

St. Gianna Beretta Molla Parish

Roman Catholic Church

"All the strength of Satan's reign is due to lukewarm Catholics." St. Pius X
AN OASIS OF FAITH AT THE GATEWAY TO THE SHORE

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MASS SCHEDULE

Monday-Friday 8:30 AM (English)

Friday 7:00 PM (Spanish)

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 PM

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

12 Noon: Traditional Latin Mass

2:00 PM (Spanish)

Holy Days of Obligation

Vigil Mass: 7:00 PM

Holy Day: 8:30 AM & 12 Noon

7:00 PM Bilingual

CONFESSIONS:

Saturdays (English): 3:00 – 4:30 PM

Sundays (Spanish): 1:15-1:45 PM

For any other time please call the parish office to make the necessary arrangements.

OFFICE HOURS

Mon.-Thurs.: 9 AM - 4 PM.

Friday: Closed

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2024

REGISTRATION: We invite you to officially register as a member of our Parish community. Registration forms can be found in the gathering area of the church. Completed forms can be dropped in the collection basket on any given Sunday or at the Parish office during regular business hours. Sponsorship letters for the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation or Matrimony will **ONLY** be issued to registered parishioners.

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

HYMNS FOR THE WEEKEND

ENTRANCE: #410 in the St. Michael Hymnal "All Creatures of Our God and King"

OFFERTORY: #526 in the St. Michael Hymnal "Forty Days and Forty Nights"

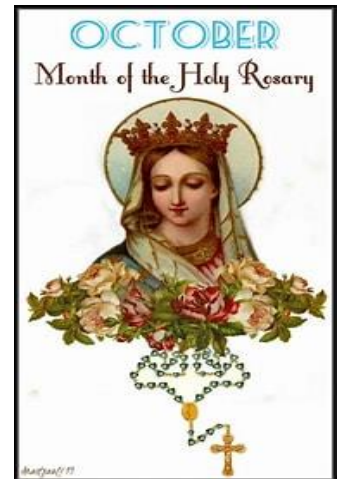
COMMUNION: "Take My Heart"

CLOSING: #524 in the St. Michael Hymnal "For the Beauty of the Earth"

From the Pastor's Desk

October Month of the Holy Rosary

It is custom among Catholics to bury our dead with a rosary in their folded hands. It impressed me when I was a youngster years ago and noticed it for the first time. It impresses me still today. It must impress even non-Catholics because several of them have come to me requesting a rosary for a loved one whom they were assigning to the grave. More and more the custom impresses me. Its deep significance grows on me with every funeral I witness. I have seen the rosary in the hands of my deceased friends, former fellow students and more recent acquaintances. I have seen it in the hands of scores of members of my parishes at whose burials I have officiated and in the hands of strangers, too. I have seen it go down in the grave with nuns and priests and bishops. I have seen it accompany the old as well as young people and children. I have seen it as a necklace threaded over the innocent body of a baby. I have seen my own relatives clasping it in a salient endless embrace. Gazing at lifeless fingers holding a rosary affords me food for fervent mediation. One thinks of years past...and of eternity recently born—a chain tying time to eternity. The rosary signifies the life of our Lord, upon whose life ours must be patterned. The fifteen mysteries tell of those sacred events in His life by which we are redeemed. His birth, death and glory are hidden there. And, ours are too, if we have been faithful. Our Lady's life is signified there, too. That life of hers was being a perfect reflection of her Son's and an unerring beacon for ours. Mary lived with and in and for Christ. She was born and lived and died and was assumed soul and body into heaven. She was one with us and one with Christ, a perfect link in the rosary bringing earth to heaven. The rosary warms millions of people lying in the "cold, cold ground." The rosary is one thing you can take with you. No doubt it will remain in the grave beyond our mortal remains because it is a chain of metal. It is emblematic of the durability of faith. Yes, "you can take it with you." I think of the Catholic dying and being buried coming to judgment—carrying the rosary. He holds the rosary in death. He holds it ten, fifty, perhaps a hundred years in the grave. He holds it, therefore, at judgment. He is adorned with its jewels for all eternity. At the judgment, the rosary will "argue" for you. Mary, our Mediatrix, will recognize it. She will plead for "her own." And, her Son will hear and answer her. In the hands of some in the coffin, the rosary rests so naturally. The grandmother who could neither read nor write, but who repeated so often "I love the rosary!" The mother who had knelt every evening with her "brood" and her big rosary as she always instructed her children to hold it with her while they prayed it with her. The worn, gray haired priest whose life had been a rosary of devotion to Our Lord and His Lady. I am thinking now of how easily the rosary will rest in the hands of still others...the father I saw at forty hours. He led his family to the church in the afternoon to make their hour of devotion. The family suddenly left the pew and followed the father to kneel at the communion rail where he led the rosary for them. The young man who stops every day on his way home from work to visit Our Lord in the church. The invalid whose everyday food and strength have been the beads and chain of the rosary. Not so natural is it in the hands of some others—of those who hardly knew its touch. Those who "didn't have time" but those who did have indifference and carelessness. Now, their hypocrisy shows and hurts. Their holding the rosary in death, whose feel they knew not in life, is a mockery. God's mercy is wide and kind, so for the living there is still time... Our Lady calls to you, "Fashion your fingers to the rosary. It will have to fit for a long time!"



