



SAINT TERESA OF CALCUTTA PARISH



Christ the King

November 23, 2025

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: November 23, 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.

PARISH STAFF

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Faith Formation Office: 856-858-0298, Ext. 19

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday: 9:00am - 4pm

Friday: 9:00am - 3pm

Nov 27 & 28 the Parish Office will be closed.

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, NJ 08108

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday: 4:00 PM—HS

Sunday: 8:00 AM—HS

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

Sunday: 11 AM - SJ

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

Youtube Link: [https://www.youtube.com/](https://www.youtube.com/@saintteresaofcalcutta2622)

[@saintteresaofcalcutta2622](https://www.youtube.com/@saintteresaofcalcutta2622)

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100009626887681>

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 or **anytime by appointment.**

BAPTISMS: Call the Parish Office to schedule.

OCIA: Tuesdays at 7PM in Parish Office

AROUND THE PARISH

Thanksgiving Food Drive	4
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SANCTUARY CANDLES

The 7 day Sanctuary candles burn at Holy Saviour for Mary Van Note requested by her family. At St John 's church the candle burns for John O'Connor requested by his Family.



Blessing of Food for your Thanksgiving Dinner

Bring some of your food to be blessed at our Thanksgiving day morning Mass.

Ministers for November 27 Thanksgiving Mass

MASS	LECTORS	EUCCHARISTIC MIN.	SACRISTAN
9am SJ	P Lipperini	Deacon Barry or P Moran	MA Mercer

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK:

Arline Barski	Louis Kenerly	Jim Rinier
Nancy Barone	William Kinee	Catherine Rocks
James Beierschmitt	Ali Kite	Eric Roseboro
Karen Campbell	Karen Kowal	Tracy Roseboro
Nancy Caruso	Baby Violet Kozuhowski	Dean Russell
Anthony Corado	Christian Legere	Mary Russell
Joseph DeShayes	David Leva	Joseph Sandone
Suzanne Ficara	Eliane Loumeau	Pat Schoenborn
Adam Forziati	Cassidy Lovett	Dennis Siwak
Charlene French	Mathew McCann	Constance Steinhagen
Rose Harden	Sister Josefina Mendez	Lillian Skabla
Sarah Jacob	Allie Miller	John Tomik
Sheila Kendall	Erin DeVoe Moran	Dominick Venafr
Evan Kendendine	Natalie Mullen	
	Carolyn Olshan	
	Elise Principato	

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 Migaleddi,
Miguel Ingram, Pvt. 1st Class US Army	RN, SAF
Lt Margaret M. McKernan USN	Salena Silvaria, NAC/AW
	Nathan Tiefenthaler L. Corp



The Parish Office will be closed November 27th and 28th in observance of Thanksgiving Day. We all want to wish everyone safe travels and a truly blessed weekend, remembering that Jesus is our provider, healer, strength, redeemer, and more! Give thanks with a grateful heart.

Intentions for this week's Masses

Saturday, Nov 22

4pm(HS) James Sanders r/b Brian & Robin Cardillo
Deceased Bishops, Priests and Religious r/b the
Knights of Columbus
Celebration of the Baptism of Juliet & Day O'Brien, & Jack
Steven Aaron r/b Fr Bertonazzi & STC Parish

Sunday, Nov 23 Our Lord Jesus Christ the King

8am(HS) Sister Lillian Needham r/b Rosemary Fearon
930am(SJ) Deceased members of Santa Maria council #1443
Marcella C Johnston r/b Dominic Pucci & Denise
Joseph Santamauro r/b Cathy Kline
Anne Deeney r/b Fr. Bertonazzi & STC Parish
Msgr. Joseph Mannion r/b Bob & MaryAnn Mercer
Michael Gallagher r/b Fr. Bertonazzi & STC Parish

11am(SJ) For the People of the Parish

11am(HS) For the Intentions of the Deaf community
Mass is celebrated in ASL & Voice Interpreted

