

December 04, 2022

Second Sunday of Advent

Rev. Joseph T. Szolack
Pastor


Rev. John W. March
Parochial Vicar

Rev. Antony Savari Muthu
Parochial Vicar

Rev. René Canales
Hispanic Ministry

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Michael Harkins **Jack Werner**
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Christmas Stewardship

*"Therefore, every tree that does not bear good fruit will be cut down and thrown into the fire."
MATTHEW 3:10*

Do you bear good fruit for Jesus? Do you spend time in prayer or do you waste it with mindless activity? Do you use your talent to help others or are you too busy? Do you use your treasure to support the Church or do you buy more things that go unused? Our time, talent and treasure are gifts from God. What we do with our **Stewardship** is our gift back to Him. What gifts are you planning to give to the Lord during this upcoming Christmas season?

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:30pm Vigil
Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am, 12:00pm and 6:00pm

WEEK DAY MASS

Monday-Friday: 8:00am and 9:00am
Monday: 6:30pm Rosary
7:00pm Miraculous Medal Novena
Saturday: 8:45am St. Jude Novena
9:00am Mass

MISA EN ESPAÑOL (ST. JUDE CHURCH)

Miércoles: 7:00pm
Sábado: 6:00pm
Domingo: 9:30am

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

Eve of Holy Day: 7:00pm
Holy Day: 8:00am, 9:00am, 12:10pm, 7:00pm

CONFESSIONS

Monday: 7:30pm
Saturday: 9:30am - 10:00am and 3:30pm - 4:15pm or by appointment

Saint Agnes Church

701 Little Gloucester Road
Blackwood, NJ 08012
(856) 228-4331

Saint Jude Church

402 S. Black Horse Pike
Blackwood, NJ 08012
(856) 228-1571

Our Lady of Hope Regional School

420 S. Black Horse Pike
Blackwood, NJ 08012
(856) 227-4442

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday December 3rd

4:30 pm † Michael Wise by His Loving Family

Sunday December 4th

7:30 am † Helen, Frank and Nancy Zarzecki by Their Family

9:00 am † Albert and Eleanor Zappile by Larry and Vera Villarose

10:30 am † Michael McCloskey, Peter and Marion Gattinella by Marilyn

12:00 pm † Rodolfo Torres by The Ramos Family

6:00 pm † Frank Varanese by His Wife, Louise

Monday December 5th

8:00 am † Stephen C. Marciana by From His Loving Family

9:00 am † Norman A. Sees by Lucille, Norman and Julie

Tuesday December 6th

8:00 am † Carolyn Leary by Aunt Marie

9:00 am † Henry Moorhouse by His Wife

Wednesday December 7th

8:00 am People of the Parish

9:00 am † Mary Ungroe by Children

7:00 pm † Emilio Marcolongo by The Marcolongo Family

Thursday December 8th

8:00 am † Fred and Vira Stavely by Their Family

9:00 am † The Shay Family by Kathy Long

12:10 pm † Edward T. "Butch" Boyer by Franciscan Sisters FMIHM Missionary

7:00 pm † Angela M. MacMillian by Joseph Miloszewski

Friday December 9th

8:00 am † Leo P. Matteucci by Marty, Dina, Dominic and Luke

9:00 am Concepcion Constantino by Gary Kasprack

Saturday December 10th

9:00 am † Allison Bonafiglia by Joanne Bonafiglia
† W. Christine Fecenko by The families Fulgoni, Hoell, Cusack, Brady,
Fecenko and Sheila Fecenko

† Jeanne Caracciolo by Anthony Reina and Family

† George M. Fuchs by Jim and Jane Coolen

† Anthony J. DiBruno by Joanne Chambers

† Anna Marie Hamp by The Criswell Family

† Joseph "Tippy" W. Falcone by Ron Barnstead and Family
In Thanksgiving by Margaret M.

