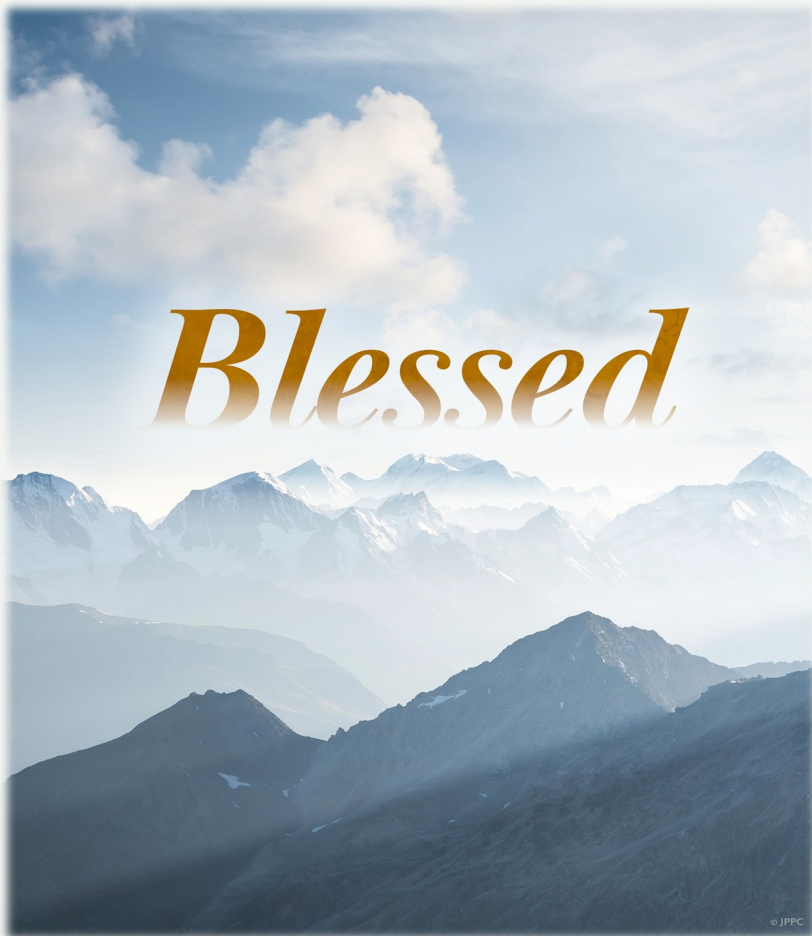




Sacred Heart Parish
Parroquia Sagrado Corazón
www.sacredheartofcamden.com
parishoffice@sacredheartofcamden.com

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 1, 2026



CUARTO DOMINGO DEL
TIEMPO ORDINARIO
Día 01 de Febrero del 2026

Parish Mission Statement

As a Beacon of Hope for all who desire to encounter God's Love in Camden, Sacred Heart Parish is called to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ through word, sacrament and service.

Our diverse multi-cultural expression of worship is our strength, welcoming and inviting all to follow us on this spiritual journey.

Our historic Churches of St. Bartholomew, St. Joan of Arc and Sacred Heart stand on the side of life and justice, uniting us as one faith family, as we strive to conform our hearts to the Heart of Jesus.

Sacred Heart Church
1739 Ferry Avenue
Camden, NJ 08104

Monday ~ Saturday Mass: 8:15 a.m.
Sunday Mass: 10:30 a.m.

St. Bartholomew Church
751 Kaighn Avenue
Camden, NJ 08103
Office: (856) 365-0573
Sunday Mass: 11:00 a.m.

