PASTORAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

To all of the good people and friends of Saint Simon Stock Parish,

As you may have heard, a major campaign is underway at Saint Simon Stock Parish: Catholic Strong, the Campaign for the Catholic Community of South Jersey, is seeking to secure a minimum of \$50 million, which will primarily benefit our local parishes. Seventy percent of the funds raised through this effort (a total of \$35 million) will be allocated for parish needs and thirty percent (a total of \$15 million) will fund the diocese's coordination and support of various ministries. The mission of this campaign is to ensure that our parishes are financially stable and allow the opportunity to address long-term and extraordinary needs so that our Church will have the strength and stability to sere future generations of Catholics.

70 % of the campaign funds that we raise toward our parish goal will be used for the following parish needs:

Parish Meeting Center

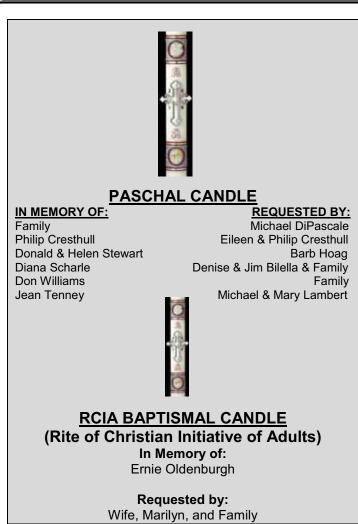
- Carpet
- Paint
- Electric Services-Outside
- New Electric Services-Inside
- Kitchen
- Bathroom Remodel
- Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment
- Sound System
- Elevator
- Windows
- Contingency

Rectory, Church and School Building

- Rectory Roof
- Church HVAC
- School Roof Partial Replacement
- Septic/Sewer Hookup
- New Digital Sign
- Weather Bug Program CBS Philly live feed (School STREAM program)
- Update window coverings in gym (parish hall)
- Contingency

Debt Relief





READINGS

MASSES INTENTIONS

READINGS FOR THIS SUNDAY SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER



First Reading: Acts 4:32-35

This passage describes the actions of the first community of Christians. They were of "one heart and one mind." They had no rich or poor among them, for they shared all necessary items with one another.

Second Reading: I John 5:1-6

John explains that we become God's children by believing in Jesus. When we love God and concern ourselves only with pleasing God, our faith is strong enough to conquer the evil in our world.

Gospel: John 20:19-31

Jesus appeared to the disciples despite locked doors, breathed on them so that they could receive the Holy Spirit, and gave them the power to forgive sins in his name. Thomas, who was not present, refused to believe without seeing Jesus for himself. Jesus appeared again when Thomas was present, and told him, "Blest are they who have not seen and have believed."

DAILY READINGS FOR THE WEEK Second Sunday of Easter

Sunday Acts 4:32-35; 1 Jn 5:1-6; Jn 20:19-31 Monday Is 7:10-14, 8:10; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38

Tuesday Acts 4:32-37; Jn 3:7b-15
Wednesday Acts 5:17-26; Jn 3:16-21
Thursday Acts 5:27-33; Jn 3:31-36
Friday Acts 5:34-42; Jn 6:1-15
Saturday Acts 6:1-7; Jn 6:16-21

SANCTUARY CANDLE

Special Intentions of Anna Marchesani





EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: WE NEED YOU!

Why not sign up to spend 30 minutes or an hour per week in quiet prayer and contemplation with our Lord? Eucharistic Adoration is held every Wednesday in the rectory Chapel following the 8am Mass until 5pm with the Miraculous Medal

Novena at 4:30pm. A sign up board is available by the St. Edward statue in the back of Church.

CONFESSIONS: Confessions are held every Saturday from 3:15 – 3:45 pm in the Church.

