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"ALL THE STRENGTH OF SATAN'S REIGN IS DUE TO LUKEWARM CATHOLICS." ST. PIUSX

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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening: 4:30 PM

Sunday: 8:00 - 10:00 AM (English)

12:00 Noon: Traditional Latin Mass

2:00 PM (Spanish)

WEEKDAYS MASS SCHEDULE:

Monday-Friday 8:30 AM (English)

Friday 7:00 PM (Spanish)

HOLY DAYS:

Vigil: 7:00

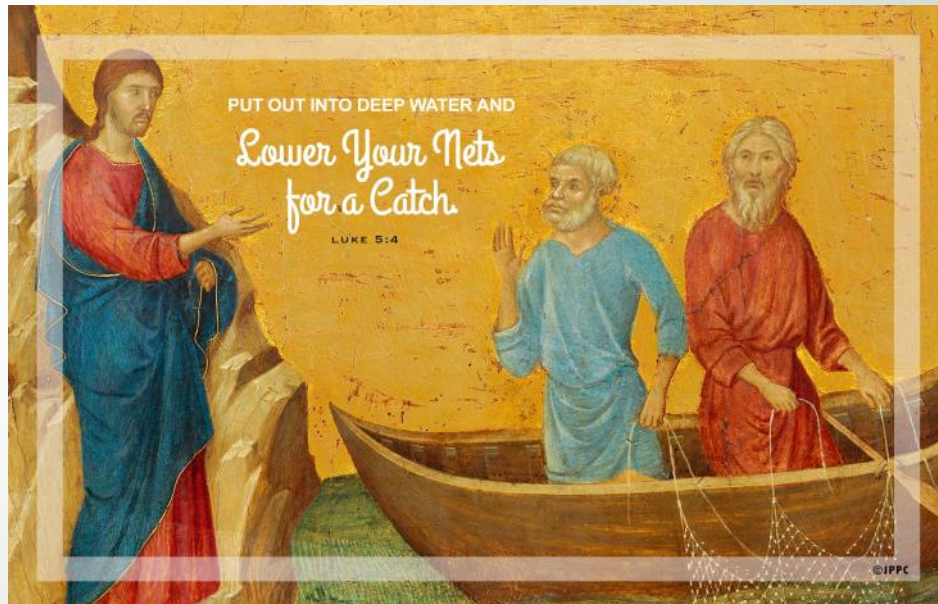
Feast Day: 8:30 AM- 12:00 Noon

7:00 PM (Spanish Mass)

SACRAMENT OF

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:00 – 4:30 PM
Anytime by Appointment



FEBRUARY 6, 2022

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

HYMNS FOR THE WEEKEND

ENTRANCE: #537 St. Michael Hymnal, "God of Grace and God of Glory"

OFFERTORY: #614 St. Michael Hymnal, "Lift High the Cross"

COMMUNION: Taste and See, Back of St. Michael Hymnal, letter "S"

CLOSING: #520 St. Michael Hymnal, "Faith of Our Fathers"



FEAST OF THE LIGHT

Presentation of Our Lord

February 2, 2022

The offering of the Vigil Light is a devout practice grounded in both Scriptural teaching and in Ancient custom. The pious practice of making an offering to God traces back through the earliest records of Old Testament days. Offerings of thanksgiving, of entreaty, or propitiation were common – along with the offering of the first fruits of the land that recognized God’s supremacy over all.

Under the New Testament, the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass became the one Supreme offering. But, even so, the devout Faithful recognized a yearning in their souls to make special and individual offerings of alms, of fasting, of self-denial and of public acts of Faith that served the double purpose of humble acknowledgement of dependency upon God’s Providence and of good example reminding others to turn to prayer in their hour of need or thanksgiving.

During the Middle Ages, certain associations and persons introduced the practice of making offerings in the form of candles for use on the Altars of the Churches and Shrines. In France and England, it was customary to offer a number of candles, or of one large candle totaling the height of the donors – a practice that gave rise to the saying “measuring up to a Saint.” Persons in humbler circumstances brought flowers to their Altars and Shrines and later small candles – candles that have come down to us under the name Vigil Lights.

Today, these Lights burn before countless Shrines and Side Altars in all parts of the world. They remind us of devout, sorrowing or grateful individuals, who have knelt there, made an offering for carrying on the work of Christ and the Church and poured out their prayers of worship, entreaty, propitiation or thanksgiving.

Called away by their daily tasks, they left a burning candle behind, a symbol that, while their bodies were elsewhere, their hearts and minds still lingered before the Altar, offering up in silent prayers that mingle constantly with their thoughts while they are about their daily business.

