

# Our Lady of HOPE

August 13, 2023

The 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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**Michael Harkins** **Jack Werner**  
*Retired Deacon* *Retired Deacon*

### **MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday: 4:30pm Vigil  
Sunday: 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am, 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)**

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

## Stewards Trust

*"He said, 'Come.' Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water toward Jesus."*

- Matthew 14:29

When we hear Jesus calling, do we respond as Stewards and trust that He knows what He's doing? If so, we are walking on water! When we say "yes" to Jesus, we feel the power of his presence in our lives. We can feel the freedom it gives us! Listen how Jesus is calling you to live the extraordinary life He has intended for you.

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# MASS INTENTIONS

## Saturday August 12th

4:30 pm † Andy Antolik by His Family

## Sunday August 13th

7:30 am † Herman Charles Maurer by George and Bernadette Shanahan

9:30 am † The Living and Deceased Members of the Altar and Rosary Society  
† Michael McCloskey, Peter and Marion Gattinella by Marilyn

11:30 am † James and Mary Muldoon by Robert Dougherty

6:00 pm † Otto Gruenewald by Chester and Lillian Bukowski

## Monday August 14th

8:00 am † Joseph Greco by His Wife, Carmela

9:00 am † Jerry Flexon by Pat Flexon

7:00 pm † Joanne Werner by Rosa and Donald Scavetto

## Tuesday August 15th

8:00 am † Marie McCarville by Cathy Bennett and Family

9:00 am † Joseph and Fortune Finley by The Finley Girls

12:10 pm † Linda Franulovic by Joe and Jeanne Caracciolo

7:00 pm † Robert Wright by His Mom and Dad

## Wednesday August 16th

8:00 am People of the Parish

9:00 am † Elizabeth Basara (20th Anniversary) by Her Family

## Thursday August 17th

8:00 am † Doris Mae Goffredo by Theresa and Mickey Colaizzo

9:00 am † Sally Coyle by Her Husband, Bob

## Friday August 18th

8:00 am † Leroy Dunn by The Fecenko Family

9:00 am † Vira Stavely by The Family

## Saturday August 19th

9:00 am † Dominic Coppola, Sr. by The Coppola Family

† Robert Fortunato by Cathy Bennett and Family

† Rocco Cipparone by Gina Ritter and Family

Gerardo Varallo and family by Gizela Varallo

† Bonita F. Basara by Robert and Nancy Basara and Family

† Maryellen Flood by Rita Centrone

† Sister Dorothy by Gizela Varallo

† John Sirolli by Diana and Tony Ritz

† Wardell "Dell" Clark by Nicky and Julie De Matteo

† Margaret Lewandowski by Drew and Barb

4:30 pm † Frances and Virginia Del Sordo by Fran

## Sunday August 20th

7:30 am † Gerinado Maldonado by Karen Ioven and Larry Symkowiak

9:30 am † George Villarose by Larry and Vera Villarose

† Sister Dorothy by The Le Donne Family

11:30 am † Sister Dorothy by Our Lady of Hope Parish Staff

6:00 pm † Mary Ann Vadino by Mary Stires and Family



Shelby Andricola, Karen Biello, Frank D'Amico, Fran Devito, Myla DiGiacomo, John Esposito, David Anthony Galda, P Guida, Jonny Hoffman, Marge Howardell, Trish Hutchinson, Veronica Johnson, Margaret M., Steve Marchesani, Lauren Massara, Erika Menniti, The Menniti Family, John Nemeth, Roxanne Nemeth, Pamela Reed, Roger Reed, The Renz Family, Jacob Rivera, Jaxon Rivera, Theresa Sadowiczak, Donna Salerno, Jackie Tefankjian, Lauren Thomas.

