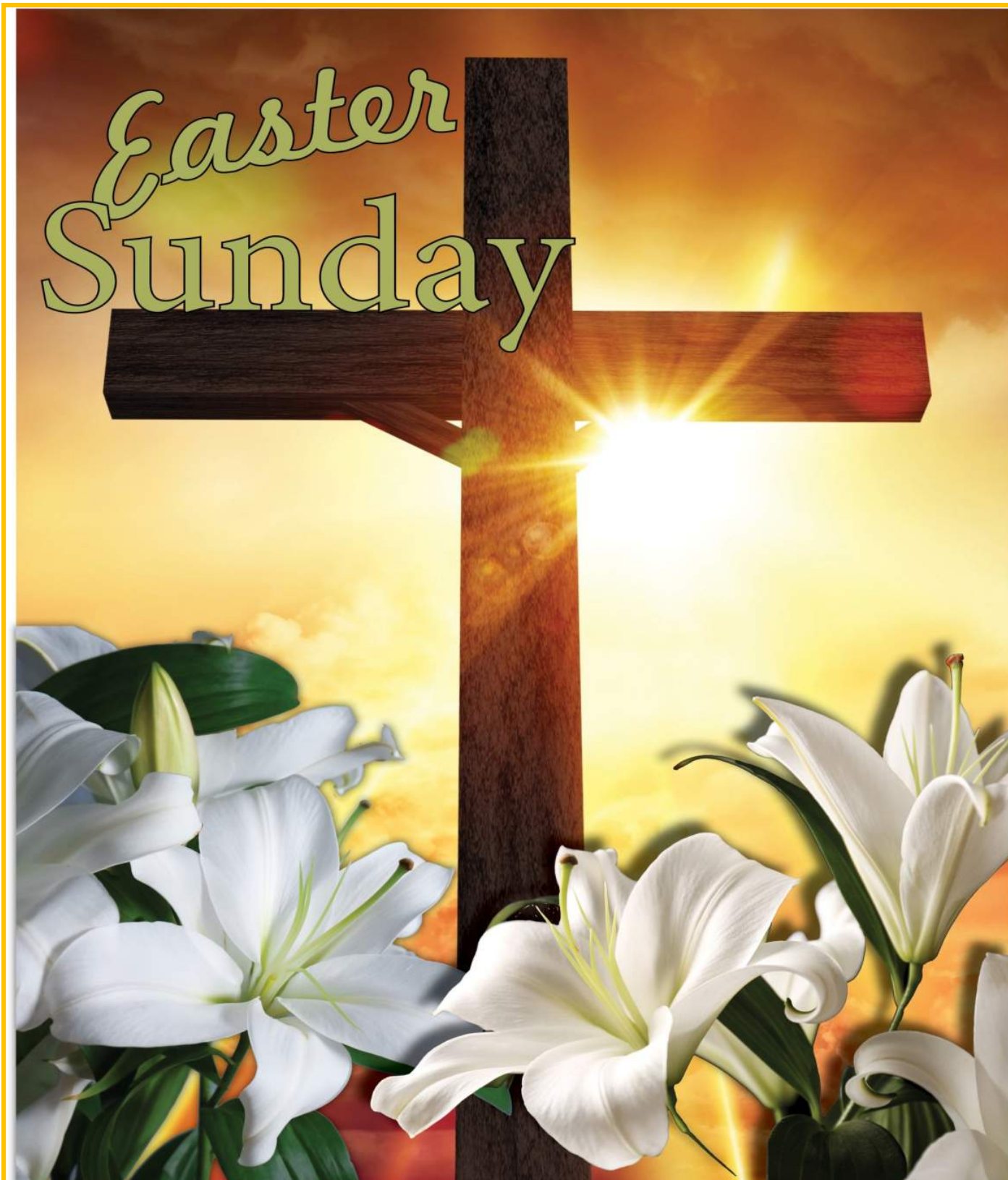




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**APRIL 20, 2025**

# Mass Intentions

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## HOLY SATURDAY, April 19th

No morning Mass

12:00 p.m. - Blessing of the Easter Foods

Confessions - 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**8:00 p.m. ✝ Easter Vigil Mass**

## EASTER SUNDAY April 20, 2025

8:00 a.m. ✝ Russell Karaffa  
R/B Wife, Janet & Family  
✝ Mildred Constantino  
R/B Ann Lemons  
✝ Dr. Albert Dearden  
R/B His loving wife, JoAnn  
✝ Charles "Boopsie" Cannon  
R/B Joe Ventura & Family  
✝ Hugh J. Marley  
R/B The Family  
10:00 a.m. ✝ Pro-Populo

## Monday, April 21, 2025

7:45 a.m. ✝ Charles "Boopsie" Cannon  
R/B Families of Christine Vass & Isabell Saladine

## Tuesday, April 22, 2025

7:45 a.m. ✝ Fr. Paul Harte  
R/B Vienna Tinel  
6:30 p.m. ✝ Dolores A. Fraide  
R/B Her niece, Christine & Husband, Gary Zink