Come spend time with the Son of God!



***“LORD, TO WHOM SHALL WE GO?
THOU HAST THE WORDS OF
EVERLASTING LIFE.”***

JOHN 6:68

COME LET US ADORE!!

Fr. Cesar Pirateque Serrano, Preacher

Sunday, October 13, 2024

4:00PM

Anointing of the Sick Mass

Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament

7:00-8:00PM

Confessions

10:00PM

Night Prayers

Monday, October 14, 2024

8:00AM

Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament
until 10:00PM, interrupted only by the
7:00PM Mass.

7:00PM

Mass for Vocations

10:00 PM

Night Prayer

Tuesday, October 15, 2024

8:00AM

Exposition of the Most Blessed
Sacrament until 7:00PM

7:00PM

Solemn Mass of Thanksgiving &
Procession with the Most
Blessed Sacrament



The Anointing of the Sick and the Forty Hours

Sunday, October 13, 2024

On Sunday, October 13th we will open our Parish celebration of “Forty Hours” i.e., Solemn Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament.

We, the Priests of St. Gianna Beretta Molla Parish, invite you to be *a part* of these three very special days. They are days filled with spiritual growth for you and your loved ones. We will begin with our celebration on Sunday, October 13th at 4:00 PM with the Sacrament of the Sick.

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is, as the words of St. James make clear, for the sick! It is no longer considered Last Rites. This sacrament is for anyone who is sick, i.e., chronic sickness and also for anyone over the age of 65. In the Sacrament of the Sick, the Church extends the healing hand of Christ to the sick. It is an encounter with Christ the Healer, Christ the Divine Physician. The woman in the Gospel was eager to touch only the Lord’s cloak. “If I touch even His garment,” she thought, “I shall be made well.” The sick person today “touches” Him and experiences His power through the Sacramental Anointing.

This Sacrament is NOT for people who are dead. It is for anyone who is ill. Won’t you join us and welcome Christ into your life in this unique way? What more beautiful way to begin our “Forty Hours” than by recognizing Jesus, the Bread of Life, reserved in the Most Blessed Sacrament for our adoration and for the sick.





Respect Life Sunday



National Life Chain

Sunday, October 6, 2024, 2:00 to 3:00 p.m.

Next Sunday, in 1,800 locations across the United States and Canada, tens of thousands of Pro-Life people will gather beside main streets. They will pray silently. They will peacefully show solidarity in the Christian community for the Sanctity of human life from conception to natural death. They will stand in honor of the millions lives that have been lost to abortion. Parishioners, visitors and friends of St. Gianna are asked to stand in silent and prayerful witness to life on both sides of Route 9 at our Parish's location in the fourteen hundred block. Pro-Life posters will be provided to be shown to passing motorists. Please join in making the 2024 Life Chain a Faith-filled sign of Pro-Life Unity, Hope and Awakening to the Sacredness of all life.

**Knights of Columbus All Saints Council, No. 6277
Bruce Jackson Memorial
20th Annual Scholarship Golf Tournament
Saturday, October 26, 2024
McCullough's Emerald Links, E.H.Twp., NJ**

Cost: \$130 per golfer. Includes: 4 player scramble format, 18 holes of golf w/ cart, gift bag filled with goodies, light lunch, Italian dinner buffet from Vagabonds + free Keg of Beer. On course prizes for men and women, closest to the pin, longest drive and putting contest. Chance to win a new car compliments of Sport Hyundai on hole #9 par 3 "Hole in One." Raffle/auction featuring a large list of prizes and much more. Register to play or sponsor: Paul Sullivan 609-576-6812 or email us at: bjaxmemorialgolf@gmail.com



THE SODALITY OF ST. GIANNA

PRESENTS: Friends Helping Friends

One day only-October 22, 2024 8AM-11PM. Donate \$5 and enjoy 25% Off Discount Shopping Pass. Register to win a \$100 BOSCOV'S Gift Card at every Boscov's store. 100% of your donation goes to Sodality of St. Gianna Parish, Northfield. The Sodality will be selling tickets in the gathering area of the church after all the weekend Masses.



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 upon 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!



On **Saturday, October 5th at 10:30 a.m.**, our Parish will have a special ceremony called the *Blessing of Pets*.

This custom is conducted in remembrance of St. Francis's love for all creatures. Please bring your pets for this special Blessing.

Fr. Anthony will meet all creatures, big and small, in the church. Hope we will see you on the 5th!



