

ST. GIANNA BERETTA MOLLA PARISH

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

AN OASIS OF FAITH AT THE GATEWAY TO THE SHORE

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

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening: 4:30 PM

Sunday: 8:00 & 10:00 AM. (English)

12 Noon: Traditional Latin Mass

2:00 PM (Spanish)

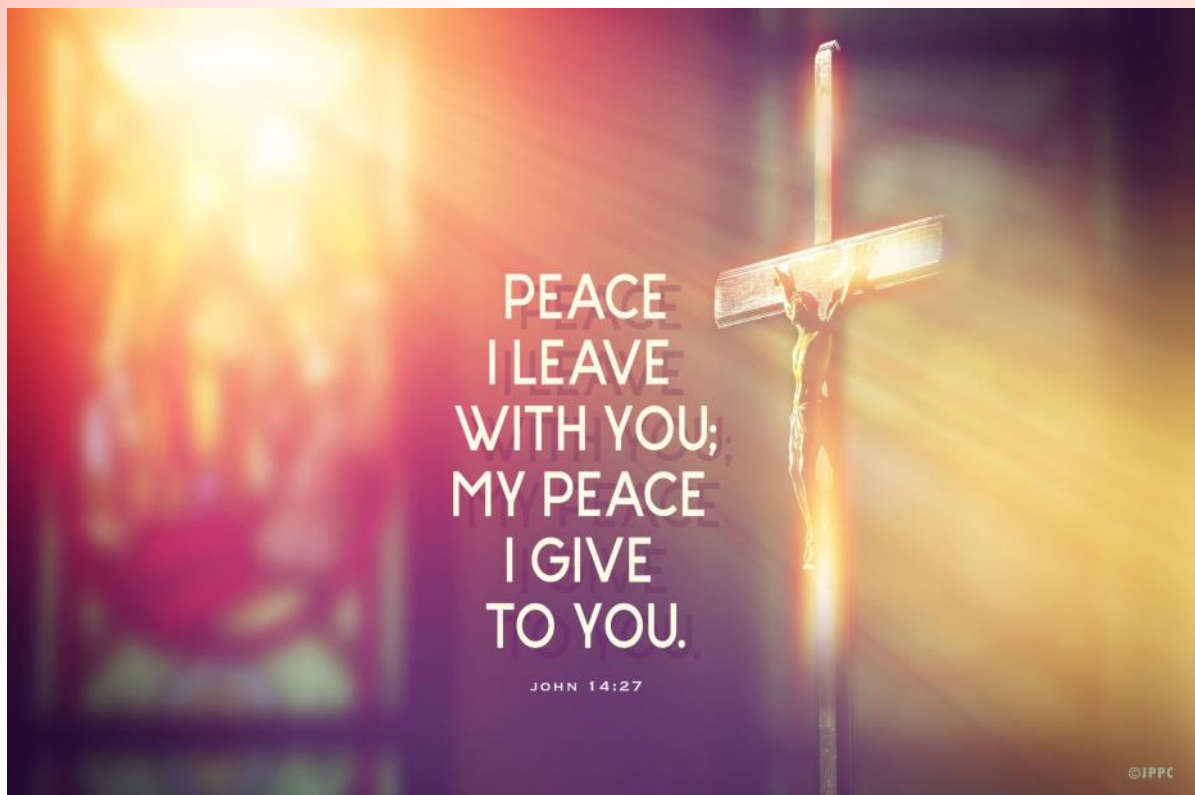
WEEKDAYS:

Monday-Friday 8:30 AM (English)

Friday 7:00 PM (Spanish)

MASSES ON HOLY DAYS: Vigil: 7:00 - Feast Day: 8:30 AM - 12:00 Noon - 7:00 PM (Bilingual)

CONFESSIONS: Saturday Evening: 3:00 – 4:30 PM - at any other time by appointment -



HYMNS FOR THE WEEKEND

ENTRANCE: #490 St. Michael Hymnal "Come, Ye Faithful"

OFFERTORY: "Hail Mary, Gentle Woman" Letter "G" Cover of St. Michael Hymnal

COMMUNION: "O, Holy Mary"

CLOSING: #569 St. Michael Hymnal "How Great Thou Art"

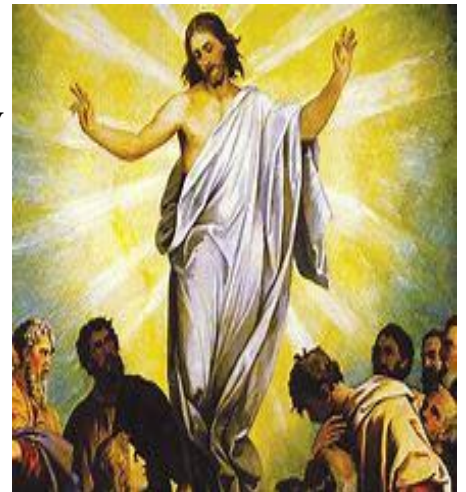
The **Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord**, also known as **Ascension Thursday** or **Ascension Day**, is one of the great Solemnities in the Christian Liturgical calendar and commemorates the bodily Ascension of Jesus into Heaven.



