



Holy Eucharist Parish Cherry Hill, New Jersey

# Stewardship

"Jesus answered, 'My kingdom does not belong to this world." (JOHN 18:36)

Life is short. How much time, energy and money do you put into building "your" kingdom here on earth? We all know we can't take it with us. The real kingdom is in the next life. Yet, how much time, energy and money do you invest in working for that eternal kingdom? Ask God for His guidance. Detach from earthly possessions. Generously share through <u>Stewardship</u> your material goods with others for the greater glory of God.

#### 2023 Income

November 19: Sunday Collection \$6,573.00

#### 2023 Expenses

November 19: \$13,188.16

#### 2024 Income

November 17: Sunday Collection Campaign for Human Development

2024 Expenses

November 17: \$16,005.05

Specific details of weekly income and expenses are available upon request.

Please call Anne at rectory office (856)429-1330. Thank you!





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## CHRISTMAS EVE TOY COLLECTION

- at the 4PM Christmas Mass.

Toys and Gifts will be collected at the Christmas Eve Masses at 4PM for the children of Camden.

Please bring a NEW toy or gift that is age appropriate to your child's age. Children with gifts will be part of the offertory procession. The gifts will be donated to the Immaculate Conception Cathedral in Camden. If you have any questions, please contact Religious Education before December 18<sup>th</sup> at 856-428-9207.

REMINDER: THE PARISH OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 28 AND FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29.





# Join the Choir for Christmas

\$6,724.00

\$547.00

The Holy Eucharist Adult Choir would like to welcome all singers to join us in singing for the

10:00 pm Christmas Eve Mass. All you need is a love of singing Christmas hymns. Rehearsals will be on Tuesday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>, Tuesday, December 10<sup>th</sup>, and Tuesday, December 17<sup>th</sup> at 7:30-9pm in the church. Come experience the joy of singing together!

Contact Elizabeth Doan for information at <a href="mailto:doanelizabetht@gmail.com">doanelizabetht@gmail.com</a>



"Bring all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be meat in my house, and try me in this, saith the Lord: if I open not unto you the flood-gates of heaven, and pour you out a blessing even to abundance." (Mal 3:10).

# Something from the Pastor

Many of us will gather with family and friends to celebrate Thanksgiving. We attend parades (or, at least watch one or two on TV) and go to the traditional high school football games (Go Irish!). Our houses will be filled with the pleasant scents of pies and turkeys cooking in the oven and the delightful sound of laugher, as we gather for a meal.

As you gather with your family and friends this year, try to be really present. Do your best not to capture everything with your phone's camera. Avoid texting and other phone related activities. Engage with the people you are with. Enter into conversation with one another. Share what is going on in your lives, the ups and the downs. Strive to make the personal connection that is so important for human wellbeing and happiness.

Take time on Thanksgiving to reflect upon the past year. Look for the blessings you have received. Take a moment to give thanks to almighty God, the source of all blessings. Rejoice in the blessing of being with family and friends.

As you gather, recall the passage from Deuteronomy: "There you shall eat before the Lord your God, and you shall rejoice over all your undertakings, you and your households, in which the Lord your God has blessed you" (12:7).

Happy Thanksgiving!

# Announcement

GIVE THANKSGIVING TO GOD

FOR HIS MANY BLESSINGS.

THANKSGIVING DAY MASS TIME:

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 28TH AT 9:00 AM ONLY



## Announcements

Father Rocks will be presenting a talk in

preparation for the 2025 Jubilee "Year of Hope". Please join us on Thursdays, December 5 & 12 at 7:00 pm in



the church. All are welcome!

### **EVENING HOLY HOUR**



Holy Eucharist Parish
Wednesdays 6:30-7:30 p.m.
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Silent Adoration, Benediction
Whatever time you can spend with
the Lord is invaluable.

**ALTAR AND ROSARY SOCIETY** will meet on

Monday, December 2nd in the Parish

ECenter. The meeting is at 9:45 am in

rooms 108/109. Please try to attend. All

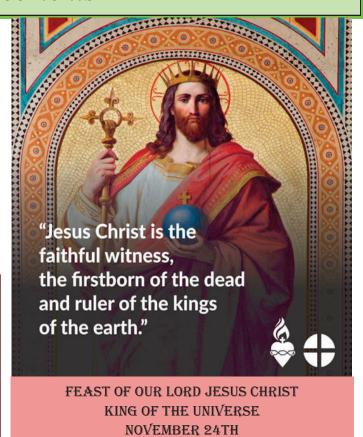
women of the parish are cordially invited

to interior the parish are corainly invited

to join us.