Mark Your Calendar



Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

FIRST DAY
THURSDAY,
OCTOBER 3rd
6:45 PM
Parish Hall



Marian Pilgrimage

Basilica of the National Shrine Of the Immaculate Conception
Saturday, October 26, 2024



ST. GIANNA BINGO ON 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!! 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!!

NO BINGO ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2nd

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!!
 COME TO ST. GIANNA TO CELEBRATE AND MEET THE MOST REVEREND COADJUTOR BISHOP JOSEPH ANDREW WILLIAMS
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2024
MASS AT 6:30 PM
 Dessert reception in St. Gianna Hall will follow the Mass.

Forty Hours Devotion



ST. GIANNA PARISH
40 HOURS DEVOTION
OCTOBER
13, 14 & 15, 2024
SPANISH & ENGLISH
 Rev. Cesar Pirateque Serrano



Memorial Christmas Trees 2024 Reservations

Starting: October 21st
Cutoff Date: November 29th



Registration forms will be inserted in the bulletin on the weekend of **October 19-20, 2024**. *No reservations will be accepted after November 29th.*



FIVE FIRST SATURDAYS

IN REPARATION TO THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY
October 5th, November 2nd
8:00 a.m. Recitation of the Rosary
8:30 a.m. Mass
9:00 a.m. Meditation on the Rosary
3:00 p.m. Confessions



SHARE THE WORD
PRAYER GROUP
NEW MEETING DAY
TUESDAY EVENINGS, 6:45-8:15 PM—PARISH HALL

"For where two or more are gathered in my name, I am there." Matthew 18:20
 Come and enjoy the presence of the Lord. We pray for each other, our children, our families, our church, our country and the world. Rosary, praise and worship, intercession prayers, and scripture study. All are welcome! Any question call Colleen 609-703-7880.

Loaves & Fishes Project

The Sodality of St. Gianna will be collecting non-perishable food for families in need on the **first Sunday of every month**. Items requested: peanut butter, jelly, tuna, canned chicken, beef stew, spaghetti sauce. **NO GLASS JARS**. Next Collection: **October 5-6, 2024**. Please place your donations in the church's gathering area.

New Ministry at St. Gianna!! "THAT MAN IS YOU"

Men of the parish, are you looking to deepen your relationship with God? Be a better husband? Become a more loving father? Build your relationships with like-minded men? And seek to be the best man you can be? Then, please join "That Man is You" prayer group that meets on Thursday evenings from 6:30 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. in the parish hall. For more information please contact david@castellinilaw.com. or 609-402-1844. "As iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another." Proverbs 27:17



SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

**4:30 PM Karolee Kowal r/b Sr. Camile
George Hornberger r/b Vici & Gerald Butler**

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

8 AM Bruce Matus r/b Matus Family
**10 AM Paul Maccagnanor/b Pat & Family
George Hornberger r/b St. Gianna Parish**
**12 Noon Marcos Miranda r/b Corona Franco Family
Gene Salerno r/b Family**
**2 PM Vilma Chavez r/b Maria Ortiz Chavez
Francisco Juarez r/b Familia**

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

8:30AM Rita Faia r/b Barbara & Carmen Faia

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1

8:30 AM Living & Deceased Members of the Parish

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2

8:30 AM John Allen r/b Ruth Tayao

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3

**8:30 AM Domenica & Angelina Alaqua r/b Family
Norman Marley r/b Kim & Larry Adams**

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4

8:30 AM Intentions of Michael Hays r/b His Mother
7:00 PM Feligreses Vivos y Muertos de Sta. Gianna

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5

4:30 PM Laura Miller r/b Barbara Wilson & Family

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6

8 AM Erick Plyler r/b David & Francine Andrews
**10 AM Vicenzia Faiola r/b Vespertino Family
Matias & Teresita Rojas r/b Gacayan family**
**12 Noon Marietta Mazza & Mary Jane Sanquedolce
r/b Sam & Barbara Sands
Hon. John J. De Lury r/b Bernard & Margaret
De Lury**
**2 PM Francisco Juarez r/b Familia
Juana Padilla Urena r/b Hija y Nieta**



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 guest 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. Register with the Parish.

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



SEPTEMBER 28 – OCTOBER 4

SANCTUARY LAMP AT MAIN ALTAR

**WILL BURN FOR THE PRESERVATION OF
THE TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS**

Requested By

MR. BERNARD DE LURY

ST. JOSEPH & BLESSED MOTHER ALTARS

Will Burn in Loving Memory of

ELIZABETH CHAU

Requested By

ERLAND CHAU



Flowers decorating the altar this weekend were donated by:

**Richard & Kimberly Cianfrini in
Loving Memory of
Margaret & Abraham Cianfrini**

Class registration in Progress!