The Ascension is the event, where Jesus arose into heaven, at the end of his time on earth. Jesus' time on earth began with his birth. It was interrupted for three days by His death on the Cross. During that time, He descended into the realm of the dead and preached the Gospel to the good people who died before Him. This allowed those good and holy souls--the righteous dead, as we call them--who accepted Christ as their Savior to proceed to heaven. On the third day after his death and burial, Jesus Christ was raised from the dead, an event we call the Resurrection. He spent the next 40 days preaching and preparing His disciples to perform the work of preaching and baptizing all people. At the end of this 40-day period, Jesus ascended into heaven. We call this the Ascension.

This year the Latin-rite Diocesan Bishops of the Ecclesiastical Province of Newark met and unanimously decided to permanently transfer the observance of the Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord Jesus from the Thursday of the 6th Week of Easter to the following Sunday.

Therefore, effective with this year and moving forward, the observance of the Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord Jesus will be celebrated on the **Seventh Sunday of Easter**. For this year, it will be observed next **Sunday, May 29th**.



MEETINGS TAKING PLACE AT ST. GIANNA

In order to provide our parishioners with accurate information and properly schedule the use of any of the available rooms in the parish buildings, we are asking **ALL** parish committees to contact the Parish office for the scheduling of any event/meeting taking place in our Parish. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

PULPIT ANNOUNCEMENTS

If your ministry has an announcement that needs to be read at Mass, please call the parish office or email us no later than the Thursday before you need it to be read at bulletinstgianna@comcast.net

PARISH BULLETIN

Articles or announcements to appear in the Sunday bulletin are due **Monday at Noon**. No exceptions. They can be submitted in two formats:

- 1) email: bulletinstgianna@comcast.net
- 2) handwritten (please print) to be submitted to the Parish office (mail and/or fax).

Please note: Articles are to contain Who, What, When, Where, and Why. Also, the name and telephone number of the person responsible for the article.

When possible, the article will be repeated in the bulletin until the event takes place.

SATURDAY, MAY 21

4:30PM Melissa Zaug r/b Bonnie & Bob Haymaker

SUNDAY, MAY 22

8AM Mass of Thanksgiving in Honor to St. Rita r/b Linda Ann Cohen

10AM Robert Greydanus r/b Family
Mass of Thanksgiving. Wedding Anniversary of Dante & Eleonora Vespertino
Flossie Graham r/b Sue & Jim Dickinson

12Noon Intentions of Fr. Anthony Manuppella
r/b Sr. Dolores Ballotta

2PM Carlos M. Quiñonez r/b Lucia Osoria

MONDAY, MAY 23

8:30AM Jose Uy r/b Mary Ann Gacayan

TUESDAY, MAY 24

8:30 AM Ernesto Tacastacas r/b Mary Ann Gacayan

WEDNESDAY, MAY 25

8:30 AM Thomas C. Burns r/b Jerry Breten
Healing Mass for Fran Ballotta r/b Sr. Dolores Ballotta

THURSDAY, MAY 26

8:30 AM Nan-John McGettigan r/b Marie Marie & Thomas Burns r/b Kathy Thompson

FRIDAY, MAY 27

8:30AM Anna Skhomenko r/b George Gumpfer
7:00 PM Mass in Spanish

SATURDAY, MAY 28

4:30PM Dennis Snell r/b His Family

SUNDAY, MAY 29

8AM Phero Kien Ngoc Hoang r/b Thomas Nguyen

10AM Gerarda Acchione r/b Josephine Mancinelli
G. Greydanus, Emily & Virginia Reid
r/b Family
Leonardo Faiola r/b Dante & Eleonora Vespertino

12Noon Christine Hasting r/b Raymond & Barbara Sands

2 PM Ana Guzman & Aleida Peralta r/b Dulce Osoria

MAY 21-MAY 27, 2022

THE SANCTUARY LAMP WILL BURN

(above the Main Altar)

In Loving Memory of the

ANTONIO CORTES MONROE

Requested by

EVELIS ROBLES



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 #: _____

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK

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For advertising in our weekly Bulletin.

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.



Parish Membership

New parishioners are always welcome! We invite you to call or visit the Parish Office so we may welcome you into our community.

Hallelujah!

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Spot light on...

