

Sunday, March 14 **Fourth Sunday of Lent**

John 3:14-21

God so loved the world, he sent us his only Son so that all who believed would have eternal life in him. The light came into the world, but those who were wicked avoided it, for fear that their evil deeds would be exposed. But those who believed were unafraid of the light, where it would be clear that their deeds were done in God.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, March 13

8:30am Angelica Rosado by Santos Family
5:00pm James O'Malley by Ray & Leslie Akers

Sunday, March 14 - Fourth Sunday of Lent

7:30am Craig Forsman by his Parents
9:30am All the Living & Deceased Members of the Parish
John C. Stetser by Colette Olavarria & Bruce Goodman
Anna K. Braccia by Lor Farina
Mark Lance Beckett by Bob & Rita Hale
Marion Tierno by Agnes M. Wilson
11:30am Madeline Fucci by Fred & Maureen Weitz
5:00pm Dorothy Honan by Mr. & Mrs. Lance High

Monday, March 15

7:00am Aunt Bernie Brennan
8:30am Jackie Gillespie by Lisa Nardello

Tuesday, March 16

7:00am Lou Mozer by Candace & Dianne Kane
8:30am Rose Guzzo by Family

Wednesday, March 17 – St. Patrick

7:00am Ann Marie Cesare by Daughter
8:30am Ann Kenville

Thursday, March 18 – St. Cyril of Jerusalem

7:00am Joseph & Pauline Guzzo by Family
8:30am Joseph LaPalomato by Carol Leonette & Family

Friday, March 19 – St. Joseph

7:00am For the Unemployed
8:30am Jane Vankat by Klopsic Family

Saturday, March 20

8:30am Pauline Guzzo by Anna & Jim Singer
5:00pm Richard Hess by wife Mary

Sunday, March 21 - Fifth Sunday of Lent

7:30am Bob Curley by wife Flo
9:30am John Worthington by Children
11:30am Daniel Trotter by Knights of Columbus #6364
Joseph & Bernadette Lumpkin by Fran & Joanne West
Lou Mozer by Rita & Bob Hale
Marilyn Ayscue by Rose Quigley
All Living & Deceased Members of the Parish
5:00pm Scott Harper by Reggie & Julie Santos

Daily Readings for the Week

Monday, March 15	Is 65:17-21; Jn 4:43-54
Tuesday, March 16	Ez 47:1-9, 12; Jn 5:1-16
Wednesday, March 17	Is 49:8-15; Jn 5:17-30
Thursday, March 18	Ex 32:7-14; Jn 5:31-47
Friday, March 19	2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22; Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a
Saturday, March 20	Jer 11:18-20; Jn 7:40-53
Sunday, March 21	Jer 31:31-34; Heb 5:7-9; Jn 12:20-33

*“Mercy impels us to roll up our sleeves and set about restoring dignity to millions of people; they are our brothers and sisters who, with us, are called to build a ‘city which is reliable’
[Encyclical Letter Lumen Fidei, 50].”*

— Pope Francis

Reflection: What is your typical reaction to being asked to reach out to someone whom society typically considers less deserving of respect?

When was the last time you rolled up your sleeves to make a positive, physical difference in your neighborhood?
How are you contributing to making your local parish and civic communities places that treat people with dignity?

To everything there is a season and a time for every purpose under heaven.

Ecclesiastes 3:1

“...a time to be born...”

Quinn Avery Lukens
Rose Juliette McCarthy

“...a time to be married...”

“...a time to welcome...”

Muscarella Family, Caruso Family, Kelly Family

...a time to be healed...”

