



# Parish of Saint Monica

Atlantic City, NJ



The Parish of Saint Monica serves all of Atlantic City. It includes the churches of Our Lady Star of the Sea, St. Nicholas of Tolentine, and St. Michael's.

**April 8, 2018** **Second Sunday of Easter**

## Lord's Passion Procession



The Passion of Christ, from the Latin patior meaning "suffer," refers to those sufferings our Lord endured for our redemption from the agony in the garden until His death on Calvary. It was a successful production from our parishioners.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Apr. 14**  
**First Holy Communion**

- 12:30 PM - Spanish
- 3:30 PM - English
- At OLSS Church

**Apr. 21**  
**Confirmation Practice**

- 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM
- At OLSS Church

**May. 01**  
**Confirmation**

- 5:00 PM
- At OLSS Church

## CONTACT INFORMATION

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**Our Lady Star of the Sea School** • 15 North California Avenue • 609-345-0648

**Catholic Charities** • 9 North Georgia Avenue • 609-345-3448

## MASS SCHEDULE

**Our Lady Star of the Sea**  
 2651 ATLANTIC AVENUE

**WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE**

**Saturday** 8:00 AM, 4:15 PM  
 7:00 PM (Spanish)

**Sunday** 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM  
 10:30 AM (Spanish)  
 12:00 Noon  
 2:30 PM (Spanish)  
 6:30 PM (Vietnamese)

**DAILY MASS SCHEDULE**

**Mon. - Fri.** 7:00 AM, 5:15 PM

**Wednesday** 7:00 PM (Spanish)

**Thursday** 6:30 PM (Spanish)

**Friday** 7:00 PM (Spanish)

**Saint Nicholas of Tolentine**  
 1409 PACIFIC AVENUE

**WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE**

**Saturday** 4:00 PM

**Sunday** 8:45 AM (Traditional Latin)  
 10:30 AM  
 12:00 Noon

**DAILY MASS**

**Mon. - Fri.** 8:00 AM

**Saint Michael's Church**  
 10 N. MISSISSIPPI AVENUE

**First Sunday of the Month**  
 10:00 AM  
**Sunday, May 6, 2018**

## SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Monday - Friday, 5 PM at Our Lady Star of the Sea. Saturday, 3:15 - 4 PM in both churches. Also available by appointment.

## MARRIAGE

Couples planning marriage should set a date with a parish priest at least six months in advance.

## INFANT BAPTISM

Preceded by a required baptismal preparation program. Speak to Fr. Pham.

## WANT TO BECOME CATHOLIC?

Need to complete your initiation into the Church? Classes run September - June, Mondays at 6:00 PM. Speak to Fr. Pham.

## ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please call the office when a parishioner is seriously sick so one of the priests may visit.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Monday 5:45 PM to 6:45 PM for grades 1 - 6 and 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM for grades 6 - 12. Adults 7:00 -8:00 PM

## MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

Wednesday evenings after the 5:15 Mass.

## ROSARY

Monday - Friday, after 7 AM Mass and before 5:15 PM Mass. Saturday after 8:00 AM Mass.

## PARISH REGISTRATION

Letters of suitability cannot be issued to persons not registered with the parish. You can register in person in the office or online.

## HOLY DAY SCHEDULE

### Our Lady Star of the Sea Vigil

5:15 PM English  
7:00 PM Vietnamese

### Holy Day

7:00 AM English  
5:15 PM English  
7:00 PM Spanish

### St. Nicholas of Tolentine

8:00 AM English  
10:00 AM Latin Mass  
12 Noon English

# Our Lady Star of the Sea School

School Principal: Mrs. Susan J. Tarrant School Staff: Sisters of Mercy and Lay Faculty

**"The mission of Our Lady Star of the Sea Regional School is to unite our multicultural community through the Catholic values of Academic excellence, compassionate service and respect for all."**



The 8th grade at OLSS reenacted the Stations of the Cross for students and the public on March 27.

Classes resume Monday, April 9th.

**Sister Shamus Walk:** We hope you will support the Annual Sister Shamus Walk on Saturday, April 28 beginning at 8 am in Memorial Hall (the school gym). This is our major school fundraiser and we invite all parishioners to support us and to join us on the walk. Sign up for the walk by visiting the facebook page: our lady star of the sea school acnj.

