



## ST. MOTHER TERESA OF CALCUTTA PARISH

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July 2, 2023

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN  
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## Peter's Pence Collection

*Be a sign of  
mercy.*

When Russia invaded Ukraine in February 2022, a humanitarian crisis began for Ukrainians, whose lives were shattered by the violence of war. Many left their homes in eastern cities in Ukraine for cities in the west, such as Lviv, farther from the most intense fighting. From the beginning of the war, the Holy Father pleaded for an end to the violence and expressed his love and concern for the Ukrainian people who were its victims. In solidarity with the victims of war, the papal almoner, Cardinal Konrad Krajewski, made two visits to Ukraine in March 2022. He first visited the cities of Rivne and Zhovka and other regions directly affected by the early conflict. He returned to Ukraine to celebrate Mass in the cathedral in Lviv and to deliver an ambulance donated by the Holy Father to the Center for Mother and Child Health to assist children displaced by the war.

The Holy Father's charitable outreach to victims of war, migrants and refugees, and the poor affected by illness and natural disasters is supported by contributions to the Peter's Pence Collection. When you participate in the collection, you join Catholics across the globe in supporting the pope's mission of mercy as well as the activities of the Holy See's dicasteries that assist his ministry.

Support for such papal efforts is rooted in the scriptural message to take care of the poor and expresses unity with

the Holy Father in two ways: through the ongoing activities of the Holy See and through the charitable works of the Holy Father on behalf of those most in need.

### How You Can Help

#### PRAY

Pray for the Holy Father, for those he reaches out to serve in compassion, and for the ongoing activities of the Holy See, all of which benefit from the Peter's Pence Collection.

#### SHARE

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#### GIVE

Give generously to this collection as a sign of mercy to those who suffer around the globe and in support of the ongoing work of the Holy See. By doing so, you help build up the Church so that it will continue to minister to all for generations to come.

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## MASS SCHEDULE

### St. Barbara Chapel

Tuesday/Thursday/Saturday: 8 a.m.

### St. Barbara Church

Saturday: 5 p.m.

Sunday: 6 a.m./9:30 a.m.

Indonesian: 2nd Sunday: 11:30 a.m.

### DEVOTIONS

#### First Saturday Healing Mass

St. Barbara Chapel: 8 a.m.

#### The Rosary

Sunday 5:30 a.m. Before 6 a.m. Mass

### St. Therese Chinese Catholic Church

Monday/Wednesday/Friday: 8 a.m.

Sunday: 8 a.m./10:30 a.m.

Cantonese: 1st Sunday: 10:30 a.m.

Mandarin: 2nd Saturday: 4:00 p.m. (TBA)

4th Sunday: 12:30 p.m.

### DEVOTIONS

#### Mondays with Sisters of the Missionaries of Charity:

4-5 p.m. Rosary and 5-6 p.m. Holy Hour

First Friday Holy Hour: After the 8 a.m. Mass



# Mass Intentions for the Week

## St. Barbara Worship Site

### **Saturday, July 1st Vigil | 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

5:00 p.m. + Ed Glabicki by B. Glabicki  
+ John Helma by B. Glabicki  
+ Jan Kutinsky by Paula Schipiour  
+ Caroline Wrozek by Skokal Family

### **Sunday, July 2nd | 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

6:00 a.m. + Anne Kaminski by Payton Family  
+ Louie Bertucci by George Tadin  
+ Maria Lynn Senerchia by Janet Ropke

9:30 a.m. Health Blessings: Chris by A. Briglio

### **Tuesday, July 4th | Weekday—Independence Day**

9:30 a.m. + Roseann Formusa, 90th Birthday Remembrance  
by Family

### **Thursday, July 6th | Saint Maria Goretti, Virgin & Martyr**

8:00 a.m. Special Healing Blessing for Darlene Smith by  
Formusa Family

### **Saturday, July 8th | Weekday**

8:00 a.m. Blessings for Benefactors and Parishioners

### **Saturday, July 8th Vigil | 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

5:00 p.m. + Victoria Kurtz Lukwinski by B. Hudren

### **Sunday, July 9th | 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

6:00 a.m. + Vicky Kurtz by Eva Mrgan & Ken Ricci  
+ Thomas E. Glaser by Janet Ropke  
+ Maria Lynn Senerchia by Janet Ropke

