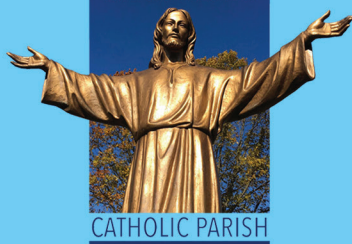


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THE REDEEMER



Christ the Redeemer Catholic Parish

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318 Carl Hasselhan Drive • Atco, NJ 08004

Second Sunday of Advent

(December 3-4, 2022)

Weekend Mass

Saturday Vigil 4:00 pm
Sunday 9:00 am
11:00 am

Daily Mass

Monday through Friday 8:00 am

Holy Day Mass

Vigil 6:00 pm
Holy Day 8:00 am

Reconciliation

Saturday 3:00pm - 4:00pm

Adoration

Prayer: Monday - Thursday
3:00pm - 4:00pm
Friday following the 8:00am Mass
until 7:00pm

Pastor – Rev. Joseph D. Wallace

Deacons – Deacon Al LaMonaca,
Deacon Joseph Janocha,
Deacon Nicholas Ludovich (Ret.)



SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Gloria

Gloria to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. **Amen**

1st Reading Isaiah 11: 1-10

On that day, a shoot shall sprout from the stump of Jesse, and from his roots a bud shall blossom. The spirit of the LORD shall rest upon him: a spirit of wisdom and of understanding, a spirit of counsel and of strength, a spirit of knowledge and of fear of the LORD, and his delight shall be the fear of the LORD. Not by appearance shall he judge, nor by hearsay shall he decide, but he shall judge the poor with justice, and decide aright for the land's afflicted. He shall strike the ruthless with the rod of his mouth, and with the breath of his lips he shall slay the wicked. Justice shall be the band around his waist, and faithfulness a belt upon his hips. Then the wolf shall be a guest of the lamb, and the leopard shall lie down with the kid; the calf and the young lion shall browse together, with a little child to guide them.

The cow and the bear shall be neighbors, together their young shall rest; the lion shall eat hay like the ox. The baby shall play by the cobra's den, and the child lay his hand on the adder's lair. There shall be no harm or ruin on all my holy mountain; for the earth shall be filled with knowledge of the LORD, as water covers the sea.

On that day, the root of Jesse, set up as a signal for the nations, the Gentiles shall seek out, for his dwelling shall be glorious.

Responsorial Psalm - Psalm 72: 1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17

Justice shall flourish in his time, and fullness of peace forever.

2nd Reading Romans 15: 4-9

Brothers and sisters: Whatever was written previously was written for our instruction, that by endurance and by the encouragement of the Scriptures we might have hope. May the God of endurance and encouragement grant you to think in harmony with one another, in keeping with Christ Jesus, that with one accord you may with one voice glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Welcome one another, then, as Christ welcomed you, for the glory of God. For I say that Christ became a minister of the circumcised to show God's truthfulness, to confirm the promises to the patriarchs, but so that the Gentiles might glorify God for his mercy. As it is written: *Therefore, I will praise you among the Gentiles and sing praises to your name.*

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Gospel Matthew 3: 1-12

John the Baptist appeared, preaching in the desert of Judea and saying, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand!" It was of him that the prophet Isaiah had spoken when he said: A voice of one crying out in the desert, Prepare the way of the Lord, make straight his paths.

John wore clothing made of camel's hair and had a leather belt around his waist. His food was locusts and wild honey. At that time Jerusalem, all Judea, and the whole region around the Jordan were going out to him and were being baptized by him in the Jordan River as they acknowledged their sins.

When he saw many of the Pharisees and Sadducees coming to his baptism, he said to them, "You brood of vipers! Who warned you to flee from the coming wrath? Produce good fruit as evidence of your repentance. And do not presume to say to yourselves, 'We have Abraham as our father.' For I tell you, God can raise up children to Abraham from these stones. Even now the ax lies at the root of the trees. Therefore every tree that does not bear good fruit will be cut down and thrown into the fire. I am baptizing you with water, for repentance, but the one who is coming after me is mightier than I.

I am not worthy to carry his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. His winnowing fan is in his hand. He will clear his threshing floor and gather his wheat into his barn, but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire."

