

# St. Joachim Parish

601 West Browning Road, Bellmawr, NJ 08031

April 13, 2025

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday  
8:00AM- 4PM  
Friday: 8:00AM- 2:00PM

## CONTACT

Phone: (856) 931-6307  
Fax: (856) 931-0155

## RELIGIOUS ED.

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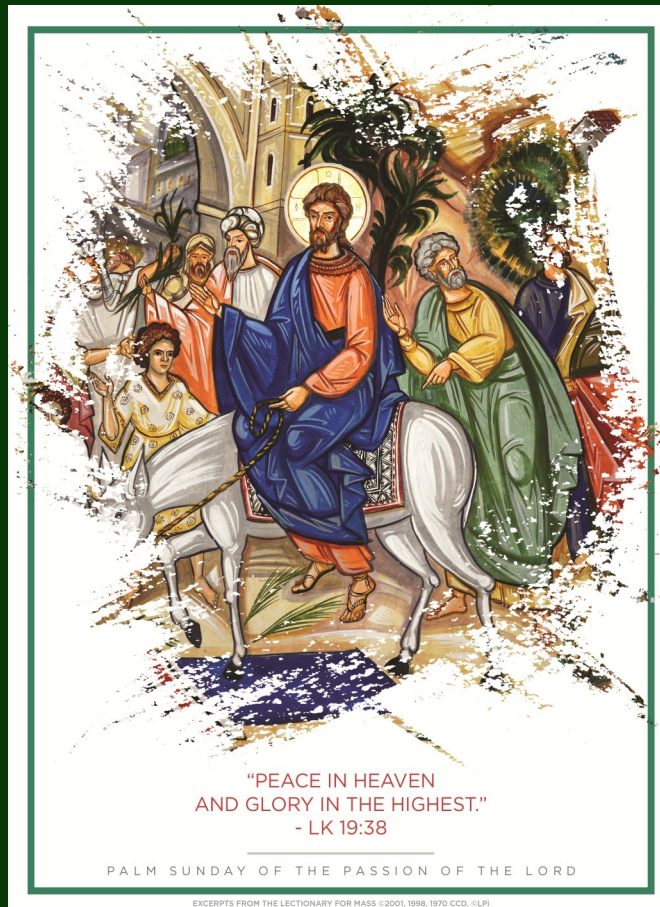
Phone: 856-931-8590

## R.E. OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday, Wednesday &  
Thursday 9PM to 1PM

Youtube:

St. Joachim Parish



## WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil 4 PM  
Sunday 8 & 10 AM  
Español: 12:00 PM

WEEKDAY MASSES  
Mon., Tues., Weds., Fri:  
7:30AM

## HOLY DAY SCHEDULE

Vigil Mass: 7 PM  
Holy Day: 7 PM

## FACEBOOK:

St. Joachim Parish/  
Annunciation

## PARISH STAFF

Reverend Allen Lovell.....Administrator  
Reverend Bernard Gannon.....Retired Priest  
Reverend Dalton Reyes.....Spanish Ministry  
Reverend Kenneth Hallahan.....Retired Priest  
Deacon Gerard DeMuro, .....RET Permanent Deacon  
Deacon Thomas E. Jennings.....Permanent Deacon  
Mrs. Theresa Rucci.....Parish Financial  
Magali Rodriguez.....Director of Religious Education  
Bonnie Connors.....Parish Secretary

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Religious Ed. Email: [StJoachimRE@Stjoachimparishnj.org](mailto:StJoachimRE@Stjoachimparishnj.org)

## WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH!

If you are new to St. Joachim Parish, you are encouraged to register as a parishioner. You may register in person in our office, on our Parish Website, or find a registration form on the tables in the rear of the church aisles.

## SACRAMENTS

### Reconciliation:

Every Saturday at 3:00PM

### Baptisms:

Must be registered in the church for more details please call the parish office at 856-931-6307.

### Marriage:

Arrangements must be made one year in advance. Please contact Deacon Tom at 856-261-8015 or by email [ctjennings@verizon.net](mailto:ctjennings@verizon.net)

### Anointing of the Sick:

Please notify the Parish Office for arrangements.