9:30 a.m. CPL. Ernest Petty USMC by Stan Nawracaj & Family

## **LITURGICAL MINISTERS:**

### **St. Barbara**

Saturday, July 8th:

**5p.m. Lectors:** B. Hudren

**Eucharistic Minister:** C. Sokolowski

Sunday, July 9th:

**6a.m. Lector:** J. Bertucci

**Eucharistic Minister:** C. Whitehouse

**9:30 a.m. Lectors:** H. Alonzo, A. Alonzo, III

**Eucharistic Minister:** J. Lukwinski

## St. Therese Worship Site

### **Sunday, July 2nd | 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:00 a.m. + Marilyn Leung by Gene & Teresa Lee  
+ Peter Yuan by Margaret Moy & Teresa Lee  
+ Jack Lee by Family  
+ Rose Urani & Annette O'Connor by Family  
+ Shing Cheng Lau by Perry & Rose Lau

10:30 a.m. Healing Blessings for Jian Guoxin by Jean Wu  
In Thanksgiving to God for Healing by Roberta  
+ Joanna Wai Nin by Law Wan  
+ Mary Moy by Jade Yee  
+ Marilyn Leung by George & Yvette  
+ Tak Leun Sin by Jade Yee  
+ Lai Kwan Chan by Jade Yee  
+ Yu Mei Ngnor by Jade Yee  
+ Sik Chow Woo, Birthday Remembrance by  
Marian Woo Torrez & Family  
+ Amena Wu by Joe & Doreen Eng  
+ Henry Lee by Wife Agnes Lee

### **Monday, July 3rd | Saint Thomas, Apostle**

8:00 a.m. Blessings for Benefactors and Parishioners

### **Wednesday, July 5th | Saint Anthony Zaccaria, Priest; Saint Elizabeth of Portugal**

8:00 a.m. + Marilyn Leung by Lily & Richard May  
+ Tillie Gonzales by Maria & Anthony Vinci

### **Friday, July 7th | Weekday**

8:00 a.m. + Eva Gwan by Oy  
+ Marilyn Leung by Lily & Richard May



Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Diana Zepeda**, whose Memorial Mass was Saturday, July 1st at St. Barbara. May she rest in peace!



**We pray for Ukraine and Russia and for all our brothers and sisters living in fear and for all victims of war. Lord, Raise up peacemakers, so that violence and war can end.**

### **St. Therese**

Sunday, July 9th:

**8:00a.m. Greeters:** N. Lowe, J. Lowe

**Lectors:** A. Romallosa

**St. Michael Ministry:** Chris

**10:30a.m. Greeters:** C. Lee, J. Yee, D. Lowe

**Lectors:** TBA

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Wing (Altar) Jade (Choir)

**St. Michael Ministry:** Pat



## THANKS

Thanks to **Jing Zhang, Naomi and Joseph Lowe** for their leadership in organizing the YAM and Alpha Reunion last Saturday. Thanks also to all who helped with setting up, cooking, and cleaning up, and to all who generously donated food and drinks. The weather turned out to be very comfortable. We had a great turn out and all participants had an amazing time. YAM and Alpha will take a couple of months off in the summer and we are looking forward to resuming their activities soon.

Thanks to **Judy Lukwinski** for her hard work in taking care of the “Thank You” gathering for **Sabina** and to all who donated food and cakes for the event. As Sabina is going through her transition, let us keep her in our prayers. She will continue to assist with our Weekend and special masses.

Thanks to **Teresa Chan, Shao-Zhen Lin and Jing Zhang** and members of the Mandarin Group for organizing a farewell gathering for Mrs. Jiao and Mr. Liu, who will return back to TaiWan for their retirement years. Mrs. Jiao offered an inspirational faith sharing about how she and her husband have been involved with the Church in TaiWan, Mainland and in the United States. We wish them well as they move and adjust to their new environment.



