

Fourth Sunday of Lent

March 27, 2022



MASS SCHEDULE

SACRED HEART CHURCH

Sunday: 8:00 am; 11:00 am
Monday through Thursday: 9:00 am
Friday: 9:30 am (Closed Mass for
Grammar School only)

ST. ISIDORE THE FARMER CHURCH

Saturday: 5:00 pm Vigil
Sunday: 9:30 am (Live-streamed)
Monday through Saturday: 8:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

held at *ST. ISIDORE THE FARMER CHURCH*
Tuesday: 7:00 -8:00 pm
Saturday: 8:30 am (Following 8:00 am Mass)
Saturday: 4:00-4:45 pm (Prior to 5:00 pm Mass)
or by appointment anytime (Call 856-691-9077)

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First Reading: Joshua 5: 9a, 10-12

The LORD said to Joshua, "Today I have removed the reproach of Egypt from you."

While the Israelites were encamped at Gilgal on the plains of Jericho, they celebrated the Passover on the evening of the fourteenth of the month. On the day after the Passover, they ate of the produce of the land in the form of unleavened cakes and parched grain. On that same day after the Passover, on which they ate of the produce of the land, the manna ceased. No longer was there manna for the Israelites, who that year ate of the yield of the land of Canaan.

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 34: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7

R. Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.

- I will bless the LORD at all times; his praise shall be ever in my mouth.
Let my soul glory in the LORD; the lowly will hear me and be glad. **R.**
- Glorify the LORD with me, let us together extol his name.
I sought the LORD, and he answered me and delivered me from all my fears. **R.**
- Look to him that you may be radiant with joy, and your faces may not blush with shame.
When the poor one called out, the LORD heard, and from all his distress he saved him. **R.**

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 5: 17-21

Brothers and sisters: Whoever is in Christ is a new creation: the old things have passed away; behold, new things have come. And all this is from God, who has reconciled us to himself through Christ and given us the ministry of reconciliation, namely, God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ, not counting their trespasses against them and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation. So we are ambassadors for Christ, as if God were appealing through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God. For our sake he made him to be sin who did not know sin, so that we might become the righteousness of God in him.


Verse Before the Gospel

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory.

- I will get up and go to my Father and shall say to him: Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you.

Gospel: Luke 15: 1-3, 11-32

Tax collectors and sinners were all drawing near to listen to Jesus, but the Pharisees and scribes began to complain, saying, "This man welcomes sinners and eats with them." So to them Jesus addressed this parable: "A man had two sons, and the younger son said to his father, 'Father give me the share of your estate that should come to me.' So the father divided the property between them. After a few days, the younger son collected all his belongings and set off to a distant country where he squandered his inheritance on a life of dissipation. When he had freely spent everything, a severe famine struck that country, and he found himself in dire need. So he hired himself out to one of the local citizens who sent him to his farm to tend the swine. And he longed to eat his fill of the pods on which the swine fed, but nobody gave him any. Coming to his senses he thought, 'How many of my father's hired workers have more than enough food to eat, but here am I, dying from hunger. I shall get up and go to my father and I shall say to him, "Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you. I no longer deserve to be called your son; treat me as you would treat one of your hired workers."' So he got up and went back to his father. While he was still a long way off, his father caught sight of him, and was filled with compassion. He ran to his son, embraced him and kissed him. His son said to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you; I no longer deserve to be called your son.' But his father ordered his servants, 'Quickly bring the finest robe and put it on him; put a ring on his finger and sandals on his feet. Take the fattened calf and slaughter it. Then let us celebrate with a feast, because this son of mine was dead, and has come to life again; he was lost, and has been found.' Then the celebration began.

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Now the older son had been out in the field and, on his way back, as he neared the house, he heard the sound of music and dancing. He called one of the servants and asked what this might mean. The servant said to him, 'Your brother has returned and your father has slaughtered the fattened calf because he has him back safe and sound.' He became angry, and when he refused to enter the house, his father came out and pleaded with him. He said to his father in reply, 'Look, all these years I served you and not once did I disobey your orders; yet you never gave me even a young goat to feast on with my friends. But when your son returns who swallowed up your property with prostitutes, for him you slaughter the fattened calf.' He said to him, 'My son, you are here with me always; everything I have is yours. But now we must celebrate and rejoice, because your brother was dead and has come to life again; he was lost and has been found.'

Profession of Faith:

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven,

(All bow towards the tabernacle)

and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.