### **POLICY FOR CERTIFICATES OF ELIGIBILITY**

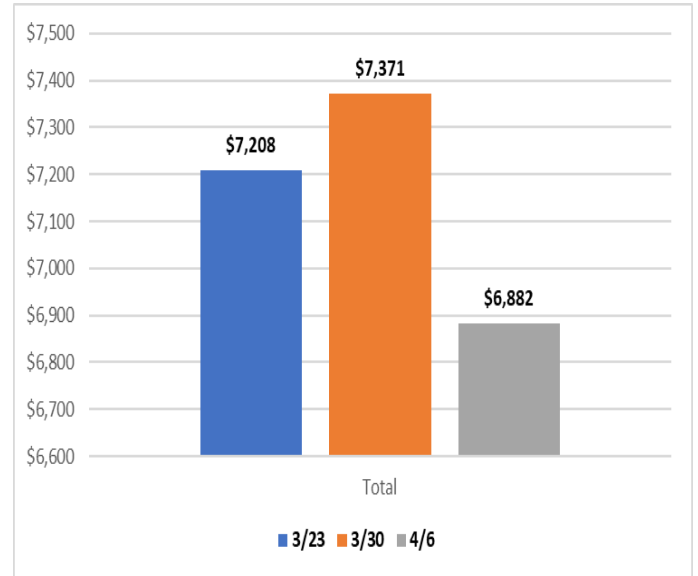
In order to receive a certificate, **YOU** (the sponsor) must be a practicing Catholic, have all your sacraments, attend Mass regularly and registered in the parish. If married, you must be married in the church to receive a certificate of eligibility.

## REPORT SEXUAL ABUSE

An independent, toll-free number has been established by the Diocese of Camden to help callers report cases of sexual abuse by priests, deacons, religious, employees and/or volunteers. Calls are handled by a licensed clinical social worker. In accord with state law, cases of child sexual abuse are reported to the N.J. Division of Child Protection and Permanency and law enforcement.

For information or to inquire about counseling and support services, call **1-800-964-6588**

## OFFERING



Spanish Collection : \$1,460

## UP COMING COLLECTIONS

### April 18, 2025:

Holy Land Collection (Good Friday)

### April 27, 2025:

Catholic Home Missions Appeal

### June 1, 2025:

Catholic Communications Campaign

## SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

The next St. Vincent de Paul Meeting will be Thursday, April 10th at 7PM in the Parish Hall.

For help please call 856-534-1907

## RECENTLY DECEASED

*James Givines*  
*Richard Huysie*  
*Dorothy B. Curran*  
*Thomas J. Fink*  
*Kathleen R. Barrett*  
*Adee M. Polito*

