



Third Sunday of Easter - May 4, 2025

***SAINT TERESA OF CALCUTTA
PARISH MISSION STATEMENT***

*We are the welcoming community of Saint Teresa of Calcutta
living our faith by endeavoring to follow her example
to see, share and be the light of Christ's love and compassion.*



PARISH INFORMATION: May 3-4, 2025

Welcome to Saint Teresa of Calcutta Parish!

We are pleased to have you share in this celebration of the Eucharist. If you do not have a parish home, we invite you to become part of our parish family and become fully involved in our life of prayer, education, service and community.

Registration: We invite all parishioners to register with the Parish. Registration helps us to serve you when issuing letters in connection with sponsorship of Baptism, Confirmation or Matrimony, and for letters of reference. Kindly notify the office if your address changes.

Anointing of the Sick: In case of serious illness or advanced age please call the parish office. For hospital cases, contact the hospital Chaplain.

Pastoral Care: Please call the parish office to have Communion brought to an ill or homebound family member.

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Mass and Sacrament Schedule

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday: 9:00am - 4:00pm

Friday: 9:00am - 3:00pm

The Office closes from 12 noon to 1PM for lunch.

Marriage: Couples contemplating marriage in the parish must contact the parish office to meet with a priest to begin the marriage preparation process. This first step in planning your wedding is best begun one year before the date of the wedding.

Baptisms: To arrange a Baptism, contact the Parish Office at least two weeks before the desired date of Baptism to make arrangements. Parents are required to attend a preparation class before the Baptism. Classes will be held at 7PM (Date will be given when you call). Please call the office to register.

BULLETIN SUBMISSION DATES

Submit announcements to be published in the bulletin to tbest@stteresaofcalcuttanj.org or to the Parish Office by the end of day Monday of the week prior to the weekend bulletin issue requested.

Please submit **flyers** to be copied and inserted into the bulletins to the Parish Office by Wednesday at 12 noon, 11 days ahead of the desired bulletin date.

MASS & SACRAMENT SCHEDULE

ST. JOHN CHURCH (SJ): 809 Park Ave.,

Collingswood, NJ 08108

HOLY SAVIOUR CHURCH (HS): 50 Emerald Ave.,

Haddon Township

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 4:00 PM—HS

Sunday: 8:00 AM—HS

Sunday: 9:30 AM - SJ **Live streamed (YouTube)**
11:00 AM—SJ

Sunday: 11:00 AM—HS American Sign Language
and Voice Interpreted for the hearing

Beginning June 1, we'll begin a summer mass schedule at St. John's where instead of a 9:30 & 11 mass, it will be at 10am.

Daily Masses:

Mon., Tues., Wed., Fri.: 9:00 AM St. John Church

Thursday: 9AM Holy Saviour Church

Adoration: Thursdays: After 9:00am Mass— 8pm (HS)

RECONCILIATION:

Saturday: 3:00-3:45 Holy Saviour Church

BAPTISMS: Call the Parish Office to schedule.

OCIA: Tuesdays at 7PM in Parish Office

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The Sanctuary Candle

The Sanctuary Candle burns this week at Holy Saviour church for **Mary VanNote** requested by her husband and at St. John's church for **Marie Fowler** requested by Nicolette Weaver.

PRAY THE ROSARY IN COMMUNITY BEFORE THE BLESSED

SACRAMENT

Join the Rosary group to pray the rosary after the 9AM Mass daily to pray for your intentions and/or to Pray for the sick & deceased.



ADORATION

Thursday at Holy Saviour Church 9:30am-8pm
Silent Adoration 9:30am-5pm
Rosary, Benediction 7PM-8PM

UPDATING THE PRAYER LISTS: Thank you to those who let us know to **keep** you on the prayer lists below (in **green**). For the other names **below in red**, please let the office know soon if they want to continue to be on the prayer list. Your cooperation updating the list is very much appreciated.

PRAY FOR OUR SICK:	Emma Grace	Elise Principato
Lorraine Alexander	Violet Harden	Catherine Rocks
Arline Barski	Steve Hardski	Eric Roseboro
Nancy Barone	Sarah Jacob	Tracy Roseboro
Charlie Bates	Teresa Jermyrn	Susan Ratajski
Helen Berger	Evan Kendendine	Joseph Sandone
James Beierschmitt	William Kinee	Pat Schoenborn
Rose Brzycki	Ali Kite	Linda Simpkins
Michael Cavallo	Baby Violet Kozuhowski	Dennis Siwak
Nancy Caruso	Nina Lopes	Constance Steinhagen
Anthony Corrado	Eliane Loumeau	Lillian Skabla
Joseph DeShayes	Cassidy Lovett	Kathy Smith
Walt Eife	John Macauley	John Tomik
Suzanne Ficara	Annie Martella	Michael Travis
Cathie Fleming	Nicholas Matyas	Dominick Venafr
David Ford	Matthew McCann	Barbara Vollrath
Adam Forziati	The Miller Family	Craig Wilke
Charlene French	Erin DeVoe Moran	The Williams Family
Adam Frisoli	Natale Mullen	Myra Worrell
Heather Frisoli	Laz Orosze	Margaret Zimmerman

Pray for Our Military

SGT Alex Coutinho, US Space Force	LT Patrick J. McKernan, USN
Michael Gregg, USMC	Johnny A. Santiago, Sgt. 1st Class
Ensign Alex Licorish, RN, USN	1st Lieut. Kayleigh Migaledi, RN, SAF
Miguel Ingram, Pvt. 1st Class US Army	Salena Silvaria, NAC/AW
Lt Margaret M. McKernan USN	Nathan Tiefenthaler L. Corp

