

# St. Gianna Beretta Molla Parish

## Roman Catholic Church

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### WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday-Friday 8:30 AM (English)

Friday 7:00 PM (Spanish)

### WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 4:30 PM

Sunday 8 & 10 AM

12 Noon Traditional Latin Mass

2 PM Mass in Spanish

### MASSES ON HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

Vigil: 7:00 PM

Feast Day: 8:30 AM and 12:00 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

Monday-Thursday: 9 AM - 4 PM

Friday: Closed

For the Son of Man did not  
come to be served but to  
serve and to give his life as a  
ransom for many.

MARK 10:45

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## SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2024

## TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### HYMNS FOR THE WEEKEND

ENTRANCE: #481 in the St. Michael Hymnal "Come, Christians Join to Sing"

OFFERTORY: #673 in the St. Michael Hymnal "O Lord, with Wondrous Mystery"

COMMUNION: #528 in the St. Michael Hymnal "Gift of Finest Wheat"

CLOSING: #548 in the St. Michael Hymnal "Hail, Holy Queen Enthroned Above"



## From the Pastor's Desk

ALL SOULS DAY  
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2024  
4:30 PM MASS

November 2<sup>nd</sup> is not the *feast of the Crib nor of the Cross*, but rather of the *coffin*. It's the feast of All Souls and this is the feast that gently tugs at the string around our finger, quietly nudges our memory, pleadingly asks, have you, too, forgotten? As we approach the month of November, we need to ask ourselves, "What can I do for mom or dad who has died? What can I do for my husband or wife, son, daughter, friend, priest who has died?" We look into our consciences and perhaps, just perhaps, we realize we were not as good to our dear deceased loved ones as we should have been and we can feel guilty. "If only I would have been more loving, showed my love more, but alas, I did not." There is nothing we can do now or is there something? Yes, there is! The Mass offered for our deceased loved ones is the greatest act of love we can do for them, for the fruits and effects of every Mass can be applied to that dear soul in purgatory, pleading and begging us to help them escape the punishments of purgatory. The famous English Catholic brilliant essayist, Hillaire Belloc, a lucid historian, an exemplary Catholic, a beautiful poet, the very pattern of the highly educated English Catholic – when his wife died, he turned the key in the door of her room and never entered it again. Each night as he went to bed he would pause and make the sign of the cross upon the door pane. For 30 years he survived her, he wore only somber black. Even his stationery was edged in black. Call it what you want – eccentric, excessive, extravagant. Most of us are in the other direction, insofar as we so seldom think of our dear departed or the possibility of their being in purgatory. *Purgatory?* a word in the Catechism of the Catholic Church. Something sad and far off. Because it is sad, we sigh and shake our heads. Because it is far off, we shrug our shoulders and murmur, "what can we do?" If the hands that reach pleadingly out of purgatory to us are hands that we once clasped, purgatory cannot be so far away. And, yes, we can help not by sending *care packages*, but by sending *prayer packages*. The very month of November is the Church's airlift, bound for purgatory and loaded with Masses. So, why not reach out in love to your dearly departed. Enroll them in the Novena of Masses on Saturday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>. Come to the special solemn **Requiem Latin Mass on Saturday, November 2, 2024 at 4:30 p.m.**, and you will have touched him/her with love.

This year All Souls day falls on a Saturday. Our 4:30 p.m. Mass on All Souls Day will be the Mass we remember all the holy souls who died this past year and were buried from our parish. We will also remember in a special way all the holy souls that are enrolled in which you have given us the names on the All Souls envelopes provided. Please make sure you get those envelopes before All Souls Day. This year that Mass, will be in Latin and accompanied with the music of Gabriel Faure. This Mass is very moving and a masterpiece of music. I hope you will attend this special Mass for your dearly departed loved ones. I mention that it will be in Latin so if you do not want to attend you can go to any of our English Masses on Sunday.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2024

8:30 AM – 11:00 AM (English)

12 Noon & 1:00 PM (Spanish)

LATIN REQUIEM MASS (Mass in Latin)

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2024

4:30 PM



# From the Pastor's Desk

## Forty Hours Devotion

Thank You



Thank You

Thank you, Dear Lord, for such a beautiful Forty Hours Devotion.