ALL ARE INVITED TO COME TO FIRST FRIDAY
HEALING MASS on Friday, December 6th at Holy
Eucharist Parish. 8:00 pm ~ Healing Mass.
HOLY HOUR

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Join us December 6th, first Friday of the month
after the 9 AM Mass
All are welcome!





Merry Christmas!

## Announcements

# Help Needed

## **Cookie Bakers**

## For Cookies & Crafts with Santa Sunday, 12/15, 12:30-3pm

- Please attach an index card that includes any ingredients that may affect allergies (nuts, peanut butter, coconut, etc.)
- · Gluten free cookies welcome
- Not a baker? store bought cookies work too!

Cookies may be dropped off in the church hall the day of the event

To sign up use the link or scan the QR code





# Help Needed



Decorators, craft helpers, clean up at Parish Hall

- Decorating: Saturday 12/14/2024 6pm to 8pm – Pizza Provided.
- Sunday (Day of Event).
  - o 11:30am to Help with Final Setup
  - o 12:30-3:00 (pick an hour) Help Run Craft Boothes
  - o 3:00-4:00 Help with Clean Up.
- Students Can Earn Community Service Hours.



Please Contact the Parish Office at (856) 429-1330 for further details.

Scan QR Code to Register Online



# **CHRISTMAS GIFTS for Families of Camden**

The Christmas Season will soon be upon here!!



Each year at this time, many of you have contributed generously to our parish's effort to collect gifts for families in Camden. That endeavor is being made possible with assistance from the St. Joseph's Carpenter Society. Once again, I am asking for your help.

The gifts are primarily clothes for family members, and an age-appropriate toy, book or craft for the children. All items must be new, and I ask that you wrap and nametag them. I will provide names, gender, ages and sizes of the recipients. Often, families make special requests for needs such as blankets, sheets or other household items. If you are interested but cannot shop, financial contributions or gift cards are gratefully accepted.

To participate or to get more details, please call Susan Connolly at (856) 287-3728 e-mail susanconnolly@verizon.net.

Thank you and Merry Christmas!

# Announcements

# Blessing of the Bambinelli

December 14/15 – At All Masses

Bring the baby Jesus figurine from your home nativity set for blessing

First introduced by St. Pope John Paul II, Bambinelli Sunday invites all parishioners (especially children) to bring their Bambinelli (figure of baby Jesus) from their home Nativity to be blessed on the third Sunday of Advent (Gaudete Sunday).

We at Holy Eucharist will continue the tradition, and invite you to bring the Jesus

statue from your home Christmas Nativity for this special blessing!



# Retreats

- SAT & SUN DECEMBER 7 8, 2024: ADVENT
- SAT MARCH 15, 2025: LENT
- SAT MAY 10, 2025: MARIAN RETREAT





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Suggestions for this week:

1. St. Andrew the Apostle | Catholic Saints. All of the saints had a story before they met Christ. For St. Andrew, he was a fisher-

man. Hearing the call of Christ, Andrew and his brother Peter left everything behind to follow Jesus. Join Dr. Ben Akers and Mary McGeehan as they discuss St. Andrew, his



life, and the example he provides to all Christians. https:// watch.formed.org/videos/st-andrew-the-apostle-catholic-saints

2. Abraham: Father of Faith & Works. He left his home, the bones of his ancestors, and the false gods of his fathers to follow the God of glory. Excruciating trials, weary miles of desert travel, and even the command to offer his son Isaac as a sacrifice did not deter him. Mount your camels and ride back in time to discover Abraham, the only man called the "Friend of God." https://watch.formed.org/

3. The Perpetual Virgin | Lectio: Mary | Episode 5. Why do Catholics believe that Mary remained a virgin her whole life? Dr. Brant Pitre unpacks this much debated topic in this engaging presentation. https://watch.formed.org/

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**November 25:** St. Catherine of Alexandria, pray for us. November 30: St. Andrew, Apostle, pray for us.

Pope Francis's prayer intention for the month of November is for anyone who has lost a child.

We pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and receive peace and consolation from the Holy Spirit.





