

Notre Dame de la Mer Parish

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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
7100 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



Parish Office Christmas Hours

Our parish office will be closed for Christmas from Friday December 23 until Thursday December 29 at 8:00 AM. We wish you all a very Blessed & Merry Christmas.

We will only have one daily mass this week at 8:30 AM at Assumption Church.



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

December 25, 2016



Letter From Father Wallace

Dear Parishioner,

As we gather to celebrate Christmas this year we reflect upon another year of life which saw many events, here in the parish, the nation and the world that have touched our lives in different ways. No doubt this year has brought joys and sadness in different measure to each person and family. Traditionally we see Christmas as a time of peace and joy, a time to celebrate with family, friends, and loved ones of all kinds. The priests, sisters, parish administrator and all ministers of our parish and schools hope and pray that your Christmas will have something of that peace, joy and celebration. Such joyful celebrations may not be possible for some of our parish families for a number of reasons. You may have lost a loved one since last Christmas, or you may be overburdened by money worries, family problems or some other challenge. Know that we promise you our prayers and as a parish family, we do care and offer you our support.

Here at Notre Dame de la Mer we have seen some exciting changes and additions to mission and ministry that brings us joy and hope for the future. Our liturgies are constantly improving with the ever growing music ministry, multitude of ministers, dedicated home visitors, thriving Catholic schools, possible vocations to the priesthood, active seniors programs and trips, Haitian outreach, support of Lazarus House Inc., prayer groups, and so many other outreaches to our local community. Many people have been involved in bringing these initiatives. We give thanks for the many parishioners who have given generously of their time, treasure and talents in making this parish such an energetic, faith-filled community. We have high hopes of making our parish even more alive and welcoming in the near future, with your help and support.

Maybe the Christmas message this year is a challenge for all of us to become more involved. It is not so much a question of giving more; it is a question of giving more of ourselves. After all, that's what God was doing when he got involved with us and our world at that first Christmas. Christmas belongs to believers, to those who believe that Jesus Christ, Son of God, was born of the Virgin Mary to reconcile us to one another and to the Father. This is why he came. God will fill us with his peace if there is room in our lives for him.

Thank you for helping Notre Dame de la Mer with her mission of bringing the Gospel to our Island home! May you and your entire family be blessed with peace and joy during this Christmas season and in the New Year!

Fr. Wallace



Mass Intentions

Saint Ann Church

SATURDAY December 24
4:30 PM Christmas Vigil Mass (Children's Mass)
SUNDAY December 25
10:30 AM Intentions of Our Parishioners
7:00 PM Intentions of Our Parishioners
MONDAY December 26
7:00 AM NO MASS
TUESDAY December 27
7:00 AM NO MASS
WEDNES. December 28
7:00 AM NO MASS
THURSDAY December 29
7:00 AM NO MASS
FRIDAY December 30
7:00 AM NO MASS
SATURDAY December 31
4:30 PM Dr. John Incarvito r/b his Wife, Dottie
 Luke Gallo r/b his Mom
 Jack Weigand r/b Bobbie Gallo
 Michael Yurescko r/b his Family
 Walter Everitt r/b his Family

Assumption Church

SATURDAY December 24
4:30 PM Christmas Vigil Solemn Mass
SUNDAY December 25
8:30 AM Intentions of Our Parishioners
MONDAY December 26
8:30 AM Ed & Maryanne Katz r/b their Family
TUESDAY December 27
8:30 AM Lena Bowers r/b Mom, Dad & Brothers
WEDNES. December 28
8:30 AM Matthew Grassi r/b his Brother, Paul
THURSDAY December 29
8:30 AM Borneman Family r/b Ed Borneman
FRIDAY December 30
8:30 AM Greg Di Antonio r/b Mom & Jeff
SATURDAY December 31
4:30 PM Alfred J. Kurtz, Sr. r/b his Wife
 Alfred Vecchirelli r/b his Wife &
 Children
 Jack Burke r/b his Wife, Kathleen &
 Family