## Wednesday, April 23, 2025

7:45 a.m. ✝ Barbara E. Curtis  
R/B Sister, Christine & Husband, Gary Zink

## Thursday, April 24, 2025

6:30 p.m. ✝ Carmela Jacobs  
R/B The Tinel Family

## Friday, April 25, 2025

3:00 p.m. ✝ Vincent Gerba & Darlene McBride Gerba  
R/B Darlene McBride Gerba

## Saturday, April 26, 2025

8:00 a.m. ✝ Thanh Bui (Vincent)  
R/B Brandon Bui  
✝ Osias Corrales  
R/B Michelle Corrales & Family  
5:00 p.m. ✝ Pro-Populo

## Sunday, April 27, 2025

8:00 a.m. ✝ Robert Gosselin  
R/B Jeff LeBrun  
✝ Loraine A. LeBrun  
R/B Jeff Le Brun  
✝ Jimmy Hogan  
R/B Tom & Joann Lardizzone  
✝ Fr. Paul Harte  
R/B The Perez Family  
10:00 a.m. ✝ Stephen Stritch  
R/B Vincent & Louise Carbone  
✝ Barbara E. Curtis  
R/B Sister Christine & Husband, Gary Zink  
✝ Fr. Paul Harte  
R/B Denise Price & Family  
✝ Joanne Pfaff  
R/B Tony & Helen DeSalle  
✝ Concetta LaChina Lofaso  
R/B Maria DiPasquale-Spena Family



The Easter Vigil is the "Mother of All Vigils" and Easter Sunday is the greatest of all Sundays. The season of Easter is the most important of all liturgical times, which Catholics celebrate as the Lord's Resurrection from the dead, culminating in his Ascension to the Father and sending of the Holy Spirit upon the Church. The octave of Easter comprises the eight days which stretch from the first to the second Sunday. It is a way of prolonging the joy of the initial day. There are 50 days of Easter from the first Sunday to Pentecost. It is characterized, above all, by the joy of glorified life and the victory over death expressed most fully in the great resounding cry of the Christian Alleluia!

All faith flows from faith in the Resurrection: "If Christ has not been raised, then empty is our reaching; empty, too, is your faith." (1 Cor 15:14)

# AROUND THE PARISH



## Ministries

### LECTOR SCHEDULE - April

|          |           |                |
|----------|-----------|----------------|
| Saturday | 5:00 P.M. | S. Pietrofitta |
| Sunday   | 8:00 AM.  | S. Spiers      |
| Sunday   | 10:00 AM. | L. Gephard     |

### EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS - April

|                    |                                                   |
|--------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| Saturday 5:00 P.M. | C. Edwards/Pat Ledden/<br>K. McCusker/Volunteer   |
| Sunday 8:00 AM.    | D. McCusker/J. Khoury/<br>T. McClaren/J. Lapointe |
| Sunday 10:00 AM.   | M. Eger/M. Curran/<br>M. Tull                     |

If there is a need for a Lector/Extraordinary Minister at any of the Masses, please volunteer.



|                                  |                                        |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| Sunday, April 27th               | First Communion Day Mass<br>8am & 10am |
| Saturday, May 3rd                | First Communion Day Mass<br>5pm        |
| Sunday, May 4th                  | First Communion Day Mass<br>10am       |
| Parish May Crowning at 10am Mass |                                        |



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## Communion for the Homebound

If you or a loved-one are homebound and unable to attend Mass, one of our Extraordinary Ministers would be happy to visit and bring you Holy Communion. Call the Parish Office and set up a day and time when they can visit with you.

# AROUND THE PARISH

## EVENTS

WHAT'S ON THE CHURCH CALENDAR

|                    |                                                                                                                                         |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Mondays</b>     | <b>Cleaning of the Church</b><br>10:00 am - 12 Noon pm                                                                                  |
| <b>Tuesdays:</b>   | <b>Rosary</b> - 6:00 pm - Church<br><b>Legion of Mary</b><br>9:30 am - 10:30 am<br><b>Holy Spirit Prayer Group</b><br>1:00 pm - 2:30 pm |
| <b>Wednesdays:</b> | <b>Precious Blood Devotions</b><br>6:30 pm - 7:30 pm - Church                                                                           |
| <b>Thursdays:</b>  | <b>Cleaning of the Hall</b><br><b>Church</b> 10:00 am -12 Noon                                                                          |
| <b>Fridays:</b>    | <b>Bingo</b> - Doors open 6:00pm<br><b>Games start:</b> 7:00 pm                                                                         |

## OUR JOURNEY United IN HOPE

By supporting the *Catholic Ministries Appeal*, you are supporting many programs and ministries of the Diocese of Camden. Our commitment is to walk this path together grounded in the hope and love that Christ gives us.

