

# THE PARISH OF ST. THERESA

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NOVEMBER 19, 2023

*Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time*



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#### Parish Office Business Hours

Monday through Friday - 8:30 AM to 4:00 PM

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#### PARISH STAFF

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Deacon Jay Werling

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#### MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Friday: 8:00 am (*Main Church*)

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 pm & Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:00 am & 11:30 am

#### Holy Days of Obligation

Vigil Mass: 7:00 pm & Holy Day Mass: 8:00 am & 12:15 pm

#### RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:00 - 3:45 pm & By appointment

#### DAILY PRAYER & ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

The Main Church and the Daily Chapel are opened for private prayer Monday through Friday, 7:30 am - 6:00 pm. The Blessed Sacrament is exposed for Adoration (in the Daily Chapel) Fridays after the 8:00 am Mass and concludes with Evening Prayer & Benediction at 6:00 pm.

#### PARISH LIFE

"The Church draws her life from the Eucharist. This truth does not simply express a daily experience of faith, but recapitulates *the heart of the mystery of the Church*." (St. John Paul - *On the Eucharist & Its Relationship to the Church*). At the parish of St. Theresa, we strive to embody these words that describe the centrality of the Eucharist for the life and mission of the Church.

We welcome you to join us as we gather to celebrate our faith and worship God. Whatever your present status in the Catholic Church, whatever your current family or marital situation, whatever your past or present religious affiliation, whatever your personal history, age, background, or race, you are a Child of God and you are welcomed, accepted, loved, and respected at the Church of St. Theresa.

**REGISTRATION:** We invite you to officially register as a member of our parish community. By registering you declare your desire to be part of our Catholic community and you are able to stay closely connected with the life of the parish. In order to register, please call or stop by the Parish Office.



## WE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Please remember in your prayers all those members of our parish family and our friends who continuously suffer physically, emotionally and/or spiritually and those who tirelessly care for them. Let us especially remember those currently in need of our prayers: **Rose Asrican, Frank Barinski, Tom Baumann, Cathy Bentivenga, John Blotnik, Cindy Bowser, Kim Carroll, Rachel Carroll, Adriana Chizan, Irma Chagnon, Charles Constantino, Kim Coyle, Connor Egan, Johnny Favro, Sandra Fourman, Cecilia Garbaravage, Barbara Gardner, Joe Ghigzone, Gregory Gioe III, Makenna Granquist, Mark Hansen, John & Jeanette Herman, Thomas Huie, Debbie Innocenti, Marilyn Kent, Marie Konchan, Margaret Kurczewski, Bill Lisner, Rose & Frank Litwin, Rocca Macchiaverna, Pat MacCorkle, Catherine Marra, Art Midgley, Peter Mills, Bill Mitchell, Rev. William Modlin, John Moore, James Montefusco, Rita Murray, Leona O'Grady, Rita O'Neill, Jim P., Crystal Paci, Josephine Paci, Thomas Punzo, John Quinn, Andrew Joseph Ragusa, Joe Rella, Debbie Rotio, Samantha Saraceno, Cathy Schaffer, Michelle Scott, Kevin Shinkunas, Thomas Smith, Lois Somodi, Amanda Super, Nathan Super, Dino & Ashley Tobia, Elliot Truex, Larry Weimer, Sean William, John Williamson, and Sharon Williamson.**

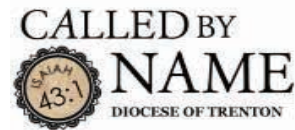
## WE PRAY FOR OUR RECENTLY DECEASED

We extend our prayers and sympathy to the family and friends of **Eleanor Borsh and Lorraine Wells**. May they find eternal rest in peace with God our Father.