St. Joan of Arc Church
3107 Alabama Road
Camden, NJ 08104
Office: (856) 257-3346
Tuesday: Confession 6:30 p.m.
Mass 7:00 p.m. Spanish
Thursday: Confession 6:30 p.m.
Mass 7:00 p.m. Spanish

Saturday: Confession 3:30 p.m.
Vigil Mass: 4:00 p.m. English
Sunday Mass: 9:00 a.m. Spanish

Sacred Heart Office Hours:
Monday-Friday
9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Office: (856) 966-6700
parishoffice@sacredheartofcamden.com

Clergy:
Rev. Vincent Guest, Pastor
Rev. Dalton Reyes,
Part Time Parochial Vicar
Deacon Otilio Peguero

Sacred Heart School
Mrs. Elizabeth Mariani, Principal
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Pastor's Corner



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Sacred Heart School: A Legacy of Faith, Hope, and Commitment

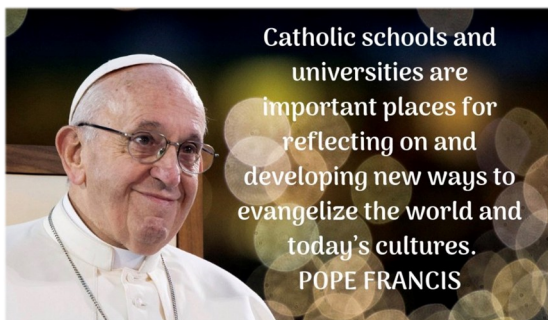
As we celebrate Catholic Schools Week, we give thanks to God for the remarkable gift of our Sacred Heart School and for all who have sustained it for 106 years. For over a century, generations of children here in the City of Camden have been formed not only in academics, but in faith, character, and hope. Our school has stood as a steady light in the neighborhood—educating young minds, nurturing young hearts, and proclaiming by its very presence that every child is precious in the eyes of God.

A Catholic school in the inner city is more than a place of learning. It is a ministry of the Church and a sign of our commitment to the dignity of every child, especially those who face economic hardship and limited opportunities. Each day, our teachers and staff teach the Gospel through patience, excellence, discipline, compassion, and love. They help our students discover that God has a purpose for their lives and that faith and education together can open doors to a brighter future. At the same time, we must speak honestly and responsibly. Keeping the doors of our school open is an ongoing challenge. It costs approximately \$8,000 to educate a child at our school. I have followed Father Michael's playbook of asking donors for \$300 to "sponsor a child," thus, each child needs many sponsors to cover real costs. We rely on the generosity of parishioners and friends.

Catholic Schools Week is not only a time of celebration—it is also a moment to renew our shared responsibility to ensure that this vital ministry continues for the next generation. I ask you to pray for our school, our students, and our dedicated faculty. I also ask you, as you are able, to consider financial support for our school. Your sacrifice—whether large or small—is an investment in faith, education, and the future of our city. Together, with God's help, we can honor our past, strengthen our present, and keep this beacon of hope shining for years to come.

God Bless you, and may God continue to Bless the Sacred Heart School,

Fr. Vince



Catholic schools and universities are important places for reflecting on and developing new ways to evangelize the world and today's cultures.
POPE FRANCIS

PS...Do you receive my daily prayer messages via email? If not, you can sign up, please send your name and email to frvguest@gmail.com.



SH: Sacred Heart ~ Sagrado Corazón
SB: St. Bartholomew ~ San Bartolomé
SJ: St. Joan of Arc ~ Santa Juana de Arco



Saturday, January 31

SH 8:15 a.m.
 SJ 4:00 p.m.

St. John Bosco

Pro Populo
 Pro Populo

Sunday, February 1

SJ 9:00 a.m.
 SH 10:30 a.m.
 SB 11:00 a.m.

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Por Nuestra Familia Parroquial
 Pro Populo
 + Marilyn G. King rb Rhoda
 Trinity

Monday, February 2

SH 8:15 a.m.

Presentation of the Lord

+Madeleine Mazza rb daughter
 Carolyn

Tuesday, February 3

SH 8:15 a.m.

St. Blaise, & St. Ansgar

+John Giacinto rb Michael &
 Alice Sullivan
Por Nuestra Familia Parroquial

SJ 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, February 4

SH 8:15 a.m.