Intentions for this week's Masses

Saturday, May 3

4m(HS) Brian Roehr r/b Karen & Eric Borrelli
Jack Carpenter r/b Eileen Vorlander

Sunday, May 4

8am(HS) For the People of the Parish
9:30(SJ) Peter P. Donato, Jr. r/b Dominic Pucci & Denise Lovallo
Dolores Holston r/b Patricia Smith
Edward Charlton, Sr r/b the Schwalm family
11(SJ) Eleanor Joyce r/b her family
11(HS) Dennis P. Helmer r/b Mary and children
Mass is celebrated in ASL & Voice Interpreted

Monday, May 5

9am(SJ) Robert W. Nuss r/b a friend

Tuesday, May 6

9am(SJ) Bill Zynis r/b a friend

Wednesday, May 7

9am(SJ) For the People of the Parish

Thursday, May 8

9am(HS) For the People of the Parish

Friday, May 9

9am(SJ) For the People of the Parish

Saturday, May 10

4m(HS) Intentions of Christian Hannan on his 17th birthday
requested by Nana & Popi
Albert Rago r/b Sandra Finio

Sunday, May 11

8am(HS) Mary Van Note r/b her husband
9:30(SJ) For the People of the Parish
11(SJ) Danica Campanale r/b Richard & Peggy Gratz
Celebration of the Baptism of Luciano Michael
Kocher, George Robert Boyle IV, & Maeve Paul
Gilligan r/b Fr. Bertonazzi & STC Parish
Ellen Procida r/b Kathy & Ken Frazier
Edward Charlton r/b Steve & Kathy Rauch
Lorna Wilson r/b Ryan Niedt
Rosemary Reiss r/b the Bernardo Family
11(HS) Rita Fiore r/b Nan & Mark Mullen
Mass is celebrated in ASL & Voice Interpreted



Prayer for our Military who sacrifice for our country:

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. Bring them home safely. We ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

Reflection for the 3rd Sunday of Easter

Besides the obvious and necessary “no’s” that parents utter, which teach their children right and wrong, there is a wide gamut of other strongly worded parental cautions that might express fear of injury, disappointment, or failure. Children mostly listen to that first set of “no’s”; otherwise they would not grow into moral people. But they often push against the second set and try activities (sports, hobbies, work) that make their parents cringe. Perhaps you might remember saying “I told you not to try that.” Chances are, your children looked at you and kept on going, pulled by a desire that you could not see.

In today’s first reading from the Acts of the Apostles, the apostles stand before the Sanhedrin, criticized for teaching about Jesus. The High Priest states, “We gave you strict orders, did we not, to stop teaching in that name? Yet you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching.” The apostles basically looked at the High Priest, rejoiced at the reprimand, and kept on teaching. The call to speak Jesus’ name was too strong to ignore.

Many parents look back and see the necessity of their child’s directed energy. We have scientists, athletes, writers, and artists who kept to their calling even when it might have first been perceived as excessive. And the world is better because of their expertise. Christians can look back at this moment described in Acts and give thanks that the apostles did not listen to their elders in the faith. They refused to be quieted. Their need to teach about the salvation through Jesus trumped any punishment they might incur.

That same intense obligation has touched followers of Jesus for over two thousand years. St. Paul’s words: “The love of Christ compels us, once we have come to the conviction that one died for all” (2 Cor. 5:14), embodies the experience of countless preachers and teachers such as St. Patrick, St. Dominic, St. Angela Merici, St. Jean Baptiste de La Salle, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, and St. John Bosco. And it has also supplied the rationale for all the unnamed saints who faithfully spread the teachings of Jesus by their words and by their lives. They heard a call and needed to respond.

We have just bid farewell to one who responded to this call with his whole heart, soul, and strength. Pope Francis, following in the footsteps of St. Peter, accepted Jesus’ request to “feed my sheep.” The Pope fed us with his teaching and example, challenging both clergy and parishioners, world leaders and everyday citizens, to broaden our minds and expand our hearts, to use our energies towards healing each other and our good Earth. Even on his last day we witnessed his desire to be with his sheep. As he valiantly rode around St. Peter’s square in the Popemobile for one last time, his pain and struggle visible on his face, it was clear how the love of Christ compelled his every word and action.

The saints and so many holy people, such as Pope Francis, show us how to live the gospel. But these examples are not just for our *viewing*. They are given to us for our *doing*. We are all asked to think about what the love of Christ might be compelling *us* to do. Inspired by the multiplicity of examples from our church, we can find the strength to speak the name of Jesus and bring his love and healing into every corner of our lives.

Happy Easter!
Pat Lipperini

PARISH INFORMATION

Next Weekend's Minister Schedule— May 10-11

MASS	LECTOR	EM	SACRISTAN
4pm SJ	A or N Remetz	M or J Steinitz	A/N Remetz
8am HS	J Sheehan	Deacon Rocks	P Moran
9:30am SJ	N Bernardo	J Wills	MA Mercer
11am SJ	L Roseboro- Brown	A or J Casale	L Roseboro- Brown

33rd Annual St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish

GOLF OUTING

Brought to you by the Men's Club
Friday, May 23rd, 2025 at
Ron Jaworski's Valleybrook Golf Club
Registration: 12:00 pm / Shotgun Start: 1:00pm

Golfers wanted: The cost is \$125 per golfer and includes 18 holes of golf, a boxed lunch, prize raffle tickets, and 50/50 drawing tickets. This event was a sellout last year so please get your registration in sooner rather than later.

Sponsors wanted: Not a golfer but would like to support the event? Consider becoming a sponsor of the golf outing. Sponsorship levels are available from \$50 and up. All sponsors receive an ad in our golf outing program and ad book. All proceeds are utilized by the Men's Club to adopt families at Christmas time, sponsor our parish basketball teams, and assist other ministries and events throughout the parish.