#### Saturday, November 23

9:00 Edward Zirpoli by Victoria Conroy

5:00 Friends of Frank & Rita Scola by Schmutz

& Vanase Families

Sunday, November 24

8:15 Raymond T. White by Wislocky Family

9:45 Faithful Departed

Maria Grazia DiPasquale by Mary Lou Pirrera Daniel Reilly by Dolores Otterstein & Family

Raul Martinez by Martinez Family

11:15 John Kotcella by Judy Primus

Monday, November 25

9:00 Pro Populo

Tuesday, November 26

9:00 William Wislocky by Wislocky Family

Wednesday, November 27

9:00 Faithful Departed

Elaine O'Brien

Elizabeth Roncace by Holy Eucharist Parish Janet Brackney by Holy Eucharist Parish

Thursday, November 28

9:00 Salvatore Iuvara, Jr. by May Family

Friday, November 29

9:00 Hope Schooley by Joe Schooley & Family

Saturday, November 30

9:00 Keith Giordano by Loving Friends5:00 Claire McGovern by Federline Family

Sunday, December 1

8:15 Msgr. William Brennan by Theresa & Dwight Johnson

9:45 John Coyle by Hoffman Family

Marella Chambers by Diane Simon James Procacci by Gail & Kelly Barranger Tom & Tom Boody by Gail & Kelly Barranger Angeline McCabe by Amy & Al Cordasco

11:15 Salvatore A. Iuvara, Jr. by Eric & Shannon Matteo

#### A Prayer for our Military

Lord, 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. I ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior...Amen.



#### Especially:

Megan Niece and Joseph Niece -deployed NJ National Guard Darby DiJohn and Matt DiJohn— deployed Air Force

# To Everything There is a Season and a Time for Every Purpose Under Heaven

A Time to be Born:

A Time to Welcome:

A Time to be Wed:

A Time to Heal: Diana Babb, Grace Bailey, Mario Barnaba, Ernie Barrett, Paul Batastini, Cathy O'Brien Betz, Sharon Bramblett, Kathy Busser, Jack Cianafrone, Bob Cianciarulo, Minnie Cordo, Betty Cotilla, Inez Davis, Kathleen Joyce Deltiano, Diane DeFranzo, Jeanne Degnan, Marie DelRoccili, Mary Dougherty, Glen Eaton, Linda Etkin, Richard Flowers, Brett Ford, Kathy Ford, Robert J. Frett, George Gadren, William Gahm, Kevin Gallagher, Michael Gavin, Beatrice Geiger, Becky Gibson, Harry Gibson, Christina Graham, Jeannine Greco, Michael Grecco, Jayne Gubelman, Carol Handville, Nicholas Hicks, Gregory Hill, John Hill, Patricia Hoffman, Cathy Huff, Frances leardi, Sandra Indelicato, Bud Kaliss, Billy Kelly, Linda Knox, Joseph Kovalevich, Charles Lafferty, Erin Elizabeth Lafferty, Dina Lazer, Katie Leahy, Bob "Smokey" Lewis, Vivian Lindenmuth, Charlotte Long, Sam Loperfido, Jr., Sylvia Lopez, Patricia Lubonski, Marie Marchesani, Patty Marden, Meghan McClellan, John McCord, Jr., Liam McGuire, Bill Mitchell, Lynn Mondel, Natalie Deal Mullen, Elaine O'Brien, Tom O'Brien, Tess Osborne, Ed Patzer, Troy Pelfrey III, Stephen Pellegrino, Sue Perrotto, Catherine Petruzzel, Ann Pilla, Don Praiss, Marion Reitz, CJ Rice, Kate Sandlu, Susan Santola, Max Schaffer, Thomas Schillinger, Louise Schmidt, Laura Seiffer, Rosanna Slobodian, Ron Spata, Zach Sternin, Jeanne Storholm, Robert Tobin, Ryan Wallace, Kerry Ann Walsh, Grace Ward, Mollie Ward, Karen Joy Wright, Tom Wieliczko.

May God heal them in mind, body and spirit!

Thank you for your prayers for our sick and shut-ins. PLEASE call the Rectory @ 856-429-1330 when your loved one has recovered!

A Time to Die: Louise Vasso

Altar Wine & Host for the Month of November For the Deceased Members of the Mari Family requested by Dolores and Tom Colace

Sanctuary Lamp November 24 to November 30
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