**ADDED THIS WEEK: Anthony Z, D Kozak, T Theisen, Douglas Glenn.**

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:

*Michael McCloskey,  
Peter and Marion Gattinella*

at the request of:

*Marilyn*



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

*Norm and Eileen Glenn  
60th Wedding Anniversary*

at the request of:

*Eileen Glenn*



The Altar Flowers this week are  
In Loving Memory of:

*Greg Locke*

at the request of:

*His Loving Wife and Family*



**PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED:**



William Murphy

Maria Vera

Barbara Ann Gudanowski

Mary Mascoll

Dear Friends in Christ,

I wanted to thank all those who came to our parish luau last Saturday. It was a smashing success! I am so grateful to Anna Scafidi and Tracy Pezzuto, their families and all those who helped to make everything so enjoyable. Thank you, Norberto, for your usual hard work, to Matt for our volcano which puffed smoke the entire evening. The hula dancers and fire girl were a treat getting the audience into the act. Thank you to Lumpy's BBQ for their delicious food and to Kona Ice and the margarita machine for keeping us cool. Overall, it was a very enjoyable evening. Mahalo e ka Haku Iesu! ("Thank You Lord Jesus" in Hawaiian). On another note, this Tuesday is a beautiful feast day, the Assumption of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary. It is a holy day of obligation; thus all Roman Catholics are obliged to attend Holy Mass under pain of mortal sin. We will have our usual, holy day schedule: 7:00 PM Mass on Monday night, followed by the Miraculous Medal Novena and confessions. On Tuesday, the Holy Mass schedule is 8:00 AM, 9:00 AM, 12:10 PM and 7:00 PM. We know that people will go down to the ocean to touch the waters that were blessed. Bishop Sullivan will be celebrating Holy Mass and go out to bless the sea. I read on the website Totus Tuus Family and Catholic Homeschool a person's reminiscences of how the waters were blessed in their region, And I remember a feast day a while back when, after a seaside Mass in a beach town Church, the parishioners all followed Father in a procession to shore. There, the lifeguard took Father on a jet ski out into the surf. A wreath of fresh flowers, blue and pure white, Father held in his hands and then threw into the rising wave. He stood up a bit, made the sign of the cross over the Atlantic and then dove backwards, into the sea, to bodysurf in on the wave. Rose petals danced on the racing, baby waves that ran up the sand. Pilgrims hastened to the tide, with empty bottles, to capture the blessed sea water..." I had the privilege of going out with the lifeguards to throw a ring of flowers and to bless the sea. It must be said that I did not do a backflip out of the boat! It is not easy to stand up in a boat that is riding over the waves. The lifeguards in the boat held on to my legs so that I was not cascaded from the boat. It is a wonderful memory. More importantly than this custom is what is taught by the Assumption of Our Lady. Pope Saint John Paul II said in 1997, "Although the New Testament does not explicitly affirm Mary's Assumption, it offers a basis for it because it strongly emphasized the Blessed Virgin's perfect union with Jesus' destiny. This union, which is manifested, from the time of the Savior's miraculous conception, in the Mother's participation in her Son's mission and especially in her association with his redemptive sacrifice, cannot fail to require a continuation after death. Perfectly united with the life and saving work of Jesus, Mary shares his heavenly destiny in body and soul." It is ever important that we too prepare well for what is called "a happy death." We should always be prepared because we do not know that day nor the hour. It was an old custom to record the last words a person uttered before they took their final breath. I pray that my last words will be something such as "I love You Jesus" rather than give me another shot of morphine! May Our Lady inspire us to configure ourselves to her Son.

God bless you and happy feast day,  
Father Szolack



**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; Lt. Evan Cleaver, Afghanistan; Kevin Higgins; CSSN Nicholas Anthony Ferro - US Navy Submarine USSF Dallas Groton CT.; John Loberto - 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 DiGennaro, Zacharo, Cpl Dzierzynski, Derrick, 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; 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; Cpl. 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; PFC Patrick Mahon-USMC.; Capt Julie Ford, US Air Force ; Alexis Brown - US Army; Vincent Lauro Pilla, US Navy



**URGENTLY NEEDED:**

**GRAPE JELLY, CANNED CORN, CANNED GREEN BEANS, TUNA, PASTA SAUCE, PASTA, SYRUP**

The heat and humidity trudges on and so do the volunteers of St. Vincent DePaul, serving 30+ families each week who rely on us for assistance with groceries to help them through to the next paycheck. While many of us are fortunate enough to enjoy a summer vacation, most of our families struggle just to pay the electric bill to keep cool. Every single item you donate to our pantry is truly appreciated. We also welcome SHOP RITE GIFT CERTIFICATES & POOR BOX donations. Thank you!