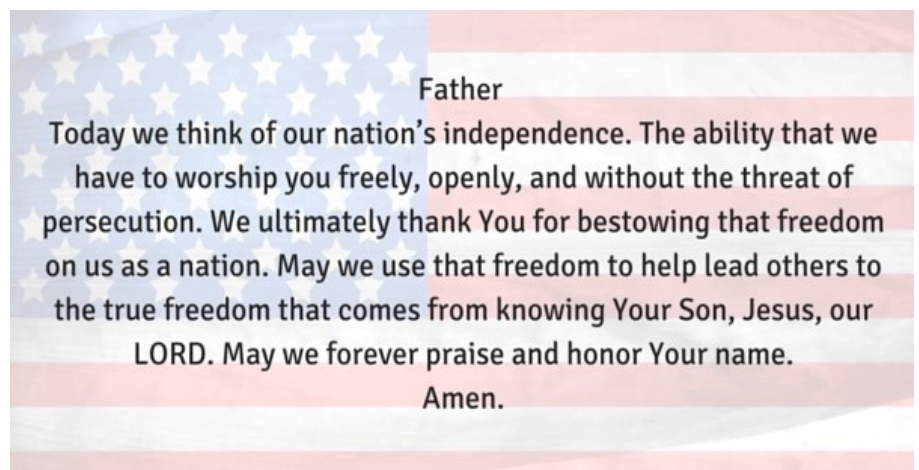
## Update on the New HVAC at St. Barbara

After over a year of working, waiting and working, we finally experienced the A/C in our historical Church last weekend. A parishioner texted me with this wonderful message: “It is COOL to go to Mass at St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta Parish.” It is indeed COOL and it is more than that. With the doors and windows being closed now during mass and without the large fans, our Church is also quieter and cleaner. The new A/C keeps the hot air, noises and dust away from our Church and it helps us to pray comfortably with one another. We thank God for this wonderful accomplishment and thank you and all of our generous donors who have made this possible. We are still open to receive donations toward this project. I plan to have the “Thank YOU” plaque made in the very near future. With your donations now, we can still add your names to the plaque.

On this Fourth of July week, as we celebrate our Nation’s independence, we thank God for America, for freedom, and for liberty and we renew our commitment to peace and justice. We pray that God also helps us to see the unique values and dignity in each one of us and in others. Please join us at the 9:30am mass at St. Barbara Church on Tuesday, July 4<sup>th</sup>!

**Happy 4<sup>th</sup> of July!**

**Peace, Fr. Francis**



## Financial Report—2023 Carnival

2023 Carnival			
Section	Cost	Income	Profit
Mega Passes/Ride Tickets	\$ 151.45	\$ 12,800.00	12,648.55
Beer	\$ 3,911.77	\$ 13,941.00	10,029.23
Food	\$ 6,154.70	\$ 14,450.07	8,295.37
Lottery Raffle	\$ 500.00	\$ 1,000.00	500.00
Bingo	\$ 1,051.00	\$ 1,974.00	923.00
Split the Pot Raffle	\$ 5,060.00	\$ 10,020.00	4,960.00
Pull Tabs	\$ 737.70	\$ 3,300.00	2,562.30
Jar Booths	\$ 5,391.25	\$ 6,214.00	822.75
Donations/Sponsors	\$ -	\$ 8,745.00	8,745.00
Entertainment	\$ 20,100.00	\$ -	(20,100.00)
Security	\$ 6,705.00	\$ -	(6,705.00)
Advertisement	\$ 976.99	\$ -	(976.99)
Permits/Licenses	\$ 400.00	\$ -	(400.00)
Miscellaneous	\$ 10,837.71	\$ -	(10,837.71)
	\$ 61,977.57	\$ 72,444.07	\$10,466.50

***The total net profit from Carnival 2023: \$10,466.50***

Total Income: \$72,444.07

Total Expenses: \$61,977.57

### THE MISSIONARY and THE MECHANIC by Fr. Cuff

Some years ago, an American missionary took a group of students on a field trip to Kenya. Their van took them deep into the rugged hinterland. On one of their travels the vehicle broke down and they had to hire the local village mechanic. The mechanic saw the problem, travelled to the city to buy spare parts, and spent two whole days repairing it. The clergyman, who told this story on himself, was worried that the bill would be too high. So to force the mechanic to settle for less, he went into the washroom, removed most of the money from his wallet and hid it in his socks, so that when the mechanic would tell him the cost, he'd open his wallet and say, "Sorry, this is all I have!" So coming out of the washroom as everyone is loading up to leave, he asks the mechanic, "So now, what do you charge for your services?" The mechanic looks at him and says, "You are a man of God. I do it for God. God will pay me. For you it is free of charge." The clergyman ends his story by observing that the mechanic, by his trusting faith in God, had obviously overcome the fear of poverty and attachment to money, which he, the missionary, in his relative affluence, had been unable to do.