Brochures for both golf and **sponsor signups**, along with contact information if you have questions, can be found in the **back of both churches**. There is no better way for you, your friends, and fellow parishioners to kickoff the Memorial Day Weekend.

All registration/sponsorship fees are due by
Friday, May 9th.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

Please give a warm welcome to the following
people who recently registered in our parish:

David & Erica Branco
Dean & Nina Bridges
George & Angela Anastasia
Austin & Christina Fox
Michael Hart

Hebrews 4:24-25 "We must consider how to rouse one
another to love and good works.

We should not stay away from our assembly, as is the
custom of some, but encourage one another, and this all
the more as you see the day drawing near."

SAVE THE DATES or SEE THE FLYERS in the Vestibules for more information:

- **Confirmation:** May 22, 5pm at St John's church
- **Spring Charity Raffle** -K of C, 5/23, & 6/6
- **Parish Golf Outing** - 5/23, 12pm Registration
- **Parish Picnic**—6/8, 12:15pm to 3:15pm

SENIOR'S MINISTRY

This is a Parish outreach program to assist people who are **shut-in either at home or in a nursing home**. Our Mission is to **assist the parish's senior citizens who need companionship and support**. We contact family members of shut-ins, visit nursing homes and private residences to see where we can be of assistance. Contact **Ed Charlton by text 215-284-1365 or echarto53@gmail.com**.

DINNERS TO DOORSTEPS

We provide **meals** for people or families who are ill, disabled, living alone, parents of new babies, etc. We also provide meals for **individuals and families** who are struggling to put food on the table. Call Michele Santiago at: 609-598-1787 or grandmarose73@yahoo.com.

Thank you to all who prepare meals and deliver them.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DEPAUL



For help in times of emergency on our
parish number **856-858-1444**.

Food Pantry: Hours: Mon.—Wed. 10AM—12pm

Volunteers—Discussion meetings are held the 3rd
Tuesday of each month in McDaid meeting room.

A donation of a gift card for Aldi's helps significantly.

Casseroles may be dropped off at the Parish office during normal business hours.



STEPHEN MINISTRY

Stephen Ministers are available to assist parishioners through difficult times. Please pray for our Stephen Ministers and those to whom they minister. You may either contact the office for an appointment or for more information email

Jack Callaghan or Pat O'Connor:

stephenministry@stteresaofcalcuttanj.org



To make your monthly donations online conveniently, please log onto www.parishgiving.org.

May God bless you abundantly for your offerings.

PARISH NEWS AND COMMUNITY INFORMATION

YOUNG MARRIED COUPLES (POST CANA)

If you're a young married couple, we'd love to see you at our upcoming events this spring! If you have children, they are welcome to all events:

- **May 25** (Sunday) after 9:30am Mass: **Coffee & donuts social** in McLaughlin hall
- **June 29** (Sunday) after 9:30am Mass: **Coffee & donuts social** in McLaughlin Hall

We host some events at home, so we'll share address information with those who join the email list. Scan the QR code for more information.

Hosted by: Post Cana Young Married Couples



SOUTH JERSEY CATHOLIC APPEAL OUR JOURNEY UNITED IN HOPE **CONGRATULATIONS – WE MADE OUR GOAL!!**

We are very happy to announce that thanks to your generosity, we have exceeded our 2025 South Jersey Catholic Ministry Appeal goal of \$122,100!! As of this week we have raised \$129,799 from 172 families who very generously donated to the South Jersey Catholic Ministry Appeal campaign. We thank all of you who have supported us in this endeavor with your continued generosity and support! May God continue to bless you and your families.

Fr. Steven Bertonazzi, Administrator

BANNS OF ORDINATION TO THE DIACONATE

Banns of Ordination to the Diaconate

The Most Reverend Joseph A. Williams, D.D. announces that he intends to **ordain Mr. Nickolas Bruno Naticchione** to the Sacred Order of Deacon on Saturday, the 10th day of May, 2025 at Holy Trinity Parish, Saint James Church, 6415 Atlantic Avenue, Ventnor, New Jersey.

The faithful of the Diocese of Camden are asked to **pray for this young man and for the young men of their parish** who are being **called by God** to service in the Church. At the same time the faithful are obliged to reveal impediments to sacred orders, if they know of any, by contacting their pastor before the ordination in accord with the norms of cc.1043 and 1051.2 of the Code of Canon Law.

Mary Immaculate, patroness of the Diocese of Camden, intercede for this man and for an increase in vocations to the priesthood here in South Jersey.

Spring Baby Diaper Drive

Help support families with young children **May 17th through June 1st** by donating diapers in all sizes, but especially sizes 4, 5 and 6 or baby wipes.

There are **two options** for donating:

In Person –for the clients of 1st Way of West Collingswood, please place donations in the labeled plastic bins located at the back of both churches.

or

On Line – for the clients of Catholic Charities, go to:

<https://catholiccharitiessouthjersey.org> scroll down to the third box labeled Diaper Drive 2025 and click on "Read More" and then on the words "Amazon Wishlist" as part of **OPTION ONE** and make your donation.

Thank you in advance for your generosity!

Life & Justice Ministry

FOURTH ANNUAL PARISH PICNIC

Sunday, June 8, 2025

Rain or Shine 12:15 – 3:15 PM

Holy Saviour Lawn & McDaid Hall

Our fourth **Annual Picnic** this year falls on **Pentecost Sunday** – the Church's birthday! Again, admission is **FREE**, with soft pretzels and water ice provided. So, bring your lunch, drinks and a chair to enjoy games, contests, sports, camaraderie, and activities. **Spread the word: There'll be fun for all ages, and everyone is welcome.**

BANNS OF ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD



The Most Reverend Joseph A. Williams, D.D. announces that he intends to ordain **Reverend Mr. Timothy Stephen Mulranen and Reverend Mr. Thomas Kristopher Piro** to the Sacred Order of Presbyter on Saturday, the 17th of May, 2025 at Mary, Mother of Mercy Parish, Our Lady of Lourdes Church, 500 Greentree Road, Glassboro, New Jersey.

