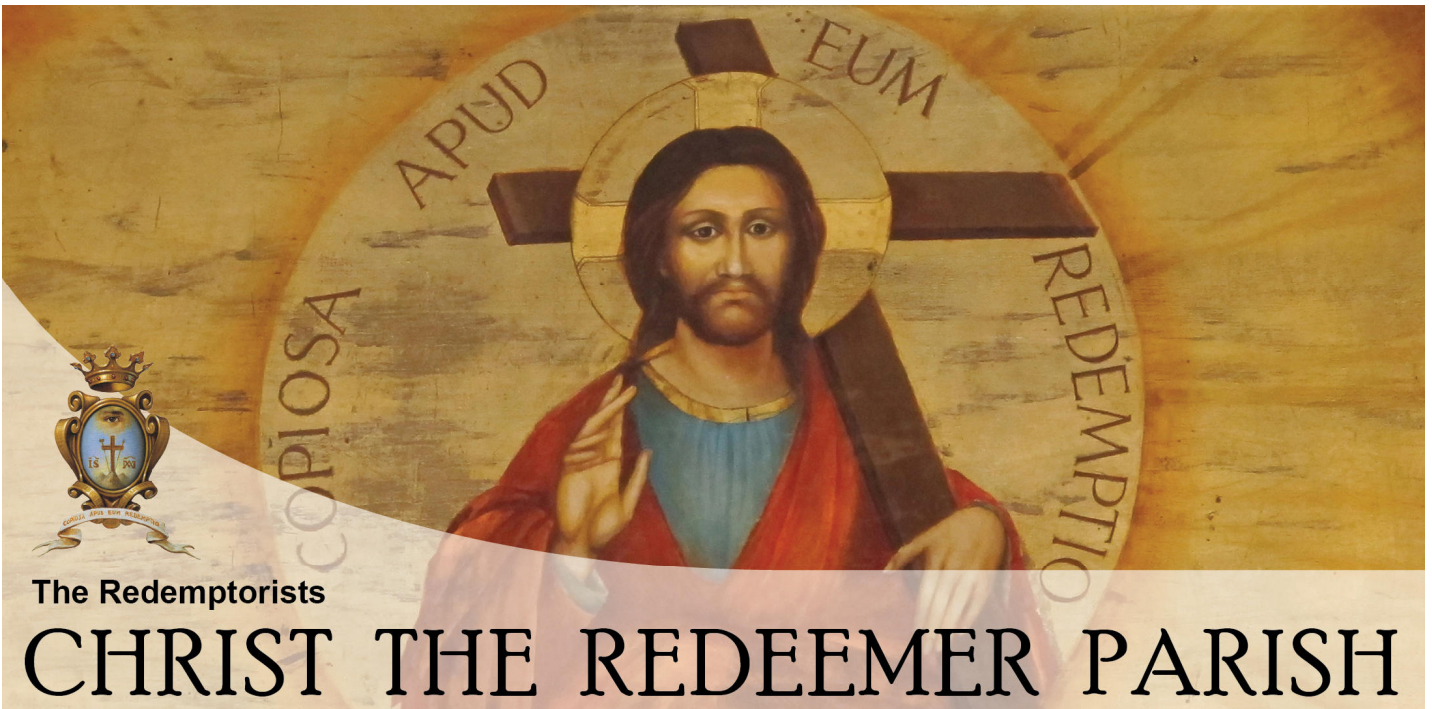


September 9, 2018

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time



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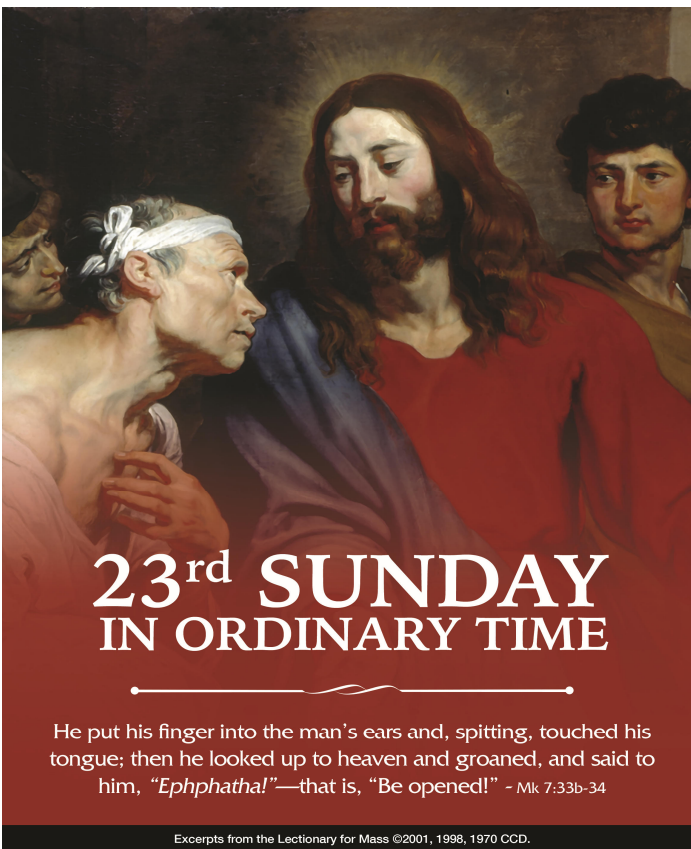
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He put his finger into the man's ears and, spitting, touched his tongue; then he looked up to heaven and groaned, and said to him, "Ephphatha!"—that is, "Be opened!" - Mk 7:33b-34

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ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Sacred Heart Worship Site
Saturday 8:30 - 9:00 AM & 4:00 - 5:00 PM

CONFESSION

(English & Polish)

Christ the King Worship Site

Monday - Friday 6:30 AM

Sacred Heart Worship Site

Wednesday & First Friday 6:30 - 7:00 PM

Saturdays 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM & 3:45 - 4:45 PM

OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 9:00AM to 3:00PM.
Office closed on Thursdays. Saturdays and Evenings: By Appointment.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, September 10 (Poniedziałek)

CTK - 7:00AM †Ann Svenningsen r/o Lois & Greg
Zwerko

SH - 8:00AM †Jozef & Stanislaw Maziarz r/o family

SH - 11:00AM †Valerie Rusowicz r/o son, Andrew

Tuesday, September 11 (Wtorek)

CTK - 7:00AM †Joseph & Margaret Kraycirik r/o Bill
Kraycirik

SH - 8:00AM †Zbigniew Lampe r/o Rzeszutek Family

SH - 11:00AM Mass and OLPH Novena in English

Wednesday, September 12 (Środa)

The Most Holy Name of Mary

CTK - 7:00AM For all who celebrated the life of Jozef