## COUNCIL MEETINGS

**Pastoral Council: April 24th**  
**Liturgy Committee: TBD**  
**Parish Finance Council: May 12th**

## GRIEF MINISTRY



**Grief Ministry is available to help if you are suffering from a loss.**  
**Call 856-931-6307**



# Palm Sunday

DOMINGO DE RAMOS ©LPI

## Mass Schedule

Date		Time	Requested for	Requested by
Saturday	04/12/25	4:00 PM	† Thomas E. & Regina A. McParland (Easter Remembrance) † Theodore B. Smith III (Easter Remembrance) † Paul Sheehan † Jack Thompson † Eileen Miller † Sister Paul Mercedis † Karen Allen † Gelsomina & Stephano Narcisi	Jeannie McParland Jeannie McParland The Lasanta Family Ken & Jane Murray Rose O'Rourke Rose O'Rourke Debbie Angelastro The Ezekiel Family
Sunday	04/13/25	8:00 AM	† Kathy Andrioli † Theresa "Sis" Donnelly † Erin Grettner (Birthday Remembrance) † Joseph Barney † Gennaro T. DiPascale † William Schultz, Sr. † Ronald Vinick	Tony Her Loving Family Her Loving Family The Conaghan Family John & Coleen Masciarelli Mike & Rosie Reader Howard Friedman & Creative Print Group
		10:00AM	● All Saint Joachim Parish Parishioners	
Monday	04/14/25	7:30 AM	● No Intention	
Tuesday	04/15/25	7:30 AM	● All Saint Joachim Dearly Departed	
Wednesday	04/16/25	7:30 AM	† Michael Sauter (Birthday Remembrance) † Charles J. Sauter Jr. (31st Anniversary)	Loving Mom & Family Loving Wife & Family
Thursday	04/17/25	7:00 PM	● All Saint Joachim Parish Parishioners	
Friday	04/18/25	12:00 PM	<i>Live Spanish Stations of The Cross</i>	<i>In Parking Lot</i>
		3:00 PM	● <i>Good Friday Service</i>	<i>In Church</i>
Saturday	04/19/25	8:00 PM	● All Saint Joachim Parish Parishioners	
Sunday	04/20/25	8:00 AM	● All Saint Joachim Parish Parishioners	
		10:00AM	● All Saint Joachim Parish Parishioners	

**The Sanctuary Lamp is lit this week for:**

***Dolores Garcia***

**Requested By:**  
***Her Loving Family***



**PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN/WOMEN**

**Please pray for those defending our country and serving across the nation & worldwide.**

*If you know of any parishioners who are currently active in any branch of the Military, please contact the Parish office and we will publish the names of our service men and women.*

**Steven J. Hine, William J. Krause, Jr, USN, Daniel Murry, USMC, Jesse Sooy, USAF, Michael Stutchman, ACU Michael Aloji, USMC**

## PRAY FOR THE SICK

HELP US KEEP LIST UP TO DATE:  
PLEASE CALL TO TAKE SOMEONE OFF IF THEY ARE BETTER OR HAVE PASSED.

Michael Racobaldo	JoAnn Bibik,	Drew Koenig	Karen Ortiz	Josephine Rich
Tara Berg,	Thomas Foster,	John Filsider,	Jonathan Robb,	Nicole Ward
Danielle Peters	Stephen Lesniowski,	Jordan Kaley,	Joseph Bibik,	Marie Lucca
Lorraine Broderick	B.T. Dunn,	Kathleen Gieson-Cotter,	Donna DeForrest	Joe Lucca
Baby Maeve Fields,	Barbara Klink,	Kathy Sutton,	Kristien Degailier	Lou Caporaletti
Bill Collins,	Michael Kasuska	Linda Dippner,	Jacob & Jaxson Rivera	Sharon Bloom
Billy McCord,	Brenda Carr,	Lori Racobaldo,	Cindy Meehan	Lorraine DeMuro
Cassidy Lovett,	Eugene Kozlowski	Mandy Orsino,	Kathy Seppimi	Julie Chang
Cathy Dastick,	Colin Dougherty	Marion Bibik,	Marie Salerno	Gary Pewdo
Charles Budwin,	Rose Marie Black,	Marissa Rocco,	Grace Gibert	Evelyn Racoblado
Charlie Chiumento	Colleen Scioli,	Francis D'Alonzo	Sam Racobaldo	Sally Cardenas
Meg Conway	Clifford Orem	Tony Cipolone	Tom Suski	Kathy Racoblado
Joan McIntyre,	Jack Mongulla	Ron Chiumento	Rita Seppimi	Joyce Severa
Gary Hawkins,	Gregg Imielinski,	Jennifer Cook	Alejandra Mendez Ramos	Joyce Jones
Helen & Norman Wilkins,	Robert Smizer,	Jack Raymer	Shannon Staino	Barbara Sauter
Jack Misinkavitch,	Jackie Githens,	Debbie Veste	Dan Crilly	
Jackie Logan,	Marie Mackey	William Hess,	Eileen Abbruzzese	
James Marley,	Joseph Petrongolo	Rita Simon	Catherine Costigas	
James Wall III,	Theresa Suski	Regina Doullart,	Grace Hamilton-Gilbert	
James Dippner,	Rachel Zanghi	Rachel Baker,	Jim Hamilton	
Salvy Colangelo,	Phil Ferrara,	Paul V. Gornowski,	Wendy Judd	