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THOSE WHO ARE ILL-

John Barkovitch, Isoletta Batten,
 Kevin Brennan, Christian Buscham, Joseph Carfagno,
 Maggie Chase, Don Chiancone, Betty Collins,
 Danette Collins, Stumpy Countiss, Angie Dabbingino,
 Rosemarie Delgado, Marion & Dana Di Caprio,
 Carmella Di Gregorio, Betty Elkins, Fran Feketics,
 Jean Feketics, Mary Fioravanti, Anthony & Barbara
 Flacco, Bill Force, Ken Ford, Jerry Founds, Linda
 Marie Gallo, Helen Garagosa, Joanne Golley, Drew
 Heimack, Marion Hemphill, Barbara Hicklin, Janet
 Johnson, Stephanie Johnson, Jessica Karabian,
 Barbara Klecz, Raymond Klecz, Henry Korzeniowski,
 Paul Kuriger, Lois Lauriello, Michelle Lauriello,
 Charles Long, Elizabeth Love, Betty Mansfield,
 Francis Mc Ananey, Marge McMullin, Jack Meehan,
 Mary Ann Metzger, Krista Mote, Marie Murphy,
 Lynn Nichols, Frank Niemczak, Bill Nolan, Tim
 O'Leary, Sr., Madison Pagliaccetti, Brittany Peace,
 Alexander Punchello, Mamie Reed, Tony Robinson,
 Pat Rooney, Luigi Rovar, Rose Salvitelli, Michael
 Bailey Schafer, Steven Seeberger, Michael Schaefer,
 Rita Sicilia, Leatrice Spiewak, Sr., Joe Stella, Tom
 Stephano, Paul Taraschi, Barbara Taylor, John &
 Jennifer Tipton, Stacey Tipton, Cheryl Tolen, Luke
 Trask, Bob Tschinkel, Brian Uetz, Marie Vanella,
 Anna Vinci, Bob Wallace, Dawn
 Herman Williams, Caitlyn Young. **Also, anyone who
 wishes to receive Communion may also call the
 parish offices.**



Sanctuary Lamp



The Sanctuary Lamp at the Assumption
 Church is lit this week for the Luke Gallo
 r/b his Mom at St. Ann Church for Dr. John
 Incarvito r/b his Wife, Dottie

Stewardship



Christmas Stewardship Every Day

"And the Word became flesh". John 1:14A

Jesus is God's ultimate gift of love to us. The countless other blessings that God showers upon us are nothing compared to the gift of His only Son. The only appropriate way for us to respond to such Generous love is with our own generous love. When we become His **Stewards**, we dedicate our lives to sharing all the gifts God has placed in our hands, the peace of Christ truly will control our hearts and we will know Christmas joy every day.



Electronic or "e-Giving" is available to parishioners and friends of Notre Dame de la Mer Parish. It's easy to set up, and YOU have complete control of how and what you donate to the parish. It's convenient, consistent, secure and insures privacy. To register, and set up your personal account, **go to Notre Dame de la Mer Parish Web Page and click on the link on the front page.**

Please follow the directions. And if you're interested, coupon slips can be printed so you have something to place in the collection baskets. If you have questions, or concerns, there is a FAQ section that should help you in your decision. Be sure to visit Parish Pay. Thank you for your generosity.



2017 Parish Calendars

Notre Dame de la Mer Parish calendars are now available in the back of the church. We have ordered enough for each household to have a copy. Please take one home with you.



Around the Diocese

Engaged Encounter Ministry

Good things are happening on Engaged Encounter Retreat Weekends!

Comments from recent weekends include:

"Re-affirmation of Catholic faith re-enforcing the strength of marriage."

Couples are reporting a much needed weekend of spiritual connection and opportunity for improved couple communication in preparation for the Sacrament of Marriage.

Encourage your engaged couple,

to consider attending a Weekend!

Consider sponsoring them for this retreat.

Contact: Mary Lou Hughes 856-583- 2903

MARRIED COUPLES – WANT TO GIVE A GIFT THAT KEEPS ON GIVING?

Register for a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend – it's the best gift you'll ever give to each other and your marriage! The next weekend is Feb 10-12, 2017. Questions? Need more information? Call our application couple at [609-741-8012](tel:609-741-8012)

or email applications@wwmesouthjersey.org Visit our website wwwme-southjersey.org

Prayer Before the Christmas Crib



Heavenly Father, accept our thanks for all that You have done for us. May this scene of Christ's birth remind us of His love for You and for us. Fill our hearts with the faith of the shepherds and the peace of which the angels sang so that we may always understand Christmas as beginning and ending with Christ, our Redeemer.

Amen.

