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SUNDAY, August 31, 2025 - TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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 <i>(Livestreamed)</i>	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

**SUMMER
OFFICE HOURS!**
MONDAY - THURSDAY
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FRIDAY
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LEGION OF MARY-LINDA TUCCINARDI
HOLY SPIRIT OUR GREATEST FRIEND-SUSAN SCOTT
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.

BUSINESS MANAGER: Rebecca Lee - Parish Office



Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 30, 2025

5:00 p.m. * For the People of the Parish

Sunday, August 31, 2025

8:00 a.m. † Luke Dillon
R/B Bill Dillon & Family

† Dr. Jerry Shields
R/B Hank Freund

10:00 a.m. † Danny Boyle
R/B Dillon Family

† Walter (Jack) Sullivan
R/B Rex Ray

† Donna Woolery
R/B Frank & Karen Longo

† Robert Matthews
R/B Tony & Helen DeSalle

* Rebecca Lee, Living, Happy Birthday
R/B OLS Staff

Monday, September 1, 2025

7:45 a.m. † Orlando Caampued
R/B Gabriel Caampued & Family

Tuesday, September 2, 2025

7:45 a.m. † Intention of Celebrant

6:30 p.m. † Eleanor Sims
R/B Bill & Linda Gussie

Wednesday, September 3, 2025

7:45 a.m. † Bert Fife
R/B Maryann & Buddy Eger

Thursday, September 4, 2025

7:45 a.m. * Nenita Corrales, Healing
R/B Corrales & Tedesco Families

Friday, September 5, 2025

7:45 a.m. * Mia Tedesco, Living
Happy 12th Birthday
R/B The Family

Saturday, September 6, 2025

8:00 a.m. † Laura Lai Faith Crede
R/B Toni Rochow

(cont'd.) Saturday, September 6, 2025

5:00 p.m. * Special Intention, Wedding Anniv.
Kyle & Rebecca Knight
R/B Barbara Bayens,

† Luke Dillon
R/B Craig & Pam Smith

† Rita Lupinetti
R/B Dan & Mary Etta Loggi

Sunday, September 7, 2025

8:00 a.m. * For the People of the Parish

10:00 a.m. † Mary, Ruth & Jack Doherty
R/B Daughter, Jennifer

† Rev. Paul Harte
R/B K.C. & Paul Gallagher

† Giuseppe Lista
R/B Coffey Family



“Rather, when you hold a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind; blessed indeed will you be because of their inability to repay you.” LUKE 14:13-14

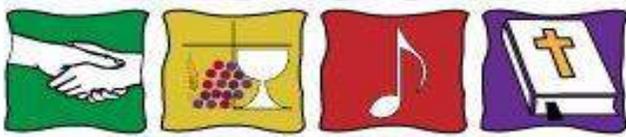
One of the main principles of living a Stewardship lifestyle is to give without expecting anything in return. This is difficult for some to comprehend in our “consumerist” culture that we live in. This is even difficult for many parish communities that have become heavily dependent on parish fundraising events to support the mission and ministry of their local parish. Generally speaking, at a parish fundraiser, you pay money and receive something in return, it’s just a financial transaction. This is opposed to our parish offertory at Holy Mass, where you unite your sacrifice with Jesus renewing our covenant relationship with Him.



Mass cards, Sanctuary Candles and Bread & Wine remembrances for our loved ones, living or deceased are available. Please stop by or call the Parish Office to reserve your date.



LITURGICAL MINISTRIES



LECTORS - August , 2025

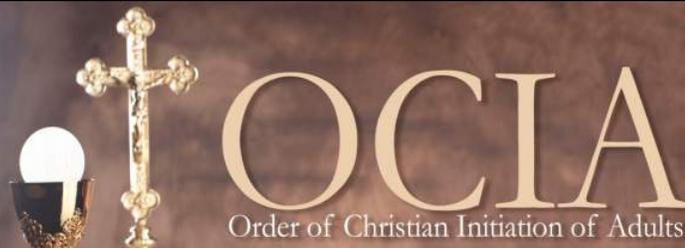
Saturday	5:00 P.M.	S. Pietrofitta
Sunday	8:00 AM.	D.Price
Sunday	10:00 AM.	D. Federico

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS - August, 2025

Saturday 5:00 PM	P. Ledden P. LoRe K. McCusker
Sunday 8:00 AM.	D. McCusker, M. Pushman, A. Lehr
Sunday 10:00 AM.	D. Hughes/T. Hughes/ B. Napoli



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR OFFICE
MANAGER, REBECCA**



The OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults) is a process through which non-baptized men and women enter the Catholic Church. It includes several stages marked by study, prayer and rites at Mass. Participants in the RCIA are known as catechumens. They undergo a process of conversion as they study the Gospel, profess faith in Jesus and the Catholic Church, and receive the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Eucharist.