**REGISTRATION:** OLSS School will begin accepting registrations for the 2018-2019 school year for new students in Pre K 3 to Grade 8 and for students with Individualized Service Plans on Monday, April 16. If you are seeking a quality Catholic education, individualized instruction in a small class environment where a high level of success is encouraged, let us help you make that possible. We welcome new families to witness firsthand what sets us apart in addressing the needs of our students spiritually, academically, and socially. Please call to take a tour the school and speak to our Principal, Mrs. Tarrant. Financial assistance is available.

## PARISH STAFF

**Rev. Jon Thomas**  
Pastor

**Rev. Thanh Pham**  
Parochial Vicar

**Rev. Fernando Carmona**  
Parochial Vicar

**Rev. Robert Matysik**  
Hospital Chaplain

**Joan Parker**  
Business Manager

**Maria Isabel Duran**  
Religious Education  
Coordinator

**Erick Duran**  
Facilities Manager

**John Mooney**  
Outreach Director

**Kathleen Given**  
Pastoral Associate

**Maria Isabel Espinoza**  
Secretary and Safe  
Environment Coordinator

**Laura Esparza**  
Asst. for Hispanic Ministry

**Henry Porvaznik**  
Asst. for Special Projects

## CONTACT

**RECTORY**  
609-345-1878

**RELIGIOUS ED**  
609-345-1878 Ext-24

**SCHOOL**  
609-345-0648

**SCHOOL CONVENT**  
609-347-0434

**ST. MICHAEL'S CONVENT**  
609-343-1545

**WEB SITE**  
accatholic.org

# The Faith Page

We attend Mass not only to witness the sacrifice of Christ but to become part of it.

"I appeal to you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God." - *Romans 12:1*

"May he [Christ] make of us an eternal offering to you [the Father], so that we may obtain an inheritance with your elect." - *Eucharistic Prayer III*

## Second Sunday of Easter

### John 20:19-31

#### Thomas believes because he sees Jesus.

This Gospel shows the significance of the encounters with the resurrected Jesus. It combines two scenes: Jesus' appearance to his disciples after his Resurrection and Jesus' dialogue with Thomas, the disciple who doubted.

Part of the mystery of Jesus' Resurrection is that he appeared to his disciples not as a spirit, but in bodily form. We do not know exactly what this form looked like. We know that in his resurrected form, Jesus was not bound by matter; he appeared to the disciples inside a home even though the door was locked. Yet the disciples could still touch the marks of his Crucifixion.

Thomas, the doubting disciple, represents the reality of the Church that comes after this first community of witnesses to Jesus. All but the first disciples of Jesus must believe without seeing. Like Thomas, we may doubt the news that Jesus, who was crucified and buried, appeared to his disciples. Our human nature seeks hard evidence that the Jesus who appeared to his disciples after his death is indeed the same Jesus who was crucified. Thomas is given the opportunity to be our representative in obtaining this evidence. He gives witness to us that the Jesus who was raised is the same Jesus who died. Through the gift of the Holy Spirit, we are among those who are blessed, for we have not seen and yet believe.

#### Adults:

The Holy Spirit helps us to be people who forgive and reconcile with one another. How can you call upon the Holy Spirit to help you to seek ways to bring peaceful resolution to disagreements?

#### Children:

How can you resolve conflicts peacefully?

## Segundo domingo de Pascua

### John 20:19-31

#### Thomas cree que porque él ve a Jesús.

Este evangelio muestra la importancia de los encuentros con Jesús resucitado. Combina dos escenas: la aparición de Jesús a sus discípulos después de su resurrección y Jesús diálogo con Tomás, el discípulo que dudó.

Parte del misterio de la resurrección de Jesús es que él apareció a sus discípulos, no como un espíritu, sino en forma corporal. No sabemos exactamente lo que esta forma parecía. Sabemos que en su forma de resurrección, Jesús no fue obligado por la materia; se apareció a los discípulos dentro de una casa aunque la puerta estaba cerrada con llave. Pero los discípulos aún podían tocar las marcas de su crucifixión.

