



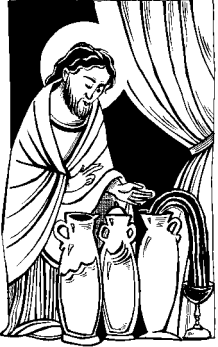
**LA PARROQUIA DEL SAGRADO CORAZON
SACRED HEART PARISH
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1739 Ferry Avenue, Camden, NJ 08104

a people called to be a Christian community and to stand on the side of life with all the struggling people of Camden and the world. Gathering around God's table every Sunday, we celebrate that Christ is Risen and ultimately all is well.

JANUARY 22, 2012, FIRST MIRACLE OF JESUS

WATER-INTO-WINE



Our third Epiphany celebrates Jesus' first miracle: *water into wine* at the Wedding Feast. We rejoiced in immersion of Jesus into our

world of matter as we recalled the baptism of Jesus in the Jordan. And now we see the ease and playfulness Jesus brings into this cosmic relationship with creation!

"Sing to God, all the earth!" (Psalm 96) from today's entrance Antiphon.

Sing sweet birds in the low branches, sing wild winds on the mountains, sing snow drifts on the hills, sing wires on the poles carrying our voices, sing waters over the stones, sing mothers to the unborn, sing old men into children's eyes! Sing everyone the umm in the collective hum of humanity! Sing to God, all the earth! Michael Doyle, 1989

THE DREAM IN CAMDEN

On Friday, January 13, 2012, Aaron Bracy's third grade class of Sacred Heart students, went on stage in the Church in the presence of other grades, teachers, and some parents and each child presented a line or two from the **"I Have A Dream"** speech. It was great because of the enthusiasm and energy of the children as they proudly spoke their lines. Everyone listening felt the dream was alive in them!

Michael Doyle aware that **Martin Luther King, Jr.** often came to Camden during his studies to become a minister at Crozier Theological School in Chester, PA. He entered it on September 14 (Feast of the Holy Cross), 1948, and graduated on May 8, 1951. He came and stayed at 940 Newton Avenue, Camden, NJ. **Michael Doyle** read a story in the *Courier Post* more than 25 years ago about the family he visited on weekends but as time went on, forgot the address in Camden. Twelve years ago, **Susan Cedrone** visited a Camden resident as a Social Worker in home care and there on the walls were many pictures of Martin Luther King and the family. When she inquired about the pictures, she was told that he came there while he was at Crozier. It was **940 Newton Avenue, Camden.**

In October 2010, the Heart of Camden procured it and gave it to Michael Doyle because he talked about it so much.

On **Monday, January 16, 2012**, the national holiday honoring Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., a group of young men and women, all African-American, tackled the first floor of 940 Newton and cleared out into a dumpster provided by the **Heart of Camden** all the rubbish and burned timbers and the overgrown back yard. They were led by **Sean Brown**, the founder of the **Young Urban Leaders** of Camden. It will be their base office. Great start!

J. B. SIPPLE

the brother of Barbara Dever, died tragically this past Tuesday, January 17, 2012. To Barbara, Jack, and Shauna, to his children, Brittany and Spencer, brother, Jim, and sister, Patricia, and all who loved him, our deepest sympathy. His spouse of 20 years, Charla, died on January 2, 2011. It was all very hard for him. May he rest in peace!

His Funeral Service will be here at Sacred Heart Church, Friday, January 27th at 8 PM.

THOMAS J. MASTERSON

of Delran, NJ died peacefully at home on January 15, 2012. He was 72 years old. Faithful sponsor of Sacred Heart School, Camden, while a loyal parishioner of Sacred Heart, Riverton. To his spouse of 48 years, Kathleen, his children: Maria, Beth Ann, Michele and Faith, and all who loved him and will miss him, our deepest sympathy. May he rest in peace! (Family requested memorial donations to Sacred Heart, Camden, NJ)