† Angelina "Nina" Sestito by Theresa Canonica and Family

† James Smith by Charleen and Bob Orzechowski

4:30 pm † Andrew C. Hawn, Sr. by His Wife

Sunday December 11th

7:30 am † Allen Akrigg, Jr. by Al and Helen Akrigg

9:00 am † The Living and Deceased Members of the Altar and Rosary Society

10:30 am † Andy Antolik by Camille Antolik

12:00 pm † Patti Di Gregorio by Husband John

6:00 pm † Anna Maria Malatesta by Her Daughter, Anglea Murphy



Adam Cavallaro, Ron Conte, Toni CW, Frank D'Amico, Richard DeBella, John Esposito, David Anthony Galda, Jimmy Gisondi, Jonny Hoffman, Marge Howardell, Baby Jura Kerr-Liddell, Lorraine L., Margaret M., John Nemeth, Roxanne Nemeth, Sherry Pernick, Joseph Polini, Amie Rawsley, Pamela Reed, Roger Reed, Jaxson Rivera, Jacob Rivera, The Renz Family, Donna Salerno, Terri Theisen, Yolanda Wing.

ADDED THIS WEEK: Vince Haywood, Matty Raimo, Emily Osmanski

Names remain on the sick list for 6 weeks.
Please notify the office if names should be removed earlier or remain on longer.

The Church Sanctuary Candle this week burns
in Loving Memory of:

Dolores Giannetti

at the request of:

Romeo



If you would like to have the Sanctuary Candle burn in the memory of your loved one, or if you would like to purchase flowers for the Altar in their memory, please contact the Parish Office at 856-228-4331.

THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 08TH
IN OBSERVANCE OF
THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.

Join us for Donut Sunday
December 04th 8am - 11am.
in the Parish Hall



The Parish Nursing Ministry will be available to do
Blood Pressure Checks.

PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED:



Grace Rita Rizzo

Carol Noucas

Joyce C. Impagliazzo

James Lilley



A Message from our Pastor, Rev. Joseph T. Szolack

Dear Friends in Christ,

“Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you. For everyone who asks receives, and the one who seeks finds, and to the one who knocks it will be opened. Or which one of you, if his son asks him for bread, will give him a stone? Or if he asks for a fish, will give him a serpent? If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father who is in heaven give good things to those who ask him!” (Matthew 7:7-11). It is so important to bring Our Lord through prayer into everything we do. A notable example of this are the intentions that are going onto our parish Christmas tree for the front of the church. We will pray during the season, as long as the tree is up, for the intentions and prayers on the balls. We could have just had a decorated tree, but instead, it will be full of prayers. I always advise that all of our various ministries always begin their meetings and events with prayer. We are so blessed to have over five prayer groups in our parish. The prayer that takes place before the Most Blessed Sacrament and at the grotto. Living without prayer is empty and sterile. Our school day begins with prayer, and I hope that sports events begin with prayer. Every part of our parish life is to be a vehicle for the glory of God not of self. If it is not connected to Christ, I believe that we can let it go to make room for other ways to be with Jesus. Brother Lawrence in his work, *The Practice of the Presence of God* said of prayer, “He does not ask much of us, merely a thought of Him from time to time, a little act of adoration, sometimes to ask for His grace, sometimes to offer Him your sufferings, at other times to thank Him for the graces, past and present, He has bestowed on you, in the midst of your troubles to take solace in Him as often as you can. Lift up your heart to Him during your meals and in company; the least little remembrance will always be the most pleasing to Him. One need not cry out very loudly; He is nearer to us than we think.” The way to really prepare for Christmas is prayer. Praying when waking, praying at various times throughout the day, and certainly prayer on your lips at the close of the day. Advent is such a short season and is such an incredibly special time. If you only have one priority, let it be prayer. To be spiritually dead is truly being dead. Let us pray!