Today's Gospel is the conclusion of Christ's "missionary discourse" to his disciples; it speaks of both the demands and rewards of discipleship. First, the attitude that we missionaries should have: Loving Christ above all, even our family; carrying our cross; losing our life for Christ's sake; these are the demands of a missionary. Secondly, the rewards of discipleship: "Whoever welcomes you welcomes Me; and whoever shows hospitality to you shows it to Me." The missionary in the story apparently had shown his love for Christ above all, even his own family, by leaving his native land to go on mission to Africa. But he also experienced the rewards of discipleship when he encountered the selfless hospitality of that village mechanic. Indeed most of today's Gospel is about how we give and receive hospitality from others. Similar to that unselfish mechanic, the pagan lady in the first reading recognized Elisha as a holy man, a man of God, so she treated him with respect and showed him hospitality, even though he was a stranger. As a result she was rewarded by God in giving birth to a son. Indeed, she "did not lose her reward." So how do we treat the stranger, the poor, the homeless, the friendless, and the many immigrants coming to Chicago these days? Also we should note how ready we are to receive hospitality from them in return, since as Catholics our mission is to go out to others, to be God's ambassadors, as were the Apostles and the prophet Elisha.

## July Special Schedule:

**Mondays with the Sisters of the Missionary of Charity:**  
4pm-5pm Street Rosary and 5pm-6pm Adoration at St. Therese Church. All are welcome.

**July 1-2:** 2nd Collection for Peter's Pence

**July 2:** Cantonese Mass at 10:30am at St. Therese

**July 4:** Mass at 9:30am at St. Barbara Church; Parish Offices Closed.

**July 5:** 11am ACI meeting at SBC

**July 7:** 8am mass followed by Divine Mercy Chaplets and Benediction

**July 8:** 8am mass with the Sacrament of Anointing

**July 9:** Indonesian Mass at 11:30am at St. Barbara

**July 16:** Baptism at 12 noon at St. Therese

**July 23:** Mandarin Mass at 12:30 followed by Faith Sharing

**July 24:** Liturgy and PPC Combined Meeting at 6:30pm at St. Mother Teresa Hall

**July 29-30:** Chinatown Summer Fair & Summer Co-op Mission Appeal at all masses

## MUSIC/CHOIR NEWS

All Parish musicians are invited to sing the Tuesday, July 4<sup>th</sup> at 9:30am Mass at St. Barbara. Eva and Ken will be leading the music.

### A note from Sabina:

*Thank you for all your prayers of healing and support as I conclude my time as Parish Music Director. It has been a joy to share fellowship and conversations with many of you this past month. It has been a privilege to express joy, gratitude, and love through music with you the past year and a half. The collaborative spirit of the musicians and parishioners of St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta is a gift to the church community and beyond. My life has been greatly enriched by this experience!*

*I am happy to report that my voice is recovering, and that church singing is therapeutic and aligned with my healing! During this time of transition, I will occasionally accompany weekend Masses primarily at St. Barbara. I also join you in praying for a new Music Director and Music Teacher for the Parish.*

*With love and gratitude,  
Sabina*

## HVAC at SBC—update as of 06/26/2023:

**Donor:** Francis and Margaret Harmon \$700

**TOTAL:** \$34,289

## Second Collection—this weekend!!

**The Peter's Pence collection** is a gesture of solidarity through which every member of the faithful can participate in the activity of the Pope as Pastor of the universal Church. Please be generous!

## Director of Lifelong Faith Formation and Director of Music:

Our parish/school is looking for a full time *Director of Lifelong Faith Formation* and a full time *Director of Music*. If you or qualified candidates you know who might be interested, please contact our OD, Piotr at [pwojtasik@archchicago.org](mailto:pwojtasik@archchicago.org) for job descriptions, questions or submitting resumes.

## HOLY NAME NEWS

Holy Name's next meeting is July 14th. All men aged 18 and up are invited to come on out and enjoy a great meal and some fantastic company.

Remember... **September 9<sup>th</sup> Elvis Dinner & Show.** Tickets are \$15 for dinner & show, \$25 for a couple and \$10 just to see the show, no dinner. You can get tickets from Jeff at the 9:30 mass at St. Barbara or contact any Holy Name member. Dinner will be mostaccioli in meat sauce with garlic bread and one drink, either soda or water. There will be a cash bar during the show with water, beer, wine and soda.

