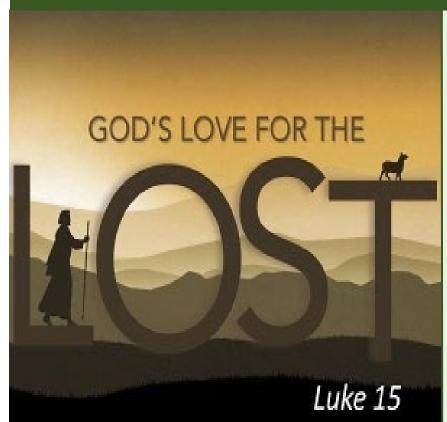
Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 11, 2022



MASS SCHEDULE

SACRED HEART CHURCH

Sunday: 8:00 am; 11:00 am Monday through Wednesday: 9:00 am Every Sunday: 12:30 pm Spanish Mass

ST. ISIDORE THE FARMER CHURCH

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

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

held at *ST. ISIDORE THE FARMER CHURCH* Saturday: Following 9:00 am Mass Saturday: 3:00 pm or by appointment anytime (Call 856-691-9077)

> ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT (at ST. ISIDORE'S)

Begins after the Thursday 9:00 am Mass until Friday at 8:45 am before the 9:00 am Mass

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Readings for the Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

<u>Gloria</u>:

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: Exodus 32: 7-11, 13-14

The LORD said to Moses, "Go down at once to your people, whom you brought out of the land of Egypt, for they have become depraved. They have soon turned aside from the way I pointed out to them, making for themselves a molten calf and worshiping it, sacrificing to it and crying out, 'This is your God, O Israel, who brought you out of the land of Egypt!' I see how stiff-necked this people is," continued the LORD to Moses. "Let me alone, then, that my wrath may blaze up against them to consume them. Then I will make of you a great nation."

But Moses implored the LORD, his God, saying, "Why, O LORD, should your wrath blaze up against your own people, whom you brought out of the land of Egypt with such great power and with so strong a hand? Remember your servants Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, and how you swore to them by your own self, saying, 'I will make your descendants as numerous as the stars in the sky; and all this land that I promised, I will give your descendants as their perpetual heritage." So the LORD relented in the punishment he had threatened to inflict on his people.

<u>Responsorial Psalm</u>: Psalm 51: 3-4, 12-13, 17, 19

- $\mathbf{\tilde{R}}$. I will rise and go to my father.
- Have mercy on me, O God, in your goodness; in the greatness of your compassion wipe out my offense.

Thoroughly wash me from my guilt

and of my sin cleanse me. \mathbf{R} .

A clean heart create for me, O God,

and a steadfast spirit renew within me.

Cast me not out from your presence,

and your Holy Spirit take not from me. \mathbf{R} .

➢ O Lord, open my lips,

and my mouth shall proclaim your praise.

My sacrifice, O God, is a contrite spirit;

a heart contrite and humbled, O God, you will not spurn. \hat{R} .

Second Reading: 1 Timothy 1: 12-17

Beloved: I am grateful to him who has strengthened me, Christ Jesus our Lord, because he considered me trustworthy in appointing me to the ministry. I was once a blasphemer and a persecutor and arrogant, but I have been mercifully treated because I acted out of ignorance in my unbelief. Indeed, the grace of our Lord has been abundant, along with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. This saying is trustworthy and deserves full acceptance: Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. Of these I am the foremost. But for that reason I was mercifully treated, so that in me, as the foremost, Christ Jesus might display all his patience as an example for those who would come to believe in him for everlasting life. To the king of ages, incorruptible, invisible, the only God, honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.

Alleluia: 2 Corinthians 5: 19

R. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

 \blacktriangleright God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation. \mathbf{R} .

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Gospel: Luke 15: 1-10 [Luke 15: 1-32]

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 he addressed this parable. "What man among you having a hundred sheep and losing one of them would not leave the ninety-nine in the desert and go after the lost one until he finds it? And when he does find it, he sets it on his shoulders with great joy and, upon his arrival home, he calls together his friends and neighbors and says to them, 'Rejoice with me because I have found my lost sheep.' I tell you, in just the same way there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous people who have no need of repentance.

"Or what woman having ten coins and losing one would not light a lamp and sweep the house, searching carefully until she finds it? And when she does find it, she calls together her friends and neighbors and says to them, 'Rejoice with me because I have found the coin that I lost.' In just the same way, I tell you, there will be rejoicing among the angels of God over one sinner who repents."

[Then he said, "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. 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.

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	Lois Middleton †	Req. Her Loved Ones			
	Diane Hagenbarth †	Req. Paula Thibodeau-Hirs			
	Gary Cheli †	Req. Marie Low & Childre	n		
	Medio Bassetti †	Req. Tillie Propheita and T	Tom		
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	Marie Testa †	Req. Kay Daneri			
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Administrator's Note

My Dear Friends of Christ the Good Shepherd,

Please read this beautiful reflection on Mercy, by Sr. Marcella Nachreiner. Hope you enjoy!

Mercy is who God is. It is love's other name. Mercy is forgiveness.

God is more interested in our future than in our past. He takes past sins seriously but never as the last word. God wants each of us to become the best person he wills us to be and this requires conversion — a change of heart. Genuine mercy believes God's grace has the power to transform us. God does not owe us forgiveness. Nor does God's mercy license us to continue to sin — it demands a response to go and from now on sin no more (John 8:11). God's mercy motivates us to do better.

God's forgiveness is an easy thing to obtain. One needs only to ask. God forgives — he opens his loving arms and grants mercy. He gives love away.