And they have left a symbol that says to other burdened mortals, “Come, do likewise. Find peace for your souls at the footstool of God.” A symbol, moreover of our Savior’s consoling words, “Come to Me, all you who labor and are burdened and I will refresh you.”

Vigil lights are an outward symbol of Faith. They set good example, tending to encourage and strengthen others in their time of either trial or joy, and they provide offerings, which are useful in carrying on the labors of the Church.



St. Peter's Stewardship Prayer

Dear Lord, Send your Spirit to open my heart and mind. **Give** me wisdom to guide my Faith journey of stewardship, **Help** me to graciously recognize that everything is a gift from You. **Inspire** me to use these gifts generously to **give back to You**. Amen.



Dear Parishioners,

In order to serve the Priests and the People of the Parish in an orderly manner, we need everyone's help. Regarding the following...

Bulletin Announcements/Articles

While the Parish is happy to place all articles/announcements you wish to appear in the Parish bulletin we kindly ask you to please **submit** those **articles/announcements to the Parish office on Mondays so we can reach the Bulletin deadline.**

Please refrain from handling administrative affairs in the Sacristy of the Church, most especially before or after of any of the liturgies. The Sacristy of the Church is used by Priests, Deacons and Altar Servers preparing to celebrate the liturgies and distractions of this nature can easily disturb the holiness and the tranquility they need.

Pulpit Announcements

Due to time, Diocese and Parish priorities, Pulpit announcements are limited and subject to the Pastor's discretion.

Flyers, cards and/or propaganda in the Church (*bulletin boards at the entrances of the Church*)

Our Parish welcomes Parishioners, Visitors and Friends to God's house every day. We are proud of the appearance of our Church and our heartfelt thanks to those people working to keep God's dwelling in order, devoid of disturbing distractions, and preserving the décor and respect our Lord deserves.

We ask you to please remember that:

- 1) NO announcements/articles and/or propaganda of any kind are permitted on the *Main Bulletin Boards* placed in the Gathering Area of the Church
- 2) Flyers of events that are not taking place in our Parish are welcome to be placed at any of the four bulletin boards (side entrances of the Church). However, they need to be submitted to the Parish office for Pastoral approval.

Private meetings & invitations to the Parish Priests

If you would like to make an appointment to meet with one of the Priests or invite them to a special celebration, please call the Parish office (Monday – Thursday, 9 a.m-4 p.m.) to do so. Remember that the Priests' schedule of appointments is handled by the administrative staff of the Parish.

Thank you so much for your understanding, your help, and cooperation.



Share the Word Prayer Group

The purpose of a Prayer Group is to give members of the Church the opportunity to engage in a Ministry of Prayer for the Church, other members, specific concerns, and local and world events. Our Prayer Group meets every Wednesday in the Choir Room (behind the Altar in our Church) to share with each other our prayer concerns. Come be a part of our group! We start our meeting praying the Rosary at 9:15 AM and the meeting follows immediately after. We invite you to come and to be a powerful part of prayer.

The Senior Group at St Gianna in Northfield is inviting new members to come out and participate in their senior get together on the second Wednesday of each month from 12:45 until 2:30 PM.

They meet in the Parish hall (behind the church building) to socialize, play some games, and enjoy light refreshments. Everyone is welcome!! Please come on in to enjoy a fun afternoon with this lovely and welcoming group of seniors. For more info please call Maryann 609-226-2130. Hope to see you soon!!



Bingo

WEDNESDAYS & SATURDAYS

Doors Open at 8:30AM. Players come and enjoy our *newly renovated* Parish Hall (Behind the church). \$1,000 in prize money. Instant winners. Progressive Jack-Pots. Also, coffee, bagels, donuts and lots of fun. Come and enjoy the games!!

SODALITY OF ST. GIANNA BERETTA MOLLA PARISH

The Sodality is a Spiritual organization of women who are devoted to the Blessed Mother and who promote the Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy.

MEETING: There will be no meeting in February. Our next meeting will be Tuesday, March 1st at 7:00PM. All are welcome.

EXPECTANT MOTHERS: The Sodality of St. Gianna Parish welcomes all infants into the Church and prays for all expectant mothers who request prayers for their babies who are soon to be born. All pregnant women are welcome to contact Teri Clark (609) 641-4245 for further information. Thank you for your prayers for Kristi Lee Young Hutchinson. Dennis William was born on January 28th happy and healthy. Please let us know if you would like to add anyone to our expectant mother's prayer list.

MONTHLY COLLECTION: Thank you to all that donated hats and gloves in January. They were greatly appreciated during the past snowstorm. We will be collecting Blankets the entire month of February. Please leave your donation in the basket in the vestibule of the Church or with a Sodality member.