MASS INTENTIONS SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER- APRIL 8, 2018

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER- APRIL 8, 20					
	SAT 4/7				
	4:00 PM	James Porter Req. by Wife & Family			
		Mary Riviello Req. by her Cousin			
		Lina D'Agostino Req. by Foo Olek			
		Barbara Conicello Req. by the Yaniak Family			
	SUN 4/8				
	8:00 AM	George "Bud" Hubler Req. By Mary Ellen			
		Welsh & Joan Welsh Fox			
		Anna & Robert Petrongolo Req. by Amedeo			
		Petrongolo and Family			
		Joseph Yaniak Req. by Elizabeth Pisciotta			
	9:30 AM	Peggy Ann Donahue Req. by Joe Donahue Sr.			
		James M. Donahue Req. by Joe Donahue Sr.			
	11:30 AM	Amy Schuenemann-Voorhees Req. by Parents			
	11.30 AW	Anthony J. Paolini Sr. Req. by Rosemary			
		Eikamp Basil Cauley Req. by Taccard Family			
		Gregorio Ferri Req. by Wife & Family			
		Michael Dangelantonio Req. by Mother &			
		Family			
	MON 4/9	Carmy			
	8:00 AM	Benjamin Dabrowki Req. by Elizabeth Pisciotta			
		Barbara Handy Req. by Marita & Bob Bodine			
	TUES 4/10				
	8:00 AM	Mary DeSante Req. by St. Simon Stock Parish			
		Bobby O'Brien Req. by Mom, Teresa & Michael			
		Lewis Sandro Req. by Children & Grandchildren			

WEDS 4/11 8:00 AM Rev. Charles Conaty Req. by St. Simon Stock

Anthony Paolini Sr. Req. by SSS Priests & Staff

THURS 4/12

8:00 AM **Doris Yaniak** Req. by Elizabeth Pisciotta **Barbara Handy** Req. by Rosemarie Manes

FRI 4/13 8:00 AM

8:00 AM Timothy Saponaro Req. by Mom & Dad SAT 4/14

8:00 AM People of the Parish/Perpetual Remembrances Maxwell A. Bedeau Req. by Molly A. O'Brien

4:00 PM Irving Motluck Req. by Wife, Dolores

Rosalie Valvardi Req. by Valvardi Family Vincent Varano Req. by M/M Terry Hertzberg

Edward DiFilippis Req. by His Wife **Ida Boccella** Req. by Husband, Michael

SUN 4/15

8:00 AM Intentions of Colleen Yaniak Req. by Elizabeth

Pisciotta

Intentions of Emma Santone Req. by Elizabeth

Pisciotta

John Kaczorowski & Bill Galen Req. by

Edmondson Family

9:30 AM Robert E. Hughes Sr. Reg. By Carl & Joan

Auwarter & Family

Kathleen Cussen Req. by Ron & Pat Miller

Carmella Lord Req. by Judy Alexander & Family

11:30 AM Mary DeVaro Req. by Henry & Nora Sauers Rosalie Valvardi Req. by Valvardi Family

Rev. Charles Conaty Req. by Leyden Family **M/M Charles DiSabatino** Req. by Codario

Family

SPIRITUALITY & PRAYER

To Everything There is a Season, and a Time for Every Purpose Under Heaven". (Eccl 3)

a time to bring forth new life...a time to be baptized...a time to be married...a time to welcome...

a time to serve...a time to be healed... a time to die...

MILITARY

SGT Adam Cutaiar; USMC CTI 2 Russell Hagner US Army Sgt. Jason E. Healey Michael Angelow, PO2 US Navy Nadeem Sarwar, US Army SPC Justin Scheuren Staff Sgt. David Sigwart

1st PV2 Amanda Sylvester
Sean P. Gillespie Pvt. 1st Class
Sherri Merceier

Sr. Airman Mouoriek Marchage

Sr. Airman Maverick Marchesani Tyler Fisher, US Army Cpt. Lewis Nicoletto Joseph J. Morris, III, US Army SSgt. Taylor Purvis, US Army Scott Maulo Jr., US Army