I, as well as Fr. Franklin, Fr. Sunny, and Deacon George were deeply edified by so many of our parishioners participating in the Forty Hours Devotion by making Holy Hours and by the great attendance at Mass on Monday and Tuesday evenings.

Heartfelt thanks to our lectors, ushers, altar servers, and all of you who worked behind the scenes for the good of our parish.

You will, indeed, be blessed by God for making the necessary sacrifices to be with Our Lord.

Our Savior told St. Mary Magdalen, "Much is forgiven you because you have loved much."

May it be so for all of us!

Fr. Anthony

NOVEMBER 1

## All Saints

All Saints Day is a HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION which binds us to attend Mass under pain of Mortal Sin. The Schedule of Masses for this HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION is as follows:

**VIGIL MASS:** Thursday, October 31, 2024  
7:00 PM

**FEAST DAY:** Friday, November 1, 2024  
8:30 AM – 12 NOON – 7:00 PM BILINGUAL

## All Souls

NOVEMBER 2

### ALL SOULS ENROLLMENT

Please return your ALL Souls envelope with the names of your dearly departed to be enrolled in the Novena for All Souls. You may place the envelope in the Collection Basket or drop it off at the Parish office. The envelopes will then be placed on the Altar and remain there the entire month of November.

**SHARE THE WORD PRAYER GROUP  
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 questions call Colleen 609-703-7880.

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

**M**en 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 information contact david@castellinilaw.com. or 609-402-1844.

*"As iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another."  
Proverbs 27:17*

**ST. GIANNA BINGO ON WEDNESDAYS  
& SATURDAYS**

**O**ur 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!!

**P**riests 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.

**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.

**Father's Quick Quote:** "Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament has His hands full of Graces, and He is ready to bestow them on anyone who asks for them."  
~St. Peter of Alcantara

**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, November 5, 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.

**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. October we will be collecting sweatshirts for men & women. The collection is the third weekend of each month.

**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. See a Sodality member to purchase your ticket.



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. Keep in mind that any kind of information, documents, registrations (with the parish, Religious Education/RCIA programs) and appointments are to be handled by the parish office ONLY – not the priests.**

### **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:

- ◆ NO announcements/articles and/or propaganda of any kind are permitted on the *main bulletin boards* placed in the gathering area of the church
- ◆ 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.



**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19**

4:30 PM Jennifer Di Chiara r/b Mom & Dad  
Lee Catani r/b Children

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20**

8 AM Darlene Fago r/b Kleuskens Family  
10 AM Carmen Conway r/b Family  
John Vespertino r/b Vespertino Family  
Sally Cross r/b Grant Friedland  
12 Noon Spiritual Warfare of Cirila Martinez  
Gene Salerno r/b Family  
2 PM Pedro y Rodrigo Bolivar r/b Familia

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 21**

8:30AM Gilda Cabrezos r/b Olivia Pacana

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22**

8:30AM Gerry Lim r/b Cindy Lim

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23**

8:30 AM Ana Josefa Guzman r/b Dulce Osoria

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24**

8:30 AM Intentions of Mary Ann Grace r/b Family

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25**

8:30 AM Healing of Isabella Perez r/b Family  
7:00 PM Ana Josefa Guzman r/b Dulce Osoria

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26**

4:30 PM Raymond Giannini r/b Wife & Family  
My Dear Wife, Letita Montes, Happy  
Birthday in Heaven r/b Husband

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27**

8 AM Jenesio & Aquilina Rivera r/b Dziegrenuk  
Family  
10 AM Raymond, Emily & Virginia Reid r/b  
Palomeque Family  
Michael Mattia r/b Family  
12 Noon Spiritual Warfare of Octavio Franco  
r/b Familia Corona Franco  
Mass of Thanksgiving r/b Alfred & Claudia  
2 PM Mario Martinez r/b Esposa e Hijos  
Jose Luis Rauda r/b Familia

**OCTOBER 19 – OCTOBER 25**

**SANCTUARY LAMP AT MAIN ALTAR**

Will Burn in Loving Memory of  
**ELIZABETH CHAU**  
Requested By  
**ERLAND CHAU**

**ST. JOSEPH & BLESSED MOTHER ALTARS**

Will Burn in Loving Memory of  
**CARMEN CONWAY**  
Requested By  
**CUPO FAMILY**

**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 #: \_\_\_\_\_

# Among Other Things



If You Cannot Be On Time,  
Then Be EARLY.

