

July 12, 2026



CHURCH OF THE
HOLY FAMILY

226 Hurffville Road, Sewell, New Jersey 08080

Phone: (856) 228-1616 Fax: (856) 228-6332

Website: www.churchoftheholymfamily.org



But the seed sown on rich soil is the one who hears
the word and understands it, who indeed bears
fruit and yields a hundred or sixty or thirtyfold.

Matthew 13:23

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15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

PARISH INFORMATION

Reverend James L. Bartoloma, J. C. L., Pastor
Deacon Dean Johnson, Permanent Deacon
Deacon Paschal Nwako, Permanent Deacon
Mrs. Linda Johansson, Business Manager
Mrs. Jackie Neri, Administrative Assistant
Mrs. Jane Marie Hartey, Director of Religious Education
Mrs. MaryBeth Pasquine, Religious Ed. Office Assistant
Mr. Chris Simonini, Music Director
Mrs. Elizabeth Ward, Digital Content Coordinator
Mrs. Julie LaRosa, Youth Ministry Coordinator
Mr. John D'Ortona, Maintenance
Mr. Stephen Kober, Custodian
Mrs. Elizabeth Martino, Principal of OLOH

Parish Office

Monday-Thursday: Closed on Fridays in summer
9:00 am-12:00 Noon & 1:00-4:00 pm
226 Hurffville Road
Sewell, New Jersey 08080
Website: www.churchoftheholymfamily.org
Email: parishoffice@churchoftheholymfamily.org

Faith Formation Office in Aquin Center

856-228-2215
Sunday 8am-12pm (Classes Only)
Monday 12:00pm-3:00pm & 4:00pm-7:00pm
Tuesday 7:30am-8:30am & 9:30am-2:30pm
Wednesday & Thursday 9am-4pm
Closed Friday & Saturday

Liturgical Schedule

Saturday Evening Mass 4:30 pm
Sunday Mass 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 11:30 am
(10:00 Mass is live streamed on Facebook)
Daily Mass (Monday-Saturday)
9:00 am (and 7:00 pm on First Fridays)
Holy Day Schedule (*please check the bulletin*)
7:00 pm (Vigil), 6:30 am, 9:00 am & 7:00 pm

Confessions

Saturday 9:30-10:00 am
Saturday 3:30-4:15 pm
First Fridays 6:30 pm or by appointment

Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday 9:30-3:00 pm
First Friday 9:30-11:30 am
Last Tuesday of the month, 9:30am-6:30pm

Rosary

Monday through Saturday 8:30 am

Miraculous Medal Novena

Wednesdays after the 9:00 am Mass

In the event of dire emergencies call 856-352-2198
if you or a family member is in the hospital or
needs the Sacrament of Anointing.

Information about Preparing for
Baptism or Marriage
may be found on our parish website.

<https://churchoftheholymfamily.org>



SATURDAY, July 11

9:00 a.m.—Nella & Orlando Bravo requested by Daughter & Son-in-law
4:30 p.m.—Carmen & Val Giannantonio requested by daughter, Mary

SUNDAY, July 12

8:00 a.m.—Norris K. Sullivant requested St. Vincent de Paul Society
10:00 a.m.—Bonnie Bodnar requested by Pam & Steve Cooke
11:30 a.m.—Multiple Intentions
Salvatore Massare requested by Lou & Connie Jo Angelini
Patricia McCarthy requested by John & Kathy Mandel

MONDAY, July 13

9:00 a.m.—Mary Ann Fabbri requested by Clare & Kevin McNamee

TUESDAY, July 14

9:00 a.m.—Eileen Cunningham requested by Michael & June Cunningham

WEDNESDAY, July 15

9:00 a.m.—Enrique Ayon requested by the Family

THURSDAY, July 16

9:00 a.m.—Lee Donarovich requested by Margie & Jeff Murawski

FRIDAY, July 17

9:00 a.m.—Thomas F. Murphy requested by Roseanne Murphy & Family

SATURDAY, July 18

9:00 a.m.—For the People of the Parish
4:30 p.m.—Multiple Intentions
Kathleen McDonald requested by the Phizenmayer Family
Caroline Laganella requested by the Carroll Family-Jennifer, John, Sean & Angelica
Carmela Ward requested by Debbie & Ric Santosusso
Mildred & Joseph Julka requested by Charles Sagen
Poor Souls in Purgatory requested by a Friend

SUNDAY, July 19

8:00 a.m.—Norris K. Sullivant requested by Albert & Joanne Zappile
10:00 a.m.—Josephine & Thomas Martell & Christine McClay requested by The Martell Family
11:30 a.m.—Bonnie Bodnar requested by the Wilkinson Family

We ask the Lord to grant eternal rest unto
all the faithful departed especially

MARY ANN GIORDANO



If you would like to add or remove a name from the sick list, please contact the parish office at 856-228-1616. We kindly ask that you keep all those listed below in your prayers.

