



SAINT
TERESA
OF
CALCUTTA
PARISH



If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you.

LUKE 17:6

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Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time October 5th, 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: OCTOBER 5, 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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Facebook Name: Teresa Calcutta

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

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday: 9:00am - 4pm

Friday: 9:00am - 3pm

Office will be closed Monday, 10/13 for Columbus Day

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

Celebrate Deacon Barry Steele	2
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SANCTUARY CANDLES

The Sanctuary candle at St. John's church burns for the intentions of the Faith In Action Ministry & in memory of our members Margie Mannix Gadren, Marilyn Cipolone, & Tim Willson.

CONGRATULATE BARRY STEELE on dedicating his life to be a Deacon, serving God and serving our Church. After the 11am Mass at SJ, there will be a reception in the cafeteria. All are welcome. Join us to congratulate Deacon Steele.

SPECIAL COLLECTION- RESPECT LIFE

This week we will have a special collection for **Respect Life**. Donations will support ministries and organizations that promote the dignity and sanctity of **human life** from **conception to natural death**.

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK:

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

Pray for Our Military

SGT Alex Coutinho, USSpace 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 Tiefertalher L. Corp



PRAY THE ROSARY DAILY

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



ADORATION

Thursday at Holy Saviour Church

9:30am-8pm

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

Intentions for this week's Masses

Saturday, Oct 4

4pm(HS) Diana Paoli Crew r/b Fr Bertonazzi and STC Parish

Sunday, Oct 5

8am(HS) For the People of the Parish

930am(SJ) For the People of the Parish

11am(SJ) Edward Charlton Sr r/b Pat & Neil Lipperini

James C Bertonazzi, III r/b Laurie Power

Margaret Mary Ravitz r/b Marilou Shanefelt

Laura Cappelli r/b Mathew Rogers

Barbara Franckle r/b Fr. Bertonazzi & STC Parish

Kathleen McCarthy r/b Fr Bertonazzi & STC Parish

Celebrate Barry Steele's Diaconate Ordination after the 11am Mass in the Cafeteria

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

Monday, Oct 6

9am(SJ) John Migaleddi r/b the Venafr Family

Tuesday, Oct 7

9am(SJ) George M. Cain r/b Fr. Bertonazzi

Wednesday, Oct 8

9am(SJ) Kathleen Leimkuhler r/b Annette Fleming

Thursday, Oct 9

9am(HS) For the Intentions of Bob Zeigler r/b the Kernan Family

Friday, Oct 10

9am(SJ) For the People of the Parish

Saturday, Oct 11

4pm(HS) For the People of the Parish

Sunday, Oct 12

8am(HS) John Ficarra r/b Jack & Ann Callaghan

930am(SJ) For the People of the Parish

11am(SJ) Celebration of the Baptism of Enzo Dominic Pelli &

Anthony Jordan Casale r/b Fr Bertonazzi & STC Parish

Louis Huntington r/b Lamberto Family

Eva DiBenedetto r/b Vespe Family

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

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

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

Samuel Abdullah & Britney Renner

John & Claire Abruzzo

Daniel Frank & Kristen Jasinski

Anthony & Lidia Generro

Robert & Catherine O'Brien

Brian & Angelica Nelson

Kevin Montufar

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."

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

I have always read Jesus' response to his apostles request to "increase our faith" as criticism. "If you have faith the size of a mustard seed..." I thought Jesus sounded exasperated, as if he was saying "I wish you had such faith—look what you could do with even this little amount." But since asking for more faith seems like a perfectly reasonable request, I'm wondering whether Jesus is saying something else to us.

Faith is a hard thing to talk about—we can't measure it or quantify it or even sometimes identify it. We might look to the lives of the saints and we say yes, that is faith. Look how they lived their lives. We might know some people in our own families who are extraordinarily centered and firm and we say yes, they have faith. Some of us would say our faith is shaky. Some of us would say our faith has disappeared. Most of us would say we want more faith, just as the apostles said to Jesus.

