

Dear Parishioners of Sacred Heart,

I am sure that many of you will have heard by now that our neighboring parish in Mount Holly, Christ the Redeemer Church, will be closing. The final Masses will be celebrated on Pentecost Sunday, May 23, 2021. The Link to this announcement by Bishop O'Connell [can be found here](#).

I have written to Father Daniel Peirano, the Pastor of Christ the Redeemer, assuring him that the good people of this faithful, Spirit-filled community would be in our thoughts and prayers. Let us do all we can to support and comfort them in this time of transition and, too those who wish, warmly welcome them into the Sacred Heart family.

Bishop O'Connell writes: "I am most grateful to all the parishioners who have been part of and supported Christ the Redeemer Parish since its inception as a parish of the Diocese of Trenton in 1977. As with any closing, there will be some sadness but the opportunities to be part of neighboring parishes and all they have to offer will be a blessing."

May Christ our Redeemer, whose own sorrow and suffering led to the glory and joy of His Resurrection bless us all.

Sincerely,

Father John