Kathleen Amey, Connie Jo Angelini, Louis Angelini, Joanna Armentani, Jonathan Aquino, Rose Babilino, Pam Bennett, Jane Bittle, Paul Bobby, Susan Boyle, Emily Bradley, Denielle Candolora, Leona & Michael Candolora, Arnold Capriotti, Kathleen Casey, Joan Chaiken, Helen Cipolla, Tom Coffey, Donald Colligan, Joe & Mary Crisante, Hugh Cunningham, Al D'Antonio, Catherine A. Day, Michael DelBonifro, Annette Dellapia, Pete Demasi, Ann Dick, Angie & John DiDomenico, Noah DiGennaro, Nancy DiPiano, Bob Dolan, Vincent Esposito, Noah Timonera Federovitch, Donna Ferrese, Kathleen Federico, Paul Federico, Sonia Figuracion, Marcia Fogle, Dee Galloway, Henry Galm, Jayne Galtman, Kris Gervasi, Mary Godio, Rosemary Golotto, Dennis Gotthardt, Linda Gotthardt, James Gracey, Claire Grzechowiak, Natalie Hance, Stanley Harmer, Gerald Healey, Joseph Holland, Josh Hull, James Janco Jr., Layla Jay, Jim Johnson, Keith Kelly, Brandon L, Midge Larsen, John Lindeman, Clea Luongo, Angelo "Buzz" Marino, Nick Mastripolito, Jeff McBride, Marie McCafferty, MaryJane Ringler McCloskey, Michael McDermott, Jeremiah McKenna, Samuel Mercanti Jr., Joanne Miller, Marion Morabito, Jim Murphy, Thomas Murray, John Musick, Kathleen Nelli, Ava Newkirk, Ryan Osepchak, Carmen & Louise Palladino, Paige Parker, Joseph Pauline, Eleanor Perez, Natalie Perretta, Jack Persia, Buck Reitmeyer, Landon Reed, Colleen Reese, Michael Renzulli, Isagani Ronsayro, Daniel Ronsayro, Sandy Ruiz, Thomas Ruiz Sr., Heather Russino, Kelly Sandone Thistle, Rachael Seegar, Allyson & Ryan Shinn, Arthur Shute, Mary Jane Smith, Megan E. Smith, Michael Sparano, Elna Starrantino, Julia Strittmatter, Patricia Thomas, Thomas Tingley, Belle Turner, Elizabeth Weathers, Joseph White Jr., Cynthia White, Michelle White, Linda Whitfield, Louise Wilusz, David Wolf, Norraine Wysznsky, Rich Yacovone

**Please call the parish office if a loved one needs a priest.
856-228-1616**

*If you have a prayer request for the **Prayer Line**, please call or email Kathy, 856-535-1185, kathymastran@gmail.com with your intentions.*

All requests are held in confidence.



**Altar Flower Donation
July 12, 2026 to July 18, 2026**

**In Loving Memory of
Thomas F. Murphy**

*Requested by
Roseanne Murphy & Family*

*We are happy to welcome the following into
our Christian Community,*

**Damiano Antonio Mudrowsky
Declan George Batchelor
Braxton Arthur Godfrey**



*We are happy to announce
the upcoming marriage of*

**Danielle Long
&
Ryan Flatley**



Please pray for our military: Andrew Bayna, Dylan Bayna, Patrick Billmann, Kevin Britt, Matthew Cava, Jeffery Deddens, Ronald Dizon Jr., Austin Freese, Dominic Gazzara, Nicolas Gilpin, Brian Holmes, Thomas Keefer III, Alan Kuterbach, Eric Mizner, Jr., Brandon A. Philips, Sean Patrick Stailey, Mike Stadlman, Joseph Wysznsky, Leo Wysznsky