Spiritual Communion Prayer

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

Prayer to Saint Michael the Archangel

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle; be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

PRAY FOR US

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Saturday, March 26

8:00 AM

5:00 PM

Parishioners of Christ the Good Shepherd Parish

Felix Almanzor †

John Polaha Sr. †

Ronald Stringari †

Robert Gladden Jr. †

Grace Sammartino †

Req. Onie Salita & Family

Req. Carl and Ginnie Cavagnaro & Family

Req. Bob and Barbara Fanucci

Req. Diane Ferrillo & Family

Req. Marie Low & Family

Sunday, March 27

8:00 AM

9:30 AM

11:00 AM

Rose Sorantino †

Charles Gaburo †

Richard Healey †

Lee Ann Ney †

Req. Alan and Cindy Angelo

Req. Glenn and Linda Ravior

Req. Fr. Junior Flores

Req. Kim Andrews ("Sister")

Monday, March 28

8:00 AM

9:00 AM

Monsignor John Frey †

John Polaha Sr. †

Req. Bruce and Carol Bassetti

Req. Dolly Smith

Tuesday, March 29

8:00 AM

9:00 AM

Grace Sammartino †

Marie Franzoi †

Req. Bob and Barbara Fanucci

Req. Arlene, Kathy, and Linda

Wednesday, March 30

8:00 AM

9:00 AM

Parishioners of Christ the Good Shepherd Parish

John Polaha Sr. †

Req. Fred and Kathy Kiel & Family

Thursday, March 31

8:00 AM

9:00 AM

Parishioners of Christ the Good Shepherd Parish

John Polaha Sr. †

Req. Mark and Veronica Glogau

Friday, April 1

8:00 AM

Parishioners of Christ the Good Shepherd Parish

Saturday, April 2

8:00 AM

5:00 PM

Parishioners of Christ the Good Shepherd Parish

Chalky Ottinger †

(Birthday Remembrance)

Elizabeth "Betty" Tamagni †

Mary Noble †

Grace Sammartino †

Shirley Cleveland †

Req. His Wife Karen

Req. Michael Conenna & Family

Req. Joe and Marsha Stefano

Req. Christine Profetto

Req. Josephine Stagliano and Frank Gigliotti

BLESSED MOTHER ROSE



Parishioners of Christ
the Good Shepherd
Parish



SANCTUARY CANDLE

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Any prayer requests for sick, deceased, or military family members that you would like added to, or removed from, the bulletin can be submitted to the rectory by phone or email:
(856) 691-9077
ctgsbulletin2021@gmail.com

For Our Military...

John F. Blankemeyer – National Guard
Andrew Robinson – Army
Thomas A. Pease – US Coast Guard
Chief Warrant Officer
Joshua Robinson – Marines
Gabriel Solazzo – Air Force
Marco Bassetti – US Coast Guard

For Our Sick...

Nicoletta Franchetta
Christopher Vega
Thomas Ardecki
Nathan Bradway
Joan Lachowicz
Josie Sanchez
Kelly Lepton
Esther Flores
Mia Massaro
Lynn Pepper
Agatha Law
Jim Casadia
Rose Zalora

In Loving Memory...

Monsignor John T. Frey
Keith M. Lauermann Sr.
Georgianna Badarracca
Margaret Negherbon
Carol Ann McKeon
Elizabeth Tamagni
Christine A. Brago
John Polaha Sr.
John Nakovich
Rosa Stagliano
Pearl Bylone



Administrator's Note

My Dear Friends,

Please read this article from Rev. William J. Reilly:

“And all this is from God, who has reconciled us to himself through Christ and given us the ministry of reconciliation, namely, God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ not counting their trespasses against them and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation... We are ambassadors for Christ... We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God.” (2 Corinthians 5: 18-21)

We are walking toward the great gift of mercy, the passion, death and resurrection of Christ. But why? Listening to Paul, returning with the younger son, we are in need of our Father's embrace. He is looking for me.

I ask myself, honestly – aren't there areas in my life right now, which need to be changed, forgiven and removed? As I stand before the Lord right now, is there not something for which I am ashamed and sorry? The Sacrament of Penance offers me the great opportunity as I really live this Lent.

My mantra for this week: “His great love is without end.”

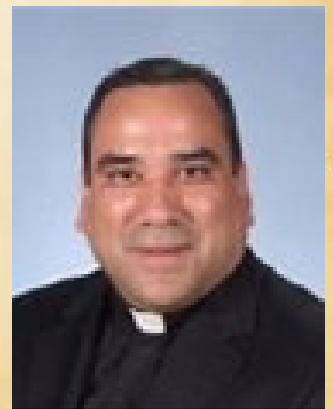
Christ the Good Shepherd Parish wants to thank
Msgr. Pablo Navarro
for a wonderful Lenten retreat.