Parish Information

Sacraments

Pre-Baptismal Classes: As the primary educators of their child, the parents/guardians and godparents have the most important influence on the faith development of children and parishes must provide catechesis for them before their child is baptized. Notre Dame de la Mer Parish offers six Baptism Preparation Classes throughout the year. It is important for the expectant parents/guardians to arrange to attend a session **5 months before the birth and Baptism** of the child. Contact the parish offices for more information. **The next class is scheduled for Saturday, January 21, 2017, from 9:30 to 11:00 AM.**

Funerals: To be arranged with a priest and funeral director.

Sacrament of the Sick: Anytime

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

Parish News



If you are looking for some fun, food and friendship join us. We meet at 12:00 PM on the fourth Tuesday of the month at Kelly Hall. Our next meeting is Tuesday, January 24. Dues are \$10 yearly and lunch is \$5 per month. Please don't forget the Franciscan Mission donation and food for Lazarus House.

Mark your Calendar!

Our Summer Intensive Religious Education Program will begin on Monday, July 24, 2017 and end on Friday, August 4, 2017. Additional details and registration will be given at a later date.

"Here I am Lord; I come to do Your Will"

Notre Dame de la Mer Parish Ministries
Dear Parishioners of all ages:

We ask our parishioners to please give serious thought and prayerful consideration to your Baptismal call to witness and to service by participating in one of the ministries that help make our weekly worship of God so meaningful and reverent. Your sharing of your time, talent, and treasure can be a great gift of joy to you personally and a wonderful gift of self to our Parish Community. Please consider serving as an usher, or greeter, sacristan, altar server, liturgy committee member, liturgical environment member, lector, extraordinary minister, cantor, choir member. Please don't wait until you are less busy. That will never happen, and remember, "God will not be outdone in generosity." Please call the parish center sometime soon or drop the clipping in the collection basket.

The ministry I feel a calling toward is _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone # _____

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Germany & Austria*



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Christmas Flower Donations



Loved Ones r/b Mrs. Marie Accardi
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Frank Acocella
 Flossy Murphy r/b Ms Donna Adams
 Fred Alfonsi, Alfonsi & Fitzpatrick Families r/b Mrs. Mary Ann Alfonsi
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Rocco Angelastro
 Caroline M Doherty, All Loved Ones r/b Ms Jean Antanite
 Pasquale Aquilino r/b Mrs. Joanne Aquilino
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Pasquale Arcuri
 Miguel Canonizado r/b Alicia Bada
 Bada Family r/b M/M Joseph Bada, Jr.
 James, Mary & Jimmy Kennedy r/b Mrs. Mary Banes
 Baylis & Lally Families r/b Mrs. Kathleen Baylis
 Beck & Klecz Families r/b M/M Charles Beck
 John & Phyllia D., Michael B. r/b Ms Jana Belansen
 Mc Alernan Family r/b M/M Louis Belasco
 Carol Berardo r/b Mr. Robert Berardo
 Anna & Vincent D'Allesandro r/b M/M Michael Billiris
 Raymond & Catherine Morgan r/b M/M Christopher Bloche
 Bocelli & Calfin Families r/b M/M John Bocelli
 Borneman Family r/b Mr. Edward Borneman
 Michael Brady r/b Mrs. Dolores Brady
 Adelyn Bradley r/b M/M William Bradley
 Cecelia Kern, Margaret Britton r/b M/M John Britton
 Wall & Brunell Families r/b M/M Donald Brunell
 Jack Burke r/b Mrs. Kathleen Burke
 Bonafiglia & Burke Families r/b Mark J
 James McGroarty r/b M/M Chuck Burns
 John & Anna Ditto, Burns & Gaspari Families r/b M/M Kevin Burns
 Jack Burke r/b Kathleen Burke
 Bonafiglia & Burke Families r/b M/M Joseph Burke
 Mc Clain Sisters r/b M/M Roy Burnham
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Robert Buziak
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Lawrence Campanale
 Loved Ones r/b Mrs. Sharon Cannon
 Ricky r/b M/M Joseph Cardullo
 Al & Eileen Colacello r/b M/M Frank Caruso
 Yolanda Caso r/b M/M Thomas Caso
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Giuseppe Cataldo
 Dad r/b M/M Joe Catanoso
 Provence & Chambers Families r/b M/M James Chambers
 Christensen Families r/b Mrs. Andrea Christensen
 Leonard A. Ciccotello r/b Mrs. Rita Ciccotello
 Cieslinski, Milligan & Sharp Families r/b M/M William Cieslinski, Sr.
 John Clancy r/b Mrs. Margery Clancy
 Carroll Cole r/b Mr. Bruce Cole
 Colleluori & Quattrone Families r/b M/M Robert Colleluori
 Loved Ones r/b Mr. Joseph Colombaro
 Mr. & Mrs. Albert F. Colubiale r/b M/M James Colubiale
 Patrick & Catherine Sullivan, Martha & Margie Connelly,
 Charles Sullivan r/b M/M John Connelly
 Connelly & Kirkbride Families r/b M/M Thomas Connelly

