



Notre Dame de la Mer Parish

www.notredamedelamer.org

Mass Schedule

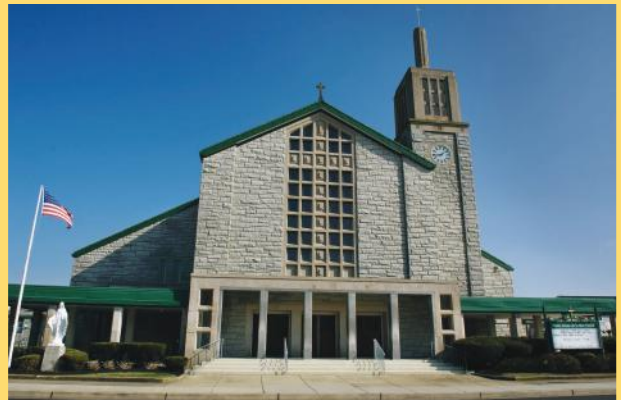
St. Ann Church 2901 Atlantic Avenue Wildwood

Saturday 4:30 PM
Sunday 10:30 AM
7:00 PM (Spanish)
Confessions
Saturday ~ 3:30 PM

Assumption Church 7101 Seaview Avenue Wildwood Crest

Monday to Friday (Kelly Hall) 8:30 AM
Saturday 4:30 PM
Sunday 8:30 AM
Confessions
Saturday ~ 3:30 PM

Please see the Mass Intentions schedule for potential changes to daily masses for the upcoming week.



Upcoming Special Parish Information

WCHS School Play –Little Women

Nov. 22nd , 23rd , 27th at 7:00PM ; Nov. 24th at 1:00PM

Thanksgiving Day Mass - 9:00AM, Assumption Church

Giving Trees - Dec. 1 through Dec. 15 in both Churches

2nd Annual “Prelude to Christmas” Concert–

December 15 at 6:00PM, St. Ann Church

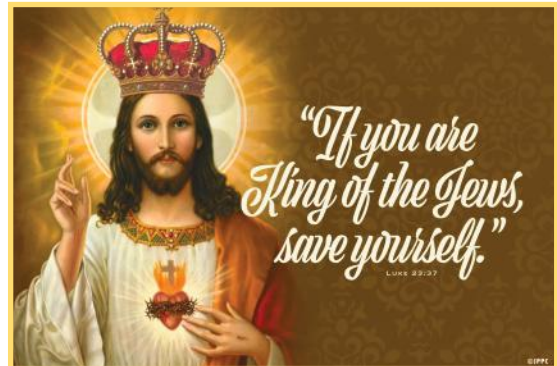
*please note the Spanish mass will be held Saturday

Penance Service - Dec. 18th, 6:00pm at St. Ann Church

Christmas Liturgy Schedule... Full Schedule inside

Christmas Eve - 4:30 at both churches

Christmas Day - 10:30 at St. Ann Church only



November 24, 2019
Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe

Notre Dame de la Mer Parish Business Office Hours

Monday through Thursday 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM
Friday 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM.
Closed Saturday & Sunday, Religious Holydays,
and Civic Holidays.

Our Mission Statement

The love of Jesus Christ gathers us together to welcome and embrace all God's Children.

El amor de Jesus Cristo nos unifica para acoger a todos como hijos de Dios

Message from Fr. Steve Pinzon, Parochial Vicar

Dear Parishioner,

EUCHARIST AND THANKSGIVING

And when He had taken some bread and given thanks, He broke it and gave it to them, saying, 'This is My body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of Me' (Lk 22:19).

The Catechism says of the Eucharist that this sacrament *is an action of thanksgiving to God. The Greek words eucharistein and eulogein recall the Jewish blessings that proclaim - especially during a meal - God's works: creation, redemption, and sanctification* (CCC, 1328). The Catechism also tells us that the Mass in which the Eucharist is celebrated is "a sacrifice of praise" (CCC, 1330).

