

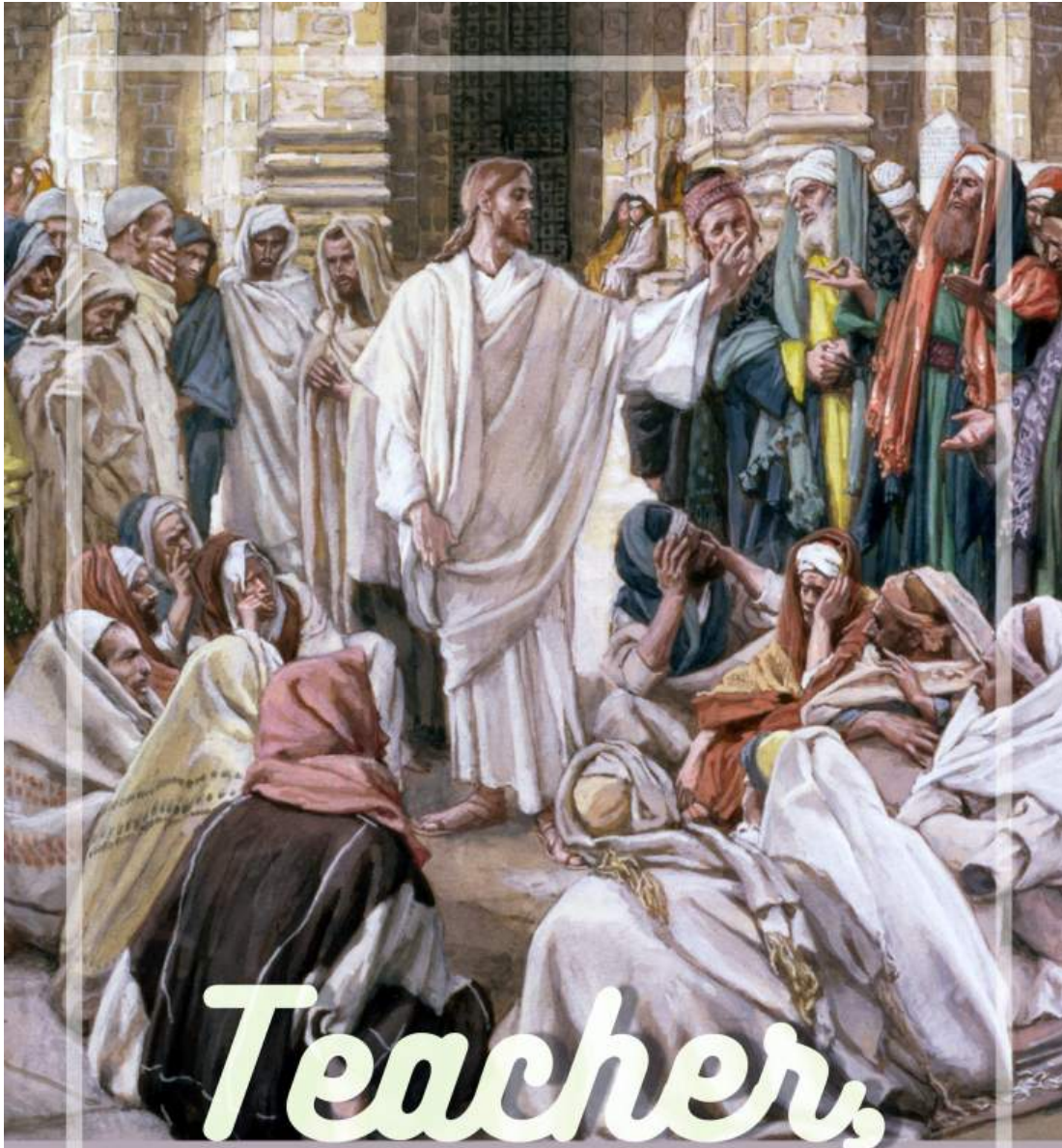
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October 29, 2023 ~ 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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MATTHEW 22:36



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Fr. H. Todd Carter

Pastor

Fr. Caesar Rubiano

Hospital Chaplain

Deacon John Klinecicz

Deacon Robert Cerefice

Christa Dalmazio

Director of Music

Mrs. Fran Burke

Coordinator of Religious Education

Mass Schedule

Monday thru Saturday: 9:00 AM (except some holidays)

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 Noon, 5:30 PM

Traditional Latin Mass is celebrated every first Saturday at 9 am and every third Sunday at 3 pm.

Parish Membership

All new families are welcomed and encouraged to join Holy Innocents Parish as soon as possible by contacting the Parish Office, or by submitting the online Registration Form at www.holyinnocentschurch.net. In order to be recognized as a practicing member of the Parish, it is necessary to be registered and show your presence and support by attendance at Mass, and through regular use of your Offering Envelopes.

Baptism

Baptisms are celebrated the 1st, 3rd & 4th Sundays of the month at 1:30 PM. Baptism Preparation Class is held on the first Friday of the month. Please call the Parish Office (x127) to arrange a baptism or to schedule attendance of Baptism Prep Class.