The faithful of the Diocese of Camden are asked to **pray for these men and for the young men of their parish who are being called by God to service in the Church.** At the same time the faithful are obliged to reveal impediments to sacred orders, if they know of any, by contacting their pastor before the ordination in accord with the norms of cc.1043 and 1051.2 of the Code of Canon Law.

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COMMUNITY & DIOCESAN INFORMATION

EVENTS AROUND US—See Flyers In Vestibules

- ♦ K of C Charity Raffle drawing—5-9, 5-23, 6-6
- ♦ Marian Retreat for Young Adults—May 10
- ♦ Feast of Our Lady of Fatima Outdoor Candelight Rosary—5/13, 8pm at COL
- ♦ K of C Blood Drive—5/28
- ♦ Cathedral Bingo—June 7, & August 2, Cathedral

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BLOOD DRIVE

Santa Maria Council #1443, along with the St. John Paul II Chapter, is hosting a **blood drive for the American Red Cross** on **Wednesday, May 28, 2025**, at its **Council Home located at 350 Crystal Lake Avenue in Haddon Twp.** Please consider making a donation between 1:00 pm and 6:00 pm. You can reserve your spot by going to the **Red Cross website** (www.redcrossblood.org) and refining your search by date (May 28). Alternatively, you can contact Adam Elgart, the Program Manager for this drive, at aekofc1443@comcast.net or 609-458-0079. **IT IS BEST TO RESERVE YOUR DONATION SLOT SO THAT THE RED CROSS WILL KNOW HOW MANY STAFF TO BRING.** Hope to see you there!

Knights of Columbus Hoagie Sale

Our next Hoagie sale is on **May 10** at 350 Crystal Lake Ave. Haddon Twp and again on May 24; June 7 & 14. Hoagies are still \$5 each! They are ready by 7am (back door), or 8am (street entrance). Thank You!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CAN TABS & STAMPS

Next drop off will be in June. We appreciate your dropping your can tabs & stamps at our Council Hall (front or back doors] or **in the box at church.**

STAMPS can be dropped into the boxes in vestibules at church.

ARE YOU OR YOUR CHILDREN CALLED TO BE AN ALTAR SERVER?

Both children, grade 3 and up, and **adults** are invited to be trained as altar servers. If interested, contact: Linda Roseboro—Brown at larb1953@gmail.com or Barry bnfsteale@comcast.net to be trained.

May 3rd Marks the 1,700th anniversary of the **Council of Nicaea (Nicene Creed)**

1700 years ago was the **first time that the universal Church came together to discuss** what was going on in the life of the Church, and to discuss it, debate, argue about it, then **pronounce the faith that we all profess in the statement called the Creed.** It was also the time **when East and West saw themselves as one Church**; even though one side spoke Greek and the other Latin, and had their own ways of celebrating Sacraments, **there was a communion between the two spheres.** From that perspective, it's a **major moment in the Church.**

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SPRING CHARITY RAFFLE

Tickets for the Knights' semi-annual **Charity Raffle** are **SOLD OUT.** Thank you for your support.

The next 4 drawings will be - **May 9th, May 23rd, and June 6th** . All proceeds from the Raffle are used to **support local charities.**

Any questions , please call either Mike, George or Stan. Thank you!

South Jersey Catholic Cemeteries Memorial Day Masses Monday May 26, 2025, 10am

Please join us! Mass will be held outside and begin at 9am:

St. Mary Cemetery / Williamstown
St. Joseph Cemetery / Swedesboro
Gate of Heaven Cemetery

In our Chapel Mausoleums, Mass will begin at 10am:
Vineland, Mays Landing, Cherry Hill, Newfield & Bellmawr

Sacristans Needed

Additional sacristans are needed to set up for our weekend Masses at both churches, Holy Saviour and St. John's on a **regular basis or as a substitute.** **Training** will be provided.

We are short sacristans some weeks and our regular Sacristans are filling in taking extra masses. We also need **substitute sacristans** who live in Haddon Twp. as well as in Collingswood.

Being a Sacristan is a **rewarding** experience as we get to prepare the vessels used at Mass and spend some quiet time with the Lord. It is also an opportunity to meet and get to know our parishioners.

Please give **prayerful consideration** of this opportunity to serve our parish. If you have questions or are interested in being a sacristan, please contact the Parish Office. Thank you.

Life-Long Faith Formation

Faith Formation Registration for 2025–26

Registration is now open on the parish website.

If you have any questions, contact Daniela Perez

Catechists and Aides are needed for Faith Formation beginning in the Fall. If you are interested please contact Daniela Perez.

OCIA Team is looking for members to help teach the faith to adults who are interested in receiving the sacraments. If you are interested in helping please contact Jim Ely or Daniela Perez.



Our First Grade Class enjoyed learning about the 7 Sacraments in Mrs. Klein's class!



BLESSED CEFERINO GIMÉNEZ MALLA FEAST DAY: MAY 4

Patron saint of the Romani (Gypsy) people and those facing persecution for their faith

Blessed Ceferino Giménez Malla (1861–1936), was a devout Catholic, a member of the Secular Franciscan Order, and the first Roma (Gypsy) ever to be beatified. Born in Spain, he lived a humble life as a horse trader and was widely respected for his honesty and generosity, especially toward the poor. Known for his deep faith, he always carried a rosary with him and had a special devotion to Our Lady. During the Spanish Civil War, he was arrested for defending a priest and refusing to discard his rosary. He was executed by firing squad on August 8, 1936, dying with the rosary in his hands and the name of Jesus on his lips. He was beatified by Pope St. John Paul II in 1997.

