Not by bread alone does one live, but by every word that comes forth from the mouth of the Lord—Deuteronomy 8:3b

St. Barbara Kindergarten

Class of 2018

Xavien Keating

Melany Dunagan

Kylie Condiff

Nathan Eng

Rev. W. Marat
Assoc. Pastor

Rev. A. Beltowski

Ms. K. Wargo
Teacher

Mrs. N. Nolazco
Principal

Alejandra Perez

Kim Kim

Amomria Valenzuela-Fernandez

Isabel Ruiz
Notes from the Carnival Corner:

Well, it has FINALLY arrived – it’s CARNIVAL TIME. As you may see, we already have some rides in our parking lot and, Sunday night into Monday morning, more rides will start to arrive. Please remember that Throop St will be closed to all traffic from June 10th-June 18th.

Congratulations to our Last Early Bird Winners: Mr. & Mrs. Edward Glabicki. As of 6/01/18 we have $3,150 in returns for the Grand Raffle and $1,455 in Split-the-Pot.

If you haven’t turned in your raffle tickets or split-the-pot tickets, please take the time to turn them in either at the rectory or at the carnival. This will help us reach our goal of $10,000.

Mega Passes are now also available at the rectory for the Presale cost of $50.00; they will be $60.00 if purchased at the carnival. These can now also be purchased online at http://deholland615.wix.com/st-barbara-carnival under the store tab.

We would like to thank our future 8th Graders, Mr. Groark, and Ms. Krok, who helped unload all the soda and other supplies for the carnival last Friday. Please pray for good weather to help make our annual carnival a success for St. Barbara Parish.

Hope to see you all there!

The Carnival Committee

Congratulations, Graduates!

The St. Barbara Parish community would like to congratulate the Kindergarten class of 2018, who graduated on Tuesday, June 5th, at 6:30 p.m. We wish you good luck as you begin elementary school.

Activities This Week

Mon, June 11 - Summer School Begins; 9:00 am
Thurs.-Sun., June 14-17 - THE CARNIVAL IS HERE!!!
Sun., June 17 - Father’s Day

School Mission Statement

We are ..... a Catholic elementary school, a diverse community of students and staff, rooted in faith and nurtured through prayer, sacrament, and liturgy.

We believe ..... in the uniqueness of each student, provide quality education and skills necessary to ensure success, encourage individual leadership, and promote a family spirit.

We prepare ..... our students for the future through global awareness, involvement in the local community, and service to St. Barbara parish.

We aspire ..... to have our students remain faith-filled followers of Jesus Christ.
FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Sometimes, in order to experience God’s love we must endure many difficulties and trials.

Sometimes He allows us to be tempted to sin in order to test our love for and faithfulness to Him.

**Why does God allow us to experience many difficulties and trials?**

Because He Himself experienced many difficulties and trials. In order to show us His Love—a Love that is given for free, without preference and without measure—God became Man in Jesus Christ. He also suffered and died for us. Each of us who is baptized is called to follow Jesus’ example. When Jesus died for us, He proved His Love for us. Well, if we are to follow in Jesus’ footsteps, then this means that we must first fall in love with Him, and then die for Love of Him. We, too, must prove our love for Him, just as He proved His Love for us. This is what sanctity is all about.

On this Sunday, I would like to invite you to contemplate God’s Love. I would like to invite you to ask yourselves whether or not you have truly fallen in love with God and if you are ready to prove Your love for Him, even by giving your life for Him.

If you discover that you are not ready—that you have not fallen in love with God, then do not be afraid. Simply ask Him for the grace to discover how He has fallen in Love with you. When you truly discover how He has fallen in Love with you, then You will be ready to give Your life out of love for Him and for others.

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This week, we will hold the biggest fundraiser of the year — our parish Carnival. I hope you have returned your raffle tickets and split-the-pot tickets to help make this carnival a success. As you can see from the picture, carnival rides have begun arriving. Please be careful in our parking lot. I hope to see you at the Carnival. Remember to invite your families and friends. Let us pray for good weather and God’s blessings on this fun-filled weekend.

The Saturday evening Mass will be a Polka Mass at 4:00 pm outside in the back parking lot. There will be no 5:00 pm Mass. The 11:30 am Mass will also be an outside Mass with music by the Holy Name Men’s Choir. Please stay after Mass for a concert by our Men’s Choir.

Fr. Arthur

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**Report as of May 15, 2018**

- **Campaign Goal:** $275,000
- **Total Pledged:** $286,667*
- **Percent of Goal:** 104.2%
- **Total Collected to Date:** $94,488
- **60% Returned to St. Barbara:** $56,693

* The total amount pledged has been reduced by $5,000 due to the cancellation of a pledge.

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**The Lighting Sponsor for the week:**

* In Honor of: Adeline Skokal
  * From: Arlene Starr

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**DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET**

The Divine Mercy Chaplet is said after all 6:00 pm Tuesday evening Masses, after the 6:00 pm First Friday Mass during the Holy Hour and after the 11:30 am Sunday Mass. If you attend the 11:30 am Mass and decide not to stay for the chaplet, please exit church quietly. Thank you.

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**Please consider remembering St. Barbara Parish in your will.**
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God was at the gates of heaven, welcoming people. A man in colorful clothes came to the gates and said, “Joe Cohen, taxi cab driver, New York City.” God gave him a gold staff and a rich silk robe and said, “Welcome to heaven.”

A priest came to the gates and said, “Fr. Matthew from St. James Parish.” God gave him a wooden staff and a cotton robe.

