

PALM SUNDAY

OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD



Hosanna!

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!



Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish

GALLOWAY, NEW JERSEY

Parish Staff

REV. GERARD MARABLE.....Pastor
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RICHARD SOOY..... Maintenance Supervisor

Mass Schedule

ASSUMPTION CHURCH

146 S. Pitney Road • Galloway, NJ 08205

SATURDAY EVENING4:00 pm

SUNDAY10:15 am & 1:00 pm (*Creole*)

HOLY DAYS as announced in the bulletin

WEEKDAYS (Monday - Friday)8:00 am

ST. NICHOLAS CHURCH

525 St. Louis Avenue • Egg Harbor, NJ 08215

SUNDAY8:30 am (*English*)

10:30 am (*Spanish*)

HOLY DAYS as announced in the bulletin

WEEKDAYS (Monday & Wednesday)7:00 am

SPANISH MASS (Tuesdays)6:30 pm

Religious Education

PHONE.....609-652-0008 ext. 208

FAX.....609-652-0883

EMAIL.....religioused@OLPHparish-nj.org

Sacraments

BAPTISMS: Arrangements must be made through the parish office.

CONFESSIONS: Saturdays, 3:15 pm (*Assumption Church*); Sundays, 8:00 am (*St. Nicholas Church*)

MATRIMONY: Arrangements must be made one year in advance. Please call the parish office to make an appointment with one of our parish priests.

Parish Office

146 S. Pitney Road, Bldg. 1 • Galloway, NJ 08205

PHONE.....609-652-0008

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HOURS

Monday - Thursday 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Friday..... 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

WEBSITE.....www.OLPHparish-nj.org

FACEBOOK.....www.facebook.com/olphgalloway

Assumption Regional Catholic School

146 S. Pitney Road • Galloway, NJ 08205

JOANNE MCKNIGHT.....Principal

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OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP PARISH

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord
APRIL 13, 2025



Mission Statement

Empower us, oh Holy Spirit, that Our Lady of Perpetual Help be a parish family that embraces the call to holiness in order to know, love and serve Jesus Christ.

As a culturally diverse Catholic community filled with the Holy Spirit, we commit ourselves to proclaiming the Gospel and to reigniting God's Light and Love with each person.

Strengthened by sacramental worship and prayer, let us embody compassionate outreach in our ministry and teaching, that our discipleship may emulate the Blessed Mother in her humility, fortitude and faithful service as we join the mission of Christ to transform Atlantic City.

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY April 12th, 2025

4:00PM (A) **Jim Mahieu/**Anna Marie Mahieu

SUNDAY April 13th, 2025

8:30 AM (SN) **Brenda Russo/** George & Elaine Frick
Diane Huie/ Diane Cacioppo

Elizabeth Oliver/ Laurel Marchesini

10:15 AM (A) **Kimberly Sutton/**Patricia Sutton, Doreen
McNeill & Family

10:30 AM (SN)

1:00PM (A)

MONDAY April 14th, 2025

7:00 AM (SN) People of the Parish

8:00 AM (A) **Roberta Stepp/**Charlie

TUESDAY April 15th, 2025

8:00 AM (A) **S.I. Joseph & Vanessa Carlomusto**

6:30 PM (SN) **No Mass**

WEDNESDAY April 16th, 2025

7:00 AM (SN)

9:00 AM (A) **In loving memory of Chi Fu Chan/**Fred Chan
& Selino Sato

THURSDAY April 17th, 2025 *Mass of the Lord's Supper*

7:00 PM (SN) **All priests living and deceased**

FRIDAY April 18th, 2025

3:00 PM (A) **Sacred Liturgy of the Lord's Passion**

2:00 PM (SN) **Way of the Cross**

3:00 PM (SN) **Sacred Liturgy of the Lord's Passion**

SATURDAY April 19th, 2025

8:00PM (A) **Paul Thomas DeCicco/**Carole Ann & John Babiak

SUNDAY April 20th, 2025

8:30 AM (SN) **Barbara Boakes/** George & Elaine Frick

Paul Rundio/ Sophia & Katrina Foglia

John Reese/ Valerie Frick

10:15 AM (A) **S.I. Patrick Eigbe/** Family

10:30 AM (SN)

1:00PM (A)



Sanctuary Candle

Week of April 13th, 2025

(A) **Charles Maguire/**Family

(SN) **Friends and loved ones/** Dottie

Adoration

at Assumption Church.

