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*Pastor*

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*Parochial Vicar*

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*Parochial Vicar*

**Rev. René Canales**  
*Hispanic Ministry*

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*Deacon* *Deacon* *Deacon*

**Michael Harkins**  
*Retired Deacon*

**MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday: 4:30pm Vigil  
Sunday: 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am, 6:00pm

**WEEK DAY MASS**

Monday-Friday: 8:00am and 9:00am  
Monday: 6:30pm Rosary  
7:00pm Miraculous Medal Novena  
Saturday: 9:00am Mass

**MISA EN ESPAÑOL (ST. JUDE CHURCH)**

Sábado: 6:00pm  
Domingo: 9:30am

**HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION**

Eve of Holy Day: 7:00pm  
Holy Day: 8:00am, 9:00am, 12:10pm, 7:00pm

**CONFESSIONS**

Monday: 7:30pm  
Saturday: 9:30am - 10:00am and  
3:30pm - 4:15pm or by appointment

**Stewards Tested**

*"Because he himself was tested through what he suffered, he is able to help those who are being tested." – Hebrews 2:18*

When we join a support group, there is comfort in sharing our pain with people who have experienced the same thing; they understand what we are going through. The next time you experience suffering, talk to Jesus. He has experienced more suffering than most of us, He understands. Plus, Jesus knows us better than we know ourselves. Only He can fill the hole Stewards feel in their hearts.

Scan the QR Codes below using the camera of your cell phone to be directed to the corresponding web page.

