



NOVEMBER 19, 2023 | 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

THE PARISH OF SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL CLAYTON & FRANKLINVILLE

REV. MICHAEL J. GOYETTE, PASTOR

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT:

*“To bear witness to God the Father,
to follow the teachings of Jesus Christ,
and to be guided by the Holy Spirit.”*

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday: 9 AM at St. Catherine
Tuesday: 9 AM at Nativity
Wednesday: 9 AM at Nativity
Thursday: 9 AM at St. Catherine
***Friday:** 7 PM at Nativity *
***Sat.:** 7 AM at St Catherine *
(* When Fr Goyette is Here)

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4 PM at Nativity
Sunday: 8 AM at St. Catherine
10 AM at Nativity

HOLY DAY MASS SCHEDULE

Vigil: 7 PM at St. Catherine
Holy Day: 9 AM & 7 PM at Nativity

RECONCILIATION

Friday: 7:45 PM Nativity
Saturday: 7:45 AM St. Catherine
and 3:15 PM Nativity
***Sunday:** 7:20 AM St. Catherine
(* When Fr Goyette is Here)

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PRINCIPAL



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OFFICE HOURS: Monday through Thursday: 10:00 AM-2:00 PM; Tuesday: 4:15 PM-7:15 PM

(You may also call the Parish Office to schedule an appointment any time outside of these hours.)

FOR SACRAMENT PREPARATION OR FOR LETTERS OF ELIGIBILITY: Please contact the Parish Office.

NEW PARISHIONERS: Welcome! Please take a look at our website or call to register

Please visit our website at <https://www.pasma-nj.com>

MASS Intentions

Saturday, November 18th

7:00 AM-SC **Special Intention Deacon Charles Dillon**
by Carina Lim
4:00 PM-N **Martha Gehringer** by
Susan and Richard Clark

Sunday, November 19th 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM-SC **People of the Parish**
10:00 AM-N **Robert Mroz** by Bill and Annmarie
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Monday, November 20th

9:00 AM-SC **Special Intention Deacon Charles Dillon**
by Carina Lim

Tuesday, November 21st

9:00 AM-N **In Loving Memory Pat Luko** by
Dan & Karen Seniff

Wednesday, November 22nd

9:00 AM-N **Jerry Alson Lint** by Mark Fitzpatrick

Thursday, November 23rd

9:00 AM-SC **In Loving Memory Rachel Brown** by
Dan & Karen Seniff

Friday, November 24th

7:00 PM-N **Romen Sayo** by Carina Lim

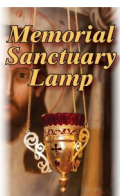
Saturday, November 25th

7:00 AM-SC **Leoniza Sayo** by Carina Lim
4:00 PM-N **Rosario Flamma** by Dan & Karen Seniff

Sunday, November 26th 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM-SC **Al Allen Jr.** by the Fiocco Family
10:00 AM-N **People of the Parish**

Mass Location: N = Nativity | SC = St. Catherine



SANCTUARY CANDLE AT SAINT CATHERINE
is being lit for
Deceased Members of the Austin Family
Requested by Kevin & Kathy O'Hara

FYI: **ADDITIONAL OFFICE HOURS**
Tuesday 4:15 PM — 7:15 PM



Donation of Missals to the Prison Ministry
Support this ministry by placing money or checks in the envelopes at the back of the Church. Put the envelopes in the collection

STEWARDSHIP SERVANTS

"Well done, my good and faithful servant. Since you have been faithful in small matters, I will give you great responsibilities." -
— MATTHEW 25:21

God calls us to nurture and develop the gifts He has given us and then generously through **Stewardship**, return a portion with increase. He doesn't want us to waste or hoard the gifts He has given us. He expects us to grow our gifts, to use them wisely, and to be generous with them. Unfortunately, many of us are not generous in proportion to all that God has given us. God asks us to be generous with all our gifts, especially the one that means the most to you.



Harriet Bajewicz, George Bromwell, Nicholas & Rob Christian, Henry Cottelli, Jim Cesanek, Janice Donahower, Judy Dutton, Mimi Hall, Don & Matt Healy, Rosemary McBride, Eileen Mulholland, Dot Myers, Barbara Stroh, Kathryn Tanner, Karen J. Viola, and Joanna Walczak, Glenn Harris
If you have a family member whom you would like added to the Prayer List, please ask their permission (due to the HIPAA Privacy Act) and contact the Rectory by calling 856-881-9155 or e-mailing PSMA.Rectory@gmail.com. Thank you!