Volunteers are needed from **8am -1pm** on Wednesdays. Please call the parish office if you are interested in volunteering.

609-652-0008 x202



Collections

GIVING UPDATE

April 6th, 2025

1st Collection: \$ 8,761.00

2nd Collection: \$1,290.00

E-giving: \$1,235.00

Pastor's Reflection

"Crucify Him, Crucify Him!" The people preferred Bar Abbas to Jesus and Peter in fear denied he knew him. Lesson 20 - "Be as courageous as you can." Timony Snyder writes, "If none of us is prepared to die for freedom, then all of us will die under tyranny." Benjamin Franklin wrote: "**Those who would give up essential Liberty, to purchase a little temporary safety, deserve neither Liberty nor safety.**"

Jesus shows us the way. He gave his body, person, and soul for our freedom. Peter and the other men were afraid; they left him. The Way of the Truth is to give your life, not to take lives. There is a time to hide. And there is a time to bear witness in blood, or in finance, or in naked truthfulness as Dietrich Bonhoeffer demonstrated in 1940's Germany. He wrote:

"Jesus Christ lived in the midst of his enemies. At the end all his disciples deserted him. On the Cross he was utterly alone, surrounded by evildoers and mockers. For this cause he had come, to bring peace to the enemies of God. So the Christian, too, belongs not in the seclusion of a cloistered life but in the thick of foes. There is his commission, his work. 'The kingdom is to be in the midst of your enemies. And he who will not suffer this does not want to be of the Kingdom of Christ; he wants to be among friends, to sit among roses and lilies, not with the bad people but the devout people. O you blasphemers and betrayers of Christ! If Christ had done what you are doing who would ever have been spared' (Luther)."

— **Dietrich Bonhoeffer, Life Together: The Classic Exploration of Christian Community**

Holy Week is a celebration and empowerment for us latter day disciples of Jesus. May we be as courageous as we can be in the power flowing from the resurrection of Jesus Christ.

Fr. Gerard

Living Stewardship

"...I tell you, Peter, before the cock crows this day, you will deny three times that you know me." (LUKE 22:34)

How many times have you heard someone make a disparaging comment about God or our Catholic faith? How did you react? Do you remain quiet so as not to cause disturbance? Or, because you don't want people to think negatively about you? Or, because you don't think you know enough about the Catholic faith? Pray for the courage to speak up in Stewardship and enter into a respectful conversation when the opportunity to talk about our faith arises. Joyfully share your faith with others.

Want to be joyous, peaceful, and happy? Join

Ladies in Prayer!

Meetings will be on Thursday evenings at 6:30 PM in the narthex of the church.

Please contact **Carmela 609-214-9993**

Morning prayer group also available. Please contact **Mary 609-703-0733**

Pray For Our Sick

Please remember in your prayers all those members of our parish family and our friends who continuously suffer physically, emotionally and/or spiritually and those who tirelessly care for them.

Sandra Peace	Jim Peace
Mary Colache	Gregory Wood
Donna Litwin	Ted Laguna
Gina Monfredo	Peg Garbarino
Debbie DuRoss	Nicholetta Franchetta
Brian Berchtold	Edward Fronczkiewicz
Mirna Ramos	Lorraine Roesch
Mary McConnaughey	Sr. Rosemarie Kolmer OSF
Nadine Valek	Sonny Valek
Noelia Hernandez	Raymond Malonado
Cassie Warrener	Gail & Norbert Eystenstein
Ramone Hernandez	Bob Luke
Carol Ann Babiak	Ruthann Schwinn
Duane Danish	Mario Musumeci
Maritsa Torres	Cristobal Melendez
Howard H. Berchtold Jr.	Karen Seaman
Maria Ward	

The Knights of Columbus



Our Parish representatives are
 Bob Senese -Phone 609-705-3908
 Email KofC6342@gmail.com
 Rich Brown – Phone 609-412-4925
 Email dmanehc@hotmail.com

If you wish to join the Knights of Columbus, go to www.kofc.org/joinus or call our representatives listed above.