May the Lord continue to bless your ministry.

Until we meet again, may our Lord protect you always!!!

In Christ,

Fr. Junior





Christ the Good Shepherd Collections
March 12-13, 2022: \$8,948.00

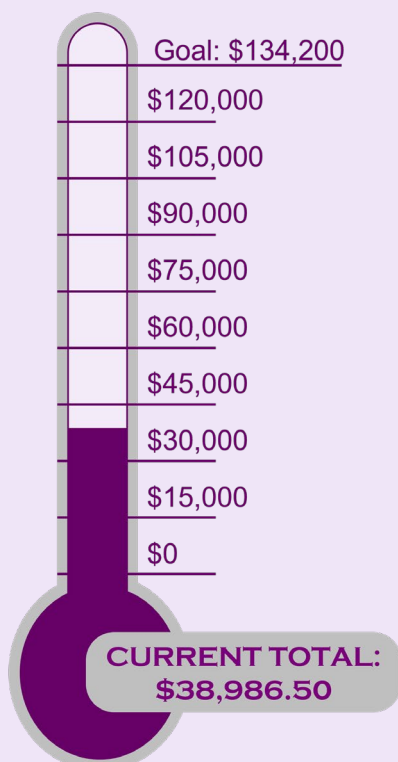
Thank you always to all our parishioners for their generous support.

Second Collection

This week we take up The Catholic Relief Service Services Collection to **reveal Christ's love** to our brothers and sisters in need. This collection helps six Catholic agencies to provide relief and support for struggling communities and to work for peace and reconciliation among our marginalized brothers and sisters here and around the world. Please prayerfully consider how you can support the collection. Learn more about the collection at www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.



HOUSE OF CHARITY
 BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL
GIVING TRACKER



FYI From Father Junior!

Christ the Good Shepherd Parish will never solicit you by email. All fundraising requests are announced from the altar, in the parish bulletin, over the phone, or in person.

The official email of the parish is ChristTheGoodShepherd1655@gmail.com. Please do not respond to unofficial emails and DO contact the parish office if you have any questions or concerns.

Further, please be advised that any advertisements for ministries and/or events cannot be hung on Church property without the prior approval of Fr. Junior. Unauthorized postings will be taken down.

Lastly, it has come to our attention that there are animal droppings being left on the walking path by the Stations of the Cross. With being in the middle of Lent and the stations being walked and prayed by many, please show courtesy to your fellow Christ the Good Shepherd family and community and pick up after your pets.

Thank you.

Fr. Junior



Sacrament of Reconciliation

held at **Saint Isidore the Farmer Church**

Tuesday: 7:00 – 8:00 PM

Saturday: 8:30 AM (Following 8:00 AM Mass)

Saturday: 4:00 – 4:45 PM (Prior to 5:00 PM Mass)

or by appointment anytime (Call 856-691-9077)

(Confessions by appointment ONLY for Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Holy Saturday)

Stations of the Cross

Every Friday During Lent

7:00 PM at Saint Isidore the Farmer Church
 (Stations will also be shown on Facebook Live)

ST. HUBERT CLASS OF 1972

June 9, 2022



Celebrating their 50th high school reunion, beginning with a Golden Girls' walk alongside the graduating class of 2022.

The reunion will immediately follow at Knowlton Mansion, Philadelphia, PA.

For information, contact Linda at SHBambies1972@gmail.com



For more information and to register for the event, visit
camdenpriest.org/irace4vocations

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iRace4Vocations is an annual event that welcomes people of all ages to run in our 5K or walk in our 1 Mile courses both praying for and promoting vocations to the priesthood and religious life. It begins with Mass celebrated by Bishop Sullivan and ends with food and family entertainment. This 'faithraiser' encourages each participant to come with prayer pledges for vocations to our diocese.

iRace4Vocations will take place on Sunday, April 3, 2022
at Cooper River Park
(Jack Curtis Stadium | 5300 North Park Drive | Pennsauken).