Monday, Nov 24

9am(SJ) Anna Graziano r/b Rosemary Fearon

Tuesday, Nov 25

9am(SJ) Boone Bautro Sr. r/b Chris Lim

Wednesday, Nov 26

9am(SJ) For the People of the Parish

Thursday, Nov 27 Thanksgiving Day Mass at St John's

9am(SJ) For the People of the Parish

Friday, Nov 28

9am(SJ) Mary Van Note r/b her husband

Saturday, Nov 29

4pm(HS) Intentions of Danny & Virginia French on their 50th
Wedding Anniversary r/b their family.
Michael Gallagher r/b Hal & Sharon Schwalm & Family

Sunday, Nov 30

8am(HS) For the People of the Parish
930am(SJ) Catherine & Henry Joseph Jr r/b the family
11am(SJ) Celebration of the Baptism of Vincenzo Luca Rotella r/
by Fr Bertonazzi & STC Parish
For the intention of Sr. Denise on the occasion of her
Jubilee r/b Michael & Barbara Swain
Msgr. Martin Joseph Mannion r/b the Tsikitas family
Christine Hill r/b George Holston
Edward Michael Gundersen r/b Erin Anderson
Nicholas Paoline r/b his Mother
11am(HS) For the Intentions of the Deaf community

PRAY THE ROSARY DAILY

After the 9am Mass, join with fellow parishioners to
pray the Rosary.

Except for this week, ADORATION is on
Thursdays at Holy Saviour Church 9:30am-8pm

Silent Adoration 9:30am-5pm
Rosary, Benediction 7pm to 8pm

Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Reflection by Rev. Leonard N. Peterson

Most of our information about kings reveals them as powerful figures, dressed lavishly and in definite control of the situation. They are rarely portrayed as less. Our American fascination with royalty seems so out of place in this context because our beloved country came into being as a revolt against a king.

Even though we have the image of power and majesty given us about kings (and queens) by way of art, sculpture and literature, we disagree with life under a monarch that is not of our choosing. Freedom seems shackled.

That is hardly the picture given us by God of our true King as found in the Holy Gospels. In fact, nearly all the depictions of the King of kings, Christ Jesus Our Lord are those of a humble poor man wearing a seamless robe most likely made by His mother. His most significant decision was to accept the cruel death of a Roman crucifixion.

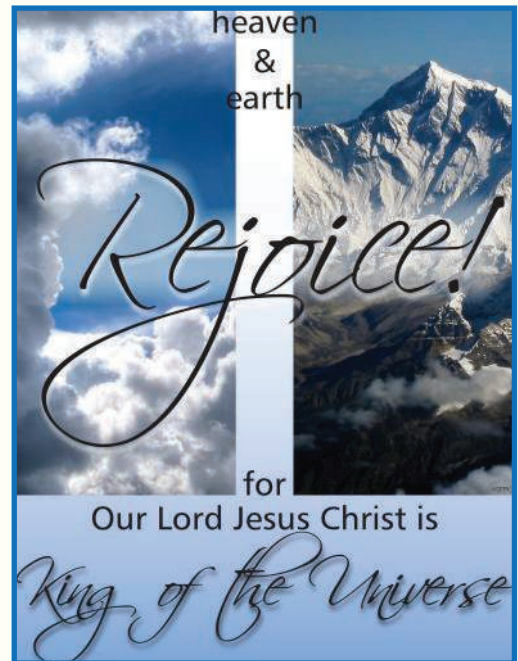
Admittedly, we have other memorable images. The calm beauty of the "Good Shepherd" for example. Or the Leonardo Da Vinci masterpiece of a loving Master at the Last Supper. Not to forget what Michelangelo painted for us of Christ as the supreme Judge at the end of the world visible behind the altar on the wall of the Sistine chapel.

But the image we find most available; the one we pray before most often, and the one that graces all our churches and makes them so easily identifiable is that of the crucified Lord. After all, even before He came among us, in those glorious days "when Jesus walked", He was named at His very presentation in the Temple as a "Sign of Contradiction." Yet, when this Sunday rolls around, the last of the current Liturgical Year, we always celebrate Jesus as "the King of the Universe."

When you step back from all the usual constructs about royalty, you begin to understand that Jesus Christ is royalty in its highest form. It is one of having devoted followers, of minds and hearts swept up in a bond of love strong enough to outlast centuries. "King of Hearts" we might call Him, with no reference to a card game. His steadfast love for us is the main reason why we can wake up each morning, believing ourselves so loved that we can handle whatever life throws our way with confidence. If that does not qualify as a component of true royalty, then I do not know another.