KofC
 Knights of Columbus
Good Friday

Fish Dinner

Friday April 18

Msgr Coyne Hall 4:00-7:00

Featuring

Baked Filet of Cod
 Macaroni Salad
 Applesauce
 Roll w/ Butter
 Ice Cream Sandwich

Adults \$12 Children <10 \$6

Help Us - Help Others

OLPH Parish Calendar – Activities

(SN – St Nicholas) (A – Assumption)

MONDAY

- (A) Haitian Prayer Group 10am – 11am
- (A) Planning Ministry 2nd Monday of the month- 7pm

TUESDAY

- (A) Faith Formation Classes 6pm-7:15pm
- (A) Men’s Emmaus 7pm – 8pm
- (SN) Confessions (Spanish & English) 5:30pm
- (SN) Mass in Spanish 6:30pm – 7:30pm
- (SN) Exercise Class 7:00pm- 8:00pm

WEDNESDAY

- (A) Adoration 8am-1pm
- (A/SN) Choir & Instrumentalists 6:30pm – 8:30pm
- (A) Haitian Bible Study 6pm – 7pm
- (A) OLPH Prayer Group 7pm-8:30pm

THURSDAY

- (SN) Hispanic Community Choir 6pm – 7pm
- (A) SVDP Open Food Pantry 12:30pm – 1:30pm
- (A) Young Adult Bible Study 6pm-8pm
- (A) Ladies in Prayer 11am
- (B) Ladies in Prayer 6:30pm
- (SN) SVDP Open Food Pantry 3:30pm-4:30pm
- (SN) Exercise Class 7:00pm- 8:00pm

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

- (A) Haitian Community Choir 10am – 11am
- (A) Haitian Youth Choir 11am-12pm

MONTHLY

- (SN) Altar and Rosary Society 2nd Thursday of Month 11am
- (A/SN) Baptisms on the 3rd and 4th Sunday of the month
- (A) Baptism Class 2nd Monday 7pm – 8pm
- (A) Rosary 1st Friday of Month 7pm – 8pm
- (SN) K of C #3500 1st Monday 7pm – 8pm
- (A) K of C #6342 1st Tuesday 7pm – 8pm
- (SN) Couples Ministry Last Friday of every month 7pm (Restaurants Vary)
- (A) Planning Ministry 2nd Monday of the month - 7pm
- (SN) Adoration 1st Tuesday of the Month at 5:30pm
- (A) Hospitality Meeting 2nd Tuesday of the Month at 1:30pm

Lent Reflections

Meditation: God freely chooses to be emptied of the power and control that is unique to divinity in order to become vulnerable and in common with all people. Where are the areas in my life where I am being invited to let go, to empty myself so I may enter into a deeper relationship with others?

Prayer: God of humility, you entered the messiness of our broken world and experienced life as we do. Help me see myself and others as you do and guide me on the path toward solidarity and communion.

SJ Catholic Ministries Appeal Campaign Prayer & Pledge + Updates

The 2025 South Jersey Catholic Ministries Appeal has kicked off. The theme this year is **"Our Journey United in Hope"**. Our Goal is \$106,400.

Heavenly Father,

From the depths of your riches, you gave us your Son. In the Eucharist, we have our spiritual sustenance and our focus. Sustain us, guide us, and bless us as we carry out our work, always mindful of our purpose. For from him and through him and for him are all things. To him be glory forever. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord, Who with you and your Holy Spirit lives and reigns One God forever and ever. Amen

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

will be available

ASSUMPTION CHURCH:

Friday April 4th and 11th
6:30pm to 7:30pm
Every Saturday 3:15pm

ST. NICHOLAS CHURCH:

Wednesday, April 16th
6:30 to 7:30pm (during the Tenebrae service)
Every Sunday at 8:00AM
Every Tuesday at 5:30pm



Tenebrae ("shadows" or "darkness") is a Holy Week service that is at least 1,000 years old and is a quiet prelude to Easter Day which helps us identify with the darkness and loss felt by Jesus' followers as they experienced his death.

Please join us for a bilingual Tenebrae Service on Wednesday, April 16, at 7 PM at St. Nicholas Church.