Weekday

Pro Populo

Thursday, February 5

SH 8:15 a.m.
 SJ 7:00 p.m.

St. Agatha

Pro Populo
Por Nuestra Familia Parroquial

Friday, February 6

SH 8:15 a.m.

St. Paul Miki & Companions

Pro Populo

Saturday, February 7

SH 8:15 a.m.
 SJ 4:00 p.m.

Mem - Blessed Virgin Mary

Pro Populo
 Pro Populo

Sunday, February 8

SJ 9:00 a.m.
 SH 10:30 a.m.
 SB 11:00 a.m.

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Por Nuestra Familia Parroquial
 Pro Populo
 Pro Populo

Please start bringing
 your old palms to
 church.



4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading I Zephaniah 2:3; 3:12-13
Reading II: 1 Corinthians 1: 26-31
The Gospel: Matthew 5: 1-12a



Bill Atkins, Pat Best, Colin Brennan, James
 Brisbon, Jr. Leon Briscoe, Shanee Brown, Colleen
 Cangro, Jim Cummings, Rachelle Custis, Tony
 Damato, Pauline Davis, Jack Dever, Clare Dunn,
 Tanya Drummond, Maria & John Edwards, Mary
 Ellen Edwards, Cattie Fleming, Michelle Frazier,
 Josephine & Michael Giacchino, Clifton Harris,
 Anne Hartman, Jim Holmes, Mary Holmes,
 Bernadette Jefferson, Joel Johnson, Jr., Tameira
 Jones, Michele Karwacki, Rose Kane, Ginny King,
 Richard Kelly, Laurie Laurenzi, Andrew Leonard,
 Laura Lipetz, Alexis Macrina, Terry McCarthy,
 Andrew McGee, Charlene Morris, Patrick
 Mulligan, Andy Musetto, Samuel Okwamba,
 Kathy Olszewski, Betzaida Ortiz, Adam Pallesen,
 Jackie Partridge, Kathleen Pierce, Kelly Pyle,
 Joe (Brother) Roberts, Dee & Gary Skyrn, Mary
 Tettemer, Michael Trost, Tammy Webb, Ruth
 Wilkerson, Bill Wisely, Pat Wisely, Anna
 Whitman & Frank Zinni

Weekly Scripture Justice Challenge
February 1, 2026

**Sunday's Gospel is Jesus' beatitude teaching
 from the Sermon on the Mount. The
 beatitudes provide us with a blueprint for being
 people of faith and justice. Your challenge this
 week is to take one beatitude each day. Read the
 beatitude in the morning, and ask God for the
 strength to practice that attitude throughout the
 day. Then in the evening, reflect on whether or
 not you lived that particular "attitude of
 being" in your life during the day. Thank God
 for your successes, ask for forgiveness
 where you failed, and pray for the courage and
 strength to live that beatitude in the future.**

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SPIRITUAL FORMATION



**Parish Evangelization and Synod Planning”
Schedule: TBA**



Church Weekly Offering

January 25: will be provided next week

**Please scan QR code to donate.
Thank you for your generosity!**

**[Sacredheartofcamden.com/
parishgiving](https://sacredheartofcamden.com/parishgiving)**

A Celebration of Black History Month
sponsored by the Office of Black Catholics Of the Diocese of Camden



**“WE COULD USE
A LITTLE NOISE
AROUND HERE.”**

When Jazz pianist and composer Mary Lou Williams suggested to Cardinal Cooke of NY that she wanted to premier her Jazz Mass at St. Patrick's Cathedral, he said it was a great idea, and added, “We could use a little noise around here.”

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11

Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Camden NJ

6:30 pm

Parking Available

ART, MUSIC, and STORY are the best ways to unlock memories both happy and sad as well as connect human hearts in Peace, Love, and Joy.