Dolores Alba, Arabella, Kevin Andreas, Baby Jaxon, Baby Olivia, John Bachman, Joyce Bailey, Francis & June Barbone, Anthony Battista, Chase Bell, Lucille Buffington, Erin Briggs, Grace Brokenshire, Courtney Burlew, Toni Carroll, Louis Castagna, Michele Copeland, Marie Corcoran, Louise Cori, Bernadette Couwels, Jerrolyn Covely, George Crew Jr., Fred Cristaudo, Debbie Dodds, Ann Marie Donofrio, Beth Donofrio, Thomas Dougherty, William Dove, Maria Doyle, William Eisemann, Linda Ferrano, Francis Fray, Sara Fronheiser, John Furfari, Sr., Janet Galasso, Mary Galetto, Paul Gatta, Toni Gayzik, Irene Giordano, Ron Grabowski, Cass Grant, Diane Gubbei, Bob Hale, Rachel Hall, Edward Halscheid, Jesse Hartnett, Kathy Heisinger, Mike Hink, Natalie Houwen, Logan Hutson, Kenneth Johnston, Fr. Bill Kelly, Charles Kramer, Carol Krass, Jerome Krefski, Ida Lenoci, Tony Leo, Helen Leonhardt, Nina Lopes, Joe Lumpkin, Jeff Lyons, Anita Martin, Jace Mayer, Susan Mazza, Hannah McStay, Eleanor Melfi, Cathy Noakes, Danielle P, Steve Palestini, Don Pappernek, Lee Peters, Joann Piermatteo, John Poloney, Helen Powell, Margaret Preisler, Gianna Quinton, Mylie Quinton, Janet Rainier, Marlene Reid, Joan Reilly, Mary Reilly, Frank Riedl, Luis Rivera, Mary Ellen Rizzo, Stacey Rodemar, Audrey Sadlowski, Vincent Salvatore, Faith Schwartz, Jason Shipman, Bill & Louis Simonini, John Sirolli, Alfina Smith, Frank Smith, Chris Stalker, Jason Tallarida, William Taylor, John Tombleson, Barbara Traum, Margaret Valentine, Rosemarie Villari, Darlene & John Voll, Donna Walker, William Walsh, Kathleen Reese Walzer, Fr. John Ward, John Werner, Jean Wiebalk, Saylor Wilgus, Nancy Taylor-Williams, Danny Woerner, Gary Woods, Theresa Woods, Joan Woolbert, Lori Wotypka, Lois Wunsch, Maria Wzykowski, Catherine Zabrodski, Francesco Zarzycki, their caregivers, all afflicted with Covid and all others in need of our prayers.

“...a time to die...”

JoAnn Bisti
Concetta Vinci



STEWARDS GIVE BACK

“For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son...”

- JOHN 3:16

Of all the wonderful gifts that God has given to us, the gift of His own Son is truly the greatest. How can we ever thank God for a gift like that? God does not ask us to sacrifice our own precious firstborn, but He does ask that we are grateful and generous with our God-given gifts. That we nurture and develop our gifts, and in gratitude, generously give back in **Stewardship** -with increase- our time in prayer, our talent in charitable works, and our treasure to support the mission and ministry of our parish and greater Church.

Online Giving and Offertory

February 25 through March 3, 2021 - \$17,955.97

March 4 through March 10 - \$18,203.96

STEPHEN MINISTRY CORNER

Feeling Down?

Our Stephen Ministry can help. Stephen Ministers aren't just there for “big” crises. They're also available for the little ones, because many times the little things can really add up. So, don't wait until you have a really big crisis; consider Stephen Ministry if the little things have you feeling down. To find out more about our Stephen Ministry or to request a Stephen Minister, call 856-468-5536.

CARING FOR OTHERS DURING COVID?

The pandemic has changed our lives tremendously, and for some of us, it's been overwhelming. Do you have the gifts of being a good listener, empathy, encouragement and compassion? If so, we'd love to have you join our Stephen Ministry.

A training class will start in the Spring of 2021, and both the training and eventual meetings with care receivers will be conducted in an appropriately safe and health conscious manner for all. Please let us know if you'd like to help! Call 856 341-0778 and leave your name and number, and we'll be in touch!

LITURGY CORNER

Every Eucharistic Prayer concludes with the Doxology and the Great Amen. In this solemn, powerful moment, the presider holds aloft Jesus himself, truly present in the Eucharistic species, and proclaims:

*Through him, and with him, and in him,
O God, almighty Father,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
all glory and honor is yours,
for ever and ever.*

In response to this Trinitarian prayer of perfect praise, we are instructed in the *Roman Missal*, “The people acclaim: Amen.” The verb *acclaim* indicates what sort of response we are to make in this moment. We are to declare “Amen” with every fiber of our being, to affirm that, yes, we are offering ourselves to the Father in union with Christ through the power of the Spirit.

