

# The Parish of St. John Neumann

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The Parish of Saint John Neumann serving the Catholic community in Lower Township by the bay, invites you to share our time, talents, and treasures where miracles DO happen.

## Mass Schedule

<b>Saturday Vigil</b> .....	4:00 pm (St. John of God) 6:00 pm (St. Raymond, May - Sept. only)
<b>Sunday</b> .....	8:00 am (St. Raymond) 10:00 am (St. John of God) 7:00 pm in Spanish (St. Raymond)
<b>Monday</b>	7:00 pm in Spanish (St. Raymond)
<b>Thursday</b>	7:00 pm in Spanish (St. Raymond, followed with Adoration)
<b>First Saturday</b> .....	9:00 am (St. Raymond, with Holy Hour following)
<b>Daily, Mon. - Fri.</b> .....	9:00 am (St. John of God)
<b>Holy Days</b> .....	9:00 am (St. John of God) 7:00 pm (St. Raymond)

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Every Saturday, 2:30 - 3:30 pm St. John of God Church  
Every Wednesday following 9:00 am Daily Mass at St. John of God  
First Saturday following 9:00 am St. Raymond  
Confession also available by appointment with a priest at the Parish Office.

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parents or legal guardians are welcome to call or make an appointment at the office for baptismal preparation. Infant baptism is offered to children aged 7 and younger. The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated either after or during one of the Sunday Masses. Godparents will need an eligibility certificate from their proper pastor.

## LETTER OF ELIGIBILITY/SPONSOR CERTIFICATE

Parishioners who need a letter of eligibility or a certificate to stand as a godparent or sponsor must make an appointment with Father King. He can be reached at ext. 307 or james.king@camdendiocese.org.

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

St. John of God Chapel, Town Bank Road  
Monday - Friday, 8:00 am - 2:00 pm (only if office is open)  
Thursday 7:30 - 8:30 pm St. Raymond Church

## SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

If someone is seriously ill, hospitalized, preparing for surgery, or failing due to advanced age they are welcome to call for a priest for the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick. Please call the office for arrangements. Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are available to bring Communion to the homebound. The sick will be remembered in the bulletin for four (4) weeks; longer if requested to continue.

## PREPARATION FOR THE SACRAMENTS OF EUCHARIST AND CONFIRMATION

After two years of religious education, baptized children receive their First Holy Communion, usually the first weekend in May.

Confirmation is offered for those who have been baptized and received their First Holy Communion after several more years of instruction. Confirmation is usually administered when the young person is in the 8th grade. Please call Sr. Kathleen at the Religious Education office for more information.

## SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

The future bride or groom may contact the parish office requesting to be married. Marriage preparation usually takes 9-12 months. Please speak to one of the priests to confirm a date and arrange preparations.

## SACRAMENT OF HOLY ORDERS

If a man from our parish feels he may be called to the priesthood or diaconate he is invited to speak with Fr. King or Fr. Cesar to explore this calling or call the Office of Vocations: 856-583-2864, or <https://camdenpriest.org>.

## Staffed By

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Sr. Marie Horstmann, IHM... Spanish Apostolate Assoc.

## Registration

Any family or individual who is not registered in the parish and wishes to join is welcome to register with us. Please be sure to notify your current parish if you are transferring and request a letter from your current pastor. Please notify the office if you live elsewhere or if you are moving from the parish so that we can assist you. Registration is important for eligibility certificates and parish records.

## Ongoing Religious Education

### DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Sr. Kathleen Nuckols, IHM

**Grades 1 to 8:** Tuesdays at 4:30 - 5:45 pm &  
Wednesdays at 6:00 - 7:15 pm at the Parish Life Center, St. Raymond Church

### RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

Please call Sr. Kathleen at the Religious Education 609-886-7460, for more information. You may also contact Father King.