NEW MEMBERS: All women over the age of 18 are welcome to join Sodality. We would love to welcome new members to join this holy and blessed organization. If interested or would like more information, please contact Linda Cohen at 609-703-6962.

"Gossip dies when it hits a wise person's ears."



**St. Gianna Beretta Molla Parish Third Keys & Roses Award Banquet
RESORTS CASINO & HOTEL
FRIDAY, APRIL 29, 2022 at 6:30 PM**

Dear Parish Family of St. Gianna,

As you may be aware the new surge in COVID-19 infections has led some major event organizers to cancel/postpone many shows and sporting events. Unfortunately, our Parish is not the exception.

Parishes of the Diocese of Camden received from the Bishop's office a reminder about the COVID-19 Protocols to be observed by all the Churches in the Diocese of Camden for safeguarding the faithful during the pandemic. Following that, and due to the growing escalation of the Covid-19 outbreak in our area, after close consultation with Resorts Casino organizers, we've made the decision to postpone our banquet.

Original Third Keys & Roses Date: Friday, January 21, 2022

New Date: Friday, April 29, 2022

As your Pastor, I thank you for your understanding and continued support, and I hope to see you on Friday, April 29, 2022 at 6:30 PM sharp!

Please note that we will continue selling tickets for our first-class and safe Keys & Roses Award Banquet event after all the weekend Masses and at the Parish office until Thursday, April 20th. Stay safe.

Yours In Christ,

Fr. Anthony

KEEP IN MIND: Resorts will set aside 20 rooms at a \$79 rate, not including taxes and fees. You can make your room reservations by calling Resorts Casino Services at 609-340-6760. Please mention that you are attending the Gala and mention the group code: **VSGB122** to get the \$79 rate.

Father's Quick Quote: "Prayer is the road to Heaven but Faith opens the doors."

Friday, February 29, 2022
 Grand Prize To Be Raffle That Night

Every person attending our joyful banquet will have the opportunity to participate in this fabulous raffle. Yes!! Resorts is donating the Grand Prize which consists of an Overnight Suite accommodation for one night, any Sunday through Friday, excluding holidays. The room will also include a very nice in-room amenity. The package will also include dinner for 2 in either of our Gourmet restaurants, Capriccio's or Dougherty's Steak house. Come and celebrate with us! Tickets can be purchase after any of our weekend masses in the Gathering Area of the Church.



CONTRIBUTION ENVELOPE SETS ARE FINALLY HERE!!

We are sincerely thankful to you for your cooperation in using Contribution Envelopes each Sunday. It shows not only good example but also helps us in our system of running our Parish. Envelopes are placed on tables in the Gathering Area of the Church. They are in alphabetical order by Parishioners' last name. If your set it is not there please stop by the office to obtain your set. If you can, we ask you to please bring the set of contribution envelopes to those who you may know are homebound or not coming to church yet. Many of our dear parishioners send in their contributions religiously. Thank you!

REQUESTS FOR ELIGIBILITY CERTIFICATES

The role of a sponsor is primarily a Spiritual role to model a Christian life for the child. Therefore, anyone requesting a certificate **must** be a registered, **participating** member of St. Gianna Beretta Molla Parish, a **practicing** Catholic in good standing (not living in violation of the Church laws), at least 16 years of age and **have received the sacraments of initiation** (Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist).

2022 MASS BOOK OPEN

We are extremely blessed with Parishioners who practice in Faith Our Lord's teachings of both the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy. They have reverently buried their deceased loved ones and continue in Spiritual Works of Mercy to remember them by offering Masses for the happy repose of their Souls. Parishes of the Diocese are permitted **one Mass** per week with **multiple intentions**. In our Parish the assigned Mass is the **10:00 AM Mass on Sundays**. The donation for an Announced Mass remains at \$15 and for Unannounced \$10. Please keep in mind that the Masses are assigned on a first-come-first-serve basis.



Monday-Thursday:
 9 AM – 4 PM
CLOSED ON FRIDAYS



Love. Grow. Serve.

FROM THE PARISH OFFICE

A warm welcome is extended to all who have come to the Faith community of St. Gianna Beretta Molla Parish this weekend to join us in worship. We are grateful to our faithful Parishioners who come every weekend and we welcome **all** of our neighbors and guests who visit us occasionally. Thank you for being here! If you are not receiving Contribution envelopes or regular mailings from us and you usually join us for worship, please register!

- A) SO WE KNOW WHO YOU ARE
- B) SO YOU CAN BE ON OUR MAILING LIST
- C) MOST IMPORTANTLY , SO WE CAN SERVE YOU!

