today's feast of *Corpus Christi*—the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ—grew from Juliana's vision.

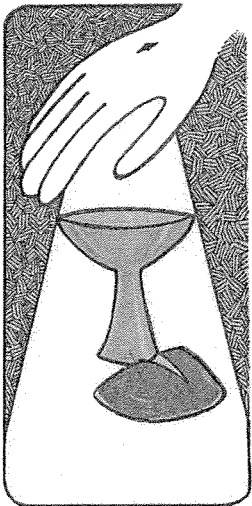
On this feast, many parishes observe the traditional *Corpus Christi* procession, giving honor to the Eucharist by carrying this greatest treasure out of the safety of our churches and into our streets. At the end of every Mass we are not just let out, we are sent forth, strengthened by the Eucharist, to be the Body of Christ in the world. The *Corpus Christi* procession is the dismissal writ large! We take Jesus with us, not only in our hearts, but carried in our midst and exposed in a monstrance. It is a public profession of faith and a blessing of the world. Jesus walks with us on these streets that we walk day after day, among those who know him but yearn to know him better, and among those who do not know him. The Eucharist is a mystery to be believed, to be celebrated—and to be lived.

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"Today is holy to the Lord your God. Do not be sad, and do not weep. For today is holy to the Lord, your God. Do not be saddened this day, for rejoicing in the Lord must be your strength."  
*Nehemiah 8:9-11*

**CONSECRATION OF OUR FAMILY:** We consecrate to thee, O Jesus of love, the trials and joys and all the happiness of our family life, and we beseech Thee to pour out thy blessings on all its members, absent & present, Living and dead—and when one after the other, we have fallen asleep in thy blessed bosom, O Jesus, may all of us in Paradise find again our family united with thy Sacred Heart. Amen

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The bread  
that I will  
give is  
my flesh  
for the life  
of the world

## Charity begins at Home

Would you like to sponsor a low-income child so they will have the supplies needed for the coming school year?

With the economic situation, this need has increased.

If so, please send a check for \$20.00 (per child) to:

Catholic Social Services  
Post Office Box 870  
Robertsdale, AL 36567