DORA ALIBRANDO (NEE IEZZI)

from Marlton, NJ formerly of Westmont and Camden, died on January 1, 2012. To her daughters, Mary and Anna, and all her family, we offer our deepest sympathy. Rest in peace! (Family requested memorial donations to Sacred Heart, Camden)

SISTER ELAINE MAHONEY, OSF

a graduate of Sacred Heart School, lived the mission of the Franciscan Sisters of Allegany faithfully for over 60 years. She died on December 12, 2011. She was 81. Her Memorial Mass was held here at Sacred Heart yesterday. May she rest in peace! (Family requested memorial donations to Sacred Heart School, Camden, NJ)

Masses for the Week

- Sunday Masses: 8:30 AM and 10:30 AM
- Daily Mass: 8:15 AM in the rectory chapel.
- Jan. 23rd** for *Loretta Obeda*
- Jan. 24th** **Francis de Sales** for *Gene Luyster*
- Jan. 25th** **Conversion of St. Paul** for *James Gavin*
- Jan. 26th** **Timothy & Titus** for *Joe Balzano*
- Jan. 27th** **Angela Merici** for *Eugene Creegan*
- Jan. 28th** **Thomas Aquinas** for *Charles Helbing, Jr.*

Mass in Lourdes Chapel Saturday, 4 PM; Sunday, Noon for people on the east side of the parish who cannot get to Sacred Heart.

WE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

that they may be healed and comforted. This week, we especially remember: Justin Laurenzi, Mary Lou Kraemer, Jack Shannon, John Opacak, William Greenan, Kathleen Pierce, Dean Cucinotta, Brian Spence, Marie Warrington, Jim O'Donnell, Doris Cunningham, Mike Esola, Laura Lipetz, Cathy Hainesworth, Othmar Carli, Betzaida Ortiz, Tim Grabowski, Gus Marini, Larry DiPaul, Tim Gooney, Josephine Sliwowski, Parris Dattilio, Gloria Orr, George Whitton, Russ Dinger, Stevie Liles, Tom Dunn, Pete Severns, and Richard Dougherty.

WE PRAY FOR THE DEAD

especially those we knew, were privileged to love, and whose lives touched ours. This month we remember those who died and were buried from our church during the month of January: Michael Rossi, Margaret Mallon, William Antonick, Charles Labato, Josephine Bezich, Louise Stetch, Agnes Smith, John Dugan, Peter Del Grande, Harry Sipple, Joseph Balzano, Sr., Nicholas Virgilio, Blanche Koonz, Maria Guzzie, Valerie Parris, Josephine Lagocki, Frances Cabaniss, Andy Orsini, Alfred Castagnola, Helen Straub, Elizabeth Tanksley, Tillie Kazlacunas, Elizabeth Sweeney, Barbara Kelly, John Koonz, Marie McKenna, Bill Pallies, Eleanor Geibel, Mary Schafer and Anjanea Williams.

WE REMEMBER OUR PARISHIONERS

who died and/or were buried from this Church since **February 2011**: Gene Luyster, Jeanette DiCarlantonio, Margaret Cummings, Joseph Gaus, Joseph Gavin, Jr., Bud Lavell, Tony Prete, Kathy Seelaus, Wilma Shrift, John Preisano, Patricia Jackson, and Joe Balzano.

MICHAEL CREEGAN

First cousin of Michael Doyle, the oldest of the 16 children of Jimmy Creegan and Katie Farelly, died on January 14, 2012 in Florida. He is the second of the 16 to die. His brother, Eugene, died 51 years ago on January 27th. May they both rest in peace!

THE GIFTS OF JOE BALZANO CORNER

Joe died on October 19, 2011. (1933 - 2011) #18. In 2010, he procured the Christmas Tree and helped with its erection, climbed up to the bell in the tower, and rang it 8 times on December 12th for Christmas Eve Mass because he was going into the hospital the next day.

TODAY, WE REJOICE in our cosmic relationship with all of creation!

*We must laugh
and we must sing,
We are blest by
everything.
Everything we look
upon is blest.*

William Butler Yeats

CANDLEMAS CELEBRATON Hinge of the Year. "The light is placed into our own hands!" Next Sunday, **January 29, 2012!** The official end to the Christmas season at Sacred Heart! Always so sad to see it end! So sad!