Join artist **BROTHER MICKEY MC GRATH**

and singer and pianist **MEREDITH DEAN AUGUSTIN** as they make Joyful Noises Unto the Lord and blend their talents to provide an evening filled with **LOTS OF FUN and PRAYERFUL INSPIRATION.**



Meredith Dean Augustin is a nationally known singer and pianist in the world of Catholic liturgical music. She even once sang back-up for Patti La Belle!
Brother Mickey McGrath is a popular artist, author, and retreat leader.
Together, these friends of many years will entertain you and help to restore your hope, warm your heart, and remind you that Beauty in all its forms will indeed save the World.

PARISH & SCHOOL EVENTS



Let us thank all those who teach in Catholic schools. Educating is an act of love; it is like giving life.

Pope Francis



DIOCESE OF CAMDEN BLACK HISTORY MONTH MASS

**HONORING THE HERITAGE, THE FAITH AND THE
RESILIENCE OF PEOPLE OF AFRICAN DESCENT**

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 15, 2026

SAINT CHARLES BORROMEO CATHOLIC CHURCH

176 STAGECOACH ROAD SICKLERVILLE NEW JERSEY

2:00 PM



FATHER VINCENT GUEST
PRESIDER



FATHER GERARD MARABLE
HOMILIST

**ALL ARE
WELCOME**



World Day for the Sick Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes

In honor of World Day for the Sick (February 11)
and the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes,
the parish will celebrate the
Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Sacred Heart Church
Sunday, February 8
10:30 AM Mass

All are welcome.



SACRED HEART GATHERING FOR PEACE AND JUSTICE

ENVIRONMENTAL INJUSTICE IN CAMDEN

A Sin Against the People

Saturday, February 14, 2026

9:00 AM - 2PM

SACRED HEART CHURCH

1739 FERRY AVE. CAMDEN NJ 08104



Listen to dynamic, insightful and engaging guest speakers talk about the impact of environmental pollutants on human health and highlighting its ethical and physical effects. We hope to inspire and take action to oppose these activities and talk about opportunities for citizen action and engagement.

GUEST SPEAKERS

Frank Santos

Head of Strategy and Design, Black in Jersey

Sacoby Wilson, PhD

Director of Health Environmental and Economic
Justice Laboratory, Univ. of Maryland

Rev. Edwin Gariguez

Former Executive Director of National Secretariat
for Social Action, Philippines & Pastor of Good
Shepherd Parish, Victoria Or Mindoro, Philippines

Ajeenah (AJ) Riggs,

Project Manager, Center for Environmental
Transformation, Camden, NJ



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Rincón del Pastor

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Escuela del Sagrado Corazón: Un legado de fe, esperanza y compromiso

Al celebrar la Semana de las Escuelas Católicas, damos gracias a Dios por el extraordinario don de nuestra Escuela del Sagrado Corazón y por todos aquellos que la han sostenido durante 106 años. Durante más de un siglo, generaciones de niños aquí en la ciudad de Camden se han formado no solo académicamente, sino también en la fe, el carácter y la esperanza. Nuestra escuela ha sido un faro de luz en el barrio, educando mentes jóvenes, nutriendo corazones jóvenes y proclamando con su sola presencia que cada niño es precioso a los ojos de Dios.

Una escuela Católica en el centro de la ciudad es más que un lugar de aprendizaje. Es un ministerio de la Iglesia y un signo de nuestro compromiso con la dignidad de cada niño, especialmente de aquellos que enfrentan dificultades económicas y oportunidades limitadas. Cada día, nuestros maestros y personal enseñan el Evangelio a través de la paciencia, la excelencia, la disciplina, la compasión y el amor. Ayudan a nuestros estudiantes a descubrir que Dios tiene un propósito para sus vidas y que la fe y la educación juntas pueden abrirles las puertas a un futuro mejor. Al mismo tiempo, debemos hablar con honestidad y responsabilidad. Mantener las puertas de nuestra escuela abiertas es un desafío constante. Educar a un niño en nuestra escuela cuesta aproximadamente \$8,000. He seguido el ejemplo del Padre Michael de pedir a los donantes \$300 para “apadrinar a un niño”, por lo tanto, cada niño necesita muchos padrinos para cubrir los costos reales. Dependemos de la generosidad de los feligreses y amigos.