May this King give you His peace, now and always.

"Then Pilate said to Him, 'So you are a king?' Jesus answered, 'For this purpose I was born and for this purpose I have come into the world—to bear witness to the truth. Everyone who is of the truth listens to my voice.'" John 18



"Stewardship Corner"

Thank you for your financial support of our Parish. The Offertory Collection is the total amount which includes the combined "In Pew" and Electronic Giving totals.

Current Month: October 2025

Offertory: \$47,425

Surplus / Deficit** **-\$5,081**

Fiscal Year to Date *

Offertory: \$185,900

Surplus/Deficit** **-\$79,718**

* Fiscal year runs from July 1—June 30

** Indicates, compared to our expenses, whether the parish is ahead or behind of the total needed to sustain a thriving parish.

This information is provided by the Parish Finance Committee

PARISH INFORMATION

ATTENTION: LOCATION CHANGE FOR THANKSGIVING DAY MASS

The **Thursday 9am Mass** will be at **St. John's Church** on November 27th. Join us to **give Thanks for all our blessings!**

There will be **no Adoration** on Thanksgiving Day evening.



THANKSGIVING FOOD BASKETS



The Society of St. Vincent DePaul is **collecting nonperishable food items** that will be used in the **Thanksgiving Baskets** which will be distributed to **community members in need**. **Collection Boxes** are located in the **vestibules** of our churches **until this weekend of 11-22/23**.

Suggested Items for Donation are:

Instant Mashed Potatoes

Canned Sweet Potatoes, Canned Fruit, Canned/Jars of Gravy

Canned Vegetables - corn, carrots, peas, green beans

Jiffy Corn Bread Mix

Thank you for your continued generosity toward our ministry's goal of feeding those in need.

If you wish to **donate a turkey or grocery gift card** (ACME, Aldi, Lidl) please contact: Kim Gardine (609-314-3245)

Volunteers Needed to Assist the Men's Club to Assemble the Altar Christmas Trees & Creches

Join the Men's Club on Saturday, December **13, 9am**, to help assemble the Altar Christmas trees with white lights at **St. John's church**. We welcome others to join us. Help us set up the outdoor Creche too! On Saturday **Dec. 20 at 9am**, please join us to assemble the trees and outdoor creche at **Holy Saviour church**. It's a great opportunity for Faith Formation students. For questions: **Josh Weiner** stteresamensclub@yahoo.com

Young Married Couples (Post Cana) Fall Event Schedule

Come join us for Coffee & donuts social! We meet the last Sunday of each month after the 9:30am mass, in McLaughlin Hall: **November 30th, (we skip December) & January 25th**. More events to come!

To join our email list serve, email n.mcgill.gardner@gmail.com or use the QR code below. Some members host some events at their home and then we have outings also.



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Simplify your Sunday morning routine and start giving online!
Log on to: stteresafcalcuttanj.org, click on the Parish Giving Logo and follow the easy registration steps.

Click Here! Scan the QR Code with your smartphone for easy online giving. Thank you!

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.

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 echarlto53@gmail.com.

PARISH INFORMATION

Next Weekend's Minister Schedule-Nov 29-30

MASS	LECTOR	EM	SACRISTAN
4pm HS	S White	F Pauciello	T Howitz
8am HS	J Reed	Deacon Rocks	R Fearon
9:30am SJ	B Summerhayes	Deacon Leo	L Roseboro-Brown
11amSJ	L Roseboro-Brown	A or N Casale	M Warrington

AN ADVENT EVENT FOR EVERYONE

In early Advent, we gather as a parish family to prepare for Christmas in a very special way. Everyone has a chance to place their **special intentions** on a slip of paper, then inside an ornament, and that ornament on a tree.

Amid reflection and prayer, there **is music, caroling and hot chocolate**. In lighting this Christmas tree, we anticipate the Prince of Peace by praying for each other's special intentions as well as our own. Best of all, that's just the start of caring for each other's spiritual hopes and aspirations right through Advent until Christmas Day – and beyond.

Please Join Us for **EITHER OR BOTH** Special Intention Christmas Tree Lightings, Spread the Word, and Invite Anyone You Like.