The very word "eucharist" correlates literally to the words of Christ, seen in the above Gospel passage, as he offers in thanksgiving His Body and Blood (Lk 22:17-19). These eucharistic words are prefigured in the "miracle of loaves" as he there too breaks bread and gives thanks (Lk 9:16).

This Thursday and into the weekend, we gather and celebrate our national Thanksgiving feast and holiday. It is a time to be grateful to God and to one another, to be generous and socially conscious, and to express our gratitude in meal, fellowship, prayer, and good will. As the Mass expresses through the words of the priest and the faithful: "Let us give thanks to the Lord our God", for "it is right and just".

The following are some quotes of saints on giving thanks to God in our prayers:

*St. Ignatius of Loyola: *Thank God for the graces he has bestowed on you during the day.*

*St. Teresa of Avila: *In all things give Him thanks.*

*St. Augustine: *O my God, let me remember with gratitude and confess to thee thy mercies toward me.*

*St. Bernard of Clairvaux: *Speak to God in thanksgiving, and you will get graces more and more abundantly.*

May God bless us at this special time of year as we celebrate today Christ the King Sunday, the Thanksgiving holiday and festivities this week, and finally enter soon the Advent and Christmas seasons. Bountiful blessing on all of you, our Nation and people, on the poor who do without, for the souls in Purgatory which we remember during this month of November, and may we always give rightful thanks to God as St. Therese explains so well, "All is gift".

-Fr. Steve

Spanish Community Events (open to all)

Our Lady of Guadalupe – December 12

The celebration of Our Lady of Guadalupe begins with Las Mananitas (traditional Hispanic birthday song) from **6am to 8am at St. Ann Church**. A **procession** from **Fox Park** (Burk & Atlantic Aves.) to **St Ann Church** begins at **4PM**. **Mass** begins at **5:30PM**. A celebration with traditional food, music & dances begins after mass at 7PM at the Sister Sheila Gym (2901 New Jersey Ave). Please come and experience the traditions of our Hispanic community. All are invited!

*** 6am-8am Las Mananitas ala Virgen de Guadalupe en la iglesia de Notre Dame de la Mer. *Cantandole con Alabanzas a nuestra Reyna de Mexico. *Procession empezara desde las 4PM en el sitio Fox Park (Burke & Atlantic). *La santa misa 5:30PM en la iglesia de Notre Dame de la Mer. Celebrando despues de misa – 2901 New Jersey Ave.**

Posada – December 20

The Posada is the reenactment of the pilgrimage to Bethlehem by Mary & Joseph in search of an inn. There will be traditional food, music & Piñatas for the children. **Festivities begin at 6PM** at Sister Sheila Murohy Gym (2901 New Jersey Ave). All are invited!

Celebraremos Nuestra Posada a nuestro Niños Jesus. Tendremos la oportunidad de convivir con nuestros hermanos el verdadero amor, abriendole las puertas a nuestro Niño Jesus, Virgen Maria & Jose. No faltes tendremos comida, bebidas y piñatas para los niños. Celebracion comienza 4pm – 2901 New Jersey Ave. Los esperamos!

Mass Intentions

Saint Ann Church

SATURDAY November 23

4:30 PM Jimmie O'Shaughnessy r/b Family
Joan Lee Rudisill r/b Peggy & Michael Haldeman
Bill Kelly r/b Jack & Kathleen Connelly
William Brennan r/b Mom
Rocco DelGrammastro r/b The Carosiello Family

SUNDAY November 24

10:30 AM Alice Claffey r/b The Family
Jean Feketics r/b Barbara Feketics
Chris Harris r/b Grandmom & Pop-Pop
Eileen Kreelman r/b Mom & Dad
Fr. Bill Ryan r/b Joe & Marie Tighe