Lent Schedule

Stations of the Cross

Fridays-7:00pm-Assumption
Tuesday -5:30-Saint Nicholas
ARCS Living Stations-April 15-1pm
(all are invited)



Confessions

Weekly-Saturdays-3:15pm-Assumption
Weekly-Sundays-8:00am-St. Nicholas
Weekly-Tuesdays-5:30pm-St. Nicholas **(Spanish/English)**

Holy Week

Palm Sunday-April 13

Masses: Saturday Vigil 4:00pm-Assumption
Sunday 8:30 AM-St. Nicholas
10:30 am-St. Nicholas **(in Spanish)**
10:15 am-Assumption
1:00 pm-Assumption **(in Creole)**

Wednesday-April 16

Tenebrae Service-Bilingual-7:00pm
St. Nicholas Church

Holy Thursday-April 17th

Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7:00 pm-St. Nicholas Church
Eucharistic Adoration follows until 10:00 pm

Good Friday-April 18th

1:30 pm -Way of the Cross-Saint Nicholas Church
3:00 pm Service-Saint Nicholas Church **(in Spanish)**
and
3:00 pm Service-Assumption Church

The Great Vigil of Easter-Saturday, April 19th

Mass at 8:00 pm-Assumption Church

Easter Sunday-April 20th

8:30 AM-St. Nicholas
10:30 am-St. Nicholas **(in Spanish)**
10:15 am-Assumption
1:00 pm-Assumption **(in Creole)**





**Christ the King Roman
Catholic Church
200 Windsor Ave.
Haddonfield, NJ 08033**

Remembering the Innocent Ministry

invites those who have suffered the loss of a child in utero, infancy, or early childhood to attend a **Mass of Remembrance & Healing** to honor Heaven's Innocent.

Mass to be celebrated by
Fr. Chris Bakey.

On Monday, April 28, 2025 at 7:00pm.

All members of the family and friends affected by this loss are welcome to attend.

Fellowship and refreshments to follow.

Please scan the QR code to fill out the form of attendance.

St. Gianna, the patron saint of mothers and unborn children, is credited with these profound words:
"You cannot love without suffering and you cannot suffer without love"



For any questions feel free to reach us at:
religiouseducation@ctkhaddonfield.org
856-429-1600



*OLPH Walking with
Moms in Need Ministry*

May our merciful Lord calm the fears of all expectant mothers, fill them with His peace, and provide for every need.



Scan QR Code to Join Catholics across the country in praying the St. Gianna Novena together from April 19-27!



To join this Parish Ministry contact Sue Decker -SDkr65@aol.com



St. Mary's Altar and Rosary Society will be selling Palm Crosses after each mass on the weekends of **April 5th and 6th** and **April 12th and 13th**.

The cost is \$12.00 each. Any questions or pre-orders call **Pat Schwarzenbach 609-965-6498**.

A few palm crosses will be available at the Church Office.



HELP WANTED!

The interior of St. Nicholas Church will be decorated for Easter on Saturday, April 19th starting at 10:00 AM. No experience needed, just the spirit of assistance to celebrate Easter.



ARE YOU PREPARED?

The Galloway Township Office of Emergency Management be holding a presentation on

Community Disaster Preparedness

Thursday, May 8, 2025,
at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish
146 S. Pitney Road, Galloway.
The presentation will be held at
10 AM and again at 7 PM.

Topics will include natural and man-made disasters which could affect our community and how you can prepare your family and work with your neighbors to face these challenges.

This event is open to anyone in Galloway and surrounding communities.



Faith Can Move Mountains

Come join us for a faith filled day of prayer, speakers, healing service, and blessing of spiritual objects.

SATURDAY, APRIL 26TH
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish

Registration begins at 8:30 AM and concludes with 4:00 Mass. Cost is \$25.00. All checks can be made payable to OLPH Parish

Water and coffee will be provided.
You may pack a lunch.

For more information contact
Peg Garbarino 609-277-7011



Join us for an enriching and reflective series exploring the theme **Hope in the Time of the Apocalypse**. Through guided meditations, prayer, and scripture, we will deepen our understanding of faith in challenging times.