## STEWARDSHIP



Jesus warns us in the Gospel of Matthew, "If anyone wishes to come after me, he must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me." It is an invitation to a way of life, and a plan that leads to holiness. But make no mistake, it is a warning as well. The cross is a sign of victory, but only in light of the Resurrection. Alone, it is a symbol of ultimate sacrifice: the sacrifice of Jesus Christ for a fallen world, and the sacrifice we are called to make to truly follow him. The power of this symbol has been diminished in popular culture. It is often used in fashion and simple wall art and on bumper stickers and T-shirts, sometimes with Christian clichés and sometimes not. But the cross is something so much more. It is a reminder of the pain, suffering, and death of one who loved us so much that he would give his very life for us. It is our God on that cross. It is God who cries out in despair, feeling the ultimate depth of human emotion. And there lies the key for us in trying to live this life of carrying our crosses.

For those who suffer the death of a loved one, the Father lost his Son. For those who suffer the ravages of disease, his body was broken, beaten, and pierced. For those who feel they have no way out - whether due to prisons that are physical or prisons that are of the mind - he hung on a cross and cried out, "Why?" For those who feel alone and abandoned, he hung on a tree where no one could comfort him, not even his own mother. He has walked in all our shoes, and now we are called to walk in his. In the cross, we find solidarity with the human condition. In an empty tomb, we find our hope.

—Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

## PRACTICING CATHOLIC

I have a complicated relationship with evangelization.

I don't think that we (I'm talking about 21st-century American Catholics here) have had much formation around what exactly it means to proclaim the Gospel. We don't know how to do it. We don't really *want* to do it. It sounds kind of scary and awkward. It sounds like knocking on strangers' doors and yelling through the keyhole, "Have you accepted Christ as your Lord and Savior?" It sounds like arguing with friends and family. It sounds like a real pain. I'm Catholic. I'm proud of being Catholic. I do my Catholic things in my Catholic house throughout my Catholic life. But is that enough? All Christians are called to "wordless witness" in how they live their lives, writes Paul VI in the apostolic exhortation *Evangelii Nuntiandi* — but this alone, he says, is "insufficient." We must talk about Jesus. We must name him. We must speak of his life, his promises. We must *proclaim* him. We must be loud enough that a Pharisee would cringe at us. And yet — and Paul VI acknowledges this — it's not actually evangelization if we do it so badly that nobody listens. If we "impose" truth on someone's conscience instead of "proposing" it. If we make the mistake of thinking there is one singular way to share Christ with the great variety of personalities that exist in this world. Dear reader, I am running out of column space, and still I have no answers for you, or for myself. I don't know how to do it well. But I know we have to try. We have to pray. We have to reflect. We have to be patient. We have to be humble. We have to remember it's about him and not about us.

Most of all, when we find ourselves confused and retreating into silence, we must remember Christ's words: "If they keep silent, the stones will cry out."

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## EUCCHARIST SERVICE



### *Eucharist Service for Homebound Parishioners*

If you know of any parishioner who is unable to attend Mass regularly and would like to have the Eucharist brought to them at their home, please contact the parish office @ **856.931.6307** to make the arrangements.

## SOUTH JERSEY CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL



### South Jersey Catholic Ministries Appeal

This Year's theme: *"Our Journey United in Hope,"* reflects the theme of the Jubilee Year, *"Pilgrims of Hope"*. It calls us to walk together, bringing hope to others. Through the Catholic Ministries Appeal, we support those in need throughout the six counties of the Diocese of Camden.

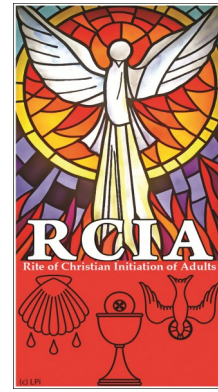
The South Jersey Catholic Ministries Appeal is underway. St. Joachim Parish goal for the campaign is \$93,100.00. To date we have raised \$19,298.00 dollars (20.7%) towards the parish goal. I encourage you to prayerfully consider making a donation and return your gift form at your earliest convenience to the parish office or place in the collection basket. If by check, please make **Check payable to "SOUTH JERSEY CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL" or "SJCMA"**.