## Important Information

**Office:** 609-884-1656

**Convent:** 609-886-3663

**Fax:** 609-898-0673

**Email:** [stjn-ncm@camdendiocese.org](mailto:stjn-ncm@camdendiocese.org)

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**St. John Neumann Parish**  
**Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**2023 A.D.**  
**Rosary 1/2 hr. before every Mass**

**ST. JOHN OF GOD CHURCH**

**Saturday, August 19th**

**4:00 p.m.** Living and Deceased Members  
of the Parish

**Sunday, August 20th**

**10:00 a.m.** † Mark Kelly

**ST. RAYMOND CHURCH**

**Saturday, August 19th**

**6:00 p.m.** \* Int. of Andrew Drake

**Sunday, August 20th**

**8:00 a.m.** † Charles Rowe  
† Thomas E. Morency, Jr.  
† John F. St. John  
† Joan Schaffer  
\* Int. of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Conley

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**Daily-St. John of God**

**Monday, August 21st**

**9:00 a.m.** † Virginia Morris

**Tuesday, August 22nd**

**9:00 a.m.** † Lawrence Brisson

**Wednesday, August 23rd**

**9:00 a.m.** † Paul Horoschak, Jr.

**Thursday, August 24th**

**9:00 a.m.** † Augustine J. Doyle

**Friday, August 25th**

**9:00 a.m.** † Thomas M. Doherty, Jr.  
† Margaret "Peg" Heineman O'Donnell  
† Regina Bennett  
\* Int. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barb  
\* Int. Paul and Vi Horoschak

† indicates Deceased



**From Father King**

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**Glory to Jesus Christ**

A warm thanks and congratulations to all of you! As of last week we have met and exceeded our goal for the South Jersey Catholic Ministries Appeal! This is a great accomplishment. I know that each year the Parish of St. John Neumann reaches and exceeds the goal, however, it is an honor for me to experience it in my first year as pastor.

Many people still ask, "what does the campaign do?" or "this just benefits Catholic Charities, right?" The Campaign does do much to support Catholic Charities, however, that is not all. It assists in supporting our seminarians and our retired priests. The Campaign covers the expenses for providing Catholic Chaplaincy at 18 hospitals in South Jersey so that the sick have someone to pray with them and a priest to give them the Sacraments. The Campaign helps to pay for Campus Ministry at Stockton, Rowan, and Rutgers Universities. It also (as we saw in the video this year) helps to support lay people who are training for a life in ministry. This is in addition to providing direct support to the poor, the needy, and immigrants.

Again, thank you to all who contributed to the 2023 South Jersey Catholic Ministries Appeal. Thanks to you we have made our goal. If you have not yet made a pledge or contribution, there is still time. The cards are on the tables in the vestibules of each of our churches. You can also stop by the office to pick one up. We remember Jesus' words: "Whatever you do to the least of these, you have done it to me."

God Bless you!  
-Fr. King



**O WOMAN,**   
**GREAT IS YOUR FAITH.**

# WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND OUR PARISH

## Our Future Mass Intentions

### Saturday, August 26th

\*St. John of God: 4:00 p.m. Arabia & Wilson Family

\*St. Raymond: 6 p.m. Jack Wichterman

### Sunday, August 27th

\*St. Raymond: 8:00 a.m. Living and Deceased Members of the Parish

\*St. John of God: 10 a. m. Louis Porto and Family, Stanley Lev, Marguerite Wadlinger, Carol Ann Amato, Robert Amato, Rita Tineo, Ruby Monaghan, Elisabeth Bartel, Caroline Joseph

## Our Weekly Collection

### August 12th and 13th, 2023

Budgeted Income Needed	\$ 18,015.05
Weekly Bingo Expenses	\$ 512.00
Total Budgeted Expense:	\$ 18,527.05
Offertory	\$ 13,606.29
Second Collection	\$ 1,389.00
Candles	\$ 100.00
Bingo Wed.	\$ 2,214.00
Bingo Fri.	\$ 5,264.00
Total Income:	\$ 22,573.29
NET	\$ 4,046.24
Poor Box	\$ 316.00

South Jersey Ministry Appeal:

Parish Goal: \$109,000.00

Raised to Date: \$110,745.00 = 101.51% of Goal

## PRAY FOR OUR HOMEBOUND:

Robert Balbirer, Gloria Cromley, Patricia Dimino, John Dooley, Marie Eagan, Barbara English, Mary Kennedy, Maryann MacFarlane, Anne McFadden, Margaret McIrvin, Richard Murphy, Eleanor Myers, Frances Poserina, Ana Sarandoulas, and Paul Smargiassi.