Nicene Creed (Profession of Faith)

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God, from true God, begotten not made consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven,

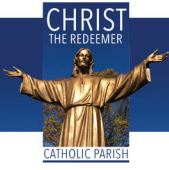
(At the words that follow, up to and including "and became man" all bow.)

and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. **AMEN**



MASS INTENTIONS

Second Sunday of Advent (December 3 - 4, 2022)

Saturday 4:00pm Richard & Jo Meyerhoff r/b Kathy Teti & Family
Thomas J. Murphy r/b Kathleen Kownacki
Anthony Jiampetti r/b Janet Hiester

Sunday 9:00am Michael Passarella r/b Michelle Sherwood
Robert & Mary Mauriello r/b their Daughter
Nancy Kouba r/b Lillian Valentino

11:00am Emily G. Richard r/b Georgia Charles
Mary Casoli r/b Christine Dunleavy
Sal Sottosanti r/b Father Wallace, Our Deacons, & Parish Staff

Daily Masses

Monday (Dec 5th) 8:00am For the People of the Parish

Tuesday (Dec 6th) 8:00am Sal Sottosanti r/b Angela & Joseph DiSilvo III

Wednesday (Dec 7th) 8:00am For the People of the Parish

Vigil 6:00pm Blessed Virgin Mary

Thursday (Dec 8th) 8:00am Fr. Joseph Capella r/b Laurie Power

Friday (Dec 9th) 8:00am Caitlin Gussen Meyer r/b Laurie Power

Third Sunday of Advent (December 10-11, 2022)

Saturday 4:00pm Bob Richter r/b Linda Richter
Clare Smith & Jill Snell r/b Debbie & Joe Snell
Anthony Jiampetti r/b the Bonanno Family

Sunday 9:00am Nicholas DiBlase Jr. r/b Donna Hyder
Josephine & John Dewey Massare r/b their Daughter Roseann
Volpe & Family
Dawn Coffey r/b the Ortiz Family

11:00am Susie Grieco r/b Joan Genneken
Victoria Drialo r/b Marie & Donna Mauro & Natalia Dircks
Sandy Caporal r/b Judi Arndt

PLEASE NOTE: BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2022, THE 8:00AM MASSES THAT WERE PREVIOUSLY SCHEDULED WILL BE INCLUDED WITH THE 9:00AM MASS INTENTIONS AND THE 10:00 AM MASSES PREVIOUSLY SCHEDULED WILL BE INCLUDED WITH THE 11:00 AM MASS INTENTIONS.



Christ the Redeemer PRAYER PAGE

Please Pray For...

Jacob Rivera, Jaxson Rivera, Elwood, Ralph Lollar,
 Daniel Smith, Dennis Williams, Harold Connolly,
 Ed Taulane, Gloria Osler, Michael Gottlieb ,
 Mary Ann Raiola, Muriel MacLacklin,
 Frank Bonmer, Patrick Diogenia, Grace Eggers,
 Patricia Johnson, Kristina Abdullah,
 Muriel MacMaklin, Barbara Kellers, Thomas Yoder,
 Baby Jack Thummel, Cricket Hoffman,
 Kathy Wiston, Joseph DePalma, James A. Sorce,
 Dennis Singletary, Carol Porter,
 William F. Miller, Sr., Cindy Feasler, Miabella Snell,
 Zoli LaChapelle-LaPolla, Brian Feasler,
 Finn Bicher, Liz Concepcion, Reed Costello,
 Richard Rudley, Madysen Johnson

To add a name to the parish prayer chain, or if you wish to become part of this ministry, please email your requests to:
prayerchain@christtheredeemer.us

Holy Family Corner

Congratulations to:

Angelo Luca Rao

Baptized October 23, 2022

Please call the parish office if you are expecting a child so our parish family can pray for the health & well-being of the mother, father & baby. Please notify the office at such time so, we can congratulate the happy family.

Rest in God's Peace

May we pray for our parishioners who have passed away in November, 2022.

Joseph Hayes
 Thomas J. DePalma
 Elisa Gagliardi
 Pauline M. Clark

Mary H. Naubereit
 Kathleen A. Grillo
 Bertha Mae Gordon
 Frank Lavala, Sr.

Thank You for Your Service!