Lalevee & Copenhaver Families r/b Mary Jane Copenhaver
 Loved Ones r/b M/M John Cortese
 Myrna Bartolomeo, Marcella Crowley r/b M/M Joseph Crowley
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Marian Czekanski
 Rudy & Chris D'Alesio r/b Ms Gerry D'Alesio
 Christopher D'Ambra r/b M/M Anthony D'Ambra
 M & M Ralph D'Amico r/b Mr. Donato D'Amico
 Anna & Michael D'Imperio, Alberto Mejia, M.D.,
 Shelby & Debbie Passaro, Ryzinski, Chiardio,
 D'Imperio, Zematis, Ryzinski, Ann Ryzinski,
 D'Imperio, Chiardid, Haubuis & Passaro Families r/b Miss Catherine D'Imperio
 Dominick & Mary Catolano r/b Ms Josephine Daning
 Charles de La Tour, Jr. & Sr. r/b Mrs. Helen de La Tour
 Bernadette De Long r/b M/M Joseph De Long
 Deissroth & Broderick Families r/b M/M Albert Deissroth, Sr.
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Anthony Dennison
 Di Bruno & Colleluori Families r/b M/M James Di Bruno
 Di Fazio Family r/b M/M James Di Fazio
 Matthew L. Diana r/b Mrs. Stella Diana
 Dixie Bonikowski r/b M/M Gerald Dirkes, Sr.
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Ernest Dominguez
 Joe Hart, Peg Komada, Eddie Donahue r/b Mrs. Aimee Donahue
 Leo & Josephine Doria r/b Mr. Donald Doria
 Driadon, Dziadon, Glowacka & Leske Families r/b M/M James Driadon
 Loved Ones r/b Mr. Gene Earley
 Edwards & Mc Bride Families r/b Mrs. Susan Edwards
 James Elm r/b Mrs. Joan Elm
 Loved Ones r/b Mrs. Patricia Everitt
 Loved Ones r/b Mr. Fred Fenton
 Mathias & Barbara Fischer r/b Mr. Robert Fischer
 Maryanne Mc Connell r/b M/M Matthew Fitzsimons
 Loved Ones, Dr. Robert J Furey r/b Mrs. Veronica Furey
 Gaffney & Iaquinto Families r/b M/M Michael Gaffney
 Gallagher, Rosanio, Kelley & Giovannangelo Families r/b M/M John Gallagher
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Michael Gallo
 Stacy Gardler Hughes r/b M/M James Gardler
 Phil Gaughan r/b Mrs. Kathleen Gaughan
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Lawrence Gerrard
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Joseph Getchius
 Goffredo & Czarniecki Families r/b M/M Thomas Goffredo
 Mary Edwerth r/b M/M Ronald Golden
 Loved Ones r/b Mrs. Joanne Gorman
 Kosefski & Gormley Families r/b M/M Thomas Gormley
 Dec'd Members Grassi Family r/b Mr. Paul Grassi
 Humphreys & Grasso Families r/b M/M David Grasso
 M/M Henry Huminski, Greenland Family r/b M/M George Greenland