On October 3rd we will begin instructional classes for anyone who is interested in becoming Catholic and also, any adult baptized Catholic who has not yet made Confirmation, received Holy Communion or Penance. Also, you are welcome to take the classes as a "refresher course." It's a great opportunity to grow in faith! Those who are interested, please fill out the form below and return it to the parish office or drop it in the collection basket as soon as possible.

R.C.I.A. 2024-2025

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

D.O.B.: _____

AGE: _____

Home Phone #: () _____

Cell Phone #: () _____

I am a non-Catholic ()

I am a baptized Catholic , but need the following Sacraments:

Holy Eucharist ()

Confirmation ()

I would like to take the class as a Refresher Course ()

Are you thinking of becoming Catholic?



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:** Our next meeting is Tuesday, October 1, 2024 at 7:00PM. **EXPECTANT MOTHERS:** The Sodality prays for expectant mothers and the babies they are carrying. All pregnant women are welcome to contact Cindy Kern at 609-513-8178 for further information. We are currently praying for Sage Nistico and Joanna Walsh and the babies they are carrying.

TRAVELING BLESSED MOTHER: The Blessed Mother statue is available to be put in a place of honor in your home for one week for you and your family to pray for her intercession. If you would like to sign up for a week of prayer, please contact Diane Del Rossi at 609-653-6905 to sign up. **MONTHLY COLLECTION** - Every month we collect items for those in need in the area. September's collection will be men's & women's socks & underwear. We will still be collecting until the end of September. October we will be collecting sweatshirts for men & women. The collection is the third weekend of each month.

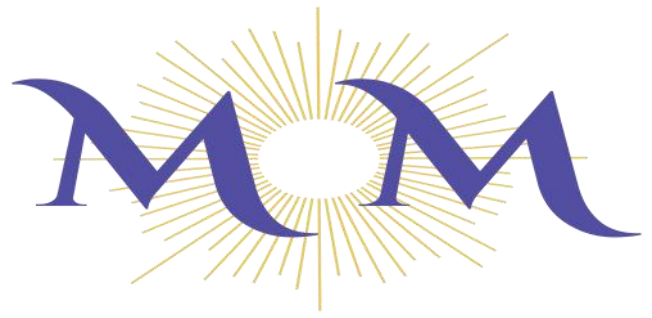
FRIENDS HELPING FRIENDS: We are selling Boscov's Friends Helping Friends Shopping Passes for \$5.00. This entitles you to shop on Tuesday, October 22, 2024 all day and receive a 25% discount on all purchases. The pass can be used at the store or online. Please see a Sodality member to purchase your Pass today.

In Our Parish

ADORATION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT: COME ADORE HIM!

Every **FIRST FRIDAY** of the month our Parish has Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament after the 8:30 a.m. Mass until 12 Noon.

Please mark your calendars and come be united with Jesus in Eucharist Adoration. Talk to Him about your joys, your sorrows and your needs; recite your favorite prayers, read the Bible, or just sit and say nothing, simply keeping Him company as you would do with a dear friend. The power of a few minutes of silence in the presence of Jesus is more powerful than anything else you can do. It will be *"The best time you will spend on earth"* Mother Teresa



Millions of Monicas

www.millionsofmonicas.com

To encounter God through prayer for ourselves and our children to grow in holiness and humility. Join us in praying - with confidence - for our children, every Wednesday at 6:30pm in the parish church. Join with other Catholic women who are being called by the Holy Spirit to imitate St. Monica as they attend this prayer ministry in their parishes. Like St. Monica, we pray for our children to return to the practice of their Catholic faith, and for our children to always stay close to their faith. We are a group of mothers, young and old, who believe in the mother's power of prayer.

Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass

If this year, 2024, you are celebrating a milestone Wedding Anniversary of 25, 50, 60 or 70 years or more, please join us in celebrating Mass with Bishop Dennis Sullivan on Sunday, November 3, 2024 at Holy Family Parish, 226 Hurffville Road, Sewell, NJ 08080 at 3:00 PM. The **deadline** for registration is **October 18, 2024**. Please call the parish office to register for the Mass.



POST-ABORTIVE HEALING SUPPORT GROUP

We provide a safe place to offer help and encouragement to those who have experienced abortion in the past. Help for individuals or groups. Session starts soon. Call or text Lisa (609) 766-4015 or contact Jersey Shore Women's Center in Galloway at (609) 568-6551.



2024 50/50 "HARVEST OF PLENTY RAFFLE"

AWESOME PARISH FUNDRAISER

One ticket \$20 or 5 tickets \$100



Purchasing 5 tickets will give you the opportunity to get into the bonus drawing of a \$200 Crab Trap Gift Card. This year two lucky winners will each get a gift card of \$200 to have a wonderful meal at the famous Crab Trap restaurant in Somers Point.

Drawing: Saturday, October 26th

Following the 4:30 PM Mass in front of the Church

FORTY HOURS
DEVOTION
October 13, 14 & 15, 2024
Preacher:
Fr. Cesar Pirateque Serrano



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 this Sacrament, please let us know by contacting the Parish office.