God bless you,
Father Szolack



CELEBRATE
Advent
Preparing Our Hearts for Jesus



Pray for our Military men and women: Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. Bring them home safely. May their sacrifices bring about a lasting and just peace in all lands. We ask this in the name of Jesus, Our Lord and Savior. Amen.

Please include these requests from our Parishioners in your prayers:

F Co. Unit and Lt. Cpl. Jacques Revoir; PFC Joseph DiJulio; Spec. Michael Sermarina, Iraq; Josh Treusch; PFC Zachary Krytzer; Sarah Turse, Afghanistan; Major Kristina Levins Himmelirch- USAF; Gunny Sgt. Nicholas A Tyciak III - USMC; Lt. Evan Cleaver, Afghanistan; Kevin Higgins; CSSN Nicholas Anthony Ferro - US Navy Submarine USSF Dallas Groton CT.; John Roberto - Military Police Afghanistan; Ssgt. Damian Bates, USMC; Private John Andrew McWilliams Afghanistan; Michael Mortka SSG, US Army; Sean Cyphert - USMC; Michael N Ekimoglou, USMC; Lt. Eric W. Courtois, US Air Force; DC1 Russell Estes, USN; Lt. Cpl. Andrew McWilliam Afghanistan; Justin Alberico, US Air Force; SSgt Joseph Hodson, Lt. Tom Gaffney; SPC Madgey, Bernard, PFC DiGenaro, Zacharo, Cpl Dzierzynski, Derrick, PFC Matthew J Tyciak, US Army, Private Matthew Zaleski - USMC, E8 Sgt Major Kevin Kirkpatrick - US National Guard; Capt. Sean Hunt, United States Marine Corp, Camp Pendleton, CA; Tara Feltwell - United States Navy, SR Kevin Wolf - U.S. Navy; Sgt. Steven Charyszyn— USMC; Ens. Robert W. McKenna, United States Coast Guard; Capt. Robert E. McKenna, United States Coast Guard; 1st LT Matthew DiGiacomo - US Air Force; Spec. Michael Whelan, US Army, Megan Capobianco 2nd Lt US Army; LT Vincent William Foschini, USN; RCT George Stuart - USMC; Arron Brown, SSGT - Army Reserve; LT J.G Joseph L Andricola, USN; SPC Michael D'Intino - US Army. , Sgt. James Buckingham - US Army; John Flynn - USN; Christopher Foschini - E4 Army; Private Christopher Duddy - USMC; AOAR Melanie Charyszyn, 1st Lt Joseph F. Donnelly - USMC; A1C Matthew Urban of the US Air Force; PFC Justin Wellik, Cpl. John T. McCormick- USMC; Cpl. Jake S. McCormick- USMC; PFC Jarrett J. McCormick-USMC .



ITEMS NEEDED: HAMS

Distribution of hams and *gift cards (*to those with children) will begin next Saturday, Dec. 10th, and will conclude on Saturday, Dec. 17th. If you still have gift cards or hams to donate, please drop them at the parish office as early as possible this week or on Saturday morning at the parish center between 8:30 & 11 a.m. We extend a special thank you to Boy Scout Troop 572 for the bounty of food collected and donated to our pantry last week. Their support is truly a blessing to our ministry.

Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/StVincentdePaulOurLadyofHopeParish>

Website:

<https://svdpoloh.weebly.com/>



Virtually join Father Szolack and Father March as they present a series of discussions entitled: *Hope Talks*

New episode now available!

www.OurLadyOfHopeNJ.org/Hope-Talks

The Collection Total

(November 26/27)

Collection: \$ 13,218
E-Giving: \$ 4,560
TOTAL: \$ 17,778



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Please e-mail: bulletin@ourladyofhopenj.org.