How do we know if we have faith? There is no more comforting experience than to feel one's faith vibrant and operative. We go to mass and we know God's peace in our hearts. We face a difficult situation and know God's presence in the moment. We hear a call to volunteer and find joy in the service. All of these experiences signal to us that God is alive and with us. Our faith seems strong.

But what of those times when God seems so very far away? We struggle, we doubt, we pray, we don't hear answers. We find no joy in mass, we see darkness, not light. Does that mean our faith is gone?

Maybe we can understand faith by thinking about love. Love can be overwhelmingly sweet and warm and when we know those sensations, we are sure of our love. But love can also be unemotional. Love can be a decision we make every day, even when we don't feel those cozy sensations. Love is more than a feeling.

It is the same with faith. We can never equate feeling faith with having faith. Sometimes we have to ride out those dim and dry moments of our faith, for just because we don't feel God doesn't mean that God isn't present and acting in our lives. Nor does it mean that we are not living faithfully. Our patron, St. Teresa, went through years of wondering where her faith went, but she never despaired of God and she never stopped living for God and others. She clung to her longing for faith, and that was her faith.

In today's first reading we hear "For the vision still has its time, presses on to fulfillment, and will not disappoint; if it delays, wait for it, it will surely come, it will not be late." Patience and fortitude are faith's companions. We can always ask God for more faith, but let us not dismiss what we already have been given. Maybe accepting our own meager mustard seed amount, whether we feel it or not, AND USING IT, will be more than enough to move a forest or two.

Peace,
Pat Lipperini

"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: August 2025

Offertory: \$44,401
Surplus / Deficit** **-\$34,894**

Fiscal Year to Date *

Offertory: \$89,556
Surplus/Deficit** **-\$46,545**

* 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. *Provided by the Parish Finance Committee*

PARISH INFORMATION

4TH ANNUAL PARISH SOCIAL SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2025

Join us at the Good Shepherd Cafeteria 6pm to 10pm for good food, dancing, fellowship for only \$30 per ticket! Tickets will be available starting Sept. 13th.

VOLUNTEERS are needed to set up, decorate, sell tickets for prizes, and clean up right after the event. Call Michele Santiago, Event Coordinator—609-598-1787

BASKET DONATIONS:

The Basket Auction at our Annual Dinner is always a great success and a lot of fun! If you are interested in donating a basket to be auctioned and help raise funds for the Parish, then please drop them off at the office by Friday, Oct 3rd.

Please consider donating a basket or to donate items and then our volunteers will make the basket. Thank you!

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.

Choose Season 5 of The Chosen!

The acclaimed series, The Chosen, prompts great discussions of our Faith, and Season 5 is available! ALL are welcome to either of two sessions presenting episode 3 of season 5: Tuesday, October 7th at 9:30 AM or Wednesday, October 8th at 7:00 PM, both in McLaughlin Hall. Subsequent episodes will be same days and times each week.

IMPORTANT: There is NO requirement to have participated in all, or any, of the prior four seasons. Each episode stands on its own. For information, contact Pete Dunn at PeteDunn@financialguide.com, (856) 397-1139, or any Faith In Action member.



SPECIAL EVENTS

October is membership month. The St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish Men's Club is inviting all men of the parish 21+ years of age to our membership events. This is a great opportunity to find out if our club is right for you.

Cornhole Tournament. Sunday, October 12th at 2 pm.

Good Shepherd Parking Lot / Gym, \$20 per player/\$40 per team... Food/Beverage/Football in McLaughlin Hall following the tournament.

October Meeting – Monday, October 13th at 7:45 pm.

Raccoon Taproom, 1 Powell Lane, Collingswood

Beverages and food courtesy of the Men's Club. **RSVP** by October 10th to stteresamensclub@yahoo.com or call/text Josh Wiener at 609-502-3539.

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: October 26th, November 30th, (Skip December!), January 25th

More events to come - watch for them!

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.



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.

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.