## Scripture Readings for the Week of August 21st

Monday: Jgs 2:11-19; Ps 106:34-37, 39-40, 43ab, 44; Mt 19:16-22

Tuesday: Jgs 6:11-24a; Ps 85:9, 11-14; Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday: Jgs 9:6-15; Ps 21:2-7; Mt 20:1-16

Thursday: Rv 21:9b-14; Ps 145:10-13, 17-18; Jn 1:45-51

Friday: Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22; Ps 146:5-10; Mt 22:34-40

**PRAY FOR OUR SICK:** Krista Balderman, Michael Bennett, Chuck Billington, Dylan Callaghan, Vito Capezio, Nancy Cellucci, Kathleen Connors. Linda Cramer, Richard Druback, Rita Edwards, Maryann Fortuna, Tom Frisoli, Elva Hertneck, Hank Kobik, Barbara Lacey, Peg Lipsett, Jerome Marshall, Brian Matthews, Jr., Brian Matthews, Sr., Joe Mulcahy, Bernie O'Donnell, Donna Marie Riggi, Sal Riggi, Sal Salfi, Anna Marie Scavetti, Danielle Silvestri, Mike and Valerie Szymendera and Rikki Teeples.



## PRAY FOR OUR ACTIVE MILITARY:

Tech. Sgt. Matthew T. Martino, USAF

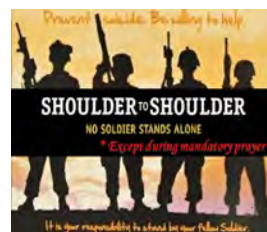
James Matthews, US Army

Brian Ivers, Jr. USAF

CTR3 Elizabeth Pepper, USN

SA Julianna Mendo, USCG

Ryan M. Sylvester, USAF



*Bring them safely home, Lord*



#### PARISH ONLINE GIVING –QR Code

Parish Giving made easy!! Use your phone to scan the code to make your donation. Open up your camera. Hold your phone up to the code. A link will appear. Just tap on the link and follow the prompts.

*Thank you so much for your generous support of our parish!*

### **FATHER KING'S INSTALLATION MASS AND RECEPTION**

Bishop Sullivan will celebrate the 10 a.m. Mass on September 10th at St. John of God Church to install Father King as Pastor.

Following Mass we will gather in the Church Hall for a reception with a menu according to Father King's wishes. We will dine on hamburgers and hot dogs!! Plus sides and desserts, cold drinks and coffee.

If you would like to contribute to the sides or desserts, please call the office and let us know what you will be bringing. Father has requested no appetizers (misprint in previous bulletin). Please let us know how many your side or dessert will feed so we can gauge how much more we may need of any one item.

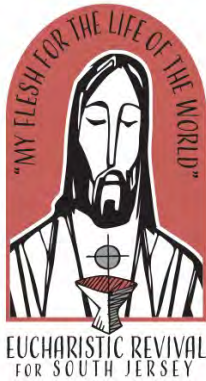
Everyone is welcome, however reservations are important so please call Pati at 609-884-1656, EXT 302 or email her at [patisparks@parishofstjohnneumann.org](mailto:patisparks@parishofstjohnneumann.org)

**SEE YOU THERE!!**

### **Support Catholic Radio Stations!!**

There will be a fund raising concert on Sunday, September 10th at 3 p.m. at the Notre Dame High School Theater in Lawrenceville, NJ to support Domestic Church Media (DCM), which can be heard in New Jersey and Pennsylvania, WFJS 1260 AM (Trenton), WFJS 89.3 FM (Freehold), WGYM 1570 AM (Hammonton) and WSMJ 91-9 FM (Cape May). Seats are reserved and cost \$35.00, with all proceeds going to support the work of DCM, a non-profit organization. For tickets and more information call 609-882-9357 or go to [www.DomesticChurchMedia.org](http://www.DomesticChurchMedia.org)





The Eucharist is ‘the source and summit of the Christian life.’ ‘The other sacraments, and indeed all ecclesiastical ministries and works of the apostolate, are bound up with the Eucharist and are oriented toward it. For in the blessed Eucharist is contained the whole spiritual good of the Church, namely Christ himself, our Pasch.’”