## WE PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Please remember in your prayers all those members of our parish family and our friends who are currently **deployed** especially: **Master Sgt. Jordan Bieda, Sr. Airman Steven Brown, Boatswain Gabrielle Fest, Airman Staff Sgt. Frank J. Kowalewski, Jr., Lt. Amanda Keller, Lt. Jennifer LaFalace, FC2 Paul R. Lund, Pvt. Anthony Mackiewicz, Jr., Pvt. Logan Mora, Lance Cpl. John Murray, USMC, Staff Sgt. Michael Novelli, Nicholas Roesch, Staff Sgt. Nicholas Okoszko, Spec. Jeffrey Peterson, Jr., LCDR Christopher J. Worosz, USN, Lt. Matthew A. Worosz, USN.** May the Lord protect them as they protect us.



## WE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

**Lord of Harvest, we petition you as you have instructed us to ask for more laborers to serve in the vineyard of Your Church. You have told us that the harvest is rich and laborers are few, and we experience this great need in the face of the challenge of the New Evangelization. We ask the Holy Spirit to inspire young men to seriously consider vocations to the priesthood. Help all of us to be effective instruments to encourage and support those whom you are calling to serve and lead in the Church in the future. Lord, you told your Apostles to put out into the deep. We ask for the grace and courage to accept your call as we pray and work for an increase in vocations to the priesthood. We ask this in the Name of Jesus Christ, the Great High Priest, Amen.**

**THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:** Baptisms are held the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month at 1:00 PM. Arrangements must be made in person at the Parish Office at least 2 months in advance. Parents and Godparents are required to attend a Baptismal Prep Class.

## **THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:**

Arrangements must be made at least 1 year in advance. Preparations include sessions with a member of the clergy and attendance at a Pre-Cana Conference. For more information, please call the Parish Office.

## **THE SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:**

The Catechism of the Catholic Church tells us there is no need to wait until a person is at the point of death to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. A careful judgment about the serious nature of an illness is sufficient. *"Hence, as soon as anyone of the faithful begins to be in danger of death from sickness or old age, the fitting time for him to receive this sacrament has certainly already arrived."*<sup>130</sup>

We welcome anyone who has a physical condition, is anticipating entering the hospital for surgery or tests, or under any emotional distress to avail them of this beautiful Sacrament. Please call the Parish Office to schedule the Sacrament with a priest. Please do not wait until the very last minute to call.



## Mass Intentions

### MASSES FOR THIS WEEKEND:

#### SATURDAY – November 18, 2023

**4:00 PM** – Charles Annette/ Marjorie Annette  
**Raymond Salguiero/** Family  
**Donald Schaffer/** Tony & Pam  
 Camiscioni  
**Kathleen Gallagher/** Scriptural Rosary

#### SUNDAY – November 19, 2023

**7:30 AM** – Justus & Mary Minnella/ Son  
**Louise Giuffra/** Mary Roberts  
**Emma Fernandez-Regan/** Wanda  
 Soehngen  
**Theresa Mancini/** The Johnsons

**9:00 AM** – Rose Gilmore/ Elisa & Richard Torchia  
**Ann Cottrel/** G. Rivera  
**Samantha & Lillian Grace Flannery/**  
 Kathy Barneman  
**Kenny O’Connell/** Marie Konchan

**11:30AM** – Jack Murray/ Wife, Rita  
**Maureen Kluxen/** Ken  
**Helen & Edward Hurley/** Daughter,  
 Diane Cregan  
**Ana Lyn Daproza/** Mila

#### **The Bread & Wine:**

*In Loving Memory of: Ollie Cisyk*  
*Requested by: Wife, Amy*



#### **The Sanctuary Light:**

*In Loving Memory: Ana Lyn Daproza*  
*Requested By: Lucille & Nick*

#### **Readings for Next Weekend**

**Sunday, November 26, 2023**

*Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the  
 Universe*

*Reading I: Ezekiel 34:11-12, 15-17*

*Reading II: 1 Corinthians 15:20-26, 28*

*Gospel: Matthew 25:31-46*



#### **THE CHURCH & DAILY CHAPEL ARE OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER**

**Monday to Friday  
 8:00 AM to 6:00 PM**



## Mass Intentions

### MASSES FOR THIS WEEK:

#### MONDAY – November 20, 2023

**8:00AM** – Tony Mandile/ Pat & Nancy  
 Manganello  
**Charles Corello/** Maureen & Carl  
 Klotzbach

#### TUESDAY – November 21, 2023

**8:00AM** – Kenneth O’Connell, Jr./ Diane Cregan  
 Patrick Joseph Mitchell/ Marie Tindall

#### WEDNESDAY – November 22, 2023

**8:00AM** – Ronald Smeden/ Mr. & Mrs. Edward  
 Smeden & Family  
**Romeo Monticchio/** Denise Jacob  
**Lina Rasetta/** Maria Rasetta