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# MASS INTENTIONS

## Saturday, February 1st

4:30 pm † Alejandro Ramos, Sr. by The Ramos Family

## Sunday, February 2nd

7:30 am † Felino Encarnado, Jr. by Deacon Andy Encarnado and Family

9:30 am † Dolores Giannetti by Romeo

11:30 am † Christine Carlucci Scherer by her loving family

6:00 pm † Ray Currey and Angelo Calabrese by Family

## Monday, February 3rd

8:00 am People of the Parish

9:00 am † Dino Argentieri by The Argentieri Family

## Tuesday, February 4th

8:00 am † Helen G. Dougherty by Pat Bauer and Family

9:00 am † Catherine Kinnerman by The Kinnerman Family

## Wednesday, February 5th

8:00 am † Sister Dorothy Aloisio by Pat Bauer and Family

9:00 am † Jared Alexander by The Alexander Family

## Thursday, February 6th

8:00 am † Mimi Gattuso by Husband, Dave Egrie

9:00 am † Marie Calabrese by Rich and Judy

## Friday, February 7th

8:00 am † Carole and Bruce Rodgers by Michael Monteith and Theresa McGlinchey

9:00 am † Jose Hernandez, Sr. by Edward and Lilibeth Octavo

## Saturday, February 8th

9:00 am † Debbie Malatesta by Saint Vincent DePaul Society

† David Start by Chip and Pam Pildis

† Tony Porcellini by OLOH Knights of Columbus Council 9193

† Larry Villarose by OLOH Knights of Columbus Council 9193

† Delores DiMarco by Richard and Lois Maunz

† Deceased Members of the Fowler and Jacobs Families by Lisa Mascieri

† Ginny Licata by Jacqueline Smith

† Travis Brown by The Straub Family

† Laura M. Cappelli by Mary Dorazo

† Dolly Madison by Jane Coolen

4:30 pm † Rose Dinoto by Cathy and Larry Dinoto

## Sunday, February 9th

7:30 am † Daniel Riiff by Joan Riiff

9:30 am † Living and Deceased Members of the Altar and Rosary Society

11:30 am † Linda Franulovic by Mom and Dad

6:00 pm † John N. Iovacchino by The Bishop Schad Assembly #2843



Rita Abate, Lindsay Brabazon, The Brabazon Family, Eileen Boyer, Kassia Bruder, Gary Burgin, Marc Castagna, Jake Cawley, Fr John DelDuca, Mary Ann U. DeRoca, Peg DiAngelo, Bob Esposito, Angela Gallicchio, Romeo Giannetti, P. Guida, Bill Harris, Jonny Hoffman, Stephanie Kaufmann Remley, Klimeks, Chick Levins, Peggy Levins, Peter Lutz, Margaret M., Steve Marchesani, Jeanette McCoy, Sheri Merlino, The Minniti Family, Julianna Minitti, Eunice Minnaugh, Sister Janice Novak, Diane O'Mara, The O'Sullivan Family, Loida Ortaney, Michael P., Karin Ravnigk, Helen Reebenaker, The Renz Family, Jacob Rivera, Jaxon Rivera, Michael Robinson, Brian Roehr, Chase Roehr, Dick Schmidt, Irene Scola, Jim Sweeney, Terri Theisen, Lauren Thomas, Sage Traxler, Janet Wabrick, Howard Watson, Adam David Zayas.

**ADDED THIS WEEK:** *Ann Tomasso & the Tomasso Family, Patty Antzoulatos, Debbie Wunsch, John, Linda Julia, Cindy Ortiz.*

Names remain on the sick list for **6 weeks**.  
Please notify the office if names should be removed earlier or remain on longer.

The Church Sanctuary Candle this week burns

In loving memory of:

**Christine Carlucci-Scherer**

at the request of:

**Her Loving Family**



**The Feast of St. Blaise is  
Monday, February 3rd.**



Blessing of throats will take place at all weekend  
Masses on Sunday, February 2nd  
and at daily Masses on Monday, February 3rd



## **END OF YEAR INQUIRIES**

If you would like a copy of your Parish  
Donation Statement, please contact Janice  
at the Parish Office at 228-4331 xtn 103.

## **PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED:**



**Maryanne Youngberg**

**Rosemarie Paradise**

**Emily Schoeniger**

**Arlene M. Rego**

**Hilda Green**

**Debbie Walker**

## A MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR, REV. JOSEPH T. SZOLACK

Dear Friends in Christ,

Recently, I was in a conversation about what it means to have “class.” Some thought it was how one dresses, how one speaks, where one is born, etc. There was an article I read, written by Lachlan Brown entitled “9 Signs of Genuine Class that Can’t be Faked.” His first sign was “respect for others” which has him saying that a person with class never sees others as inferiors, but that every person has value. I agree as I see think of what Mother Teresa said about abortion, that if we can take the life of a child, we are capable of anything. Everyone matters... everyone. Another sign is “graciousness in defeat.” When we are down, resentment may enter our hearts which may lead us to jealousy, to mockery and to lash out in pain. To have class is to be happy for others and to learn from our being overlooked. Another sign is “honesty and integrity.” A liar does not have class; quite the opposite. Jesus tells us that the “truth will set us free.” It is so great to have the freedom to love and to rejoice in the gifts God gives us when we are in the light of what is true. Lies are often ways to make us feel better than we really are, or they are paths to get out of trouble. Another sign of the person with class are “empathy and understanding.” “We may not agree with everyone, but we can show the ability to try to see from where people are coming. Empathy truly shows care and concern for others, the hallmarks of a gentleman or lady. Finally, “generosity of spirit.” Generosity is not only about money, but it is giving of oneself: listening to others, spending time with others, and sharing one’s experiences with others. Praying for someone (even our enemies) is a way to show generosity. Now, the Eagles are very much on our minds with their playing in the Super Bowl. In light of what I am saying about being a person of class, a recent conversation, caught on microphone between Nick Sirianni (Eagle’s coach) and Saquon Barkley (running back) showed me the virtue of class in action. Saquon is a class act. Sirianni said on the sideline to Saquon, “You’re 13 yards away from your career high...I would love for you to get that...but that’s up to you. I do...” Saquon says, “It’s all good.” Nick says, “I’m gonna take out all the starers if they don’t score.” Saquon answers, “You good, let them eat.” Sirianni, “You sure.” “Yeah, I’m good,” answers Saquon. Nick goes on, “Are you sure?” and Saquon answers, “I promise.” Nick answers, “Now listen to me, I want you to do it, if you want to do it.” Saquon says, “I’d rather see the young boys eat.” I know that everyone may not agree with his decision, but the virtues of classiness are operative: Saquon is showing respect, graciousness, integrity, empathy and above all generosity. The late, great, Father Benedict Groeschel once said, “You either have class or you do not.” Saquon Barkley shows virtues that when graced by God can lead us to a whole new level of being a class act.

