

ST. BARNABAS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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REV. ANTONY GASPAR | PASTOR









Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.

MARK 13:31



Sunday in Ordinary Time
November 14, 2021

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2021



YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH

PARISH OFFICE:

OFFICE #: 562-424-8595

E-MAIL: CHURCH@STBARNABASLB.ORG

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday-Friday: 9:30am-5:00pm

Saturday: 8:30am-4:30pm Sunday: 7:30am-2:00pm



CONFESSIONS HOURS:

Saturday: 3:30pm-4:30pm (inside the Church)

INFANT BAPTISMS: baptism@stbarnabaslb.org WEDDINGS: Inquire at least 6 months in advance ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Contact Office to arrange visit PARISH MINISTRIES: Visit our website for contact listings

All other inquiries, please call or E-mail the Parish Office.

IN-PERSON MASS SCHEDULE				
	Monday - Saturday Saturday Vigil	7:00 am 5:00 pm	<u>Church</u> Church	
	Wednesday	8:00am	School Mass	
	SUNDAY	7:00 am 8:00 am 9:00 am 11:00 am	Church Parking Lot Church & Parking Lot Church	
	1st Friday of the month	8:45am-12:00pm 9:00am-10:00am	Eucharistic Adoration Confessions	

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LIVE-STREAM MASS/ONLINE ZOOM

<u>Monday - Saturday</u> <u>Tuesday</u> Wednesday	7:00 am 7:30 am 7:30 am	Facebook & YouTube St. Joseph Novena Perpetual Help Novena		
SUNDAY	9:00 am	Facebook & YouTube		
Thursday	7:00pm-8:30pm	Bible Study Sessions via online Zoom		

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

"We, the Catholic Community of St. Barnabas Parish, are a people formed by Christ, called in Baptism and united in the Eucharist; we continue the mission of the Church in the world through Prayer, Apostolic Works, Evangelization, and Christian Stewardship."

Good News!

November 14, 2021 Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time (B) Dn 12:1-3; Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32

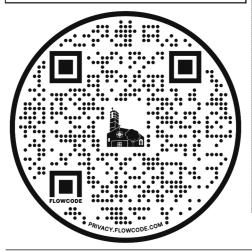
In Those Days...This phrase is frequently found in the writings of the prophets. While it sometimes points to a future time of peace and happiness, it often portends imminent fear and trembling, as it does in today's readings. Both Daniel and Jesus speak of the suffering that will precede the end of the world. This suffering is often called the "birth pangs of the Messiah" (Matthew 24:8; Mark 13:8; John 16:21). This apt metaphor includes both life-threatening distress and wondrous joy over new birth. Pain and subsequent happiness are both described in today's

The author of Daniel may be referring to the end of the whole world but is probably also presenting that in terms of the end of his own world, which would have included the suffering and even death of Jews who remained faithful under persecution. Some interpreters suggest Jesus is speaking similarly. That is, he is using a familiar figure of speech that characterizes suffering as birth pangs. According to this metaphor, there might be terrible suffering, but at the end there is utter happiness.

Both Daniel and Jesus seek to encourage their hearers to remain faithful even in the face of torment, for new life can come out of such suffering. This is a message we all need to hear. Suffering is a reality in every life. How do we endure it? Does it sour us, break us down? Or do we come out of it new people, more sensitive and understanding? It is up to us.

Sr. Dianne Bergant, CSA

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If you received a text message or E-Mail claiming it's from Fr. Antony, asking for money, gift cards or asking for your help, THIS IS A HOAX! PLÉASE IGNORE THIS NEW E-MAIL FROM:blessingsparrish@gmail.com (pretending to be from Fr. Antony)
Do not reply to them and immediately
delete it. Please ALERT the Parish Office if you receive any other fake messages, so we can flag it. Thanks for your cooperation.