William & Theresa Grier, Colette Jones r/b Ms Denise Grier
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Richard Grzeskiewicz
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Eugene Hart
 Morvin & Hartley Families r/b M/M William Hartley
 Loved Ones r/b Mary Pat Hastings
 Raymond Henderson, Frances Furfari, Ellen Finn r/b Mrs.
 Mary Henderson & Bob Finn
 Henfey & Madsen Families, Maggie Donnelly r/b Mrs.
 Diane Henfey
 Elizabeth & Alphonsi M. Hess r/b Miss Bernadine Hess
 Howe & Hester Families M/M James Hester
 Loved Ones r/b Ms Sue Hill
 Holland & Betz Families r/b M/M John Holland
 Josephine Corino r/b Ms Doreen Holton-Corino
 Dr. John Incarvito, Frederick, Dorothy & Fred Miller,
 Catherine Iaquinto r/b Mr. Gaetano Iaquinto
 Florence & John Incarvito, Sr., Estelle Brendzey r/b Mrs.
 Dorothy Incarvito
 Gloria Ingersoll, Lucy & Anthony Venuti, Dec'd Members
 Giannini & Venuti Families r/b M/M David Ingersoll
 Angelo, Lena, John, Hen & Mom r/b M/M Ronald Isaacson
 Poor, sick & hungry of the Parish r/b M/M Robert Jacob
 John & Connie Jacoby, John M. Jacoby r/b Mr. James Jacoby
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Robert Johnson
 Marie Kern r/b Mr. Gerald Kern
 Kill & Owns Family r/b M/M John Kill
 Rudy Kita, Jr. r/b Mrs. Helen Kita
 Jim Kochowicz r/b Mrs. Agnes Kochowicz
 Robert Necker r/b Mrs. Charlotte Konpka
 Loved One r/b Mr. Thomas Krajewski
 Krammer & Amato Families r/b M/M Otto Krammer
 Stretz & Krisciunas Famies r/b M/M Joseph Krisciunas
 Victor A Krivitski r/b Mr. Victor Krivitski
 Loved Ones r/b M/M James Kurtz
 Alfred J. Kurtz, Sr., M/M Alfred P. Kurtz, M/M James R.
 Mahoney, Sr. r/b Mrs. Mary Kurtz
 Thomas Lamb r/b Mrs. Jeanette Lamb
 Donna Tannelli r/b M/M Frank Leone
 Liberio & Isphordings Families r/b M/M Louis Liberio
 Louis & Madeline Lista r/b Ms Eva Lista
 Adam & Christine Kremis r/b M/M Ted Ludwikowski
 Heather Heimack, Brian Maier, Leo & Dolores Dougherty,
 Mary & Andrew Schenski r/b Mrs. Immaculata Maier
 Margaret & Matthew Smith, Charles & Frances Madle r/b
 M/M William Madle
 Loved Ones r/b Mr. Paul Maguire
 M/M R. Manerp, M/M C. Slider r/b M/M Anthony Manero
 Mulloy & Manning Families r/b M/M John Manning
 Loved Ones r/b M/M David Masterson
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Edward Masterson
 Orlando Mattera r/b Mrs. Bridget Mattera
 Trudy Mc Brearty r/b Mr. Robert Mc Brearty
 Mc Bride, Trevelino & Edwards Families r/b Mrs. Angela
 Mc Bride
 Loved Ones r/b M/M David Mc Callion
 Nicolette Castrovilla, M/M Lawrence Mc Callion r/b M/M
 James Mc Callion
 Ed Mc Clain, Mary & Dom Cartolano r/b Mrs. Natalie Mc
 Clain
 Loved Ones r/b M/M John Mc Coy

