# Parish of Saint Michael the Archangel

#### PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

"To bear witness to God the Father, to follow the teachings of Jesus Christ, and to be guided by the Holy Spirit."

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Clayton/Franklinville, NJ

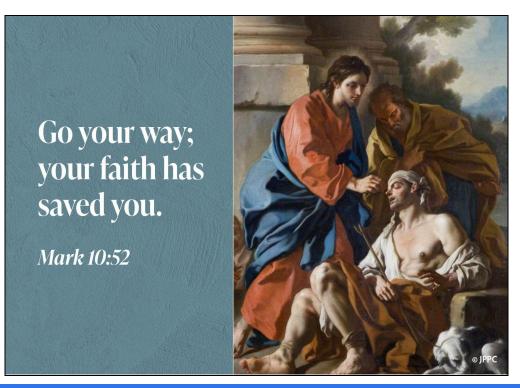
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#### **PARISH OFFICE**

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Office Hours: Monday through Thursday: 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM; Tuesday: 5:00 – 7:00 PM

(You may also call the Parish Office to schedule an appointment any time outside of these hours.)

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**WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!** Contact the Parish Office for registration or to receive information regarding sacramental preparation and eligibility.

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4 PM at Nativity Sunday: 8 AM at St. Catherine

Sunday: 10:30 AM at Nativity (Live-streamed on Facebook and YouTube every couple of weeks.)

**DAILY MASS SCHEDULE** 

Mon. & Thurs.: 9 AM at St. Catherine

Tue. & Wed. 9 AM at Nativity Friday: 7 PM at Nativity Saturday: 7 AM at St Catherine

HOLY DAY MASS SCHEDULE

Vigil: 7 PM at St. Catherine Holy Day: 9 AM & 7 PM at Nativity

CONFESSION

Friday: 7:50-8:20 PM at Nativity\*
Saturday: 7:50-8:20 AM at St. Catherine\*
Saturday: 3:15-3:45 PM at Nativity
Sunday: 7:20 – 7:50 AM at St. Catherine\*
Sun. after most 10 AM Mass at Nativity
Or by appointment, call the Parish Office
\* When Fr Goyette is here



#### Saturday, October 19th

7:00 AM-SC Demetria Delos Reyes

r/b Vizconde Family

4:00 PM-N People of the Parish

#### Sunday, October 20th

8:00 AM-SC Joan Parrish r/b Bereavement Ministry 10:30 AM-N Marge Landis r/b Barbara Doherty

#### Monday, October 21st

9:00 AM-SC Spec Int. Carly Robinson & Patrick McCain

#### Tuesday, October 22nd

9:00 AM- N Intentions of Kurmlavage Family r/b Valeno Family

#### Wednesday, October 23rd

9:00 AM-N Sr. Febronia Jarosz

r/b Parish of St Michael the Archangel

#### Thursday, October 24th

9:00 AM-SC Spec Int. Don, MaryEllen & Matthew Healy r/b Dan & Karen Seniff

#### Friday, October 25th

7:00 PM-N Dorothy Beebe

r/b Parish of St Michael the Archangel

#### Saturday, October 26th

7:00 AM-SC Jarvis Family

4:00 PM-N Dot Myers r/b Joe & Kathy Tinney

#### Sunday, October 27th

8:00 AM-SC James F McCann r/b Wife & Children 10:30 AM-N People of the Parish

Mass Location: N = Nativity | SC = St. Catherine



Sanctuary Candle at Nativity is in

Loving Memory of Gracie

Sanctuary Candle has openings for the remainder of this year. What a lovely way to remember your loved ones!

Mass Intentions Book for January to May 2025 is now open!



Harriet Bajewicz, Betty Briles, George Bromwell, Nicholas & Rob Christian, Jim Cesanek, John Contrevo Sr., Joseph Dietterick, Melissa DuBeau, Janice Donahower, Judy Dutton, Mark Fitzpatrick, Anthony & Luca Garbarino, Amedeo Giambuzzi, Don & Matt Healy, Dcn John Luko Jr. Rosemary McBride, Miller & Joann Mills, Eileen Mulholland, Thomas Myers Jr., and Karen J. Viola

If you have a family member whom you would like added to the Prayer List, please ask their permission (due to the HIPAA Privacy Act) and contact the Rectory by calling 856-881-9155 or e-mailing PSMA.Rectory@gmail.com.

