Fourth Sunday of Easter May 8, 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*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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SACRED HEART CHURCH

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Gloria:

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 13: 14, 43–52

Paul and Barnabas continued on from Perga and reached Antioch in Pisidia. On the sabbath they entered the synagogue and took their seats. Many Jews and worshipers who were converts to Judaism followed Paul and Barnabas, who spoke to them and urged them to remain faithful to the grace of God.

On the following sabbath almost the whole city gathered to hear the word of the Lord. When the Jews saw the crowds, they were filled with jealousy and with violent abuse contradicted what Paul said. Both Paul and Barnabas spoke out boldly and said, "It was necessary that the word of God be spoken to you first, but since you reject it and condemn yourselves as unworthy of eternal life, we now turn to the Gentiles. For so the Lord has commanded us, I have made you a light to the Gentiles, that you may be an instrument of salvation to the ends of the earth."

The Gentiles were delighted when they heard this and glorified the word of the Lord. All who were destined for eternal life came to believe, and the word of the Lord continued to spread through the whole region. The Jews, however, incited the women of prominence who were worshipers and the leading men of the city, stirred up a persecution against Paul and Barnabas, and expelled them from their territory. So they shook the dust from their feet in protest against them, and went to Iconium. The disciples were filled with joy and the Holy Spirit.

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 100: 1-2, 3, 5

- R. We are his people, the sheep of his flock.
- Sing joyfully to the LORD, all you lands; serve the LORD with gladness; come before him with joyful song. R.
- Know that the LORD is God; he made us, his we are; his people, the flock he tends. R.
- The LORD is good: his kindness endures forever, and his faithfulness, to all generations. R.

Second Reading: Revelation 7: 9, 14b-17

I, John, had a vision of a great multitude, which no one could count, from every nation, race, people, and tongue. They stood before the throne and before the Lamb, wearing white robes and holding palm branches in their hands.

Then one of the elders said to me, "These are the ones who have survived the time of great distress; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

"For this reason they stand before God's throne and worship him day and night in his temple. The one who sits on the throne will shelter them. They will not hunger or thirst anymore, nor will the sun or any heat strike them. For the Lamb who is in the center of the throne will shepherd them and lead them to springs of life-giving water, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

Alleluia: John 10:14

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

I am the good shepherd, says the Lord; I know my sheep, and mine know me. R.

Gospel: John 10: 27-30

Jesus said: "My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish. No one can take them out of my hand. My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all, and no one can take them out of the Father's hand. The Father and I are one."

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.

Join Bishop Sullivan as he ordains five transitional deacons to the priesthood:

Rev. Mr. Paul Abbruscato Rev. Mr. Christopher Myers Rev. Mr. Logan Nilsen Rev. Mr. Cesar Pirateque Rev. Mr. Stephen Robbins

The Ordination Mass will be held on May 14th at 10:30 AM and will be available to livestream on the diocesan social media channels. Please join us in prayer for these men who are being called by God to service in the Church as priests!





100th Anniversary Celebration Mass for Bishop Schad Regional School/Sacred Heart Grammar School

> May 11, 2022 11:00 AM Sacred Heart Church

Celebrated by Bishop Dennis Sullivan!

PRAY FOR US

Saturday, May 7

8:00 AM James Thomas Santolini † Req. Patricia Prante 5:00 PM Michael DeCriscio † Req. The Family

(Birthday Remembrance)

Agnus Fisher † Req. Frank Fisher

Ronald A. Smith † Req. Rosalind and Danny Terrigno

Joseph Lamanteer † Req. His Sister Dolly James Thomas Santolini † Req. Agnes Law

Sunday, May 8

8:00 AM John Polaha Sr. † Req. Donna Jones and Family 9:30 AM Tom Farnoly † Req. Brothers & Sisters & Family

(Anniversary of Passing)

11:00 AM Barbara Riggione † Req. Paula Thibodeau-Hirsch & Family

Monday, May 9

8:00 AM Antonio Giandiletti † Req. Paula Thibodeau-Hirsch

9:00 AM Parishioners of Christ the Good Shepherd Parish

Tuesday, May 10

8:00 AM Parishioners of Christ the Good Shepherd Parish 9:00 AM Parishioners of Christ the Good Shepherd Parish

Wednesday, May 11

8:00 AM Parishioners of Christ the Good Shepherd Parish 9:00 AM Parishioners of Christ the Good Shepherd Parish

Thursday, May 12

8:00 AM Ruben Soto Jimenez † Req. His Grandchildren
(Birthday Remembrance) Hugs and Kisses