#### THURSDAY – November 23, 2023

**9:00AM** – Ed Daproza/ Mila  
 Kenneth O’Connell/ Diane Cregan

#### FRIDAY – November 24, 2023

**8:00AM** – Santos Garcia/ Marie Tindall  
 Joan Alverso/ Yezzi Family

#### SATURDAY – November 25, 2023

**4:00 PM** – Anna Riccardelli/ Nancy & Tony Frodelly  
**Raymond Salgueiro/** Family  
**Kathleen Gallagher/** John & Margaret  
 Nowak  
**Carolyn H. Bukosky/** Lorraine & Lorraine

#### SUNDAY – November 26, 2023

**7:30 AM** – Lucia Minnella/ Brother  
**George Binder/** Audrey & Joe Scarpa  
**Theresa Mancini/** Beverly Foley  
**Michelle Costagliola/** Bill & Elena

**9:00 AM** – Richard N. Locavara, Sr./ Wife, Mary Sue  
**Ann Cottrel/** Family  
**Samantha & Lillian Grace Flannery/**  
 Judith Ruffo  
**Kenneth O’Connell/** Rita Murray

**11:30AM** – Vincent Konchan/ Family  
**Alice Weimer/** Husband, Larry  
**Simblicito Reyes/** Mila Daproza  
**Judith Piech/** Doris Piech, Mike,  
 Tanya & Max



**BREAKING  
OPEN  
THE WORD**  
Take a deeper look at  
Sunday's Gospel



**THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**First Reading: Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31**

An encomium for a good and worthy wife, this passage from Proverbs extols all the virtues which a worthy wife possesses – fidelity, industriousness, skill, charity to the poor, and fear of the Lord.

**Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 5:1-6**

Once again, Paul reassures the Thessalonians, who are anxious about the coming of Christ, that they need not fear being unprepared because they are “children of light.”

**Gospel: Matthew 25:14-30**

Jesus narrates the parable of the talents – in the story, the silver pieces given to the three men. Two of the men invest their coins and double their worth, but the third buries his coins in the ground and earns no return. The message of Jesus is that we must use to the fullest the talents we have received.

**Consider & Reflect**

*“Immediately the one who received the five talents went and traded with them, and made another five. Likewise, the one who received two made another two. But the man who received one went off and dug a hole and buried his master's money. Now then! Take the talent from him and give it to the one with ten. For to everyone who has, more will be given... but from the one who has not, even what he has will be taken away.”*

God has endowed us with a variety of gifts or as the word of the Gospel states, talents. Some have more, others less, but in the eyes of God, He wants us to acknowledge them and use them well.

Two words which come to mind, both for the church, its leaders and politicians as well, are transparency and accountability. But these are words which apply to our own Christian lives. What gifts have I been given, and go unused? How many people are in need of my hands and heart asking, without knowing it, that I share my gift with them? It may be the virtue of kindness, compassion, material or physical needs, but they are mine to give as I make Jesus' love present to them. I do not want to bury the one thing someone else needs. What is it that I have to give to the Lord through them?