Making Time For Prayer Strengthens  
Our Connection with God

## 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.



**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 hall. 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.

## 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**.

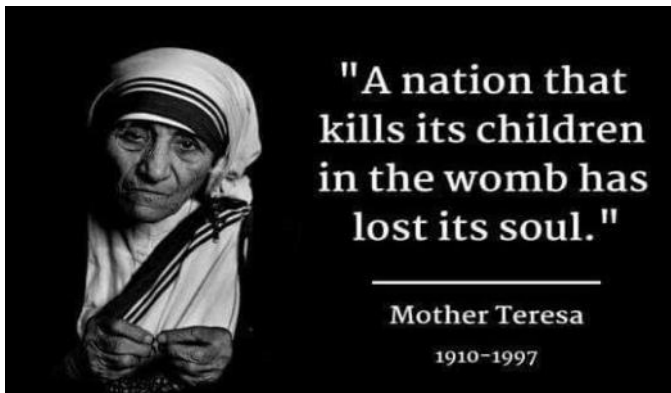


So many of you have increased your weekly donations to our Parish! May God reward you abundantly.

### Parish Weekly Offerings October 12-13, 2024

1st Collection: \$	8,060.00
2nd Collection: \$	<u>3,287.00</u>
For a total of: \$	11,347.00

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



## Be a Server at the Altar!

We are in need of Adults who are available to become Altar Servers and help at Funerals, Weddings, daily Mass, and other holidays when our youth is not available. If you are interested please call the Parish office (609-646-5611).



# 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](http://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. For more information please call the 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







On **Saturday, November 2, 2024** at **4:30 PM** we will be having a special Mass of Remembrance for all those who were buried from St. Gianna this past year. Everyone is invited to attend this special Latin Requiem Mass.

**Also, Mass will be celebrated on**

**Saturday, November 2, 2024 at**


**8:30 AM & 11:00 AM (ENGLISH)**

**12 NOON & 1:00 PM (SPANISH)**

Diocese of Camden

*A Planning Guide for A Catholic Funeral*

This new guide is available online and it is an interactive document that helps our families understand the Catholic teaching with regards to death, burial and Catholic funeral rites, as well as to provide a fillable document that is useful at the time of someone's passing. When completed while pre-planning, the guide provides all the details regarding the person's funeral and wishes, and other pertinent information that family members would need to know at the time of death. Please visit <https://southjerseycatholiccemeteries.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/09/SJCC-Planning-Guide-for-Catholic-Funeral-Interactive-Sept-2024.pdf>

**R**emember, the *kneelers* are for kneeling. We kindly ask that you not use them, up or down, as *foot-rests*.  Thank You!!



**GOD  
IS  
WITH US**

Prayer

**L**ord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. Please place a hedge of protection around each and everyone. I ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Amen.



Knights of Columbus Council #6277  
Invites you to

Wine vs Beer—5 Course Meal

*Wine and beer tasting with each course*  
\$70 per person

Thursday, November 7, 2024 at 6:30 PM

Greate Bay Country Club

Proceeds benefit AMVETS

Please call Paul at 609-576-6812 or Gerry at 609-470-0256 for tickets.

Bruce Jackson Memorial

20th Annual Scholarship Golf Tournament

Saturday, October 26, 2024 @ 1:00 PM

McCullough's Emerald Links, E.H.T.

Please join us for a day of fun, golf, food & charity

Register <http://brucejackson2024.eventbrite.com>

Call Paul Sullivan 609-576-6812

WHEN *life* GETS  
TOO HARD TO STAND,  
*kneel*

A VOICE  
for the  
VOICELESS

IT'S MY  
BODY...

NO! IT'S  
MY  
BODY!

*Pro-Life  
is  
Pro-Love*

### A READING FROM THE PROPHET ISAIAH

**T**he LORD was pleased to crush him in infirmity. If he gives his life as an offering for sin, he shall see his descendants in a long life, and the will of the LORD shall be accomplished through him. Because of his affliction he shall see the light in fullness of days; through his suffering, my servant shall justify many, and their guilt he shall bear. The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

### RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

**R. Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you.**

Upright is the word of the LORD, and all his works are trustworthy.  
He loves justice and right; of the kindness of the LORD the earth is full.