**Facebook:**

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

**Website:**

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



**Our Lady of Hope Electronic Giving**

**"SIGN UP TODAY!!!"**

Visit [www.OurLadyOfHopeNJ.org](http://www.OurLadyOfHopeNJ.org) and click the Parish Giving logo at the bottom of the page.

**THANK YOU** to the **287 families** who already participate in the Parish Giving program for contributions!

**The Collection Total**

(August 05/06)



**Collection: \$ 14,544**  
**E-Giving: \$ 7,522**  
**TOTAL: \$ 22,066**

**Need a Bulletin Announcement ?**

Please e-mail: [bulletin@ourladyofhopenj.org](mailto:bulletin@ourladyofhopenj.org).

**To Advertise in the Bulletin:**

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**Weekly Readings:**  
**August 14<sup>th</sup> August 20<sup>th</sup>**

**Monday, August 14<sup>th</sup>**

Deuteronomy 10:12-22  
 Matthew 17:22-27

**Tuesday, August 15<sup>th</sup>**

*The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

Revelation 11:19,12:1-6,10  
 1 Corinthians 15:20-27  
 Luke 1:39-56

**Wednesday, August 16<sup>th</sup>**

Deuteronomy 34:1-12  
 Matthew 18:15-20

**Thursday, August 17<sup>th</sup>**

Joshua 3:7-10,11,13-17  
 Matthew 18:21-19:1

**Friday, August 18<sup>th</sup>**

Joshua 24:1-13  
 Matthew 19:3-12

**Saturday, August 19<sup>th</sup>**

Joshua 24:14-29  
 Matthew 19:13-15

**Sunday, August 20<sup>th</sup>**

*20<sup>th</sup> Sunday In Ordinary Time*  
 Isaiah 56:1,6-7


Romans 11:13-15,29-32  
 Matthew 15:21-28

Join Bishop Dennis Sullivan for the **Vigil Mass of The Assumption of The Blessed Virgin Mary at Notre Dame de la Mer Parish**, followed by the procession down to the beach and the Wedding of the Sea ceremony on **Monday, August 14, 2023**.



Bishop Sullivan will preside over the Liturgy that begins at 4:30PM at St. Ann Church, 2901 Atlantic Ave, Wildwood. Music preludes begin at 4 PM

Immediately following the Mass, all are invited to join the procession of Mary and her Mysteries of the Rosary through the streets of Wildwood, over the Boardwalk and down to the ocean for the Wedding of the Sea.



THE OFFICE WILL BE **CLOSED** Tuesday, August 15th in observance of *The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary*.

**DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO NEEDS A RIDE TO MASS?**



If you know of someone who usually has no way to get to weekend Mass, please let them know Our Lady of Hope Parish has parishioners who have volunteered to take them to Mass with them on a regular basis. Anyone needing a ride should call the parish office at 856-228-4331.



**Join the Wedding of the Sea Volunteer Apostolate!**

The Parish of St. Monica is looking for volunteers to assist with our annual event honoring our Blessed Mother. We are in need of volunteers in high school and older to serve in various positions throughout the day. If you would like to volunteer, call the parish office, scan the QR code below, or follow this link to register: <https://forms.gle/T8ipiZNag7j9URvu9>

**August 15th, 2023**  
**At Hard Rock Casino**

**Volunteer Schedule**

- 10:30am volunteer check-in at Hard Rock Casino, Etes Arena
- 11:00am Doors open
- 12:00pm Mass begins
- 1:30pm Procession to the beach
- 1:45pm Wedding of the Sea



Parish of Saint Monica  
Atlantic City, NJ  
(609) 345-1878 ~ [www.acatholic.org](http://www.acatholic.org)



**THANK YOU TO ALL WHO ATTENDED OUR LUAU!**  
A fabulous time was had by all!

Special Thanks to our Event Coordinator, Anna Scafidi, and her team of volunteers for a job well done!




Scan the QR code and check out our various social media pages to join us at our next event! Meetings held at Our Lady of Hope Parish!