**LITURGICAL  
MINISTRIES**



**Liturgical Ministers for Next Weekend**

**Saturday, November 25, 2023 - 4:00 PM**

**CELEBRANT:** Fr. Phillip Pfleger, Deacon Jay Werling

**READER:** Jane Innocenti

**ALTAR SERVERS:** Rory Krier, Jack Krier

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY**

**COMMUNION:** Ann Marie Rehrmann, Carol Owens, Eileen Wertz, Mazie Wood, Ray Wood, Patricia O'Hara, Patricia Musto, Charlotte Huff, Jack Stewart, Pat Mugan

**Sunday, November 26, 2023 - 7:30 AM**

**CELEBRANT:** Fr. John Large, Deacon David O'Conner

**READER:** Rose Faiss

**ALTAR SERVER:** Jack Wurth

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY**

**COMMUNION:** Mary Schneider, Marie Adderly

**Sunday, November 26, 2023 - 9:00 AM**

**CELEBRANT:** Fr. Dean Gaudio, Deacon David O'Connor

**READER:** Steven Schaffer

**ALTAR SERVERS:** Bart DiFrancia, Sophia DiFrancia

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY**

**COMMUNION:** David Laskowski, Arnold Malsbury, Maureen Malsbury, Pat Manganello, Jayne Ziegler, Justin Peticolas

**Sunday, November 26, 2023 - 11:30 AM**

**CELEBRANT:** Fr. Dean Gaudio, Deacon Jay Werling

**READER:** Mary Modlin

**ALTAR SERVER:** Xavier Clayton

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY**

**COMMUNION:** Rose Wilson, Mila Daproza, Mary Reichner, Diane Cregan, Ann Burg, Jacqueline Arduini



**This Week at our Church:**

**Monday, November 20, 2023**

*Children's Faith Formation 5:30 - 6:45 PM*

*Al-Anon 7:15 PM*

*(Faith Formation Center)*

*Choir Practice 4:00 PM (Church)*

**Tuesday, November 21, 2023**

*Scriptural Rosary 1:30 PM*

*(Daily Chapel)*

**Wednesday, November 22, 2023**

*Scripture Study 9:30 AM*

*(Faith Formation Center)*



**Thursday, November 23, 2023**

**Happy Thanksgiving**

**Parish Office Closed**

**Friday, November 24, 2023**

**Parish Office Closed**

*Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament*

*8:30 AM – 6:00 PM*

*Evening Prayer with Benediction 6:00 PM*

*(Daily Chapel)*

**Saturday, November 25, 2023**

*2024 Calendars available*

*2024 box set of yearly collection envelopes*

*Food Bag Distribution*

*Monthly 50/50 Tickets on sale*

*(Gathering Space)*

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**The Legacy of  
Father Mick  
Mortgage Fund**



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**#GIVINGTUESDAY™**

Skip Black Friday and Cyber Monday!  
Instead, join the international generosity movement to support non-profit organizations on

**#GivingTuesday**

**November 28<sup>th</sup>**

**Ways to Give**

- Scan the QR code



- Visit <https://givebutter.com/Ck4UXH>
- Stop by the Parish Office
- Mail a check
- Grab a Legacy flyer from the kiosk
- Ask your employer about donation matching programs

**The Legacy of Father Mick Mortgage Fund  
has reached 25% of its goal!**

**Help us push the thermometer up!**



### **ST. THERESA FOOD PANTRY** **The Food Pantry Needs Some Volunteers**

St. Theresa's Food Pantry needs a few volunteers to make the donation pick-ups at local supermarkets. (Acme - LEH, Manahawkin, Walmart, ALDI)

The amount of clients who are coming to the pantry during this difficult time has grown considerably. In October, the pantry provided food to **491 families** which consisted of **1,124 Adults** and **357 children**. The pantry was open 13 days in October.

The donations, which are picked up from the local stores on a regular schedule, provide food items that we would otherwise have to purchase.

**FYI:** *This activity requires that you are able to drive an extended van (CDL not required), lift and put away the donations. The pickups are made on a regular schedule.*

So, if you have some extra time and can meet the requirements, we could use your help.

Please contact Frank Davide at 609-296-3385 (home). Thank you, as always, for your continuous support!



### **St. Theresa's MONTHLY** **50/50 Raffle**

Tickets are on sale after all the Masses in the **Gathering Space** and at the Parish Office during office hours.