Easter Duty Obligation: After they have received their First Holy Communion, Catholics are bound by the Obligation of receiving Holy Communion at least once a year. This Precept should be fulfilled during the Easter Season. Catholics are also bound to confess serious (mortal) sins at least once a year, but this is not limited to the Lenten/Easter Season. The time for fulfilling the Paschal Precept (Easter Duty*) extends from the First Sunday of Lent, March 2, 2022 to the Solemnity of the Holy Trinity, June 12, 2022.

HELP for THOSE IN NEED

As Christians, we are called to help those in need. As you know, our Parish regularly hosts food collections (1st weekend of the month) to benefit local food pantries and to provide for those in great need. However, quite often people come to us in need of immediate assistance to purchase food. We are presently collecting Gift Cards (ACME, ShopRite, Rite Aid, and WALMART). Please if you are looking for a way to share your blessings we encourage you to purchase a Gift Card, in the denomination of your choice, place it in an envelope and return it to the Parish office either via the collection basket or by bringing it to the Parish office on your way by. Your contribution to this effort will be greatly appreciated. Thank you for helping us to help others.

GIVE
the Gift of Giving

Baptisms are celebrated the last Saturday of the month at 11 AM. Please call the Parish office to make the necessary arrangements two months prior to the Baptism date. Parents are expected to attend a Pre-Jordan Baptism class which is to be held on the **last Friday** of every month at 7:00PM in the Parish church. Please call the Parish office to register for the class.

REQUIREMENTS FOR SPONSORING A CHILD FOR BAPTISM/CONFIRMATION (GODPARENTS)

- ♦ Baptized Catholic having received the Sacrament of Confirmation
- ♦ 16 years of age or older
- ♦ If single, they are living a chaste life, that is, not "living together" with someone
- ♦ Attend Mass faithfully on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation
- ♦ If not registered in this Parish must present a Sponsorship Letter from the Parish that he/she belongs.



THE LORD'S REAL PRESENCE

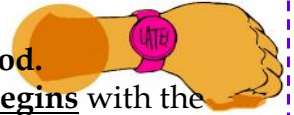
We are fortunate enough to worship in a Church in which the **Body of Christ** is reserved. It is right to acknowledge the **Lord's Real Presence** with a brief act of worship on entering or leaving the Church and every time passing by the Sanctuary. Normally, a *genuflection* in the direction of the 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!



Thank you to all our Parishioners for using **Contribution Envelopes** each Sunday. It shows not only good example but **helps us immensely** in our system of running your Parish since contributions are recorded only by the **NUMBER** placed on the outside of the envelope. Please remember that contributions that **are not** in a Parish Envelope (regardless of the amount), cannot be tracked by the Parish to produce a **Year-End Contribution Statement**. If you wish to request contribution envelopes, please call the Parish office Monday-Thursday 9:00 AM-4:00 PM. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

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THANKS



Collection Report

May 14-15, 2022

First Collection: \$ 7,809

Second Collection: \$ 2,653

For a total of : **\$ 10,462**

Thank you for your generosity in building up God's Kingdom in our Parish!!

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 Tuesday in the Parish Hall to share with each other our prayer concerns. Come be a part of our group! We meet for approximately 1 hour, 9:15-10:15 am and every prayer concern offered is kept confidential. We invite you to come and to be a powerful part of prayer.



**OUR VALUE
IS NOT
DETERMINED
BY OUR SIZE**

Father Quick Quote: "Jesus said to His disciples: I assure you, only with difficulty will a rich man enter the kingdom of God." Matthew 19:23

St Gianna's Seniors of Northfield group is inviting new members to come out and participate in our Senior get-together. The second Wednesday of the Month we meet from 12:45 till 2:30 p.m. We socialize, we have speakers, games, we go to 'eat out'. We meet at St Gianna's Parish Hall – behind the church. Come join us and meet some new seniors. Every one is invited. For more info call Maryann at (609)226-2130.



WEDNESDAYS & SATURDAYS

Our Parish's BINGO is a great way to supplement the income gained through Church collections, bequests, and other donations. St. Gianna hosts BINGO every Wednesday and Saturday in the Parish hall (building located at the end of the parking lot, behind the church). Doors open at 8:30 a.m. and the games start at 10 a.m. Join us!! \$1,000 in prize money. Instant winners. Progressive Jack-Pots. Also, coffee, bagels, donuts and lots of fun. Come and enjoy the games!! And meet that wonderful group of parishioners who freely donate their time and talent to make our bingo games, week after week, a delightful and great success. Don't miss it!! Thank you all!!