PARISH REGISTRATION

We encourage you to register as a Parishioner, To be an "Active" member at our Parish, is to participate in the life of prayer and stewardship. Being a parishioner enables a person to be eligible to sponsor a child for Baptism, to receive financial aid for Catholic Education, to be Married in the Parish, book a Funeral/Memorial Mass and to prepare one's children for the Sacraments. All adults over the age of 21, living with their parents or on their own, are encouraged to register as well. Visit our website to register!



FOR MINISTRY LISITINGS, please visit our website for contact information.

FINANCIAL BLESSINGS

\$ 6,906.00 10/31/2021: 11/06/21: \$ 8,613.00

Faith-Direct Bi-Weekly Contribution:

\$ 6,128.01

Period: 10/1 – 10/15

Thanks for your prayerful giving. Your donation supports the operations of our Parish Community.



Liza Roa & Joan C. Noel November 13-27

Altar Flowers Sponsor:

The Baylen Family "Congratulations to the Sarmiento-Solamillos Wedding"

November 1-7

Please contact the Parish Office if you would like to sponsor flowers.



ST. BARNABAS SCHOOL

Office: (562) 424-7476 Fax (562) 981-3351

3980 Marron Avenue Long Beach, CA 90807

Principal: Jennifer Kellam ikellam@stbarnabas.school www.school.stbarnabaslb.org

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & CONFIRMATION

Office: (562) 988-6855

1130 Marshall Place Long Beach, CA 90807 (Office located upstairs of Parish Center)

Rel Ed Coordinator: Juan Rodriguez Jr. 562-341-7772 cell/text religiouseducation@stbarnabaslb.org

> Confirmation Coordinator: **Emmanuel Magallanes** 213-948-7762 cell/text confirmation@stbarnabaslb.org





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MARK YOUR CALENDAR

PRAYING FOR ALL SOULS IN NOVEMBER

11/15-11/19: SBS Thanksgiving Food Drive

11/21: KofC Blood Drive/8a-2p/Hall

11/21: Ministry Appreciation Dinner/5p (must RSVP)

11/21: Catholic Campaign for Human Development

11/25: Happy Thanksgiving!

11/25-11/26: Parish Office is Closed

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Saturday, Nov. 13 5:00 p.m.	Death Anniversary: +Pacifico Paredes
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Sunday Nov. 14	T
7:00a.m.	Thanksgiving: CANA ministry; August Joya; Charity & Ray Barnum Repose: +Bonifacio & +Hermenia Avancena
8:00 a.m.	ALL PARISHIONERS
9:00 a.m.	Birthday: +Luciano Sabate Repose: +Pacifico Paredes; +Mavis Meyer; +Charles Meyer; +Fortunato Durban; +Betty Lowther
11:00am	Special Intentions: Christopher Bryan Atas; Marie Abigabl Capuno; Gerald Amon; Marie & Melanie Amon Repose: +Susana Elizes Ferrer;
Monday, Nov. 15	Birthdays: Enrique Moreno Healing: Lani Catubo Gonzaga Repose: +Joseph Villegas 1 year Death Anniversary: +Lolita Villafuerte
Tuesday, Nov. 16	Birthday: Christopher Gomez Wedding Anniversary: Brian & Diana Sapsky (8 th) Death Anniversary: + Jean F. Hagel; +Herminio Franco Jr.
Wednesday, Nov. 17	OLPH Devotees; Special Intentions: Mel Mariano Healing: Repose: +Abraham Joseph; +Gerardo Vergara 40 th Day: +Jonathan Clementir
Thursday, Nov. 18	Birthdays: Kiyara Long; Alexa DeLeon Repose: +For all Babies Lost in Abortion
Friday, Nov. 19	Repose: +Carol Ann Chambers
Saturday, Nov. 20 7:00 a.m.	Repose: +Francis Poblete Death Anniversary: +Kevin David Peterson; +Antonio Chiu (2 nd year)

Book your Mass Intentions via Website, E-mail or by phone. (+ indicates deceased) Send requests at least 2 weeks in advance, to be listed in the Bulletin.