You are important to us and hopefully we are to you. Let us know who you are. Registration forms are placed in the Gathering Area of the Church (green binder – English & Spanish). Registration in the Parish facilitates access to the Religious Education Program and other Parish Ministries. Also, it enables the Parish to provide you with letters, Certificates of Eligibility to serve as Sponsors at Baptism / Confirmation, and many others matters.

Regarding Marriage....

Couples planning to marry at St. Gianna are expected to contact the Priest to arrange a date and time **FIRST**. Second, they must attend the Pre-Cana conferences as mandated by the Most Reverend Bishop. The period of preparation for marriage is a minimum of six months to ensure completion of all arrangements before the wedding date. *No Exceptions.*

Regarding Funerals...

The proper form of Church Burial for a Baptized Catholic is the Mass of Christian Burial, not a “service” at the funeral home. Please remind your family members and friends.

South Jersey Catholic Cemeteries Offers Numerous Pre-Planning Discounts

South Jersey Catholic Cemeteries offers several pre-planning discounts. A pre-need discount is available on any purchase of burial, entombment or inurnment rights purchased while the intended occupant (s) of the right is still living. To learn more about our discounts, please call Catholic Cemeteries at 855-697-7375.

Remember, the *kneelers* are for kneeling. We kindly ask that you not use them, up or down, as *foot-rests*. Thanks

Our Parish community extends its deepest condolences to the family and friends of **Marjorie J. Potenza**. May her soul and the souls of all the Faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Rest in Peace

Father’s Quick Quote:
“Prayer is the road to Heaven but Faith opens the doors.”



families that
PRAY TOGETHER
stay together.

**REPORT
SEXUAL ABUSE**

An independent, toll-free number has been established by the Diocese of Camden to help callers report cases of sexual abuse by priests, deacons, religious, employees and/or volunteers. Calls are handled by a licensed clinical social worker. In accord with state law, cases of child sexual abuse are reported to the N.J. Division of Child Protection and Permanency and law enforcement. For information or to inquire about counseling and support services, call 1-800-964-6588.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 5

4:30 PM **Neve Marino** r/b Joan & Carole Catani

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 6

8:00 AM **Pompei & Isabel Palmentieri**
r/b Their Children

10:00 AM **Victor S. Vergulti** r/b Theresa Vergulti
La Mae Perez r/b Sue & Vincent Bruno
Jason Dillon r/b Phillip Family

12:00 Noon **John J. DeLury** r/b John Santoliquido

2:00 PM **Thelma Dominguez** r/b Lucia Osoria & Familia

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 7

8:30 AM **Melissa Zaug** r/b Bob & Bonnie Haymaker

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 8

8:30 AM **Parents With Special Needs Children**
r/b Marie McGettigan

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 9

8:30 AM **Intentions of Pat & Nancy Orlando**

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10

8:30 AM **Intentions of Fr. Anthony Manuppella**
r/b The Coyle Family

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11

8:30 AM **Axel Carrizo** r/b Family
7:00 PM **Living & Deceased Members of the Parish**

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12

4:30 PM **Virginia Scott** r/b Justine O'Brien

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 13

8:00 AM **Virginia Scott** r/b BINGO Volunteers
10:00 AM **Jared Corona** r/b Thomas & Marie Falvo
Jorge Romero r/b Family
Virginia Scott r/b Family
John McGettigan r/b Marie McGettigan
12 Noon **Healing of Costello Family** r/b Barbara Costello
2:00 PM **Living & Deceased Members of the Parish**

FEBRUARY—FEBRUARY 4

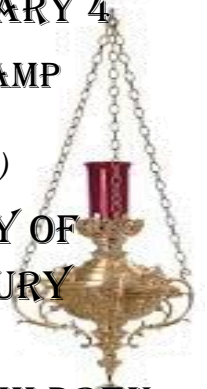
**THE SANCTUARY LAMP
WILL BURN**

(above the Main Altar)

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF
BERNARD E. DE LURY**

Requested by

CHILDREN & GRANDCHILDREN



SPONSOR OF THE WEEK

We would like to thank the
RONNIE'S GARDEN CENTER
1520 New Road, Northfield, NJ
For advertising in our weekly bulletin

Father Quick Quote:

"The meaning of life is to find your gift. The purpose of life is to give it away." Pablo Picasso

SANCTUARY LAMP

To request that the Sanctuary lamp (above the Altar) burn for your intentions or in memory of a loved one, please complete the form below and return it to the Parish office. Your request for the Sanctuary Lamp will be sequentially (**on a first-come, first-served basis**) assigned and will be ANNOUNCED and PUBLISHED in the Parish bulletin.