#### **Pray for Our Military Heroes**

If you have a family member serving in one of the branches of the military, send their name, rank, and branch of service to the Parish Office (PSMA.Rectory@gmail.com or 856-881-9155).

Please keep our brave service people in your prayers, especially those suffering from the effects of war.

#### **US Army**

CPL Austin Arledge, SSG Bryan Jenkins,

1LT Tyler Keyworth

Com. Sgt Major Shane Mclaughlin, MAJ Eric Miller, CPT Graham Miller, and PFC Vincenzo Taormina

#### **US Navy**

AWR Daniel Carr, AG1 Jamie Engleman, EM2 William Little, and Kurt Reinhold, US Navy

#### **US Air Force**

SrA Jacob R Custis, MSgt, George Ruczynski Jr.

#### **US Marine Corps**

WO3 Brad Davis, SGT Nate McAllister



#### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Mon. – Thurs. 8-9 AM Eucharistic Adoration before morning Mass. Every Monday 6-7 PM Adoration at Nativity

#### ROSARY

Mon. – Thurs. Rosary after morning Mass and after all weekend Masses Every Tuesday after the 9 AM Mass—Novena to the Miraculous Medal.

# **PARISH EVENTS**

#### **OCTOBER**

**22nd** - Caregiver Support Group 7 PM - NCC Choir Rehearsal 7 PM - NC

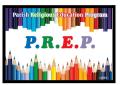
23rd - Grief Support 7 PM - NCC

29th - Choir Rehearsal 7 PM - NCC

31st - HAPPY HALLOWEEN!!

Please call the Parish Office to reserve space on the calendar if you are planning a meeting.

NC - Nativity Church / NCC - Conference Center / SCB - St Catherine Basement



The Parish Religious Education Program (PREP) at 9:15 AM in the Monsignor O' Meara Conference Center

Parish Religious Education Program Calendar October

\*Oct. 27- 9:15 - 10:15 AM In-person class & 8th grade

\*Confirmation Enrollment Sunday at 10:30 Mass



Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) Classes at 11:30 AM Monsignor O'Meara Conference Center

# Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults Calendar OCTOBER

Oct. 20- 12:30 AM In Person Class Oct. 27- 11:30 AM In Person Class

#### **SCHOOL NEWS!!**



#### **MORE SCHOOL NEWS**

Boscov's Shopping Day passes - ONLY \$5!! Shopping passes are only \$5 and can be purchased by reaching out to our Main Office OR by emailing advancement@smrsonline.com! These special shopping passes can be used to shop ALL DAY, on Tuesday October 22nd, either in person or online! You will receive 25% off of most items! (Some restrictions may apply.) You can also scan the QR code on the back of each pass for a CHANCE to win a \$100 Boscov's Gift Card! Just \$5 each!

#### **Christmas Stars to Fold!**

Looking for something new to add to your tree this Christmas? Come learn the ancient art of origami and fold beautiful stars to display! Participants ages 12-102 are welcome. Classes are free, and the paper will be supplied, so just bring yourself and a friend. Kindly RSVP so that adequate materials can be prepared, at <a href="mailto:jmrishel@gmail.com">jmrishel@gmail.com</a> (Jean Rishel).

Jean has taught children and adults the art of paperfolding for more than 20 years. It's easy, engaging, and highly addictive. Come and create some pretty stars for display this Christmas!

Where: St. Catherine's Church Basement

When: 7-8:30 PM

Dates: Monday, October 28

Monday, November 18 Monday, December 9





On Sunday, November 3rd, at 2 PM, Vicki Nichols will be giving an organ recital at St. Michael the Archangel Parish, Church of the Nativity, in Franklinville, NJ.

She will be playing pieces by Sawa, Barte-Hanssen, J.S. Bach, Benoit, and Tournemire. The theme of the program will be in honor of Mary, Queen of All Saints.