The RCIA (OCIA) process follows the ancient practice of the Church and was restored by the Second Vatican Council as the normal way adults prepare for baptism. RCIA (OCIA) classes will start in the Fall.

If you are interested in taking this class, please stop by or call the Parish Office. Sign-up sheets are available. Classes will start in the Fall.

PRAY for the SICK

Please pray for the sick & those that care for them

Steven Frederick Ackerman, Joe & Kim Ailes, Patricia Ashby, Dennis B., Betty, Tylor & Ian, Irene Amodeo, Anthony & Joanne Baccri, Josephine Barone, Jessie Best, Ron & Louann Cann, Dolores & Anthony Cicalese, Tom Delany, Fred Dettinger, Rosa Dilecce, Pauline V. Donais, Hayward Fox, Mary Collette Gallagher, Elda Galante, Cynthia Ginnetti, Susan Glenn, Pamela Gonzalez, Jeff Guiliani, Denise Howe, Edward & Patricia Iwonski, Jane Jones, Bruce Kern, Peter Kotsakis, Rick Kroger, Vicki Kroger, Emily Lewis, Linda, Irene Locantore, Lowry Family, Angie Lucciano, Teri McMahan, Julie Anna Magiotti & Paul, The Minnicucci Family, Angie, Jennie, Mary, Mel E., Patsy, Rose & Josephine, George Minnitti, Sr., John Milburn, Joann Bruno Meyers, Richard Miller, Michelle Miller, George Minnitti, Sr., Rob Nistico, Steven Porreca, John & Jane Ragan, Donna Robillard, Anna Lester I & Lester II, Robinson, Ronan Seybold, Irma Shaw, John R. Smith, Shirleyann Smith, Warren Spivey, Shirley Nancy Stebbins, Joseph C. Stebbins, Mary Lee Tomlinson, Jeanette Trumbauer, Joyce D. Van Scoy & Steve, Terry Lee Williams and Six special intentions.

Please call the parish office if you would like a name added or removed to the list.



Religious Education

Parents of Children in 1st through 8th grade!

Please complete and return the Religious Education Registration Form as soon as possible so we may plan on how many classes we will need, recruit enough Catechists and order materials. If you need a form, please call the Parish Office 609-927-1154 and we will email or snail mail one!

Parents & Grandparents Become a Volunteer!

Be an example of serving others and share your faith with your children/grandchildren and their friends by becoming a Catechist or aide. Only one hour a week, 25 weeks a year. We provide the teacher's textbook and supplies as needed. Just call the Parish Office and we will contact Betty Napoli. Thank you.

AROUND THE PARISH AND DIOCESE

EVENTS

WHAT'S ON THE CHURCH CALENDAR

Mondays **Cleaning of the Church**
9:30 am - 11:30 am

Tuesdays: **Legion of Mary**
9:30 am - 10:30 am
Holy Spirit Prayer Group
1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Wednesdays: **Precious Blood Devotions**
7:00 pm - 8:00 pm - Church

Thursdays: **Cleaning of the Hall**
Church 10:00 am -12 Noon

Fridays: **Bingo - Doors open 6:00pm**
Games start: 7:00 pm

UPCOMING EVENTS

Installation of Pastor *Sunday, September 21st*
10:00 a.m. Mass with
Bishop Joseph Williams -
Refreshments following in
the Hall

OCIA Classes Classes start in September

Religious Education Starts Monday, Sept. 29th

Pro-Life Retreat Sunday, October 26th
(more info to follow)

Art, Antique & Craft Show

Fall Art, Antique & CRAFT SHOW

November 22, 2025 9:00 am- 3:00 pm

Tables are available to rent:

Table Sizes: 6'-\$35 8'-\$40 Electric add-\$5
Tables are reserved with receipt of payment.

Applications available at the parish office

For more information please call **Joan Corson**
(609) 513-7465 or email: **nvcorson@yahoo.com**

SUNDAY OFFERTORY DONATIONS

1ST COLLECTION	\$5,907.00
2ND COLLECTION	\$3,053.00
TOTAL	\$8,960.00
Additional Donations	
Assumption of Mary	\$40.00
Air Conditioning	\$99.00

Average Weekly Donations Beginning
June 1 to August 24, 2025
\$9,502.00

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Our 2025 Goal is: \$78,200.00
Pledges/Gifts \$75,562.00
To go: \$2,638.00

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Around the Parish



Grace Place Food Pantry needs your help!!! Our pantry is out of many items. Please help us replenish our shelves. See the list below...



Groceries can be placed in the back of the church after the weekend Masses.

Thank you for your continued generosity and supporting our ministries at Grace Lutheran Church.

