



Emanuel, New Brunswick
Pastor Scott Rush



St. Bartholomew
Trenton
Pastor Erich Kussman



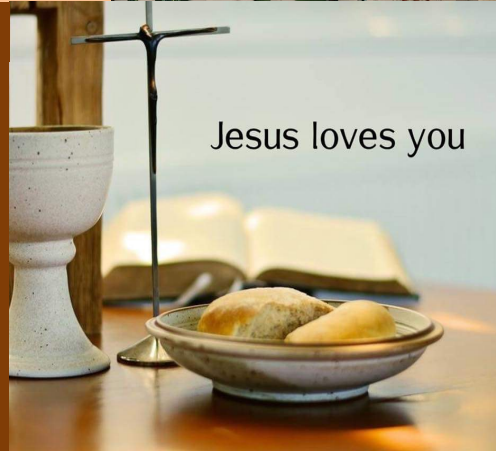
St. Stephan's
Grace, Newark
Pastor Moacir Weirich

Abiding Love
Kendall Park
Pastor Adrian Deepak + Deacon Sue Gerrard



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Jesus loves you

Mission Together



NJ Synod Assembly 2026

Flowing Waters, Faithful Witness: God's Mission in the Life of our Synod.



Water marks us.
Witness moves us.



Thank you for praying, uplifting, and supporting God's mission throughout our territory!

God. Is. Doing. New. Things.

The Holy Spirit is doing new and surprising things among us. Through mission starts, strategic ministries, and cohorts of lay and clergy teams, leaders are being equipped so more people encounter Jesus and experience community, justice, and love. Together we are called to reflect on who we are, why God has placed us here, what difference our presence makes in the world, and how we are invited to join in what God is doing now.



We celebrate our 4 mission starts...



1 **Tapestry Collective in Montclair**
Is creating welcoming space for unhoused and the LGBTQ+ people to connect, build relationships, and support one another.
Pastor Margarete Oujj



2 **Casa Unida Luterana in Pennsauken** is a Latiné parallel mission with Temple. Led by a team with **Vicar Jason Reed, Carmen Acevedo & Carlos Roque**



3 **Santa Isabel Ministry w/ Immigrants in Detention in Elizabeth.**
Gathers for worship & prayer
Pastor Ramon Collazo



Santa Isabel Elizabeth
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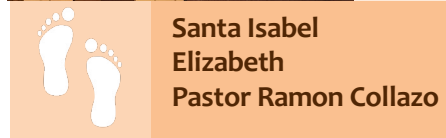


4 **Camino de Vida in Summit**
Gathers Latiné day laborers for prayer and breakfast. Anchored at St. John's Lutheran.
Pastor Haydée Colón-Hernández



Bridge of Peace Camden

Pastors Andy Jones & Giselle Coutinho



Santa Isabel Elizabeth
Pastor Ramon Collazo



Trinity Lutheran Church Jersey City
Pastor Dianne Lewis



Christus, Camden
Pastor Jesse Brown, Jr.

St. John, Passaic
Pastor José Escalera



... and 9 strategic ministries !