PRAY & REMEMBER WHO HAVE DIED

Pascual Sampang
Leo Francis Lucie
Betty Louise Ramirez
Carl Zell Stewart
Megan Song
Mauricio Centeno

Leonila A. Bidua Luz M. G. Rivas Antonio Z. Vargas Jonathan Clementir Robert Ellis Fortunato Durban

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Those who lead the many to justice shall be like the stars forever (Daniel 12:1-3).

Psalm — You are my inheritance, O Lord! (Psalm 16).

Second Reading — Where there is forgiveness, there is no longer offering for sin (Hebrews 10:11-14, 18).

Gospel — Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away (Mark 13:24-32).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63;

Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158;

Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday: 2 Mc 6:18-31; Ps 3:2-7; Lk 19:1-10 Wednesday: 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31; Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b, 15;

Lk 19:11-28

Thursday: 1 Mc 2:15-29; Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15;

Lk 19:41-44 or (for the memorial of the Dedication) Acts 28:11-16, 30-31;

Ps 98:1-6; Mt 14:22-33

Friday: 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59; 1 Chr 29:10bcd,

11-12; Lk 19:45-48

Saturday: 1 Mc 6:1-13; Ps 9:2-4, 6, 16, 19;

Lk 20:27-40

Sunday: Dn 7:13-14; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Rv 1:5-8;

Jn 18:33b-37

PRAYERS NEEDED FOR HEALING

Ken Augustine, Connie Edwards, Mary Pearson, Betty Chrysler, Dolores Beck, Kathy Wachter, Josh & Pam Batovsky, Sherrie & Heather Wren, Elizbeth N. Gabrillo, Florencio "Junn" P. Gabrillo Jr., Lorna Declines, Mario Visperas, Natividad S. Fernandez, Sue Ann E. Tumakay, Cesar Giron, Robert Carambelas, Augusto David, Ramon Rocha, Ann Bechen, Marge Williams, Jason, Marika & Alex Saliba, Pam Smith, Celia Lim, Maggie Gallo, David, Gloria Tongol, Hector Gustilo, Christina Castro, Marilee Silva, Maria Delgado, Grace, Rose de los Reyes, Tom Chadwell, Richie & Rosemaria Ochotorena, Mary Agnes, Nelia Estrada, Jessica Ramos, Flora Capile, Mateo Leyva, Annie Lou Herron, Ray Martinez, Barbara Hendron, Roxann Batozsky, Alvino Jauregui, Gerry Johnston, Frank M, Jim Smith, Jessie Siegert, Michelle Sibala, Sonia Sibala, Eric McDonald, Helen Strong, Richard Bourque, Shereese Clark, Leda Wong, B. Berling, Miguel Angel Huidor-Figueroa, Yolanda Huidor-Lopez, Emmanuel Huidor-Lopez, Daniel Xavier Huidor, Maricela Huidor-Figueroa, Zayra Ekoki, Rose Rodrigo, Ed, Kaleb, Bonnie, Garrison, Martha Pech, Tina Quinn, Bridget Vanderwerff, Dalton West, Carmela Chiurazzi, Cesar Čudal, Violet Firmalino, Maria Sanchez, Erwin Castillo, Earl Leiran, Cecilia Van Vooren, Chito Aguinaldo, Merlo Estrada, Steve Ferrer, Lourdes Montuya, Art Quinto, Richard Geronimo, Luninging Hobbs, Scott Polson, Josephine Hong, Chean & Harper Hong, Joseph Delos Reyes, Samuel Chavez, Ildefonso Reyes, William & Gloria Dorsey, Mercy Damacion

PARISH & MINISTRY NEWS

WE NEED USHERS!!!

Would you like to help usher during Mass? If you would like to join our Ushers Ministry, please contact Ministry Leader: Darrell at 562-243-1378 or email directy to: dstew40@gmail.com

We are refraining from passing the baskets around, rather we will be using a bag with an extended pole for safety. You can choose and help at the Mass that you regularly attend!