PARISH NEWS AND COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Next Weekend's Minister Schedule— Oct 4-5

MASS	LECTOR	EM	SACRISTAN
4pm HS	S White	D Olsen	P Howell
8amHS	K Kowal	Deacon Rocks	R Fearon
9:30am SJ	J Weiner	Deacon Leo	L Roseboro-Brown
11amSJ	B Pascal	Deacon Barry Steele	M Warrington

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@stteresaofcalcuttanj.org

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 **an 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.

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.

How Helping Cleanup Newton Lake Helps the Food Pantry:

*After three completed cleanup events, we qualify for money from a **grant** through Camden County. These funds allow for the purchase of **supplies and plants used in the garden**, maintained by **volunteers**, to **supply fresh vegetables** to clients of our parish's food pantry. **Nov 1st** is our 2nd cleanup day.*

Sponsored by the Justice and Life Committee

STEWARDSHIP SELF-CONTROL

"For God did not give us a spirit of cowardice but rather of power and love and self-control." 2 TIMOTHY 1:7

Many of us compartmentalize our Faith, we bring it out only when we attend Mass or when we attend a parish event. Being a good Steward requires discipline and striving to put God first in everything - all the time. The next time you are at a neighborhood party or at work or out shopping, would your words and actions signal to others that you are a good and faithful servant of our Lord?

Diocese of Camden—Stewardship Office

NEXT K of C HOAGIE SALE IS OCTOBER 11

Friends of Santa Maria Council 1443 - Knights of Columbus Fall Hoagie Sales! Santa Maria Hall 350 Crystal Lake Ave., Haddon Twp, **Saturday, Oct 11th**; Cost is still \$5. Ready by 06:30; stop in by 11am and we should have what you want. We stay until we sell out, which is usually no later than noon. The proceeds are used to help our community.

THANK YOU for our success; it's not possible without you! Remaining hoagie sale dates: **Oct 25; Nov 8 & 22; Dec 6 & 20.**

**South Jersey Catholic Medical Guild &
VITALity Catholic Healthcare Services**
cordially invite you and your guests to the

DIOCESE OF CAMDEN WHITE MASS

Celebrant Bishop Joseph Williams

**Honoring Doctors, Nurses & All Healthcare
Professionals Serving South Jersey**

Sunday, October 12 / 1:00 PM

► **Location:**

The Chapel at Virtua Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital,
1600 Haddon Avenue, Camden, NJ
Reception immediately following the Mass

**We will also celebrate the consecration of the
new altar in the chapel**



Kindly RSVP to:
VITALity-Events@camdendiocese.org
or scan the QR



COMMUNITY & DIOCESAN INFORMATION

EVENTS AROUND US—See Flyers In Vestibules

- ◇ **K of C Membership Drive**—10/4 & 5, all masses.
- ◇ **Candelight Rosary Recitation**—10/7, 8pm Christ the King
- ◇ **Diocesan Ministry Training** in October & November
- ◇ **Diocesan White Mass**—10/11, OLO Lourdes Chapel
- ◇ **Centenarians, Nonagenarians & Octogenarians Mass**—10/5
- ◇ **ManUp Conference**—11/8, 7:30am at Paul VI High School
- ◇ **Wedding Milestone Mass**—11/16, 3pm, St Elizabeth Seton

If you would like a flyer emailed to you, send an email request to Tbest@StTeresaofCalcuttaNJ.org.



A plenary indulgence will be granted to all attendees. Bring your special intentions to Our Holy Mother.

The Rosary Making Ministry of Christ the King Parish warmly invites you to join us in celebrating the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary with an outdoor candlelight Rosary recitation.

October 7th, 2025, at 8 PM
200 Windsor Avenue Haddonfield, NJ 08033



MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

At today's Masses

If you would like to **join the Knights of Columbus, Santa Maria Council #1443**, kindly scan the QR Code or contact Chancellor Mark Lazzaro (856) 261-0750. For the online form, please use - 1443 : for the preferred council and use the code: **'BLESSEDMCGIVNEY'** to **waive the application fee and join for free.** Then be sure to reply to the email so that you complete the process.



WWW.KofC.org/join.

We invite all Catholic men 18 and older to stop by to talk with us after this weekend's Masses.