★★★OUR MILITARY HERO PRAYER LIST★★★

If you have a family member serving in one of the branches of the military, send their name, rank, and branch of service to the Parish Office (PSMA.Rectory@gmail.com or 856-881-9155).

Please keep our brave service people in your prayers, especially those suffering from the effects of war.

US Army

CPL Austin Arledge, Specialist Bryan Jenkins, 1st SGT Shane W. McLaughlin, MAJ Eric Miller, CPT Graham Miller, & PFC Vincenzo Taormina

US Navy

AWR Daniel Carr, AG1 Jamie Engleman, EM2 William Little, & Kurt Reinhold, US Navy

US Air Force

AB Jacob R Custis

US Marine Corps

WO3 Brad Davis, SGT Nate McAllister, & CPT James V. Tumolo

LT JG **Dominic J. Tumolo**, US Navy; US Army Medic

PARISH EVENTS

NOVEMBER

- 21: PREP Grades 5 & 6, 6 PM St. Catherine's Basement
- 21: Bereavement Ministry, 7 PM Nativity Conf. Ctr
- 23 -24: Parish Closed for the Thanksgiving Holiday
- 28: PREP Grades 7 & 8, 6 PM St. Catherine's Basement
- 29: Taize 7 PM Nativity Church

DECEMBER

- 3: Beginning of Advent Season
- 5: PREP Grades 1 & 2, 6 PM St. Catherine's Basement
- 9: Father Goyette's Installation as our Pastor with Bishop Dennis Sullivan, 4 PM Mass, Nativity Church
- 12: PREP Grades 3 & 4, 6 PM St. Catherine's Basement
- 12: Parish Council, 7:15 PM Adoration, then meeting in SCB
- 19: PREP Grades 5 & 6, 6 PM St. Catherine's Basement
- 20: Knights of Columbus, 7:30 PM SCB, Adoration at 7:15 PM
- 21: RCIA for Kids, 6:30 PM at Nativity Conf. Center
- Every Monday—Book Club, 7 PM Nativity Conf. Ctr.
- Every Tuesday after the 9 AM Mass—Novena to the Miraculous Medal
- Rosary after the daily Mass (Mon-Thur.)

RCIA CLASSES

Tuesday 6 PM | St. Catherine's Church
Journey Through the Bible

- 11/21 Divided Kingdom and Exile
- 11/28 Return from Exile and Maccabees
- 12/5 Jesus and Acts

Love Unveiled: The Catholic Faith Explained

- 12/12 CH 1 The God Who Is Love
- 12/19 Ch 2 The Divine Unveiling



Installation Mass for Fr. Goyette

Save the date and join us at the **4 PM Mass on December 9th.** Bishop Sullivan will officially install Father Goyette as pastor of our parish. There will be a small reception after Mass at the Monsignor O'Meara Conference Center next to Nativity Church.

Pray for Priestly Vocations

Lord Jesus, we ask you to bless the Diocese of Camden with an increase in vocations to the priesthood. We pray that young men from our parishes and families will hear your call and be both generous and courageous in their response. May more young men serve you as priests who teach the faith, preach the Gospel, celebrate the sacraments, and make you present among us through their ministry. Encourage them to embrace the joy-filled and fulfilling life of a diocesan priest. May parents support priestly vocations in their families by prayer and good example. We entrust these prayers through Mary Immaculate, our patroness, hopeful that you will bless our diocese with more priests in the near future, who live and reign forever and ever. AMEN.

Taizé Prayer



You are welcome to join a short time of reflection and meditative prayer

Wednesday, November 29th, 2023
Church of the Nativity, 7 PM to 8:30 PM

This is a quite simple style of prayer which includes a few songs, a psalm, a Bible reading, time of silence, then intercessions. Short songs (chants), sung again and again, give it a meditative character. The words and phrases used in these chants are taken from the Holy Bible or writings of saints. Meditative singing thus becomes a way of listening to God. It allows everyone to take part in a time of prayer together and to remain together in attentive waiting on God.