**Wednesday, December 3, 2025 at
Holy Saviour 7:00 pm**

**Thursday, December 4, 2025 at
St. John's 7:00 PM
Faith In Action Ministry**



PLEASE JOIN US FOR OUR
3RD ANNUAL
**CHRISTMAS
CONCERT**
with the
**Tri-County
Symphonic Band**

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 14
7:00PM
ST. JOHN CHURCH
809 Park Avenue
Collingswood, NJ

TICKET PURCHASE

- \$15 per person; kids under 12 free
- Purchase after Masses starting weekend after Thanksgiving or call parish office (856) 858-0298
- Doors open at 6:15 PM

STEPHEN MINISTRY Do You Know Someone Going through a Difficult Time?



Stephen Ministry is a group of highly trained lay ministers throughout the Diocese of Camden ready to provide care to those in need. They 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@stteresaoofcaltuttan.org

For those out of the area, for more information and to find a Stephen Ministry near you, please visit <https://vitality.camdendiocese.org/stephen-ministry/> or contact Sebastian Salas at 1-856-583-6123.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DEPAUL

For help in times of emergency use this
parish number **856-858-1444**.



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

Volunteers—Normally discussion meetings are held the 3rd Tuesday of each month in McDaid meeting room. Sandwich Collection will be held on the third Monday of the month at the Good Shepherd parking lot; 6:30-7:30pm

Please help. There is a **huge increase** in the **Food Pantry's clients**, so **the inventory is being depleted**. **Whatever you can donate** from the following list will be a **blessing** for those to whom we provide food:

Specific items needed:

Pasta and pasta sauce

Canned: corn, soup, fruit, spam, tuna,

Chef Boyardee Ravioli, coffee.

Cookies, Pancake mix and Syrup

Peanut butter and jelly

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

Thank you for your generous donations.

SANDWICH MAKING EVENT

Monday, December 15, 2025, 6:30-7:30 pm

Good Shepherd Cafeteria

Bring your meat (turkey or beef boloney), cheese, and bread to make sandwiches that will be donated to Cathedral Kitchen and Joseph's House. Donations of bottled water, fresh fruit, or individually packaged snacks are greatly appreciated, as well. Sandwiches may also be pre-made and dropped off between 6:30 and 7:30 on December 15th.

PARISH, COMMUNITY & DIOCESAN INFORMATION

- ◇ **1st Way Baby Bottle Collection**—11/22, 23, 29 & 30th.
- ◇ **Men's Club Adopt a Family Nominations**— ASAP
- ◇ **Cinema Divina Lectio In Motion**—12/12, 4pm, Villa Maria
- ◇ **Tri-County Symphonic Band Christmas Concert**—12/14, 7pm
- ◇ **Eucharistic Minister Training**: 12/13, 8:30am

If you would like a flyer emailed to you, email Trish.
Tbest@StTeresaofCalcuttaNJ.org.

Your Assistance, Please!

Did you know that your parish Men's Club has been "adopting" parish (and previously Good Shepherd School) families to help

make the Christmas season bright? If you answered "No", then we have done our job in keeping this initiative private out of respect for the families we help. To achieve this, only a select very few members who run the **Adopt-A-Family** project will ever know which families we are assisting. But that means we **need your help** to be effective. We mention this not to seek plaudits, but **families**. In a time when the cost of everyday items has risen as family budgets get tighter, **perhaps you know a family heading into a difficult holiday season**. We would love to **help**, and no less so if that **family is yours**.

In the past, we have assisted with **gifts for the children, a night out for the family, and some gift cards** for food shopping. Please tell any officer or member of the Men's Club that you know of such a family, and we'll handle it discreetly from there. One way to reach out is by email:
stteresamensclub@yahoo.com.

Help us help someone have less worry this Christmas season!

Men's Club Corner

The Men's Club will reconvene to discuss another year of service to our parish and greater community at our next meeting on **Monday, December 15 at 8pm at McLaughlin Hall**. All parish men 21 years or over in age are welcome to join us.

We are always open for new members.

Please reach out to stteresamensclub@yahoo.com or Josh Wiener at 609-502-3539 with any questions.

Parish Eblasts for Special Announcements

If you are not receiving parish emails, contact Sharon Schwalm at sschwalm@prodigy.net or 856-854-4125.