God bless you,  
Father Szolack



**Pray for our Military men and women:** Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. Bring them home safely. May their sacrifices bring about a lasting and just peace in all lands.

We ask this in the name of Jesus, Our Lord and Savior. Amen.

Please include these requests from our Parishioners in your prayers:

F Co. Unit and Lt. Cpl. Jacques Revoir; PFC Joseph DiJulio; Spec. Michael Sermarina, Iraq; Josh Treusch; PFC Zachary Krytzer; Sarah Turse, Afghanistan; Major Kristina Levins Himmelirch- USAF; Lt. Evan Cleaver, Afghanistan; Kevin Higgins; CSSN Nicholas Anthony Ferro - US Navy Submarine USSF Dallas Groton CT.; John Roberto - Military Police Afghanistan; Ssgt. Damian Bates, USMC; Private John Andrew McWilliams Afghanistan; Michael Mortka SSG, US Army; Sean Cyphert - USMC; Michael N Ekimoglou, USMC; Lt. Eric W. Courtois, US Air Force; DC1 Russell Estes, USN; Lt. Cpl. Andrew McWilliam Afghanistan; Justin Alberico, US Air Force; SSgt Joseph Hodson, Lt. Tom Gaffney; SPC Madgey, Bernard, PFC DiGennaro, Zacharo, Cpl Dzierzynski, Derrick, US Army, Private Matthew Zaleski - USMC, E8 Sgt Major Kevin Kirkpatrick - US National Guard; Major Sean Hunt, United States Marine Corp, Tara Feltwell - United States Navy, SR Kevin Wolf - U.S. Navy; Sgt. Steven Charyszyn—USMC; Lt. Robert W. McKenna, US Coast Guard; Capt. Robert E. McKenna, United States Coast Guard; 1st LT Matthew DiGiacomo - US Air Force; Spec. Michael Whelan, US Army, 2nd Lt Megan Capobianco - US Army; RCT George Stuart - USMC; Arron Brown, SSGT - Army Reserve; LT J.G Joseph L Andricola, USN; SPC Michael D'Intino - US Army. , Sgt. James Buckingham - US Army; John Flynn - USN; Christopher Foschini - E4 Army; Cpl. Christopher Duddy - USMC; AOAR Melanie Charyszyn, Capt. Joseph F. Donnelly - USMC; A1C Matthew Urban of the US Air Force; PFC Justin Wellik, Cpl. John T. McCormick- USMC; Cpl. Jake S. McCormick- USMC; PFC Jarrett J. McCormick-USMC; PFC Patrick Mahon-USMC.; Capt. Julie Ford, US Air Force ; Alexis Brown - US Army; Vincent Lauro Pilla, US Navy; Lt JG Nicholas DeFeo - US Navy; Sgt Anthony Vespa - US Army; Sgt. Maj. Joseph Kern - US Army; SPC Feery - US Army; Ens. Jack McKenna - US Coast Guard; Sgt Ronald Louis Bizon - US Army; 2nd Lt Jacob Gandolfo - US Army; Sgt. Max Belko—US Army



**Needed to re-open in January:  
PASTA SAUCE, PANCAKE MIX, and SYRUP**

The food pantry here at Our Lady of Hope is open every Saturday from 9:00 to 11 am to serve the hungry. We are immensely grateful to our parishioners for their constant support by donating the items needed each week. Because of YOU our shelves are never empty and we never need to turn families away. Non perishable items can be left at the rear of the church gathering space or dropped off on Saturday morning at the Parish Center. Financial donations are also welcome and appreciated as we do need to purchase items that run low from time to time.