We do not have to feel guilty over the reality of our human frailty. God is not going to sternly judge us. No, God is running down the road toward us, eager to wrap his arms around us and kiss it better. The enormity of God's love, which is so vast it is beyond measure or comprehension, creates in us an awareness of the depth of our inadequacy. But that awareness does not trigger feelings of unworthiness. Rather it creates a sense of poverty which allows us to trust fully in God and willingly accept his bountiful love.

Forgiveness is one of the greatest gifts of the spiritual life. It enables us to be released from the sorrows of the past and reminds us to forgive others without hesitation, without question. Without question is hard to do, which only illustrates more clearly God's love. Forgiveness simply says that we will never put someone out of our heart.

Jesus says "Be merciful, just as the Father is merciful." (Luke 6:36)

Our holy father St. Francis who was touched by God — filled by God, burned with a desire to help others believe in their goodness. He invites us today to rebuild our lives in the image of God, whispering in our ears ever so gently, God is waiting for your response.

We believe Pope Francis' and St. Francis' mission is clear: help people find reconciliation with themselves, others and God. Day by day rebuild individual lives, communities and the world. (https://sosf.org/gods-everlasting-mercy/)

Question? Is there someone in our lives we need to show forgiveness? Something to think about...

Peace,



Fr. Junior



Christ the Good Shepherd Collections

August 27-28, 2022: \$8,690.00

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

Holy Water is once again in the receptacles at both Churches.



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

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

> > Schedule:

- 9:00 AM Holy Mass
- Rosary
- Meditation on the Mysteries of the Rosary
- Confession
- Procession and Crowning of the Blessed Mother Statue

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

Remaining First Saturdays of 2022 are:

October 1st November 5th December 3rd

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.

To better aid the spiritual practices of our parishioners, anyone who would like religious articles blessed are asked to drop the items off in a bag at the parish office with your name and phone number. After one of the priests have blessed the items, the office staff will call for the articles to be picked up.

Thank you,

Fr. Junior





CATHOLIC STRONG

With funding provided by Catholic Strong, Sacred Heart Church's parking lot was just refinished.



Completion of this project totaled \$78,000.00.

The total remaining account balance for Catholic Strong now stands at \$96,665.94.

NORMAL MASS SCHEDULE

Changes from Summer Schedule are highlighted in red.

Beginning Sept. 12th



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Diocese of Camden Marian Pilgrimage Schedule

Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception Saturday, October 29, 2022



9:30-11:00 - Arrive at the Basilica. Confession is available. Time to explore the Shrine, for private prayer and to visit the gift shops.

11:00 - Official Welcome. Concert of Sacred Music.

Noon - Time for lunch.

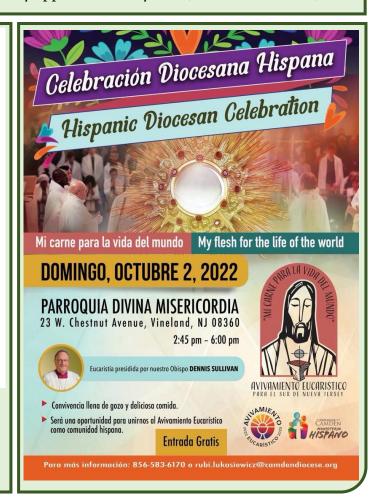
1:30 - Procession of Parishes, with their banners, in the Great Upper Church. Multi-Lingual Rosary and Crowning of the image of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

3:00 - Holy Mass with Bishop Dennis Sullivan.

Departure following Mass.

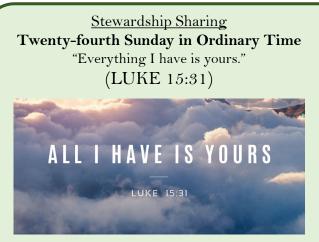
There are seats available on the bus.

If you are interested in being a part of this wonderful day, please call the parish office at (856) 691-9077 to reserve your spot(s).



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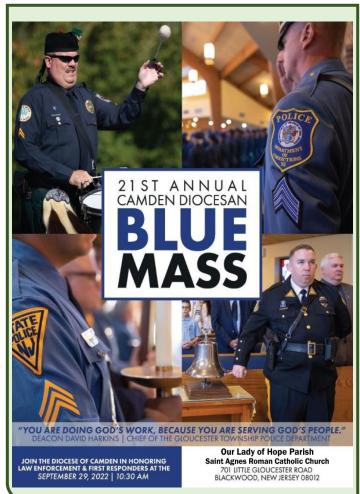


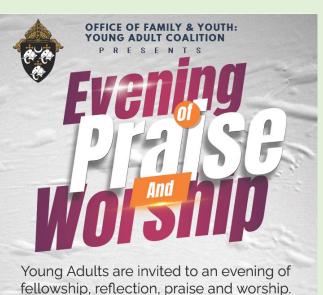


Our Heavenly Father gives us everything, including the chance to share in His eternal kingdom. Yet, like the Prodigal Son, we are often lured away by the materialism of our society. Do we as <u>Stewards</u> really want to turn our backs on all that God offers in exchange for material wealth that has no lasting value? God wants us to be happy on earth as well. But that requires us to freely accept His gift of faith; putting Him first in all things and detaching from our own self-sufficiency.



Christ the Good Shepherd would like to wish all students. parents/guardians. teachers. and school staff many blessings. well wishes. and guidance from God going into this new school year.





fellowship, reflection, praise and worship. Bring your instruments and join us as we sing hymns of praise to The Lord. For more information please email: AnnMarie.Ours@camdendiocese.org or call: 856-583-2904

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Gospel Today

Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time | Luke 15:1-32

Jesus tells us Heaven rejoices when a lost one, (a sinner asks for forgiveness), is found!

'Rejoice with me; I have found my lost sheep.'

LUKE 15:6





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