9:00 AM Chalky Ottinger † Req. His Wife Karen

(Anniversary of Passing)

Friday, May 13 8:00 AM Parishioners of Christ the Good Shepherd Parish

Saturday, May 14

8:00 AM Parishioners of Christ the Good Shepherd Parish

5:00 PM Enrico "Rick" Dijamco † Req. Paula and Jim Gruccio
James Thomas Santolini † Req. The Law Family
Eleanor (Levari) Coia † Req. Bob and Pam Levari

Ronald Lewis Stringari†

Guard

BLESSED MOTHER

ROSE

Annette Farnoly † and Sue Ragone †

Req. Children and Grandchildren



SANCTUARY CANDLE

Parishioners of Christ the Good Shepherd Parish

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

For Our Sick...

Josie Sanchez

Norene Ritter

Esther Flores

Lynn Pepper

Capt. Angela Milano
Nicoletta Franchetta
Christopher Vega
Tiffany DiNiglio
Thomas Ardecki
Mario D'Addato
Joan Lachowicz

Agatha Law
Jim Casadia
Rose Valora
Patty Bush

Req. Bev, Diane, and Ron

In Loving Memory...

Monsignor John T. Frey Keith M. Lauermann Sr. Georgianna Badarracca Margaret Negherbon Francisco Melendez Carol Ann McKeon Antonio Giandiletti Enrico A. DiJamco Elizabeth Tamagni Christine A. Brago John Polaha Sr.

David Dandrea John Nakovich Rosa Stagliano Audrey Scari Pearl Bylone Rita Bertino



"My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me." (John 10:27)

My Dear Friends,

Please read this unbelievable article from Mike Riley. What an awesome article.

"My sheep hear my voice." One morning while shepherds were eating their breakfast, one of their sheep jumped off a 45-foot cliff to its death. Then, as they looked on, they were stunned as the rest of the flock followed. In all, 1,500 sheep mindlessly stumbled off the cliff. The only good news was that the last 1,000 were cushioned in their fall by the growing pile of those sheep who jumped first. According to witnesses, 450 sheep died that morning.

Throughout the Bible, human beings are often referred to as sheep (Psalm 100:3; Isaiah 53:6; Matthew 9:36). Easily distracted and susceptible to group influence, sheep would rather follow a multitude of sheep than the wisdom of their shepherd.

The Bible also describes sheep in a positive way. Jesus said, "I am the Good Shepherd My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me" (John 10:14; John 10:27). Those sheep who know the Good Shepherd's voice will not follow the voice of a stranger (John 10:3-5).

So the big question for us is: Which shepherd are we following? Are we following one another, self-centered shepherds, or the voice and direction of the Good Shepherd? (John 10:11; John 10:14; 1 Peter 2:25) Our challenge is to avoid the mistake of the sheep who blindly followed one another over the cliff. We must make it our daily purpose to ask ourselves: Are we listening for the voice of the Good Shepherd — are we truly following Him? (Luke 9:23).

May we hear the one true Shepherd's voice.

Fr. Junior





Christ the Good Shepherd Collections

April 23-24, 2022: \$9,790.06 1st Collection: \$8,650.06 2nd Collection: \$1,140.00

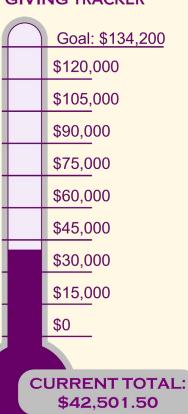
Thank you always to all our parishioners for their generous support.

The parish office will be closed on Wednesday, May





GIVING TRACKER



FYI From Father Junior!

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.

Barbara Sykora, our Director of Music Ministry, is currently taking a leave of absence. Please keep Barbara in your prayers during this time.

Holy water is not yet permitted in the fonts at church. Please do not place water in our parish receptacles.

Thank you,

Fr. Junior



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:

- 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

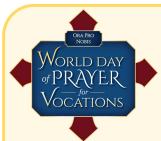
Mary promises us salvation through this Devotion Won't you accept her promise for yourself and your family?

First Saturdays of 2022 are:

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

December 3rd

August 6th



Pray for Vocations!

As Catholics, we firmly believe that God has a plan for our lives! He calls some to marriage, some to the priesthood, and others to religious life or to live as generous single people. Fully living our own vocations—and teaching young people how to discern God's call—is a serious duty, but also a joyful one. During this week, please encourage the young people in your life—children, grandchildren, students, and friends—to be open if God calls them to priesthood or religious life.