We Pray For Those Who Serve Today -

Please pray for all victims of war, for those in harm's way & for our military, at home or overseas. Contact the office to add a name.

PVT Jeffrey Gaul
LT03 Michael Ortiz
Sr. Airman Connor Sigloch
QSN Sasha Ortiz
PVT Domenico Pleskonko
Specialist Angelo Torres
Sr. AK. Mark Barlow
W. H. Dube AET USCG
Cpt. Andrew Grubb
Col. Thomas R. Monaghan, Jr
Sgt. Jason Concepcion
Staff Sgt. Nick Goetschius
Pt 1st C Kevin Matthew Leggett
Lt. Col. Timothy Cleighton
T Sgt. Taylor Purvis
Staff Sgt. Keith Dauder
Spc. Peter Rohloff
M.Sgt. Matthew D. Torre
LT. Allyson Franchi
Lt. Col. Dave Zielinski
Cpt. Sam Stader
Cpt. Thomas Baldrige

Altar Memorials:

*The Sanctuary Candle will burn for
 The Intentions of the Holy Father.*

*The Bread and Wine are for
 All of our Homebound Parishioners.*

*The Tabernacle Flowers are for
 A Decrease in Violent Crimes.*

Ministry News

Weekly Scripture Reading Nights

Join Vince Brandolini, every **Wednesday at 6:30pm** in the 7th Grade classroom of the Pastoral Center. The Readings and Gospels for the following weekend are discussed and explained in detail. Any questions please contact Vince at: rcia@christthereedeemer.us.

Martha Ministry

(Please note the time change)

The month of December cleaning schedule for Assumption Church is **Tuesday, December 13th** and **Tuesday, December 20th** all beginning at 5:00pm. Your help in keeping the church clean is greatly appreciated. For information or questions contact Nancy Holland at: holland99@verizon.net.

Blood Pressure/Hospitality Sunday

Blood Pressure and Hospitality Sunday will be held next **Sunday, December 4th** from **10:00am to 1pm** in the Parish Hall. The theme for the day is Holiday Safety. Come have your blood pressure taken and enjoy some light refreshments. Also the Parish Nurses will hold their meeting at **9:00am** the same day.

Knights of Columbus Council 7463

The Knights of Columbus, Council 7463, is now selling their **2023 Daily Calendar Raffle** after masses. The cost of the raffle ticket is \$20.00. The ticket lists the amount of the daily prizes, and you can win more than once. Tickets will also be available for purchase in the Parish Office during normal business hours.

Advent Mass

Cemetery Visitation

During this time of Advent, in preparation for the celebration of the birth of our Savior, we will hold a special mass at Holy Cross Cemetery & Mausoleum on Wednesday, December 7th, at 10:00 AM. We encourage our families to visit Holy Cross and all of our cemeteries and mausoleums and pray for their dearly departed loved ones. This mass and future Christmastide masses held at other diocesan-managed cemeteries are listed on our website. We, the staff of South Jersey Catholic Cemeteries, wish you a joyous Advent Season.

Visit to learn more or call us at **855-MyPrePlan (855-697-7375)** and a member of our staff will gladly assist you.

SouthJerseyCatholicCemeteries.org

*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*

Catholic Definition

Rosary - Meditation engages thought, imagination, emotion, and desire. This mobilization of faculties is necessary in order to deepen our convictions of faith, prompt the conversion of our heart, and strengthen our will to follow Christ. Christian prayer tries above all to meditate on the mysteries of Christ, as in lectio divina or the **rosary**. This form of prayerful reflection is of great value, but Christian prayer should go further: to the knowledge of the love of Lord Jesus, to union with him. (CCC 2708)

Eden Stewardship

December 4, 2022

Second Sunday of Advent

Christmas Stewardship

"Therefore, every tree that does not bear good fruit will be cut down and thrown into the fire." Matthew 3: 10

Do you bear good fruit for Jesus? Do you spend time in prayer or do you waste it with mindless activity? Do you use your talent to help others or are you too busy? Do you use your treasure to support the Church or do you buy more things that go unused? Our time, talent and treasure are gifts from God. What we do with our **Stewardship** is our gift back to him. What gifts are you planning to give to the Lord during this upcoming Christmas season?