FACEBOOK:  
[WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/STVINCENTDEPAULLOURLADYOFHOPEPARISH](http://WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/STVINCENTDEPAULLOURLADYOFHOPEPARISH)  
WEBSITE:  
[HTTPS://SVDPOLOH.WEEBLY.COM/](https://svdpoloh.weebly.com/)

*Thank you*  
**FOR YOUR SUPPORT**



**The Collection Total**  
(January 25/26)

**Collection: \$ 14,295**  
**E-Giving: \$ 4,887**  
**TOTAL: \$ 19,182**

**Need a Bulletin Announcement ?**

Please e-mail: [bulletin@ourladyofhopenj.org](mailto:bulletin@ourladyofhopenj.org).

**To Advertise in the Bulletin:**

Call: 1.800.333.3166

**Weekly Readings:**  
**February 03<sup>RD</sup> to February 09<sup>TH</sup>**

**Monday, February 03<sup>RD</sup>**

Hebrews 11:32-40  
Mark 5:1-20

**Tuesday, February 04<sup>TH</sup>**

Hebrews 12:1-4  
Mark 5:21-43

**Wednesday, February 05<sup>TH</sup>**

Hebrews 12:4-7,11-15  
Mark 6:1-6

**Thursday, February 06<sup>TH</sup>**

Hebrews 12:18-19,21-24  
Mark 6:7-13

**Friday, February 07<sup>TH</sup>**

Hebrews 13:1-8  
Mark 6:14-29

**Saturday, February 08<sup>TH</sup>**

Hebrews 13:15-17,20-21  
Mark 6:30-34

**Sunday, February 09<sup>TH</sup>**  
**The 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Isaiah 6:1-2,3-8  
1 Corinthians 15:1-11  
Luke 5:1-11



## NEWS AND EVENTS



### Our Lady of Hope Electronic Giving:

*Enhancing Stewardship through  
Electronic Funds Transfer*

**SIGN UP TODAY!!!**

Visit [www.OurLadyOfHopeNJ.org](http://www.OurLadyOfHopeNJ.org) and  
click the ParishGiving logo on the right side of the page.



The 2026 Mass Book will open on  
Tuesday, February 4th at **10am**



**Our Lady of Hope Parish's  
Bereavement Ministry  
is in need of new members.**

Please consider joining this much needed Ministry.  
Bereavement Ministry members meet with families and  
walk them through the funeral process assisting with  
readings and music selections among others.  
If interested, call the Parish Office at 856-228-4331.

### Youth Lector

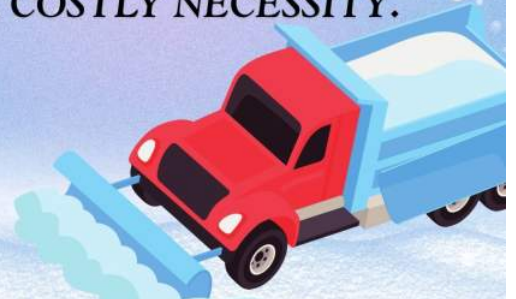
Katie Hoffman was installed as a Lector at the 4:30 Mass on  
Saturday, January 25. If you are a confirmed teen and interested in  
becoming a Lector please contact Mike Alibrando at 609-221-5761  
ASAP. The next training sessions begin Thursday, February 6.



## SNOW REMOVAL IS EXPENSIVE

**YOUR GENEROSITY IS GREATLY  
APPRECIATED AS WINTER  
STORMS APPROACH.**

**SNOW REMOVAL IN OUR  
PARKING LOTS  
IS A COSTLY NECESSITY.**



## Super Bowl Mania: Super Match



Tickets be available for purchase in the Gathering Space after Mass  
until Super Bowl Sunday, February 9th.

Tickets are also available online at:  
[www.charitymania.com/give/PFOOD](http://www.charitymania.com/give/PFOOD)

\$5 each or buy 5 and get one free. Prizes range from \$10-\$5000 on  
SUPER BOWL SUNDAY and a free music digital download comes with  
your ticket purchase.