NOVEMBER: ALL SOULS

We are collecting your deceased loved ones names to our <u>ALL SOULS LIST</u>. Visit our Website (online form) E-mail the Parish (church@stbarnabaslb.org) to be added to list and prayed for the entire month of November. Drop envelopes off at our Parish Office mail slot, in the donation baskets or by post mail.

LOOKING FOR SINGERS & MUSICIANS

Would you like to use your talent by blessing us with your beautiful voice as a Cantor, or do you play Piano or Guitar??? We are in great need of Singers and **Musicians** to join our Ministry of Choirs. Please contact the Parish Office: 562-424-8595 or E-Mail: church@stbarnabaslb.org

MISSALETTES FOR SALE!

New missalettes are for sale for the upcoming year! This special edition covers all 3 cycles and is hardbound, therefore, it does not need to be changed out every year. Cost is: \$25/each. Stop by the Parish Office to purchase, or after the Sunday Masses outside in the parking lot!

THE LITTLE "BLUE" BOOK
This 6-minute daily reflection guide is available for purchase for \$2/each. This will help your journey throughout this Advent Season. This will also be sold after all the Sunday Masses, or stop by the Parish Office to purchase.

HAPPY BELATED BIRTHDAY-FR. BERNARD! We would like to wish Fr. Bernard Santiago a belated Happy Birthday on November 5th! Continue to pray for him and his Priestly ministry. You are a blessing to us at St. Barnabas Parish! God bless you!

CONGRATULATIONS

Wedding Anniversaries for the Month:

Matthew & Janine Mays 11/5 (22yrs) Brian & Diana Sapsky 11/16 (8yrs) William & Gloria Dorsey 11/25 (56yrs) Richard & Marie Van Vooren 11/28 (25yrs)



Email us Names, year you're celebrating, along with your Wedding Anniversary date to: church@stbarnabaslb.org

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Sunday, November 21, 2021 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Please make an appointment online at RedCrossBlood.org and enter sponsor code: BarnabasLB or sign up with the rectory at (562) 424-8595.

Streamline your donation experience and save up to 15 minutes by visiting RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass to complete your pre-donation reading and health history questions on the day of your appointment.





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Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time November 14, 2021

Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.

— Mark 13:31

TOGETHER IN MISSION 2021

This year's theme "Our Story is Alive" reminds us that our gifts to **Together in Mission** are an active demonstration of our faith and love for those in our Archdiocese who need our support. Please make a pledge with the information that was mailed to your home, a pledge card found with the



parish, or online at: ourmissionla.org/give Return your envelopes in collection basket or Office.

Due to the circumstances caused by the pandemic in 2021, the Archdiocese of Los Angeles leadership has decided to reduce the Together in Mission 2021 "Forward with Faith" Annual Appeal to a single

weekend. OUR PARISH GOAL: \$60,867.00



Thanksgiving Food Drive 2021

November 15th - November 19th

Students are asked to bring canned goods to help feed the homeless of Long Beach. Collection bins will be placed in the hallway by the office

Preschool and Kindergarten = Pasta

TK = Cereal

1st Grade = Peanut Butter & Jelly

2nd Grade = Canned Vegetables

3rd Grade = Canned Beans

4th Grade = Flour

5th Grade = Rice

6th Grade = Canned Tuna

7th Grade = Pasta Sauce

8th Grade = Packaged Stuffing

SBS is committed to following our SLE's and "Being the living expression of God's kindness - kindness in our face, kindness in our eyes, kindness in our smiles." By donating canned goods, we are showing God's kindness and modeling four of our Student Learning Expectations - Beginning in prayer, Respecting Others, Acting Responsibly, Volunteering.