Assumption Church

SATURDAY November 23

4:30 PM Catherine Bauch r/b Frank & Lois Leone
Matt Diana r/b Stella
Gregory Lacivita r/b Debbie
Dominic Apikos r/b Stephanie
Julie Grassi r/b Husband, Paul

SUNDAY November 24

8:30 AM Josephine Corino (4th Anniv.) r/b Family
Fred Alfonsi r/b Family
Bill Grier r/b Family
Alice Claffey r/b Family
Jean Feketics r/b Mike & MT Vey

MONDAY November 25

8:30 AM Anna Gildea r/b Sullivan Family

TUESDAY November 26

8:30 AM Pro Populo

WEDNES. November 27

8:30 AM Patricia Sorenson r/b Joe & Rita D'Urso

THURSDAY November 28 (Thanksgiving Day)

9:00 AM Robert Ruggiero r/b Ruggiero Family

FRIDAY November 29

8:30 AM Borneman Family r/b Ed & Mary Ann
Alice Seaberg (5h Anniv.) r/b Family

For Mass Intentions please visit the Welcome Center after mass or the Parish Business Office during the week

The 2020 Calendar is now OPEN

The following children will be commissioned as new Altar Servers on Sunday, November 24, 2019 at 10:30am Mass, St. Ann Church:
Abby Vessels
Michael Blanda

Beginning Jan. 2, 2020 all civic holiday masses will be at 8:30am at Assumption Church to stay in line with our normal Daily Mass Schedule.

****Morning Prayer**** takes place at Msgr. Kelly Hall at 8:15am followed by Daily Mass at 8:30am, M-F.

Sanctuary Lamp

The Sanctuary Lamp at St. Ann Church is lit for:
Anthony, Lorraine & Bryant Visalli r/b Chris & Lisa Visalli

The Sanctuary Lamp at Assumption Church is lit for:
John Barkovitch & Matt Diana r/b June

Please remember in your prayers those who are ill-

Delores Ambuso, Tandi Ankrum, Tom Ankrum, Patricia Arena, Gerry Baily, June Barkovitch, Dora Basara, Isoletta Batten, Bernadette & Family, Sam & Ronnie Black, Ed Borneman, James Brooks, Matthew Bzwonariak, Leo Carano, Joseph Carfagno, Joe Cataldo, Christine Cavaliere, Don Chiancone, Peg Cieslinski, John Connelly, Angie Dabbingino, Bonnie & Bruce Daniels, Niall Devlin, Bob DiPeso, Sr., Shannon & Baby Ditchkosky, Janine Donofrio, Dianne Dooley, Patricia Driadon, Ted Etling, Margaret Faber, Dominic Farone, Jr, Dan Foidl, Patricia Foidl, William Force, Ken Ford, Linda Marie Gallo, Luke Gallo, Sr., Helen Garagosa, Matt Girard, Frank & Eileen Golden, Joanne Golley, Anne Grasso, Denise Grier, Nadin Halp, Mike Harbison, Drew Heimack, Justin Hennessy, Nancy Ann Hoffman, John E. Howe, Jay Hunt, Jeff Jahn, Dexter Michael James, Luke David Johns, Frank Keiser, Kozlowski Family, Michelle Lauriello, Joan Lentz, Charles Long, Ismael Lopez, Max Lopez, Connie Lopian, George Ludwig, Angela Lynch, Salvatore M., Lydia Marcinkiewicz, Abigail Marroquin, Brittany Maschio, John McCoy, Alexandra Mac Donald, Joseph Martorano, Terry Mc Ardle, Kathy McLaugh, Mary Ann Metzger, Joan Mikulewicz, Bill Morey, Jr., Daniel Murray, Vito Navarra, Lynn Nichols, Sherrie Owens, Brittany Peace, Roseann Perez, William Peter, Russ Pizzo, Gloria Porto, Lou Porto, Diane Prout, Joan Rebock, Nicholas Ricci, Samantha Rogers, Ed Ruth, John Saraceno, Bailey Schafer, Joseph Scheuer, Joe Simmon, Irene Simone, Kathy Snyder, Dan Spencer & Family, Marcel St. Marie, Peter Subers, JohnTeti, Damien Tirello, Olivia Tirello, Luke Trask, Joseph John Troiano, Joan Uller, Michael Vallone, Mark Visalli, Rose Mary Walch, Jack Walder, Bob Wallace, Regina Walsh, Tom Waring, Jack Weis, Dawn Herman Williams, Shelby Williams, Pat Winans, Caitlyn Young, Michael Yurescko