The Legion of Mary is a lay apostolic association of Catholic men and women who have formed themselves into a body to be of service to the Church. Founded in Ireland in 1921, it now serves in more than 170 countries throughout the world. Mary the Immaculate is the model and through her its members seek to present Christ to everyone. The objective is the spiritual formation of all confirmed members of the Church through prayer and lay apostolic work to realize their vocation to holiness. St. Gianna's Our Lady of Lourdes Praesidium (this is what a parish Legion of Mary group is known as) meets each Monday at 3:00 PM in the church (Choir Room located behind the Altar). You are most welcome to join us. We welcome Rev. Franklin Opara as our Spiritual Director.

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.

Our **Spring Luncheon** will be on Sunday, June 5, 2022 at 1:00PM at Greate Bay Country Club. The cost is \$35.00 per person and reservations will be accepted until May 10th. If you are interested in joining us or would like more information please contact Ann Young at 609-646-4353.

Expectant Mothers. The Sodality of St. Gianna Parish welcomes all infants into the Church and pray for all expectant mothers who request prayers for their babies who are soon to be born. All pregnant women are welcome to contact Linda Cohen at (609) 703-6962 for further information. Please let us know if you would like to add anyone to our expectant mother's prayer list.

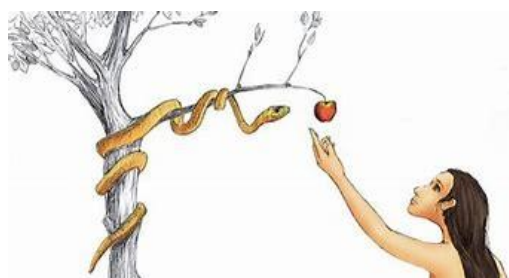
Monthly Collection: We will be collecting Toiletries and Word Puzzle Books for the Veterans on the weekend of May 21 and May 22. There is a decorated box in the back of the Church for your donations. We will be collecting Diapers (Bigger sizes please); Pull-Ups and baby bath products in June.

The Sodality of St. Gianna will be collecting non-perishable food items on the **First weekend** of each month. The food collected will be distributed amongst two or three local food banks. Your participation will be greatly appreciated.

THE ANGELS. DID YOU KNOW...



On account of their sin Adam and Eve lost sanctifying grace, the right to heaven, and their special gifts; they became subject to death, to suffering, and to a strong inclination to evil, and they were driven from the Garden



of Paradise. On account of the sin of Adam, we, his descendants, come into the world deprived of sanctifying grace and inherit his punishment, as we would have inherited his gifts had he been obedient to God. This sin in us is called original sin. This sin is called original because it comes down to us through our origin, or descent, from Adam. The chief punishments of Adam which we inherit through original sin are: death, suffering, ignorance, and a strong inclination to sin. God is not unjust in punishing us on account of the sin of Adam, because original sin does not take away from us anything to which we have a strict right as human beings, but only the free gifts which God in His goodness would have bestowed on us if Adam had not sinned. The Blessed Virgin Mary was preserved from original sin in view of the merits of her Divine Son; and this privilege is called her Immaculate Conception. *St. Joseph Baltimore Catechism*

Please Note 

Priests and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are readily available to bring Holy Communion to the homes of the sick on a schedule agreeable to the sick person. If you or someone that you know is a shut-in and would like to receive the Sacrament, please let us know by contacting the Parish office.



ST. GIANNA PRAYER NETWORK

There are over 40 people who have volunteered and are available to pray for anyone with a special need. Just call ONE of the numbers listed below to activate the St. Gianna Prayer Network, and you will be remembered in prayer for 30 days.

English: 609-646-0806

Spanish: 609-800-3513

Sacrament of 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 day. Please contact the Parish office for more information.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION – PRE-CANA
OUR LADY OF THE ANGELS. 35 E. MECHANIC ST.
CAPE MAY COURT HOUSE, NJ 08210

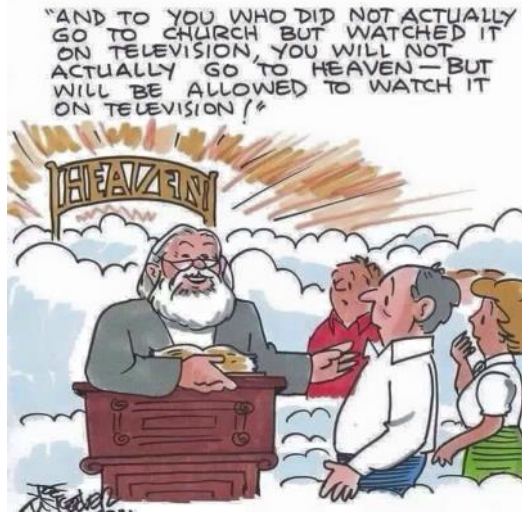
For information and to register for the class please call **609-287-9205 or 609-827-2127**.

THANKS

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



Laughter Corner



Newly Baptized

Our Parish community welcomes **Chase J. Dorofee and Harlow A. Hannigan** who were baptized in our church.