(* Travel size Hygiene Items are always appreciated for families in need)

JESUS HELPS ME READ THE SIGNS OF THE TIMES Jesus said to his disciples: "Even so, you too, when you see these things happening, recognize that he is near, right at the door." Mk 13:29

FEAST OF FAITH

BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

At the beginning of Mass, the priest made the sign of the cross with us. At the conclusion of Mass, he makes the sign of the cross over us, a sign of blessing. We are then dismissed—not just let out, but sent forth with a mission "to love and serve the Lord." Just as Jesus blessed his disciples as he ascended to heaven, so this leave-taking is joined to a blessing, a prayer for God's continuing protection. As we leave the church, we bear the invisible sign of the Master whom we follow. In the words of an ancient letter to Diognetus, "Christians are indistinguishable from other [people] either by nationality, language, or customs. They do not inhabit separate cities of their own, or speak a strange dialect, or follow an outlandish way of life. . . . And yet, there is something extraordinary about their lives" (Liturgy of the Hours, Vol. II, p. 840). We are ordinary people sent forth to live extraordinary lives, lives like Christ's own life pouring ourselves out for others in prayer, service, and love.

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GOD'S REIGN

By pointing to the end times, today's readings speak to the coming reign of God, when God will make all things new. In Christ, this time has already begun. We, by our energized watchfulness, can further God's reign. We can heal broken hearts, free captives, spread the Good News. Even so, the reign of God will not be complete without the second coming of Christ. Our weekly eucharistic gathering is a sign of the fullness of the end times. At Mass we join as an assembly to recall and to claim the story of Jesus as our own. Together we give thanks to God for the many gifts bestowed upon us. We receive nourishment in the simple but profound meal. And our weak and weary selves are invigorated and transformed by the power of Christ, so that we ourselves might become effective signs of God's reign present and to come.

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PASTOR'S LETTER: PARISH FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

ST. BARNABAS CATHOLIC CHURCH FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS July, 2020 – June, 2021

My Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

Blessings of peace to you! I pray that you continue to be safe and healthy. We are pleased to present to you the financial position of our Parish for the fiscal year 2020-2021, which covered the period from July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021. This was again a very challenging and difficult year for us as a parish community due to the Coronavirus pandemic situation. For the second consecutive year, we had to endure lockdowns, restrictions, quarantines, and financial hardships. We encountered very unusual and difficult circumstances impacting our Parish operations:

- We had a full lockdown/closure from March, 2020 until June, 2020.
- We had to livestream Masses via Facebook and YouTube.
- The Parish Office was closed, forcing us to operate via phone and internet.
- We had to implement Parish Health Safety Systems.
- We prepared the logistics and reopened the church for Outdoor Masses in July 2020.
- All in-person gatherings were suspended except for the Outdoor Masses.
- The business and ministry meetings were conducted via Zoom since April 2020
- The ministries which could not use zoom remained temporarily inactive.
- We were allowed to reopen the church for indoor Masses starting in July 2021.
- We continued the Outdoor Masses under the tent.
- We were allowed to reopen the Parish Office and facilities for in-person visits in July 2021.

These unusual circumstances impacted our parish operations and finances. The Statement of Activities reflects a Net Loss of \$182,217. We were fortunate to receive a stimulus package loan from the Paycheck Protection Program (PPP) in the amount of \$59,798, which was an additional help for our payroll and utility expenses. Otherwise, we would have ended up with a greater loss. This amount is included in the current liabilities on the balance sheet. It may be subject to forgiveness in the future.

Because of Covid-19 restrictions and safety protocol, our Mass attendance dropped by about 68 percent, which in turn drastically impacted our Parish income donations. Our annual collections dropped by \$192,806. We reduced our expenses by \$157,759 by limiting funding in many areas such as payroll, religious education, and rectory expenses.

In spite of the drastic decrease in offertory collections, we were still able to cover all of the Parish operating expenses, including our Archdiocesan Assessment of \$72,532, without asking for monetary support from the Archdiocese. This was possible due to your generous support, kind sponsors, and anonymous donors. During this pandemic, some of you have initiated donating online through Faith Direct. We encourage others to explore this e-giving option as well.