– *Catechism of the Catholic Church, 1324*

The Bishops of the United States are calling for a three-year grassroots revival of devotion and belief in the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist. They believe that God wants to see a movement of Catholics across the United States, healed, converted, formed, and unified by an encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist—and sent out in mission “for the life of the world.”



All are welcome to spend time in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament on Tuesday, August 23 at 7 PM at Sacred Heart Church, Vineland!

The evening will include exposition and blessing with the Blessed Sacrament, music and time of prayer and reflection. The Holy Hour will be in English and Spanish.

### Mark your Calendars!

August 31st is the Feast of St. Raymond Nonnatus, Co-Patron of our Parish. For the first time in recent history we will have a special evening Mass to celebrate this wonderful saint at 7:00 PM, St. Raymond Church. Mass will be Bilingual.

Join us for an Ice Cream Social in St. Raymond Hall following Mass!



### CCD NEWS

Religious Education Classes are held from September 19th to May 8th on Tuesdays and Wednesdays in the Parish Life Center.

Classes for grades 1-8 on Tuesdays from 4:30 to 5:45

(Grade level 1 on Tuesday is for 4, 5, and 6 year old children)

Classes for grades 1-8 are on Wednesdays from 6 pm to 7:15 pm. You have your choice of Tuesday or Wednesday sessions.

Registration information, registration forms, and yearly calendar can be picked up at the parish office or downloaded from the parish website: [www.parihofstjohnneumann.org](http://www.parihofstjohnneumann.org)  
Please mail your registration form and fee to : Sister Kathleen Nuckols, St. Raymond Convent, 25 E. Ocean Ave., Villas, NJ 08251

The registration fee for the coming year is: \$85 for the first child and \$130 for two or more children.

The first day of class is September 19th and 20th.

There is a meeting for all parents of first grade students and students new to the program on Sept. 13th at 7 pm at the Parish Life Center. If you have not provided us with a copy of your child’s baptismal certificate, please bring it with you to the meeting.

Thank you, Sister Kathleen



Parish of St. Padre Pio

Sunday, September 24th, 2023

21st Annual Padre Pio Festival  
11 a.m. to 5 p.m.  
4680 Dante Ave., Vineland, NJ 08361

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## Lay Dominicans

Lay Dominicans meet on the 4th Sunday each month at 9 AM for Morning Prayer (Liturgy of the Hours), rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet in the Adoration Chapel, 680 Town Bank Rd. Our next meeting is August 27. Please join us.

Also join us on Thursday Evenings at 5:30 for Eucharistic Adoration and rosary. Our rosary intentions alternate themes, for priests, pro-life, for our country.

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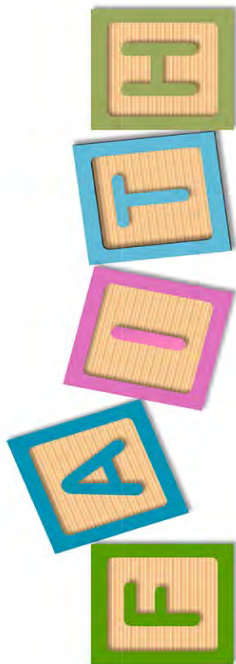
## Gospel Today | 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time | Mt 15:21-28

A very persistent foreign woman begged Jesus to heal her daughter. She had great faith in Jesus. Jesus said "Woman, you have great faith! Your request is granted."

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### BIBLE WORD SEARCH

Find all the words... left, right, up, down or diagonally.



Jesus  
Welcome  
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Foreign  
Suffering  
Daughter  
Great  
Faith  
Woman  
Mercy  
Help  
Disciples  
Request  
Granted  
Healed



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Jesus accepted the foreign woman and her faith. Today, Jesus expects us to welcome foreigners and their faith to our communities. Our churches are called **Faith Filled Communities**. On a separate sheet of paper draw a picture of what your church, or "faith filled community" looks like.

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