Tomás, el discípulo dudando, representa la realidad de la iglesia que viene después de esta primera comunidad de testigos de Jesús. Todos pero los primeros discípulos de Jesús deben creer sin ver. Como Tomás, podemos dudar de la noticia de que Jesús, quien fue crucificado y enterrado, aparecieron a sus discípulos. Nuestra naturaleza humana busca evidencia que el Jesús que se apareció a sus discípulos después de su muerte es de hecho el mismo Jesús que fue crucificado. Thomas se da la oportunidad de ser nuestro representante en la obtención de esta evidencia. Él da testimonio a nosotros que el Jesús que resucitó es el mismo Jesús que murió. Mediante el don del Espíritu Santo, estamos entre aquellos que son bendecidos, para que no lo han visto y sin embargo creo.

#### Adultos:

El Espíritu Santo nos ayuda a ser personas que perdonaran y reconcilian a uno con el otro. ¿Cómo se puede llamar al Espíritu Santo para ayudarlo a buscar maneras de traer la resolución pacífica de los desacuerdos?

#### Niños:

¿Cómo puede resolver los conflictos pacíficamente?



# How We Serve

## CATHOLIC CHARITIES

### FOOD PANTRY

At St. Nicholas of Tolentine Church  
1409 Pacific Avenue

Your donation of food, money and/or time are always welcome!

Come every **third Monday of the month** between **8:00 am & 11:00 am** on Memorial Ave. (Rear of church property) Please come early.

**NEXT DISTRIBUTION IS  
APRIL 16, 2018**

In 2016, the Atlantic City Office was able to provide food assistance to 1,358 individuals. Over 500 individuals, 50 of whom were homeless veterans, received rent or utility funding in order to prevent homelessness and disconnection. The office has also provided over 1000 changes of clothing, fresh hygiene products, and sandwiches to the homeless on Fridays.

The Atlantic City office, located at 9 North Georgia Ave., is open on Monday through Friday from 8:30 AM to 4:00 PM, and includes a food pantry, free baby supplies, and a thrift store.

Thrift Store Hours: 9:30-11:30 AM Mondays: Adult clothing, Wednesdays: Children & housewares, Fridays (except First Friday): Free clothing to those who provide proof of homelessness.

For more information and a full list of services, please visit: <http://catholiccharitiescamden.org> or call 609-345-3448.

## WHAT WE GIVE

Bags of Food Monthly: 300

Children at Trunk or Treat: 1,000

Easter baskets Distributed: 200

House of Charity donations given by parishioners in 2017: \$105,000

Christmas Toys Distributed: >300

To help with the Easter Basket Program this year, contact Margaret Steadman at: 609-703-9093.

## SERVING THE LORD

While the parish strives to serve the community, our first responsibility is to serve the Lord. One often overlooked way to do that is to say grace before and after each meal. This is particularly important when dining in a public eatery. What a great way to show the community that you are a committed Catholic.

# Join Us

**Diocese of Camden will Celebrate a Special Mass for all Priests Honoring their 25, 40, 50, 60 or 70 years of Ordination. Bishop Dennis Sullivan will be the principal celebrant of the Mass.**

**When:** Tuesday, May 8, 2018

**Time:** 4:00 PM

**Where:** St. Mary's Church

2001 Springdale Road, Cherry Hill, NJ

All the people of the Diocese are invited to attend this Special Mass. Come and celebrate with the priests of our Diocese.

**Retrouvaille - Rediscover the Love in Your Marriage**

**When:** April 13-15, 2018

**Where:** Family Life Center, Malvern, PA

**Contact:** [www.HelpOurMarriage.org](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.org) or call 800-470-2230. All inquiries are kept strictly confidential.