SANCTUARY LAMP REQUEST

Sanctuary Lamp in Memory of:

Requested by:

Phone #: _____

Donation (\$20) Cash Enclosed: ____ Check #: ____



THE LORD'S REAL PRESENCE

We are fortunate enough to worship in a Church in which the **Body of Christ** is reserved. It is right to acknowledge the **Lord's Real Presence** with a brief act of worship on entering or leaving the Church and every time passing by the Sanctuary. Normally, a *genuflection* in the direction of the place of Reservation is enough. One who is physically unable to genuflect may substitute a *profound bow* at the waist .



If You Cannot Be On Time, Then Be EARLY.
Making Time For Prayer Strengthens Our
Connection With God



Please make every effort to arrive on time for the start of Holy Mass, which begins with the Sign of the Cross and ends with the dismissal, "Go in Peace." It is the Lord we insult when we do not give Him our time. He is never too busy to be with us!

Family and friends for whose intentions the Mass is being offered are invited to bring up the Offertory Gifts at the Mass. Before the Liturgy begins, please indicate your intention to one of the Parish Ushers.



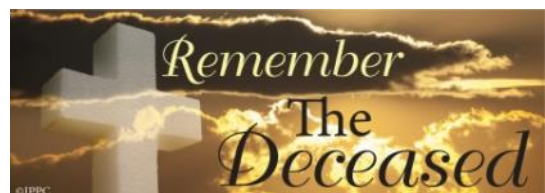
In order to keep our records up to date and also stop the mailing of contribution envelopes during the summer/winter months, please note that we would appreciate hearing from parishioners who are summer residents in our Parish before they move away. Thank you for your cooperation.



REGARDING CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS... Starting February 29, 2022 your 2021 Contribution Statement can be picked up at the Parish office during office hours (Monday-Friday, 9:00AM-4:00PM). We appreciate you calling in advance so it can be prepared for you. Thank you for your cooperation. *Statements for contributions to the Diocese of Camden (House of Charity and/or the Catholic Strong) campaigns will be mailed by the Diocese.



St. Gianna's Praesidium (this is what a Parish Legion of Mary group is known as) meets each Tuesday at 3:00 PM in the Church (Choir room located behind the Altar). You are most welcome to join us. Please mark your calendar and plan to attend our next meeting.



FIRST READING FROM THE BOOK OF THE PROPHET ISAIAH

In the year King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord seated on a high and lofty throne, with the train of his garment filling the temple. Seraphim were stationed above. They cried one to the other, "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts! All the earth is filled with his glory!" At the sound of that cry, the frame of the door shook and the house was filled with smoke. Then I said, "Woe is me, I am doomed! For I am a man of unclean lips, living among a people of unclean lips; yet my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!" Then one of the seraphim flew to me, holding an ember that he had taken with tongs from the altar. He touched my mouth with it, and said, "See, now that this has touched your lips, your wickedness is removed, your sin purged." Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?" "Here I am," I said; "send me!" The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

R. In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord.

I will give thanks to you, O LORD, with all my heart, for you have heard the words of my mouth;
in the presence of the angels I will sing your praise;

I will worship at your holy temple and give thanks to your name. **R.**

Because of your kindness and your truth; for you have made great above all things
your name and your promise. When I called, you answered me; you built up strength within me. **R.**

All the kings of the earth shall give thanks to you, O LORD, when they hear the words of your mouth; and they
shall sing of the ways of the LORD: "Great is the glory of the LORD." **R.**

Your right hand saves me. The LORD will complete what he has done for me;
your kindness, O LORD, endures forever; forsake not the work of your hands. **R.**

SECOND READING FROM THE FIRST LETTER OF SAINT PAUL TO THE CORINTHIANS

I am reminding you, brothers and sisters, of the gospel I preached to you, which you indeed received and in which you also stand. Through it you are also being saved, if you hold fast to the word I preached to you, unless you believed in vain. For I handed on to you as of first importance what I also received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures; that he was buried; that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures; that he appeared to Cephas, then to the Twelve. After that, Christ appeared to more than five hundred brothers at once, most of whom are still living, though some have fallen asleep. After that he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. Last of all, as to one born abnormally, he appeared to me. For I am the least of the apostles, not fit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace to me has not been ineffective. Indeed, I have toiled harder than all of them; not I, however, but the grace of God that is with me. Therefore, whether it be I or they, so we preach and so you believed

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Come after me and I will make you fishers of men.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

A READING FROM THE HOLY GOSPEL ACCORDING TO LUKE

While the crowd was pressing in on Jesus and listening to the word of God, he was standing by the Lake of Gennesaret. He saw two boats there alongside the lake; the fishermen had disembarked and were washing their nets. Getting into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, he asked him to put out a short distance from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. After he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into deep water and lower your nets for a catch." Simon said in reply, "Master, we have worked hard all night and have caught nothing, but at your command I will lower the nets." When they had done this, they caught a great number of fish and their nets were tearing. They signaled to their partners in the other boat to come to help them. They came and filled both boats so that the boats were in danger of sinking. When Simon Peter saw this, he fell at the knees of Jesus and said, "Depart from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man." For astonishment at the catch of fish they had made seized him and all those with him, and likewise James and John, the sons of Zebedee, who were partners of Simon. Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching men." When they brought their boats to the shore, they left everything and followed him.