We spent \$46,615 on building maintenance and repairs that could not be postponed. The decreased revenue restricted us

from embarking on further capital improvement projects. Due to years of neglect, we still have many church improvements projects and other repairs to complete, which cannot be postponed for much longer.

The Balance Sheet presents our cash position; it reflects an operating cash balance of \$604,680 and an investment funds of \$227,769. Our cash balance was reduced by \$175,643 in order to meet all of our expenses.

The unfunded Accumulated Archdiocesan Assessment from previous years, has a balance of \$277,233 as of June 30, 2021 and is reflected in the Balance sheet as a Long-Term Liability and an off-set to Equity. Due to the Pandemic, we did not receive an annual credit from the Archdiocese, as in previous years. Also, we did not make much progress in reducing the liability this past year as the Archdiocese suspended the payments for several months. We are hopeful that the Archdiocese will consider giving us this credit, which would reduce our debt and pave the way to free us from this obligation within the next two or three years. Let us pray for it!

The accumulated debt reflects multiple years of payments owed to the Archdiocese to pay for Parish insurance, Parish pensions, and Archdiocesan Assessments, which were previously unpaid until 2014, prior to my appointment as the Administrator and Pastor to St. Barnabas Parish. We continued to be diligent in our spending, while stabilizing our finances, and attempting to retire our debt.

I can assure you that the spiritual and financial wellbeing of our Parish is on the positive trajectory. This is because of your active participation in our Parish faith life, and your generous financial support. We are also blessed with a few generous sponsors and anonymous donors. Please continue to support our parish and know that I am very much appreciative of your kindness and generosity.

Please continue to pray that we will soon return to a complete normal parish life from this pandemic and I pray that you will remain vigilant in keeping yourself safe and healthy.

May God Bless you and your family!

With gratitude from the Finance and Pastoral Councils,

Rev. Dr. Antony Gaspar **Pastor**

SPECIAL 2ND COLLECTION

CATHOLIC **CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT: NOVEMBER 21ST**

November 21st we will have a special collection will support the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. More than thirty-eight million people in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs that empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face as they work to bring permanent and positive change to their communities. Learn more about the Catholic for Human Development Campaign www.usccb.org/cchd.

BARNABAS FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS: JULY 2020—JUNE 2021

ST. BARNABAS PARISH NUMBERS: 07/01/2020 - 06/30/2021

REGISTERED FAMILIES IN PARISH DATABASE 1,890 REGISTERED PARISHIONERS IN OUR PARISH 4,144 ACTIVE PARISHIONERS RECEIVING CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPES 1,019 **ENVELOPES RECEIVED ON A REGULAR BASIS** 300 **FAITH DIRECT PARTICIPANTS** 493 **GROUPS WHO USE OUR PARISH FACILITIES** 10 CHILDREN IN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (OVER ALL) 101 FIRST HOLY COMMUNION (RECEIVED SACRAMENTS) 59 CONFIRMATION (RECEIVED SACRAMENTS) 46 R.C.I.A. (RECEIVED SACRAMENTS) 4 **BAPTISMS (RECEIVED SACRAMENTS)** 30 WEDDINGS 7 **FUNERALS** 27 FAMILIES AT ST. BARNABAS SCHOOL 201 STUDENTS ENROLLED AT ST. BARNABAS SCHOOL 282 MASS INTENTIONS OFFERED Over 2,200 Over 480 MASSES CELEBRATED MEMORIAL PLAQUES ORDERED 17 AVERAGE MASS ATTENDANCE COUNTS (During Pandemic): MONDAY - SATURDAY: 7:00 AM 60 70 SUNDAY: 6:00 AM SUNDAY: 7:00 AM 90 SUNDAY: 8:00 AM 110 AVERAGE MASS ATTENDANCE COUNTS (From Reopening of the Church): MONDAY - SATURDAY: 7:00 AM 30 SUNDAY: 7:00 AM 90 SUNDAY: 8:00 AM 110 80 SUNDAY: 9:00 AM (Church) SUNDAY: 9:00 AM (Tent) 80 SUNDAY: 11:00 AM 120 AVERAGE MASS VIEWERS VIA ONLINE LIVE-STREAM (During Pandemic): MONDAY - SATURDAY: 8:00 AM 75 SUNDAY: 9:00 AM 125