Also, anyone who wishes to receive Communion may call the parish office.

* Please check the list of names and let us know if we should remove any names from our prayer list.



A Healthcare Ministry of the Diocese of Camden

VITALity is...Healing and Comfort, Community and Socialization, Caring and Listening, Inclusion and Welcome, Health and Wellness, Guidance and Assistance.

For more information : Karen Fisher
Phone: (856) 583-6123
Email : karen.fisher@camdendiocese.org

Stewardship



November 24, 2019
Feast of Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe
Stewardship Joy

"....giving thanks to the Father, who has made you fit to share in the inheritance of the holy ones in light."

COLOSSIANS 1:12

God wants his **Stewards** to be happy! Instead of looking at the Ten Commandments as being restrictive and telling us what we can't do, look at them as guides for living a joy-filled and peaceful life. Most of our problems arise when we put our own needs first or spend most of our time trying to acquire "things". Try putting God first in all things instead. Ask Him how He wants you to use



ELECTRONIC GIVING: Parish Giving is a safe, secure, and easy way to make On-line parish and church related donations and payments. It is convenient and easy and offers you a variety of options. Please give it a try by going to our parish webpage www.notredamedelamer.org and clicking on the Parish Giving button.

CATHOLIC STRONG Campaign

Our Campaign Goal: \$1,330,000
Total Pledged to Date: \$1,118,625

Please consider contributing to this Campaign if you have not yet done so. It is truly for the sustained future of your parish!



Each year, Catholic Charities, Diocese of Camden, serves 34,000 individuals throughout the six southern counties of South Jersey. The agency offers hope and help to the most vulnerable of our brothers and sisters, regardless of their faith, by meeting their basic needs while also guiding them towards paths of self-sufficiency. To donate, volunteer, or learn more about Catholic Charities, please take a minute to visit: www.CatholicCharitiesCamden.org.

House of Charity—

**YOU DID IT
FOR ME**



Our Campaign Goal: \$151,031
Total Pledged to Date: \$50,988
Percentage of Total: 33.76%

Help YOUR parish reach its goal!

Thank you!

Your gift matters.

"You Did It for Me"

Support the 2019 House of Charity – Bishop's Annual Appeal
www.camdendiocese.org/hoc

Sacramental Information

Sacraments

Baptisms: The Fourth Sunday of the month at 12:00 Noon at St. Ann Church.

Pre-Baptism Class: Required for parents/guardians. Notre Dame de la Mer offers its class throughout the year. Please contact the parish office for more information and to register for the class.

Funerals: To be arranged with a priest and funeral director. Please call funeral home of your choice.

Sacrament of the Sick: Anytime

Marriage: Arrangements should be made one year in advance and prior to making reception plans.

Spanish Baptism Information

Baptism: The Last Sunday of each month, at 7:00 PM at St. Ann Church.

Pre-Jordan Classes: The Thursday prior to the celebration of Baptism at 7:00 PM in St. Ann Chapel.

Bautismos en Espanol: Ultimo Domingo de cada mes a las 7:00 in Santa Ana.

Clases Pre-Bautismales: El jueves anterior a la celebración del bautismo a las 7:00 pm en la iglesia de Santa Ana.

Christmas Season Information

Save The Date

2nd Annual Parish Christmas Concert
Dec. 15th at 6:00 PM—St. Ann Church



Decorating our Churches for the Christmas Season

We are in need of volunteers who are willing to help in decorating our two Churches in preparation for the birth of our Lord.