In order to give the Doxology the solemnity it demands, and in order to allow the people to acclaim their “Amen” with their full dignity and attention, this liturgical moment is usually sung. Musically gifted presiders may learn and sing the chant in the *Roman Missal*; those less comfortable in their singing abilities may still sing the Doxology *recto tono* (on the same pitch throughout), and then the people may reply with either the Amen from a familiar Mass setting, or they may simply sing the simple chant Amen, which consists of exactly two adjacent notes. Singing the Doxology and Amen will imbue this part of the liturgy with greater beauty and dignity, fulfilling the end of liturgical music itself by “making prayer more pleasing, promoting unity of minds, [and] conferring greater dignity on the sacred rites” ([Sacrosanctum Concilium](#), §112).

Indeed, as Pope Benedict XVI reminds us: “Wherever people praise God, words alone do not suffice” (*A New Song for the Lord*, 111). In the face of so great a love—a love that gives unto the end, a love that continues to pour itself out for us by remaining with us always, a love that draws us into the very communion of divine life—how can we respond any other way than by singing out our “Amen”?

INCARNATION PRIME TIMERS

The Incarnation Prime Timers – Senior Ministry are meeting every other week on Tuesdays for Bingo. The next Bingo gathering will be on Tuesday, March 23 at 10:00 AM. The space is set up for social distancing and all attendees must wear a mask. For more information, please contact Flo Curley at 215-432-4479.

Like us on Facebook – Incarnation, Mantua



"REDISCOVERING OUR CATHOLIC FAITH"

Mary, Mother of Mercy Parish is holding a Lenten Parish Mission every evening at 7:00 PM from March 15-18 at Our Lady of Lourdes Church, 500 Greentree Road, Glassboro. Fr. Anthony Manuppella, KHS will preach on “Rediscovering our Faith”. The Mission will also be livestreamed on Facebook at 'Mary, Mother of Mercy Parish' for those who cannot attend in person. A priest will be available for Confession after the Mission each night. For more information 856-881-0909.

LIVING AS MISSIONARY DISCIPLES

“For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life.” (John 3:16)

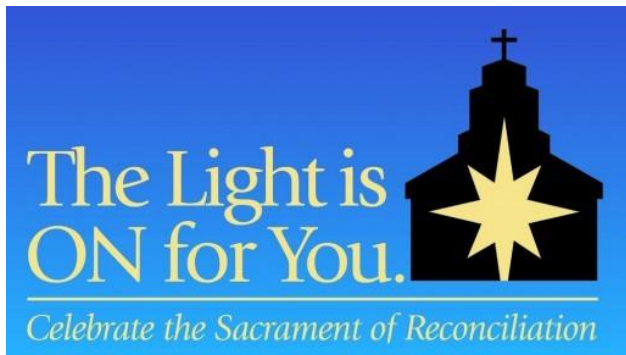
Eternal life, then, is the primary purpose of Jesus’ mission; it means being drawn into the revealing love of God and united to the Lord now and forever. Eternal life, then, doesn’t begin at our death; rather, it begins when we “believe” in Jesus’ revelation on the Cross. It is important to note that the words “faith” or “belief” never appear as nouns in John’s Gospel. Instead, the terms faith or belief only appear as verbs. That’s because John wants us to know an active and dynamic immersion in the life of grace. To “believe” doesn’t mean that we simply memorize a creed; it means that we are active participants in the life and love of God.

Think about it: John’s understanding of “eternal life” is that it begins now through our active participation in God’s life and love. How does his understanding inspire you?

HOLY HOUR FOR FR. GORMLEY

The Seven Sisters Apostolate – www.sevensistersapostolate.org - is a call to strengthen the Church by ensuring that Holy Hour is prayed each day of the week for the intentions of a specific priest. Any women interested in praying a weekly Holy Hour for the intentions of Fr. Gormley please contact Geraldine Wilgus at dontcallmejeri@yahoo.com or 908-246-4934.

Visit us at www.incarnation-church.org



THE LIGHT IS ON FOR YOU

Confession isn't just for the huge sins – it's for the small acts of spiritual neglect that lead you away from God. The grace of Reconciliation helps you discover who you were born to be.