HOMEBOUND AND SICK

Marge Acheson Lillian Alba Marguerite Alward Tony Amato John Andreotti Barbara Angelucci Rocco Arcaini Patricia Bailev Kathryn Banks Salvatore Baretta Alberta Barody George Batten Sr. Scott Beckett Richard Beppel Jr. Theresa Beppel Besong Family Makenzie Bogart Pevton Bravo Dennis Brown Paul Bruni Perry John Buford Margaret Byne Tom Byrne

Danielle, Dan & Danny Capra

Bob Cagle

Jodi Cardenas Marie Carr Maverick John Casey **Bob Chambers** Dorothea Cheslock Debbie Cipolone Tammy Citrone John J. Clancy Frank Conicello Joann, Jerry Conley Carole Conner Lorraine Contardo Lori Craig Eileen Cresthull JoAnn Crossetta Phil Curreri Herb Dalbow

Joseph Dangelantonio Theresa DeFilippis Francis DeLorenzo Sharon Densten Dawn Dentzau Mary DeSpirito Annie DiGerolamo Thomas DiMattia Joe Donahue Sr. John DiRiego Carmella Dooley & Family Catherine Douress Deborah Dowd Amy & Kari Draa Msgr. Francis X. Dreger Dennis Druding III MaryAnn Edgerton Rachele. Kevin Edwards Thomas & Vera Ellison Jack Erickson George Esposito Baby Easton Michael Evans **Dolores Fahringer** Nora Feger Dorothy Ferrara Helen Foster Stephanie Frago Rose Fraioli William Friedrich Zack Geisenhimer Antoinette Glass Helene Reed-Gollon Richard & Gail Grabowski Daniel Guetherman **Grant Guidry** Debbie Gutjahr John Haley

Diane Helmetage John J. Henderson Patrick Hennessy Denise Henry Judy Herlihy Cy Hill Christine Hirsch Jan & Drew Hohenstein Honrychs Family Bob Horn Margaret Iuliucci Marianne Jacobs Robert Jacobs Neil Johnson Baby Juliana Barbara Keeley Katherine Kennedy Vera Ann Kirk Don Klingler Julie Kramer Gladys LaLena

Robert Hannum

Douglas Hatch

Caitlin Harkin (baby)

Carol Lee Kate Lee Sophia Marie Lewis Audrey Liebler Lillian Lovenduski Morgan Lowe Stephen Malloy, Marie Malloy John Manes Jr. Loretta Martinelli Rosa McDermott Michael McDonald Paul McElroy Patricia McGinty Elizabeth McHenry Mary McKay Savannah McSorley Brooklyn McQuoid Jim McVev Adele Miller Kaitlyn Miller Lorraine Moore Joan Morris Karyn Mumma Arlene Murphy Laylani Narvaez Joel Nicoletto Florence Niemann Clyde O'Brien Mária O'Brien Grant O'Neill & Anna Chris O'Rourke Catherine Oswald Edward, John Ottenthal Edward Pearce

J'Iani Pena Catherine Perkins Denise Petti Roseanne Pirollo Glenn, Shannon Pliszczak Frank Power

Diana, Matthew Prichard Quinn Rathjen Margaret Renzi Frankie Rooney John Ross Kelli Rotundo Ed Roughton Brandon Rulon Peggy Sachs Sammy and Sophia Amelia Sabol

Frank Santilli

Arlene Scutte John Sesko Dominic Settembrine Rose Shaves Krista Sheehan Liam Alexander Sherwood

Alec Silovitz Danny Sitzlow Peg Skorup

Dawn & Harry Smith & Family Maryann Sorensen Karen Stanga

Karen Stanga
Gail Stanzione
Baby Scarlette
Logan, Wayne Stepler
Christina Sturgis
Helen Swanson
Jason, Robyn Talucci
Brielle, Diane & Devan Taylor

Michelle Taylor Elizabeth Tees Patricia Tighe Michael Tomeo J'lani Torres Victor Torres Charles Trimmel Frances Turner Heidi Valery Donna Vancanti Wildamina Vilmont Joseph VanDyke Wagy Family Lorraine Walser Joyce Walsh

Sr. Patricia Mary Walsh, O.P.