William Mc Cutchin r/b Mrs. Catherine Mc Cutchin
 William Mc Dermond, Thomas Mc Dermond r/b Mrs.
 CatherineMc Dermond
 Loved Ones r/b M/M William Mc Gee
 Mc Monagle & Miopuszewski Families r/b Mrs. Diane
 Mc Monagle
 John Mc Monigle r/b Ms Joan Mc Monigle
 Loved Ones r/b Ms Bridget Mc Wade
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Arthur Mee
 Loved Ones r/b M/M John Meehan
 Charles G. Meissler. Sr. r/b M/M Charles Meissler
 Melchiorre & Hickey Families r/b M/M Thomas Melchiorre
 Glassford & Meyer Families r/b M/M William Meyer
 Vincent Chiarella r/b M/M Roland Millard
 Miller & Roberts Families r/b M/M George Miller
 Bill Monaghan r/b Mrs. Patricia Monaghan
 Kieran & Morris Families r/b M/M James Morris
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Edward Murphy
 Dec'd Family & Friends of Murray & Barry Families r/b
 M/M Daniel Murray
 Loved Ones r/b Ms Carolyn Narciso
 Dec'd Members Nunziato & Nardini Families r/b M/M
 Vincent Nardini
 Mary Naylor r/b Ms Theresa Naylor
 Zaladonis Family r/b Ms Theresa Neill
 Angeline L. Newman r/b Mr. Charles Newman
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Francis Nolan
 Noreski, Cavanaugh, Jenizuarski & Dever Families r/b Mr.
 Michael Noreski
 Joan Novak r/b Mr. John Novak
 Loved Ones r/b M/M John O'Shaughnessy
 Dec'd Members Orr & Rickert Families r/b Mrs. Patricia Orr
 Ada & Mario Orsi r/b Mr. Daniel Orsi & Ms Elaine Orsi
 Loved Ones r/b Mrs. Helen Oslar
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Roman Osadchuk
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Terence Oslar
 Pelella & Sweeney Families r/b M/M Harry Pelella
 Christine Pennetto r/b Mr. Elwood Pennetto
 Loved Ones r/b M/M William Peter
 William & Margaret Petercsak r/b Mr. William Peterscak
 Versaggi & Ron Peters Families r/b M/M Ronald Peters
 Loved Ones r/b Karl Belfonti & Sandra Pipitone
 Joe Piro & M/M Sal Piro r/b Ms Josephine Piro
 Loved Ones r/b M/M John Plebani
 John, Josephine & Robert Patasnick r/b Ms Janet Pojedinec
 Peg & Tom Byron, Madge & Joe Popper, Bob & Ginny Young r/
 b Popper Family
 Intentions of Porto Family r/b M/M Louis Porto
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Robert Powell
 Laura & Joseph Christensen, Casimiera & Louis Trzaska r/b
 M/M Robert Pyzia
 Elena & Chris Quinn r/b Mr. John Quinn
 Loved Ones r/b M/M John Quinn
 Margaret Reilly r/b M/M George Reilly
 Grzskovish & Reilly Families r/b M/M Ronald Reilly
 Loved Ones r/b Mr. Anton Repholz
 Dender, Studley & Martin Families r/b Mary & Mary Jean Ricci
 Family & Friends r/b Mrs. Dawn Righter
 Rose Tata, Joan Roach r/b M/M Steven Roach
 Loved Ones r/b Mrs. Helen Robinson

Loved Ones r/b M/M Andrew Robinson
 Loved Ones r/b M/M James Rogers
 Charles W. Ronn, Sr. & Jr., r/b Mrs. Patricia Ronn
 Loved Ones r/b M/M John Rooney
 Charlie Schaffer r/b Mrs. Eleanor Schaffer
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Thomas Schaffer
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Robert Scully
 Bill Brightcliffe, Family & Friends r/b Mrs. Rita Seaman
 Tommy Emanuel r/b M/M Anthony Serpe
 Loved Ones r/b Mrs. Mary Sittineri
 Loved Ones r/b Mr. George Smith
 Ferdinand Spiewak, Sr. & Leon Rajkowski r/b M/M Fred Spiewak
 Loved Ones r/b M/M John Steele
 Heany & Steiner Families r/b M/M James Steiner
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Brian Stuart
 Loved Ones r/b M/M George Stuhl
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Daniel Suder
 Sullivan, Kelly, Booth & Bubeck Families r/b M/M William Sullivan
 Shirley & Thomas Sweeney r/b M/M Thomas Sweeney
 Carroll & Szarko Families r/b Mrs. Dorothea Szarko
 Alfred & Teresa Taglialatela, Clara Taglialatela Mattera r/b Ms Christina Taglialatela
 Tighe & Toner Families r/b M/M Joseph Tighe
 Robert Digilio r/b M/M George Tortarella
 Dec'd Members Vey & Hunt Families r/b M/M Michael Vey
 Dec'd Members Visalli & Lempka Families r/b M/M Joseph Visalli
 Loved Ones r/b M/M Joseph Viscomi
 Allan Wade, Donna Wade r/b Mrs. Doris Wade
 Loved Ones r/b Mr. Peter Walsh
 James & Helen Mc Cabe, John & Sarah Ward r/b M/M John Ward
 Dec'd Members White, Prete, Hanahan Families, r/b M/M Henry White
 Matt & Marie Wnek r/b Ms Cecelia Wnek
 James "OB" Young r/b Mrs. Jamie Young



Community Outreach

Christmas Remembrance

We are in the process of replacing many of our old and outdated Christmas decorations. We are asking our parishioners to memorialize the following. We are in need of new artificial Christmas trees and garland for the churches. It is a nice way to remember your loved ones as you look upon the symbols that speak of our joy at the miracle of the Incarnation. Please call the parish office 609-522-2709 x 210, if you are interested in this memorial opportunity!