**Trivia Night**



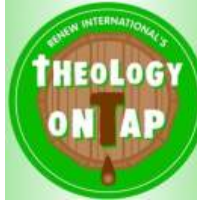
**PUB TRIVIA NIGHT**  
(Join us at Our Lady of Hope For Rosary at 6 PM)

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16 AT 7:00 PM  
SAM'S BAR & GRILLE | BLACKWOOD, NJ

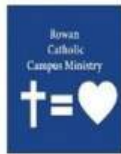


Young adults are welcome to the diocesan Office of Family & Youth's **Theology on Tap** on **Wednesday, August 30 at 7 PM** at Double Eagle Saloon, 1477 Panther Rd, Vineland. Special Guest is Dr. Michael Sims, diocesan Director of Life & Justice Ministries.

Food and beverage will be available for purchase.  
**More info, please contact:**  
[Jose.Rodriguez@camdendiocese.org](mailto:Jose.Rodriguez@camdendiocese.org)



Are you or a student that you know attending Rowan University or RCSJ this Fall?



Do you know about Rowan Catholic Campus Ministry?

Rowan Catholic Campus Ministry is a group of college students who are seeking to know, love, and serve God in their everyday lives. Our Rowan University SGA chartered club offers weekly fellowship meetings, retreats, Catholic Mass and opportunities for students to grow deeper in the Catholic faith through support from the Diocese of Camden. All Rowan & RCSJ students are welcome to attend!



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The Newman House where we meet  
1 Redmond Ave. Glassboro

All are welcome to join **OLOH Seniors Group** and you could make some new friends. Meetings are held in the parish hall.



*Calling All Seniors!*

**First meeting of 2023-24 will be on Sept 11, 2023.**

Opening Mass at 11:00am followed by gathering beginning at 12 Noon. The cost including lunch is \$5.00.

Sometimes we have some interesting guest speakers and giveaways. After lunch everyone is welcome to stay for a friendly game of Bingo.

If you have any further questions please contact:

Mary: [JourneywithJoy@gmail.com](mailto:JourneywithJoy@gmail.com)

Or

Joe: [EJRusso322@Comcast.net](mailto:EJRusso322@Comcast.net)

Or

Diana: [DianalKozak24@gmail.com](mailto:DianalKozak24@gmail.com).

Feel free to bring a senior friend or neighbor.

## Are You Ready For Some Football Mania?



It's that time again to support Our Lady of Hope Parish and the Knights of Columbus Council 9193 through our Charity Mania Football event. Tickets will be **\$20** and this will be for the entire 18 week season starting on September 7th. Weekly prizes will be \$20-\$400 and you will have 18 weeks on your game card. **Tickets will be sold after all masses in the gathering space from Saturday July 22rd to Sunday September 3rd.** The proceeds from this event will support our Parish and the worthy causes of our council. Tickets can also be purchased on-line at (<https://www.charitymania.com/give/AD03E>). This is a great alternative for you to continue to support the Knights of Columbus and our Lady of Hope Parish this year. Please pass this web site along to your family and friends so they can also help us.

**Thank you again for your support!**



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### CURIOUS ABOUT THE MEANING OF LIFE? SEEK ANSWERS AT *DISCOVERING CHRIST*

Seven Friday Nights  
September 29th – November 17th  
6:45 PM – 9:15 PM  
OLOH Parish Center



Mark your calendars for a special retreat day on Saturday November 4th.

**To register, text: JOIN-CL to 84576**  
For more information visit:  
[www.ourladyofhopenj.org/christlife](http://www.ourladyofhopenj.org/christlife)

Do you have an interest in planning and hosting fun events?  
Have fundraiser ideas? Like Social Activities?



**JOIN OUR LADY OF HOPE PARISH'S FUNDRAISER COMMITTEE!**

Contact Anna for more information  
[AScafidi@ourladyofhopenj.org](mailto:AScafidi@ourladyofhopenj.org)



**Returning to School:  
The Mental Health & Wellness  
of Our Children**

Parents, Grandparents, Caregivers

Join us for a Continental Breakfast and a free behavioral health program addressing our children's mental wellness as they return to school!