RAFFLE

St. Catherine of Siena Council
6890 Knights of Columbus Raffle

The Knights are selling raffle tickets after Mass until 11/19. Two tickets for \$5.00 for a **chance to win one of four \$100 ACME Gift cards!** Keyword: **Leviticus** Contact Marc Mignano at: mjmignano@gmail.com with any questions.

CHURCH OFFERING

Total Offering for Nov. 11th/12th — \$5594

Total Offering for Nov. 4th/5th — \$4503

MASS ATTENDANCE

- Nov. 11: Sat. 4 PM Nativity — 140**
- Nov. 12: Sun. 8 AM St Catherine — 95**
- Nov. 12: Sun. 10 AM Nativity — 152**



St. Michael the Archangel Parish will be helping those in need with our **Giving Tree.** The trees will be assembled on Thanksgiving weekend and hung with ornaments

indicating the gifts needed. When you choose an ornament, please return it attached to the unwrapped gift so we can identify the person associated with the gift. Donations of wrapping paper, gift bags and boxes are greatly appreciated. Gifts can be placed under the tree at each church. The latest drop-off for gifts is Sun., Dec. 10th, 12 PM at Nativity Church. They will be sorted, packed and distributed on Sat., Dec. 16th. If you know a person or family in need of assistance, please contact Kim Darminio at 856-694-2581. Thank you for supporting the Parish mission to serve our community!

PARISH OF SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

FOOD PANTRY

"God loves a cheerful giver." —2 Corinthians 9:7

Once again, the holiday season is upon us. From Thanksgiving through Christmas, there is so much to do in so little time! As you are making that mad dash through your favorite grocery store, please consider buying an item or two for our Parish Food Pantry. At this time of year, we need "holiday" type items such as **stuffing, cranberry sauce, canned sweet potatoes/yams, gravy, applesauce, canned fruit, cake or brownie mixes, cookies, crackers, etc.** Of course, we continue to need such items as **instant potatoes, ramen noodles, canned vegetables, tuna, canned chicken, rice, peanut butter, jelly, cereal, soups and broths.** No time for shopping? Monetary donations are always welcome.

Your nonperishable food donations may be left in the Gathering Spaces of both Nativity and Saint Catherine of Siena Churches, or they may be delivered directly to the pantry at the O'Meara Conference Center **from 10:15 to 11:30 on Wednesday mornings.**

Thank you for your continuing generosity and thank you for being a "cheerful giver."

THE 2024 MASS BOOK OPENED

We have maintained our policy regarding requests for Mass Intentions for 2024. Individuals may *initially* request ten (10) Masses, eight (8) weekdays and two (2) weekends (Saturday at 4 PM, Sunday at 8 AM and 10 AM,) January through June. Beginning November 29, 2023, you can request additional weekday Masses. When the second half of the year opens on April 8, 2024, an additional three (3) weekend Masses may be requested. Canon Law (543) states that a pastor is obliged to have one "Pro Populo" Mass (a Mass for the intentions of the people of his parish) each Sunday and each Holy Day of Obligation. At the Parish of St Michael the Archangel, this Mass is rotated through the weekend Masses.

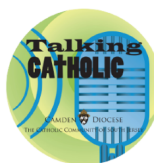
A \$15 stipend is due for each Mass intention and Sanctuary Candle intention.



We are all part of the puzzle! Together we can do anything!

VOLUNTEER

We are in need of volunteers for parish maintenance work. Specifically, we are looking for anyone who can help with power washing, painting, general carpentry (like hanging curtain rods or putting some cabinets together), IT support, plumbing, or help to organize/clean out the Rectory garage and Nativity sheds. Please call the Rectory (856-881-9155) if you can volunteer your time and talent for some small parish projects.



TALKING CATHOLIC PRESENTS

Each week the Talking Catholic hosts Jen Mauro, Marianela Nunez, Kari Janisse and Mike Walsh, interview Catholic leaders about what brought them to where they are now and how they are bringing the faith to their communities. Check it out on [Apple Podcasts](#), [Google Podcasts](#), Alexa, [Stitcher](#), [SoundCloud](#) and anywhere podcasts can be found!