South Jersey Men's Emmaus



South Jersey Men's Emmaus

November 21 - 23, 2025

Come and experience the journey to Emmaus as together we recognize Jesus in the Breaking of the Bread. Luke 24:13-35

<https://sjemmaus.org>

CALL TO A VOCATION

We are all called to a vocation. Father Bertonazzi invites you to discuss your "calling" with him. Schedule an appointment

The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few; so ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest." Matthew 9:38



MEN'S SPIRITUALITY CONFERENCE

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2025

Join Us For This One-Day Life Changing Event!
"We Are Called To Be Men Of Faith and Pilgrims Of Hope"



Most Rev. Dennis Sullivan
Bishop Emeritus of Camden NJ



Chris Stefanick
Author, Speaker, TV Host



Most Rev. Joseph Williams
Ninth Bishop of Camden NJ



Tom Kendzia
OCP Musician, Composer, Author



Deacon Steve Javie
Former NBA Referee



Eddie Morris
A Man Of Faith, Hope, and Action



Registration and Breakfast Begin at 7:30 Conference Ends at 3:30

Amazing speakers, opportunities for confession, adoration, inspiring music, spiritual reflection, exhibitors, breakfast, lunch, and more

PAUL VI High School
901 Hopkins Rd.
Haddonfield, NJ

Tickets and Information
WWW.MANUPSOUTHJERSEY.COM

Event Sponsor


Catholic Charities Of SJ 21st Annual Dinner
Oct. 16, 2025, Resorts Hotel, Atlantic City
Cocktails at 5:30pm, Dinner & Awards at 7pm

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Life-Long Faith Formation

Register for Faith Formation!



CALCUTTA CREW
The new youth group at our parish. All meetings held in McLaughlin Hall
5:30PM to 7PM on:
10/5 - Grades 9-12
10/19 - Grades 6-12
11/2 - Grades 9-12
11/16 - Grades 6-12
12/14 - Grades 9-12
Contact Daniela Lim or James Bardo with questions:
dlim@stteresaofcalcuttanj.org
jbardo@stteresaofcalcuttanj.org

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**

Coffee & Faith Sharing

Co-led by Barry Steele & Daniela Lim



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 (856)858-0298 or
DLim@stteresaofcalcuttanj.org

Gloucester Catholic Open House!



Discover our programs, explore our campus, and meet our exceptional faculty to learn what the Ram family is all about!

**Wednesday, October 22, 2025
6 PM to 8 PM**

Register here to secure your spot!



SCAN ME

Celebrating 100 Years of Excellence!

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.

OCTOBER IS RESPECT LIFE MONTH

1000 Strong Rosary for Life

Live via conference call

Monday, October 13, 2025*
at 7:00 pm Eastern Time

* October 13 is the 108th anniversary of the Miracle of the Sun at Fatima

Our goal is 1,000+ people praying in Reparation for the Sin of Abortion and for Equal Rights for Babies in the Womb.

**Rosary will be led by priests
from all over New Jersey**

Please register at:



lifeneteducation.org/1000strong

Call-in Number: 1-401-252-0031

Access Code: 759297#



info@lifeneteducation.org | 973-497-4520

SKD Nurse Ministry Presents:

**UNDERSTAND YOUR
CARDIOMETABOLIC
HEALTH & ADDRESS
THE ROOT CAUSE**

An Educational By: Anhthu Pickart, PA-C
Board Certified in Family and Internal Medicine
& Institute for Functional Medicine Provider

Saturday, October 25th
12 noon
Church of St. Katharine Drexel
6077 West Jersey Ave
EHT, NJ 08234



RSVP NEEDED

609-645-7313
Office@skd-parish.org

**DIOCESAN MINISTRY TRAINING
SACRISTAN TRAINING**

Saturday November 8, 2025 Cost: paid by the Parish, Time: 8:30am-12:30pm Location: Church of the Holy Family, Aquin Center, 226 Hurfville Road Sewell, NJ 08080.

Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion Training: Oct 14, 6:30pm to 8:30pm, Zoom & either 10/21 St Mary Parish, Cherry Hill, OR 10/22 St Brendan the Navigator Parish, Avalon at 6:30-8:30pm.

PRAYER MEETING (Saint Rose)

Do you want to know more about the Holy Spirit? Would you like to hear what the Lord is doing in the lives of other? If so, come and check out the Saint Rose Charismatic Prayer Group. We gather every Sunday evening in the Chapel from 6:30pm - 8pm for more information please call Laura Bekier at 856-473-5169. Want people to pray for you? Join the group!

Sacristans Needed For Weekends

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**. **There is a new Diocesan Sacristan Training class on November 8th** which anyone interested may register and the parish covers the cost.

We are short sacristans some weeks and our regular Sacristans are filling in taking extra masses. We also need **substitute sacristans**.

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.

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 to speak to Linda Roseboro-Brown, coordinator.



Call to Worship



Entrance Hymn: "Gather the People", Breaking Bread #510

GATHER YOUR PEOPLE

Bob Hurd

Refrain

Gath - er your peo - ple, O Lord. Gath - er your
peo - ple, O Lord. One bread, one bod - y, one
spir - it of love. Gath - er your peo - ple, O Lord.

Verses

1. Draw us forth to the ta - ble of life:
2. We are parts of the bod - y of Christ,
3. No more harm on the moun - tain of God;
4. Wash us, Lord, in the wa - ters of life;

1. broth - ers and sis - ters, each of us called to
2. need - ing each oth - er, each of the gifts the
3. swords in - to plow - shares. Free us, O Lord, from
4. wa - ters of mer - cy, wa - ters of hope that

2 to Refrain

1. walk in your light.
2. Spir - it pro - vides.
3. hard - ness of heart.
4. flow from your side.

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TO FIND THE NEW MASS PARTS, SINCE THEY ARE NOT LISTED IN THE MUSIC BOOK,
SEARCH ON YOUTUBE FOR "MASS FOR OUR LADY" BY STEVEN WARNER.

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year C

FIRST READING:

Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4

How long, O LORD? I cry for help but you do not listen! I cry out to you, "Violence!" but you do not intervene. Why do you let me see ruin; why must I look at misery? Destruction and violence are before me; there is strife, and clamorous discord. Then the LORD answered me and said: Write down the vision clearly upon the tablets, so that one can read it readily. For the vision still has its time, presses on to fulfillment, and will not disappoint; if it delays, wait for it, it will surely come, it will not be late. The rash one has no integrity; but the just one, because of his faith, shall live.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts. **Psalm 95:1-2, 6-9**

SECOND READING:

2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14

Beloved:

I remind you, to stir into flame the gift of God that you have through the imposition of my hands. For God did not give us a spirit of cowardice but rather of power and love and self-control. So do not be ashamed of your testimony to our Lord, nor of me, a prisoner for his sake; but bear your share of hardship for the gospel with the strength that comes from God.

Take as your norm the sound words that you heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. Guard this rich trust with the help of the Holy Spirit that dwells within us.

GOSPEL:

Luke 17:5-10

The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith." The Lord replied, "If you have faith the size of a mustard seed, you would say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you.

"Who among you would say to your servant who has just come in from plowing or tending sheep in the field, 'Come here immediately and take your place at table'? Would he not rather say to him, 'Prepare something for me to eat. Put on your apron and wait on me while I eat and drink. You may eat and drink when I am finished'?"

Is he grateful to that servant because he did what was commanded? So should it be with you. When you have done all you have been commanded, say, 'We are unprofitable servants; we have done what we were obliged to do.'"

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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.



PRAYER OF ST. FRANCIS

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Verses 1, 2, 4



1. Make me a chan-nel of your peace.
2. Make me a chan-nel of your peace.
4. Make me a chan-nel of your peace.

Where there is ha-tred,
Where there's de-spair in
It is in par-don-



1. let me bring your love. _____
2. life, let me bring hope. _____
4. ing that we are par-doned, _____

Where there is in - ju -
Where there is dark-ness -
In giv - ing of our -



1. ry, your par-don, Lord,
2. _____ on - ly light,
4. selves that we re - ceive,

And where there's doubt, true
And where there's sad - ness
And in dy - ing that we're



1. faith in you.
2. ev - er
4. born to e - ter - nal life.