**R. Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you.**

See, the eyes of the LORD are upon those who fear him,  
upon those who hope for his kindness,  
To deliver them from death and preserve them in spite of famine.

**R. Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you.**

Our soul waits for the LORD, who is our help and our shield.  
May your kindness, O LORD, be upon us who have put our hope in you.

**R. Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you.**

### A READING FROM THE LETTER OF SAINT PAUL TO THE HEBREWS

**B**rothers and sisters: Since we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast to our confession. For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who has similarly been tested in every way, yet without sin. So let us confidently approach the throne of grace to receive mercy and to find grace for timely help. The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

**R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

*The Son of Man came to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many.*

**R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

### A READING FROM THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO MARK

**J**ames and John, the sons of Zebedee, came to Jesus and said to him, "Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you." He replied, "What do you wish me to do for you?" They answered him, "Grant that in your glory we may sit one at your right and the other at your left." Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you are asking. Can you drink the cup that I drink or be baptized with the baptism with which I am baptized?" They said to him, "We can." Jesus said to them, "The cup that I drink, you will drink, and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right or at my left is not mine to give but is for those for whom it has been prepared." When the ten heard this, they became indignant at James and John. Jesus summoned them and said to them, "You know that those who are recognized as rulers over the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great ones make their authority over them felt. But it shall not be so among you. Rather, whoever wishes to be great among you will be your servant; whoever wishes to be first among you will be the slave of all. For the Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many." The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ**



## NOVIEMBRE: MES DEDICADO A TODOS LOS MUERTOS

El 2 de noviembre no es la fiesta del pesebre ni de la cruz, sino del ataúd. Es la fiesta de los Fieles Difuntos, y es la fiesta que tira suavemente de la cuerda que llevamos en el dedo, que nos empuja silenciosamente a la memoria, que nos pregunta suplicante: “¿También tú te has olvidado?”

Al acercarnos al mes de noviembre, debemos preguntarnos: “¿Qué puedo hacer por mamá o papá que han muerto? ¿Qué puedo hacer por mi marido o esposa, hijo, hija, amigo, sacerdote que ha muerto?”. Examinamos nuestra conciencia y tal vez, sólo tal vez, nos damos cuenta de que no fuimos tan buenos con nuestros seres queridos fallecidos como deberíamos haber sido y podemos sentirnos culpables. “Si tan solo hubiera sido más cariñoso, hubiera mostrado más mi amor, pero, por desgracia, no lo hice.” No hay nada que podamos hacer ahora o ¿hay algo? ¡Sí, lo hay!

La misa ofrecida por nuestros seres queridos fallecidos es el mayor acto de amor que podemos hacer por ellos, porque los frutos y efectos de cada misa pueden aplicarse a esa querida alma del purgatorio, que nos ruega y nos ruega que la ayudemos a escapar de los castigos del purgatorio. El famoso y brillante ensayista católico inglés, Hillaire Belloc, un historiador lúcido, un católico ejemplar, un hermoso poeta, el modelo mismo del católico inglés altamente educado, cuando murió su esposa, hizo girar la llave en la puerta de su habitación y nunca más volvió a entrar. Cada noche, cuando se iba a la cama, se detenía y hacía la señal de la cruz en el cristal de la puerta. Durante los 30 años que la sobrevivió, solo vestía de negro sombrío. Incluso su papelería tenía los bordes de ese mismo color. Llámelo como quieran: excéntrico, excesivo, extravagante. La mayoría de nosotros estamos en la dirección opuesta, en la medida en que rara vez pensamos en nuestros seres queridos fallecidos o en la posibilidad de que estén en el purgatorio.

¿Purgatorio? Una palabra del catecismo de la Iglesia Católica. Algo triste y lejano. Como es triste, suspiramos y sacudimos la cabeza. Como está lejos, nos encogemos de hombros y murmuramos: “¿Qué podemos hacer?”. Si las manos que se extienden suplicantes desde el purgatorio hacia nosotros son manos que una vez estrechamos, el purgatorio no puede estar tan lejos. Y, sí, podemos ayudar no enviando paquetes de ayuda, sino enviando paquetes de oración. El mismo mes de noviembre es el puente aéreo de la Iglesia, con destino al purgatorio y cargado de misas. Entonces, ¿por qué no acercarse con amor a su ser querido difunto?