If by credit card, I would appreciate it if you would include your phone number with the pledge just in case we need additional information.

The diocese appeal letters have all been mailed. Pledge cards are located by the bulletin board near the doors in the rear of the church. Kindly take one and complete it if needed. If you prefer to donate online, please visit the South Jersey Catholic Ministries Appeal page on the Diocesan website.

Please check the parish bulletin for information and updates relating to our parish donations. If you have any questions, you can contact the parish office or parish chairperson, Jim Prawdzik, at 856-397-1130.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



Please Join us Easter Vigil as our Catechumens receive all their sacraments in this very special mass.

**Saturday, April 19, 2025 at 8PM**

Each year on Holy Saturday during the Easter Vigil, thousands are baptized into the Catholic Church in the United States.

If you are not able to make it to mass, please keep them our Catechumens and our other candidates receiving their sacraments in your prayers

### CATECHUMENS

Paul Ostrom  
Shelby Ostrom  
Liam Ostrom  
Jessica Bury  
Marelin S. Sandoval Navas

### CONFIRMATION & FIRST COMMUNION

Francisco Lopez  
Marvin A. Alvarez  
Emigdio N. Palma  
Fabian Garcia

### Prayer for Catechumens

Good and gracious God, giver of all that is good, we bring before you today our brothers and sisters who are preparing to receive the Sacraments of Initiation. St. Paul says to the Romans, "The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart..." Keep safe these Catechumens who long for your saving sacraments. Perfect them and make them worthy to be called your sons and daughters. We pray also for ourselves and ask for the same gifts that you freely give to them. Make us all worthy to call you our Father. We ask all this in Jesus' name, who is our savior and our brother. **-Amen.**

## EASTER TRIDUUM SCHEDULE



### HOLY THURSDAY

*April 17<sup>th</sup>, The Lord's Supper*  
Repository Visit & Adoration until 10PM  
7PM- English Mass in Church  
7PM- Spanish Mass in Parish Hall

### GOOD FRIDAY

*April 18<sup>th</sup>, Celebration of the Lord's Passion*  
12PM- Spanish Live Stations at Annunciation Parking Lot  
3PM- Service (In English)  
2PM- in Spanish (Parish Hall)

### HOLY SATURDAY

*April 19<sup>th</sup>, Solemn Vigil of Our Lord's Resurrection*  
8PM- English

### EASTER SUNDAY

*April 20<sup>th</sup>, Our Lord's Resurrection*  
8AM and 10AM Mass  
12Noon Spanish Mass

## UP COMING EVENTS

### PALM CROSS SALE BY KOC #3485

April 12 & 13, 2025 after all weekend Masses

### PALM SUNDAY BREAKFAST

Sunday, April 13, 2025

### CARNIVAL WEEK

May 5th– May 10th

### HAPPY HOUR SOCIAL/BASKET AUCTION

Friday, June 27, 2025

### DESIGNER BAG BINGO

Friday, November 21, 2025

## EVENTS IN OUR PARISH

### IMPORTANT REMINDER

We would like to remind our Parishioners when you mail your collection envelopes that you do not use cash, make all checks and money orders out to St. Joachim Parish.

### PALM SUNDAY BREAKFAST

St. Joachim Parish annual Palm Sunday is Sunday, April 13, 2025 in our Parish Hall! Tickets will be available this weekend after all masses and in the parish office. Donation is \$7 for adults and \$3 for kids. (Take out available)

### EASTER EGG HUNT!


Knights of Columbus, St. Jude Council 12092 will be sponsoring our Annual Easter Egg Hunt on Easter Sunday April 20th, immediately following the 10AM Mass. All children 10 and under are welcome.