We are also in need of rose colored vestments, which would be used during the Advent and Lenten Seasons on Gaudete and Laetare Sundays.

Thank you for your consideration and support!
 Fr. Wallace



2016 Christmastide Liturgy Schedule

MASS SCHEDULE

New Year's Eve – Saturday, December 31st (Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God)

Church of the Assumption.....4:30 PM
 St. Ann Church.....4:30 PM

New Year's Day – Sunday, January 1st (Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God)

Church of the Assumption.....8:30 AM
 St. Ann Church.....10:30 AM
 St. Ann Church Mass in the Spanish Language.....7:00 PM

IRS Statement for 2016 Contribution

If any parishioner would like a statement of contribution to the church for 2016, please complete the form to below and return it to the parish center or drop it into the collection basket.

Please mail me a copy of my 2016 contributions for IRS purposes.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Envelope No. _____ Phone No. _____

Adult Education

Symbolon:

What is it? A program from the Augustinian Institute that explains the Catholic Faith in a stunning video series. This series is filmed on location in Rome, the Holy Land, Calcutta and the studios of the Institute. The beauty of Catholicism is presented by nationally-known teachers who clearly present the beauty and brilliance of the faith.

Who is it for? Adult Catholics and non-Catholics and those in the RCIA process as well. Symbolon will enhance the knowledge of those who have been long-time Catholic. The programs will explain the faith to those that are not Catholic and it will assist along the walk of oneness in the faith for those who are in the process of becoming Catholic.

How will the program work? A segment of the program will be watched at the start of each session. A group discussion of the segment with starter questions will follow. The segments range from as short as 20 minutes to as long as 44 minutes. The discussion time after the watching of the segment will depend on the topic and the interest of the group attending.

When and where will the program be offered? The program will be offered beginning in January 2017. It will be offered at 10:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday starting January 18, 2017. In order for this discussion part of the program to work we will need to have at least 6 people in a group. It is difficult to have a discussion without people to discuss with.

If you are interested in either of the times for the Symbolon Program please give Pat a call at the office and leave your name and the time that interests you. (609-522-2709 X 210)

The proposed dates are as follows: (at 10:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. at the Parish Meeting Room in the EEC)

January 18, 2017	February 22, 2017
January 25, 2017	March 1, 2017
February 1, 2017	March 8, 2017
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Thank you! If you have any questions please call me at the office AnnaMae 609-522-2709 X 218



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Keeping everyone safe is our main concern and in order to accomplish this we ask that you please follow the procedure below when weather is not favorable in the morning to attend Mass:

Please listen to the radio to see if Cape Trinity Catholic School or Wildwood Catholic High School is closed-if the schools are closed **there will be no morning mass. (This is for the 7:00 AM and 8:30 AM Mass.)**

Please know that we want you safe to be able to return to the family of Notre Dame de la Mer Parish when the weather permits. Do not take chances that are not necessary. We understand and we know that God understands.

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Parish Activities

Mary, Refuge of Sinners Prayer Group

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

Franciscan Fraternity of Divine Mercy

welcomes you every 3rd Sunday of each month at St. Elizabeth Seton Church, Absecon. All are welcome. For information call Tom Stephano @729-6284.

Knights of Columbus

Our Lady of the Rosary Council #2572 Meetings are held the 2nd Monday of the month at 8:00 PM at the Council Home, 206 New York Ave, N. Wildwood.

Columbian Squires Circle #558

a Catholic Young men's organization for ages 11 thru 16. Contact Dan DeMaio 729-1427 or Tom Connelly 408-6398.

Forever Young

meets the fourth Tuesday of the month at 12:00 Noon at Kelly Hall for lunch and program. Our next meeting is January 24, 2017

Legion of Mary

Tuesday at 11:00 AM in St. Ann Chapel

Adoration

is held every Thursday after the 7:00 AM Mass until Noon at St. Ann Church.

Divine Mercy Chaplet and Benediction

1st Friday of the month 3:00 PM at Assumption Church.

Rosary for World Peace

1st Saturday of the month 4:00 PM at St. Ann Church.



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