La Semana de las Escuelas Católicas no es solo un tiempo de celebración, sino también un momento para renovar nuestra responsabilidad compartida de asegurar que este ministerio vital continúe para la próxima generación. Les pido que oren por nuestra escuela, nuestros estudiantes y nuestro dedicado profesorado. También les pido que, en la medida de sus posibilidades, consideren brindar apoyo financiero a nuestra escuela. Su sacrificio, grande o pequeño, es una inversión en la fe, la educación y el futuro de nuestra ciudad. Juntos, con la ayuda de Dios, podemos honrar nuestro pasado, fortalecer nuestro presente y mantener este faro de esperanza brillando durante muchos años más.

Que Dios los bendiga, y que Dios continúe bendiciendo la Escuela del Sagrado Corazón,

Padre Vicente



¿Recibes mis mensajes diarios de oración por correo electrónico? Si no, puedes registrarte; envía un correo electrónico a frvquest@gmail.com para registrarse para recibir actualizaciones Parroquiales y oración diaria.

Formación de Vida Spiritual



An Initiative of **LOYOLA UNIVERSITY NEW ORLEANS** **NCCL**
National Community of Catechetical Leaders

Evangelización Parroquial y Planificación Sinodal
Horario: Ser Anuncion

Diezmo Parroquial de Sagrado Corazón

Día 25 de Enero: será proporcionado

Escanee el código QR para donaciones en Línea



¡Dios los bendiga a todos por su generosidad!

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Reto Semanal de las Escrituras Sobre la Justicia

Día 1 de Febrero del 2026

El Evangelio del Domingo presenta Las Bienaventuranzas de Jesús, extraídas del Sermón de la Montaña. Las Bienaventuranzas nos ofrecen un modelo para ser personas de fe y justicia. El reto de esta semana consiste en reflexionar sobre una Bienaventuranza cada día. Lee la Bienaventuranza por la mañana y pídele a Dios la fuerza para ponerla en práctica a lo largo del día. Luego, por la noche, reflexiona sobre si viviste o no esa "actitud" en tu vida durante el día. Agradece a Dios por tus logros, pide perdón por tus fallas y ora para tener el valor y la fuerza para vivir esa Bienaventuranza en el futuro.

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RESERVEN LA FECHA
MIÉRCOLES, DÍA 11 DE FEBRERO

Mes de la Historia Afrocatólica

"Nos vendría bien un poco de animación por aquí."

Celebración del Mes de la Historia Afroamericana



SEMANA DE LAS
ESCUELAS CATÓLICAS
26 de ENERO –
1 de FEBRERO

NOTICIAS PARROQUIALES

Demos las gracias a todos aquellos que enseñan en las escuelas Católicas. Educar es Un acto de Amor; es como dar la vida.

Papa Francisco



PARROQUIA SAGRADO CORAZÓN



Retiro de Cuaresma

"EUCARISTÍA MILAGRO DE AMOR"



SILVIA MARIELA Y JOSÉ TOMÁS PARAGUAY



PBRO. DALTON REYES SES

22 de febrero
de 2:00 pm a
6:00pm

LUGAR: IGLESIA, SANTA JUANA DE ARCO

DIRECCIÓN 3107 ALABAMA RD CAMDEN NJ 08104

RETIRO PARA

Caballeros

Febrero 27-28 al Marzo 1, 2026

RETIRO COMIENZA EL VIERNES A LAS 6:00 PM

Lugar: Iglesia St. Joseph's Polish
1010 Liberty St.
Camden, NJ 08104

Costo: \$125



"Vengan a mi los que estén cansados y agobiados, que yo los haré descansar."
Mateo 11-28

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