Marriage

Parishioners should call the Parish Office (x127) no less than ONE YEAR in advance of your desired wedding date. Engaged Encounter or Pre-Cana Conference is required and suggested 6 months before the wedding. Sunday weddings are not celebrated in this parish.

Reconciliation

Saturdays 2:30 - 3:30 PM

Please Remember Holy Innocents Church in Your Will.

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MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, October 28, 2023

9:00 A.M. CAILOSIA MARY COBB r/b John Cobb
4:00 P.M. KYLE LUCIANO r/b Jim & Carol Maliff
ANTONETTA PRATI r/b Scotto family

SUNDAY, October 29, 2023

8:00 A.M. THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
10:00 A.M. ANTHONY PAOLO r/b His family
INT OF ZACHARY BLONSKI r/b His family
12:00 P.M. ANDY DONOHUE r/b His family
CAILOSIA MARY COBB r/b John Cobb
5:30 P.M. JOE IMPERIAL r/b Alan Roseman
BRIAN ROGERS r/b Bill & Ceil Maguire

MONDAY, October 30, 2023

9:00 A.M. INT OF ROBERT MAGLIO r/b Jeryl Maglio

TUESDAY, October 31, 2023

9:00 A.M. CONNOR GOLEMBIEWSKI r/b Walter & Mary Golembiewski
5:30 P.M. EDWARD & MARY BRACH r/b Family
MARGARET KEOGH r/b Sternik family

WEDNESDAY, November 1, 2023 All Saints

7:00 A.M. THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
9:00 A.M. PAT J. PAPA r/b Thaddeus Wargacki
HOWARD KAVOOKJIAN r/b Holy Innocents Sacristans
12:10 P.M. EDWARD TORNATORE r/b Lena Tornatore
7:00 P.M. CHARLES & ANTOINETTE NICOSIA r/b Regina Leitner

THURSDAY, November 2, 2023 All Souls

9:00 A.M. ALL SOULS

FRIDAY, November 3, 2023

9:00 A.M. DEC'D FAMILY & FRIENDS r/b Virginia Consoli

SATURDAY, November 4, 2023

9:00 A.M. INT OF REBEKAH M. BLONSKI r/b Family
4:00 P.M. RAPHAEL CANGIANO r/b Family
EDWARD CAMPBELL r/b Angie & Ron Shapinski

SUNDAY, November 5, 2023

8:00 A.M. ANNE FLANNELLY r/b Kurdewan family
SHAWN McBRIDE r/b Anne & John Moon
10:00 A.M. MARY ZAGROBELNY r/b Alina Sellinger
INT OF MADONNA HOUSE r/b Rebecca Blonski
12:00 P.M. THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
5:30 P.M. JOE IMPERIAL r/b Ann Cramer
JOJITZ ESPIRITO r/b Lomasang family

Dear Parishioners,

Halloween is just around the corner and this is the time of year that people tend to get most interested in the occult and supernatural. As Catholics, we have a special attachment to these realities since we believe in real evil, and know that exorcisms are a reality. But unfortunately, people have all kinds of misconceptions about the practice and may not even understand what demons are. So, I would like to make the following offerings for your own education and for the education of others. First, I highly recommend listening to an interview with an exorcist named Carlos Martins. He recently contributed to the "Exorcist Files" podcast for iHeart Radio. He also recently had an interview with Matt Fradd on the podcast Pints with Aquinas. It is titled, "Real Life Exorcist Shares His Story w/ Fr Carlos Martins." And it can be found on Youtube or wherever you listen to podcasts. Secondly, I would like to recommend another podcast about how certain people can overly attribute demonic activity and the problems that arise from it. On the podcast Jimmy Akin's Mysterious World, Akin (who is a Catholic Answers apologist) talks about this topic in the episode titled, "It's Always Demons? (Testing the Spirits)" It can be found on the SPQN website. Thirdly, this has nothing to do with demons. But, Jeff Carter has been working very hard preparing the CARE Classes for all of your general education about the faith. He is having another class tomorrow (October 30) in the Spiritual Center at 7:30pm. So, if you want to learn more about the faith with others, feel free to come to that. On a final note, thank you to everyone who was able to help plan for and facilitate Immaculee's Retreat last week. So much effort went into this and the fruits of this effort are apparent. A number of people approached me saying how much they got out of the retreat. Good things are happening in our parish and we thank God for it.

God bless!

Fr. Carter

P.S. Don't forget Nov 1st is All Saints Day and Holy Day of Obligation!

Holy Innocents Respect Life Committee
will be in the gathering space at Masses
Saturday & Sunday, November 4th & 5th
selling tickets for the NJ Right To Life Annual Raffle



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Healing Mass

Thursday, November 9th at 12 Noon

St. Pio of Pietrelcina Church
1100 Grand Central Avenue (Rt. 35 No.)
Lavallette, NJ
Celebrant: Fr. Joy Chacko



All are welcome! Join us for Mass with healing prayers.



Sunday
November 5, 2023

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8 am-2 pm
in the cafeteria

Please schedule an appointment at
<https://donor.cbsblood.org>

For the month of October...