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ**

FEBRERO 2

FESTIVIDAD DE LA PRESENTACION DE NUESTRO SENOR

FESTIVIDAD DE LA LUZ

La ofrenda de las Velas de Vigilia es una práctica devota basada tanto en la enseñanza de las Escrituras como en la antigua costumbre. La práctica piadosa de hacer una ofrenda a Dios se remonta a los registros más antiguos de los días del Antiguo Testamento. Las ofrendas de acción de gracias, la súplica o la propiciación eran comunes, junto con la ofrenda de los primeros frutos de la tierra que reconocía la supremacía de Dios sobre todos.

Bajo el Nuevo Testamento, el Santo Sacrificio de la Misa se convirtió en la ofrenda suprema. Pero, aun así, los fieles devotos reconocieron un anhelo en sus almas por hacer ofrendas especiales e individuales de limosna, ayuno, abnegación y actos públicos de fe que sirvieron al doble propósito del humilde reconocimiento de la dependencia de la providencia de Dios y el buen ejemplo que recuerda a otros que recurran a la oración a la hora de necesidad o de acción de gracias.

Durante la Edad Media, ciertas asociaciones y personas introdujeron la práctica de hacer ofrendas en forma de velas para su uso en los altares de las iglesias y santuarios. En Francia e Inglaterra, se acostumbraba a ofrecer varias velas, o de una vela grande que totalizaba la altura de los donantes, una práctica que dio lugar al dicho "a la medida de un Santo". Las personas en circunstancias más humildes traían flores a los altares y santuarios y luego pequeñas velas – velas que fueron reconocidas con el nombre de Velas de Vigilia. .

Hoy en día, estas luces arden ante innumerables santuarios y altares en todas partes del mundo. Nos recuerdan a individuos devotos, tristes o agradecidos que se arrodillan para ofrecer una ofrenda por continuar la obra de Cristo y la Iglesia y derraman sus oraciones de adoración, súplica, propiciación o acción de gracias.

Ocupados por sus tareas diarias, dejan una vela encendida, como un símbolo que, mientras sus cuerpos están en otra parte, sus corazones y mentes aún permanecen ante el Altar, ofreciendo silenciosas oraciones que se mezclan constantemente con sus pensamientos mientras están cerca de ellos.

Y han dejado un símbolo que dice a otros mortales agobiados: "Vengan, hagan lo mismo. Encuentra paz para tus almas en el estrado de Dios." Un símbolo, que dice como las palabras consoladoras de nuestro Salvador, " Vengan a Mí, todos los que trabajan y están agobiados, que yo los refrescaré ".

Las velas de vigilia son un símbolo externo de la fe, y son un buen ejemplo, que tienden a animar y a fortalecer a todos en momentos de prueba o de alegría, y ofrecen la posibilidad de ofrecer ofrendas que son útiles para llevar a cabo las labores de la Iglesia.

Si usted visita semanalmente St. Giana y aún no se ha registrado formalmente en la Parroquia por favor hágalo. Usted y su familia son importantes para nosotros y esperamos que nosotros lo seamos para usted. Las planillas de registraci3n est1n ubicadas en el vestibule de la iglesia. El proceso de registraci3n es simple, confidencial y muy importante para la administraci3n de nuestra Parroquia y para servir mejor a nuestra comunidad. Para m1s informaci3n comuniquese con la oficina parroquial (609)646-5611.



LA PRESENCIA REAL DE DIOS



Por favor recuerden que en nuestra Parroquia somos afortunados de poder alabar a Dios en una iglesia donde el Cuerpo de Cristo est1 permanentemente reservado en el tabern1culo del Altar. Es nuestra obligaci3n reconocer la Presencia de Cristo y actuar con suma reverencia al entrar a Su casa.