Series Details:

- **Dates:** Wednesdays, April 2 – June 11
- **Sessions:** Morning (11:45 AM – 1:15 PM) or Evening (6:30 PM – 8:00 PM)
- **Locations:**
 - Morning Sessions: Assumption Church Narthex
 - Evening Sessions: Office Meeting Room
- **Materials:** Please purchase the two meditations by the Holy Father:
 - *Faith is Journey* – Amazon (\$9.95)
 - *A Light in the Night* – Amazon (\$9.95)
- **What to Bring:** Your Bible or Bible app, and a heart open to reflection and discussion.
- **Registration:** A \$10.00 participation fee is required. Please submit payment and indicate your preferred session (morning or evening) to the church office.

Come grow in faith, find hope, and engage in meaningful conversations. We look forward to sharing this journey with you!

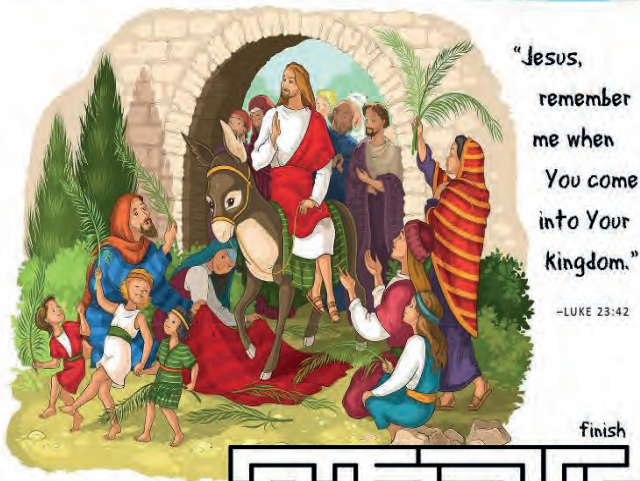
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Gospel Today
Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord | Luke 22:14–23:56

The Passion narrative ends Jesus' earthly public ministry. Creating the Eucharist at the Last Supper and continuing until His death, He is always faithful and obedient to the will of God, His Father.

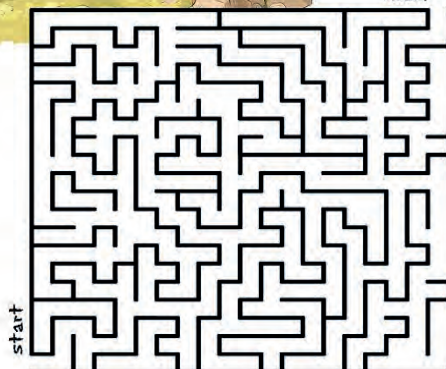
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This last week in Lent, walk in Jesus' footsteps through Holy Week and be obedient to God as we:

FOLLOW OUR FAITH for 40 DAYS



Follow Jesus through Jerusalem as He is welcomed with palm branches.

El Sacramento de la Reconciliación estará disponible

IGLESIA DE LA ASUNCIÓN:

Viernes 4 y 11 de abril
18:30 a 19:30

Todos los sábados a las 15:15 horas

IGLESIA DE SAN NICOLÁS:

Miércoles 16 de abril
18:30 a 19:30 horas (durante el servicio de Tenebrae)
Todos los domingos a las 8:00 a.m.
Todos los martes a las 17:30 h



¡SE BUSCA AYUDA!

El interior de la Iglesia de San Nicolás estará decorado para la Pascua el sábado 19 de abril a partir de las 10:00 a.m. No se necesita experiencia, solo el espíritu de ayuda para celebrar la Pascua.

Reflexiones de Cuaresma

Meditación: Dios elige libremente ser vaciado del poder y el control que es exclusivo de la divinidad para volverse vulnerable y en común con todas las personas. ¿Dónde están las áreas de mi vida en las que se me invita a soltar, a vaciarme para poder entrar en una relación más profunda con los demás?

Oración: Dios de humildad, entraste en el desorden de nuestro mundo roto y experimentaste la vida como lo hacemos nosotros.

a mí mismo y a los demás como tú lo haces y me guías en el camino hacia la solidaridad y la comunión.



Tenebrae ("sombras" u "oscuridad") es un servicio de Semana Santa que tiene al menos 1.000 años de antigüedad y es un preludio tranquilo del día de Pascua que nos ayuda a identificarnos con la oscuridad y la pérdida que sintieron los seguidores de Jesús al experimentar su muerte.

