

Parish Profile

2023 Stats	
Baptisms	121
First Communions	114
Confirmations	105
Weddings	29
Funerals	45

What are Sunday Masses like?

	Congregation size	Under age 18	Music	Children's Liturgy of the Word
Saturday 5 PM	~150 people	15%	Cantor and organist	No
Sunday 7:30 AM	~100 people	7%	Cantor and organist	No
9 AM	~210 people	31%	Choir monthly	Yes
11 AM	~250 people	30%	Choir monthly	Yes

Children's Liturgy of the Word allows young children to learn the Scripture lessons at an age-appropriate level. The priest calls the children who wish to participate to the altar, then they are led by their catechist (teacher) to Morgan Hall beneath the church. They return after the homily.

The first Sunday 9 AM Mass of the month, from October through June, is a **Family Mass**. It usually involves more participation from children, a child-friendly homily, the children's choir, and an activity and refreshments after Mass in Morgan Hall.

Who can belong?

The parish territory includes Haddonfield and adjacent parts of Haddon and Cherry Hill Townships. However, all local Catholics are welcome to belong to the parish. If you register, we'll be able to serve you better.

Describe the campus.

The church is at the corner of Wood Lane and Hopkins Avenue. Parishioners can park in the adjacent lot, accessible from Windsor Avenue; on the streets; or in the parochial school across Hopkins Avenue from the church. There is a small lot on Hopkins Avenue with access to the ADA ramp. There is a campus map on the website.

Morgan Hall is in the church basement, accessible from the stairs in the church vestibule or directly from outside in the church patio. The library or youth room is also in the church basement.

The **Parish Center** is next to the church and main lot. It contains the parish offices and a couple of meeting rooms.

What makes this parish unique?

- Question of the Week
- Local mission with Sisters of St. Joseph Neighborhood Center

We talk about three areas of parish life:

1. Liturgy and Music
2. Religious Education
3. Stewardship

Each area has a director. The three directors and the clergy form the pastoral staff.

Liturgy and Music

Abigail Walsh is the **Director of Liturgy and Music**. Talk to her about becoming a cantor or joining the children's choir or main parish choir.

Bob Tulini is the **Coordinator of Liturgy**. Talk to him about becoming a liturgical minister - usher, sacristan, altar server, lector, Communion minister.

Religious Education

Dolores Mozzillo is the **Director of Religious Education**. Talk to her about Religious Education, Vacation Bible School (VBS), or the Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (OCIA).

Stewardship

Cheryl Judge is the **Director of Stewardship**. Talk to her about finding the right ministry for charitable outreach and ongoing formation as a Christian.

What's available for each demographic?

Group	Ministry
Women	Walking with Purpose
Men	That Man is You
All adults	Tuesday Night Bible Study
Families with small children	Little Disciples
Middle school girls	Blaze
Middle school boys	Strive

Group	Ministry
All middle and high school students	Project Serve
All high school students	Teen Mass

How is the parish governed?

The parish is part of the Diocese of Camden. The pastor consults with the **pastoral council** about mission and with the **finance council** about mission support (finance, buildings and grounds, HR, and legal affairs). The approval of the diocese and the finance council are necessary for major business decisions. Pastoral council members are elected at an annual discernment meeting and new finance council members are elected by existing council members.

Fr. Jon Thomas has been pastor since 2020. His predecessor, Fr. Jim Dever, served as pastor for eight years. The pastor executes plans and daily operations by leading a pastoral staff (identified above) and a **business staff** including a **business manager** responsible for finance and HR and a **facilities manager** responsible for buildings and grounds. The pastoral staff meets every other week during the school year and the business staff meets monthly.

Suggestions from parishioners relevant to the parish’s mission are generally considered by the pastoral council through its standing committees, which roughly correspond to the three areas of parish life identified above.

How is the parish doing financially?

The parish’s offertory (Sunday and holy day collections) has risen steadily since the pandemic shutdown and finally surpassed FY 2019’s offertory of \$920,000 in FY 2024 with an offertory of \$935,000. In FY 2025, the offertory is projected to reach \$1,000,000 for the first time in its history. The parish has no debt.