Am I willing to stand up for my faith—even in small ways—like Blessed Ceferino did, even when it's uncomfortable or may come at a personal cost?

OCIA
ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?
WANT TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE
CATHOLIC FAITH?

Join us for OCIA
Sessions will be beginning soon!

Contact Daniela Perez at (856)858-0298 or
dperez@stteresaofcalcuttanj.org

Coffee & Faith Sharing

Co-led by Barry Steele & Daniela Perez



Wednesdays at 10AM in McLaughlin Hall

Join fellow Parishioners for a meaningful morning of faith, fellowship, and sharing on the Gospel

All ages are welcome to attend!

No Faith Sharing on the first Wednesdays of the month

MARIAN RETREAT FOR YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS



SATURDAY MAY 10
9AM – 3PM

FRANCISCAN MISSIONARY SISTERS
OF THE INFANT JESUS
1215 Kresson Road, Cherry Hill, NJ



OFFICE OF THE MINISTRY WITH THE DEAF AND PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES & Community Information

Masses of Welcome and Inclusion

Every Sunday The Mass is signed in **American Sign Language (ASL)** for **Deaf Members of the Church** and **voiced for hearing members** of the Church. **11:00AM Mass at Holy Saviour Church**, (St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish), 50 Emerald Avenue, Westmont, NJ (GPS: use Haddon Township).

2nd Weekend of the Month

St. Andrew the Apostle, 27 Kresson-Gibbsboro Road. Gibbsboro, NJ. Mainstream Mass Saturday, 4:30pm Mass
Holy Eucharist Parish 344 Kresson Road, Cherry Hill, NJ Mainstream Mass Sunday (Oct. - Apr.) 9:45AM
For more information, please contact Fr. Hugh Bradley: hugh.bradley@camdendiocese.org.

SOUTH JERSEY CATHOLIC SCHOOLS SEEKING SUPPORT STATE BUDGET INCREASES

South Jersey Catholic Schools and the New Jersey Catholic Conference (NJCC) are asking for **your help to request increased funding for necessary on-site school nursing services for our Catholic school students** as part of budget resolution included in the final version of the Appropriations Act due to the Governor **by June 30th**.

It is easy to show your support! The New Jersey Catholic Conference has created an **action alert** through their Voter Voice System that will **go directly to your local legislator**. Scan the QR code below and please fill out the action alert to make your voice heard for Catholic school students! A note will be sent to your local state representative sharing your support for these important budgetary increases.



Thank you in advance for your support!

Scan the QR code and show your support today:



Stewards Love

"...Peter was distressed that Jesus had said to him a third time, 'Do you love me?' and he said to him, 'Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my sheep.'" (JOHN 21:17)

How often in Stewardship do you actually say the words "I love you" to Jesus, to family members, or to friends? We are made to be in relationship with God and each other. Sincerely telling someone that you love them is the best gift you can give them because it comes from your heart. You are giving them the gift of yourself. We all were made by love and for love. Tell someone you love them every day.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

Our local campaign is now **365 campaign**. We keep vigil on the sidewalk outside 502 N Kings Hwy from Tuesdays-Fridays. Saturdays are added twice a year for 40 day periods during Lent and in the Fall. We do not judge but offer love and tangible support to mothers facing difficult situations. Go to www.40daysforlife.com/Cherryhill for more information and to register. By the abortion industry's own admission, our presence outside can result in up to a 75% no show rate for abortion appointments. Join our life saving team! Email Claire@helpersnj.org or call/text Claire at 856-313-9861.

Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology at Seton Hall University is now on Instagram!

Here is the link to our Instagram account for your easy viewing: https://www.instagram.com/setonhall_icsst/
ICSST at Seton Hall University **trains men for the priesthood**. In addition, they **offer degrees for lay people looking to grow their faith and intellectual lives**. The Center for Diaconal Formation is located at our seminary as well! **No matter what your vocation, you can explore it here at ICSST.**

THE MERRY BEGGARS—ENTERTAINMENT PODCASTS for ages 7 and up

At The Merry Beggars, we're dedicated to providing exceptional audio entertainment for the whole family. As the entertainment division of Relevant Radio, our vision is to support families in building beautiful culture in their homes, and to become the most trusted family entertainment brand in America by serving Christian and Catholic families with life-giving entertainment.

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<https://www.themerrybeggars.com/>