2. joy.

Verse 3



3. O Mas-ter, grant that I may nev-er seek

So much to be con -



3. soled, as to con - sole,

To be un-der-stood, as to un-der-



3. stand, To be loved, as to love, with all my soul.

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as Pope St. John Paul II beautifully articulated.

Communion Hymn: "We are many parts." Breaking Bread #604

We Are Many Parts

Refrain

We are man - y parts, we are all one bod - y,
and the gifts we have we are giv - en to share.
May the Spir - it of love make us one in - deed;
one, the love that we share, one, our hope in de -
spair, one, the cross that we bear.

Verses

1. God of all, we look to you, we would be your
2. So my pain is pain for you, in your joy is
3. All you seek - ers, great and small, seek the great - est

ser - vants true, let us be your love to all the world.
my joy, too; all is brought to - geth - er in the Lord.
gift of all; if you love, then you will know the Lord.

D.C.

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FAITH OF OUR FATHERS

ST. CATHERINE

Verses



1. Faith of our fa - thers! liv - ing still In spite of dun-geon, fire, and sword.
2. Faith of our fa - thers! we will strive To win all na-tions un - to thee.
3. Faith of our fa - thers! we will love Both friend and foe in all our strife,



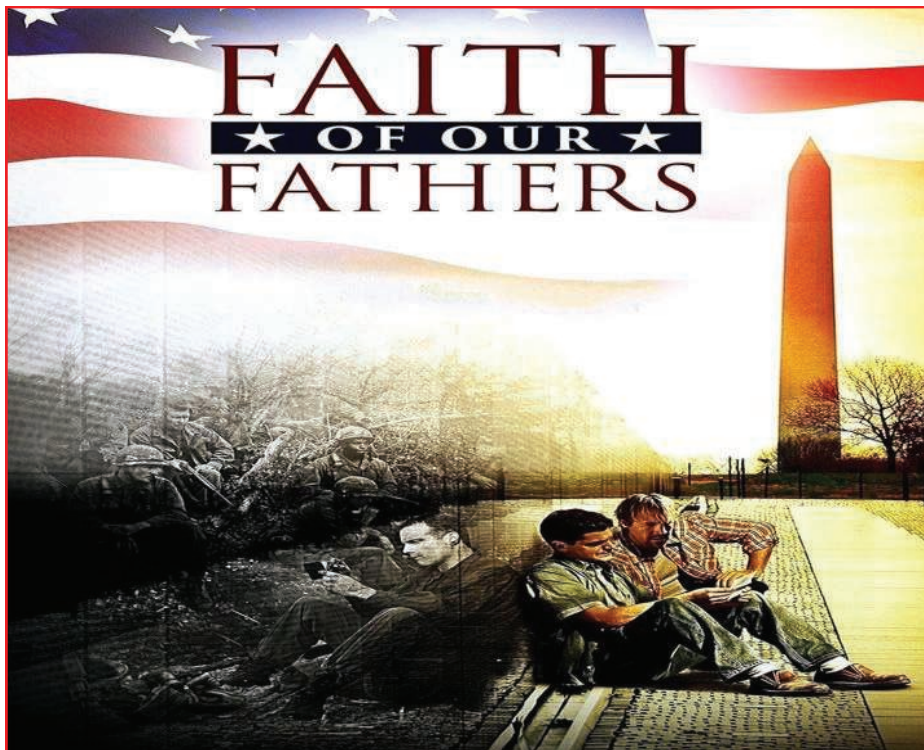
1. O how our hearts beat high with joy When-e'er we hear that glo -
2. And through the truth that comes from God We all shall then be tru -
3. And preach thee, too, as love knows how By kind-ly words and vir -

Refrain



1. rious word! Faith of our fa-thers, ho -ly faith! We will be true to thee till death.
2. ly free:
3. tuous life:

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