Baby Lucas Watkins
Kathy Watkins
Minnie Wheeler
John White
Thelma Wichrowski
Catherine Welser
David Wenck
Joanne Wescott
Thomas Woodward
Teresa Woytik
Barry & Robin Wright
Colleen Yaniak
Baby April Yost
Lissy Zulueta



We welcome into the Christian Catholic Community: Daniel Mena ~ Lydia Mae Fletcher ~ Lucas Maximus Cornforth



LIFELONG FAITH FORMATION

Director of Children's Faith Formation

Sr. Barbara O'Neill, IHM~ 856-767-1537 Email: srbarbaraoneill@gmail.com

YOUTH FAITH FORMATION 2017-2018

Sundays: 10:30 – 11:30 am **Mondays:** 4:30- 5:30 pm

Faith Formation

Helpers Still Needed

Helpers still needed for Sunday, 10:30-11:30, & Monday, 4:30-5:30

CONFIRMATION

Bishop Dennis Sullivan will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation on **Tuesday**, **April 17**th **at 5 pm**.

Confirmation Retreat

The Confirmation Retreat will be held on Saturday, **April 14**th from **9 am-12 noon**.

FIRST COMMUNION

The Sacrament of First Eucharist will be celebrated on Saturday, May 5th at 10am and 12 pm.

First Communion Retreat

The First Communion Retreat will be held on Saturday, **April 28**th from 9:30 am-12:30 noon.

BIBLE STUDY

A Small Christian Community

Bible Study Meets on Wednesdays from 9am to 11am in the Parish Meeting Center. No previous Knowledge of the Bible in necessary. All are invited to attend.

Upcoming Gatherings: April 11~ April 18~ April 25

Daily Rosary/ Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Please join us as we pray the Rosary and/or Chaplet of Divine Mercy after the 8 am Mass (Mon-Sat.).All are welcomed to join us as we pray meditatively in peace and joy.

Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass

If this year, 2018, you are celebrating a milestone Wedding Anniversary of 25, 50, 60 or 70 years or more, Please join us in celebrating Mass with Bishop Dennis Sullivan on

Sunday, June 10, 2018

(A light reception will follow in the parish hall.)

Mary, Mother of Mercy Parish

Our Lady of Lourdes Church

500 Greentree Road

Glassboro, NJ 08028

Registration forms are available through in the parish office. **Deadline is May 18, 2018**. For more information please contact your parish office



St. Simon Stock Conference of St. Vincent de Paul Society

Parishioners, please bring in **nonperishable food items** for our third Sunday of the month food collection next weekend, April 14th & 15th, before Masses. We ask you to please be generous in helping to provide food for those who suffer from hunger and food insufficiency. This food is distributed from our Food Pantry directly to our neighbors in need within our own parish towns.

SVdP appreciates the support of all the parishioners who assist those in need by your prayers, time commitments, food and financial donations. We thank you on their behalf of those we serve.

We Vincentians invite you to join us in assisting those in need in Christ's name by volunteering your time and talent. Be a part of a dynamic and friendly group who joyfully and humbly put their faith into action. Contact us at 856-767-7391 during Pantry Hours listed above. You are also welcome to come into our Food Pantry and Thrift Store at 157 W. WHP, Berlin.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY HOURS

FOOD PANTRY: T, W, TH 11 AM-3PM
THRIFT STORE: T, W, TH 10 AM-3 PM, SAT 10 AM-1 PM
DONATIONS DOOR: T, W, TH 10-2:30, SAT 10-12:30 PM

FR. GOYETTE'S HOMILY GROUP

Fr. Goyette's Homily Group will meet at 1:00 PM on Mondays in the Basement of the Parish Office. Come discuss the readings for the next Sunday.



Early Morning PRAYER & YOGA

Wednesdays ~ 6:30 am ~Parish Meeting Center

red side door (former preschool) entrance Start your day feeling centered, refreshed, and more closely connected to God. <u>No cost to attend.</u> No prior experience necessary. Simply bring a yoga mat and join us! For info: call Sue at 856-685-3638.