7: 40 AM - Monday to Friday at 418 Jasper across from the Sacred Heart driveway.

BAPTISMAL ANNIVERSARIES this week! We pray for: **Jon Zelis** baptized on January 26th at St. Jerome's Church, Chicago, Illinois; and **Stephen Tumolo** baptized on January 27th at St. Monica's Church, Philadelphia, PA. **Do we have your baptismal date/place? Call, fax, mail or email.**

❖❖Up-Coming Events❖❖

CELTIC SPRING CONCERT 2012

JANUARY 28TH - 7 PM

benefits **The Heart of Camden Housing** with **Timlin & Kane, Barbara & Shauna Dever, The Towheads with Haley Richardson, and Irish Step Dancers.** Of course, good **soda bread!** Free to get in! Expensive to get out. Donations expected!

RAFFLE TICKETS FOR A TRIP TO IRELAND for two! (Or someplace of equal importance!) We sell only **200 tickets at \$50** a chance. Tickets are available. See Paddy Mulligan for the winning ticket or call (609) 221-3248. Drawing will be made at the Concert!

5TH ANNUAL JAMES GILLESPIE SR. MEMORIAL Charity Event to Benefit the Camden City Catholic Basketball League. Jim Gillespie died in October 2005 and his family and friends created a memorial benefit that now is directed towards the Camden City Catholic Basketball League which consists of both boys and girls from all of Camden's Catholic Grade Schools. The league was created by Jim's daughter and son, Judyann and Jim. **Judyann is responsible for the girls basketball team and coaches them including our Sacred Heart students.**

Please come out to celebrate the life and legacy of Jim Gillespie, while benefiting children in Camden City, on **Saturday, February 18th from 2 to 6 PM at the Taproom**, located on 427 Crystal Lake Avenue, Haddonfield, NJ. Tickets are **\$30** which includes four hours of beer and food, live performance by the **Hit the Bottle Boys**, an Irish band. There will also be an auction and 50/50. Email Jeana Hagan for further information at jmariehagan@yahoo.com or call her at (856) 986-4976. Make checks payable to the Catholic Partnership Schools-Basketball, a 501(c)3 non-profit.

TET - VIETNAMESE NEW YEAR - 2012

begins tomorrow, **January 23, 2012.** We are most grateful for our Vietnamese Community here at Sacred Heart. We wish them a very happy New Year! **Chuc Mung Nam Moi to our Vietnamese Community!**

CAP (CHILD ASSAULT PREVENTION) SESSIONS

CAP is the safe environment training program for adults who have regular contact with minors. Attendance is required in order to comply with the USCCP's **Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People.** The policy of the diocese is that adults will attend CAP once every five years. CAP 1 teaches attendees to recognize child abuse and neglect. CAP 2 is No More Bullies.

CAP 1: Thursday, Feb. 2nd at 7 PM, Holy Eucharist Church, Cherry Hill; Monday, Feb. 6th at 7 PM Blessed Teresa of Calcutta, Collingswood;

CAP 2: Thursday, Feb. 23rd at 7 PM, Incarnation, Mantua, Kernan Center. See diocesan website @www.camdendiocese.org for registration info.

LAST CHANCE! TENNESSEE WILLIAMS

Last performance of the **"The Case of the Crushed Petunias"** and **"The Glass Menagerie"** **TODAY** at the Waterfront South Theatre.

JANUARY PIZZA & POETRY NIGHT

Wednesday, January 25th, 7 PM at A Little Slice of New York Pizza Parlor at 122 N. 3rd Street (between Market & Cooper Streets). It is Robert Burns Night and Jackson Pollock's Birthday. Bring your friends, puppets, kilt, loved one, poems, art and wine. Open reading.

CENTER FOR ENVIRONMENTAL TRANSFORMATION

Thursday, January 26th at 7 PM in the Center. All are invited to attend and join in the "great work." Please come!