Thank you for supporting the Knights of Columbus Football Mania  
fundraiser during the regular season! The amount of \$4500 in  
proceeds were donated to Our Lady of Hope Parish. There were 73  
winning tickets in our regular season Football Mania fundraiser.  
The winning tickets amounted to \$4,090 in total cash prizes. For an  
additional opportunity to win prize money, there is still time to  
purchase tickets for our current Super Bowl Mania Super Match  
fundraiser.



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## Altar & Rosary

★ COMEDY NIGHT ★

Saturday, March 01 | 07:00 pm

OLOH Parish Hall - Doors open at 6:00pm

AN EVENING OF LAUGHS WITH  
**JOEY CALLAHAN**  
FEATURING MATT DOLAN & GENE TALARICO

TICKETS \$35 PP

BUY BEFORE 02/22 ~ RESERVED TABLES AVAILABLE

### PURCHASE TICKETS AT:

[WWW.OURLADYOFHOPENJ.ORG](http://WWW.OURLADYOFHOPENJ.ORG)  
OR AT THE PARISH OFFICE

### BYOB

SANDWICHES, SET-UPS,  
AND SWEETS INCLUDED

RAFFLE  
BASKETS

50 /50

DOOR PRIZE



[www.ourladyofhopenj.org](http://www.ourladyofhopenj.org)

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## NEWS AND EVENTS

### OUR LADY OF HOPE BIBLE STUDY

**WEDNESDAYS**  
10AM  
CHURCH MEETING ROOM

lead by:  
**Sam Evangelista**



Join us in a relaxed atmosphere of fellowship, study, and prayer.

**BRING YOUR BIBLE OR ONE CAN BE PROVIDED FOR YOU.**

For the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two edged sword, piercing to the division of soul and spirit, of joints and marrow, and discerning the thoughts and intentions of the heart Hebrews 4:12

### Permanent Diaconate Information Session

The Office of the Diaconate is holding a meeting to provide information and answer questions concerning the life and ministry of a permanent deacon. If you, or someone you know, believe that Christ is calling you to serve the Church as a deacon please attend this meeting:

**WHEN:** Tuesday, February 18th 7:00pm - 8:00pm

**WHERE:** The Diaconate Center  
133 N. 3rd St., Hammonton, NJ

**WHO:** Any man ages 30 - 55

Please confirm your attendance by calling the Diaconate Office: (856-583-2858) or emailing: [Linda.decosta@camdendiocese.org](mailto:Linda.decosta@camdendiocese.org).

# DONUT SUNDAY

**WILL RETURN ON MARCH 02ND**



Do you have an interest in planning and hosting fun events? Have fundraiser ideas? Like Social Activities?



**JOIN OUR LADY OF HOPE PARISH'S FUNDRAISER COMMITTEE!**

Contact Anna for more information  
[AScafidi@ourladyofhopenj.org](mailto:AScafidi@ourladyofhopenj.org)

The **PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY** meets every **Thursday from 10 - 11:15am** in the parish center to knit or crochet prayer lap shawls to be taken to the homebound. The group can always use more hands. If you are interested in joining this rewarding ministry, please call the parish office at 856-228-4331.



KNIT. CROCHET. PRAY.

Thanks to Our Lady of Hope Parish, St. Vincent DePaul Ministry and the Youth Ministry, through the Souper Bowl of Caring Collection, we can help tackle hunger in our Parish and Community.



On the weekend of February 8 and 9, Rising Hope and Young Hope teens, families, and friends will be in the Gathering Space after all Masses with pots and pans ready to collect your generous donations!

**BE A GAME CHANGER!**



What if every parishioner watching the game gave \$1 to our collection to feed families in need right here in our community? Imagine what we could do!!

## NEWS AND EVENTS



**STEPHEN  
MINISTRY**

*"Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ." Galatians 6:2*

*If you are experiencing a difficult time in your life and need someone to provide emotional and spiritual support, you are not alone. Our Lady of Hope Stephen Ministers provide Christ-centered care just for you in your time of need.*

**Do you or someone you know need a Stephen Minister? Contact:**

**Patti Infanti 609-471-2153 • Suzanne Carlucci 856-782-7395 • Howard Morell 609-221-0970.**



### FLAMES OF FIRE CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

**Join us every Thursday at 6:30 (Rosary) with Praise and Worship, Prayer, Song, Teaching and Fellowship at Our Lady of Hope Parish Chapel.**

**ALL ARE WELCOME!**



### **RETROUVAILLE: REDISCOVER THE LOVE IN YOUR MARRIAGE**

Tens of thousands of couples have healed their marriages through Retrouvaille (pronounced Retro-vy).