CASSEROLES FOR THOSE IN NEED

The Justice and Life committee continues to collect and distribute **casseroles made by parishioners and the meals are given to St. Joseph's House to support the homeless guests**. The prepared casseroles may be dropped off at the Parish office.

1ST WAY BABY BOTTLE COLLECTION

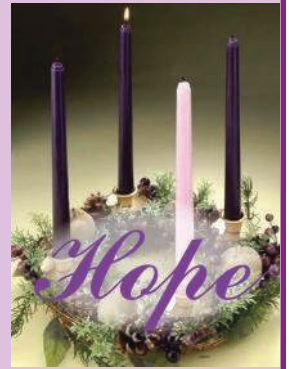
The 1st Way Baby Bottle **Collection is today and next weekend, Nov 29th/30th**. Donations support the 1st Way Pregnancy Center in West Collingswood. Donations can be made in cash or checks made payable to 1st Way of West Collingswood. Please **return the bottles** by weekend.

Thank you for your generosity to 1st Way Pregnancy Center.

PREPARING FOR ADVENT—November 30th

Begin your Advent journey by blessing your Advent wreath.

Light the first violet candle and sing "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel."



Stewards Grateful

"...giving thanks to the Father, who has made you fit to share in the inheritance of the holy ones in light." COLOSSIANS 1:12

God wants us to be happy! Instead of looking at the Ten Commandments as being restrictive and telling us what we can't do, look at them as guides **for living a joy-filled and peaceful life**. Most of our problems arise when we put our own needs first or we spend most of our time trying to acquire more stuff. Instead, **try putting God through Stewardship first in all things**. We were made for God. Open your heart and let Him in!

Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers

If you are a trained Lector or Eucharistic Minister and not receiving the scheduling emails, then please let Trish know your contact info and at which masses you would prefer to serve.

Anyone wishing to update their Mass preferences, contact: Trish@stteresaofcalcuttanj.org or 856-858-0298.

TRAINING—Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers

Extraordinary Minister of the Holy Communion Training: Saturday, Dec. 13th, 8:30am to 12:30pm, at Our Lady of Peace Parish. The Parish covers the fee.

For Lector training: **January 13, zoom, 6:30-8:30pm and in person either Jan. 21 or 22, 6:30 to 8:30pm**. The church covers the registration cost. As an (EM) Extraordinary Minister of Communion you may chose to serve at Masses or to serve the homebound or those in hospitals.

To register, either stop in the office or contact tbest@stteresaofcalcuttanj.org for the forms for both trainings.

PARISH COAT DRIVE—THANK YOU!

Thank you to all who **donated coats, hats, scarves and gloves in our recent coat drive**. Some donations were delivered to **several local schools**, while most were delivered to **St. Joe's Pro Cathedral School**. The **response was wonderful**, and many children and some parents will now be warmer this winter.

Life-Long Faith Formation

Register for Faith Formation!



CALCUTTA CREW

The new youth group at St. Teresa of Calcutta. All meetings held in McLaughlin Hall. All students in Grades 6-12 are welcome!

5:30PM to 7PM on:
12/14

Contact James Bardo
(jbardo@stteresaofcalcuttanj.org) with
questions



OCIA

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

**REGISTRATION IS ONGOING. CLASSES
ARE ON SUNDAYS AT 12:15PM IN THE
PARISH OFFICE**

Contact

**Jim Ely at jsely56@gmail.com
or call (856)858-0298**

Sandwich Making

Dates:
December 15
February 16
March 16

Time and Place: 6:30-7:30PM in the cafeteria

All are invited!

Join us in making sandwiches and placemats!

Please bring:

- Sliced bread (white or wheat)
- Sliced turkey or beef bologna (no pork)
- Cheese



Coffee & Faith Sharing

Co-led by Deacon Barry Steele & James Bardo



**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**

Questions? Contact
jbardo@stteresaofcalcuttanj.org

Taizé Prayer Service

Tuesday, December 9th at 7PM in St. John's
Church



contact jbardo@stteresaofcalcuttanj.org with questions

OFFICE OF THE MINISTRY WITH THE DEAF AND PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES AND 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.

Thank you to all who attended the Memorial Mass for those who have passed within the last year.