**CHRIST THE REDEEMER'S
400 CLUB**

\$100 Per Ticket

Entry Deadline December 10, 2022
Or Until Tickets Are Sold Out

You Do Not Need To Be Present To Win

5 Lucky Winners!

If all 400 tickets are sold
the prize money will be:

1st Place:	\$40,000.00
2nd Place:	\$5,000.00
3rd Place:	\$2,500.00
4th Place:	\$1,500.00
5th Place:	1,000.00

Tickets on sale after masses and in the parish office.
To purchase tickets please call 856-767-0719
or contact any of our committee members:

Joe Bednar, Chrissy Iadanza, Louise Sands,
Rochelle Sorce, Carolyn Traenkner, Joanie Walsh,
Maria Veriengia, Kathleen Kownacki,
Angela Powers, Joanne Fitzgerald, Rita Hanna.

AMAZON SMILE

Did you know that when you shop on Amazon you can have a portion of the price of your eligible purchases donated to Christ the Redeemer Parish? This is done through Amazon's Smile program, and it is a way for you to support Christ the Redeemer Parish at no additional cost to you. Follow these easy steps:

From A Web Browser:

1. Visit smile.amazon.com
2. Sign in with the same account you use for Amazon.com
3. Under Select your Charity, select Christ the Redeemer Parish Atco, NJ
4. Start shopping! Remember to checkout at smile.amazon.com to generate donations for Christ the Redeemer.

From Amazon App on Your Mobile Phone:

1. Open the Amazon Shopping app
2. Navigate to the main menu (☰)
3. Tap on Settings and then select "AmazonSmile"
4. Select Christ the Redeemer Parish Atco, NJ and then follow the on-screen instructions to turn ON AmazonSmile in the mobile app
5. Once AmazonSmile has been activated in your app, future eligible app purchases will generate a donation to Christ the Redeemer

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

ROLL UP YOUR SLEEVES AND HELP CLEAN UP OUR CHURCH GROUNDS!!
Saturday, December 10th at 9:00am
Christ the Redeemer Parish, Atco

Leaf Collection

Bring your rakes and leaf blowers! Come out and join Mike Passarella, of Elite Landscaping, to remove the leaves from the parish grounds. Mike, a parishioner, along with our volunteers have helped each year getting the job done. We can't thank you enough!

Any Help Is Greatly Appreciated

Colossians 3:23-24 says, "Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive an inheritance as your reward"



Are You Being Called?

If helping others is part of your life...why not make it the rest of your life? Consider the Priesthood. The Young Adult Priesthood Discernment Group is an opportunity to meet with other young men (16-39 years old) considering the Priesthood. The group meets about once a month to discuss topics of discernment and to support one another in the discernment process. The next meeting is on **Sunday, December 18th** from **2:30 PM to 4:00 PM** at Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish Office, 135 N. White Horse Pike, Lindenwold, NJ. For more information, please visit the Office of Vocations/Camdenpriest.org.

Parish Giving
 simple. secure. convenient.

CLICK HERE TO ENROLL IN ONLINE GIVING
 OR TO ACCESS ACCOUNT

Parish Giving is an easy way to provide your weekly contribution to Christ the Redeemer. It is not only simple to do, but also secure by using the strongest SSL encryption technology available. And it is convenient because you no longer need to search for your checkbook or make a stop at the ATM. You also have the added advantage of being able to print out a report detailing your contributions for the year. For more information, please see our Parish website: www.christtheredeemer.us.

Sacred Heart Cemetery

Cedar Brook, NJ

Beautiful. Peaceful. Sacred.

Sacred Heart Cemetery is expanding. We are proud to serve our community and remain true to the tradition upon which our cemetery was established over 100 years ago.

Making arrangements in advance is the best way to give you and your family peace of mind both now and in the future. For more information on how to purchase a cemetery plot, contact Sharon Murphy at sharon.murphy@christtheredeemer.us.



Giving Trees

The 2022 Giving Trees will be in our church beginning November 12th. This year, we will be collecting gifts for Waterford Township's students in need, Covenant House, and Veterans Haven. Therefore, we are asking for **gift cards only**. Please return your purchased gift cards the weekend of December 3rd and 4th. The suggested gift cards for the students are Walmart and Target; Covenant House residents need cards for Visa, Mastercard, American Express, ShopRite, Walmart, Target, Amazon, iTunes, Dunkin Donuts, and Home Depot. Suggested gift cards for Veterans Haven are WaWa and Walmart. Christ the Redeemer parishioners have always been incredibly generous. The Mercy Ministry and *St. Anthony's Women's Ministry* thank you for your kindness and generosity.