Slaby

SH - 11:00AM †Jean Blazejewski r/o Dorothy Kraycirik

SH - 11:30AM Exposition and Rosary

SH - 7:00PM OLPH Novena in Polish

Thursday, September 13 (Czwartek)

John Chrysostom

CTK - 7:00AM †Deceased Members of the Puza & Lair
Families r/o Susan & Eddie

SH - 8:00AM †Zbigniew Lampe r/o Zalewski Family

SH - 11:00AM †Deceased Members of the Lazas Family
r/o Lenny Lazas

Friday, September 14 (Piątek)

Exaltation of the Holy Cross

CTK - 7:00AM †Theresa Picciano r/o husband, Bucky

SH - 11:00AM †Walter Blazejewski r/o wife & children

SH - 11:30AM Divine Mercy Devotions

SH - 7:00PM †Maria Maciorowska r/o Krystyna &
Krzysztof

Saturday, September 15 (Sobota)

Our Lady of Sorrows

SH - 8:00AM †Jozef Malinowski r/o Janina Woznicki

SH - 11:00AM †Margaret Heffernan r/o husband &
family

SH - 5:00PM (1) †Virginia Tamburini r/o Betty Cowen &
family

(2) †Alex & Elsie Peltack r/o family

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Sept. 9 (Niedziela)

Catechetical Sunday

SH - 7:00AM †Jozef & Katarzyna Maziarz r/o grand-
daughter

CTK - 8:30AM (1) †Frank Beaver r/o son-in-law, Ed
(2) †Sonia Lucas r/o Wesolowski Family

SH - 10:00AM (1) †Betty Bias r/o Frank Picciano

(2) For the People of the Parish

SH - 11:30AM Mass of Thanksgiving occasioned by the
48th Wedding Anniversary of Jozefa &
Stanislaw Kurasinski

The Sanctuary Lamp in Sacred Heart will burn
this week for the repose of the souls of the **de-
ceased members of the Cap Family** at the re-
quest of family.