Hanging of the Greens: (setting up trees, stable, garland, etc.)

Assumption Church: Sunday, December 15th
after 8:30am mass - decorations will be taken out of storage. Sunday, December 22 after 8:30am mass – DECORATE.

St. Ann Church: Wednesday, December 18th
gather & decorate.

Please consider lending your time to help make our Churches ready to celebrate Jesus's birthday. Please RSVP by calling or texting Jude Kelly 609-972-9051 or calling Mary Vey at the parish office.



2019 Christmastide Liturgy Schedule

PENANCE SERVICE

Tuesday, December 17th, 6:00 PM at St. Ann Church

CONFESSIONS

Saturday, December 21st

Church of the Assumption.....3:00 ~ 4:00 PM

St. Ann Church.....3:00 ~ 4:00 PM

MASS SCHEDULE

Christmas Eve - Tuesday, December 24th

St. Ann Church.....4:30 PM (*Children's Mass*)

*4:15 PM - Preludes with Guitar/Cantor

Church of the Assumption....4:30 PM (*Solemn Mass*)

*4:00 PM - Preludes with Choir and Orchestra

St. Ann Church, Liturgy in Spanish.....7:00 PM

Christmas Day - Wednesday, December 25th

St. Ann Church.....10:30 AM

New Year's Eve - Tuesday, December 31st

Vigil for the Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God

St. Ann Church.....4:30 PM

St. Ann Church Mass in Spanish.....7:00 PM

New Year's Day - Wednesday, January 1st

Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God

Church of the Assumption.....9:00 AM

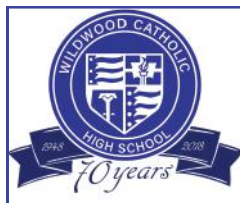
GIVING TREES

Once again Notre Dame de la Mer is partnering with ***The Lynch who Stole Christmas from the Grinch*** program. Over the years this wonderful organization has made Christmas memorable to over **6000** children. All gifts are given to needy children in **our** local community. The trees will be up from the first Sunday of Advent, **December 1**, through the third Sunday of Advent, **December 15**. Take an angel or two off the tree for a child between the ages of 6-17. Please purchase toys, games, crafts or sports equipment (no clothing), attach the tag and place the unwrapped gift under the tree by **December 15**. You may also bring gifts to the parish concert on December 16 at St. Ann (6PM). Thank you in advance for your generosity. Any questions, contact the parish office.

Last year our Parish really helped the program reach new levels!!



Our Parish Catholic Schools



*Academic Excellence in the
Catholic tradition*
Preschool through Grade 12
Habla español!



Wildwood Catholic High School
Proudly Presents
The Musical

**LITTLE
WOMEN**
the Broadway musical

Book by Alan Kner Music by Jason Howard Lyrics by Minni Dickstein

November 22nd, 23rd, and 27th @7:00PM
November 24th @1:00PM Matinee

Tickets: \$15. for adults & \$10. for students

Tickets available on-line at
Eventbrite.com Search for
Wildwood Catholic

or at the door
Call: (609)522-7257

1500 Central Ave., Suite 200, North Wildwood



Annual Cape May County
Junior High
Student Council Summit

*All aboard the
LeadersHIP!*

TUESDAY NOVEMBER 26TH, 2019
9:30 AM TO 1 PM
**WILDWOOD CATHOLIC HIGH
SCHOOL**

Contact your school Student Council
Advisor or Mary Walsh at
Wildwood Catholic H.S.
609-522-7257
m.walsh@wildwoodcatholic.org

CTC 50/50 Raffle

50/50 Raffle tickets available now! \$25.00 per ticket, drawing held Sunday Dec 8th, 5pm at the CTC Supper with Santa, winner does not have to be present. Tickets can be purchased at CTC main office 1500 Central Ave. Last year's winner went home with \$4000.00!!