**Saturday, September 30, 2023**

Speakers:

**Brenda Allgood, MSN, CPNP (Certified Pediatric Nurse Practitioner)**  
**Trista Henry, School Counselor**  
**Paschal Nwako, PhD, Camden County Health Officer & Public Health Coordinator**

Speakers will address Post-COVID effects on our children's mental health, how School Nurses & School Counselors plays a vital role in addressing a child's personal challenges, and the role of the Health Officer as it relates to these issues



9:30 AM-Registration; 10 AM to 12:30 PM

Our Lady of Hope Parish Hall

[Visit the parish website to register.](#)

(Direct link to registration via QR code)

DIOCESE OF CAMDEN'S OFFICE OF FAMILY & YOUTH

*Diocesan*  
**WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**  
*Mass*



**SAINT ELIZABETH ANN SETON PARISH**  
591 NEW JERSEY AVE | ABSECON, NJ 08201

If this year 2023, if you and your spouse are celebrating a milestone Wedding Anniversary of 25, 50, 60, 70 or more years, please join us for this special celebration and Mass.

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2023**  
MASS 3 PM | LIGHT RECEPTION WILL FOLLOW IN PARISH HALL



OFFICE OF FAMILY AND YOUTH  
DIOCESE OF CAMDEN

Please register with your parish secretary by 9/8/2023 deadline.  
For more information please contact:  
Jose. Rodriguez@camdendiocese.org | 856-364-1172



**FLAMES OF FIRE  
CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP**

**Join us every Thursday at 6:30 (Rosary)  
with Praise and Worship, Prayer, Song,  
Teaching and Fellowship at  
Our Lady of Hope Parish.**

**ALL ARE WELCOME!**



**August is National Breast-Feeding Month**

Did you know that breast-fed babies have lower rates of asthma, ear infections and intestinal infections? Moms who breast feed their babies also get health benefits including a lower risk of breast cancer. Human milk costs nothing compared to formula, is clean and always at the right temperature. Supporting life is what the 'tatas' were made for.

While there are many benefits of providing babies human milk, workplace challenges are a common reason women stop or never try breast feeding. Socioeconomic groups that can benefit most, often do not see it as a feasible option. Let's support God's plan for life and encourage others to do so. You can find out more at [usbreastfeeding.org](http://usbreastfeeding.org) and [cdc.gov/breastfeeding](http://cdc.gov/breastfeeding).

**August is National Immunization Awareness Month**

While vaccines have become a political/emotional issue for some people, science and history have proven them to be a safe and effective means of preventing disease and protecting health. Small pox, polio, diphtheria, and measles used to cause devastating illness and death in the early 20<sup>th</sup> century but have been practically eradicated due to standardized vaccination practices. Today, vaccines provide protection for people of all ages against conditions that include hepatitis, meningitis, pneumonia and, of course, COVID.

If you have doubts or feel skeptical, it's understandable, but we urge you to take an honest look at the science behind vaccination as well as public health records from countries around the world. Using both faith and reason, vaccination might be seen as an act of love.

**Summertime Extreme Heat**

Extreme heat is defined as summertime temperatures that are much hotter and/or humid than average. Humid and muggy conditions can make it seem hotter than it really is. Older adults, the very young, and people with mental illness and chronic diseases are at highest risk. However, even young and healthy people can be affected if they participate in strenuous physical activities during hot weather. To learn more about helpful tips, information and resources to help you stay safe in the extreme heat this summer, access CDC website at [https://www.cdc.gov/disasters/extremeheat/heat\\_guide.html](https://www.cdc.gov/disasters/extremeheat/heat_guide.html)