Christ the Good Shepherd would like to thank all the teachers at Bishop Schad Regional School, Christ the Good Shepherd Preschool, and those who educate our youth. All of your hard work does not go unnoticed!



Rosary Rally in honor of "The Month of Mary, Our Blessed Mother"

The Knights of Columbus invites all to join them to pray the rosary at 12:00 PM on Saturday, May 14th, 2022 outside of Sacred Heart Church.

BLUE MASS

To honor all law enforcement officers, a special Mass will be held by St. Padre Pio Parish.

Monday, May 16th, 2022 7:00 PM Our Lady of Pompeii Church 4680 Dante Avenue, Vineland, NJ

We invite all police officers, those presently serving their communities, all canine officers and their partners, officers who have retired, and relatives and friends of officers who have served and have answered their final call.

Following the Mass, refreshments will be served in Rosary Hall.

Please join us in honoring the men and women who work diligently every day to keep up and our communities safe.

Please call the Parish office at (856) 691-7526 to register.

WEATHERING THE STORM:

How do you stay afloat in healthcare?

Wednesday, May 11, 2022 10:00 am—2:00 pm Discovery House 3730 Richards Ave Mullica Township, NJ, 08037

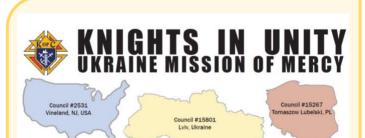
We invite all healthcare professionals to join us for this free retreat including time for individual reflection and prayer, opportunity for Confession and Mass.

Lunch will be provided.



RSVP REQUIRED BY May 1 to: Nicole Keefer (856) 583-6120 or Nicole.Keefer@CamdenDiocese.org





Knights of Columbus Council 2531 COLLECTION DATES FOR DONATIONS

Sat. 4/23/2022 - 10.00 AIVI - 2.00 PIVI Tues. 4/26/2022 - 6.15 PM - 7.30 PM

Tues. 5/3/2022 - 0.15 PW - 7.30 PW Tues. 5/17/2022 - 6:15 PM - 7:30 PM Tues. 5/24/2022 - 6:15 PM - 7:30 PM Knights Hall 1803 N. East Ave, Vineland, NJ

Questions?

Call/Text (609)501-0022





KofC #2531 in Vineland, NJ is working closely with the KofC #15267 St. Wolciech in Poland. Together they are supporting John Paul II Council #15901 in Lviv, Ukraine. United in charity and fraternity, these Knights are supporting the Ukrainian refugees in Poland and the brave citizens who stayed behind to defend their country.

- Some cash donations will be used immediately by Vineland #2531 to purchase medical and other supplies from stores in Poland. The Polish Knights pick up the supplies Vineland purchases and will transport the supplies across the border into Ukraine.



instant oatmeal | nuts | cereal energy bars | snacks ready-meals with long shelf-life

other items

kets | sleeping bags | bookbags (new or gently used) candles | crayons | pencils coloring books

DROP OFF TIMES & LOCATIONS:

Email: KofCVLD2531@gmail.com

Call/text (609) 501-0022

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band-aids | toothpaste | first-aid kits unisex shampoo & conditioner hydrogen peroxide disposable diapers pain relief medication women's hygiene products medical tourniquet antibacterial wipes

can't make it to the store? shop our amazon registry!

† St. Vincent de Paul

We are once again offering Mother's Day Spiritual Bouquets.

Honor your Mother with her name placed on the altar for the month of May!

The cost is \$5.00 for each card. Payment may be placed in the collection basket.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul thanks you for your support!

Stewardship Sharing

Fourth Sunday of Easter

"The disciples were filled with joy and the Holy Spirit."

(ACTS 13:52)



The disciples heard Our Lord's call and were able to spread the Gospel message with strength and vitality. We, too, can experience that same joy if we make room for the Holy Spirit to fill our hearts. When we live **Stewardship** by using our gifts in the way that God intends, He fills us with supernatural joy. A joy that others notice and are attracted to!



Maris Stella Retreat Center, Harvey Cedars, NJ

Guided Retreat

"When the soul longs and the heart sings!"
Sunday, June 12th – Saturday, June 18th, 2022
Presenter: Carmel Boyle
Register by: May 20th, 2022

Preached Retreat

"Surprised by Hope"
Sunday, June 19th – Saturday, June 25th, 2022
Presenter: Father Anthony Ciorra
Register by: May 30th, 2022

For more information or to register:

Visit www.marisstella.org, Call Sister Pat at (609) 494-2917, Or email pdotzauer@comcast.net.