JANUARY FOOD SHARING DAY

Saturday, January 28th from 9 AM to 12 Noon. Most volunteers begin the day at the 8:15 Mass; Prayer Service with the neighborhood women at approximately 9:15 AM. Volunteers always wanted and needed. Please email **Susan Cedrone** at smecedrone@aol.com.

DINNER AT JOE'S PLACE

Saturday, January 28th at 4 PM coordinated by **Judy Sweeney** (856) 795-3339 and **Jack Cantwell** (856) 596-2965. Please call them with your usual offers of food and time.

TRAVELING WITH THE TURTLE

a 13-week group process in women's spirituality, conflict resolution, and peacemaking, will be offered again. Our **5th Class!** **We are looking for 13 women** (or more) to be a part of this fifth offering. To learn more about this program developed by **Pace e Bene Nonviolence Service**, come for a pot-luck dinner/commitment meeting at the **Thea Bowman House**, 418 Jasper Street on **Tuesday, Feb. 7th at 7 PM.** The **Traveling with the Turtle** Course will meet every other Tuesday from 7 to 9 PM at 418 Jasper Street beginning **Tuesday, February 21st.** For information, call **Dee Dowling** at (856) 630-6459.

DINNER AT JOE'S PLACE

Saturday, February 4th at 4 PM coordinated by **Joanne Manzo and Friends.** Please call her at (856) 478-0295 with your usual offers of food and time. You will be blessed!

AN EVENING OF PRAYER FOR RECOVERY

A gathering for prayer and reflection for people in recovery, those suffering from addiction and their families on **February 17th at 7 pm** at Sacred Heart Church. All are welcome!

HAIKU WORKSHOP WITH TOM PAINTING

an acclaimed poet and teacher, on **Saturday, March 3, 2012 from 10 AM to 3 PM,** Sacred Heart Church Cafeteria. Cost: \$10.00 (lunch included). Enthusiasts (adults, young adults, teachers) of all experience and ability are welcome. Register by Feb. 16th. Contact Mary Heron (215) 635-6220 or email: mhheron@verizon.net.

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NO CELL PHONES IN CHURCH

Please no calling, no texting during Mass. On vibrate for emergencies only!

DINNERS AT JOE'S PLACE

yesterday thanks to **Maria/Bob Esche/Celeste Bonfante** and all their helpers. It is holy work to feed the poor! Especially on Broadway!!

You can do it too! Please call **Ted Fox** at (856) 424-1863.

You will be mentored by an experienced member of the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Don't be afraid! Say: "Yes!"



PRAYER TEAMS

Jan. 22nd: Jane Luyster, Carolyn/Bob Genovesi, Ken Albone, Barbara Hopkins, Sara Forte, Louis Moore, and Thuy Vu.

Jan. 23rd: Marie/Chick Warrington, Kathy Hainesworth, Bill Cosgrove, Suzanne Hemp, Barstys Family, and Celia Chazelle.

Jan. 24th: Eileen Coyle, Jim Holmes, Ann/Bob Nolan, Linda Delengowski, Judy Gough, Barbara Coscarello, and Marie Perkins.

Jan. 25th: Ellie Losignore, Helen Schaeffer, Kathy/Carl Maugeri, Tara/Rodney Martinez, Janet Sassano, Gina Driscoll, M. Mikes.

Jan. 26th: Josephine/Michael Giacchino, Tina/Samantha Gonzalez, Joan Knecht, Gregory Corrigan, Patti Capri, Mary Moody, Maria/Bob Esche.

Jan. 27th: Fran/Dom Cicali, Dorothy Schullhas, Lae Tran, Joe Gardiner, Than D. Vu, Mary Lawrence, and Matthew Giebel.

Jan. 28th: Ronnie Nolan, Tuyet/Quyen Vo, Candy Ruggieri, James Tighe, Clare Dunn, Marianna/John Emanuele.

For more information, please call Gail Gooney at 856-429-3129.

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YEAR 2011-2012

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Harry Reasoner - CBS 60 Minutes

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