Parish Office Hours Memorial Day to Labor Day

Monday to Thursday
9am to Noon
1:00pm to 4:00pm

CLOSED ON FRIDAYS

This Week at Church of the Holy Family

Sunday, July 12

AA Men's Meeting—7:30pm, Basement Meeting Room

Monday, July 13

Faith Formation Class—8am, Aquin Center

Legion of Mary Meeting—9:30am, Aquin Center

Catholic Daughters Meeting—6:30pm, Aquin Center

Tuesday, July 14

Faith Formation Class—8am, Aquin Center

Adoration—9:30-3:00pm, Church

Benediction—3:00pm, Church

Wednesday, July 15

Faith Formation Class—8am, Aquin Center

Thursday, July 16

No Bridge Club Meetings in July

Faith Formation Class—8am, Aquin Center

Knights of Columbus Golf Club Meeting—
6:00pm, Aquin Center

Knights of Columbus Meeting—7:30pm, Aquin Center

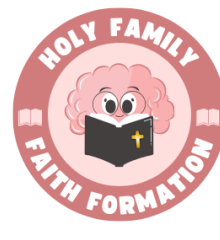
Friday, July 17

Faith Formation Class—8am, Aquin Center

Saturday, July 18

Confession—9:30am, Church

Confession—3:30pm, Church



Faith Formation Summer Session:

July 27th to July 31st

Monday to Thursday, 8am to 2:30pm

Friday, 8am to 12pm

For more information please contact
Jane Hartey
jhartey@churchofthehollyfamily.org

Gentle Grace

A ROSARY PRAYER GROUP

A Rosary prayer group for young women, grades 8th-12th, seeking to grow in faith, live with virtue, and become the light of Christ in the world.

We gather to pray the Rosary, reflect, and learn about topics like:

- Modesty & true beauty
- Speaking with love & truth
- Knowing your worth in Christ

The group will meet bi-weekly from 7:00-8:00 PM in the Aquin Center Youth Lounge. Upcoming sessions include Tuesday, June 30, 2026, Tuesday, July 14, 2026, and Tuesday, July 28, 2026.



Join us for prayer, fellowship, and light refreshments. Friends are welcome!

RSVP to Youth Ministry Coordinator Julie LaRosa at jlara@churchofthehollyfamily.org



The Legion of Mary warmly invites you to join our online Legion of Tessera and Holy Rosary prayer gathering, **held on the first Wednesday of each month at 7:30 PM**. This is a beautiful opportunity to come together in prayer and fellowship from the comfort of your home.

A Zoom link will be shared with those who are interested. To receive the link or learn more, please contact Emily or Marta at the email address below or use the QR code to connect.

Emily: emilpal2005@yahoo.com

Marta Ayon: maldoverayon12@comcast.net

We hope you can join us!



Church of the Holy Family

Join us for fellowship with women of all ages!

Date: Monday, July 13

Time: 7:00 pm

Place: Aquin Center



Pope John Paul II said, "I place much of my hope for the future of marriage in Worldwide Marriage Encounter."

The 2026 Worldwide Marriage Encounter is being supported by Bishop Williams for support of Catholic married couples.

The next weekend dates
October 2nd – 4th

Call 609-741-8012 for information
or email applications@wwme-southjersey.org.
Visit: wwme-southjersey.org.

Diocesan Marian Pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shrine Washington, DC



Bishop Williams Leading Pilgrimage
Saturday, November 7, 2026

- \$25.00 per ticket
- Transportation in air conditioned bus with restroom
- Bus leaves Holy Family at 7am
- Bring your own lunch or eat at the Shrine Cafeteria
- Contact the parish office, 856.228.1616 to register
- Questions: contact Deacon Dean Johnson
- djohnson@churchoftheholymfamily.org



Faith Formation Summer Hours

Monday and Tuesday
8am-3pm
Wednesday and Thursday
9am-4pm

VERONICA MINISTRY SEEKING VOLUNTEERS

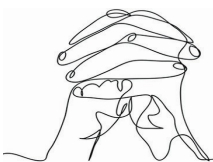


SMALL ALTAR
LINEN CARE



VERONICA MINISTRY

The VERONICA MINISTRY is seeking volunteers for small altar linen care. Please contact Deborah Johnson-Lancolm if you would like to volunteer. 856-889-1880



With God our Father
all things are possible ©JPPC



ADORATION SCHEDULE

In addition to our regular Tuesday schedule of Eucharistic Adoration following the 9:00 a.m. Mass, we are pleased to begin extended hours of Adoration on the last Tuesday of each month.

Beginning Tuesday, June 30, 2026, the Church of the Holy Family will extend Eucharistic Adoration until 6:30 p.m., followed by Benediction from 6:30 to 7:00 p.m.

On regular Tuesdays, Eucharistic Adoration will begin after the 9:00 a.m. Mass and conclude at 3:00 p.m. with the Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament.