Saint Rita of Cascia Parish Hall

If you are looking for a venue to host an event or party, why not consider renting our Parish Hall. To find out more details please contact Sharon Murphy in the Parish Office at 856-767-0719 or by email at sharon.murphy@christtheredeemer.us.

Next Week's SCRIPTURE READINGS

Third Sunday of Advent

First Reading: *Isaiah 35: 1-6a, 10*

Responsorial Psalm: *146: 6-7, 8-9, 9-10*

Second Reading: *James 5: 7-10*

Gospel: *Matthew 11: 2-11*

Breakfast with St. Nicholas

Sunday, December 11, 2022

9:30am-12:30pm

Christ the Redeemer Parish Hall

318 Carl Hasselhan Drive

Atco, NJ 08004

Children \$3 Adults \$5

To reserve your seat, call 856-767-0719
or email religiously@christtheredeemer.us

Menu

Pancakes, sausage
egg casseroles
Coffee and orange juice



**Bring your camera for a
photo with St. Nicholas!**

December Giving

Hosted by

Parish Nursing & Mercy Ministries & St.
Anthony's Women's Ministry of CTR

December 3rd - 4th - Food and Gift Card
from the Giving Tree

December 4th - 18th - Christmas Food
and Gift Card Collection (Containers in the
Church)

December 11th and 18th - Turkey Collection
(After Masses in the Parish Hall)

December 19th - Basket Assembly - 1:00 PM
(In the Parish Hall)

December 20th - Basket Distribution - 3:00
PM - 6:00 PM (In the Parish Hall)

**Turkeys, Hams, and food are desperately
needed for Christmas!**



Advent Angels - Mary

“Behold you will conceive in your womb and bear a Son and you shall name Him Jesus.”

Luke 1:31

Mary was obedient, faithful teenager, full of grace and trusting in God. When the angel Gabriel delivered his message, she had every reason to doubt. Non-conjugal conception by an unmarried teenaged woman was not standard fare. Gabriel’s message became a cause of joy, faith and abandonment to God’s will and she opened herself spiritually and physically beyond doubt and fear. Because of her “fiat”, she was able to change the course of human history. God believed that she could carry out His divine will and she humbly followed, pondering all these things in her heart.

We should be watchful and open to more fully and faithfully live the life we have been given as people made in God’s image.

THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Thursday, December 8, 2022, is the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This is a Holy Day of Obligation. The mass schedule for this Holy Day is:

Vigil Mass

Wednesday, December 7th, 6:00 PM

Holy Day Mass

Thursday, December 8th, 8:00 AM

Christ the Redeemer Parish
ADVENT, CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S SCHEDULE 2022

We Invite You To Celebrate The Most Wonderful Time Of The Year With Us!

Advent Small Christian Communities
Every Tuesday, Nov. 29th - Dec. 20th
7:00pm - St. Rita's Parish Hall

Advent Parish Penance Service
Monday, Dec. 5th - 6:30pm

Immaculate Conception Vigil
Wednesday, Dec. 7th - 6:00pm

Feast of the Immaculate Conception
Thursday, Dec. 8th - 8:00am

Christmas Eve Mass
Saturday, Dec. 24th - 4:00pm

Christmas Day Mass
Sunday, Dec. 25th - 9:00am and 11:00am

Solemnity of Mary Vigil
Saturday, Dec. 31st - 4:00pm

Feast of Solemnity of Mary
Sunday, Jan. 1st - 9:00am and 11:00am



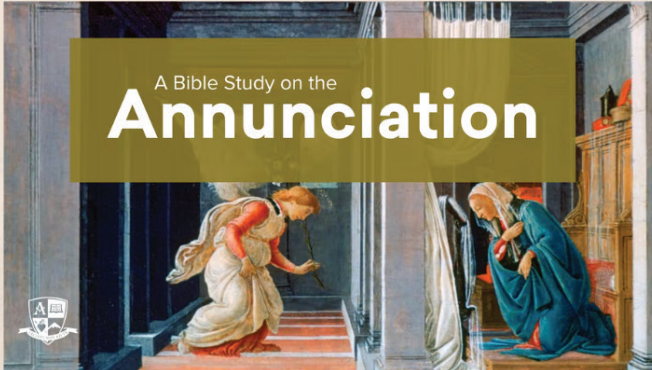
Gift Cards

Gift cards for **Shoprite, WaWa, Walmart, Filomena's,** and **Graziano's** are available for purchase in the Parish Office during normal business hours.