On all Wednesdays throughout March, confessions will be heard at church from 6:30 PM to 7:30 PM. This is in addition to Saturday morning confessions which are heard from 10:30 AM to 11:30 AM.

WE NEED YOU!

PREP – Our Parish Religious Education Program - is seeking catechists for Summer 2021 classes. Classes will be held virtually using Zoom. Training and materials will be provided. Please visit our new webpage to learn more about being a catechist <https://www.incarnation-church.org/101> or call the PREP office: (856) 468-7566, Ext. 108.



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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIP

Incarnation Knights of Columbus Council 6364 is offering \$500 scholarships again this year. The scholarships will be for eighth grade students going into a Catholic High School and High School seniors going into a two or four-year accredited college. Applications are available on the Knights of Columbus link on the church web site (Ministries/Knights of Columbus/Scholarship Application 2021) or email Karl at karlt02@comcast.net. A letter explaining the application process will accompany the application. If you are interested, don't delay. Applications, a letter of recommendation from a teacher or counselor, an essay and a certification from one of our parish priests must be submitted no later than Friday, March 26. If you have any questions you can call Karl Tomaszewski at 468-7671 or by email at the above address.

Good luck to everyone.

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

In re The Diocese of Camden, New Jersey
Case No. 20-21257 (JNP)

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT on October 1, 2020, The Diocese of Camden, New Jersey, (the "Diocese") filed for protection under Chapter 11 of Title 11 of the United States Code.

The Bankruptcy Court has established June 30, 2021 at 11:59 p.m. (prevailing Eastern time) as the deadline to file proofs of claim against the Diocese (the "Bar Date").

If you have a claim against the Diocese including, without limitation, a claim related to sexual abuse committed by any person connected with the Diocese, you must file a claim on or before the Bar Date with Prime Clerk, the appointed Claims Agent.

Please visit

<https://cases.primeclerk.com/camdendiocese> or call 877-465-8420 (Toll-Free) or 347-817-4096 (Local) for more information on how to file your proof of claim.

IF YOU DO NOT TIMELY FILE A PROOF OF CLAIM, YOU MAY FORFEIT YOUR RIGHT TO VOTE ON ANY PLAN OF REORGANIZATION AND TO SHARE IN ANY DISTRIBUTIONS TO CREDITORS IN CONNECTION WITH THE DIOCESE'S CHAPTER 11 CASE.

DIOCESE OF CAMDEN

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

BY SAINT ALPHONSUS LIGUORI

MY JESUS,

I BELIEVE YOU ARE PRESENT IN THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT.

I LOVE YOU ABOVE ALL THINGS AND I DESIRE TO RECEIVE YOU INTO MY SOUL.

SINCE I CANNOT NOW RECEIVE YOU SACRAMENTALLY,

COME AT LEAST SPIRITUALLY INTO MY HEART.

I EMBRACE YOU AS IF YOU WERE ALREADY THERE, AND UNITE MYSELF WHOLLY TO YOU.

NEVER PERMIT ME TO BE SEPARATED FROM YOU.

AMEN.



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SUNDAY
MARCH 21
2021

For resources & more details, please visit:



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Catholic Charities
Diocese of Camden



DIOCESE OF CAMDEN

WHAT WE'RE COLLECTING:

NON EXPIRED FOOD ONLY; Aim for 'no salt added,' 'low-sodium,' and 'whole grain' options!

- Canned Spaghetti Sauce
- Dried Pasta and Rice
- Canned Fruit and fruit cups
- Peanut Butter and Jelly
- Canned and Hearty Soups
- Cooking broths
- Dried Mashed Potato and Stuffing mixes
- Canned Beans
- Dried herbs and spices
- Cooking oils and vinegars
- Nutritious snacks (nuts, granola bars)
- Jello and pudding



March 21 will be the collection day for the FaithFULL Food Drive this year, but to avoid large gatherings, there will be NO major drop-off at Catholic Charities centers or food banks this year on March 21. Instead, parishes are encouraged to keep the food at the parish for their own food ministries AND/OR donate the food to Catholic Charities by calling to arrange an individual pick-up or drop-off appointment after the collection on March 21.