Please continue to pray for the family and friends, especially during the holidays when the loved one will be especially missed. A kind and thoughtful word of comfort often helps and lets people know you care.



Attention: Lectors

Lector Workbooks for the 2025 Liturgical Year are available for pickup in Saint John's Sacristy & Holy Saviour. Please take yours this weekend, if possible.

Knights of Columbus – Fall Charity Raffle Tickets All proceeds from the Raffle are used to support local charities. **“Take a chance” for \$10 per ticket** to win one or more of 98 cash prizes ranging from \$25 to \$500. The first of 5 drawings is **November 28th**.

Tickets are available by contacting either
Mike O'Mara at 484-868-5509,
George Ezekiel at 856-905-4506, or
Stan Hadam at 609-234-5174.

November is National Family Caregivers Month

Caregiving is an essential role in a growing number of families today. Caregiving can be rewarding in providing assistance to another or strengthening a connection with a loved one. Caregiving can also bring challenges. Caregivers may find it difficult to find time for themselves, manage emotional and physical stress and/or balance caregiving with other areas of their life. Practicing good self-care is not selfish.

Self-care can help replenish health and well-being resources, regain a sense of self and add renewed joy to everyday life.

Here are five effective ways caregivers can practice self-care:

1. Take 15 minutes for yourself to identify your needs (mind, body and spirit) and write them down. Being aware of your own needs is the first step in good self-care.
 2. Give yourself permission to ask for help to address needs such as respite care or help in the home.
 3. Commit to scheduling time (even if only for 15 minutes) for yourself regularly to do something you enjoy such as walking, having coffee with a friend, praying, reading or a being creative.
 4. Eat nutritious foods, hydrate and move your body. All three of these things support your mind, body and spirit that support caregiving.
 5. Maintain regular doctor appointments to review medications and address any changes in your physical and/or mental health. Making health and well-being a priority as a caregiver and seeking help when needed are important components of caregiving. VITALity Catholic Healthcare Services offers help for caregivers through Care Coordination and Stephen Ministry.
- For support or to learn more, call 856-583-6123 or visit <https://vitality.camdendiocese.org/services/>

Nativity Pilgrimage—The Philippines

Jan. 19-29, 2026

Fr. Michael DeLeon, St. Simon Stock—Trip Spiritual Director
For more information, visit: trip.nativitypilgrimage.com/deleon.

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Keynote speaker: Ed Wade
Registration starts: 8:30 AM - 10:00 AM
A breakfast event to help raise money for the South Jersey Scholarship Fund.

**Thursday, March 19, 2026
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Call to Worship



Entrance Hymn: "Festival Canticle Worth is Christ", Breaking Bread #583

FESTIVAL CANTICLE: WORTHY IS CHRIST

Richard Hillert

Refrain

This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia. lu-ia.

1-6
2-6: to Verses
1: D.C.
Final

Verses

1. Wor-thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose
2. Pow-er, rich-es, wis-dom, and strength, and
3. Sing with all the peo-ple of God, and
4. Bless-ing, hon-or, glo-ry, and might be to
5. For the Lamb who was slain has be-

to Refrain

1. blood set us free to be peo-ple of God.
2. hon-or, bless-ing, and glo-ry are his.
3. join in the hymn of all cre-a-tion.
4. God and the Lamb for ev-er. A-men.
5. gun his reign. Al-le-lu-ia.

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FIRST READING:

2 Samuel 5:1-3

In those days, all the tribes of Israel came to David in Hebron and said: "Here we are, your bone and your flesh. In days past, when Saul was our king, it was you who led the Israelites out and brought them back. And the LORD said to you, 'You shall shepherd my people Israel and shall be commander of Israel.'" When all the elders of Israel came to David in Hebron, King David made an agreement with them there before the LORD, and they anointed him king of Israel.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.

Psalms 122:1-5

SECOND READING:

Colossians 1:12-20

Brothers and sisters: Let us give thanks to the Father, who has made you fit to share in the inheritance of the holy ones in light. He delivered us from the power of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. For in him were created all things in heaven and on earth, the visible and the invisible, whether thrones or dominions or principalities or powers; all things were created through him and for him. He is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in all things he himself might be preeminent. For in him all the fullness was pleased to dwell, and through him to reconcile all things for him, making peace by the blood of his cross through him, whether those on earth or those in heaven.