### FIRST HOAGIE SALE OF THE SEASON!

Knights of Columbus, St. Jude Council 12092 will be selling hoagies in the Parish parking lot on Saturday, April 26th, 2025 from 9AM till sold-out. Get yours while they last! Follow us on Instagram @ KofC12092



## EVENTS IN OUR DIOCESE



**CHRISM MASS**  
WITH BISHOP JOSEPH WILLIAMS  
OUR LADY OF HOPE PARISH | SAINT AGNES CHURCH | BLACKWOOD

TUESDAY  
APRIL 15  
3:30 PM

IN-PERSON  
AND  
LIVESTREAM



43 Years and still going!!!!

**43rd Annual Outdoor Stations of the Cross**  
Good Friday, April 18, 2025 8 - 9 p.m.  
Christ the Redeemer Catholic Parish (Ballfield)  
Ecumenical Service Sponsor by the Atco Ministerium

On Good Friday (Ballfield), and if weather conditions not good (Church Hall) 307 Carl Hasselhan Drive, Atco

Come and join us as we tell The Passion of Jesus Christ! From the moment Jesus enters the town of Jerusalem on Palm Sunday and Ends when Jesus is crucified on Good Friday and Laid in a Tomb!

Come Out and be a witness to The Passion Play that is a Ecumenical Service Sponsor by the Atco Ministerium!!!! Beautiful Set Pieces! Live Cast and Crew!! Please Bring Lawn Chairs.

### CCHS 7TH GRADE VISIT DAY

This half-day experience is an opportunity for 7th grade students to walk in the shoes of a high school student at Camden Catholic Cherry Hill on **April 30 from 9AM 12:30PM**. The day includes a tour, classroom visits, prep for the HSPT, have lunch, and discuss the process for applying to Camden Catholic during your 8th grade year .

### CCHS SPRING OPEN HOUSE & HSPT REVIEW

This event is geared towards 6th and 7th grade families who are beginning to consider your high school options. We will walk you through the high school admissions process, including timeline, and offer a session on how best to prepare for the HSPT, **Thursday, May 8 at 7PM**. We will also share how CCHS is a step ahead in terms of dual credit and college partnership opportunities!

## EVENTS IN OUR DIOCESE

# Charity Golf Event

## 2nd Annual

### St. Vincent De Paul Society (Incarnation Parish)

**Wedgewood Country Club**  
Turnersville, NJ

**THURSDAY, APRIL 24, 2025**

Shotgun Start 12pm Cost: \$165 a golfer (\$660 a foursome)  
Includes: Golf, cart, hot dog, and dinner after the event

**Prizes & Contests:**  
50/50 putting contest, closest to the pin, longest drive, and lowest group score

**Please reach out to any of the following for more details on the event.**

**Frank Colonna:**  
Fcolonna8@aol.com

**Bob Kramer:**  
Bob.Kramer@foxroach.com

**Kevin Duffy:**  
Kevin.c.duffy@gmail.com



**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.



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



Join us for the Dawn of the Sainthood of Our Beloved Carlo Acutis!

### ST. CARLO ACUTIS CANONIZATION SIMULCAST & CELEBRATION

*Under the Stars*

**APRIL 27th, 2025 | 3:00 AM - 6:30 AM**

On the Lawn | St. Carlo Acutis Shrine | Malvern Retreat House

LIVE Sunday Mass at 3:30 am  
Canonization Ceremony Broadcast  
LIVE from Rome 4:30 am

**Our Host:**  
Fr. Michael Hertlihey OFM, Cap  
Vocation Director  
Capuchin Franciscans  
Province of St. Augustine

**Free Will Offering**  
Bring your own Snacks

Visit the beautiful Archdiocesan Shrine.

Venerate the 1st Class Relic of St. Carlo Acutis.

Receive the Jubilee Year of Hope Indulgence.

**LIVE Music!**

Video Messages from the Philadelphia Team in Rome.

View the Canonization Live together with Friends & Family!

**Joyfully celebrate** Saint Carlo Acutis in the First Moments of his Canonization!

