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"A Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Parish, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week"

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SUNDAY, May 4, 2025 - THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Our Mission Statement

We are the family of Our Lady of Sorrows Parish, a community of individuals united by the love of Christ. We reach out to all through prayer, spiritual formation, liturgical offerings, education, a welcoming spirit, and service. We are a Perpetual Adoration parish, sharing this opportunity with the surrounding communities.

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
8 a.m. Mass 10 a.m. Mass (Livestreamed)	7:45 a.m. Daily Mass	7:45 a.m. Daily Mass 6:30 p.m. Mass St. Anthony Novena follows	7:45 a.m. Daily Mass Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena follows	7:45 a.m. Daily Mass	7:45 a.m. Daily Mass Our Lady of Sorrows & All Consolation Novenas follow	8 a.m. Daily Mass 3:45 Confessions 5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass

HOLYDAY SCHEDULE: VIGIL, 6:30 P.M. & 8:00 A.M. MASSES

OFFICE HOURS!
MONDAY - THURSDAY
8 A.M. TO 4 P.M.
FRIDAY
8 A.M. TO 12:00 P.M.
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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - CHRIS TOMASELLO

If you are interested in joining these groups, leave your name and phone number with the Parish Office, and someone will contact you with information.

MASS INTENTIONS



Saturday, May 3, 2025

5:00 p.m. ✝ Marian Cappuccio
R/B Sally Pietrofitta
✝ Fr. Paul Harte
R/B The Cusick Family
✝ Stephan Douglas
R/B Ray & Cathy Lowry
✝ Rita Lupinetti
R/B The Eisele Family

Sunday, May 4, 2025

8:00 a.m. ✝ For the People of the Parish
10:00 a.m. ✝ Eddie & John Greene
R/B Maryann & Buddy Eger
✝ Fr. Paul Harte
R/B OLS Praesidium
✝ Mary Doherty
R/B Her Daughter, Jennifer
✝ Salvatore Spena
R/B Maria DiPasquale-Spena & Family
✝ Rose Marie Twist
R/B Frank & Karen Longo

Monday, May 5, 2025

7:45 a.m. ✝ Ellen Lynne Procida
R/B Darrin Concurso

Tuesday, May 6, 2025

7:45 a.m. ✝ Osias Corrales
R/B Michelle Corrales & Family
6:30 p.m. ✝ Michael Farrell
R/B Isabelle Gallagher

Wednesday, May 7, 2025

7:45 a.m. ✝ Fr. Paul Harte
R/B Judi Harte

Thursday, May 8, 2025

7:45 a.m. ✝ Vincent & Darlene McBride-Gerba,
Living
✝ Rise Germinder
R/B Darlene McBride-Gerba

Friday, May 9, 2025

7:45 a.m. ✝ Sharon Loftus
R/B Judi Houde

Saturday, May 10, 2025

8:00 a.m. ✝ Angel & Estella Martinez
R/B Ruth Tayao
✝ Paquito Degala
R/B Family

Saturday, May 10, 2025

5:00 p.m. ✝ Marie Stanley
R/B Fran & Wayne Johnson
✝ Anthony Martire
R/B Denise & John Hladun
✝ Stephan Douglas
R/B Barney Cobb
✝ Doris Mara
R/B Paula Annise Coyle

Sunday, May 11, 2025

8:00 a.m. ✝ Carmela Grace Jacobs
R/B Elizabeth Phillippy, Nicole,
Anthony, Leonardo Di Sciascio
✝ Mary Doherty
R/B Thompson Family
✝ Fr. Paul Harte
R/B Brandon & Mandee
✝ Margaret Dillon
R/B Daughter, Joan Carson
10:00 a.m. ✝ For the People of the Parish



Gracious God, We thank You for the life of Pope Francis, whom You chose and anointed to shepherd your people. You filled him with wisdom, humility, and courage. Through his words and witness, many found comfort, clarity, and the call to deeper faith.

Thank You for every sermon he preached, every soul he touched, every poor man he embraced, and every cry for justice he uttered. We praise You for his example, his heart, and his obedience to Your call.