Our '25-'26 Goal is: \$78,200.00  
Pledges/Gifts 41,364.50  
To go: \$36,835.50



**Easter Monday,**  
**April 21st**  
**Closed**

### LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINARS

**Villa Pietà - Missionaries of the Sacred Hearts**  
2249 Shore Rd., Linwood, NJ

5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 7:00 pm**

**Thursdays, April 24th thru June 5th**

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of the Sacred Hearts



**MINISTRY OF MOTHERHOOD NEWS:** The Ministry of Motherhood's **SEVENTEENTH!** Annual Pennies for the Poor Project kicked off January 1st and is ending April 10th. Pennies will be collected following all Masses at St. Joseph's the weekend of May 17/18 and can also be dropped off at the church office. Of course, coins and bills of all denominations are accepted and checks payable to "Ministry of Motherhood" are tax-deductible. Our goal is, as always, to gather 3000 people to save 1 penny a day for 100 days to help us make a meaningful impact in children and families lives. Over the past 16 years your pennies have built houses in Haiti, provided essential transportation to families in Columbia, food for children in Jamaica, and transformed our "adopted" school in the Dominican Republic as well as helped families in need here in our own neighborhoods. When put together, Pennies make a huge difference! Any questions, please contact Alice at 609-431-0655. Thanks! **Thank you so much to all who have supported this project for so many years!**



**The Food Pantry** is in need of these items: coffee, tea, toilet paper, paper towels, boxed milk, bread, napkins, spaghetti sauce, cooking oil, cookies, sugar, cake mix, cake frosting, breakfast cereal, mayo and crackers. Items can be left in the vestibule of the church on Sundays. Thank you for your generosity.



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for Seniors and their Families



Enjoy the quiet and simplicity of nature on this pilgrimage. The day begins with morning prayer, followed by a 2.5 mile walk, Mass and lunch.

**Saturday**

**April 26, 2025**

9:00 a.m - 1:00 p.m

► Check-in starts at 8:00 a.m

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St. James Church, Ventnor, NJ

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# AROUND THE DIOCESE



## Banns of Ordination to the Diaconate

The Most Reverend Joseph A. Williams, D.D. announces that he intends to ordain Mr. Nickolas Bruno Nattichione 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, NJ.

The faithful of the Diocese of Camden are asked to pray for this young man of their parish who is 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.

## CHURCH OF ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON

### Divine Mercy Sunday, April 27



12:45 Divine Mercy Play with Youth Group

12:45- 1:45pm Adoration & Confession

1:30 pm - Chaplet,

2:00 pm - Mass

Please join us in celebrating the unfathomable mercy of God with a communal offering of the Divine Mercy Chaplet followed immediately with Sunday Mass.

#### *Our Lord said to Saint Faustina:*

My daughter, tell the whole world about My inconceivable mercy. I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners. On that day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the Fount of My mercy. The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment. ... Let no soul fear to draw near to Me. ... It is My desire that it be solemnly celebrated on the first Sunday after Easter. Mankind will not have peace until it turns to the Fount of My Mercy.

*Diary of St. Faustina (699)*

## An Evening of Remembrance and Healing

*Mass celebrated by Father Carlo Santa Teresa*



*And He Will Raise You Up  
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For those who have suffered the loss of a child of any age through miscarriage, still-birth, abortion, SIDS, illness, overdose, suicide, disease or any untimely death.

We encourage and welcome all members of the family and friends affected by the loss of this child to join in this Mass of celebration for the life that touched ours briefly, yet stays in our hearts forever.

**MONDAY**  
**May 12, 2025**  
**7:00pm**

### Church of the Resurrection

St Maximilian Kolbe Parish  
200 Tuckahoe Road, Marmora, NJ

*Please Bring a Picture or Special Remembrance of Your Child  
(roses will be available to those who lost their child before birth)*

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, CALL: Betty (609) 425-3553  
or email at [elizpearce@comcast.net](mailto:elizpearce@comcast.net)**



The Office of Life & Justice Ministries Presents  
**An Evening with the Prophet Jonah:  
A Story of Resurrection,  
Expectations, and Hope**

**Wednesday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> 7-8 p.m.**

The evening, led by Dr. Kyle Thompson, a Catholic educator, theologian, and biblical scholar on the theme of "hope," will begin with prayer, followed by a presentation and discussion. **This is a FREE, Virtual Event.**

The prophet Jonah went to Nineveh and preached repentance to his enemies. Then, the worst possible thing that Jonah could imagine happened—Nineveh repented, and God relented.

Since this is a virtual event, please use this QR code to register or email [Michael.Sims@camdendiocese.org](mailto:Michael.Sims@camdendiocese.org) to receive a link for the evening. If you have questions, please call Michael Sims, Director of Life & Justice Ministries 856 583-2910.



## A Prayer for Easter Eyes

My Lord, Jesus,  
You have risen to new life!  
Give me new eyes with which to recognize  
your presence in the world around me.  
Sharpen my vision so that I see beyond the  
ordinary events of each day and into the  
extraordinary reality of your grace.  
Brighten my view of the world with renewed  
hope in the coming of your Kingdom.  
Soften my gaze so that I view others with the  
kind of tenderness and compassion you  
showed to so many.  
May each day of this Easter season provide  
glimpses of your glory.  
In your sacred name, I pray.  
Amen.

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