**The Missionaries of the Sacred Heart is offering Religious Gifts for First Communion and Confirmation**

**Hours:** Mon. - Thu. from 8:30 AM to 3:30 PM  
Friday from 8:30 AM to 12:00 PM

**Where:** 2249 Shore Road, Linwood, NJ

**Contact:** (609)927-5600

**Bereavement Ministry Training (Five sessions)**

**When:** Thursday Nights, April 5, 12, 19, 26 and May 3, 2018

**Time:** 7:00 PM to 9:30 PM

**Where:** St. Joachim Social Hall

605 West Browning Rd, Bellmawr, NJ 08031

**Contact:** Colleen Mayhew at (856)583-2903 or email [colleen.mayhew@camdendiocese.org](mailto:colleen.mayhew@camdendiocese.org)

**The Knights of Columbus has now OPENED its membership benefits**

**Offer:** Help your family and strengthen your Catholic Life

**Contact:** Philip D. Pfaffman (609)335-7829 cell (609)652-3057

**Catholic Charities' Addiction Healing & Healing Ministry will be presenting: Understanding the Spiritual Disease of Addiction and the Opioid Epidemic.**

**When:** Tuesday, April 10, 2018

**Time:** 1:30 PM and 7:00 PM

**Where:** St. Gianna Beretta Molla, Northfield

**Contact:** Claudia Costa at 609-646-5611

## BY THE NUMBERS

### PARISH COLLECTION FOR EASTER

OFFERTORY . . . . .	\$34,434.00
BUDGET . . . . .	\$35,000.00
POOR BOX . . . . .	\$338.00

### MANY THANKS FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

NUMBER OF REGISTERED HOUSEHOLDS . . . . . 2003

#### DEAR VISITOR

I always thank God for time away, whether on a European vacation or on a day trip. I know many people do not have these opportunities. Therefore, when I attend Mass, I show my gratitude with a particularly generous gift to the local church. I am grateful for your generosity to us. Also, please tip your housekeepers and other hospitality staff – they are our parishioners!

### WHY A SECOND COLLECTION?

About 15 times a year, the US bishops ask parishes to take a second collection for a special cause of national or international significance. For the sake of simplicity, our parish always takes a second collection. On unassigned Sundays, the second collection supports our parish in the same way as the first.

## SUPPORTING YOUR PARISH

You can help ensure that Catholicism has a bright and solid future in Atlantic City. To the extent you are able, will you give to the parish from the blessings you have received from God? You can sponsor a school student, have a memorial stone placed by the Mother Lewis statue, purchase a pew bible, even support building renovations. Giving is easy, quick, and secure if you use our online giving page. Go to <http://accatholic.org/how-you-can-help/66-giving-opportunities-01>

Of course you can still call the office and mail in your donations.

## DIOCESE OF CAMDEN CAP TRAINING

### For Employees and Volunteers

#### CAP Phase 1 Session:

**When:** Thursday, April 12, 2018  
**Time:** 6:30 PM  
**Where:** St. Gianna Beretta Molla  
1421 New Road, Northfield

#### CAP Phase 1 Session:

**When:** Friday, April 13, 2018  
**Time:** 7:00 PM  
**Where:** Most Precious Blood (School)  
445 White Horse Pike, W. Collingswood

## BLACK CATHOLIC MINISTRY

**Gift of life weekend:** Sunday, April 15th. The Gift of Life Donor Dash has hosted 10,000 of participants, commemorating countless donations and lives saved. For 22 spectacular years, teams and individuals have volunteered to run or walk to spread the word that donation saves lives. Transplants are acceptable to the Vatican and donation is encouraged as an act of charity and love. There are more than 92,000 people waiting for a Kidney in the United States, and over a third of those are African American. The 23rd annual Donor Dash will gather at the Philadelphia Museum of Art. 10K Run begins 7:10 am, 5K Run begins 7:20 am, Kids Fun Run begins 7:45 am, and the 3K walk begins 8:30 am. Registration \$30.00 (before 4/10), 35.00 at the event. Register now at [donordash.org](http://donordash.org). and join team "MELIKA ROSE" (Send information of interest to [bmwhitetoole@aol.com](mailto:bmwhitetoole@aol.com))

## STEWARDSHIP

April 8, 2018

### 2nd Sunday of Easter - Stewards of Gifts

**"The community of believers was of one heart and mind, and no one claimed that any of his possessions was his own..." - ACTS 4:32**

All that we are and all that we have is a gift from God! Think of your family, your friends, your talents, your abilities and your money – these are all gifts from God! We aren't really owners of anything, we are merely "Stewards" of the gifts God has blessed us with. That we as Christian Stewards may learn to see all of our blessings as abundant gifts from God so that we may use them for the benefit of all God's people. For the grace of discernment for all Teens and Young Adults who are making major life decisions: that they will recognize God's invitation and open their hearts in trust and confidence to the God who loves them.