Únase a nosotros para un servicio bilingüe de Tenebrae el miércoles 16 de abril a las 7 p.m. en la Iglesia de San Nicolás.



La Misa Crismal anual se llevará a cabo el **martes 15 de abril de 2025 a las 3:30 p.m**

en la Parroquia Nuestra Señora de la Esperanza, Iglesia de Santa Inés, Blackwood, Nueva Jersey.

¡Todos son bienvenidos a asistir a la Misa!

Horario de Cuaresma

Vía Crucis

Viernes-7:00pm-Asunción

Martes -5:30-San Nicolás

Estaciones Vivas ARCS-15 de abril-1pm

(todos están invitados)



Confesiones

Semanal-Sábados-3:15pm-Asunción

Semanal-Domingos-8:00am-St. Nicholas

Semanal-Martes-5:30pm-St. Nicholas **(Español/Inglés)**

Semana Santa

Domingo de Ramos-13 de abril

Misas: Vigilia del sábado 4:00pm-Asunción

Domingo 8:30 AM-St. Nicholas

10:30 am-St. Nicolás **(en español)**

10:15 am-Asunción

1:00 pm-Asunción **(en criollo)**

Miércoles-16 de abril

Servicio Tenebrae-Bilingüe-7:00pm

Iglesia de San Nicolás

Jueves Santo-17 de abril

Misa de la Cena del Señor a las 7:00 pm-St. Iglesia de Nicolás

La Adoración Eucarística sigue hasta las 10:00 pm

Viernes Santo-18 de abril

13:30 h -Vía Crucis-Iglesia de San Nicolás

3:00 pm Servicio-Iglesia de San Nicolás

y

3:00 pm Servicio-Iglesia de la Asunción

Vigilia Pascual-Sábado 19 de abril

Misa a las 8:00 pm-Iglesia de la Asunción

Domingo de Pascua-20 de abril

8:30 AM-St. Nicholas

10:30 am-St. Nicolás **(en español)**

10:15 am-Asunción

1:00 pm-Asunción **(en criollo)**



La Sociedad del Altar y Rosario de Santa María venderá Cruces de Palma después de cada misa los fines de semana del **5 y 6 de abril** y el **12 y 13 de abril**.

El costo es de \$12.00 cada uno. Cualquier pregunta o pedido anticipado llame a **Pat Schwarzenbach al 609-965-6498**.

Algunas cruces de palma estarán disponibles en la Oficina de la Iglesia.



ARE YOU PREPARED?

La Oficina de Manejo de Emergencias del Municipio de Galloway llevará a cabo una presentación sobre

Preparación Comunitaria para Desastres

Jueves, 8 de mayo de 2025,
en la Parroquia de Nuestra Señora del Perpetuo Socorro
146 S. Pitney Road, Galloway.

La presentación se realizará a las 10 de la mañana y nuevamente a las 7 de la noche.

Los temas incluirán desastres naturales y provocados por el hombre que podrían afectar a nuestra comunidad y cómo puede preparar a su familia y trabajar con sus vecinos para enfrentar estos desafíos.

Este evento está abierto a cualquier persona en Galloway y las comunidades circundantes.



La fe puede mover montañas

Únase a nosotros para un día lleno de fe de oración, oradores, servicio de sanación y bendición de objetos espirituales.

SÁBADO 26 DE ABRIL

Parroquia de Nuestra Señora del Perpetuo Socorro

La inscripción comienza a las 8:30 a.m. y concluye con la misa de las 4:00 a.m. El costo es de \$25.00. Todos los cheques pueden ser pagaderos a OLPH Parish

Se proporcionará agua y café. Puede empacar un almuerzo.

Para obtener más información, comuníquese con Peg Garbarino al 609-277-7011



Acompáñanos en una serie enriquecedora y reflexiva que explora el tema **Esperanza en el tiempo del Apocalipsis**. A través de meditaciones guiadas, oraciones y las Escrituras, profundizaremos nuestra comprensión de la fe en tiempos difíciles.