PARISH HIGHLIGHTS: (Reopening with restrictions, July 2020)

- •Re-open for outdoor Masses/ Sacraments on July 2020
- •First Friday Adoration
- •Wednesdays Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena
- •ACIES Renewal-Consecration to the Blessed Virgin Mary
- •Virtual Rosary for America
- •Monthly Zoom Reflection Talks w/
- •Weekly Online Bible Study with Fr. Bernard
- •Virtual St. Barnabas 'Got Talent' Shows via Zoom
- •Simbang Gabi (Advent Night
- Masses) celebration w/visiting Priests •Girl Scouts Cooke Sales
- •Boy Scouts/Cub Scouts Giving Tree Gift Collection for the Marian Center in Long Beach
- •Santo Nino Feast Day Mass
- •Consecration to Saint Joseph (Year of St. Joseph)
- •Tuesdays Novena to St. Joseph
- •Ash Wednesday (Drive-Thru Service)

- •Knights of Columbus Fish Fry (to-go) •Outdoor Stations of the Cross-led by our
- •Friday Lenten Masses

Ministries

- •Vocations Sunday w/Fr. Mike Perucho
- •St. Joseph 3-Day Novena & Feast Day Mass (blessing of St. Joseph statues)
- •Lenten Pantry Food Drive (one day collection)
- •Knights of Columbus Coat Drive
- •COVID Relief Fund Drive
- •Feast of St. Joseph the Worker (blessing of chairs, stools, hammers, etc)
- •Fil-Am Assoc. "Stay at Home Dinner" Event via Zoom
- •Dedication of new Holy Family Shrine
- •St. Barnabas School Virtual Spring Event
- •Olivia Baylen: New Staff Position as Multimedia Coordinator
- CANA Ministry (w/Knights of Columbus) Beautification Project of parking lot planters
- Community Drive-Through Food Distribution Event

St. Barnabas Catholic Church

Statement of Activities and Financial Position July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2021

INCOME:		06/30/21	06/30/20
	Collections Other Collections Restricted Income PPP Income	\$408,932 95,821 124,524 0	\$601,738 126,302 188,052 59,795
	TOTAL INCOME	\$629,277	\$975,887
EXPENSES:			
	Salaries/Payroll	\$385,407	\$411,276
	Insurance	90,254	135,881
	Property Tax	9,685	6,869
	Repairs and Maintenance	46,615	46,829
	Automobile	3,615	4,322
	Equipment	9,683	11,061
	Utilities	34,194	33,933
	Religious Education and RCIA	12,999	33,768
	Archdiocesan Collections-Expense	5,984	49,274
	Church Capital Improvement	0	0
	Church General Expense	91,361	102,476
	Rectory General Expense	49,165	72,634
	Loan Repayment	0	8,000
	Archdiocesan Assessment	72,532	52,930
	Contribution to Investment Pool	0	0
	TOTAL EXPENSES	\$811,494	\$969,253
	NET INCOME	(182,217)	\$6,634

Balance Sheet As of 06/30/2021

ACCETC.			06/30/21		06/30/20
ASSETS:	Current Assets Investment Fund Investment Building Fund	\$	604,680 227,769 471,828	\$	780,323 178,671 467,567
	Total Assets	\$	1,304,277	\$	1,426,561
LIABILITIES 8	3 EQUITY:				
	Liabilities Current Liabilities Long Term Liabilities	\$	59,934 277,233	\$	(632) 275,751
	Total Liabilities	\$	337,167	\$	275,119
	Equity Retained Earnings Net Income Archdiocesan Liability Adjustment Total Equity	\$	1,426,560 (182,217) (277,233)	\$	1,420,559 6,634 (276,751)
	Total Equity	Φ	907,110	Φ	1, 150,442
	Total Liabilities and Equity	\$	1,304,277	\$	1,425,561