If you know anyone who could benefit from this program, please pass this on. Couples learn to build communication skills and to increase intimacy. It provides help for marriage problems, difficulties or

crises. **The next program begins the weekend of February 14 - 16, 2025 at the Family Life Center in Malvern, PA.**

For more information, or to register, visit [www.HelpOurMarriage.org](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.org) or call 215-766-3944 or 800-470-2230. All inquiries are strictly confidential.

## *Healing* the Wounds of Abortion

The psychological and spiritual wounds of abortion can be sharp, deep, and crippling. You may feel a profound numbness—or not be able to name the pain or recognize any of the symptoms. But you are not alone. Our weekend retreat will help you experience the mercy and compassion of God and discover hope for your future. In a safe, confidential, non-judgmental group environment, you can grieve your loss while understanding and releasing any feelings of anger, shame, or regret you may have. Our retreats also help fathers or grandparents of an aborted child transform pain into hope.

Experience healing and hope.

### **2025 Trenton, NJ, Weekend Retreats**

- March 28 -30
- November 14-16

**For more information, contact  
Judy Warenkiewicz at (732) 536-6871.  
All inquiries are strictly confidential.**



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## DIOCESE OF CAMDEN RETREAT DAY

FOR LECTORS AND EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION



JOIN US FOR A DAY OF REFLECTION, RENEWAL, AND SPIRITUAL GROWTH

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2025**  
8:00 AM - NOON

**OUR LADY OF PEACE PARISH**  
32 CARROLL AVENUE  
WILLIAMSTOWN, NJ 08094

**THE RETREAT WILL INCLUDE:**

- MASS
- ADORATION
- TIME FOR PERSONAL RENEWAL AND REFLECTION

ALL ATTENDEES WILL RECEIVE A RENEWAL OF THE THREE-YEAR DIOCESAN CERTIFICATION



SCAN THE QR CODE TO RSVP

ANN MARIE OURS | [annmarie.ours@camdendiocese.org](mailto:annmarie.ours@camdendiocese.org)  
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT FOR PASTORAL OUTREACH

# YOUTH Our Lady of Hope MINISTRY

**"YOUNG HOPE" & "RISING HOPE"**  
Serving Teens in Grades 5 through 12

**THIS SUNDAY 02/02/25**

**PIZZA &  
PRAYER**



**JOIN US EVERY MONTH  
ON THE  
FIRST SUNDAY**

IN THE MEETING ROOM AFTER THE 6PM MASS

MASS  
**6 PM**  
FOLLOWED BY PIZZA  
& ADORATION UNTIL  
**8<sup>30</sup> PM**

RSVP IS NOT REQUIRED BUT APPRECIATED. PLEASE EMAIL ANY DIETARY RESTRICTIONS BEFORE 6:00PM ON THE DAY OF THE EVENT. THANK YOU!!

DSCAFIDI@OURLADYOFHOPENJ.ORG

**NEXT WEEKEND**

**Sat 02/08 and Sun 02/09**

YOUNG HOPE and RISING HOPE  
volunteers will be ready  
with pots and pans collecting for the



All contributions will be donated to  
**OLOH ST. VINCENT DEPAUL MINISTRY**

We thank you in advance for your generosity.



We would ask that you consider supporting our efforts by donating/lending us an artificial Christmas tree. If you've already packed yours away, be on the lookout for more announcements as Vacation Bible Camp gets closer. Your contribution will help transform our space into a festive wilderness, creating a warm and inviting atmosphere for our campers. Whether it's a small tabletop tree or a grand centerpiece, every little bit helps in making our vision come to life. Thank you for considering our request and helping us make this camp a success! Please contact Diane Scafidi at 856-287-5275 or [dscafidi@ourladyofhopenj.org](mailto:dscafidi@ourladyofhopenj.org).