Congratulations to their happy parents, extended family, and friends.

Holy Spirit High School will host a Special Catholic School's Open House on Thursday, May 26, 2022 from 3-5 p.m. Prospective Catholic School students and families will have the opportunity to visit with students, faculty and coaches and tour around the school. Register at holyspirithighschool.com. Come and find out why "There's no place like Holy Spirit High School"! For further information please contact Admissions Coordinator, Nicole Moynihan at (609) 646-3000 ext. 413.

HSJS Class of 1972 50th Reunion

Sunday, June 5, 2022, 6PM – \$75 pp
Linwood Country Club
202 Cedar Hill Rd., Absecon, NJ 08201
joanno22@comcast.net

Rest in Peace

Our Parish community extends its deepest condolences to the family and friends of Yolanda Albano and Consuelo Aguirre. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Memorial Day Mass Schedule Remembering Those Who Have Served and Who Have Gone Before Us



Memorial Day Masses are held in most of our Catholic Cemeteries to honor those who have served our country and paid with the ultimate sacrifice. For a complete listing of locations and times, please visit us at SouthJerseyCatholicCemeteries.org.

"I command you: be strong and steadfast! Do not fear nor be dismayed, for the LORD your God, is with you wherever you go." Joshua 1:9



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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

Registration for 2022 - 2023 Religious Education is now underway. The office will be open to register on Mondays and Tuesdays from 9:15 a.m. till 12 Noon through the summer. The office will be closed the month of July. For more information please email the Director at RelEdDirStGianna@gmail.com.

Visitors and Friends, if you are new in the area and enjoy worshipping at St. Gianna, make us your official Parish "home" by taking a few minutes to register. Please pick up a Registration Form at the Church doors--*Yellow (English) and Green (Spanish)*. Completed forms are to be returned to the Parish office either by mail or deposited in the Sunday collection basket.

REGISTER WITH THE PARISH

- A) So we know who you are.
- B) So if you ever need a letter or a certificate, you're on record.
- C) So you can be on our mailing list.
- D) Most importantly, so we can SERVE YOU!



Solemn Novena in Honor of

St. Anthony de Padua

June 5-13, 2022

***Sermon, Novena Prayers & Benediction
nightly at 7 PM**

***Feast of St. Anthony, Monday, June 13th**

Solemn Mass at 7 PM

*Please come and join us as we honor the Patron
Saint of All Things*

Coming Events

PENTECOST SUNDAY



JUNE 5, 2022

RED IS THE COLOR OF THE DAY

Loaves & Fishes Project

Our Parish collects non-perishable food for families in need on the **first Sunday of every month.**

Please place your donations in the Church's Gathering Area. Weekend Collection: **June 4th & 5th.**



We wish to extend our best wishes to all those from our parish community who are graduating this year, whether it is from elementary school through graduate school. We wish you success in your future endeavors. May God be your guide and your strength through the years that lie ahead. Congratulations!!



A READING FROM THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES

Some who had come down from Judea were instructing the brothers, "Unless you are circumcised according to the Mosaic practice, you cannot be saved." Because there arose no little dissension and debate by Paul and Barnabas with them, it was decided that Paul, Barnabas, and some of the others should go up to Jerusalem to the apostles and elders about this question. The apostles and elders, in agreement with the whole church, decided to choose representatives and to send them to Antioch with Paul and Barnabas. The ones chosen were Judas, who was called Barsabbas, and Silas, leaders among the brothers. This is the letter delivered by them: "The apostles and the elders, your brothers, to the brothers in Antioch, Syria, and Cilicia of Gentile origin: greetings. Since we have heard that some of our number who went out without any mandate from us have upset you with their teachings and disturbed your peace of mind, we have with one accord decided to choose representatives and to send them to you along with our beloved Barnabas and Paul, who have dedicated their lives to the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. So we are sending Judas and Silas who will also convey this same message by word of mouth: 'It is the decision of the Holy Spirit and of us not to place on you any burden beyond these necessities, namely, to abstain from meat sacrificed to idols, from blood, from meats of strangled animals, and from unlawful marriage. If you keep free of these, you will be doing what is right. Farewell.'"