Recent Episodes:

- ⇒ [Parish/Wellness Nursing & Senior Ministry](#)
- ⇒ [National Vocation Awareness Week 2023](#)
- ⇒ [All Saints', All Souls', and Interring the Dead](#)



Real home improvement is not about hammers and nails; it's about relationship. Enrich your marriage. Enrich your home. Make a

Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend. The next weekend is Dec 1-3, 2023. Questions? Need more information? Call our application couple at 609-741-8012 or email applications@wwme-southjersey.org. Visit our website: wwme-southjersey.org

HOLIDAY AND HOLY DAY SCHEDULE

The office is closed for the following days:

- Thanksgiving: November 23rd and 24th (Thurs. & Fri.)
- Immaculate Conception: December 8th (Friday)

Mass Schedule for the Immaculate Conception

- Dec 7th — 7 PM Vigil at St Catherine
- Dec 8th — 9 AM at Nativity
- Dec 8th — 7 PM at Nativity

RANDOM MINUTIAE FROM FATHER GOYETTE

EM Visit to the Sick

We have many Eucharistic Ministers, but only a few are willing to go visit the sick. I am looking for people who would like to learn how to be a Eucharistic Minister to visit the sick. They would not have to give out communion at Mass. I know some people do not like the pressure of giving out communion at Mass but would like to visit the sick. Please let me know.

Free Bibles!

I order fancy Bibles for CCD teachers as a thank you. These are luxury Bibles at \$70 or \$90! However, the teachers do work hard and give of their time. They arrived in a beat up box and dented. This, of course, made me upset. (It took some time to offer it up and rejoice in God’s Plan.) Luckily, the company said they would replace the Bibles with new ones and I could keep the dented ones. So now I have some almost luxury Bibles to give to others and keep one for myself.

Getting Up Early

I have been getting up early everyday since Nov 1st. That is two weeks in a row! That is a record! I originally got up at 5 AM, but that was not early enough to consistently arrive at Church by 6 AM. So, now, I get up at 4:45 AM. I am doing only prayers and no work until 10 AM. This way, I can get a lot of Jesus time in the beginning of my day. Prayer time is always productive, most work in the end is not. I pray and Jesus makes sure I do the work that is really important.

Slush Fund

Last week, I talked about no gifts and some people got the impression I was listing things to buy. (Thanks for the leaf Blower!) What I actually want is for people to donate money to the fund so we can buy NON-NECESSARY things for the church. *This is only if you feel compelled to give me a gift.* This is not a collection! The money would only be used to buy things for the Church and will stay with the Church.



Christmas Trees on Parade

Nov. 30th and Dec. 1st
4 PM to 8:30 PM

The Catholic Community of the Holy Spirit Parish Center in Woodstown

Admission \$5 — Children under 10 FREE. Only cash or checks
Proceeds benefit local charities, e.g.: St. Vincent DePaul Society, Ranch Hope, Disciples Pantry.
Call 856 479 2294 for more information.



Step Up, Dad! A Day for Men

Sat. March 16, 2024, 8:30 AM -- 2:15 PM

Breakfast and lunch provided

Divine Mercy Parish
23 W Chestnut Ave., Vineland, NJ 08360

Presenters

Mark Berchem, Founder of Net Ministries
Manuel Huerta, Retreat Team Director

Dads have incredible power to affect their children's lives. Dads leave a lasting impact on their children whether they intend to or not. Will your impact be positive or negative? The choice is up to you.

This event will inspire fathers to reflect, resolve, and take practical steps to become a great dad.

- ⇒ Recognize your power
- ⇒ Affirm your children
- ⇒ Spend quality time
- ⇒ Have meaningful conversations
- ⇒ Set a good example
- ⇒ Strive for greatness

CHRISTMAS BASKET PROJECT

Sacred Heart Parish, Camden, is asking for our parish’s help in raising funds for their Christmas Basket Project. In past years, this tradition at Sacred Heart Parish has helped provide Christmas meals for hundreds of needy Camden families.

A meal for a family costs approximately \$75. If you are able to help with this effort, envelopes for donations toward the project can be found at the back of our churches. **Place your donation in the envelope provided and put it in the collection basket at Mass by December 1.** Any amount you are able to donate is greatly appreciated.



DIOCESE EVENTS

Catholic Charities Addictions, Healing & Recovery Newsletter

- ◆ <https://camdendiocese.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/10/Catholic-Charities-Addictions-Healing-Newsletter-for-November-2023.pdf>

Catholics Grandparent Ministry

- ◆ **November 20th**, 1:30 PM, St. John's Hall on Townbank Rd in North Cape May. Join our monthly Grandparents' meeting for fellowship and prayer. The ministry strives to build a community of support for grandparents and assist their efforts in passing on our faith to our families. <https://www.catholicgrandparentsassociation.org>.