The Sanctuary Lamp in Christ the King will burn
this week for the repose of the soul of **John G.
Mihalko** at the request of Mark Mihalko.



We often associate the word "healing" with something that produces dramatic, physical results: the blind see, the crippled walk, and the deaf hear. Witnessing such miraculous events is few and far between for most. Healing happens more frequently in very ordinary ways using very ordinary means. And we can all be God's instruments for bringing it about. Kindness, love, mercy, and compassion can go a very long way. Treating people with kindness? being inclusive and welcoming of the poor, the weak, and the powerless? listening to another's story and pain? offering compassion and love to those who have wronged us? avoiding hurtful criticisms and watching our tongues. All can go a long way to changing and healing human hearts. There is power in love and kindness. Does this power not speak of someone greater than ourselves working in and through us?

23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Jesus went by way of Sidon into the district of the Decapolis." For most of Jesus' ministry, he remains in Galilee and areas with a predominantly Jewish population. Today, however, we see Jesus traveling through a heavily pagan area. This makes the utterance of faith in today's Gospel all the more astounding. "He has done all things well."

In this story, a deaf man is brought to Jesus. This man is not without community! Despite communication difficulties due to a speech impediment, his people bring him before Jesus. Jesus lays hands upon the man and commands his broken body to change. "Be opened!" Immediately the man's ears were opened, his speech impediment was removed, and he spoke plainly." The community is stunned. They can't stop telling the story. The more Jesus asks them to settle down, the more they proclaim! The Jewish people expected a Messiah but a Messiah with very particular qualifications. The Greeks and pagans anticipated no such savior. There were no expectations to meet. They had a special capacity to be completely, utterly surprised.

As Catholics, it can be easy to become accustomed to the songs and the prayers, to the routine of religious education drop-offs and Sunday Mass attendance. By now, we may have very particular expectations. When was the last time you allowed yourself to be surprised by God? Sometimes we are all like the deaf man in today's Gospel. God wants to speak to us, but we can't hear clearly. In your prayer this week, go before God honestly. Give yourself permission to drop your expectations and assumptions. Ask Him to renew your faith to show you how, in your life, "He has done all things well."



MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

GUITAR LESSONS FOR CHILDREN - Sacred Heart auditorium - 3:30-6PM. A small fee will be due.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY MEETING in the St. John Neumann Center at 6PM.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

ADULT CHOIR PRACTICE - 7:30PM in Sacred Heart Church.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

INVITATION TO PRAY "THE PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY" OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA—Our Lady of Fatima appeared to Lucia, Jacinta and Francisco in Fatima, Portugal on the 13th of each month May through October 1917. The USA and the world are in dire need of the intercession of Our Lady of Fatima. Won't you please join your fellow parishioners in a public display of praying the rosary at 12:00 NOON (rain or shine) at Main St. (McDonald's at Marketplace at Manville).

NEXT WEEKEND, SEPTEMBER 15 & 16

THE SECOND COLLECTION taken up after Holy Communion will be for the **AIR-CONDITIONING**. Please be generous.

PREGNANCY AID CENTER DONATION WEEKEND - helps mothers and babies in need. Please place the items in the bins in the vestibule. They are especially in need of diapers, all sizes from newborn through size 5. They can also use new layette items, wipes, baby wash and other baby items.

NEXT SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

CATECHETICAL SUNDAY - 10AM MASS AT SACRED HEART. Our Religious Education teachers will be commissioned. Please keep the teachers and students in your prayers.

60'S PLUS CLUB - St. John Neumann Center - 2-4PM. All parishioners aged 60 and over are invited to a complimentary dinner. Please call Kathy at 908-874-8323 if you will be attending.

Ogłoszenia Parafialne

PONIEDZIALEK, 10 WRZESIEŃ

LEKcje GITARY - godz. 15.30; próba polskiej scholi dziecięcej - godz. 18.00.