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

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: R. *O God, let all the nations praise you!*

May God have pity on us and bless us; may he let his face shine upon us.
So may your way be known upon earth; among all nations, your salvation. **R.**

May the nations be glad and exult because you rule the peoples in equity;
the nations on the earth you guide. **R.**

May the peoples praise you, O God; may all the peoples praise you!
May God bless us, and may all the ends of the earth fear him! **R.**

A READING FROM THE BOOK OF REVELATION

The angel took me in spirit to a great, high mountain and showed me the holy city Jerusalem coming down out of heaven from God. It gleamed with the splendor of God. Its radiance was like that of a precious stone, like jasper, clear as crystal. It had a massive, high wall, with twelve gates where twelve angels were stationed and on which names were inscribed, the names of the twelve tribes of the Israelites. There were three gates facing east, three north, three south, and three west. The wall of the city had twelve courses of stones as its foundation, on which were inscribed the twelve names of the twelve apostles of the Lamb. I saw no temple in the city for its temple is the Lord God almighty and the Lamb. The city had no need of sun or moon to shine on it, for the glory of God gave it light, and its lamp was the Lamb. The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Whoever loves me will keep my word, says the Lord, and my Father will love him and we will come to him.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

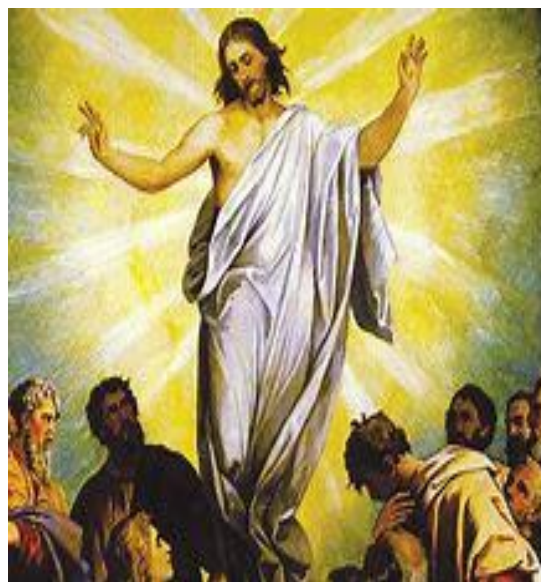
A READING FROM THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO JOHN

Jesus said to his disciples: "Whoever loves me will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our dwelling with him. Whoever does not love me does not keep my words; yet the word you hear is not mine but that of the Father who sent me. "I have told you this while I am with you. The Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give it to you. Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid. You heard me tell you, 'I am going away and I will come back to you.' If you loved me, you would rejoice that I am going to the Father; for the Father is greater than I. And now I have told you this before it happens, so that when it happens you may believe." The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ**



La Solemnidad de la Ascensión del Señor, también conocida como Jueves de la Ascensión o Día de la Ascensión, es una de las grandes Solemnidades del calendario litúrgico cristiano y conmemora la Ascensión corporal de Jesús al Cielo.

La Ascensión es el evento, donde Jesús subió al cielo, al final de su tiempo en la tierra. El tiempo de Jesús en la tierra comenzó con su nacimiento. Fue interrumpido durante tres días por Su muerte en la Cruz. Durante ese tiempo, Él descendió al reino de los muertos y predicó el Evangelio a las buenas personas que murieron antes que Él. Esto permitió que aquellas buenas y santas almas, los justos muertos, como los llamamos, que aceptaron a Cristo como su Salvador, pudieran ir al cielo. Al tercer día después de su muerte y sepultura, Jesucristo resucitó de entre los muertos, evento que llamamos la Resurrección. Pasó los siguientes 40 días predicando y preparando a Sus discípulos para realizar la obra de predicar y bautizar a todas las personas.



Al final de este período de 40 días, Jesús ascendió al cielo. A esto lo llamamos la Ascensión. Este año, los obispos diocesanos de rito latino de la provincia eclesiástica de Newark, reunidos por unanimidad, decidieron trasladar permanentemente la observancia de la solemnidad de la Ascensión del Señor Jesús del jueves de la sexta semana de Pascua al domingo siguiente. Por lo tanto, a partir de este año y en adelante, la observancia de la Solemnidad de la Ascensión del Señor Jesús se celebrará el Séptimo Domingo de Pascua. Para este año, se observará el próximo domingo 29 de mayo.

Atención Hombres, Mujeres y Niños de Santa Gianna!!

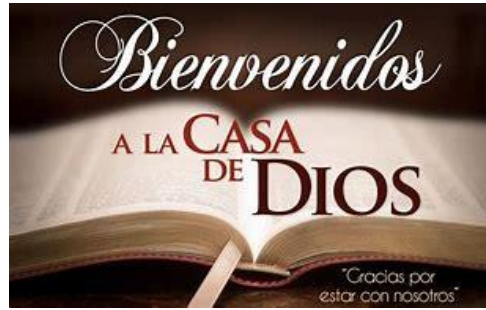
Padre Franklin Opara invita a todos los feligreses que quieran participar sirviendo como Monaguillos/monaguillas en nuestra iglesia a comunicarse con él después de la Misa (Viernes o Domingo). Padre Opara estará a cargo de los entrenamientos necesarios. Lo único que usted necesita es Buena voluntad y un deseo ardiente de servir a Dios y a su Iglesia aquí en nuestra Parroquia. Gracias!!