****Shoprite, acme & grocery store gift cards accepted****

- Condiments: ketchup, mustard, mayonnaise etc.
- Canned/powdered gravy mix
- Instant mashed potatoes
- Easy sides- i.e., Knorr sides, rice/pasta mixes
- Spaghetti sauce
- BBQ Sauce
- Sugar, flour, various simple mixes: cakes, brownies, cookies, corn bread (Jiffy brand), frostings (various)
- Baked beans, canned meats
- Salad dressings (various)
- Canned/powdered various soups (clam chowder), Stews
- Peanut butter (Crunchy), jelly & jam (various)
- Bread, rolls, & crackers
- Coffee
- Canned fruit (peaches), applesauce
- Snacks, granola bars
- Instant oatmeal, cereal (various)
- Shampoo & Conditioner, body wash, soaps, toothpaste



**ONE DAY ONLY - WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2025
SHOP 8AM - 11PM**

The Ministry of Motherhood and OLS Walking with Moms is again selling **Bosco's Friends Helping Friends** passes. For a \$5 donation you get 25% off all purchases at **Bosco's** the day of **Wednesday, October 22nd**. For our friends farther afield the pass also works online! All money from passes sold go directly to the **Jersey Shore Women's Center**. Passes can be picked up at the church office. Any questions or, if you would like to help sell passes with your group for us, please contact Alice at 609-431-0655 or acarey13@yahoo.com.



COMMEMORATING THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY
OF THE END OF THE VIETNAM WAR
SEPTEMBER 16-20, 2025



SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

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September 16-20 | 82 ft. Tribute Wall and Cost of Freedom panels on display

September 16 | Arrival of Vietnam Memorial Tribute Wall by American Legion Riders and NJ State Troopers Caravan (12PM)

September 17 | Wreath Laying (11AM) and Veterans Recognition Ceremony (12PM) to honor Vietnam War Era Veterans (1955-1975) featuring the Navy Band Northeast
 • Honoring Alfred Cade, Brigadier General (ret.) posthumously
 • Tribute pins provided to Veterans and families by U.S. Department of Defense

September 18 | Award-Winning Vietnam War Documentary, "A Place of Honor" (12PM) and Atlantic Co. Retired Police & Firemen Assoc./NJ State Troopers Tribute (1PM)

September 19 | Gold Star & Blue Star Mothers' Honor POW/MIA (12PM)

September 20 | New Jersey Knights of Columbus - Mass (4PM)

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— Contact —



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NEWS & EVENTS AROUND *The Parish*

Celebrate the Love You've Built

A Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass and reception for couples celebrating 25, 50, 60, 70, or more years of marriage in 2025.



Your marriage is a beautiful story worth celebrating.

Rejoice with your loved one all the years you've shared and all the memories still to come.

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Light reception to follow
in the parish hall

Sunday, November 16, 2025

Mass - 3 PM
Reception - 4:30 PM

Register through your
parish secretary

Reserve Your Place

Too many milestones pass quietly. The Diocese of Camden hosts a special Mass with Bishop Williams where couples celebrating milestone anniversaries are reminded how much their love matters.

Register by October 25, 2025

Permanent Diaconate

Permanent Diaconate Information Session

The Office of the Diaconate is holding a meeting to provide information and answer questions concerning the life and ministry of a permanent deacon. If you, or someone you know, believe that Christ is calling you to serve the Church as a deacon please attend this meeting:

When: Tuesday, Sept. 16th - 7:00– 8:30pm

**Where: The Diaconate Center
(133 N. 3rd St., Hammonton, NJ)**

Who: Any man ages 30 – 55

Please confirm your attendance by calling the Diaconate Office (856-583-2858) or emailing Linda.decosta@camdendiocese.org

A PLAN TO CARE FOR GOD'S CREATION

Faith without a plan is just a feeling. But a plan rooted in faith can change everything. Learn how to care for God's creation with confidence.

Many Catholics want to live out their faith by caring for God's creation, but:



UNSPOKEN

Environmental issues are rarely discussed leaving Catholics uninformed.



UNCLEAR

It's hard to see how creation suffers without clear information.



CONFUSED

Catholics feel unprepared, often asking, "Why didn't I know about this?"

WHY ATTEND THE CARE FOR CREATION SYMPOSIUM



Two expert speakers

Dr. Elizabeth Cerceo and Dr. Kristen Poole



Connect with others

Passionate about environmental stewardship



Leave with confidence

Knowing how you can care for creation



Gain a toolbox

Actions for your parish and community

We know how discouraging it feels to wonder if you're doing enough for God's creation. The Care for Creation Symposium will give you a clear plan to become a confident steward in your parish and community.

Don't miss this opportunity, presented by the Diocese of Camden's Life and Justice Ministry, to turn your concern into confident action.



Scan the code to learn more and register for free
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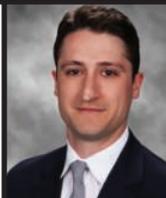
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