To Advertise in the Bulletin:

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Weekly Readings

December 05th - December 11th

Monday, December 05th

Isaiah 35:1-10
 Luke 5:17-26

Tuesday, December 06th

Isaiah 40:1-11
 Matthew 18:12-14

Wednesday, December 07th

Isaiah 40:25-31
 Matthew 11:28-30

Thursday, December 08th

Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Genesis 3:9-15,20
 Ephesians 1:3-6,11-12
 Luke 1:26-38

Friday, December 09th

Isiah 48:17-19
 Matthew 11:16-19

Saturday, December 10th

Sirach 48:1-4,9-11
 Matthew 17:9,10-13

Sunday, December 11th

Third Sunday of Advent

Isaiah 35:1-6,10
 James 5:7-10
 Matthew 11:3-11

CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday, December 3rd, 10th & 17th
9:30am - 10am & 3:30pm - 4:15pm

Monday, December 5th, 12th & 19th
6:00pm – 7:00pm

CHRISTMAS EVE MASSES

December 24th

- 4:00pm St Agnes Church
- 4:00pm St Jude Church
(Family Mass with Children's Pageant)
- 6:00pm St Agnes Church
- 8:00pm St Agnes Church
- 11:30pm St Agnes Church (Choir Prelude to Mass)
- 12:00am St Agnes Church (Midnight Mass)

CHRISTMAS DAY MASSES

December 25th

- 7:30am St Agnes Church
- 9:00am St Agnes Church
- 10:30am St Agnes Church
- 12:00pm St Agnes Church
(No Evening Mass)

NEW YEAR'S EVE MASSES

Saturday, December 31st

- 4:30pm St. Agnes Church

NEW YEAR'S DAY MASSES

January 1st

- 7:30am St. Agnes Church
- 9:00am St. Agnes Church

Our Lady of Hope Parish is proud to once again offer

ALTERNATIVE CHRISTMAS MART
November 28th - December 21st

Donations to the following Charitable Organizations can be made at the Parish Office.

- Catholic Charities USA*
- Catholic Relief Services*
- Covenant House*
- Habitat for Humanity*
- Heart of Camden*
- Heifer International*
- People for the Poor*

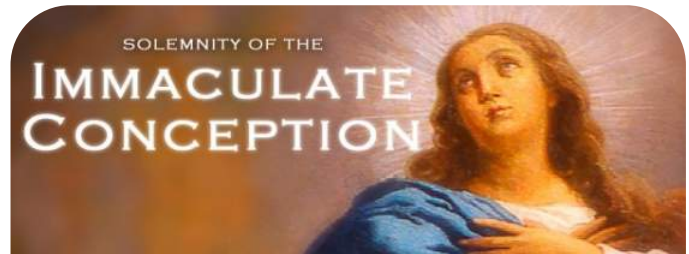
Blessing & Prayers for Advent Wreath

SECOND WEEK: The prayer that follows is to be repeated each day of the second week. After the prayer, the oldest child lights the first and second purple candles.

Leader: O Lord, stir up our hearts that we may prepare for Thy only begotten Son, that through His coming we may be made worthy to serve Thee with pure minds. Through Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

The two candles are allowed to burn during the evening meals of the second week.



Masses will be celebrated on:
Wednesday, Dec 7th: 7pm
Wednesday, Dec 8th: 8am, 9am, 12:10pm & 7pm

Celebration of Our Lady of Guadalupe
December 12

December 12th - St Jude Church:

5:30 pm - Novena and Rosary

6:30pm - Procession to St. Agnes Church

7:15pm - The re-telling of the story, "The Apparition of Our Lady of Guadalupe to St. Juan Diego"

7:50pm - Cultural Dance in honor of Our Lady

8:30pm - Mass

Fellowship in the Parish Hall after Mass.