## SPECIAL THANK YOU

A special "Thank You" to all who donated to our Easter Flowers in Honor of or in Memory of a Loved One. Our Churches looked beautiful and your generosity made that possible. The following masses will memorialize all these loved ones: Sunday, April 29, 2018 in OLSS at 9:00 AM, Sunday, April 15, 2018 in St. Nicholas at 12:00 PM, and Sunday, May 6, 2018 in St. Michael's at 10:00 AM.

## U.S. DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS ATLANTIC COUNTY CLAIMS CLINIC

**When:** Saturday, April 14, 2018  
**Time:** From 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM  
**Where:** Atlantic Cape Community College  
1535 Bacharach Boulevard, Atlantic City

There will be representatives from multiple VA programs and services, including healthcare, benefits, and clinics.

# Comunidad Hispana

## Horarios de Atención Oficina Hispana

Martes, Miércoles y Jueves ..... 10am - 2pm

Viernes ..... 11am - 2pm

Secretaria Laura Esparza

609-345-1878 ext.19 lesparza@accatholic.org

## Horarios de Oficina Educacion Religiosa

Lunes a Jueves ..... 10:30am - 3pm

Maria Isabel Duran, Directora

609-345-1878 ext. 24 mduran@accatholic.org

Numero Directo 609-470-9157

## CLASES DE BAUTISMO

Las clases de bautismo en español se darán todos los primeros y terceros jueves de cada mes, empezando con la misa a las 6:30 PM y luego con la plática a las 7:30 PM. Por favor de traer el Acta de Nacimiento del su hijo (a).

Spanish Baptismal classes are held the first and third Thursdays of each month at 7:30 PM in the sacristy. The classes will follow the 6:30 AM Mass. Please bring the child's Birth Certificate to the class.

### Renovación Carismática Católica

#### Siervos De Cristo - Grupo de Oración

2nd y 3rd miércoles de mes después de Misa

"Y todos quedaron llenos del Espíritu Santo, y comenzaron a hablar en otras lenguas, según el Espíritu hacia que hablaran" – Hechos 2,4

## 2018 SPRING FREE ESL & CITIZENSHIP PROGRAM

Provided by La Casa Dominicana NJ

### CLASES GRATIS de INGLES y CIUDADANIA

ESL BEGINNING LOW "Monday & Friday"

ESL BIGINNING HIGH "Monday & Friday"

ESL INTERMEDIATE LOW "Monday & Thursday"

April 18, 2018 to July 2, 2018

Time: 5:30pm to 7:30pm

For more information please call to

Luis Rodriguez

609-334-2563

Time: 5:30pm to 7:30pm

## CONFIRMACION / CONFIRMATION 2018

### Español

\***Confirmacion de Saint Monica** es Martes, Mayo 1, 2018 a las 5:00 PM.

\***Practica para Confirmacion** con Padrinos - Abril 21, 2018 de 9:00 AM a 12:00 PM.

\***El costo del Alba de Confirmacion es de \$25.00.** Por favor traer el pago antes del día de la practica en un sobre que diga "Confirmacion Gown" con su nombre, medida y grado.

### English

\***Confirmation for St. Monica** is May 1, 2018 at 5:00 PM.

\***Rehearsal for confirmation** with Sponsor is April 21, 2018 from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM.

\***The cost for the Confirmation Gown is \$25.00.** Kindly bring the payment before of the Rehearsal in an envelop marked "Confirmation Gown" with your name, size, and grade.

### Primera Comunión/ First Communion

\*Sabado, Abril 14, 2018 a las 12:30 PM - Spanish

**Practica de Primera Comunión en Español** - Sabado, Abril 7, 2018 de 12:00 PM a 1:00 PM en la Iglesia de Nuestra Señora Estrella del Mar.

\*Saturday, April 14, 2018 at 3:30 PM - English

**First Holy Communion Practice for the English Mass** - Saturday, April 7, 2018 from 10:00 AM to 11:30 AM at Our Lady Star of the Sea Church.