The schedule for the day is:

12:00pm—Registration and Check-in (Walkers Only)
1:00pm—Mass
2:00pm—Registration and Check-in (Runners & Walkers)
3:00pm—5k Run/1 mile Family Walk
4:00pm—Picnic and Family Entertainment

Welcome Back To
First Saturday Devotions at Christ the Good Shepherd Parish
In Honor Of Our Lady of Fatima
and the 105th Anniversary of Her Apparitions

Commencing

April 2, 2022

St. Isidore the Farmer Church
1655 Magnolia Road, Vineland, NJ

8:00 AM Holy Mass

Rosary

Meditation on the Mysteries of the Rosary

Confession

Procession and Crowning of the Blessed Mother Statue



The basic requirements to fulfill the Five First Saturday Devotions are:

1. Go to confession either on First Saturday or within about 7 days before or after
2. Receive Holy Communion
3. Pray five decades of the Holy Rosary
4. Keep Our Lady company for fifteen minutes while meditating on the mysteries of the Holy Rosary

The conditions are:

- That the requirements of the devotion are done on five consecutive First Saturdays (subject to above allowance for confession)
- All the requirements are done with the intention of making reparation for the offenses and blasphemies against Him and to console the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Mary promises us salvation through this Devotion
Won't you accept her promise for yourself and your family?

First Saturdays of 2022 are:

May 7 th	September 3 rd
June 4 th	October 1 st
July 2 nd	November 5 th
August 6 th	December 3 rd

faithFULL
FOOD DRIVE

SUNDAY
March 27,
2022

WHAT WE'RE COLLECTING:

NON EXPIRED FOOD ONLY; Aim for 'no salt added,' 'low-sodium,' and 'whole grain' options!

- Canned Spaghetti Sauce
- Dried Pasta and Rice
- Canned Fruit and fruit cups
- Peanut Butter and Jelly
- Canned and Hearty Soups
- Cooking broths
- Dried Mashed Potato and Stuffing mixes
- Canned Beans
- Dried herbs and spices
- Cooking oils and vinegars
- Nutritious snacks (nuts, granola bars)
- Jello and pudding

For resources & more details, please visit:

CamdenDiocese.org/faithfull
Rose.Porcellini@camden-diocese.org
1-856-342-4104

March 27, 2022 will be the collection day for the FaithFULL Food Drive this year, but to avoid large gathering, there will be NO major drop-off at Catholic Charities centers of food banks this year on March 27, 2022. Instead, parishes are encouraged to keep the food at the parish for their own food ministries AND/OR donate the food to Catholic Charities by calling to arrange an individual pick-up or drop-off appointment after the collection on March 27, 2022.

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Christ the Good Shepherd Parish wishes to congratulate **Shane Siefke and Olivia Biagi** as they enter into the Sacrament of Matrimony, Saturday, March 26th.

May your love for God and your love for one another continue to grow day by day in your new life together.

100 Year Anniversary Gala

Bishop Schad Regional School
 Sacred Heart Regional Grammar School

Honoring

Carol Polaha

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Theresa Catalana

Saturday April 30, 2022

5-6 pm cocktail hour
 6-9 pm 4 course dinner
 4 hour deluxe open bar

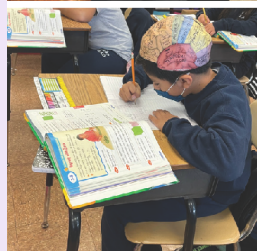
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Fourth Sunday of Lent | Luke 15: 1-3, 11-32

A man had two sons, and the younger took his share of inheritance and went to a distant country where he spent it all. Finding himself alone and hungry, he returned home to ask for forgiveness and become a servant to his family. The father welcomed him with love and rejoicing, the way God welcomes His people back from a sinful life when they truly want forgiveness.

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HE WAS LOST
AND IS FOUND.

*It took great faith
for the young son to
ask for forgiveness.
Let us also believe
in the truth as we:*

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BIBLE WORD SEARCH

Find all the words... left,
right, up, down or diagonally.

Man	D	E	M	O	C	L	E	W	T	P	Y	A	S	E
Two Sons	I	A	S	Y	O	U	N	G	E	R	R	S	T	N
Father Divided Property	S	S	E	N	E	V	I	G	R	O	F	K	R	I
Younger Took Share	T	C	R	H	T	Y	N	N	E	P	O	E	U	G
Inheritance Traveled Distant Country	A	E	V	E	M	W	H	O	M	E	W	D	C	N
Squandered Everything	N	L	A	D	E	L	E	V	A	R	T	E	K	I
Famine Struck Alone	T	E	N	N	S	O	R	F	C	T	A	D	H	H
Hungry Became Servant	E	B	T	M	I	S	I	O	E	Y	L	I	U	T
Went Returned Home Asked Forgiveness	N	R	R	A	N	T	T	U	B	N	O	V	N	Y
Welcome Open Arms Lost Found Celebrate	I	A	T	O	O	K	A	N	M	A	N	I	G	R
	M	T	S	Q	U	A	N	D	E	R	E	D	R	E
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