Our Respect Life Committee will accept donations of warm socks, hats, scarves, gloves & mittens, boots and new and gently used winter coats for distribution through Madonna House.



**Weekend Retreat
November 10-12, 2023**

Rachel's Vineyard Retreats offer a supportive, non-judgmental process in a confidential atmosphere. It is designed to help both women and men experience the compassion of God. If you have suffered through an abortion and have isolated yourself from healing and forgiveness, please consider attending a retreat weekend. Contact:

Judy Warenkiewicz 732 536-6871

Holy Innocents Church Online Rosary Group



meets Monday thru Friday at 10 am online or over the phone. Please contact kathy.lynch65@gmail.com for information.

New members are always welcome!

You can also pray in-person Rosary every morning before 9 am daily Mass in the Church.

Holy Innocents Parish C.A.R.E. Classes

Holy Innocents Church offers a Continuing Adult Religious Education program. **C.A.R.E.** class meets at 7:30 pm in Building 2 (former Spiritual Center) on 10/30, 11/27, 1/29, 2/26, 4/29 & 5/20. In keeping with the ongoing Eucharistic Revival, this year's topic is the Eucharist. Please contact jeffcarter83@gmail.com if you plan to attend, or for information. Registration is not required to attend classes.

**Holy Innocents Church
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Are you in need of non-perishable food items?

Our Food Pantry is available for anyone who is in need. Please make an appointment by calling the number listed above.

Are you a Neptune Township resident who is experiencing a temporary financial hardship?

Please call us for information and/or assistance.

SVdP gratefully accepts grocery store gift cards, monetary donations through the green Social Concerns envelopes (checks should be made payable to St. Vincent de Paul), unexpired, non-perishable food items, and paper products. *Unfortunately, we CANNOT accept clothing, household items or food that is NEAR OR PAST ITS EXPIRATION DATE.*

If you have any questions about our services, please call.



Holy Innocents Respect Life Committee News...

On Wednesdays, September 27th to November 1st, we will participate in 40 Days for Life, praying the rosary from 11:00 am-12 Noon in front of the Planned Parenthood at 69 Newman Springs Rd, Shrewsbury. All are welcome to join us or to sign up at:

<https://www.40daysforlife.com/en/>

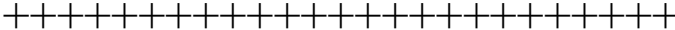
for a day/time that is more convenient. If you can't come in person, please join us in prayer from home.

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PLEASE PRAY FOR Fr. Bausch, Lottie Barr, Marie Valvano, Carol Kelly, Lydia Silva, Louise Pataranick, Chris Dall, Mike Killeen, Michael Brander, Kathryn Campanella, Debbie Clemis

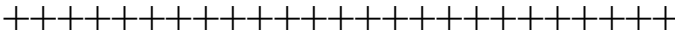
Eucharistic Adoration is held at Holy Innocents every Thursday (except holidays and holy days) 9:30 am-9 pm AND on First Fridays from 9:30 am-2 pm. Special thanks to all who make regular Adoration possible here at Holy Innocents! Please invite your friends and family members to participate, as all are welcome.



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Weekly Collections

Oct. 22nd \$7,292 (includes electronic)
\$1,760 (World Mission Sunday)



TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS
WITH GREGORIAN CHANT

Sunday, November 19th
3PM

HOLY INNOCENTS CHURCH
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Due to the popularity of the Traditional Latin mass, Fr. Carter will be offering a Traditional Latin mass every 3rd Sunday of the month. If you have devotion to and would like to see Traditional Latin masses become more widely available, then please attend this mass or voice your support.

This mass is a trial run to determine the demand for this form of the mass. If it is well attended Fr. Carter is considering making it possibly a weekly mass.

For questions or concerns, please contact Fr. Carter at toddcarterpriest@gmail.com.



Parish Office Hours
Monday thru Thursday, 8 am-4 pm
(in-person)

Schedule for the Coming Week

Sat., Oct. 28	1:00 pm Organ Recital in church 2:30 pm Confessions in chapel
Sun., Oct. 29	8:45 Religious Ed (K-7)
Mon., Oct. 30	6:00 pm Religious Ed (8) 7:30 pm C.A.R.E. Class (Bldg. 2)
Tue., Oct. 31	7:00-8:15 pm Adult Choir 8:15-9:00 pm Latin Schola
Wed., Nov. 1	All Saints Day—Holy Day of Obligation <i>Offices closed</i>
Thurs., Nov. 2	9:30 am-9:00 pm Adoration 7:00 pm AA in cafeteria (open meeting)
Fri., Nov. 3	9:30 am-2:00 pm Adoration
Sat., Nov. 4	2:30 pm Confessions in chapel NJ Right To Life Raffle Tickets at Mass
Sun., Nov. 5	8:00 am-2:00 pm Blood Drive in cafeteria NJ Right To Life Raffle Tickets at Masses
Mon., Nov. 6	8:45 Religious Ed (K-7) 6:00 pm Religious Ed (8) 7:30 pm RCIA (Bldg. 3)



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