The Cape Trinity Catholic family thanks you for your continued support!

success. growth. leadership. faith.
CATHOLIC SCHOOL EDUCATION

VERY MERRY Supper with **Santa**
Sunday Dec 8, 2019
2pm-6pm

Dinner
\$10 for Adults & \$5 for kids
Delicious homemade pasta & meatball dinner with bread, salad & dessert included, from 2 pm to 5 pm.
Provided by Duffinetti's Restaurant

MAGIC SHOW
3pm

TAKE OUT
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
Fun for the Entire Community

Games • Crafts
Shopping
Glitter Tattoos

FREE ADMISSION

Pictures with Santa

Call for more info 609-522-2704

Join us at Cape Trinity Catholic School 15th & Central Ave., N. Wildwood



Advent Event

December 1, 2019

All NDDLM Families are invited to join this event. We will be making Advent Wreaths for you to enjoy at home.

Please come to the EEC building after the St. Ann 10:30 am Mass.

Please RSVP ASAP so I can make sure to have enough supplies and light refreshments.

Call 609-972-1644 ext 218

Email dblack@notredamedelamer.org

Up Coming Faith Filled Events

Advent Event: 12/1 see above

Super with Santa: 12/8 see info in this bulletin

Our Lady of Guadeloupe: Mass 12/12

Our Lady of Guadeloupe celebration

with our Spanish community: 12/12

see info in this bulletin

The Posada with out Spanish community: 12/20 see info in this bulletin

Parish Christmas concert and pageant: 12/15 see info in this bulletin

Advent Penance Service: 12/17

School Year PREP

Class Schedule: 9/22, 10/6, 10/13, 11/3, 11/10, 11/17, *12/1, 12/8, 12/15, off January with Project, 2/2, 2/9, 2/16, 3/1, 3/8, 3/15, 4/5, 4/19, *5/10, 5/17 ...

*** special time**

If you have a child in 9th-12th grade who hasn't made their Confirmation please call the office ASAP

Religious Education



The new safe environment training program for adults is **VIRTUS® Protecting God's Children.**

This replaces CAP.

If you have never been fingerprinted for the Diocese of Camden and you have never attended a CAP session, you are considered a "first time user." First time registrants need to go on the Diocese of Camden website click on the **VIRTUS** link located at the bottom of the website and follow the directions.

If you have been fingerprinted for the Diocese of Camden and/or you have attended a CAP session, you are considered to have an existing account. Contact your parish or school safe environment coordinator who will provide you with instructions. Your parish safe environment coordinator is Mary Vey.



-RCIA-
BUILDING YOUR
RELATIONSHIP WITH CHRIST
AND HIS CHURCH!



An opportunity for:

- Individuals and families wishing to inquire about the Catholic Faith
- Baptized Christians seeking a deeper relationship with Christ within the Catholic Church
- Spouses of Catholics or those engaged to Catholics seeking to join the Church
- Catholics baptized as youth wishing to reconnect with their faith, complete Sacraments and find a church home
- Catholics seeking Confirmation

For Additional Information please contact:

Deacon Nicholas Danze
609-522-2709-Ext. 222

ndanze@notredamedelamer.org

Diocesan News

Holy Hour of Intercession

The Youth and Young Adults Office at the Diocese of Camden requested that parishes come together in Intercessory Prayers for our youth. With so many daily distractions and temptations negatively affecting the mind, body, soul and spirit of our young people, it is important that we pray for healthy interactions and correct moral values in their lives. We are therefore providing time each month when parishioners can come together to pray for all children and young adults, as well as all the intentions they hold in their hearts.