Call to Worship

ENTRANCE HYMN: "Lift Up Your Hearts" Breaking Bread #548

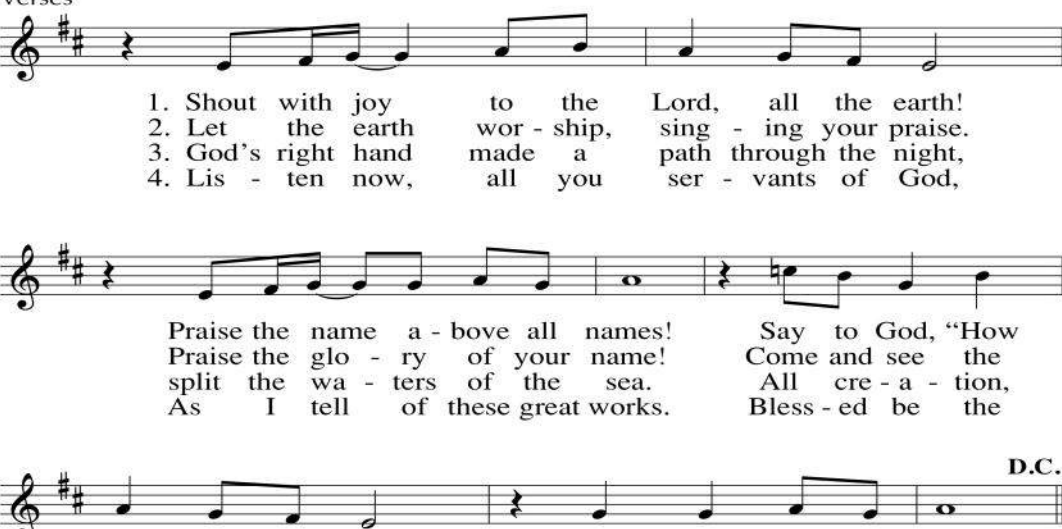
Lift Up Your Hearts

Refrain



Lift up your hearts to the Lord, praise God's gra-cious
mer - cy! Sing out your joy to the Lord,
whose love is en - dur - ing.

Verses



1. Shout with joy to the Lord, all the earth!
2. Let the earth wor - ship, sing - ing your praise.
3. God's right hand made a path through the night,
4. Lis - ten now, all you ser - vants of God,
Praise the name a - bove all names! Say to God, "How
Praise the glo - ry of your name! Come and see the
split the wa - ters of the sea. All cre - a - tion,
As I tell of these great works. Bless - ed be the

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won - drous your works, how glo - rious your name!"
deeds of the Lord, bless God's ho - ly name!
lift up your voice: Our God set us free.
Lord of my life, whose love shall en - dure!

Text: Psalm 66; Roe O'Connor, SJ, b.1949
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THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER — May 4, 2025

FIRST READING:

[Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41](#)

When the captain and the court officers had brought the apostles in and made them stand before the Sanhedrin, the high priest questioned them, "We gave you strict orders, did we not, to stop teaching in that name? Yet you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching and want to bring this man's blood upon us." But Peter and the apostles said in reply, "We must obey God rather than men. The God of our ancestors raised Jesus, though you had him killed by hanging him on a tree. God exalted him at his right hand as leader and savior to grant Israel repentance and forgiveness of sins. We are witnesses of these things, as is the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him."

The Sanhedrin ordered the apostles to stop speaking in the name of Jesus, and dismissed them. So they left the presence of the Sanhedrin, rejoicing that they had been found worthy to suffer dishonor for the sake of the name.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me.

[Psalms 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13](#)

SECOND READING:

[Revelation 5:11-14](#)

I, John, looked and heard the voices of many angels who surrounded the throne and the living creatures and the elders. They were countless in number, and they cried out in a loud voice: "Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power and riches, wisdom and strength, honor and glory and blessing." Then I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, everything in the universe, cry out: "To the one who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor, glory and might, forever and ever." The four living creatures answered, "Amen," and the elders fell down and worshiped.

GOSPEL:

[John 21:1-14](#)

At that time, Jesus revealed himself again to his disciples at the Sea of Tiberias. He revealed himself in this way. Together were Simon Peter, Thomas called Didymus, Nathanael from Cana in Galilee, Zebedee's sons, and two others of his disciples. Simon Peter said to them, "I am going fishing." They said to him, "We also will come with you." So they went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing. When it was already dawn, Jesus was standing on the shore; but the disciples did not realize that it was Jesus. Jesus said to them, "Children, have you caught anything to eat?" They answered him, "No." So he said to them, "Cast the net over the right side of the boat and you will find something." So they cast it, and were not able to pull it in because of the number of fish. So the disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord." When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he tucked in his garment, for he was lightly clad, and jumped into the sea. The other disciples came in the boat, for they were not far from shore, only about a hundred yards, dragging the net with the fish. When they climbed out on shore, they saw a charcoal fire with fish on it and bread. Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish you just caught." So Simon Peter went over and dragged the net ashore full of one hundred fifty-three large fish. Even though there were so many, the net was not torn. Jesus said to them, "Come, have breakfast." And none of the disciples dared to ask him, "Who are you?" because they realized it was the Lord. Jesus came over and took the bread and gave it to them, and in like manner the fish. This was now the third time Jesus was revealed to his disciples after being raised from the dead.

When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon, son of John, do you love me more than these?" Simon Peter answered him, "Yes, Lord, you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my lambs." He then said to Simon Peter a second time, "Simon, son of John, do you love me?" Simon Peter answered him, "Yes, Lord, you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Tend my sheep." Jesus said to him the third time, "Simon, son of John, do you love me?" Peter was distressed that Jesus had said to him a third time, "Do you love me?" and he said to him, "Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my sheep. Amen, amen, I say to you, when you were younger, you used to dress yourself and go where you wanted; but when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will dress you and lead you where you do not want to go." He said this signifying by what kind of death he would glorify God. And when he had said this, he said to him, "Follow me."

CREED: I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father, through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation, he came down from heaven.

At the words that follow, up to and including "and became man", all bow.

And by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

TWO WERE BOUND FOR EMMAUS

Bob Hurd



1, 5. Two were bound for Em - ma - us, dis - heart - ened
 2. On the Sea of Ti - ber - ius, when the night was
 3. Then they knew it was Je - sus and they has - tened
 4. When the road makes us wea - ry, when our la - bor

1, 5. and — lost; all their hope for the fu - ture had been
 2. near - ly gone and their toil seemed so use - less, not one
 3. in to shore; bread and fish for their break - fast from the
 4. seems but loss, when the fire of faith weak - ens and too

1, 5. nailed to a cross. Love un-known then walked be-side — them,
 2. fish had they caught, from the shore the strang-er called to them:
 3. hands of their Lord. "O — Pe - ter, if you love — me
 4. high seems the cost, let the Church turn to its ris - en Lord,

1, 5. come — back from the dead, and they knew he was
 2. "Cast your net, friends, once more." And they filled it to
 3. you must care for my sheep; if you fol - low your
 4. who for us bore the cross, and we'll find our hearts

1, 5. ris - en in the break - ing of bread.
 2. burst - ing, but the net was not torn.
 3. Shep - herd, then a shep - herd you'll be."
 4. burn - ing at the sound of his voice.