Marquen sus calendarios!!

Hora Santa – Exposición y Adoración del Santísimo Sacramento

Primer Viernes de cada mes inmediatamente después de la Misa

Los esperamos!!



MISAS EN ESPAÑOL

VIERNES 7 PM

DOMINGOS 2 PM

Si usted visita semanalmente Santa Gianna y aún no se ha registrado formalmente en la parroquia, por favor hágalo. Las planillas de registración están ubicadas en el vestibule de la iglesia. El proceso de registración es simple pero muy importante para la administración de nuestra iglesia y para servir mejor a nuestra comunidad. **También Necesitamos de su Colaboración...** Para mantener los archivos de nuestra parroquia en orden. Por favor comuníquese con la oficina parroquial si desea solicitar sobres de contribución, cambiar su número telefónico, su estado civil o su domicilio. Gracias!

Por favor recordémos en nuestras oraciones a todos aquellos que no están pasando por un buen momento en éstos días; especialmente los que se encuentran en hospitales y casas para ancianos y muy especialmente recordemos a todos aquellos que están terminalmente enfermos.



Por favor por cortesía a toda la comunidad que se presenta en Misa, si sus niños están inquietos y pueden, de alguna manera, servir de distracción, dirijase al cuarto que esta designado para niños en frente de la sacristía. Si no encuentra el cuarto, por favor, contácte algunos de los Ushers. Gracias por su colaboración.

Recuerden: Los Bautismos se celebran los **Primeros Sábados** de cada mes a las **11 AM**. Por favor llame a la Oficina Parroquial para hacer los arreglos administrativos necesarios. La **Clase de Preparación Bautismal** para los Padres y los Padrinos es **obligatoria** y se dicta el **Tercer Viernes** de cada mes inmediatamente después de la Misa en el Salón Grande.

MAYO: MES CONSAGRADO A LA SANTÍSIMA MADRE

CONFESIONES

VIERNES: 6-630 PM

SABADOS: 3-430 PM

FUERA DE ESTOS HORARIOS PUEDE HACER SU CITA LLAMANDO A LA OFICINA PARROQUIAL. RECUERDE QUE LOS DOMINGOS NO HAY CONFESIONES. GRACIAS.

RECUERDEN QUE EL SANTISIMO SACRAMENTO ESTA PRESENTE EN NUESTRA IGLESIA EN TODO MOMENTO. UNA PROFUNDA SALUTACION AL ENTRAR Y AL SALIR DE LA IGLESIA ES RECOMENDABLE. POR FAVOR RECUERDE GUARDAR SILENCIO DENTRO DE LA IGLESIA POR RESPETO A LAS PERSONAS QUE ESTAN ORANDO. GRACIAS.

Es necesario el silencio para escuchar la Palabra de Dios, para prepararnos a escuchar esa Palabra. Dios se hizo Palabra en Jesús, y condición para escuchar esa Palabra es el silencio: silencio del corazón, de la mente, de los sentidos, silencio ambiental.



PRIMERA LECTURA HECHOS DE LOS APOSTOLES

En aquellos días, vinieron de Judea a Antioquía algunos discípulos y se pusieron a enseñar a los hermanos que si no se circuncidaban conforme a la ley de Moisés, no podrían salvarse. Esto provocó un altercado y una violenta discusión con Pablo y Bernabé; al fin se decidió que Pablo, Bernabé y algunos más fueran a Jerusalén para tratar el asunto con los apóstoles y los presbíteros. Los apóstoles y los presbíteros, de acuerdo con toda la comunidad cristiana, juzgaron oportuno elegir a algunos de entre ellos y enviarlos a Antioquía con Pablo y Bernabé. Los elegidos fueron Judas (llamado Barsabás) y Silas, varones prominentes en la comunidad. A ellos les entregaron una carta que decía: “Nosotros, los apóstoles y los presbíteros, hermanos suyos, saludamos a los hermanos de Antioquía, Siria y Cilicia, convertidos del paganismo. Enterados de que algunos de entre nosotros, sin mandato nuestro, los han alarmado e inquietado a ustedes con sus palabras, hemos decidido de común acuerdo elegir a dos varones y enviárselos, en compañía de nuestros amados hermanos Bernabé y Pablo, que han consagrado su vida a la causa de nuestro Señor Jesucristo. Les enviamos, pues, a Judas y a Silas, quienes les transmitirán, de viva voz, lo siguiente: ‘El Espíritu Santo y nosotros hemos decidido no imponerles más cargas que las estrictamente necesarias. A saber: que se abstengan de la fornicación y de comer lo inmolado a los ídolos, la sangre y los animales estrangulados. Si se apartan de esas cosas, harán bien’. Los saludamos”. Palabra de Dios. **Te alabamos Señor.**

SALMO RESPONSORIAL: R. *Que te alaben, Señor, todos los pueblos. Aleluya.*

Ten piedad de nosotros y bendícenos; vuelve, Señor, tus ojos a nosotros.