- ✠ If a funeral is scheduled on a Tuesday, Adoration will resume following the funeral and continue until the scheduled conclusion time for that day. A notice will be posted on the parish Facebook page notifying parishioners of the change due to funerals.
- ✠ To support and sustain these expanded opportunities for prayer, please spread the word and join us in adoring Our Lord in the Most Blessed Sacrament. We invite all parishioners to spend time with the Lord on Tuesdays until 3:00 p.m., and until 6:30 p.m. on the last Tuesday of each month.





2026 South Jersey Catholic Ministries Appeal: "Missions of Mercy"

By supporting the Catholic Ministries Appeal, you are supporting many programs and ministries of the Diocese of Camden. These ministries serve the physical, emotional and spiritual needs of the hungry and challenged. When we support the Catholic Ministries Appeal, we shine a light of hope throughout the Catholic community of South Jersey.

Your donation enable programs like Summer in the City, Catholic Scouting, Theology of Tap, college campus ministries and Newman Centers, and support for a growing number of parish-based Youth Ministry programs and many more activities to build community and prepare our youth and young adults for the mission that God has chosen for them.

Your support ensures that pastors and clergy continue to bring the light of Jesus into the world. Through prayers and support, we currently have seminarians studying for the priesthood in the Diocese of Camden.

We invite all parishioners to participate in this important effort.

During Catholic Ministries Appeal Weekend, please make your sacrificial gift to help continue the mission of the Church here in the Diocese of Camden!

Thank you !



You can easily register to become a member of our parish on the parish website. Just complete a form for each member of your family.

www.churchoftheholysfamily.org



THE GINNY PROJECT



Join us in continued support of "The Ginny Project," named after our beloved and much-missed parishioner Ginny Licata, who passed away last year.

The St. Vincent de Paul Society at Church of the Holy Family is supporting Ginny's work of love and attention to the poor.

We invite you to donate sandwiches, fruit, snacks, and/or gently used men's clothing on Wednesdays from 8am-9am in the church parking lot.

Donations will be taken to the Volunteers of America shelter in Camden.





Cancer Care Ministry

Are you, a family member or friend struggling with cancer?

You don't have to suffer alone. Our Cancer Care Ministry provides practical support, home help care, courage, compassion and above all -- HOPE to every person in our community affected by cancer.

To learn more, please contact Irene Sullivant at (856) 228-1616 or email at HolyFamilyJOH@gmail.com.





Save the Date!
Jim Quigley Scholarship Golf Outing
 Valley Brook Country Club
 200 Golfview Dr Blackwood, NJ

Monday, September 14, 2026
 12:00 Registration
 1:00 Shot Gun Start



Sponsored by:
Knights of Columbus Sancta Familia #11498

Reflection by Rev. Leonard N. Peterson

It can be a contemporary office seeker's response to a reporter. Or a remembered comment from a persecuted Christian missionary. Or your pastor's statement in his homily last weekend. Or even a remark made by your 6 year old granddaughter. You will note it. You may even remember it, at least for a while. But the odds are that you won't retain it for long. It's the way it is with us poor humans. Most of the time.

But today we meet a glorious exception to the rule. Isaiah the prophet "nails it," as we so often say. I refer to God's holy Word and how powerful it is. Here is the prophet's timeless assessment from today's First Reading." For as the rain and snow come down from heaven and do not return there but water the earth...so shall my word be that goes forth from my mouth; it shall not return to me empty, but it shall accomplish that which I intend, and prosper in the thing for which I sent it."

This on God's part, is not a wishful hope or a mere possibility. It is a bold proclamation made in confidence. As such, it should give us confidence when we truly hear it. So many other "words" across history have gotten lost or contradicted by actual events. But not God's word.

The parable of the Sower teaches us how indifferent responses to the word of the kingdom prove to be unfruitful. Distractions come first of all from the world; and then from the flesh; and finally, from the devil.

On the other hand, fruit brought forth from the responsive heart is everywhere and abundant. "Fruit" is a word common in bible usage to represent the good works and faithfulness that flow from God's grace. And that can be measured as a hundredfold, or sixty, or thirty. The measurement is God's task. The producer of the response is either you or me or both.

The story has been told of a new commander who was sent to an army fort on the American frontier. He soon was involved in a conference with an important Indian chief. Working through a translator, he nervously asked the chief a number of questions and was surprised to get no reply. After the meeting, he asked the translator why he had gotten no response. The translator replied, "That's what we call Indian time." "He has enough respect for your questions to go away and think about them before answering them."