The next drawing will be held **December 5, 2023 at 10:00 AM** at the Parish Office



**For St. Theresa's Food Pantry**  
**609-296-2504**

**Monday, Wednesday & Friday**  
**2:00 PM – 4:00 PM**

*You may drop off donations at the Food Pantry during the operating hours listed above.*

Items needed: **PANCAKE MIX, TOILET PAPER, Hamburger Helper type packaged products, rice side dishes, cake mixes and frosting, children's cereal, small jars of mayonnaise, ketchup, mustard, tuna fish, peanut butter, grape jelly, pancake syrup, apple juice and pasta. Thank you.**



### **Ushers Needed**

We are in need of ushers for the  
**9:00 AM Mass on Sundays.**

No experience necessary. We will train you.  
If you can help, please call Dave at 609-335-2245.  
Any help you could give would be appreciated.



### **LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR** **THANKSGIVING DAY** **Thursday, November 23, 2023 - 9:00 AM**

**CELEBRANT:** Fr. John Large

**READER:** John Sullivan

**ALTAR SERVER:** Kim Werling

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY**

**COMMUNION:** Nelida Kuhlmann, Gail Buffi,  
Todd Lund, Sr.





## **COLLECTION ENVELOPES**

We will again be distributing a complete box set of envelopes for the entire year on the weekends of **Nov. 25<sup>th</sup> and Nov. 26<sup>th</sup> and Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>.**

Each box will include a year of weekly, Holy Day and special collections. *(Those of you who have signed up for online giving will not receive a box of envelopes unless you have specifically requested one. Thank You for helping the Parish budget more efficiently.)*

If you are unable to pick up your envelopes from the Gathering Space on the above dates, you may pick them up at the Parish Office **AFTER Dec. 6, 2023.**

**If you are going away this winter, please let us know and we will hold your envelopes until you return.**

***If you have any questions, please call Katrina at the Parish Office at Ext. 232.***



## **SPECIAL COLLECTION – THANKSGIVING**

***NOVEMBER 23, 2023***

### **My Thanksgiving Gift for the Needs of Others**

*We have a designated fund and yearly collection here at the Parish of St. Theresa that is used solely for “the needs of others.” It is used to help those who are experiencing a financial crisis and often have nowhere else to turn. In the past, we have given money to people to help turn the electric or gas back on, pay the rent so they don’t get evicted, make a car payment so it’s not repossessed, gas money to get to work, clothes, medicine, etc. One hundred percent of the money from this collection goes to help the needs of others in our community. Please be as generous as possible.*



**June 11, 2022 – Pentecost 2025**

### **Reflections on the Eucharist**

#### **“Our Daily Bread” by Adelaide Anne Proctor**

*(From The Holy Hour- Meditation for Eucharistic Adoration)*

Give us our daily Bread, O God, the bread of strength! For we have learned to know how weak we are at length. As children, we are weak, as children must be fed; Give us Thy Grace, O Lord, to be our daily Bread.

Give us our daily Bread, the bitter bread of grief. We sought earth’s poisoned feasts for pleasure and relief; we sought her deadly fruits, but now, O God instead, we ask Thy healing grief to be our daily Bread.

Give us our daily Bread to cheer our fainting soul; the feast of comfort, Lord, and peace, to make us whole; for we are sick of tears, the useless tears we shed; now give us comfort Lord, to be our daily Bread.

Give us our daily Bread, the Bread of Angels, Lord. By us, so many times broken, betrayed, adored; His Body and His Blood; the feast that Jesus spread; give Him, our life, our all, to be our daily Bread.