## STEWARSHIP

08 de abril de 2018

2º Domingo de Pascua - Mayordomos de los Dones

**"La comunidad de los creyentes era de un corazón y mente, y nadie afirmó que ninguna de sus posesiones era su propia..." - Hechos 4:32**

Todo lo que somos y todo lo que tenemos es un regalo de Dios! Piensa en tu familia, tus amigos, tus talentos, tus habilidades y tu dinero – son todos dones de Dios! Realmente no somos dueños de nada, somos simplemente "administradores" de los dones que Dios nos ha bendecido con. Que como Christian Stewards podemos aprender a ver todas nuestras bendiciones como abundantes dones de Dios para que podemos utilizar en beneficio de la gente de Dios. Por la gracia de discernimiento para todos los adolescentes y adultos jóvenes que toman decisiones importantes de la vida: que reconoce la invitación de Dios y abrir sus corazones en confianza al Dios que los ama.

# Mass Intentions for the Week - April 8, 2018

## Our Lady Star of the Sea

Day	Date	Time	Intention
Saturday	Apr. 07	8:00 4:15 7:00	Raymond Gormley/ Family Evelyn Douton / Danny Fritz
Sunday	Apr. 08	7:30 9:00 10:30 12:00 2:30 6:30	Deceased members of Adams, Maffei & Pavese Family / Anthony Pavese & Janet Adams John W. Hladun/ Nolan Family Edith Galindo Sarmiento/ Familia Galindo
Monday	Apr. 09	7:00 5:15	Leonardo & Remedios Magalong(D) /Cecilia Magalong
Tuesday	Apr. 10	7:00 5:15	Cass Heald / Theresa McGurk
Wednesday	Apr. 11	7:00 5:15 7:00	Sis & Joe Liddy/ Liddy Family Orfelina Viola/ Ofrece su Hija Odalis Viola
Thursday	Apr. 12	7:00 5:15 6:30	Kay Picard / Ed & Kay Colanzi
Friday	Apr. 13	7:00 5:15 7:00	Emma Mancini/ Family
Saturday	Apr. 14	8:00 4:15 7:00	Alice D'Amico / Dillon Family
Sunday	Apr. 15	7:30 9:00 10:30 12:00 2:30 6:30	Mass for the People Cass Heald / Ruffolo Family Edith Galindo Sarmiento/ Familia Galindo Louis S. Materio / Joseph M. Formica Linh hồn mồ côi/ ÔB Chính xin

## St. Nicholas Church

Day	Date	Time	Intention
Saturday	Apr. 07	4:00	Blanche Devisscher / Marie Filardi Mario Amodel / Bod & Jane Gross
Sunday	Apr. 08	8:45 10:30 12:00	Joan Wade / Ray & Barbara Sands Holy Souls in Purgatory Madeline Hopper & Family Mass for the People
Monday	Apr. 09	12:00	Holy Souls in Purgatory Mario J. Formica(D) & Family(L)
Tuesday	Apr. 10	12:00	Madeline Hopper & Family Holy Souls in Purgatory
Wednesday	Apr. 11	12:00	Holy Souls in Purgatory
Thursday	Apr. 12	12:00	Holy Souls in Purgatory
Friday	Apr. 13	12:00	Madeline Hopper & Family Holy Souls in Purgatory
Saturday	Apr. 14	4:00	Holy Souls in Purgatory
Sunday	Apr. 15	8:45 10:30 12:00	Ronald coleman / Ray Sands James Patrick & Mary Teresa Burke James J. Lees / Jack Imfeld Love Ones Memorialized through Easter Flowers Dona- tion



CAMPAIGN FOR THE CATHOLIC  
COMMUNITY OF SOUTH JERSEY

## St. Michael's Church

Day	Date	Time	Intention
Sunday	May. 6	10:00	Sara Persenda/ Mary Help of Christians Love Ones Memorialized through Easter Flowers Dona- tion

"We pray that you watch over us and guide us as we invigorate our parishes and leadership, rise our public image, embrace our diversity, and continue to serve Your mission on Earth."  
"Father, bless our campaign and send forth your Holy Spirit so that we will be for years to come **CATHOLIC STRONG.**"  
Amen.