GOSPEL:

Luke 23:35-43

The rulers sneered at Jesus and said, "He saved others, let him save himself if he is the chosen one, the Christ of God." Even the soldiers jeered at him. As they approached to offer him wine they called out, "If you are King of the Jews, save yourself." Above him there was an inscription that read, "This is the King of the Jews."

Now one of the criminals hanging there reviled Jesus, saying, "Are you not the Christ? Save yourself and us." The other, however, rebuking him, said in reply, "Have you no fear of God, for you are subject to the same condemnation? And indeed, we have been condemned justly, for the sentence we received corresponds to our crimes, but this man has done nothing criminal." Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." He replied to him, "Amen, I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise."

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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.

THE KING OF LOVE MY SHEPHERD IS

LOCH LOMOND
Arranged by Edward Eicker



1. The King of love my shep - herd is, Whose
2. Where streams of liv - ing wa - ter flow My
3. Con - fused and fool - ish oft I strayed, But
4. In death's dark vale I fear no ill With
5. You spread a ta - ble in my sight, Your
6. And so through all the length of days Your



1. good - ness fails me nev - er; I noth - ing lack if
2. ran - somed soul he's lead - ing, And where the ver - dant
3. yet in love he sought me, And on his shoul - der
4. you, dear Lord, be - side me; Your rod and staff my
5. sav - ing grace be - stow - ing; And O what trans - port
6. good - ness fails me nev - er; Good Shep - herd, may I



1. I am his, And he is mine for ev - er.
2. pas - tures grow With food ce - les - tial feed - ing.
3. gent - ly laid, And home, re - joic - ing, brought me.
4. com - fort still, Your cross be - fore to guide me.
5. of de - light From your pure chal - ice flow - ing!
6. sing your praise With - in your house for - ev - er.

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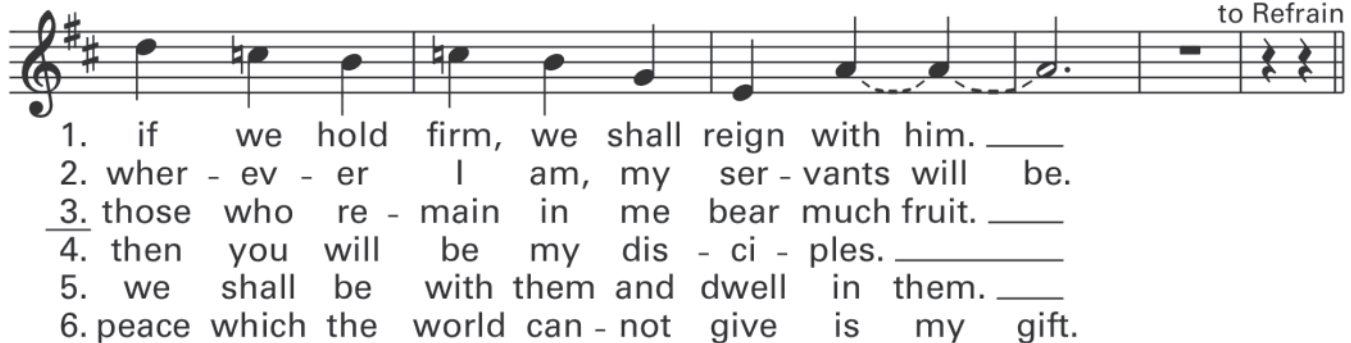
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To Jesus Christ, Our Sovereign King



1. To Je - sus Christ, our sov - 'reign King, Who is the
 2. Your reign ex - tend, O King be - nign, To ev - 'ry
 3. To you, and to your church, great King, We pledge our



world's sal - va - tion, All praise and hom - age do we bring And
 land and na - tion; For in your King - dom, Lord di - vine, A -
 heart's ob - la - tion; Un - til be - fore your throne we sing In



thanks and ad - o - ra - tion.
 lone we find sal - va - tion. Christ Je - sus, Vic - tor!
 end - less ju - bi - la - tion.



Christ Je - sus, Rul - er! Christ Je - sus, Lord and Re - deem - er!

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