A todas aquellas personas que no tengan impedimentos f1sicos y que forman parte de la gran familia de Santa Gianna o que visitan nuestra Iglesia se les invita, con el mayor respeto posible, a arrodillarse en direcci3n al Altar, al entrar o al salir de la iglesia o al pasar por delante del Tabern1culo. Aquellos que por necesidades fisiol3gicas o impedimentos de salud no lo puedan hacer se les invita a inclinar su cabezas con la pertinente reverencia. Las buenas costumbres y el respeto a Dios no son cosas antiguas o pasadas de moda. Son costumbres que debemos conservar especialmente en la Casa de Dios. Gracias por su colaboraci3n.

Denuncie el Abuso Sexual

Un n1mero telef3nico gratuito e independiente ha sido establecido por la Di3cesis de Camden para ayudar a los personas a denunciar casos de abusos sexuales por sacerdotes, di1conos, religiosos, empleados y/o voluntarios. De acuerdo a la ley del estado, los abusos de menores son reportados a la Divisi3n de Protecci3n de la Infancia y la Permanencia y a la policia. Para m1s informaci3n lame at 1-800-964-6588.

HORARIO DE MISAS EN ESPAÑOL

VIERNES A LAS 7:00 PM

DOMINGOS A LAS 2:00 PM

SACRAMENTO DE CONFESI3N: TODOS LOS VIERNES DE 6:15-6:45 pm y todos los s1bados de 3-4:30 pm. Fuera de estos horarios, por favor llamar a la oficina parroquial.

PRIMERA LECTURA DEL PROFETA ISAIAS

El a1o de la muerte del rey Oz1as, vi al Se1or, sentado sobre un trono muy alto y magnifico. La orla de su manto llenaba el templo. Hab1a dos serafines junto a 1l, con seis alas cada uno, que se gritaban el uno al otro: "Santo, santo, santo es el Se1or, Dios de los ej1rcitos; su gloria llena toda la tierra". Temblaban las puertas al clamor de su voz y el templo se llenaba de humo. Entonces exclam1: "¡Ay de m1! estoy perdido, porque soy un hombre de labios impuros, que habito en medio de un pueblo de labios impuros, porque he visto con mis ojos al Rey y Se1or de los ej1rcitos." Despu1s vol3 hacia m1 uno de los serafines. Llevaba en la mano una brasa, que hab1a tomado del altar con unas tenazas. Con la brasa me toc3 la boca, dici3ndome: "Mira: Esto ha tocado tus labios. Tu iniquidad ha sido quitada y tus pecados est1n perdonados." Escuch1 entonces la voz del Se1or que dec1a: "¿A qui1n enviar1? ¿Qui1n ir1 de parte m1a?" Yo le respond1: "Aqu1 estoy, Se1or, env1ame."

Palabra de Dios. **Te alabamos Se1or.**

SALMO RESPONSORIAL:

R. Cuando te invocamos, Señor, nos escuchaste.

De todo corazón te damos gracias, Señor, porque escuchaste nuestros ruegos.

Te cantaremos delante de tus ángeles, te adoraremos en tu templo.

R. Cuando te invocamos, Señor, nos escuchaste.

Señor, te damos gracias por tu lealtad y por tu amor:

siempre que te invocamos nos oíste y nos llenaste de valor.

R. Cuando te invocamos, Señor, nos escuchaste.

Que todos los reyes de la tierra te reconozcan,
al escuchar tus prodigios. Que alaben tus caminos, porque tu gloria es inmensa.

R. Cuando te invocamos, Señor, nos escuchaste.

Tu mano, Señor, nos podrá a salvo, y así concluirás en nosotros tu obra.

Señor, tu amor perdura eternamente; obra tuya soy, no me abandones.

R. Cuando te invocamos, Señor, nos escuchaste.

SEGUNDA LECTURA

PRIMERA CARTA DEL APOSTOL SAN PABLO A LOS CORINTIOS

Hermanos: Les recuerdo el Evangelio que yo les prediqué y que ustedes aceptaron y en el cual están firmes. Este Evangelio los salvará, si lo cumplen tal y como yo lo prediqué. De otro modo, habrán creído en vano. Les transmití, ante todo, lo que yo mismo recibí: que Cristo murió por nuestros pecados, como dicen las Escrituras; que fue sepultado y que resucitó al tercer día, según estaba escrito; que se le apareció a Pedro y luego a los Doce; después se apareció a más de quinientos hermanos reunidos, la mayoría de los cuales vive aún y otros ya murieron. Más tarde se le apareció a Santiago y luego a todos los apóstoles. Finalmente, se me apareció también a mí, que soy como un aborto. Porque yo perseguí a la Iglesia de Dios y por eso soy el último de los apóstoles e indigno de llamarme apóstol. Sin embargo, por la gracia de Dios, soy lo que soy, y su gracia no ha sido estéril en mí; al contrario, he trabajado más que todos ellos, aunque no he sido yo, sino la gracia de Dios, que está conmigo. De cualquier manera, sea yo, sean ellos, esto es lo que nosotros predicamos y esto mismo lo que ustedes han creído.