Our next holy hour will be Monday, Dec. 16, 2019

*(the third Monday of the month),
at 9:00 AM at Kelly Hall*



Priesthood Discernment Group

Our Lady of Peace Parish
32 Carroll Avenue, Williamstown
2:00PM - 3:30PM

Dec. 8, 2019

The Blessed Virgin Mary and Discernment Fears

www.camdenpriest.org

Family Reflection Corner

Weekly Readings Reflections

34th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Feast of Christ the King

Choose one of the following activities as a way to further reflect on the Sunday readings:

- We are children of God. If the Lord our God is King, and we are God's children, then we must belong to a royal family. Make a crown out of construction paper for your table centerpiece.
- Pray the Lord's Prayer together as a family. Place emphasis on the words "your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven." Remind your family to be aware of God's Reign in the world this week.
- The Church is called to be a sign of God's Reign. Wherever there is violence, hatred, poverty and despair in the world, we are called to bring hope. Discuss with your family what each person is willing to do or willing to give up in order to help build the reign of God on earth, where you live.
- Say the Glory Be each evening as a prayer of praise for the kingdom of God.

Liturgy Corner...learn something new or maybe even become inspired !

Question: Why do we end the liturgical year with Christ the King

Answer: On the last Sunday of the liturgical year, we celebrate the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. Following this solemnity, we observe one more week of Ordinary Time, and then begin a new liturgical year with the First Sunday of Advent. The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, which is also sometimes referred to as the Feast of Christ the King, was established by Pope Pius XI in 1925. Though it was originally celebrated in October, this feast was moved to the last Sunday of the liturgical year in 1969.

It is more than a coincidence that we close out the year with this particular feast. On this day especially, we celebrate the supreme kingship of Jesus over the entire universe. His is a kingship not like the secular monarchies of the past and present, but one that is pastoral, absolute, and desirous of bring us to himself. We await the coming of Christ in his eternal Kingdom, but we recognize that he is already King.

When we remember and reflect on Jesus Christ as King, we are better prepared to enter Advent. Though Advent is the beginning of a new liturgical year, the Church recognizes the cyclical nature of the calendar and ties its beginning with its end. During Advent, we wait in anticipation of the birth of Jesus, the Messiah. Today, after the world has witnessed the birth, death, and resurrection of Jesus, we await his coming again, and we know that it is Christ the King who will come. Ending the liturgical year with the Feast of Christ the King helps us to look both backward and forward: backward, so that we might better celebrate the joyful incarnation and birth of Jesus; and forward, so that we might be vigilant servants waiting for the day Jesus comes again.

Parish / Community Information

Christ Child Society

IN NUMBERS THERE IS STRENGTH

The life of a child is a promise of the future, but for many children, their future is at risk. With that in mind and if you would like to make a difference in the life of a child in need in our county, please consider becoming a member of the Christ Child Society of Cape May County.

We invite you to attend a meeting with us and find out more about the Society. Please contact Stephanie Ware at 609-846-7006 or capemay1950@hotmail.com for more information.



Seniors' Soup and Sandwich

Knights of Columbus Hall

206 New York Avenue - North Wildwood

3rd Thursday of every month: **12/19**

Time: 1pm-3pm **Cost:** \$8

Music will be provided...Invite a friend

Sponsored by: Ladies for the Knights

Contact: Pat 610.246.1079

Right To Life Campaign

Anyone interested in joining the parish

Right To Life Ministry, please contact Gene Bubnis at 609.884.9061



Join Father Wallace on this incredible

Parish Sponsored Trip Danube River Cruise:

Includes Oberammergau Passion Play

Sept. 7th – Sept. 17th, 2020

Witness a performance of the epic Passion Play. The original performance dates back to 1634. During the 30 year war Oberammergau was spared the Black Plague and for this

reason, the citizens vowed that every 10 years they would give a play to honor the last days of the life of Christ. The performers of this once in a decade event are all native to the village

For More Info contact Phyllis Bocelli at: 609.425.9523 or phyllisbocelli@gmail.com

Lazarus House

(Emergency Food Pantry)

"For I was hungry and you gave me food"...