**VOLUNTEERS:** 18 years of age (no longer in high school) and older must be fingerprinted and VIRTUS-trained. Contact Janice at the Parish Office ASAP for upcoming training dates and fingerprinting information.

*Lent Prep*

Come spend time preparing  
yourself for Lent through  
activities & games.



*February 23*

4:00pm in the  
Parish Center

## FAITH FORMATION

PHONE: (856) 227-0555 • FAX: (856) 227-0743 • E-MAIL: [ReligiousEdOffice@ourladyofhopenj.org](mailto:ReligiousEdOffice@ourladyofhopenj.org)

ABSENCE CALL: (856) 228-4920 • [KYW1060.COM](http://KYW1060.COM) SNOW #: 1147

Mary Jo Dwyer, DRE

Trudy Cranston, Sacrament Coordinator

Cathy Bennett, Secretary

### Faith Formation Fall Calendar:

- 02-03 Faith Formation class: 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm
- 02-04 Penance Retreat for Last Names beginning A-M
- 02-04 Faith Formation class: 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm
- 02-11 Penance Retreat for Last Names N-Z

### Confirmation Meetings:

**Confirmation packets are due in March 2025.** The first meeting is scheduled for March 10, 2025. The second meeting is scheduled for March 17, 2025. You only need to attend one. Your packet is due at one of these meetings. If your packet is incomplete, it will not be accepted. There is a checklist to follow. If you are missing any piece of the paperwork, your packet will not be accepted. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 856-227-0555.

### Baby Shower for Mary:

The Religious Education Department is holding a "Baby Shower for Mary". We have asked all of the children in our classes to bring in items for babies. These items will be donated to the National Life Center in Woodbury, NJ. They are looking for the following items:

**clothing sizes 12 months through 2T,  
baby wipes,  
diapers on the larger size,  
onesies,  
bibs,  
socks,  
shirts, etc.**

All donations are greatly appreciated. There will be a drop off area in the gathering space and in the parish center. If you have questions, or if you would like information on the National Life Center, please feel free to contact Mary Jo, Cathy, or Trudy in the Office of Faith Formation at 856-227-0555.

### Penance Retreats:

Penance Retreats are coming up soon. There are two retreats scheduled for February. These retreats are divided by last names.

The first retreat is on **Tuesday, February 04, 2025** beginning at **6:00pm**. This retreat is for last names beginning **A-M**.

The second retreat is on **Tuesday, February 11, 2025** beginning at **6:00pm**. This retreat is for the last names beginning **N-Z**.

If there is a circumstance preventing you from attending your retreat, you must call the office and make other arrangements. If you have questions, please feel free to contact the Office of Faith Formation at 856-227-0555.

### Penance and Reconciliation:

All children making the First Holy Communion are required to attend First Penance on Tuesday, February 25, 2025 beginning at 6:00pm. If there is a circumstance preventing you from attending your retreat, you must call the office and make other arrangements. If you have questions, please feel free to contact the Office of Faith Formation at 856-227-0555.



### Communion 2025:

If your child is due to make their First Holy Communion and you have not received any emails regarding your next steps, it is because you have not turned in the required paperwork. If you have questions, please feel free to contact the Office of Faith Formation at 856-227-0555.

# Ministerio Regional Hispano Iglesia Católica San Judas

402 S. Black Horse Pike Blackwood NJ 08012  
Tel. (856) 228-1571 Ext. 101 Fax (856) 232-5649

## La Presentación del Señor Domingo 2 de febrero, 2025

**Horario de Misas:**  
Sábado: 6 PM  
Domingo: 9:30 AM

**Horario de Oficina:**  
Lunes a Viernes 9AM a 4PM  
Cerrado de 12 a 1pm para almuerzo

### CAMBIO DE HORARIO DE OFICINA

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### NUEVO BOLETÍN

Para Febrero la Iglesia tendrá su propio boletín en donde conocerá a los empleados y lo que hacen, mensaje de los sacerdotes, anuncios y ministerios de la Iglesia.