Don't forget the **adult bicycle drive**. We have 3 bicycles ready to go. These will be donated to the incoming migrants to our city. We accept bicycles in any shape as well as parts and accessories to go with them. Contact Cliff Whitehouse 773-354-5329 to drop off at St. Barbara or George 773-592-7036 (text is best) to arrange for pick up. **Thank You, George Vanderford**



## RESPECT LIFE

**Mary Immaculate Patroness of Our Country Pray for Us – O GOD OUR CREATOR,** from your provident hand we have received our right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. You have called us as your people and given us the right and the duty to worship you, the only true God, and your Son, Jesus Christ. Through the power and working of your Holy Spirit, you call us to live out our faith in the midst of the world, bringing the light and the saving truth of the Gospel to every corner of society. / We ask you to bless us in our vigilance for the gift of religious liberty. Give us the strength of mind and heart to readily defend our freedoms when they are threatened; give us courage in making our voices heard on behalf of the rights of your Church and the freedom of conscience of all people of faith. / Grant, we pray, O heavenly Father, a clear and united voice to all your sons and daughters gathered in your Church in this decisive hour in the history of our nation, so that, with every trial withstood and every danger overcome— for the sake of our children, our grandchildren, and all who come after us— this great land will always be “one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.” / We ask this through Christ our Lord. / Amen. [[Immaculate-Conception-English.pdf](#) ([usccb.org](#))]



## WEEKLY COLLECTION—JUNE 25, 2023

	St. Barbara		St. Therese	
Sunday Envelopes	\$	1,252.00	\$	715.00
Sunday Loose	\$	407.00	\$	399.00
Give Central	\$	380.00	\$	688.00
<b>Total Collection</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>2,039.00</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>1,802.00</b>
	<b>YTD</b>	<b>Weekly</b>	<b>YTD</b>	<b>Weekly</b>
Actual	\$ 106,075.00	\$ 2,039.00	\$ 115,798.00	\$ 1,802.00
Goal	\$ 140,400.00	\$ 2,700.00	\$ 140,400.00	\$ 2,700.00
% of Goal	76%	76%	82%	67%
	\$		\$	
Mandarin Mass	\$		\$	1,061.00

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*Please pray for those who are ill, homebound, hospitalized and in need of continued prayers.*