Detalles de la serie:

1. **Fechas:** miércoles 2 de abril – 11 de junio
2. **Sesiones:** Mañana (11:45 AM – 1:15 PM) o Tarde (6:30 PM – 8:00 PM)
3. **Ubicaciones:**
 1. Sesiones matutinas: Nártex de la Iglesia de la Asunción
 2. Sesiones vespertinas: Sala de reuniones de la oficina
4. **Materiales:** **Por** favor, compre las dos meditaciones del Santo Padre:
 1. *La fe es un viaje* - Amazon (\$ 9.95)
 2. *Una luz en la noche* - Amazon (\$ 9.95)
5. **Qué llevar:** Tu Biblia o aplicación de la Biblia, y un corazón abierto a la reflexión y la discusión.
6. **Inscripción:** Se requiere una cuota de participación de \$10.00. Por favor, envíe el pago e indique su sesión preferida (mañana o tarde) a la oficina de la iglesia.

Ven a crecer en la fe, encuentra esperanza y participa en conversaciones significativas. ¡Esperamos poder compartir este viaje con usted!

Para obtener más información, comuníquese con la oficina de la iglesia.

Los Caballeros de Colón

Nuestros representantes parroquiales son:

Bob Senness-Teléfono 609-705-3908

Correo electrónico KofC6342@gmail.com

Rich Brown – Teléfono 609-412-4925



Correo electrónico dmanehc@hotmail.com

Si desea unirse a Caballeros de Colón, visite www.kofc.org/joinus o llame a nuestros representantes mencionados anteriormente.

Anuncios Para La Comunidad Hispana - Spanish Community News

NOTICIAS IMPORTANTES:

Rectoría: (609) 652-0008

Sitio Web www.olphparish-nj.org

-Favor de hacer cheques a nombre de "Our Lady of Perpetual Help" o simplemente: OLPH.



1. ATENCIÓN: Todas las intenciones de misa serán aceptadas por una ofrenda mínima de \$15.00 por cada tarjeta. Las tarjetas se pueden echar en la colecta con la información y dinero. Escribir "Mass Card – Misa Hispana" afuera del sobre con la descripción del evento y nombre de la persona. Recuerden hacer todos los **cheques a nombre de OLPH**. Para más información llamen a la rectoría: 652-0008

2. LECTORES Y MINISTROS EXTRAORDINARIOS: NO SE OLVIDEN de avisar con anticipación a Yolanda cuando no pueden servir y por favor verifiquen el horario que está colocado en la parte de atrás o llévense una copia. ¡Es bien importante que todos tengamos comunicación!

3. Misa todos los martes a las 6:30pm. Confesiones en español antes y después de la misa durante el año.

4. Todo aquel que quiera estar en la red de "WhatsApp", comuníquese con Yolanda. Otra forma de comunicación que mantiene la comunidad Latina unida es nuestra página de Facebook: www.facebook.com/pg/Our-Lady-of-Perpetual-Help-Parish-140292636038728

5. GRUPO DE JÓVENES: El grupo de jóvenes, les hace un llamado a todo aquel joven que esté interesado en unirse al grupo, favor de ver a Claudia o a Deisly después de misa los domingos. El grupo se reúne todos los domingos a las 9 am en la Rectoría. Los jóvenes asisten a la misa de las 10:30 am en español y son responsables de muchas de las actividades en nuestra parroquia.

6. BAUTIZOS- Los bautizos se celebran el **tercer y cuarto domingo** del mes. Favor de ver a Denise Chávez para obtener la aplicación y a Ángela Botero para asistir las clases para los padres y padrinos. Los padres tienen que estar registrados en nuestra parroquia y presentar copia del Acta de Nacimiento del niño/a. Los padrinos si no están registrados en nuestra parroquia tienen que proveer el permiso de la parroquia en donde están registrados para poder bautizar.

7. MISA PARA LAS QUINCEAÑERAS - Los padres deben estar registrados y ser miembros activos de la parroquia. La quinceañera debe haber recibido todos los sacramentos incluyendo la Confirmación o estar asistiendo a la clase para los sacramentos. Las misas para las quinceañeras se llevan a cabo todos los sábados a la 1:00 pm. Los padres deben solicitar la misa en la iglesia con un mínimo de 6 meses de anticipación a la fecha de la celebración. Esto asegurará la disponibilidad de la iglesia y la programación de la clase para los jóvenes. Las clases están programadas solamente en enero y junio. Donación: \$75 clase, \$250 iglesia. *La donación para la reservación de la iglesia se entrega cuando se pide la fecha, y para la clase un mes antes de la clase. La donación para la clase incluye a todos los participantes y cubre los gastos de la preparación del programa. Para más información vean a Kathy García después de misa.