NIEDZIELA, 16 WRZESIEŃ

MSZA ŚW. NA ROZPOCZĘCIE NOWEGO ROKU SZKOLNEGO I KATECHETYCZNEGO. o godz. 10:00AM. Zachęcamy do modlitwy w intencji dzieci i katechetów.

DRUGA SKŁADKA zbierana po Komunii Św. będzie przeznaczona na air-conditioning. Prosimy o ofiarność!

ZBIÓRKA NA RZECZ CENTRUM POMOCY Kobietom w CIAŻY - Okaż pomoc matkom małych dzieci w potrzebie! Prosimy o składanie darów w pojemnikach w przedsiönku kościoła. Potrzebne są pieluszki w rozmiarach od noworodków do numeru 5, nowe ubranka dla niemowląt, chusteczki pielęgnacyjne, kosmetyki dla dzieci i inne dziecięce przedmioty.

INTERESTED IN CATHOLICISM?

Often, spouses or friends have worshiped with us for some time, even years, yet they are not Catholic. Does this describe you? Would you like to learn more about the faith that forms this community where you have been worshipping? Do you have questions about Catholicism that have not been satisfactorily answered? Would you like to receive the sacraments of Baptism, First Eucharist or Confirmation? If you answered "yes" to any of these questions, please see or call Deacon Bill Stefany (908-725-7236) or complete and clip the form below and drop it into the collection basket at Mass.

Clip and drop in collection basket

I'm interested in learning more about Catholicism.

Name _____

Telephone _____

Email _____



Open House

Saturday, September 15, 2018

12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Are you a caregiver for an older adult or somebody with Alzheimer's disease or a related dementia? Would you like your loved one to have a chance to engage with others, experience new things and have a sense of purpose in a safe and compassionate environment? Do you need to go to work or do you need a break but you can't leave your loved one alone? The Adult Day Center of Somerset County, a compassionate community of acceptance, is a non-profit agency committed to providing extraordinary day care services for the elderly and disabled residents of Somerset County, and support for caregiving families. Come learn more about us and attend our open house on Saturday, September 15th from 12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Stop by and meet the staff and other caregivers, learn about our daily activities and take a tour of the facility. For more information, call Stacy Scelfo our social services coordinator or visit our website www.adulthoodcenter.org.



The next **FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS** to Our Lady of Fatima will take place on **October 6th**.

The next Altar Rosary Society Mass will be held **October 21st** at 10:00AM.



Thank you for your continued support of Caritas. The Caritas Team collects food **every week** at the church. Desperately needed items: Spaghetti Sauce, Soup, Cereal, Macaroni and Cheese, Dried Potato Mixes, Rice, Canned Meat-Ham, Tuna, Chicken, Canned Fruit, Peanut Butter and Jelly

The Caritas Team also collect monetary donations and on-line through our church website.



**The Knights of Columbus (K of C)
Saint Jude Council # 6573**

Council Meetings and Social Gatherings: Held monthly on 1st and 3rd Tuesday, respectively at 7:00 pm; Saint John Neumann Center at Christ the Redeemer (CTR) Parish - Sacred Heart Church campus, Manville NJ. Catholic men 18+ who are not fellow knights but may have an interest to join are invited to the social events.

Clothing Drive: October 13th. Clothing, textiles, stuffed animals, etc. can be dropped off at the St. John Neumann Center from 9 am to 12 noon.



Meets once a month on the 2nd Monday at 7pm. Call Mary Carol Niezgoda at 908 575-2797 for location and details. New members always welcome. We will teach anyone

interested how to crochet and/or knit. If you would like to be a member but prefer to work at home we would be happy to pick up your item(s); just contact Mary Carol. Donations of yarn are always appreciated especially "baby" yarn, i.e., yarn approved for baby items. If you prefer to donate cash we will purchase yarn for you. All item(s) we make are donated to various local charitable organizations, i.e., Pregnancy Aid Center...

Please visit our parish website:

www.ctrmanville.com

up-to-date information, schedules, church bulletins, pictures from parish events and much more...

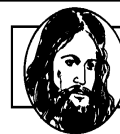
Be sure to check out our video reflections on the Sunday Readings each week. This week Mary Marsicano will be presenting the reflections and next week Ida Corradino will be the presenter.

Have parish news delivered to your email. Sign up for our newsletter on the website.