### VIRTUS: PROTEGIENDO A LOS NIÑOS DE DIOS

Todos los voluntarios que tienen contacto regular con menores deben completar un curso de Virtus cada 5 años para la prevención del abuso infantil.

Llame a la oficina al 856-228-1571 ext. 103 para obtener más información y registrarse para estos cursos.

### EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA

Padres de Primera Comunión y Confrimación. Por favor estén pendientes a sus calendarios con las fechas de retiros. Requisito asistir antes de hacer el sacramento.

-Aun se necesita que traigan los formularios de padrinos de Confrimación a la oficina.

-Aun se necesita que pasen por la oficina para entregar la cuota de Primera Comunión y Confrimación.

Para más información se pueden comunicar con la señora Carmen Rodríguez de lunes a miércoles de 9am a 3pm al número de la oficina que aparece arriba de esta página.

### Fechas importantes para los jóvenes de confirmación:

**Confesiones**—Sábado 8 de febrero a las 10am

**Retiro**—Domingo 23 de febrero de 1-5pm padres y padrinos es requerido asistir.

### VELA DEL SANTUARIO

Si usted desea ofrecer la vela del Santuario en nombre de un ser querido, por favor pase por la oficina. La donación es de \$10.00. La vela del Santuario dura una semana, de sábado a viernes.

### DENUNCIA EL ABUSO SEXUAL

Un número telefónico gratuito e independiente ha sido establecido por la Diócesis de Camden para ayudar a las personas a denunciar casos de abusos sexuales por sacerdotes, diáconos, religiosos, empleados y /o voluntarios. Las llamadas son manejadas por un trabajador social clínico licenciado. De acuerdo a la ley del estado, los abusos de menores son reportados a la División de Protección de la Infancia y la Permanencia y a la policía. Para más información o para obtener servicios de consejería y apoyo, llame al 1(800) 964-6588.

### Reflexión Espiritual

**En preparación del domingo, 09 de febrero, 2024**

**Primera Lectura:** ISAÍAS 6: 1-2a. 3-8.

**Segunda Lectura:** CORINTIOS 15: 1-11.

**Evangelio:** LUCAS 5: 1-11.

### Durante la semana

#### **Domingo febrero 02, 2024**

8:30am: Rosario—Iglesia

9:30am: Misa

#### **Lunes febrero 03, 2024**

7:00pm: Práctica de coro—Iglesia

#### **Martes febrero 04, 2024**

6:00pm: Educación Religiosa

#### **Miércoles febrero 05, 2024**

#### **Jueves febrero 06, 2024**

7:00pm: IMEC—Capilla

#### **Viernes febrero 07, 2024**

6:00pm: Grupo de Jóvenes

#### **Sábado febrero 08, 2024**

4:00pm: Legión de María—Capilla

6:00pm: Misa

7:00pm: Grupo de Oración Jesús El Buen Pastor—Iglesia

#### **Domingo febrero 09, 2024**

8:30am: Rosario—Iglesia

9:30am: Misa

### CLASE PRE BAPTISMAL

Próxima clase pre bautismal será el sábado 8 de febrero. *No puede entrar a la clase sin antes haber llenado la aplicación de bautizo en la oficina.*

### REQUISITOS PARA BAPTIZAR

-Llenar la forma de Bautizo en la oficina.

-Copia del Certificado de Nacimiento del niño(a).

-Copia de certificado de Confrimación de los padrinos.

-\$50 en el día que complete la Forma de Bautizo

-Nombres correctos de la madrina y/o padrino.

-La familia debe de estar registrada en la Iglesia o obtener carta de la parroquia el cual está registrada.

-Padres y padrinos deben de asistir a la clase pre bautismal antes de bautizar.

-Padres y padrinos deben de atender a 3 Misas consecutivas antes de bautizar.

Habrá un libro en la entrada de la Iglesia en la Misa de los sábados y domingos para que usted pueda confirmar su asistencia.

Para mas información por favor llame o pase por la oficina.

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