There will be a free will offering, and light refreshments to follow.

# **MINISTRY NEWS**

#### **Routine Parish Activities Need Volunteers**

If you can spare some of your talent and time for any of the following routine parish activities, please call the office at 856-881-9155. We will contact you to discuss your interests in various small projects, such as:

- Parish power washing
- Small painting projects
- Plumbing projects
- Streaming the 10:30 AM Mass once a month. Training and instructions will be provided.
- Architectural experience for accessibility ramp at Nativity Conference Center



Ministry Lector & Eucharistic Minister
Schedule

October 26 - NC 4pm

(L) L. Ernst (EM) K. Shelton C. Perrin

October 27 - SC 8am

(L) K. Tierno (EM) J. Hirst

NC 1030a

(L) O. Wright (EM) D. Charnitsky R. Karpiel

#### **Knights of Columbus**

We are inviting all Catholic men to consider joining us. Scan the QR code with your phone to learn more.





Caregiver support is a group that meets once a month to address issues related to providing care and support to a loved one facing health challenges. This group will utilize prayer, scripture and conversation to discover ways to handle the stress and emotions in caring for a loved one who is going through such challenging times.

#### Random Minutiae from Fr Goyette!





Father Goyette has been found among the Legos.

#### **Implant**

I got an implant this week where my missing tooth was. The tooth came out in May and I sure miss it. Chewing is a pain in the \*\*\* without a molar. They drilled a hole in the jaw and screwed in the implant. Then they sewed the skin back over. This will probably hurt for a few days. I have to wait another couple of months for the next step.

#### **Only Jesus**

My 8 days talking to Jesus were good. I got lots of sleep and exercise. Jesus had a whole list of things to talk about. "Now that I finally got your attention, I have a list ..." I also talked to my retreat director each day for about 40 minutes.

#### Walking and Walking.

I did about 16,000 steps each day on retreat. They had a big lake with a road all the way around. 3 miles round trip. I walked around it each day and took other walks as well. I feel like I am back in shape and have been working out almost each day since then. I have another cholesterol test in December and I have to make sure my numbers are low. Exercise always seems to help with that.

#### Texas

I spent over 3 days in Texas. My friend has gone all Texas on me. He drives a huge truck and likes to shoot guns. He was an Army Ranger and was in law enforcement, so he fits right in. I used to hang out with him from 7th to 10th grade. We also went to see his parents, who had not seen me in 35 years.



The Solemnity of All Saints

And

The Commemoration

of All the Faithfully Departed

Please join us on **Friday, November 1st at 7pm at the Church of the Nativity.** If you have a loved one who had funeral rites through the Parish between October 15, 2023 and October 15, 2024, we will remember your loved one, in a special way. This Mass is open to all who wish to pray for, and honor, their loved ones who have gone on to their Eternal Life.

# STEWARDSHIP



The daylight hours may be drawing shorter but God's Love and Mercy remain the same yesterday, today and tomorrow. As Thanksgiving quickly approaches let's share that "Love" with those in our community who need a "Helping Hand." On Sunday, November 24th, St Michael's Food Pantry will be giving Thanksgiving Food Baskets to approximately 27 families. In the gathering space of both churches there will be a sign up sheet if you know of anyone who would benefit from a basket. There is also a shopping list of items needed. Perhaps you may want to be one of those "helping hands" by donating food or a monetary gift and we will do the shopping for you. Any donations may be brought to the churches or the Food Pantry at the O'Meara Conference Center on Wednesdays between 10:15a - 11:30a. Donations are needed by November 17th so we can ensure we have enough for our families

In Galatians 6: 9-10 St. Paul tells us "So let us not become tired of doing good; for if we do not give up, the time will come when we will reap the harvest. So then, as often as we have the chance, we should do good to everyone, especially those who belong to our family in faith."

#### WEDDING BANNS

Keith Luers to Ashley Jurman



**Nativity Church** 

elebrant: Fr. Michael Goyette

Please continue to keep our mothers and babies in your prayers at Good Counsel Home. They are so grateful for the support from our parish family.