Inscríbalo en la Novena de Misas el sábado 2 de noviembre. Venga a la solemne Misa de Réquiem en latín el sábado 2 de noviembre de 2024 a las 4:30 p. m. y lo habrá tocado con amor. Este año, el Día de los Difuntos cae en sábado. Nuestra Misa de las 4:30 p. m. del Día de los Difuntos será la Misa en la que recordamos a todas las almas santas que murieron el año pasado y fueron enterradas en nuestra parroquia. También recordaremos de manera especial a todas las almas santas que están inscritas en el Registro de Fieles Difuntos, y cuyos nombres nos han dado en los sobres que les proporcionamos. Por favor, asegúrense de recibir esos sobres antes del Día de los Fieles Difuntos.

Este año, esa Misa será en latín y estará acompañada con la música de Gabriel Faure. Esta Misa es muy conmovedora y una obra maestra de la música. Espero que asistan a esta Misa especial por sus seres queridos que han partido. Menciono que será en latín, así que si no quieren asistir, pueden ir a cualquiera de nuestras Misas en inglés el domingo.

**¡Qué las almas de todos los fieles difuntos descansen en paz!**

**MISA ESPECIAL EN LATIN EN CONMEMORACION A TODOS LOS MUERTOS  
SABADO 2 DE NOVIEMBRE, 2024 A LAS 4:30 PM  
TODOS ESTAN INVITADOS.**

**S**i usted visita semanalmente Santa Gianna y aún no se ha registrado formalmente en la parroquia, por favor hágalo. Las planillas de registraci3n est3n 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** a mantener los archivos de nuestra parroquia en orden. Por favor comuníquese con la oficina parroquial si desea solicitar sobres de contribuci3n, cambiar su n3mero telef3nico, su estado civil o su domicilio. Gracias!



**R**ecuerden: 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 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.

NOVEMBER 1

## All Saints

### Solemnidad de Todos los Santos

Día de Precepto Obligatorio

**Noviembre 1, 2024**

Misas en Inglés: 8:30 AM & 12 Noon

Misa en Espa3ol: 7:00 PM

### PROCESI3N DEL PAN Y EL VINO DURANTE LA MISA

**A**quellas 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 comuníquense con la se3ora Fidelina Acevedo o Maria Jimenez antes del comienzo de la Misa.



## All Souls

NOVEMBER 2

### Solemnidad de Todos los Muertos

**Noviembre 2, 2024**

Misas en Inglés: 8:30 AM & 11 AM

Misas en Espa3ol: 12 Noon & 1:00 PM

### Denuncie el Abuso Sexual



Un n3mero 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, di3conos, 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 m3s informaci3n o para obtener servicios de consejer3a y apoyo, llame al:  
1-800-964-6588

THE DIOCESE OF CAMDEN



## PRIMERA LECTURA DEL LIBRO DEL PROFETA ISAIAS

**E**l Señor quiso triturar a su siervo con el sufrimiento. Cuando entregue su vida como expiación, verá a sus descendientes, prolongará sus años y por medio de él prosperarán los designios del Señor. Por las fatigas de su alma, verá la luz y se saciará; con sus sufrimientos justificará mi siervo a muchos, cargando con los crímenes de ellos.

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

### SALMO RESPONSORIAL

*R. Muéstrate bondadoso con nosotros, Señor.*

Sincera es la palabra del Señor y todas sus acciones son leales.  
El ama la justicia y el derecho, la tierra llena está de sus bondades.

*R. Muéstrate bondadoso con nosotros, Señor.*

Cuida el Señor de aquellos que lo temen y en su bondad confían;  
los salva de la muerte y en épocas de hambre les da vida.

*R. Muéstrate bondadoso con nosotros, Señor.*

En el Señor está nuestra esperanza, pues él es nuestra ayuda y nuestro amparo.  
Muéstrate bondadoso con nosotros, puesto que en ti, Señor, hemos confiado.