BLANKET MINISTRY

The Blanket Ministry will meet on **Wednesday**, **April** 11th at 7pm in the Parish Meeting Center.



The St Simon Stock Health Care Ministry would like to help assure safe medication use by our parishioners. Join us after the 8 and 9:30 masses on April 15 in the Parish Meeting Center. Bring your medications with you that day so we can review them and answer your questions. We can also help you with updating your medication list. We will be able to check your blood pressure and other vital signs that day if you would like.

Coffee and light refreshments will be served.

We look forward to meeting you on April 15th!

St Simon Stock Health Tips

Polypharmacy is the concurrent use of multiple medications by a patient. It is most common in the elderly and can sometimes be more harmful than helpful by creating more risk than benefit. Health professionals consider polypharmacy a situation that requires monitoring and review to validate whether all medications are still necessary.

Specific concerns about polypharmacy include increased risk for adverse drug reactions, drug interactions and cost. Sometimes it can be associated with decreased quality of life including decreased mobility and cognition.

If you are concerned about too many medications talk to your doctor. Never stop your medication on your own. Sometimes a larger number of medications is necessary to manage a patients condition. However a periodic and thoughtful review of medication by a physician with his patient is reasonable and can be helpful.

LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR APRIL (Revised 3/25)

<u>4/7-8</u> EMs	4:00 PM (1) B. Piontkowski, B. Tresca (2) C. Reilly, G. Grabowski	8:00 AM (1) K. Johnson, L. Bunoza (2) J. Martin, Jen. Smith S. Villa	9:30 AM (1) R. Tartamosa, D. Sorensen (2) S. Tartamosa, D. Bilella	11:30 AM (1) C. Codario, P. Adams (2) T. Powers, W. Bradley
Lectors Altar Servers Music Priest	A. Cullin, P. Tresca D. Kehoe (MC), B. Kehoe N. Wojski, A. DiOrio Liz Fr. Goyette	J. Hill, P. Worthmann R. Kurtz (MC), J. McPeak B. Smith, J. Sabec Linda, Terry Fr. Goyette	J. Eddis, C. McCullough Jam. Bilella (MC) , J. Boyd Jos. & Jon. Bilella Rich, Christina Fr. Jim	B. Hoag, D. Adams S. Bradley (MC), N. Garcia A. Vasbancse, M. Peters Cindy, Maria Fr. Jim
Altar	4:00 PM (1) L. Sabato, A. Martini (2) M. Sabato, B. Bansch J. McKay, B. Piontkowski M. Lewellan (MC), A. Lewellan A. & D. Crow Choir Fr. Jim	8:00 AM (1) J. Kohler, R. Perocho (2) C. Kohler, A. Primo M. Millenbach, S. Malloy A. McKeon (MC), J. Calabria S. & A. Millenbach, Stephanie, Lynne Fr. Jim	9:30 AM (1) P. Miller, C. Rainey (2) J. Eddis, F. Andringa P. Fleming, B. Wright No. Covone (MC), C. Sweeney Na. & S. Covone Contemporary Fr. Goyette	11:30 AM (1) C. Warrington, Sa. Leyden (2) J. Ralston, S. Rosenbaum M. Leyden, R. Voltaire F. Spinosi (MC), N. Marino C. Bindig, B. Johnson Tony D. Fr. Goyette
<u>4/21-22</u> EMs	4:00 PM (1) G. Grabowski, A. Cullin	8:00 AM	9:30 AM (1) B. Hansen, P. Miller,	11:30 AM
	(2) B. Tresca, K. Talucci	(1) B. Davis, Jas. Smith (2) D. Fox, J. Martin	(2) C. Rainey, C. McCullough	(1) T. Brisbin, C. Warrington (2) L. Tartaglia, J. Ralston
Altar				

STEWARDSHIP

UPCOMING EVENTS

STEWARDSHIP Stewards of Gifts

"The community of believers was of one heart and mind, and no one claimed that any of his possessions was his own..." — Acts 4:32