A Prayer for

Mothers

Good and Gentle God,

we pray in gratitude for our mothers and for all the women of theory who have joined with you in the wonder of bringing forth new life. You who became human through a woman, grant to all mothers the courage they need to face the uncertain future that life with children always brings.

Give them the strength to live and to be loved in return, not perfectly, but humanly.

Give them the faithful support of husband, family and friends as they care for the physical and spiritual growth of their children.

Give them joy and delight in their children to sustain them through the trials of motherhood. Most of all, give them the wisdom to turn to you for help when they need it most.



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Sacred Heart Church is looking for volunteers to help with the washing and ironing of the altar linens used at Mass.

This would be for a two-week shift for the year.

For more information or to get involved in this parish ministry at Christ the Good Shepherd, please contact Josephine Walker at (856) 691-3406.

The Crowning of Mary

Priest: Lord, we bless you, for you are full of mercy and justice: you humble the proud and exalt the lowly.

All: You gave us the highest example of your divine wisdom in the mystery of the Word made flesh and of his virgin Mother.

Priest: Your Son, humbled by death, rose glorious at your right hand, the King of all creation.

All: The Virgin, who acknowledged herself to be a servant, became the Mother of our Redeemer and of those reborn in her Son. Now, raised above the angels, she prays for all: the Queen of mercy and grace.

Priest: Bless us as we crown this image of the Mother of your Son (of Christ and his Mother).

All: We confess Christ to be the King of creation and call upon Mary, our Queen. May we walk in their likeness, spending ourselves for the sake of others. Content with our place in this life, may we one day hear your voice inviting us to take our place in heaven and receive the crown of victory.

Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Priest	All	Priest	All
Lord, have mercy	Lord, have mercy.	Gentle Lady	pray for us.
Christ, have mercy	Christ, have mercy.	Gracious Lady	pray for us.
Lord, have mercy	Lord, have mercy.	Our Lady	pray for us.
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God our Father in heaven	have mercy on us.	Joy of Israel	pray for us.
God the Son, Redeemer of the world	have mercy on us.	Splendor of the Church	pray for us.
God the Holy Spirit	have mercy on us.	Pride of the human race	pray for us.
Holy Trinity, one God	have mercy on us.	Advocate of peace	pray for us.
		Minister of holiness	pray for us.
Holy Mary	pray for us.	Champion of God's people	pray for us.
Holy Mother of God	pray for us.		
Most honored of Virgins	pray for us.	Queen of love	pray for us.
		Queen of mercy	pray for us.
Chosen daughter of the Father	pray for us.	Queen of peace	pray for us.
Mother of Christ the King	pray for us.		
Glory of the Holy Spirit	pray for us.	Queen of angels	pray for us.
		Queen of patriarchs and prophets	pray for us.
Virgin daughter of Zion	pray for us.	Queen of apostles and martyrs	pray for us.
Virgin poor and humble	pray for us.	Queen of all saints	pray for us.
Virgin gentle and obedient	pray for us.		
		Queen of confessors and virgins	pray for us.
Handmaid of the Lord	pray for us.	Queen conceived without original sin	pray for us.
Mother of the Lord	pray for us.	Queen assumed into heaven	pray for us.
Helper of the Redeemer	pray for us.		
		Queen of all the earth	pray for us.
Full of grace	pray for us.	Queen of heaven	pray for us.
Fountain of beauty	pray for us.	Queen of the universe	pray for us.
Model of virtue	pray for us.		
		Lamb of God, you take away the sins of	
Finest fruit of the redemption	pray for us.	the world,	Spare us, O Lord.
Perfect disciple of Christ	pray for us.	Lamb of God, you take away the sins of	
Untarnished image of the Church	pray for us.	the world,	Hear us, O Lord.
Ĭ		Lamb of God, you take away the sins of	
Woman transformed	pray for us.	the world,	Have mercy on us.
Woman clothed with the sun	pray for us.		•
Woman crowned with stars	pray for us.		
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Priest: Pray for us, O glorious Mother of the Lord.

All: That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Priest: God of mercy, listen to the prayers of your servants who have honored your handmaid Mary as mother and queen. Grant that by your grace, we may serve you and our neighbor on earth and be welcomed into your eternal kingdom. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

Concluding Prayer

Priest: Gracious Lord, with love and devotion we have honored the holy Mother of God. May she continue to intercede for us with Jesus Christ, her Son, now and for ever.

All: Amen.