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Upcoming Episcopal Celebrations

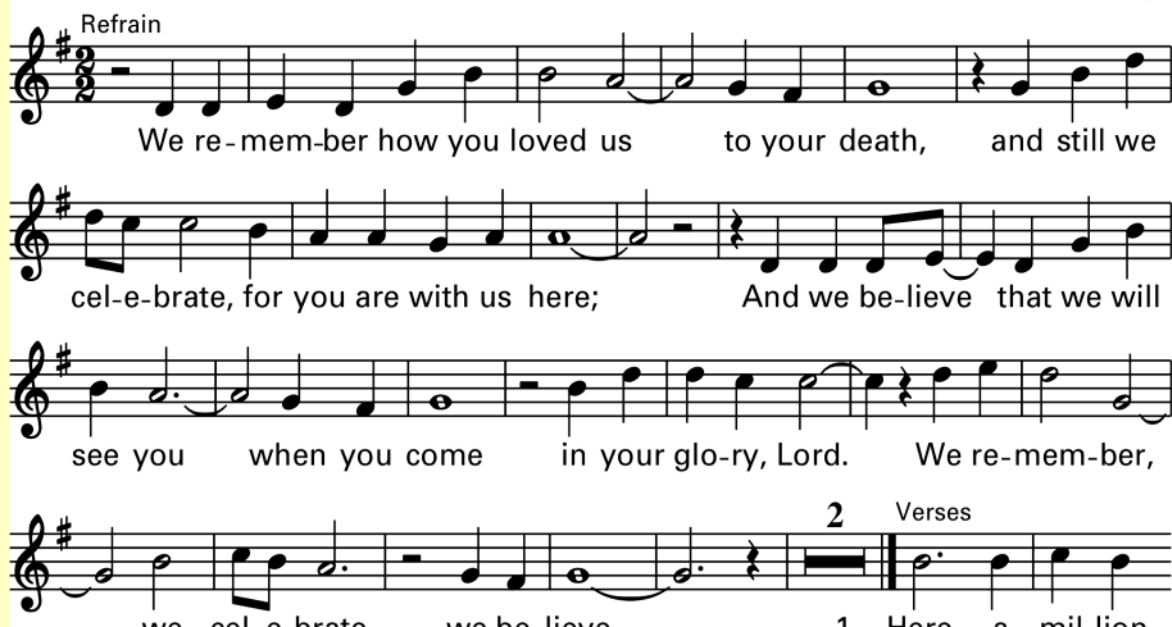
On Saturday, **May 10th**, Bishop Williams is to preside at the **Ordination** to the Diaconate, 10:30am, St. James, Margate.
 On Saturday, **May 17th**, Bishop Williams is to preside at the **Ordination** to the Priesthood at 10:30am, Mother of Mercy.

Communion Hymn: "We Remember" Breaking Bread #477

WE REMEMBER

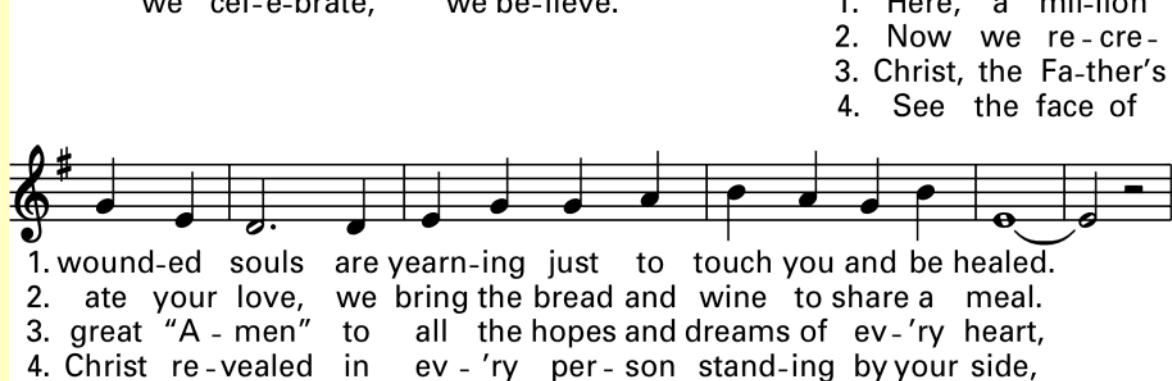
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Refrain



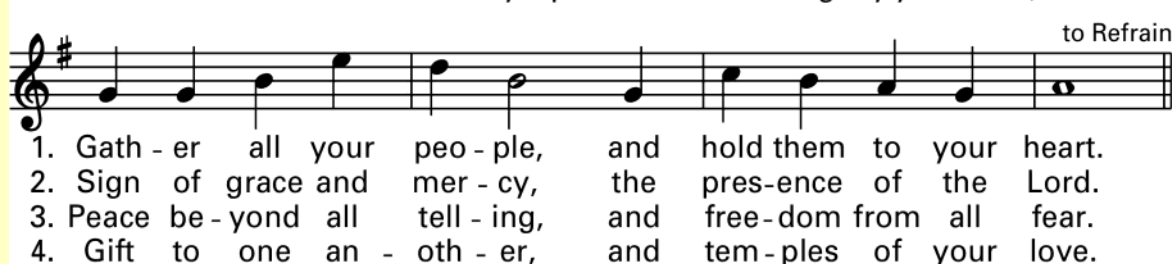
We re-mem-ber how you loved us to your death, and still we
cel-e-brate, for you are with us here; And we be-lieve that we will
see you when you come in your glo-ry, Lord. We re-mem-ber,
we cel-e-brate, we be-lieve.