***"Do not let your heart be saddened...
Am I not here, whom am your mother?"***

NEWS AND EVENTS



DISCERNMENT GROUP



| YOUNG ADULT DISCERNMENT | |
|-------------------------|--|
| OCT 16 | Who do you say that I am? |
| NOV 20 | Pray Without Ceasing |
| DEC 18 | Behold Thy Mother |
| JAN 8 | "Come and See" Life as a Seminarian |
| FEB 5 | Proclaim the Gospel to Every Living Creature |
| MAR 12 | Whose Sins You Forgive Are Forgiven Them |
| MAY 7 | I am the Bread of Life |

**YOUNG ADULT (16-39)
DISCERNMENT GROUP
OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE
PARISH OFFICE**

**135 N WHITE HORSE PIKE, LINDENWOLD
2:30-4:00PM**

OUR LADY OF HOPE BIBLE STUDY

Wednesdays 10am: Church Meeting Room

An in depth study of the ***Acts of the Apostles***.

Bring your Bible or one will be provided for you.

All scripture is inspired by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the man of God may be complete, equipped for every good work.

~ 2nd TIMOTHY 3:16-17

Come join us for a free Christmas concert.



Holy Crusaders Knights of Columbus Council is excited to announce that once again the **Bonsal Blues** will perform their Family & Friends Christmas Concert- Friday December 16, please arrive by 7:15, concert will start at 7:30 PM, here in our Church. The concert is free, and refreshments will follow. Please come, and bring your family & friends!

Thank you

This year our scouts collected over 5000 food items as part of the "Scouting for Food" program. All items were donated to the St. Vincent de Paul food pantry here at Our Lady of Hope Parish. Thank you to our parishioners and community members for making this a huge success.



Our Lady of Hope Parish
Blackwood N.J.



Parish Nurse Ministry: "Refresh and De-stress"

It's been said that fresh water cleans the body while fresh air cleans the mind. Improve your mental outlook by getting a few moments outdoors each day: Exposure to natural light improves sleep and wards off depression. Deep breathing reduces stress hormones, releases toxins, and improves blood flow. Refresh your soul with silence. Mother Teresa of Calcutta taught that silence of the heart is needed to be renewed and recreated. She said, "God is the friend of silence". It "gives us a new way of looking at everything."



Please join us to experience a day of intimate moments with Our Mother on December 10th (Saturday) to pray the 2000 Hail Marys. We will start by 6:30 am and ends by 4:00 pm. It will be held in the Chapel.

What is 2000 Hail Marys?

Praying 2000 Hail Marys consists of 20 Petitions with 100 Hail Marys each in a private devotion to Our Lady. It is a very powerful intercessory prayer through Our Blessed Mother to our Lord Jesus Christ. Combined with our faith and sincerity of heart, surely, there are graces and personal intentions that Our Mother will obtain for each one of us.

NEWS AND EVENTS



FOOTBALL MANIA WINNERS!

12th WEEK

| <u>11th WEEK</u> | | <u>12th WEEK</u> | |
|------------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|
| <u>#</u> | <u>PRIZE</u> | <u>#</u> | <u>PRIZE</u> |
| 99-2A015 | \$400 | 104-2A015 | \$50 |
| 12-2A015 | \$20 | 145-2A015 | \$20 |
| 573-2A015 | \$20 | 309-2A015 | \$20 |
| 968-2A015 | \$20 | 354-2A015 | \$20 |
| 992-2A015 | \$20 | 989-2A015 | \$20 |
| 1007-2A805 | \$20 | 1126-2A015 | \$20 |
| | | 1188-2A801 | \$20 |



Our newest way to keep in touch with Parishioners is with the help of FLOCKNOTE.

To Register you can:

Use your smart phone's camera and scan the QR code on the cover of the bulletin

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Text: OLOH701 to 84576

OR

Visit the registration page directly from your computer at:
OurLadyOfHopeParish3.FlockNote.com



ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY

Members of the Altar & Rosary Society are invited to our monthly intention Mass at 9AM on Sunday, Dec, 11.
There is no meeting this month.