*R. Muéstrate bondadoso con nosotros, Señor.*

## SEGUNDA LECTURA DE LA CARTA A LOS HEBREOS

**H**ermanos: Puesto que Jesús, el Hijo de Dios, es nuestro sumo sacerdote, que ha entrado en el cielo, mantengamos firme la profesión de nuestra fe. En efecto, no tenemos un sumo sacerdote que no sea capaz de compadecerse de nuestros sufrimientos, puesto que él mismo ha pasado por las mismas pruebas que nosotros, excepto el pecado. Acerquémonos, por lo tanto, con plena confianza al trono de la gracia, para recibir misericordia, hallar la gracia y obtener ayuda en el momento oportuno. Palabra de Dios. **Te alabamos Señor.**

**R. Aleluya, aleluya.**

*Jesucristo vino a servir y a dar la vida por la salvación de todos.*

**R. Aleluya.**

## LECTURA DEL SANTO EVANGELIO SEGUN SAN MARCOS

**E**n aquel tiempo, se acercaron a Jesús Santiago y Juan, los hijos de Zebedeo, y le dijeron: "Maestro, queremos que nos concedas lo que vamos a pedirte". Él les dijo: "¿Qué es lo que desean?" Le respondieron: "Concede que nos sentemos uno a tu derecha y otro a tu izquierda, cuando estés en tu gloria". Jesús les replicó: "No saben lo que piden. ¿Podrán pasar la prueba que yo voy a pasar y recibir el bautismo con que seré bautizado?" Le respondieron: "Sí podemos". Y Jesús les dijo: "Ciertamente pasarán la prueba que yo voy a pasar y recibirán el bautismo con que yo seré bautizado; pero eso de sentarse a mi derecha o a mi izquierda no me toca a mí concederlo; eso es para quienes está reservado". Cuando los otros diez apóstoles oyeron esto, se indignaron contra Santiago y Juan. Jesús reunió entonces a los Doce y les dijo: "Ya saben que los jefes de las naciones las gobiernan como si fueran sus dueños y los poderosos las oprimen. Pero no debe ser así entre ustedes. Al contrario: el que quiera ser grande entre ustedes que sea su servidor, y el que quiera ser el primero, que sea el esclavo de todos, así como el Hijo del hombre, que no ha venido a que lo sirvan, sino a servir y a dar su vida por la redención de todos". 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 automobilo 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>

2024 50/50

"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.

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. Los árboles estarán iluminados durante el tiempo Navideño hasta la festividad de la Epifanía del Señor, el 5 de Enero del 2025. Para hacer su reservación por favor pasar por la oficina parroquial.

Donación: \$130

Día Límite para hacer reservaciones:

30 de Noviembre

RENOVACIÓN CARISMÁTICA CATÓLICA  
XIII CONGRESO DIOCESANO

Un toque **SANADOR,**  
la Gracia de su Presencia  
Lucas 6, 19



EN LA PREDICACIÓN  
**Martha Reyes**  
Cantautora y psicóloga

DONACIÓN  
\$20  
(INCLUYE LUNCH)

¡Animate, Dios quiere obrar grandes cosas en tu vida!

**SÁBADO, 9 DE NOVIEMBRE DEL 2024**  
8:00 AM – 6:00 PM

**GIMNASIO IGLESIA SAN LUCAS**  
55 WARWICK ROAD STRATFORD, NJ 08084



Tendremos: Predicaciones, Momentos de Sanación, Adoración al Santísimo y Eucaristía  
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rcccamden@gmail.com



OCTUBRE: MES DEDICADO AL

SANTO ROSARIO

\*\*\*\*\*  
\* En nuestra parroquia rezamos el santo \*  
\* Rosario todos los Viernes antes de Misa \*  
\* 630 p.m. \*  
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Muchas Gracias

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\* **Q**uisiera agradecer a la Comunidad Hispana \*  
\* por su participación en la Devoción de las 40 \*  
\* Horas que nuestra parroquia celebró esta sema- \*  
\* na. Fueron muchísimas las familias que nos \*  
\* acompañaron y estoy seguro que Dios los bende- \*  
\* cirá abundantemente. Estoy muy feliz como Pas- \*  
\* tor por toda la colaboración y el interés que mu- \*  
\* chos miembros de la Comunidad Hispana han \*  
\* demostrado como familia de Dios. Estoy muy \*  
\* orgulloso de todos ustedes. ¡Qué Dios los bendi- \*  
\* ga! Padre Anthony. \*  
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