Camden Diocese Catholic Renewal Conference
October 11, 12, 13, 2024
Holy Spirit High School Auditorium
500 S. New Road, Absecon, NJ 08201
 Register online at
camdendiocesecatholicrenewal.org

Public Square Rosary Crusade
October 12, 2024 @ 12 Noon
Kennedy Park
Somers Point, NJ 08244
 For more information please contact Tricia
609-601-0338



Father's Quick Quote:
*PRAY is love for God.
 FAST is love for yourself.
 GIVE is love for others*

BAPTISMS

Baptisms are celebrated on 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 PM. in the Parish Hall. *Parents and godparents* are expected to attend the Pre-Jordan class.

PARENTS, PLEASE NOTE:

Be aware of the following qualifications before you ask someone to be the Godparent of your child. According to Canon Law the Godparent...

- ◆ Must be at least 16 years of age
- ◆ If the sponsor is married must be married in accord with the laws of the Catholic Church
- ◆ Must have received all the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Communion).
- ◆ Be a practicing Catholic; i.e., attend Mass regularly on Sunday and Holy Days of obligation and receive the Sacraments of the Church regularly

If you have any additional questions, please do not hesitate to call the Parish office (646-5611).

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). Please call the Parish office for an appointment.

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.**

A READING FROM THE BOOK OF NUMBERS

The LORD came down in the cloud and spoke to Moses. Taking some of the spirit that was on Moses, the LORD bestowed it on the seventy elders; and as the spirit came to rest on them, they prophesied. Now two men, one named Eldad and the other Medad, were not in the gathering but had been left in the camp. They too had been on the list, but had not gone out to the tent; yet the spirit came to rest on them also, and they prophesied in the camp. So, when a young man quickly told Moses, "Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp," Joshua, son of Nun, who from his youth had been Moses' aide, said, "Moses, my lord, stop them." But Moses answered him, "Are you jealous for my sake? Would that all the people of the LORD were prophets! Would that the LORD might bestow his spirit on them all!" The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: *R. The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart.*

The law of the LORD is perfect, refreshing the soul;
the decree of the LORD is trustworthy, giving wisdom to the simple.

R. The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart.

The fear of the LORD is pure, enduring forever;
the ordinances of the LORD are true, all of them just.

R. The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart.

Though your servant is careful of them, very diligent in keeping them,
yet who can detect failings? Cleanse me from my unknown faults!

R. The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart.

From wanton sin especially, restrain your servant;
let it not rule over me. Then shall I be blameless and innocent of serious sin.

R. The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart.

A READING FROM THE LETTER OF SAINT JAMES

Come now, you rich, weep and wail over your impending miseries. Your wealth has rotted away, your clothes have become moth-eaten, your gold and silver have corroded, and that corrosion will be a testimony against you; it will devour your flesh like a fire. You have stored up treasure for the last days. Behold, the wages you withheld from the workers who harvested your fields are crying aloud; and the cries of the harvesters have reached the ears of the Lord of hosts. You have lived on earth in luxury and pleasure; you have fattened your hearts for the day of slaughter. You have condemned; you have murdered the righteous one; he offers you no resistance. The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Your word, O Lord, is truth; consecrate us in the truth.

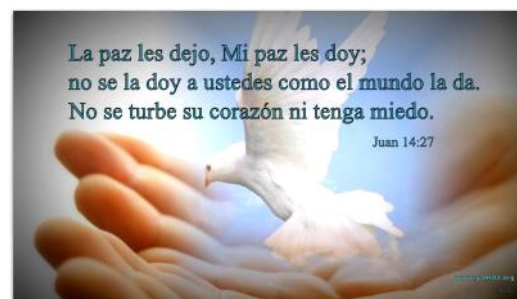
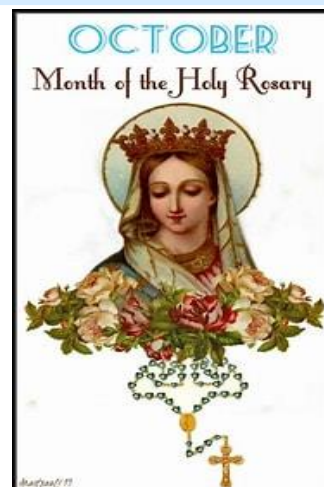
R. Alleluia, alleluia.