Friday, January 20, 2023
National Mall in Washington DC



**Knights of
Columbus®**



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Limited Seating *\$20 Donation per person Departs OLOH @ 7:30AM, Returns 7:30PM

*proceeds support National Life Center – Woodbury NJ For reservations & details Contact: Jeff Lilley (856) 281-5117

FIRST ANNUAL FEAST OF OUR LADY OF HOPE CELEBRATION

Saturday, December 17th

Thank you to all who responded to our invitation for this celebration. We are thrilled to announce that **we have reached capacity for the dinner portion of the event** and can not accommodate additional attendees. However, if you were not able to RSVP for dinner, please know that all are welcome to come and enjoy the festivities of the evening beginning at 7:30pm with a time of thanksgiving to God for the blessings he has poured over our parish and Christmas caroling led by our own John Wernega. We hope that you will join us as we celebrate our parish's patronal feast.



In the weeks leading up to the Christmas tree lighting, the tree will be decorated with Christmas tree ornaments with the personalized intentions of our parishioners. Intentions can be requested to either be written on the outside of the ornament or placed inside. Ornaments are available in various sizes and suggested donations.

Order forms are available at the Parish Office and will be available in the gathering space after all Masses.



**STEPHEN
MINISTRY**

With the holidays upon us, this time of year is especially difficult for so many who are hurting. If you are experiencing a difficult time in your life and need someone to provide emotional and spiritual support, you are not alone. Our Lady of Hope Stephen Ministers provide Christ-centered care just for you in your time of need. No one should walk alone through the difficulties of life.

No one need walk alone through the difficulties of life. Call our Stephen Ministry Leaders:
Patti Infanti 609-471-2153 • Suzanne Carlucci 856-782-7395 • Howard Morell 609-221-0970.



Principal: Mrs. Elizabeth Martino
 420 S. Black Horse Pike, Blackwood, NJ 08012
PHONE: (856) 227-4442
E-MAIL: jmontgomery@olohschool.org

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Open House

Coming in January...
 Our Lady of Hope Regional School
 420 S Black Horse Pike, Blackwood, NJ
 Enrolling PreK3 - 8th Grade
 Contact Jacki Montgomery 856-227-4442

Vendors Needed

Christmas Bazaar
 December 3rd, 2022
 Our Lady of Hope Regional School
 420 S. Black Horse Pike, Blackwood, NJ
 Contact Jacki Montgomery 856-227-4442

Christmas Bazaar

December 3rd, 2022
 9am - 2pm & 5pm - 8pm
 Our Lady of Hope Regional School
 420 S. Black Horse Pike, Blackwood, NJ



To learn more:
 visit: www.ourladyofhopecatholicschool.org
 Call: 856-227-4442

YOUTH MINISTRY
Our Lady of Hope

"YOUNG HOPE" & "RISING HOPE"
 Serving Teens in Grades 5 through 12



2ND SUNDAY OF ADVENT: The 2nd purple candle on the Advent wreath represents Peace. Often called the "Bethlehem Candle," this candle reminds us of Mary's and Joseph's journey from Nazareth to Bethlehem before Mary gave birth to Jesus. It also builds on the meaning of the Prophecy Candle, recalling that after the division, destruction, and dispersion of the kingdom in the Old Testament, there might finally be peace on Earth.

YOUNG HOPE (8th-12th Grades)

This Sunday 12/04/22 ~ Mass / 7:15-8:45pm
PIZZA (Christmas Trivia) AND PRAYER
 E-mail dietary restrictions by 12/04/22, 12:00pm
 to dscafidi@ourladyofhopenj.org

RISING HOPE (5th-8th Grades)

Sunday, 12/11/22, 4:00-7:00pm
 Parish Center St. John Room

CHRISTMAS PARTY

E-mail dietary restrictions by 12/11/22, 12:00pm
 to ascafidi@ourladyofhopenj.org



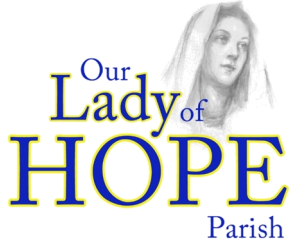
"LIVING NATIVITY EXPERIENCE"
 Sunday, 12/18/22
 7:15-9:45pm

immediately following 6:00pm Mass
TRANSPORTATION PROVIDED
RSVP IS NECESSARY

Just your everyday Living Nativity you say?
 No way!