Maybe we all need to practice more "Indian time."



Gloucester Catholic RAMS KIDS BASKETBALL CAMP

For Players Going Into 4th to 9th Grades

Week 1: Monday, July 13th to Thursday, July 16th
Boys

Week 2: Monday, July 20th to Thursday, July 23rd
Boys and Girls

\$150.00 per week (or \$265 for both)

Please register early before space fills up.
Contact Coach Brandon Dougherty for registration information.

Email: brandondougherty5@yahoo.com



Holy Family's Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (OCIA) registration is open.

Who Should Join OCIA?

Adults not yet baptized who would like to become Catholic. Adults who have been baptized as a Catholic or other Christian denomination but still need the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Holy Eucharist, and/or Confirmation.

For more information, contact
Deacon Dean Johnson at
djohnson@churchoftheholymfamily.org
or call the Parish Office at 856-228-1616.



Catechists Needed

for Fall to Spring
Faith Formation Classes

If interested, please contact the
Religious Education Office

Jane Marie Hartey or MaryBeth Pasquine
856-228-2215

jhartey@churchoftheholymfamily.org
mpasquine@churchoftheholymfamily.org

Baptism Preparation

PARENTS WANTING THEIR CHILD BAPTIZED ARE ASKED TO CONTACT JACKIE NERI TO OBTAIN INFORMATION AND TO SCHEDULE A BAPTISM DATE. PLAN NOW BY CALLING JACKIE IN THE PARISH OFFICE AT 856-228-1616 TO ARRANGE FOR YOUR CHILD TO BE BAPTIZED.



REMEMBER HIS WILL IN YOURS

You can leave a legacy of faith and help ensure that our parish continues to serve future generations by making a bequest to Church of the Holy Family. Simply include the following statement in your will:

"I LEAVE TO CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY, SEWELL, NJ, THE SUM OF \$ _____ (or _____ % of the residue of my estate) for its religious, educational and charitable works."

May God abundantly bless you for bequeathing a spiritual legacy to your parish family!

Father James L. Bartoloma

Altar Flowers

Do you have a loved one whose birthday, anniversary or special occasion is coming up?

Fresh flowers for the altar may be given to honor living and deceased family members. The fresh flowers may be requested by a family or individual and will be noted in the church bulletin weekly email blast, Facebook, and on our parish website. Offering is \$75. Call the parish office for more details at 856-228-1616.





Catholic Healthcare Services

Do you or someone you love need care at home?

Contact the Diocese of Camden's Home & Parish Healthcare Services Resource and Referral Help Line

1-888-26 VITALity (1-888-268-4825)

A Free and simple Gateway to Help at Home for Seniors and Persons with Disabilities seeking to remain healthy, safe, and secure in their homes.

The VITALity HELP-LINE:

Provides information and access into Community, Health and Medical Services. Arranges for Care Coordinators to visit you at your Home to help you navigate the complex healthcare insurance and provider system. All this is provided at no charge through the charitable efforts of the Diocese of Camden.

Visit Vitality.camdendiocese.org for more information.

Prayer Requests



If you have a prayer request for the Prayer Line, please call or email Kathy, 856-535-1185, kathymastran@gmail.com with your intentions.

All requests are held in confidence.

"Pray for the Sick" and "Military Prayer" List Update

We are in the process of updating our "Pray for the Sick" and "Military Prayer" lists. If you would like to remove a name from either list please contact the parish office at 856-228-1616. Thank you.

VIRTUS courses: Protecting God's Children

All adult volunteers and employees who are in regular contact with minors in the Diocese of Camden must complete an in-person safe environment training program. Adults must be recertified in this program, VIRTUS Protecting God's Children, after five years. The next courses are below; contact the parish or school to register. We kindly ask that all attendees arrive promptly, as late entry may not be permitted once the meeting has begun.

Protecting God's Children for Adults

Catholic Community of the Holy Spirit, Mullica Hill
07-21-26, 6:00pm, Denise Ware, Instructor

Holy Spirit High School, Absecon
08-11-26, 6:00pm, Matt Custer, Instructor

Christ the King Parish, Haddonfield
08-12-26, 6:00pm, Dolores Mozzillo, Instructor

St. Charles Borromeo Parish, Sicklerville
08-27-26, 12:00pm, Robin Strough, Instructor

For more information or questions, contact Robin Strough, Director of the Office of Child and Youth Protection for the Diocese of Camden, at:

Robin.Strough@camdendiocese.org
or 856-583-6114

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**.