8. MINISTERIO DE PAREJAS tiene como misión el evangelizar, consolidar, fortalecer y restaurar la relación de las parejas de la iglesia como acto fundamental para el sano crecimiento espiritual y para su íntegro desarrollo como hijos de Dios. El grupo se reúne para una Noche de Cita el último viernes de todos los meses, a las 7pm en diferentes restaurantes. Favor de hablar con Hilda o Hugo Llerena después de misa para más información.

9. Exposición y Adoración Eucarística el primer martes de todos los meses a las 5:30pm. La exposición eucarística ayuda a reconocer en ella la maravillosa presencia de Cristo o invita a la unión más íntima con él, que adquiere su culmen en la comunión Sacramental.

¿QUÉ ES EL AYUNO CATOLICO? El ayuno en la iglesia católica, es la oración de intersección más poderosa que tenemos. Cuando ayunamos, presentamos a Dios nuestras peticiones e intención mediante una oración. Durante la Cuaresma los invitamos a participar en un **Ayuno Comunitario** todos los sábados durante la Cuaresma empezando a las 7 pm y concluyendo al final de la misa dominical de las 10:30am. A las 9 am los domingos nos reuniremos en oración, alabanza meditando sobre la palabra bíblica. Para más información por favor vean a Eugenio Martínez después de misa.

Clases bíblicas los miércoles a las 7pm. Por favor de ver a Sergio, Luz, o Eugenio después de misa si quiere que le llevemos una clase bíblica a su casa o si quiere asistir una de las clases. No se puede publicar la lista de nombre y direcciones es por eso que debe hablar con uno de ellos

Reflexión del Pastor

"¡Crucificalo, crucificalo!" La gente prefería a Bar Abbas antes que a Jesús, y Pedro, temeroso, negó haberlo conocido. Lección 20 - "Sé tan valiente como puedas". Timony Snyder escribe: "Si ninguno de nosotros está dispuesto a morir por la libertad, entonces todos moriremos bajo la tiranía". Benjamin Franklin escribió: "**Aquellos que renunciarían a la libertad esencial para comprar un poco de seguridad temporal, no merecen ni libertad ni seguridad**".

Jesús nos muestra el camino. Él dio su cuerpo, su persona y su alma por nuestra libertad. Pedro y los otros hombres tenían miedo; Lo dejaron. El Camino de la Verdad es dar la vida, no quitarla. Hay un tiempo para esconderse. Y hay un tiempo para dar testimonio con sangre, o con finanzas, o con la verdad desnuda, como lo demostró Dietrich Bonhoeffer en la Alemania de 1940. Escribió:

"Jesucristo vivió en medio de sus enemigos. Al final, todos sus discípulos lo abandonaron. En la cruz estaba completamente solo, rodeado de malhechores y burladores. Por esta causa había venido para traer paz a los enemigos de Dios. De modo que el cristiano tampoco pertenece a la reclusión de una vida enclaustrada, sino al grueso de los enemigos. Ahí está su encargo, su obra. "El reino estará en medio de tus enemigos. Y el que no quiere sufrir esto no quiere ser del Reino de Cristo; Quiere estar entre amigos, sentarse entre rosas y lirios, no con la gente mala, sino con la gente devota. ¡Oh blasfemos y traidores de Cristo! Si Cristo hubiera hecho lo que ustedes están haciendo, ¿quién se habría salvado?"(Lutero)".

— **Dietrich Bonhoeffer, La vida en común: la exploración clásica de la comunidad cristiana**

La Semana Santa es una celebración y empoderamiento para nosotros, los discípulos de Jesús de los últimos días. Ruego que seamos tan valientes como podamos en el poder que fluye de la resurrección de Jesucristo.

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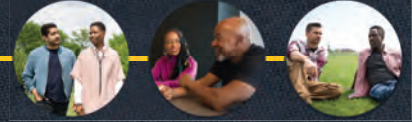
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