All that we are and all that we have is a gift from God! Think of your family, your friends, your talents, your abilities and your money – these are all gifts from God! We aren't really owners of anything, we are merely "Stewards" of the gifts God has blessed us with.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

March 18, 2018

Sunday Collection: \$ 11,514.00 Capital Needs/Debt Reduction: \$ 2,242.00 Poor Box: \$ 466.41

Candles: \$ 207.00

March 25, 2018

Easter Sunday Collection: \$ 24,148.00 Good Friday Collection: \$1,396.00 Poor Box: \$

Candles: \$ 157.00

HOUSE OF CHARITY/ BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

If you have not yet made your sacrificial gift to the 2018 House of Charity Bishop's Annual Appeal, please consider doing so. Pledge cards can be found in the back of Church. So far we have raised \$ 75,095.00 from 212 families on our parish goal of \$117,969.93 (or 63%) for an average gift of \$354.22.

TAX STATEMENTS

If you would like to receive a statement of your contributions for the 2017 Tax Year, please call the parish office at 856-767-2563 (ext. 300) and leave your name address and telephone number. Thank you.

PICKLEBALL

Pickleball has arrived at St Simon Stock. We are playing mostly on weekends. If you are interested in learning more about the game contact John Watkins at 856-905-4523 or email johnpb16@comcast.net. You can also visit our website at delvalpickleball.com. Hope to see you on the courts.

Lose Yourself in the Music and Energy of



Tuesday Evenings 7:00 pm ~ Gym

One Class \$6. Purchase \$60 punch card and receive 12 Classes (2 free). For more information contact Vicky at vsigwart@comcast.net.

EASTER THANK YOU!

Many thanks to the members of the parish who transformed our church during Holy Week. The Easter environment is especially joyous and significant of the Season. Thank you to Kitty Longo, Peggy Ward, Krisel Belmonte; Cindy Johnson; Ted Baker; Marie Leyden, Sarah Leyden, the Smith Family, Mary and Tony Ziccardi.

The Music Ministry did an incredible job during this most Holy Week. Many thanks to Liz Williams and Rich Galassini directing and inspiring both the Adult Choir and Contemporary Group.

Our lectors and altar servers and EMs did a fantastic job proclaiming the Word and assisting the Presiders during these very important celebrations of our faith.

Happy Easter Season! Fr. Jim



Easter Flower Donations

Late Arrivals

In Memory of: Requested by:
Our Families Anthony & Jayne Martini

M/M John Squillace M/M Elmer Erickson

Ricky Erickson M/M John Erickson
Henry & Maria Remmlinger Brenda & E. Allen Nickerson
Deceased Members Agresti Family M/M Joseph Agresti

M/M D. Labate
M/M F. Matteo
Servis Family
Guerere & Dondero Families
Walter & Elizabeth Schofield
Joseph & Anna McHugh

M/M Frank Matteo
Juliette Servis
Janet & Nick Guerere
M/M Mike Schofield

Paul LaBuda M/M H. Powers M/M L. Doto M/M H. G. Powers

M/M Anthony Powers

John & Arlene Thumm

A Gift From

M/M Robert Schmidt
M/M William Mercer
M/M Robert F. Andreotta
M/M Robert Landolt
Ms. Carol Lee
M/M Brian C. Green
M/M Pawel Tetiuk
M/M William DiPompo

Just Got Engaged? ...

St. Simon Stock Parish, 178 W. White Horse Pike in Berlin, NJ will offer **Marriage Preparation** this spring for couples preparing for marriage. It is a one-day session which will be held on Saturday, April 14, 2018 from 8:30 am – 2:30 pm in the Parish Meeting Center. Both parties must attend! To register, call Titania at 856-767-2563.



AROUND THE DIOCESE

Bishop Dennis Sullivan will be the principal celebrant at a special Mass honoring priests in the Diocese of Camden who will celebrate a special jubilee this year.

The Jubilee Mass for our Priests

will be held on **Tuesday, May 8, 2018 at 4:00 p.m.**Saint Mary's Church
2001 Springdale Road, Cherry Hill

All the people of the diocese are invited to attend this special Mass.