A READING FROM THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO MARK

At that time, John said to Jesus, "Teacher, we saw someone driving out demons in your name, and we tried to prevent him because he does not follow us." Jesus replied, "Do not prevent him. There is no one who performs a mighty deed in my name who can at the same time speak ill of me. For whoever is not against us is for us. Anyone who gives you a cup of water to drink because you belong to Christ, amen, I say to you, will surely not lose his reward. "Whoever causes one of these little ones who believe in me to sin, it would be better for him if a great millstone were put around his neck and he were thrown into the sea. If your hand causes you to sin, cut it off. It is better for you to enter into life maimed than with two hands to go into Gehenna, into the unquenchable fire. And if your foot causes you to sin, cut it off. It is better for you to enter into life crippled than with two feet to be thrown into Gehenna. And if your eye causes you to sin, pluck it out. Better for you to enter into the kingdom of God with one eye than with two eyes to be thrown into Gehenna, where their worm does not die, and the fire is not quenched." The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ**

OCTUBRE: MES DEL SANTO ROSARIO

Es costumbre entre los católicos enterrar a nuestros muertos con un rosario en sus manos. Lo note por primera vez cuando era muy joven y me impresionó. Y todavía me impresiona. Estoy seguro que esto también debe impresionar incluso a los no católicos porque varios de ellos han venido a pedirme un rosario para un ser querido a quien estaban llevando a su tumba. El profundo significado de esta costumbre crece en mí con cada funeral que presencié. He visto el rosario en las manos de mis amigos fallecidos, antiguos compañeros de estudios y conocidos más recientes. Lo he visto en manos de decenas de miembros de mis parroquias en cuyos entierros he oficiado y también en manos de extraños. Lo he visto bajar en la tumba con monjas, sacerdotes y obispos. Lo he visto acompañar tanto a personas mayores como a jóvenes y niños. Lo he visto como un collar enhebrado sobre el cuerpo inocente de un bebé. He visto a mis propios parientes abrazarlo en un abrazo interminable. Mirando a los dedos sin vida que sostienen un rosario me da comida para una mediación ferviente. Uno piensa en los años pasados ... y en la eternidad recién nacida, una cadena que une a la Eternidad. El rosario representa la vida de nuestro Señor, sobre cuya vida debe moldearse la nuestra. Los quince misterios hablan de los eventos sagrados en su vida por los cuales somos redimidos. Su nacimiento, muerte y gloria están escondidos allí. Y nuestra vida también estará si hemos sido fieles. La vida de nuestra señora también está escondida allí. Su vida era un reflejo perfecto de la vida de su Hijo. María vivió con y para Cristo. Ella nació, vivió y murió, y fue asunta en alma y cuerpo al cielo. Ella era una con nosotros y una con Cristo, un eslabón perfecto en el rosario, uniendo la tierra y el cielo. El rosario yace con millones de personas en el "suelo frío de la tierra." El rosario es una cosa que puedes llevar contigo cuando mueres. Sin duda, permanecerá en la tumba mucho más tiempo que nuestros restos mortales. Es emblemático de la durabilidad de fe. Sí, "puedes llevártelo contigo". Pienso en la muerte de un católico y en ser enterrado yendo a juicio, llevando el rosario. Él sostiene el rosario en la muerte. Lo sostiene diez, cincuenta, tal vez cien años en la tumba. Él lo sostiene, por lo tanto, en el juicio. Él está adornado con sus joyas para toda la eternidad. En el juicio, el rosario "discutirá" por usted. Mary, nuestra mediadora, lo reconocerá. Ella suplicará por "la usted". Y su Hijo la escuchará y responderá. En manos de algunos en el ataúd, el rosario descansa tan naturalmente. La abuela que no sabía ni leer ni escribir, pero que repetía tantas veces "¡Me encanta el rosario!" La madre que se arrodillaba cada tarde con su familia a rezar el rosario, ya que siempre instruía a sus hijos a que lo sostuvieran en sus manos. El sacerdote de cabello gris y gastado cuya vida había sido un rosario de devoción a Nuestro Señor y su Señora. Ahora estoy pensando que fácil descansará en manos de algunos ... el padre que vi en cuarenta horas. Condujo a su familia a la Iglesia en la tarde para hacer su hora de la devoción. La familia de repente dejó el banco y siguió al padre a arrodillarse para recibir la comunión, donde llevó el rosario para ellos. El joven que se detiene todos los días en su camino a casa desde el trabajo para visitar a nuestro Señor en la iglesia. El inválido cuya comida y fuerza cotidiana han sido las cuentas y la cadena del Rosario. No tan fácilmente estará en manos de otros, de aquellos que apenas lo conocían. Aquellos que "no tuvieron tiempo" para rezarlo o aquellos que lo trataron con indiferencia y descuido. Ahora, su hipocresía a la hora de la muerte, duele. Su celebración del rosario estando cerca de la muerte, es una burla. La misericordia de Dios es infinita y El es inmensamente amable, por lo que para los vivos todavía hay tiempo.