REL. ED: CHILDREN'S LITURGY

THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM is CHILDREN'S LITURGY on offering **SUNDAYS in the Parish Hall.** Children in 1st - 5th grade are welcome to attend. Every Sunday at the 9 am indoor Mass, the children will be invited to come to the front after the collect, they will go to the Parish Hall to reflect on the word of God and will return to the Mass at the Prayers of the Faithful. We are following Covid-19 protocols. Any questions, call our Rel. Ed Coordinator, Juan at: 562-341-7772.

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Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday:

Monday: St. Albert the Great

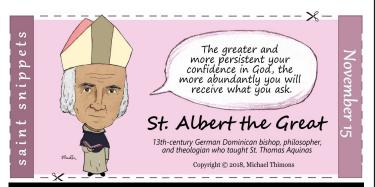
Tuesday: St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude

Wednesday: St. Elizabeth of Hungary

Thursday: Dedication of the Basilicas of Ss. Peter and

Paul; St. Rose Philippine Duchesne

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary



JUBILEE YEAR: FORWARD IN MISSION

CELEBRATING JUBILEE

On Friday, October 22, the pilgrim images of Our Lady of Guadalupe and St. Juan Diego made the voyage with sixty pilgrims from various parishes of the Archdiocese across the Catalina/San Pedro Channel to the parish of St. Catherine of Alexandria on the island that since 1602 has borne her name. The Tongva who had lived and fished there for thousands of years had called it Pimu. The Spanish explorer, Cabrillo sited and named it San Salvador in 1542 (just eleven years after the apparition of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Mexico) but it was Viscaino, arriving sixty years later on the feast of St. Catherine whose name stuck.

The first Mass celebrated in what is now the Archdiocese of Los Angeles was held on Catalina in or near what is now Avalon. The visit to St. Catherine's came about as part of the Jubilee Year and was one leg of a circuit of parishes that the images will visit this year.

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November 14, 2021

Is a homily necessary at every Mass?

The homily is "highly recommended" not only because it is an essential part of the liturgy but also because "it is necessary for the nurturing of the Christian life" (General Instruction of the Roman Missal, 65). "On Sundays and holy days of obligation there is to be a homily at every Mass that is celebrated with the people attending and it may not be omitted without a grave reason. On other days it is recommended, especially on the weekdays of Advent, Lent and Easter time, as well as on other festive days and occasions when the people come to church in greater numbers" (GIRM 66). In practice, brief homilies are usually offered on nonfestive weekday Masses during Ordinary Time, too—especially in church parishes and religious communities—even for a minimal number of people in the congregation.

"Whoever preaches, let it be with the words of God" (1 Peter 4:11). To the office of an ordained minister belongs the tremendous sacred duty to preach a homily rooted in prayer, and with an understanding of the Scriptures and the needs of the particular faith community in mind. "If the words of Scripture are divinely inspired, as we believe them to be, then divine inspiration must be at work when those words are made alive and contemporary to the believing community in and through" the ministry of preaching (Fulfilled in Your Hearing, U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops, 1982).

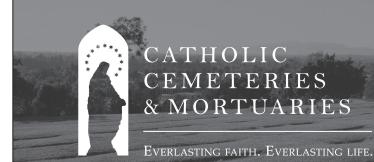
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Our 1st Forward in Mission Jubilee Year Speaker Series Event will be on: Saturday, December 18th at 9:00am at St. Barnabas. Tentative Schedule is as follows:

Reflection Talk: 9am; Confessions: 10am; Mass: 11am Parishioners are then encouraged to visit St. Anthony's in Long Beach, for the Holy Doors and prayers at your leisure and convenience, to receive the plenary indulgences.



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