PRAYER & PRAISE GROUP

The next Prayer & Praise Group Meeting will be held on **September 17th** in Christ the King Church at 1:00PM.



HOLY NAME SOCIETY

The next Holy Name Society Meeting will be held on **September 10th** in the St. John Neumann Center at 6PM.

Minister Schedule for September 15 & 16

	5:00PM SH	7:00AM PL-SH	8:30AM CTK	10:00AM SH	11:30AM PL-SH
Lectors	M. Niezgoda		S. Charneski	C. Cigler	
Extra-ordinary Ministers of the Holy Eucharistic	B. Chernesky J. Villagra S. Liszczak	A. Niecikowski B. Nowak	B. Amato L. Genovese K. Tartaglione	R. Charneski A. Szczecina J. Jaime	H. Brandt M. Wojtach



We ask you for your prayers for the health of those in need, especially: Toni Antonelli, Evelyn Appenzeller, Baby Isabel Therese Bailey, John Bartley, Jean Batula, Billy Bird, Paul Bobe, Shawn Brickley, Denise Buanano, Lorraine Burkoski, Bill Caswell, Jason Cebula, Chester Cejnowski, Luke Chartowich, Palo Cizmar, Pat Cobo, Allison Collins, Kaiden Crothwer, Marge Demski, Dorothy Dinsmore, Mary Evancho, Maureen Femiano, Frank Fiduk, Marian Gano, Helen Gazo, Helen Gilmore, Dorothy Gluch, John Gubernot, Dolores Hart, Maryann Hughes, Marge Iarkowski, Raul Jaime, Joanna Jasontek, Dennis Koslowski, Ed Kawalchuk, Theresa Kraska, John Krasnansky, Wiktoria Lach, Rita Lagasse, Ken Lake, Janice Lalley, Judy Lentzsch, Antoinette Leotti, Cheyenne Liccardi, Joe Matisak, Quaid Mobus, Alexander Monto, Ed Nawracaj, Mai Nguyen, Hunter Norz, Dolores Novicky, Steven Pirello, Joseph G. & Mark Pschar, Carolyn Puia, Chelsea Rivard, Ed Roche, Mary Rogalski, Marie Rogusky, Jerry Russell, Jr., Dolores Serra, Irene Shelcuskus, Pat Sherwood, Eric Slaughter, Charlotte Snow, Victoria Soika, Albert Stanski, Rose Tabbitt, Joe Tomko, Michelle Tranter, David Urban, Irena Walczak, Natalie Walkowiak, Cindy Weigel, Peggy White, Raymond Wisniewski, Barbara Wrigil, Michael Zamorsky, Maria Zurawiecki, and Regina Zydalis.

God of all consolation give life and health to our sisters and brothers for whom we pray in your Holy Name. Amen.



Please pray for all of our men and women serving in the Armed forces, especially

- Sergeant Matthew T. Bowden USMC*
- Pvt. Christopher Foley*
- PFC Joshua Hussey*
- Major James A. Jablonski Jr.*
- Master Sergeant Kimberly Kaminski USAF*
- Gunnery Sergeant Jeff Morella USMC*
- SR Jerry Lee Rogalski*
- Commander Peter G. Rybski, Jr.*
- PFC Steven Ubry*
- CMA Mark J. Walyga*
- Staff Sergeant Lindsay Zaccardi*
- PFC Brian J. Zarnowski*
- SPC Christopher Elsen*

Please let us know if you have a family member who is serving in the military and we will acknowledge them in our weekly bulletin. Please share the good news with us when one of the above soldiers returns home!

**Walk for Life
Take a Walk, Save a Life!**

Saturday, October 13, 2018

9am-12pm

Merrill Park, Iselin (Rain or Shine)

Benefitting the lifesaving work of
Life Choices Resource Center

CONFIRMATION HOURS FOR ATTENDING!

DJ, Refreshments, Games – Family Fun
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Scrip Cards - Great Gifts For School

It is time for many of you to get your children ready for school. Whether they are attending classes for the first time or if they are on their way to college, what better way to send them off than to have some script cards for them to use. We offer a wide assortment of cards that can easily be used by children of almost any age in case of an emergency. Students would welcome having a gas, grocery, pizza, school supply, clothing card in their backpack or wallets in case they run low on funds. What better, safer way to equip your children then by giving them a variety of scrip cards instead of cash. Order forms can be found at the back of the Christ The King and Sacred Heart worship sites. Not only will the purchase of these cards help our young parishioners get through school, but a % of the money comes back to our Parish. It is a win/win for everyone.