Come and celebrate with the priests of our diocese.

We celebrate the following Jubilarians...

25 Years

Reverend E. Joseph Byerley Reverend Sungheum John Kim Reverend Pawel W. Kryszkiewicz Reverend Paul A. Olszewski

40 Years

Reverend John D. Bohrer Reverend Monsignor Dominic J. Bottino Reverend Peter A. McLaughlin Reverend John A. O'Leary

50 Years

Reverend James J. Durkin Reverend Robert J. Gregorio Reverend Kenneth J. Johnston Reverend Calogero N. LaVerde Reverend Monsignor Andrew E. Martin Reverend Brian E. O'Neill

60 Years

Reverend Felipe L. Doldan Reverend Monsignor Thomas M. Flynn Reverend Joseph V. Jurkowski

70 Years

Reverend Monsignor Cornelius P. O'Leary



THEOLOGY ON TAP The Real Wonder Woman

Theology on Tap with Father Chuck Colozzi will explore Mary, the Blessed Mother, as unique disciple. Wednesday, April 18, 2018 at PJ Whelihan's, 425 Hurffville-Cross Keys Road, Sewell, NJ from 7 – 9 p.m. Theology on Tap is a great chance for 20 & 30 somethings to hear dynamic speakers and engage in meaningful conversation in a relaxed and casual atmosphere. For more information, please email gregory.coogan@camdendiocese.org, or join "Theology on Tap – South Jersey" on Facebook or follow "Theology on Tap SJ" on Twitter.



Rediscover the Love in Your Marriage! Is your marriage going down the right road . . . or is it a little off track?

Life can be difficult, and so can the challenges you face in marriage.

Does the distance between you seem wide? Are you already separated? Looking for a better way? *Retrouvaille* (retro-VIE) can help and offers hope for a better relationship. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy and heal, just as they have done in their own marriages. Retrouvaille is Christian-based, and Catholic in origin, but welcomes couples of all faiths as well as non-religious couples. Retrouvaille can help get your relationship back on track. There is a program coming up at the Family Life Center in Malvern, PA: April 13-15. For more information, or to register for one of our weekends, visit our web site at: www.HelpOurMarriage.org or call 1-800-470-2230. All inquiries are kept strictly confidential.

Together in Prayer

A prayer group for the LGBT community, their families and loved ones, will gather on April 29, May 20th and thereafter on the last Sunday of each month at 6:30 PM in the Parish Center of Saints Peter and Paul Parish in Turnersville. All are welcome to join in prayer. For more information, please call Christine at 207-240-5254.

Afternoon of Jazz, Plus

Don't miss this 27th annual dinner dance to benefit the Diocesan Black Catholic Ministries' Scholarship Fund on Sun., April 22, 3 – 8 p.m. at Masso's Crystal Manor, 210 S. Delsea Dr., Glassboro. Send a check made out to "Diocese of Camden" for \$40 per person to James E. Andrews, Director, Black Catholic Ministries, 631 Market St., Camden, NJ 08102. Questions? Contact James at (856) 583-2907 or james.Andrews@camdendiocese.org.

South Jersey Catholic Cemeteries Offers A New Discount for VITALity Members

Beginning in 2018 members of the VITALity Senior Healthcare Wellness Program receive a discount on the purchase of pre-need burial privileges. Additionally, members receive a discount on memorialization merchandise such as vases, crucifixes, porcelain portraits and the floral program. Members only need to provide their membership card to receive their discounts. Not a member? To join contact VITALity at 888-268-4825 or online at www.VITALity.camdendiocese.org. In addition, South Jersey Catholic Cemeteries offers other discounts including pre-need purchases, pre-need payment in full, employees and veterans (where available). Call South Jersey Catholic Cemeteries at 855-MyPrePlan (855-697-7375) visit our website www.SouthJerseyCatholicCemeteries.org to learn how you can take advantage of these discounts.