Amalia Agins, Austin Agins, Bernadette Agins, Joyce Agins, Stephen Agins, Mary Aguirre, Angeleo Alonzo,, Debbie Annoreno, Amy Aver-et, Kimberly Babe, Geraldine Baldwin, Judith Beaudry, Christine Bertucci, Joseph 'Joey' Bertucci, Lonnie & Theresa Bertucci-Falls, Jennifer Bond, Jeff Bowman, Andrea Brongiel, Mary Camarda, Anthony Capone Sr., Laverne Connolly, Joe Cruz, Patti Cuchetto, Paul DeGrazia, Henry Diaz De Leon, Kathy Egle, Nenita Feliciano, Jerry Felske, Minnie Ford, Natalia Francone, Bill Frank, Darlene Frost, Harold Frost, Paul Gadomski, Ray Gadomski, Lily Ann Galloway, John Gasca, Bernadette Glabicki, Ed Glos, Pat Grieco, Koen Guest, Jose P. Gutierrez, Kellar Harris, Jasmine Henson, Barbara Herr, Denise Holland, Gwen Holub, Morris Humphrey, Michaeline Hunter, Ted Hunter, Suzanne Ivester, Jennifer Janson, Maryann Januszewski, Chester Jendryczka, Dr. Joe, John Kaput, Dorothy Kawalerski, Rose Kisielowski, Anna Kolendo, Christine Krupa, Craig Labudda, Sunny Labudda, Baby Kinsley Paige Leschinsky, Kiera Litwin, Lenny Loretto, Richard Lyznicki, Nancy Mallory, John Mangan, Kayle Marth, Paul Martinez, Bill Marczuk, Zena Masi, Maria Mawgwi, Lil' Joe Michalak, Cindy Moore, Dr. Mike, Tony Mrgan, Cydney Muti, Stephanie Nicks, Deacon Jack O'Leary, Allison Pakula, Virginia Pakula, Eva Castillion Parcon, Josie Petkus, Michael Petruck, Theresa Pickens, Dolores Pienta, Mitchell Pienta, Ellen Pietrzak, Beverly Pirelli, Megan Pirelli, Barbara Rekar, Josephine Richardson, Sandra Rios, Joel Rivera, Jose Rodriguez, Jose C. Rodriguez, Mila Rolon, Dolly Roti, Ellen Ryan, Therese Ryndak, Maria Saludo, Kennedy Shepski, Anthony Sinople, Adeline Skokal, Raymond Smolinski, Gary Solverson, Sharon Solverson, Diane Spata, Joanne Stewart, Lauren Stroncsek, Rose Stroncsek, Shirley Synal, Robert Synal, Baby Zachary Synal, Emily Rose Thomas, Norbert Trojanowski, Bill Ufferman, Dolores Ufferman, Dave Ulczycki, Christine Vanderford, George Vanderford Sr., George Vanderford Jr., Juan Vargas, Joyce Vogt, Ava Walczak, Sadie Walker, Barbara Webb, Bill Webb, Sylvia Wiertel, Madison Young, Eugene & John Zabek, Evelyn Zaleski, Virginia Zawacki\*\*\* Ken Barber, Hu Bin, Jose Cardinal, Joseph Caruso, Roberta Cheong, Kim Chiu, Brian Cook, Sister Noel Devine, Jimmy Distasio, MAD & Rose Marie Donato, Mark Donato, Mia Rose Faciana, Kerry Fluder Setter, Gyna Gazzi, James Gemkow, Roseann Gurgone, Michael Howley, Frank Karagianes, Levi Kirkland, Angela Lasillo, George Lee, David Leung, Shiu Wah Leung, Felina Li, James Longo, III, Matthew Mantia, Phil Maraldi, Jerry McCarthy, Barbara McElroy, Xue Ying Mou, Lucy Moy, Mina Preysler Munoz, Cita Orendain, John Paleoik, Anne Pataka, Rose Perez, Gerard Phillips, Ali Powers, James Rak, Victor Roa, Phyllis Robinson, Joseph Rubin, Amelia Lorraine Schroeder, Karl Schroeder, David Sero, Richard Shew, Kay Siani, Nicholas Tobar, Richard Tobar, Anthony Valentino, Luz Whitehead, Luke Williamson, Bai Xue, Ching Shiu Yau, Lan Ying Yee, Ramona Zavala, Susan Zibricky, Sonny Furmanek, Juliana, 蔡宏恩, Jimmy Distasio, Kate Lynch, Josephine Laco, Dolores Becatti, Michele Young, Charles Corbett, Rick Deleon, Shirley Mendoza, Gary Leverence, Diane Rzasz, MingYing Liu, FanYa Zhang, Diana Cardinal, Karen Zovko, Darlene Phillips Smith, Ella Dover, Jian GuoXin, Louis Phillips, Ella Dover

**\*\*\*Please review the above Prayer List to identify if there is a name that should be removed OR inform us if there is someone that needs to be added. Please call the rectory to make changes. Thank YOU!**

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**Cantonese OCIA:** Mr. Perry Lau  
**Mandarin OCIA:** Sr. Monica Zhang  
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**Ministry of Care:** Sr. Mary Caritas Wehrman  
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## Sacramental

*Please contact parish office for any of the following:*


**Baptisms:** Parents must be registered practicing parishioner and attend a baptismal preparation session before a baptism will be scheduled.

**Communion Calls:** Please contact the Rectory when someone who is homebound or in the hospital wishes a visit to receive Holy Communion or the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. The Anointing of the Sick is for anyone seriously sick and not only for those near death.


**Confessions:** Saturdays, 4:15-4:45 p.m. at St. Barbara Church or by appointment.

**Ministry of Care:** Eucharistic Ministers are available to visit, pray with, and bring Holy Communion to those who are sick and unable to attend Mass.

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PLEASE EMAIL US OR SIGN UP AT THE CHURCH ENTRANCE IF YOU CAN HELP OUT ON EITHER OR BOTH DAYS WITH ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

Saturday 7/29/2023 and Sunday 7/30/2023

8:00 AM to 11:00 AM - Set up, food prep, grillers

11:00 AM to 2:30 PM/2:30 PM to 6:00 PM shifts -  
Food booth (food prep, grillers, cashiers, packers, runners)  
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To our Church**

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God commands hospitality from us in Scripture (Romans 12:13; Hebrews 13:2; 1 Peter 4:9)