Weekly Vocation Prayer Schedule

- Sunday: John & Magdalena Daus
- Monday: Katelyn Hart
- Tuesday: Maximilian Czajka
- Wednesday: Jennie Bartus
- Thursday: Jeff Hart
- Friday: Edwina Andreyko & Helen Michno
- Saturday: Helen Tomko

**Report of Sunday Offerings
in Support of our Parish
The Christ the Redeemer collection for the
weekend of September 2, 2018**

Offertory	\$ 8,125.00
Youth & New Evangelization	\$ 1,540.00
Mail-Ins	\$ 583.00
On-line Giving	\$ 1,205.00
Children's donations	\$ 18.00
Total	\$ 11,471.00

Collection for the same week last year \$ 11,982.00

Thank you for your generosity and support. May God bless you. Fr. Stan

"Did not God choose those who are poor in the world to be rich in faith and heirs of the kingdom that he promised to those who love him?" JAMES 2:5

What is more important – being rich in faith or rich in possessions? Society teaches us that possessions are most important. God teaches a different lesson. When we are rich in faith, we keep God first in all things and realize that material things really don't matter and that it's more important to share with those who have less.

OUR CHILDREN'S GIFTS TO CHRIST THE REDEEMER PARISH

My Good Deed was when I:

**defended my friend.
swept the porch.
cleaned my room.
cleaned the living room.**

**Dylan
Joseph
Dianayvonne
Maggie**

May she rest in peace.....

Please remember in your prayers Sister Julia Ladzinski OSF, who passed away on September 3rd and was buried on September 6, 2018. Sister Julia was 96 years of age and served in religious life for 77 years. She was a teacher and principal of Sacred Heart School for many years.

Readings for the Week of September 9, 2018

Sunday: Is 35:4-7a/Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 [1b]/Jas 2:1-5/Mk 7:31-37

Monday: 1 Cor 5:1-8/Ps 5, 5-6, 7, 12 [9]/Lk 6:6-11

Tuesday: 1 Cor 6:1-11/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b [cf. 4]/Lk 6:12-19

Wednesday: 1 Cor 7:25-31/Ps 45:11-12, 14-15, 16-17 [11]/Lk 6:20-26

Thursday: 1 Cor 8:1b-7, 11-13/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 23-24 [24b]/Lk 6:27-38

Friday: Nm 21:4b-9/Ps 78:1-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38 [cf. 7b]/Phil 2:6-11/Jn 3:13-17

Saturday: 1 Cor 10:14-22/Ps 116:12-13, 17-18 [17]/Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35

Next Sunday: Is 50:5-9a/Ps 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 [9]/Jas 2:14-18/Mk 8:27-35

The daily Scripture references are printed here. If you find it helpful and have internet access, you can find the complete Daily Scripture Readings at <http://www.usccb.org/nab/>.

***Silver and Gold Wedding Anniversary
Evening Prayer Service***

Bishop James F. Checchio invites couples celebrating their 25th or 50th wedding anniversaries to join him for a Silver and Gold Wedding Anniversary Evening Prayer Service at 4 p.m. on Sunday, October 21 at the Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi, 548 Main St., Metuchen. Celebrating couples will be invited to renew their vows.

Register online: diometuchen.org/silverandgold.

Please register by October 3

Once you have registered, you will receive a confirmation email. There is no cost to attend, but donations will be accepted. This event is sponsored by the Diocese of Metuchen's Office of Family Life.

For more information, please call (732) 243-4573 or email amatos@diometuchen.org.

MEGA RAFFLE ORDER FORM

Drawing will take place on November 17, 2018 At Christ The King School

Tickets can also be ordered On-Line at www.ctrmanville.com

First Name:	
Last Name:	
Address:	
City/State/Zip:	
Phone #:	
Email Address:	
# of Tickets @ \$50.00 ea	
Make check payable/send to or deposit your order form/payment in the weekly collection basket.	Christ The Redeemer Parish 98 South 2 nd Ave. Manville, NJ 08835