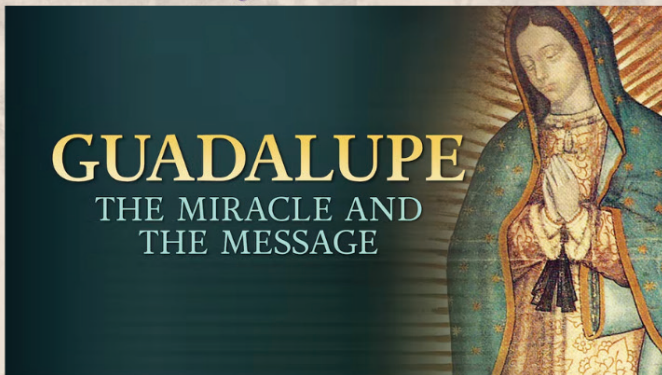
Advent Small Christian Communities

Tuesday – November 29th



The Annunciation - Dr. Ben Akers, associate professor of theology at the Augustine Institute Graduate School, leads us through a brief reflection on the scene of the Annunciation in Luke 1:26-38. He engages the scripture verses line by line highlighting some of the key Old Testament passages evoked by the angel Gabriel's words. The reflection concludes with some thoughts on how we can imitate Mary's "yes" to the Lord in our own life, especially in this time of suffering.

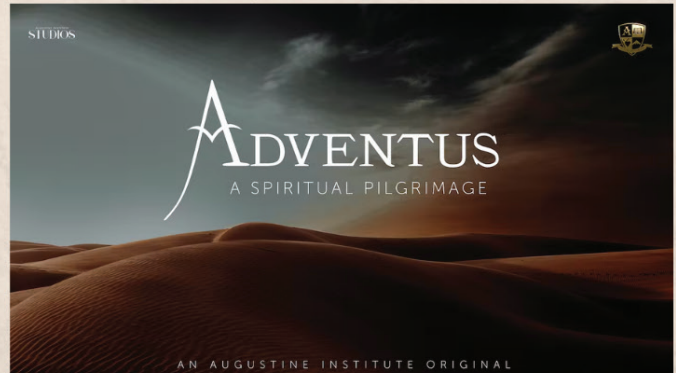
Tuesday – December 6th



Our Lady of Guadalupe The Miracle and the Message traces the history of this transformative event from the 16th century to the present. Featuring interviews with leading theologians, historians, and experts on the scientific inquiries into the miraculous image, this gripping film explores both the inexplicable mysteries behind the image, and the continued relevance of the Guadalupe apparition to the modern world. Narrated by Jim Caviezel.

Advent Small Christian Communities will be meeting at 7pm on the following Tuesday evenings in the 7th grade classroom of the Pastoral Center. All Are Welcome!

Tuesday – December 13th



Adventus: A Spiritual Pilgrimage - This special documentary allows Catholics all around the world to unite and make a spiritual pilgrimage to the Holy Land to see the places associated with Christ's Birth.

Tuesday – December 20th



The Nativity - The story of the birth of Jesus is often misunderstood. But this fast-paced, thought-provoking look at the true story of the Nativity clears away widespread misunderstandings of Jesus' origin. Join top scholars, inspirational speakers, and popular authors as they explain the story behind the story of the birth of Jesus. The Story of the Nativity also includes stunning works of art depicting the biblical story, from Fra Angelico to Rembrandt, and footage from the Holy Land showing the places where the Christmas story actually took place.