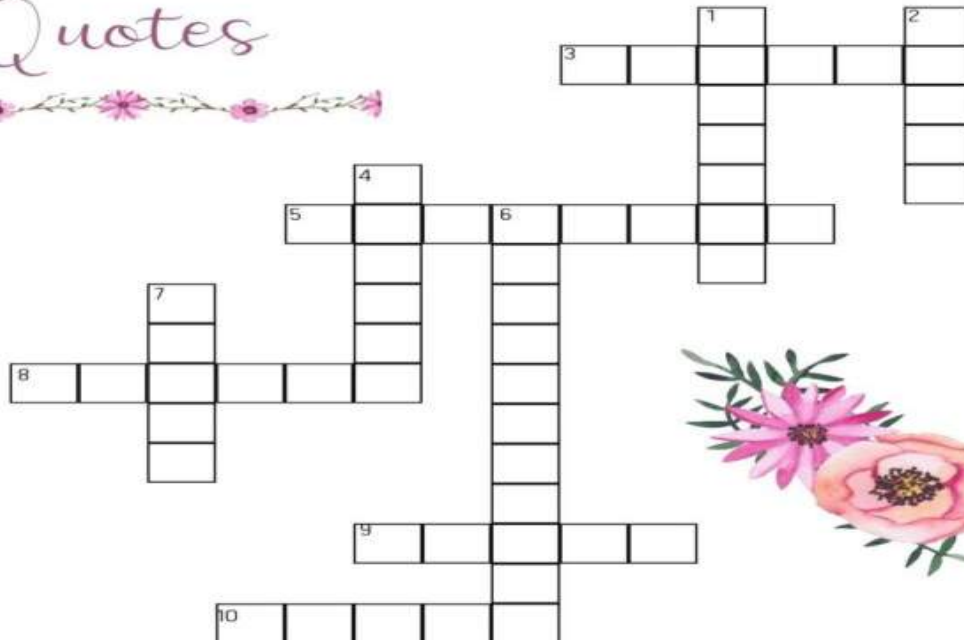


Please keep the teens of our Diocese in prayer this week as they participate in a week-long immersion project where they will live and work the gospel of service and social justice through the gift of self. The combination of service at multiple work sites and reflection sessions gives young people the chance to use their talents and abilities to help their neighbor, and increase their awareness and understanding of the importance of the rights and dignity of the human person. Work sites include Father Benedict House, Holy Cross Cemetery, The Acutis Center, Food Bank and Soup Kitchens.

**THANK YOU TO THE TEENS FOR GIVING THEIR TIME AND TALENTS  
 TO SERVE GOD THROUGH SERVING OTHERS.  
 GOD BLESS YOU!**

A little crossword fun while relaxing at the beach.  
 Remember to keep faith in your summer.

Popular Bible  
 Quotes



**Across**

- 3 Am I my brother's
- 5 The Lord is my
- 8 To everthing there is a
- 9 I am the Alpha and the
- 10 He makes beauty out of

**Down**

- 1 Can it change it spots:
- 2 Goes before destruction
- 4 Many are called by few are
- 6 Blessed are the
- 7 Love the Lord God with all your

## FAITH FORMATION

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Mary Jo Dwyer, *DRE*

Trudy Cranston, *Sacrament Coordinator*

Cathy Bennett, *Secretary*

### Youth Faith Formation News

#### Calendar of Events!

08-14 Bible Study - Parish Center 7:00pm

08-21 Son Seekers - Aug 21-25

08-28 Bible Study - Parish Center 7:00pm-

#### Son Seekers:

With the 3rd session of Son Seekers upon us, I can truly say it's been a busy summer. The children have been wonderful and our Catechists have been superb! We would like to thank everyone who has donated towards our peanut butter and jelly days. You have made our work a little easier. We want to send out kudos to all the Catechists who have given of themselves this summer to help mold our young people. You enrich our program.

#### EXCITING Confirmation News:

We finally have a date for Confirmation. We are set for Friday, October 6, 2023 at 5:00pm. Before Confirmation we will have the robe pick up, then confession and a rehearsal. You are required to attend all three events. Dates and times will be listed in the bulletin and sent in emails as well. SO, mark your calendar for Confirmation and look for the other dates. Any questions, please contact the office.



#### Important Confirmation Dates:

**\*Tuesday, September 26, 2023\***

**Robe pick up and Confessions.**

If your last name begins A-K, you come 4:30pm-5:30pm.

If your last name begins L - Z, you come 6:30pm-7:30pm.

**\*Tuesday, October 3, 2023\***

**Confirmation Rehearsal**

**\*Friday, October 6, 2023\***

**Confirmation**

Any questions, please contact the office.

#### Fall Registration:

Fall registration is now open for Weekly and Family Faith classes. Weekly Faith is on Monday evenings from 5:30pm until 6:30pm beginning September 11, 2023. Family Faith is on the 3rd Sunday of the month (with some exceptions). The class will begin with 9:30am Mass and then you will go to the Parish Center where you and your children will have the lesson. These classes will begin September 24, 2023. We also have our St. Bart's classes for our children with special needs. They will also begin on September 24, 2023. If you have any questions, please contact us in the office.