Palabra de Dios. **Te alabamos Señor.**

R. Aleluya

Síganme, dice el Señor, y yo los haré pescadores de hombres.

R. Aleluya

LECTURA DEL SANTO EVANGELIO SEGUN SAN LUCAS

En aquel tiempo, Jesús estaba a orillas del lago de Genesaret y la gente se agolpaba en torno suyo para oír la palabra de Dios. Jesús vio dos barcas que estaban junto a la orilla. Los pescadores habían desembarcado y estaban lavando las redes. Subió Jesús a una de las barcas, la de Simón, le pidió que la alejara un poco de tierra, y sentado en la barca, enseñaba a la multitud. Cuando acabó de hablar, dijo a Simón: "Lleva la barca mar adentro y echen sus redes para pescar". Simón replicó: "Maestro, hemos trabajado toda la noche y no hemos pescado nada; pero, confiado en tu palabra, echaré las redes". Así lo hizo y cogieron tal cantidad de pescados, que las redes se rompían. Entonces hicieron señas a sus compañeros, que estaban en la otra barca, para que vinieran a ayudarlos. Vinieron ellos y llenaron tanto las dos barcas, que casi se hundían. Al ver esto, Simón Pedro se arrojó a los pies de Jesús y le dijo: "¡Apártate de mí, Señor, porque soy un pecador!" Porque tanto él como sus compañeros estaban llenos de asombro al ver la pesca que habían conseguido. Lo mismo les pasaba a Santiago y a Juan, hijos de Zebedeo, que eran compañeros de Simón. Entonces Jesús le dijo a Simón: "No temas; desde ahora serás pescador de hombres". Luego llevaron las barcas a tierra y, dejándolo todo, lo siguieron.

Palabra de Dios. **Gloria a Ti Señor.**

Cantos Misa Hispana

V Domingo de Tiempo Ordinario

ENTRADA

QUIERO DECIRTE QUE SÍ

Yo siento tu voz muy dentro de mí
diciéndome: «Ven, sígueme».
Con gozo te doy las gracias, Jesús,
y quiero decirte que sí.

**SABIENDO QUE TÚ ME LLAMAS, SEÑOR,
QUIERO DECIRTE QUE SÍ,
/ CON MIS HERMANOS Y EN LIBERTAD,
QUIERO DECIRTE QUE SÍ. / (2)**



OFERTORIO

PESCADOR

Pescador, que al pasar por la orilla
del lago me viste secando mis redes al sol.
Tu mirar, se cruzó con mis ojos cansados
y entraste en mi vida buscando mi amor.

**PESCADOR, EN MIS MANOS
HAS PUESTO OTRAS REDES
QUE PUEDAN GANARTE LA PESCA MEJOR.
Y AL LLEVARME CONTIGO EN LA BARCA
ME NOMBRASTE, SEÑOR, PESCADOR.**

Pescador, entre tantos que había en la playa,
tus ojos me vieron, tu boca me habló.
Y a pesar de sentirse mi cuerpo cansado
mis pies en la arena siguieron tu voz.

Pescador, manejando mis artes de pesca
en otras riberas mi vida quedó.
Al querer que por todos los mares del mundo
trabajen mis fuerzas por Ti, pescador.



**Gracias, gracias Señor por habertos
concedido tu fortaleza y tu compacion
Gracias, Gracias Señor por habernos invitados
al banquete de la comunión.**

COMUNION

PESCADOR DE HOMBRES

Tú, has venido a la orilla,
no has buscado ni a sabios ni a ricos;
tan sólo quieres que yo te siga.

**SEÑOR, ME HAS MIRADO A LOS OJOS,
SONRIENDO HAS DICHO MI NOMBRE,
EN LA ARENA HE DEJADO MI BARCA
JUNTO A TI BUSCARÉ OTRO MAR.**

Tú, sabes bien lo que tengo,
en mi barca no hay oro ni espada,
tan sólo redes y mi trabajo.

Tú, necesitas mis manos,
mi cansancio que a otros descansa,
amor que quiera seguir amando.

Tú, pescador de otros lagos,
ansia eterna de hombres que esperan,
amigo bueno que así me llamas.
ESTRIBILLO.



SALIDA

GRACIAS SEÑOR

Alimentados por tu cuerpo y sangre
fotalecidos por tu gracia y tu perdón
queremos hoy llevar al mundo entero
la buena nueva de tu amor y salvación.

Queremos servirte y proclamar
a todos los pueblos tu fidelidad
queremos amarte y anunciar
que tu eres la vida y la verdad.