A Healing Mass of Hope, Thanksgiving and Remembrance

- ◆ **November 29th**, 6:30 PM, RSVP by Nov. 27th, The Catholic Community of Christ Our Light, 402 Kings Highway North, Cherry Hill, NJ. This Mass is for cancer patients, survivors, and families who have lost a loved one to cancer. The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be administered to those in need of healing grace. Join us for desert and coffee after Mass. For more information, contact VITALity-Events@CamdenDiocese.org or 856-583-6123

Music Ministers Monthly Meet, Mingle, and Munch

- ◆ **December 11th**, 7 PM, Zoom, OneLicense, Copyright, etc. Q and A, Scheduling of 2024 Meetings, Please email michael.bedics@camdendiocese.org for the Zoom link.

Pastoral Associates Day 2024

- ◆ **January 23, 2024**, 8:30 AM—3:00 PM, Church of the Incarnation. A day of spiritual nourishment, fellowship, and new ideas for those who serve in our Diocese. Special guest Dr. Hosffman Ospino, whose research explores the dialogue between faith and culture and its impact on Catholic theology and catechesis.

An Introduction to the OCIA: A Workshop for Christian Initiation Ministers

- ◆ **February 7, 2024**, 8:30 AM—4:00 PM—St. Charles Borromeo, 176 Stagecoach Rd Sicklerville NJ 08081 This workshop serves as a basic class for those involved in the ministry of Christian initiation. The presenters will highlight the anticipated changes between the current ritual text and the upcoming translation of the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults. For more information, contact Michael Bedics, 856-583-2865, michael.bedics@camdendiocese.org.

Save the Date: 2024 Diocesan Marian Pilgrimage

- ◆ **Saturday, October 26, 2024** — Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, DC. The biennial Diocesan Marian Pilgrimage will take place in a year. It is always a joyful day with many blessings. More information will be sent as the details of the pilgrimage are planned.

"The Gift You Have Received, Give as a Gift!"

Wednesday, December 6, 2023 – 8:00 AM – 2:30 PM

Presented by Sister Mariann

Guiniven, IHM. We will invite Saint Nicholas and the Blessed Virgin Mary, great gift-bearers from the past, to share their wisdom with us that we might share our gifts with others. Mass is at 8:00 AM. Coffee & check-in begins at 8:45 AM. Lunch is included. \$60 per person.

Friday, December 15, 4:00 PM to Sunday, December 17, 1:30 PM

Private/Directed Retreat with Sister Ruth Bolarte, IHM and Sister Barbara Cook, IHM

- \$240—Directed (limited to 10 people)
- \$200—Silent

Jesus invites us to "come apart . . . for awhile" so that we can hear his voice! The weekend begins on Friday evening (with a light supper available for early arrivals) and ends with a sharing of the graces after lunch on Sunday.

RETREATS @



ADVENT FAMILY RETREAT WEEKENDS

Marianist Family Retreat Center
417 Yale Avenue, Cape May Point, NJ 08212

Come Prepare for the Liturgical Season

Dec. 8-10 ★ Dec. 15-17

Special Advent Weekend themes focus on family activities and preparations related to the liturgical season, emphasizing the significance of bringing Jesus to others.

- Friday Dinner (6:30 PM) to Sunday Lunch (ends at 2:00 PM)
- Cost: \$145/Person (8 yrs. to adult), \$100/Person (2-7 yrs.)
- Free (Under 2) *Maximum* Amount per Family: \$550

Register and pay deposit online or print application here: www.capemaymarianists.org. Or call today 609-884-3829 We accept many forms of payment including cash, check, credit cards, Venmo, and PayPal.



Sexual abuse is a crime that must be reported, investigated and responded to so that victims are protected and those that commit the abuse are removed from ministry.

A special toll free number has been established to help callers report cases of sexual abuse by priests, deacons, religious, employees and/or volunteers. In accord with state law, cases of child sexual abuse are reported to the New Jersey Division of Child Protection and Permanency.

For information or to inquire about counseling and support services, contact the Victims Assistant Coordinator at **1-800-964-6588**.

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