May our gratitude rise like incense before Your throne.

Amen.

AROUND THE PARISH



Ministries

LECTOR SCHEDULE - May

Saturday	5:00 P.M.	P. Ledden
Sunday	8:00 AM.	E. Phillippy
Sunday	10:00 AM.	J. Dearden

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS - May

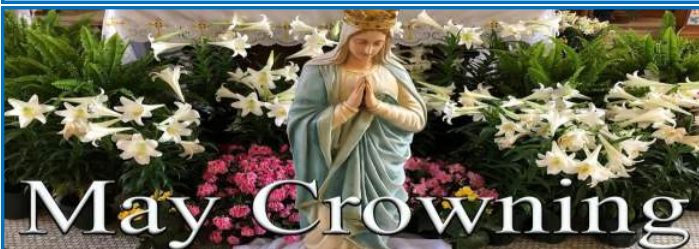
Saturday 5:00 P.M.	C. Edwards/L. Gussie S. Pietrofitta/Volunteer
Sunday 8:00 AM.	J. Lapointe/D. McCusker/ M. Pushman
Sunday 10:00 AM.	D. Hughes/P. Hughes/ T. Rochow

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



**Saturday, May 3rd First Communion Day
5:00 pm Mass**

**Sunday, May 4th First Communion Day
10:00 am Mass**

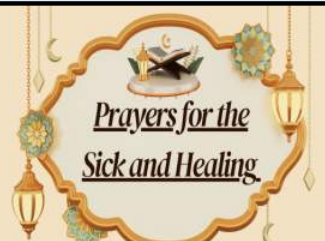


Sunday, May 4th 10:00 am Mass

OFFERING

Sunday, April 27, 2025

1st Collection	\$4507
2nd Collection	\$1854
Catholic Home Missions	\$ 296
Total	\$6657



Bruce, Emily, Frank Abbruscato, Patricia Asbby, Louis Amico, Irene Amodeo, Anthony & Joanne Baccari, Josephine Barone, Dennis B., Joe Bones, Jenni Butcko, Corey Brown, Taylor Meehan Campbell, Siena

Caywood, Michal Chemerys, Dolores & Anthony Cicalese, McLean Crichton, John Cogan, Tom Delany, Fred Dettinger, Pauline V. Donais, Denise Howe, Hayward Fox, Helen France, Jodie G., Mary C. Gallagher, Anna Gandy, Katie Garwood, Cynthia Ginnetti, Lory Golden, Pamela Gonzales, Angela Greenwald, Grace Hall, Mary Kate Harte, Michael Harte, Matthew Heiser, Patty & John Holston, Jan Hoerrner, Frannie Hughes, Edward & Patricia Iwonski, Peter Kotsakis, Rick Kroger, Vicki Kroger, Marcelo Lacava, Ann Lehr, Joann Leone, Irene Locantore, Emily Lewis, Lowry Family, Michael Lund, Mary, Desi K., Mercedes Mahsoob, Baby Mason, Tony Mazzeo, Joann Bruno Meyers, Mikayla, Richard Miller, Michelle Miller, The Minnicucci Family, Angie, Jennie, Mary, Mel E. & Patsy, Rose & Josephine, George Minnitti, Sr. Julie Anna Magiotti & John Milburn, Paul Walter Murphy, Mary Mursheno and Family, Chrissy Naame, George Onufer, Steven Parreca, Fr. Pat, Jack Pfeifer, John & Jane Ragan, Michael Ridgway, Donna Robillard, Anna Robinson, Lester I & Lester II, Elvin Rodriguez, Kenneth St. Clair, John Salerno, Ronan Seybold, Irma Shaw, Carley Grace Serlengar, John R. Smith, Edgar Soto, Dave Spaeth, Joseph C. & Shirley, Warren Spivey, Nancy Stebbins, Shirley Ann Margaret Thomas, Fran Thornton, Jeanette Mary Tomlinson, Joseph Trout (in thanksgiving) Jeanette Trumbauer, Joyce D. Van Scoy & Rosemarie Vetter Steve, Terry Weber, Ronnie A. Wellens, Kevin Whitney, Terry Lee Williams, Julia Williamson, Elizabeth Jane Wright and two special intentions.