#### R.C.I.A. - Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA), also known as the catechumenate, is the traditional way the Catholic Church extends a welcoming invitation to non-Catholic men and women inquiring about Catholic belief and practice. The process welcomes adults who have never been baptized, baptized adults from other Christian traditions, and Baptized Catholics who wish to continue on to celebrate more sacraments. **For more information please call The Office of Faith Formation at (856) 227-0555**

**Ministerio Regional Hispano**  
Iglesia Católica San Judas

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**19 Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario**  
Domingo 13 de agosto, 2023

**Horario de Misas**  
Miércoles: (Solo misas  
Especiales a las 7 PM)  
Sábado: 6 PM  
Domingo: 9:30 AM

**Horario de Oficina**  
Lunes a miércoles 9:30AM a 5PM  
Jueves 9:30AM a 4 PM  
CERRADO DE 12 A 1 PM almuerzo  
**Viernes oficina cerrada (VERANO)**

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Durante la semana

Domingo agosto 13, 2023

8:00am: Rosario—Iglesia

9:30am: Misa

Lunes agosto 14, 2023 **OFICINA CERRADA**

Martes agosto 15, 2023

Miércoles agosto 16, 2023

7:00pm: Estudio Bíblico - Capilla

Jueves agosto 17, 2023

Viernes agosto 18, 2023 **OFICINA CERRADA**

6:00pm: Grupo de Jóvenes

Sábado agosto 19, 2023

4:00pm: Legión de María—Capilla

6:00pm: Misa

7:00pm: Grupo de Oración Jesus el Buen Pastor—Iglesia

Domingo agosto 20, 2023

8:00am: Rosario—Iglesia

9:30am: Misa

*Reflexión Espiritual*

*En preparación del domingo agosto 20, 2023*

**Primera lectura: ISAÍAS 56: 1. 6-7.**

**Segunda lectura: ROMANOS 11: 13-15. 29-32.**

**Evangelio: MATEO 15: 21-28.**



*Rito de Iniciación Cristiana de Adultos*

Si usted tiene 18 años en adelante y no ha recibido el sacramento de Bautismo, Comunión y/o Confirmación, pase por la oficina para llenar la aplicación. Las clases comiezan el lunes 25 de septiembre a las 7pm en la capilla de la Iglesia. Necesita traer copia del sacramento que ya haya recibido junto con el certificado de Nacimiento el día de la aplicación junto con \$60. Para más información llame al 856-228-21571 con la señora Carmen Williams.

**CLASE PRE-BAUTISMALES**

A partir de Septiembre, se ofrecerán clases pre bautismales los segundos sábados del mes en San Judas, 402 S. Black Horse Pike Blackwood y los terceros jueves del mes en Our Lady of Guadalupe 135 N. White Horse Pike Lindenwold. Para más información llame a la oficina al número que aparece arriba de esta página en horas de oficina.

**BAUTIZOS**

**Dentro de la misa de los sábados y domingos.** \*Los padrinos deben de tener el sacramento de confirmación, y ser católicos practicantes (ir a misa los domingos). Padres y padrinos deben de venir a 3 misas consecutivas de sábado ó domingo antes de bautizar y firmar el libro al salir de Misa. Si los padrinos son de otra parroquia, deben de traer carta de su parroquia. Los padres y padrinos ambos deben de asistir a una clase pre-bautismal. Para más información, llame al 856-228-1571 durante la semana.

**EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA**

**Estamos registrando para el año 2023-2024** Necesita traer certificado de nacimiento y bautizo si su niña/o asiste por primera vez. **Se requiere un depósito del 50% de la matrícula el mismo día de la registración.** La matrícula es la siguiente; \$125 por un niño/a y \$225 por dos niños o más en la familia. Ultimo día para inscribirse será el 21 de Agosto. A partir de esta fecha se cobrará \$25 extra por registración tarde.



**Se necesitan catequistas para las clases de septiembre a mayo 2023-24.**

**Requisitos:**

\*Saber Inglés

\*Tener todos sus sacramentos

\*Ser Católico practicante (venir a misa los domingos).

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