DIOCESE OF CAMDEN

Office of Child and Youth Protection

We can be sure that we love God's children when we love God and do what He has commanded. I John 5:2

contact with minors. Attendance is required in order to comply with the USCCB's Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People. The policy of the Diocese of The Office of Child and Youth Protection is announcing CAP (Child Assault Prevention) sessions. CAP is the safe environment training program for adults who have regular Camden is that adults will attend CAP once every five years.

CAP 1 teaches attendees to recognize child abuse and neglect and how to report to the proper authorities. Adults are taught that children have the right to be safe, strong and free. CAP 1 is for new volunteers and employees.

CAP 2 is called CAP's Bullying Prevention Program and is a workshop addressing bullying awareness and bullying prevention. Cyber-bullying is also presented.

CAP 3 is called Cyber-Empowerment and is a workshop which promotes adults understanding of cyber activity of youth while teaching them realistic ways to help children keep their own rights and guard the rights of others in the cyber-sphere.

Each presentation is 90 minutes.

Adults who are new employees or volunteers should attend CAP 1 before attending CAP 2 or CAP 3. After five years, adults have the option of attending CAP 1, 2 or 3 when they renew their CAP.

The following sessions will be offered in April 2018

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CAP Phase 1

- Thurs. April 12 ~6:30pm~ St. Gianna Beretta Molla, 421 New Rd., Northfield
- Jueves 12 de Abril ~ 7:00pm~ Parroquia de la Santa Cruz, 46 Central Ave, Bridgeton (Espanol 1)
- Thurs. April 12 ~ 7pm~ Holy Cross Parish, 46 Central Ave Bridgeton (English 1)
- Fri. April 13~7pm Most Precious Blood (School), 445 White Horse Pike, West Collingswood

No CAP Phase 2 or 3 this month

To attend one of these classes, please call the CAP REGISTRATION LINE at the Office of Child and Youth Protection: (856)583-6165, or contact Maryellen Schell at maryellen.schell@camdendiocese.org. Please leave your name and the session date you plan to attend. You will not receive a call back. We ask that you register at least five days before the session you would like to attend.

The CAP schedule, location, phone numbers and directions may be found on the Diocesan website www.camdendiocese.org/cyp.

IN CASE OF INCLEMENT WEATHER PLEASE CALL THE LOCATION DIRECTLY







week class is freel Hands on classes and activities are caregivers to spend time with their special little one. Join us as we "March" into Spring at OLMC. Our 6 Classes are open to the community and are a great the perfect place for parents, grandparents and way to meet other families from the areal

Dates: March 20 & 27th, April 10, 17, 24th & May 1st Hoshed at: OLMC school Time: 9:30-10:30

1 N. Cedar Ave.

Berlin, NJ 08009





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mchesebro@olmc-school.org or call information on the program email To register or for more Melissa Chesebro at





631 Market Street, Camden, NJ 08102

(856) 583-6115 (phone) ● (856) 583-1045 (fax) ● www.camdendiocese.org



April is Autism Awareness Month

Please join us for

A Diocesan Eucharistic Celebration

Sunday, April 15, 2018, 10:00 a.m.



Saint Teresa of Calcutta Parish Church of the Holy Saviour 50 Emerald Avenue Haddon Township, NJ



Presider: Reverend Robert Hughes, Vicar General
Diocese of Camden

All families with children with autism and/or developmental disabilities are invited to share in this Inclusion Mass. We invite you to actively participate in the Celebration of the Eucharist by sharing your skills as a greeter, a lector, a cantor, an usher, an altar server and by your presence at Mass. We all have different abilities please share your gifts. The Mass will be adapted to meet the needs of the folks joining us for the celebration. The church is fully accessible.

Following the Mass there will be a reception of fellowship to come together and share stories of family, love and commitment.

A light brunch will be served.

Holy Saviour & McDaid Hall are fully accessible for those with ambulatory assistance needs. To RSVP and to volunteer contact: Karen M. Fisher at (856)583-6123 or email to Karen.fisher@camdendiocese.org







All Are Welcome-We are ONE Church