CTR Youth Group Information

The following Youth Group activities are being planned, so save the dates:

Santa visits The Fountains

Saturday, December 17, 2022

Offsite at the Fountains

12:00pm - 2:00pm

Youth in grades 6-12 are invited to be an elf and accompany Santa to visit residents of The Fountains. Elf accessories provided. Parent can drop off at the Fountains

Superbowl Party

February 12, 2023

Parish hall

6-8pm

Watch the Superbowl and enjoy some wings and refreshments. Families invited!

Youth Event: Lent Lock-In for the Lord

Saturday, March 11, 2023

Parish hall

10am - 5pm

- Breakfast and Lunch included
- Music - Youth's choice
- Outdoor activities (weather permitting)
 - Movies
 - Basketball
 - Oculus
 - Mass at 4pm

Human Rights Ministry Champions for Jesus, Life & Human Rights

Dear Parishioners,

Please join us on **Wednesday, December 14 @ 7pm**, for a special evening of prayer and testimonials. Special guest and friend, Mike Nuzzi, will share his pro-life experiences over the last decades and how abortions have long-term effects on women's health. Open discussion and personal testimonials welcome!

2022 has been an excellent year surrounding human rights awareness and pro-life advocacy. We will humbly close our final meeting of the year by praying a group ProLife Rosary (Glorious Mysteries) and Chaplet of Divine Mercy.

Location: Assumption Church

December 14 @ 7pm

318 Carl Hasselhan Drive Atco, NJ 08004
Pastoral Center

LEARN MORE & GET INVOLVED:

www.helpersnj.org

www.40daysforlife.com

VOLUNTEER: Volunteers needed to pray at the Cherry Hill Women's Center

To sign up for hour(s) Contact Claire@
helpersnj.org

"Jesus was not condemned by the power of wicked people. He was condemned by the silence of good people. Silence always helps the oppressor, never the victim. Let us pray that we may never be silent about abortion, But rather will clearly speak up to save babies from death"

Fr Frank Pavone

IMPORTANT PARISH INFORMATION

Welcome New Parishioners!

Please register by calling the parish office at **856-767-0719** or visit the parish website christthereedeemer.us. Select **BECOME A MEMBER** for the Parish Registration Form.

Baptism Preparation

Parents wanting their child baptized are asked to contact **Angela Powers**, Administrative Assistant, at **856-767-0719** or angela.powers@christthereedeemer.us to obtain prep information and to schedule a baptism date.

Parish Religious Education

To enroll a child in our sacramental preparation programs, please contact the Religious Education Office at religioused@christthereedeemer.us or the Parish Office **856-767-0719**.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Are you or someone you know interested in becoming Catholic? RCIA may be the answer since it provides an opportunity to learn more about our Catholic faith. For information contact **Vince Brandolini** at rcia@christthereedeemer.us.

Marriage Preparation

If you need to make arrangements for your wedding, please contact **Deacon Joseph Janocha**, at dcn.joe.janocha@christthereedeemer.us.

Mass Cards & Altar Memorials

Mass Cards and Altar Memorial intentions are available for purchase by visiting the Parish Office.

Stephen Ministry

The Stephen Ministers of our parish have received special training to provide confidential, one-to-one spiritual support, for someone going through a difficult time. To reach one of our Stephen Ministry Leaders, (**Deacon Al LaMonaca**, **Donna LaMonaca** or **Chris LaLena**), please call **856-767-4386** and leave a message.

Bereavement Ministry

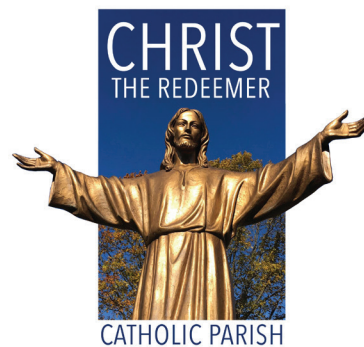
Our informal meetings are held on the Third Thursday of each month at 6:00pm in the Pastoral Center. There is no requirement to share your grief at the meetings; however, once you do, you will find it very easy to express your feelings. For information contact **Gini Corcoran** at vcorcoran05@verizon.net.

Homebound Communion Visits

For parishioners who are home-bound or recovering from surgery who wish to have Holy Communion brought to their home, please call the parish office to make arrangements.

Emergency Care for the Sick

Call the parish office during regular hours to schedule non-emergency anointings. During off hours, in event of danger of death, please contact the Parish Office at **856-767-0719, x199**.



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