2 Verses



1. Here, a mil-lion
2. Now we re-cre-
3. Christ, the Fa-ther's
4. See the face of
1. wound-ed souls are yearn-ing just to touch you and be healed.
2. ate your love, we bring the bread and wine to share a meal.
3. great "A - men" to all the hopes and dreams of ev-'ry heart,
4. Christ re-vealed in ev - 'ry per - son stand-ing by your side,

to Refrain



1. Gath - er all your peo - ple, and hold them to your heart.
2. Sign of grace and mer - cy, the pres-ence of the Lord.
3. Peace be - yond all tell - ing, and free-dom from all fear.
4. Gift to one an - oth - er, and tem - ples of your love.

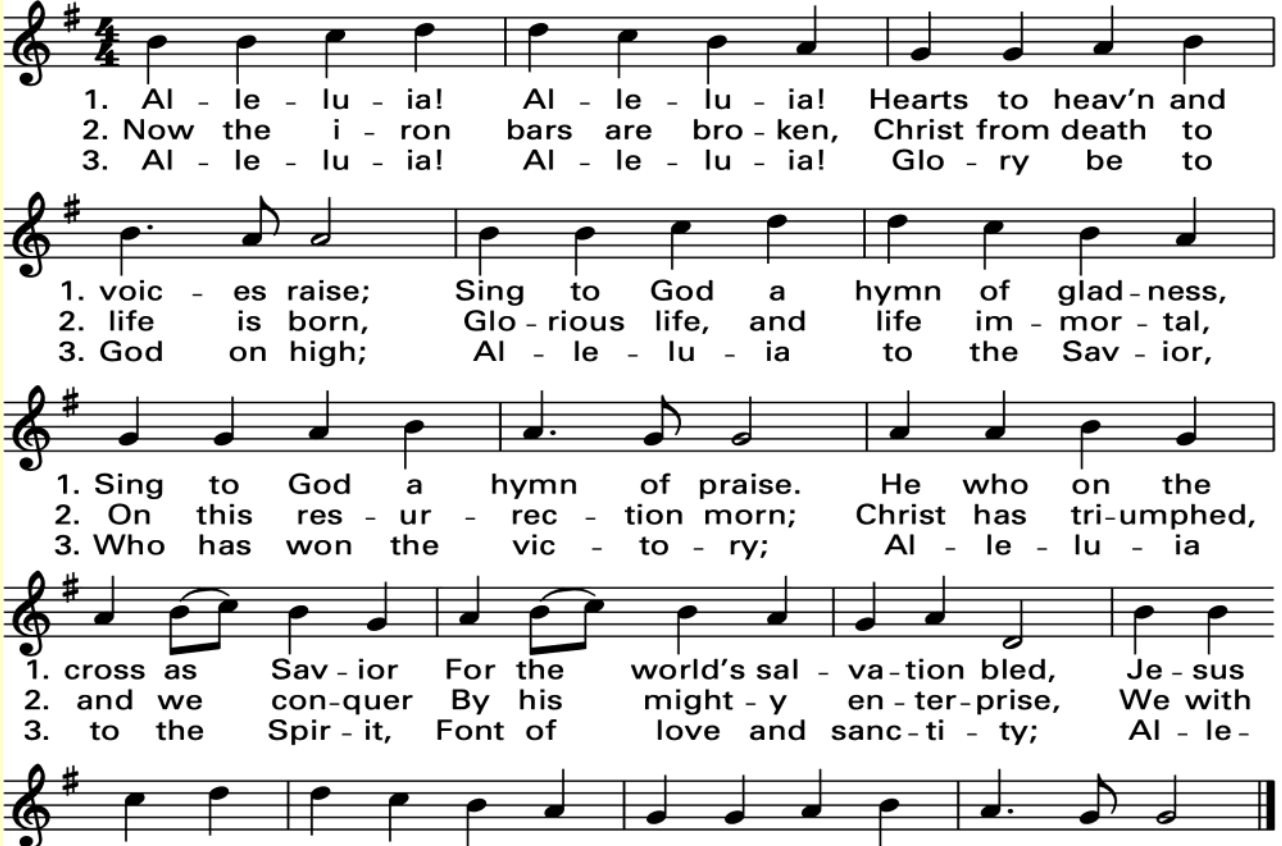
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ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA!

HYMN TO JOY



1. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Hearts to heav'n and
 2. Now the i - ron bars are bro - ken, Christ from death to
 3. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Glo - ry be to

1. voic - es raise; Sing to God a hymn of glad - ness,
 2. life is born, Glo - rious life, and life im - mor - tal,
 3. God on high; Al - le - lu - ia to the Sav - ior,

1. Sing to God a hymn of praise. He who on the
 2. On this res - ur - rec - tion morn; Christ has tri - umphed,
 3. Who has won the vic - to - ry; Al - le - lu - ia

1. cross as Sav - ior For the world's sal - va - tion bled, Je - sus
 2. and we con - quer By his might - y en - ter - prise, We with
 3. to the Spir - it, Font of love and sanc - ti - ty; Al - le -

1. Christ, the King of Glo - ry, Now is ris - en from the dead.
 2. him to life e - ter - nal By his res - ur - rec - tion rise.
 3. lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! To the Tri - une Maj - es - ty.

Text: 87 87 D; Christopher Wordsworth, 1872, alt.
 Music: Ludwig van Beethoven, 1770-1827; adapt. by Edward Hodges, 1796-1867.

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stay together.

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