God Bless, Abby



#### **CHURCH OFFERING**

Total Mass Offering for October 5th/6th - \$5947

Respect Life Offering Total - \$613

Mission - Nuns - Vietnam Offering Total - \$1833

Last Year's Total Mass Offering - \$4881

Total Mass Offering for October 12th/13th -5175

Respect Life Offering Total - \$15

Mission - Nuns - Vietnam Offering Total - \$300

Last Year's Total Mass Offering - \$5258

#### **MASS COUNT**

October 5th/6th: Sat. 4 PM Nativity - 83

Sun. 8 AM St. Catherine - 95

10:30 AM Nativity - 154 Total Attendance - 332

Last Year's Total Attendance - 331

October 12th/13th: Sat. 4 PM Nativity - 101

Sun. 8 AM St. Catherine - 88

10:30 AM Nativity - 219

Total Attendance - 408

Last Year's Total Attendance - 370



The Diocesan Fall Mass Count will take place on October 26-27.

2nd Collection October 20th - World Mission Sunday

# **30th Sunday in Ordinary Time Stewardship Gratitude**

"And Jesus said to him, 'Go your way; your faith has made you well.' And immediately he received his sight and followed him on the way." (Mark 10:52)

Faith is believing in something even though you may not be able to physically see it. Many people think that miracles don't happen anymore. This is hard, but try to focus on the positive and not the negative things in your life. When you focus on your blessings instead of your hardships, miracles will seem common. You will see God's active presence in your daily life. You will begin to develop a Stewardship attitude of gratitude.

### AROUND THE DIOCESE



# <u>Camden Catholic High School, Cherry Hill, NJ</u> <u>Admissions Open House Thursday, October 24 at 6:30PM</u>

Students from Catholic, public, private and homeschools are welcome. Hear about our courses in Engineering, Data Analytics, Design Thinking, Genetics & Biotechnology, Robotics and Cybersecurity. And, tour our innovative learning spaces, including the Art Studio, Piano Lab, Guitar Studio and Innovation Lab. Learn about our wide range of academic programs, experience live performances and meet with our faculty, administrators and coaches. Scholarships and tuition assistance are available. RSVP

www.camdencatholic.org/admissions.

#### **Irish Experience Visit Days**

8th Graders only. Multiple dates available. See CCHS in action and experience the many facets of life as a student wearing the green and white. Experience includes classroom visit, discussion with current students, lab activities, lunch and Q&A with faculty, students and administrators. Select a date and register online:

www.camdencatholic.org/admissions

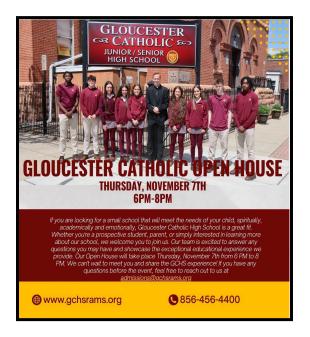
#### Now Accepting Applications for the Class of 2029!

Don't delay, apply today! Visit

<u>www.camdencatholic.org/admissions</u> to complete application for current 8th grade students.

#### Fall Play: Radium Girls

November 8 & 9 at 7:30PM and November 10 at 2PM Experience The Arts at CCHS this fall with *Radium Girls*, inspired by a true story set in 1926 when radium was a miracle cure, Madame Curie an international celebrity, and luminous watches the latest rage—until the girls who painted them began to fall ill with a mysterious disease. *Radium Girls* traces the efforts of Grace Fryer, a dial painter, as she fights for her day in court. Purchase tickets www.cchsperformingarts.com or at the door!





SATURDAY NOVEMBER 9, 2024
Paul VI Conference Center
901 Hopkins Road, Haddonfield, NJ
Registration and Breakfast
begin at 7:30. Conference ends at 3:30
MANUPSOUTHJERSEY.COM

#### **National Vocation Awareness Week**

November 3-9, 2024



"The way Jesus shows you is not easy. Rather, it is like a path winding up a mountain. Do not lose heart! The steeper the road, the faster it rises towards ever wider horizons." St. John Paul II