Witness 200 plus costumed performers, musicians, and a herd of sheep and goats as they entertain you in telling the "the real story" of Christmas and of the man for whom it is named.

Register via email to dscafidi@ourladyofhopenj.org or ascafidi@ourladyofhopenj.org or text Diane Scafidi at 856-287-5275 to reserve your seat on the bus.



Office Of Faith Formation/RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

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Absence Call: (856) 228-4920

religiosedoffice@ourladyofhopenj.org

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Mary Jo Dwyer, DRE Trudy Cranston, Confirmation Coordinator Cathy Bennett, Secretary

Youth Faith Formation News

Confirmation 2023

The Candidates should be hard at work on their Confirmation packets. This is the time to look at the second assignment. This assignment is about choosing a Sponsor for Confirmation. This is an extremely important assignment as this person will help guide you through your spiritual journey. This person will have some influence on your life and will help you build a foundation based in faith and spirituality. This person can be anyone who is 16 yrs of age, make all their sacraments and they are registered in a parish. This person will have to obtain a letter of eligibility which will be added to your Confirmation application. As always, if you have any questions, please contact the office.

Christmas Cards

The last day for Christmas card collection will be December 11, 2022. We would like to deliver them so that the people can have time to enjoy them. For the children of our Faith Formation classes, may use this as one of their parish events. We thank you for your continued support. We are sure the residents in the nursing care facilities will love receiving the cards. Thank you all for your generosity.

Upcoming Events:

- 12-05 Faith Formation Classes 5:30-6:30pm
- 12-05 Come and See Inquiry—RCIA 7:00pm
Parish Center
- 12-11 Last Day for Christmas cards

Saint's Corner:

St. Nicholas of Myra was a fourth century Saint and the Bishop of Myra, and the namesake of Santa Claus. Born into a wealthy family, he was left with a large inheritance after their early untimely death. He sought to use this for works of Charity, and the first of these accounts came when he threw a bag of gold into a poor man's window, so he did not have to hand over his daughters to prostitution. Saint Nicholas was known for his generosity and kindness, which gave rise to legends of miracles he performed for the poor and unhappy. As a result of this reputation, devotion to Nicholas extended to all parts of Europe. According to the stories told of him, his miracles are quelling storms, saving the lives of prostitutes, and even bringing babies back to life. These stories have been told for centuries. St. Nicholas is quoted as saying, "The giver of every good and perfect gift has called upon us to mimic Gods giving, by grace, through faith, and this is not of ourselves".

Prayer to St, Nicholas: O good Saint Nicholas, patron of children, sailors, and the helpless, watch over those who pray to Jesus, your Lord and theirs, as well as over those who humble themselves before you. Bring us all in reverence to the Holy Child of Bethlehem, where true joy and peace are found. Amen. He is the patron saint of sailors, merchants, thieves, and children.

Faith Formation Classes:

Our Faith Formation classes will have a sporadic schedule for the next couple of weeks. We will hold class on 12/5. There will be no class on 12/12. We will be back in session on 12/19. We will then be off for 2 weeks for the holidays. There will be no classes on December 26, 2022 and January 2, 2023. Our classes will resume on January 9, 2023. If you have any questions, please contact the office.

Do you have a child who is interested in participating in the Christmas Eve Mass? The sign ups are open for children want to participate in the Family Mass on Christmas Eve! Is this your first time? No worries, there are no speaking parts. The Gospel is read by Father and children approach the altar as directed. Our Family Mass will be celebrated on December 24th at 4:00 on Christmas Eve at St. Jude Church. You must sign up no later than December 19, 2022. If you need any other information or have any questions, please feel free to contact us in the office.