Please call the office to add or remove a name.



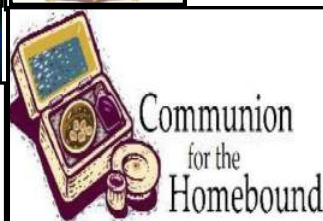
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24 Hours/Day - 7 Days a Week**

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Morning Shifts (as able)

Call: Melanie 609-665-9161



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

Mondays	Cleaning of the Church 10:00 am - 12 Noon pm
Tuesdays:	Rosary - 6:00 pm - Church Legion of Mary 9:30 am - 10:30 am Holy Spirit Prayer Group 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm
Wednesdays:	Precious Blood Devotions 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm - Church
Thursdays:	Cleaning of the Hall Church 10:00 am -12 Noon
Fridays:	Bingo - Doors open 6:00pm Games start: 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 48,094.50
To go: \$30,105.50

STEWARDSHIP

Managing God's Gifts To Us

"...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

In honor of the 108th Anniversary of
Our Lady of Fatima's Apparition in Portugal

Our Lady's Rosary Rally

Where: Kennedy Park (behind
Crab Trap) Somers Point

When: Saturday, May 10, 2025

Time: 12 Noon – 1:00PM

Praying for peace in our hearts, our homes,
and in the world as Our Lady requested.



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 to those in need.

REMEMBERING THOSE WHO SERVED and Who Have Gone Before us. **MEMORIAL DAY Mass at Holy Cross Cemetery on Monday, May 26th at 10:00 a.m.**

Military Veterans may qualify for a disability compensation - a monthly tax-free payment to veterans who got sick or injured while serving in the military and to veterans who services made an existing condition worse, examples: severe hearing loss, agent orange exposure, PTSD, mental or physical health conditions related to military sexual trauma, etc.

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 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.

ON YOUR
PRIESTLY
ORDINATION



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, NJ.

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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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**

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!





Franciscus
Jorge Mario Bergoglio
13.III.2013
-
21.IV.2025

Some thoughts from Pope Francis:

Dear young people, my joyful hope is to see you keep running the race before you... The Church needs your momentum, your intuitions, your faith. We need them! And when you arrive at where we have not yet reached, have the patience to wait for us." (Christus Vivit, 199)

"A little bit of mercy makes the world less cold and more just." - Angelus, Mar.17, 2013

"The urgent challenge to protect our common home includes a concern to bring the whole human family together to seek a sustainable and integral development, for we know that things can change." (Laudato Si', 13)

"What is God's love? It is not something vague, some generic feeling. God's love has a name and a face:

Jesus Christ, Jesus. Love for God is made manifest in Jesus." - Angelus, Aug. 11, 2013

"Let us dream, then, as a single human family, as fellow travelers sharing the same flesh, as children of the same earth which is our common home, each of us bringing the richness of his or her beliefs and convictions, each of us with his or her own voice, brothers and sisters all." (Fratelli Tutti, 8)

"Whatever you do, don't be the sorry sight of an abandoned vehicle! Don't be parked cars, but dream freely and make good decisions. Take risks, even if it means making mistakes. Don't go through life anaesthetized or approach the world like tourists. Make a ruckus! Cast out the fears that paralyze you, so that you don't become young mummies. Live! Give yourselves over to the best of life!" (Christus Vivit, 143)

"Everything is connected. Concern for the environment thus needs to be joined to a sincere love for our fellow human beings and an unwavering commitment to resolving the problems of society." (Laudato Si', 91)

"The Church will have to initiate everyone – priests, religious, and laity – into this 'art of accompaniment' which teaches us to remove our sandals before the sacred ground of the other. The pace of this accompaniment must be steady and reassuring, reflecting our closeness and our compassionate gaze which also heals, liberates, and encourages growth in the Christian life." Evangelii Gaudium, 169)

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