***Please watch the bulletin for reflections on the Eucharist each week.***



### **ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held on **Fridays** in the Daily Chapel following the 8:00 AM Mass and closing with Evening Prayer and Benediction at **6:00 PM.**

***Please prayerfully consider spending an hour or so in the presence of our Lord each week.***

**MEMORIAL**  
**CHRISTMAS TREE**  
**DISPLAY**

***HONOR THE MEMORY  
OF YOUR LOVED ONES***



***Help decorate our outdoor Parish  
Campus this Christmas and honor the  
memory of your loved ones.***

**Purchase a Christmas tree for \$125.00**  
*Includes lights and memorial sign.*

**Feel free to decorate your tree**  
***Please note:*** *The Parish is not responsible  
for damaged, lost or stolen ornaments  
or decorations.*

**Join us for**  
**Our Tree Lighting Ceremony**  
**Saturday, December 16, 2023**  
***after the 4:00 PM Mass***

**On sale at the Parish Office**

LIMITED QUANTITIES AVAILABLE

*All proceeds will benefit The Legacy  
of Fr. Mick Mortgage Fund*



**ANNUAL  
CHRISTMAS SHARING PROGRAM**

Our Parish's Annual Christmas Sharing Program provides toys for needy children (*Ages 1-13 years old*) in our community. We work with the churches and the schools in Tuckerton, Little Egg Harbor, New Gretna and West Creek as well as Toys for Tots to make sure that no child goes without a toy at Christmas.

Gift tags with the age and gender of a child will be placed in baskets at the doors of the Church beginning the weekend of

***November 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>***

*Please take a tag or two and purchase a **TOY** or  
gift card for a child in our community.*



*Please bring the toy or gift card with the tag  
attached to Church on:*

***December 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>***

**Some Suggestions:**

Please buy only **1 toy for 1 tag**. We will gladly take any extra toys (no tag necessary) you would like to donate. They are always welcomed and appreciated.

**TOYS MUST BE BRAND NEW  
& UNWRAPPED! (No gift bags please!)**

Please consider purchasing gift cards for those who are age 11 and older.

Monetary donations are also accepted. If you do not wish to purchase a toy, we will purchase one for you. We also use the money to purchase coats, shoes, clothes, and/or other needs of the children that we become aware of.

***Thank you for your continued support  
of our program.***





### **HELP WANTED**

We are looking for some teenagers who can help us sort toys for our Christmas Sharing Program on:

**Sunday, December 10<sup>th</sup>**  
**12:30 PM – 2:00 PM**

If you can help, please call Cathy, at  
609-296-2504 Ext. 222 or email:

[cathy.mazanek@sttheresa450.org](mailto:cathy.mazanek@sttheresa450.org)

If you need any service hours for Confirmation, the Honor Society or other organizations, this may help!



### **AL-ANON**

**AL-Anon** is a mutual support group of peers who share their experience in applying the AL-Anon principles to problems related to the effects of a problem drinker in their lives. Al-Anon meets **every Monday** at **7:15 PM** in the Faith Formation Center. Please visit [www.al-anon.org](http://www.al-anon.org) for more information.

### **Monthly Health Tip**

#### **Managing Holiday Stress**

Holidays are not meant to be an ordeal, but an opportunity to share our love and have fun together. A certain amount of holiday stress is unavoidable but there are actions you can take to manage your stress.

**Be realistic.** Take all commitments into account before you commit to extra things.

**Plan.** Schedule your activities over a period of weeks rather than one or two weekends.

**Simplify.** Do you really need to bake eight different kinds of cookies or will two or three do?

**Let others help.** Take family and friends up on their offers to help with the children or bring something to a holiday meal.

**Maintain your sense of humor.** Stay in touch with your spiritual side and focus on your core values.

**Enjoy a Blessed Holiday Season**



Thanksgiving Day Mass will take place on Thanksgiving Day, **Thursday, November 23<sup>rd</sup>** at **9:00AM**. All are welcome to celebrate the **Eucharist** which is the true meaning of **Thanksgiving**. **\*Please note: There will be no 8:00 AM Mass on Thanksgiving Day.**

### **ONLY A FEW LEFT!**

*St. Theresa's*  
***SWEATSHIRT SALE***

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**\$45.00 Size 3X**

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**11-Day**  
*Pilgrimage to Ireland*  
*April 8 – 18, 2024*



SPIRITUAL DIRECTOR:  
REV. STEPHEN SANSEVERE, PASTOR

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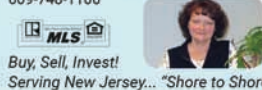
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