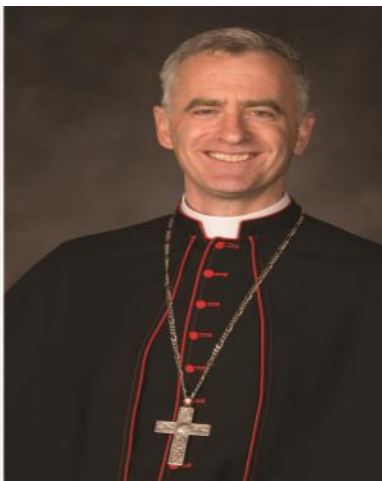


Nuestra Señora te llama, "Dirige tus dedos al rosario. "

Si usted visita semanalmente Santa Gianna y aún no se ha registrado formalmente en la parroquia, por favor hágalo. Las planillas de registraci3n est1n ubicadas en el vestibulo de la iglesia. El proceso de registraci3n es simple pero muy importante para la administraci3n de nuestra iglesia y para servir mejor a nuestra comunidad. **Tambi3n Necesitamos de su Colaboraci3n para** mantener los archivos de nuestra parroquia en orden. Por favor comuniquese con la oficina parroquial si desea solicitar sobres de contribuci3n, cambiar su n1mero telef3nico, su estado civil o su domicilio. Gracias!



Recuerden: Los Bautismos se celebran los **Primeros S1bados** de cada mes a las **11 AM**. Por favor llame a la oficina parroquial para hacer los arreglos administrativos necesarios. La **Clase de Preparaci3n Bautismal** para los Padres y los Padrinos es **obligatoria** y se dicta el **ultimo Viernes** de cada mes inmediatamente despu3s de la Misa de las 7 pm en el Sal3n Grande.



Marquen sus calendarios!!

Most Rev. Coadjutor Bishop of Camden

Joseph Andrew Williams

Will be in our Parish on
Wednesday, October 2, 2024

Mass at 6:30 PM

Postres y caf3 en el Hall
 De la parroquia

inmediatamente despu3s de la Misa



 * Rezamos el santo *
 * Rosario todos los Viernes antes *
 * de Misa 630 p.m. *

PROCESI3N DEL PAN Y EL VINO DURANTE LA MISA



Aquellas personas que han reservado una Misa por una intenci3n particular son bienvenidas, si as3 lo desean, a procesar con las ofrendas del pan y el vino durante la Misa. S3lo comuniquense con la se1ora Fidelina Acevedo o Maria Jimenez antes del comienzo de la Misa.

Denuncie el Abuso Sexual



Un n1mero telef3nico gratuito e independiente ha sido establecido por la Di3cesis de Camden para ayudar a las personas a denunciar casos de abusos sexuales por sacerdotes, di1conos, religiosos, empleados y/o voluntarios. Las llamadas son manejadas por un trabajador social cl3nico licenciado. 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 polic3a.

Para m1s informaci3n o para obtener servicios de consejer3a y apoyo, llame al:
 1-800-964-6588

THE DIOCESE OF CAMDEN

PRIMERA LECTURA DEL LIBRO DE LOS NUMEROS

En aquellos días, el Señor descendió de la nube y habló con Moisés. Tomó del espíritu que reposaba sobre Moisés y se lo dio a los setenta ancianos. Cuando el espíritu se posó sobre ellos, se pusieron a profetizar. Se habían quedado en el campamento dos hombres: uno llamado Eldad y otro, Medad. También sobre ellos se posó el espíritu, pues aunque no habían ido a la reunión, eran de los elegidos y ambos comenzaron a profetizar en el campamento. Un muchacho corrió a contarle a Moisés que Eldad y Medad estaban profetizando en el campamento. Entonces Josué, hijo de Nun, que desde muy joven era ayudante de Moisés, le dijo: "Señor mío, prohíbeselo". Pero Moisés le respondió: "¿Crees que voy a ponerme celoso? Ojalá que todo el pueblo de Dios fuera profeta y descendiera sobre todos ellos el espíritu del Señor". Palabra de Dios. **Te alabamos Señor.**

SALMO RESPONSORIAL: R. Los mandamientos del Señor alegran el corazón.

La ley del Señor es perfecta del todo y reconforta el alma;
inmutables son las palabras del Señor y hacen sabio al sencillo.

R. Los mandamientos del Señor alegran el corazón.

La voluntad de Dios es santa y para siempre estable;
los mandamientos del Señor son verdaderos y enteramente justos.

R. Los mandamientos del Señor alegran el corazón.

Aunque tu servidor se esmera en cumplir tus preceptos con cuidado,
¿quién no falta, Señor, sin advertirlo? Perdona mis errores ignorados.

R. Los mandamientos del Señor alegran el corazón.

Presérvame, Señor, de la soberbia, no dejes que el orgullo me domine;
así, del gran pecado tu servidor podrá encontrarse libre.