Ministerio Regional Hispano

Iglesia Católica San Judas

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Tel. (856) 228-1571 Ext. 101 Fax (856) 232-5649

Segundo Domingo de Adviento

Domingo 4 de diciembre, 2022

Horario de Misas
Miércoles: (Solo misas
Especiales a las 7 PM)
Sábado: 6 PM

Horario de Oficina
Lunes a jueves 10AM a 5PM
Viernes 10AM a 4 PM
CERRADO DE 12 A 1 PM almuerzo

MISA, VIGILIA DE LA IMMACULADA CONCEPCIÓN A LAS 7 PM.

Celebración de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe

Diciembre 12, 2022

El programa será el siguiente:

Iglesia San Judas

5:30 pm—Novena y Rosario
6:30 pm—Procesión hacia la parroquia Our Lady of Hope,
701 Little Gloucester Rd, Blackwood NJ.

Our Lady of Hope

7:15 pm—Historia de la “Aparición de nuestra Señora de Guadalupe a San Juan Diego”

8:00pm—Misa

Compartir — Salón de la parroquia Our Lady of Hope, después de misa.

*“No se entristezca tu corazón...
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NOVENA GUADALUPANA

Diciembre 3 al 11, 2022

La Novena dará lugar en la iglesia los 9 días corridos a las 7 PM.

POSADAS

Las posadas comienzan el 16 al 23 de diciembre con los ministerios de la Iglesia, comenzando a las 7PM. Posada de educación religiosa comienza a las 6PM.



*Misa de Noche Buena
2022
Víspera de Navidad en San Judas
24 de Diciembre empezando a las 7:00pm.*

El programa será el siguiente:
8:00pm Pastorela
9:30pm Misa de Noche Buena



Durante la semana

Domingo diciembre 4, 2022

8:00am: Rosario—Iglesia

9:30am: Misa

7:00pm: Novena

Lunes diciembre 5, 2022

6:00pm: Catecismo (9 al 12ado)—Capilla

7:15pm: RICA—Capilla

7:00pm: Novena—Iglesia

Martes diciembre 6, 2022

6:00pm: Catecismo (1 al 8 grado)—Escuela OLOH

7:00pm: Novena—Iglesia

Miércoles diciembre 7, 2022

7:00pm: Misa Vigilia de la Inmaculada Concepción

Jueves diciembre 8, 2022 OFICINA CERRADA

7:00pm: IMEC—Capilla

7:00pm: Novena—Iglesia

Viernes diciembre 9, 2022

6:00pm: Grupo de Jóvenes

7:00pm: Novena—Iglesia

Sábado diciembre 10, 2022

4:00pm: Legión de María – Capilla

6:00pm: Misa

7:00pm: Novena - Iglesia

Domingo diciembre 11, 2022

8:00am: Rosario—Iglesia

9:30am: Misa

7:00pm: Novena—Iglesia

Reflexión Espiritual

En preparación del domingo, diciembre 11, 2022

Primera lectura: ISAÍAS 35: 1-6. 10.

Segunda lectura: SANTIAGO 5: 7-10.

Evangelio: MATEO 11: 2-11.

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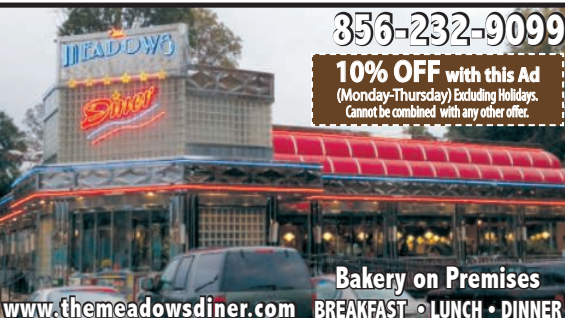


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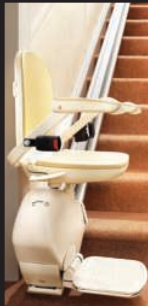
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