Que conozca la tierra tu bondad y los pueblos tu obra salvadora. **R.**

Las naciones con júbilo te canten, porque juzgas al mundo con justicia;
con equidad tú juzgas a los pueblos y riges en la tierra a las naciones. **R.**

Que te alaben, Señor, todos los pueblos, que los pueblos te aclamen todos juntos.

Que nos bendiga Dios Y que le rinda honor el mundo entero. **R.**

SEGUNDA LECTURA: LECTURA DEL LIBRO DEL APOCALIPSIS

Un ángel me transportó en espíritu a una montaña elevada, y me mostró a Jerusalén, la ciudad santa, que descendía del cielo, resplandeciente con la gloria de Dios. Su fulgor era semejante al de una piedra preciosa, como el de un diamante cristalino. Tenía una muralla ancha y elevada, con doce puertas monumentales, y sobre ellas, doce ángeles y doce nombres escritos, los nombres de las doce tribus de Israel. Tres de estas puertas daban al oriente, tres al norte, tres al sur y tres al poniente. La muralla descansaba sobre doce cimientos, en los que estaban escritos los doce nombres de los apóstoles del Cordero. No vi ningún templo en la ciudad, porque el Señor Dios todopoderoso y el Cordero son el templo. No necesita la luz del sol o de la luna, porque la gloria de Dios la ilumina y el Cordero es su lumbrera. Palabra de Dios. **Te alabamos Señor.**

R. Aleluya, aleluya.

El que me ama, cumplirá mi palabra, dice el Señor; y mi Padre lo amará y vendremos a él.

R. Aleluya.

LECTURA DEL SANTO EVANGELIO SEGUN SAN JUAN

En aquel tiempo, Jesús dijo a sus discípulos: “El que me ama, cumplirá mi palabra y mi Padre lo amará y haremos en él nuestra morada. El que no me ama no cumplirá mis palabras. La palabra que están oyendo no es mía, sino del Padre, que me envió. Les he hablado de esto ahora que estoy con ustedes; pero el Paráclito, el Espíritu Santo que mi Padre les enviará en mi nombre, les enseñará todas las cosas y les recordará todo cuanto yo les he dicho. La paz les dejo, mi paz les doy. No se la doy como la da el mundo. No pierdan la paz ni se acobarden. Me han oído decir: ‘Me voy, pero volveré a su lado’. Si me amaran, se alegrarían de que me vaya al Padre, porque el Padre es más que yo. Se lo he dicho ahora, antes de que suceda, para que cuando suceda, crean”. Palabra del Señor. **Gloria a ti, Señor.**

Cantos Misa Hispana

***** *VI Domingo de Pascua*



ENTRADA

INSTRUMENTO DE TU PAZ

Padre tan lleno de gracias
te ofresco en esta alabanza
todo de mí. Yo te quiero Servir!
que donde haya discordia
lleve tu unión y donde haya ofensa
el perdón.

Quiero Ser, instrumento de tu paz
y llevar, tu amor y tu caridad
acepta Señor para que me envíes
a ser, instrumento de tu paz.



OFERTORIO

DAME TU PAZ

Dame tu paz Señor
Dame tu paz, solo en ti Señor
se encuentra la paz.

Líberame de todos mis temores
líberame de mis preocupaciones
líberame, líberame, tú Señor.

Sáname de todas mis heridas
sáname de todas mis caídas
sáname, oh sáname tú Señor.

Confórtame en mis inquietudes
confórtame en mis ansiedades
confórtame, confórtame tú Señor.



COMUNION

COMIENDO DEL MISMO PAN

COMIENDO DEL MISMO PAN,
BEBIENDO DEL MISMO VINO,
QUERIENDO EN EL MISMO AMOR,
SELLAMOS TU ALIANZA, CRISTO.

La noche de su pasión
cogió el pan entre sus manos
y dijo: "Tomad, comed,
esto es mi Cuerpo entregado."

La noche de su pasión
tomó el cáliz en sus manos
y dijo: "Tomad, bebed,
es la Sangre que derramo."

La noche de su pasión
nos dio el Señor su mandato:
"Amaos unos a otros,
lo mismo que yo os amo."



SALIDA

DANOS UN CORAZON

Danos un corazón
Grande para amar
Danos un corazón
fuerte para luchar

Hombre nuevos,
creadores de la historia
Constructores de nueva humanidad
hombres nuevos
que viven la existencia
Como riesgo de un largo caminar.