R. Los mandamientos del Señor alegran el corazón.

SEGUNDA LECTURA DE LA CARTA DEL APOSTOL SANTIAGO

Loren y laméntense, ustedes, los ricos, por las desgracias que les esperan. Sus riquezas se han corrompido; la polilla se ha comido sus vestidos; enmohecidos están su oro y su plata, y ese moho será una prueba contra ustedes y consumirá sus carnes, como el fuego. Con esto ustedes han atesorado un castigo para los últimos días. El salario que ustedes han defraudado a los trabajadores que segaron sus campos está clamando contra ustedes; sus gritos han llegado hasta el oído del Señor de los ejércitos. Han vivido ustedes en este mundo entregados al lujo y al placer, engordando como reses para el día de la matanza. Han condenado a los inocentes y los han matado, porque no podían defenderse. Palabra de Dios. **Te alabamos Señor.**

R. Aleluya, aleluya.

Tu palabra, Señor, es la verdad; santifícanos en la verdad.

R. Aleluya.

LECTURA DEL SANTO EVANGELIO SEGUN SAN MARCOS

En aquel tiempo, Juan le dijo a Jesús: "Hemos visto a uno que expulsaba a los demonios en tu nombre, y como no es de los nuestros, se lo prohibimos". Pero Jesús le respondió: "No se lo prohíban, porque no hay ninguno que haga milagros en mi nombre, que luego sea capaz de hablar mal de mí. Todo aquel que no está contra nosotros, está a nuestro favor. Todo aquel que les dé a beber un vaso de agua por el hecho de que son de Cristo, les aseguro que no se quedará sin recompensa. Al que sea ocasión de pecado para esta gente sencilla que cree en mí, más le valdría que le pusieran al cuello una de esas enormes piedras de molino y lo arrojaran al mar. Si tu mano te es ocasión de pecado, córtatela; pues más te vale entrar manco en la vida eterna, que ir con tus dos manos al lugar de castigo, al fuego que no se apaga. Y si tu pie te es ocasión de pecado, córtatelo; pues más te vale entrar cojo en la vida eterna, que con tus dos pies ser arrojado al lugar de castigo. Y si tu ojo te es ocasión de pecado, sácatelo; pues más te vale entrar tuerto en el Reino de Dios, que ser arrojado con tus dos ojos al lugar de castigo, *donde el gusano no muere y el fuego no se apaga*". Palabra de Dios. **Gloria a Ti Señor.**

Atención!!!

- Recuerden apagar sus celulares ANTES de entrar a la iglesia para que no sirvan de distracción a la comunidad.
- También recuerden NO parquear sus automobiles en las zonas "NO PARKING" para que su automobille no sea confiscado.

Visite la Pagina Oficial de Facebook de la Diocesis de Camden, Ministerio Hispano, para enterarse de todos los eventos para la Comunidad.

<https://www.facebook.com/MinisterioHispanoDOC>

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"HARVEST OF PLENTY RAFFLE"

FABULOSA RIFA

1 ticket \$20 o 5 tickets \$100

Comprando 5 tickets usted tendra la oportunidad de tambien entrar en el sorteo de 2 chances para ganar \$200 para disfrutar de un lunch of cena en el famoso restaurant CrabTrap. Este ano dos ganadores seran los afortunados. Invite a sus familiars y amigos a participar de esta rifa que beneficia a nuestra parroquia. **Sorteo:** Sábado, October 26th. Después de la Misa de 4:30 PM en frente de la iglesia.

CONFESIONES

VIERNES: 6:15 PM—6:45 pm
DOMINGOS: 1:15 pm –1:45 PM

FUERA DE ESTOS HORARIOS PUEDE HACER SU CITA LLAMANDO A LA OFICINA PARROQUIAL.



DEVOCION DE LAS CUARENTA HORAS

OCTUBRE 13-14 & 15, 2024

Padre Cesar Pirateque Serrano, Orador



Misa de Unción de Enfermos

Domingo 13 de Octubre, 2024

4:00 PM



El sábado 5 de Octubre a las 10:30 am. nuestra parroquia tendrá un evento especial para todas nuestras mascotas: **La Bendición de Animales**. Esta tradición se lleva a cabo en memoria del amor de San Francisco por los animales. Por favor traigan sus animalitos, grandes y pequeños a la Iglesia para que reciban una bendición de nuestro Pastor, Father Anthony. Los esperamos!

2024 Memorial de Navidad

El Programa Navideño en nuestra Parroquia, es un programa donde usted puede recordar a sus seres queridos, vivos o difuntos, de una manera muy especial y al mismo tiempo, colaborar con las decoraciones navideñas de nuestra iglesia. Su participación le permite adquirir un árbol de Navidad de aproximadamente un metro, que se plantará en la propiedad de la iglesia con el nombre de la persona que usted está recordando o si lo prefiere, un mensaje navideño. El Sábado 7 de Diciembre después de la Misa de las 4:30 p.m. habrá una ceremonia especial donde se prenderán las luces de los árboles. Los árboles estarán iluminados durante el tiempo Navideño hasta la festividad de la Epifanía del Señor, el 5 de Enero del 2025.



CADENA POR LA VIDA
DOMINGO 6 DE OCTUBRE, 2024
2-3 P.M.
ST. GIANNA PARISH