The priest said, “He was only a taxi cab driver. Why did he get a gold staff and a silken robe?” God replied, “Up here we judge by results. When you preached, people fell asleep. When he drove, people prayed.”

**Father’s Day Mass Remembrance**
*Father - Grandfather - Godfather - Uncle - Brother*

Father’s Day is coming. Remembrance envelopes are available in back of church. Please return them with the names of all fathers to be remembered. Your intentions will be remembered in special Masses offered up throughout the year. You are asked to include a donation that is suitable to your intentions. Envelopes can be brought to the rectory office or placed in the Sunday collection.

**HOLY NAME NEWS**
**SAVE THE DATE**

The 5th annual Car Show will be held on Saturday, August 18th. Free viewing is open to the public from 1:00 - 8:00 pm. The parking lot and registration opens at 12:00 pm. Show car registration fee is $20.00. If you need any additional information, please call Phil Whitehouse, (312) 316-3888.

Special guests at the show will be the country group “Top Guns”.

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**PEACE on EARTH!**
Pray for the safety of the men and women of our UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES protecting and serving the world over. May our world one day be at peace.

**SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE**
During the months of June and July, all weekday Masses will be held in the chapel.

**USHERS NEEDED!**
We are in desperate need of ushers. If you are in church and see that there are only one or two ushers, please volunteer to help out.

**THANK YOU!**

Peggy
$500 Coverall

**THURSDAY**
May 31, 2018
School Happenings
(School Website: www.stbarbaraschool.org)

Class of 2018

Congratulations to the Class of 2018! We are proud of your many accomplishments and wish you continued success in high school and beyond! Special congratulations to Claudia Jimenez, this year’s Valedictorian and to Allana Joy Parcon, our Salutatorian!

Kindergarten Graduation

Congratulations to the Kindergarten Class of 2018! Next stop...1st grade! Thank you to all families for entrusting us with your child’s educational and spiritual well-being. A special thank you to Ms. Wargo for nurturing our graduates!
**Mass Intentions for the Week**

**Saturday, June 9 - Vigil of the Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
5:00 p.m. + Mary Wyzynski (Charlene Reimer)
  + Carrie Nowak (Adeline Skokal)
  + Theresa Powers (Barbara Rekar)
  + Ted Piorecki (Joe Boniewicz)
Divine Mercy for All (C.Kisielente & Family)

**Sunday, June 10 - The Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
6:00 a.m. + Donald Rolek (Diane Rzasa)
9:30 a.m. + 73rd Wed. Ann. Rem.: Mary Domagala
  (Mike Domagala)
  + Mary Diaz DeLeon (Family)
  + Aleksander Lazowski (Lazowski Family)
Grad. Bless.: Savannah Bleu Ayala (Family)
11:30 a.m. + David Maeshiba (Michelle Pomierski)
  + 100th Birth. Rem.: Eugenia Becatti
  (Dolores)
  + Carrie Nowak (Irene Zima)
Blessings: Russell Pienta (Virginia Pienta)

**Monday, June 11 - Weekday; St. Barnabas**
8:30 a.m. + Robert Baker
  + John Malone/Estelle Beba (Spalla Family)

**Tuesday, June 12 - Weekday**
6:00 p.m. + Commander James Bauer (St.Barbara Sr. Club)
  + Ted Piorecki (Spalla Family)

**Wednesday, June 13 - St. Anthony of Padua**
8:30 a.m. + Eleanor Perimbus (St. Barbara Sr. Club)
  + Dolores Pazdro (Sister)
In Thanksgiving to St. Anthony (M. Saludo)

**Thursday, June 14 - Weekday**
8:30 a.m. + Edward & Rose Ciz

**Friday, June 15 - Weekday**
8:30 a.m. + Joseph Nawracaj (Mr. & Mrs. Stan Nawracaj & Family)

**Saturday, June 16 - Weekday**
8:30 a.m. + All Souls’ Day Remembrance
  + Birthday Rem.: Stanley Lukwinski (Family)
  + Aniela Bialek (Margie Mezatis)

**Saturday, June 16 - Vigil of the Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**
4:00 p.m. OUTDOOR MASS
  + Ted Nowak (Family)
  + Daniel Kutansky (Family)
  + Huberto Colon (Adeline Skokal)
  + Matthew Rekar (Family)
Birthday Bless.: Caryl Olandesca (Family)
Divine Mercy for All (C.Kisielente & Family)

**Sunday, June 17 - The Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**
6:00 a.m. All Fathers - Living & Deceased
9:30 a.m. All Fathers - Living & Deceased
11:30 a.m. OUTDOOR MASS
All Fathers - Living & Deceased

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**Weekly Collection - June 2nd - 3rd**

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**LITURGICAL MINISTERS**

**SATURDAY, JUNE 16TH**
5:00 p.m.
Altar Servers: Q. Do, A. Torres, A. Lemke, M. Lemke, G. Godinez
Eucharistic Ministers: A. Skokal, J. Lukwinski
Lector: G. Dumelle

**SUNDAY, JUNE 17TH**
6:00 a.m.
Altar Server: G. Vanderford
Eucharistic Ministers: S. Guest, J. Balasa
Lector: J. Bertucci
9:30 a.m.
Altar Servers: N. Perez, J. Castaneda, L. Castaneda, E. Castaneda, G. Salinas, V. Mack
Eucharistic Ministers: P. Rodriguez, J. Rodriguez
Lector: M. Worth
11:30 a.m.
Eucharistic Ministers: D. Ramos, B. Pienta
Lector: L. Szczepanski
Please pray for those homebound, hospitalized and in need of continued prayers...