We welcome all donations of food and personal care items delivered to Lazarus House on any Monday, Wednesday or Friday between 10:00am and 12:00 noon. Lazarus House is located at the First Presbyterian Church of Wildwood at Burk and Pacific Aves, Wildwood, NJ. Items can also be placed in the baskets by the doors of St. Ann and Assumption churches. Contributions of gift cards, checks, bequests, or in memory of someone can be mailed to: **Lazarus House PO Box 1792, Wildwood, NJ 08260**. Information or questions please contact Frank Stone at the pantry; **609-522-1500**. Thank you for your continued support.

BAGS! BAGS! BAGS!

...filled by *loving* hands, with *prayerful* thoughts, and *shared* family sacrifices are needed...

November, the month of giving thanks, offers many opportunities to share our blessings and gifts with others.

On the weekends of **November 17th & 24th**, volunteers from the **Lazarus House**, our greeters and ushers will personally hand out grocery bags, Take as many as you wish. Fill them with the suggested/requested items or with items your creative spirit may inspire and then bring your family's "blessing bag" to Church with you on **Thanksgiving Day**. At a certain time during Mass, your family will be called forth to leave "your gift" at the altar. *If you are unable to be with us for Mass on Thanksgiving Day*, bring your *gift bag* to Mass either **November 24th** or **December 1st** weekend and leave it in the vestibule. Your bag will be carried to the altar in your family's name.

Forever Young Happenings

MEETING: Forever Young meets on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 12:00 Noon at Kelly Hall for lunch and program. **Our next meeting will be held on November 26**. Dues are \$10 for the year and lunch is \$5. All are welcome to join us. Please call the parish office for more information.

FOREVER YOUNG CHRISTMAS PARTY

December 17th at 1pm at the Bolero Hotel. Choice of Prime Rib, Crab Cake or Chicken Parmigiana

Call Phyllis at 609-425-9523 by December 10th

Staff Directory

Parish Business Offices

1500 Central Avenue, Suite 100
North Wildwood, NJ 08260

Phone: 609-522-2709

Fax: 609-522-9375

www.NotreDamedelaMer.org

Pastor

Rev. Joseph D. Wallace.....x215

Parochial Vicar

Rev. Steven Pinzon.....x211

Parish Administrator

Mr. Kevin Quinn.....x217

Parish Catechetical Leader

Ms. Donnamarie Black.....x218

Pastoral Associate - RCIA, Baptismal Preparation, and Weddings

Deacon Nick Danze.....x222

Director of Music & Liturgy

Mr. Jonathan Delgado.....x219
jdelgado@notredamedelamer.org

Administrative Assistant

Mrs. Mary Vey.....x210

Bookkeeper

Mrs. Anna Landis.....x213

Funeral Coordinator / Altar Servers

Ms. Patricia Monaghan.....610-246-1079
patmonaghan@aol.com

Maintenance Supervisor

Mr. Jim Di Fazio

Dresses for Haiti

Pat Long is looking for assistance with sewing dresses for the little girls in Haiti. Also, is anyone able to donate fabric? If interested please contact her at 609-729-7073.

Additional Parish and Community News

Parish Activities

Mary, Refuge of Sinners Prayer Group

Wednesday after the 8:30 AM at Assumption Church in Msgr. Kelly Hall.

Holy Hour of Intercession the third Monday of the month at 9:00 AM in Kelly Hall. Next Holy Hour will be Monday, **Dec. 16, 2019**

Forever Young meets on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 12:00 Noon at Kelly Hall for lunch and program. Doors open at 11:30. **The next meeting will be November 26.**

Legion of Mary Tuesday at 12:00 PM in St. Ann Chapel

Adoration is held every Thursday from 9:00am until Noon in Kelly Hall at Assumption Church.

Divine Mercy Chaplet and Benediction 1st Friday of the month 3:00 PM at Kelly Hall. Next Meeting will be **Dec. 6, 2019**

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