# Notre Dame de la Mer Parish

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### Mass Schedule

#### St. Ann Church 2901 Atlantic Avenue Wildwood

Monday to Friday (Chapel) 7:00 AM Saturday 4:30 PM Sunday 8:30 AM\* & 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

\* There will not be an 8:30 AM Mass at St. Ann Church beginning October 2, 2016.

## Notre Dame de la Mer Parish Office

Monday through Friday 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM Closed Saturday & Sunday, Religious Holydays & 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





## September 18, 2016

#### Dear Parishioners,

As the year of Mercy approaches the end, I want to thank all of you for your kind and generous participation in all the "Mercy Projects". Some of our homebound members were the recipients of tea and cups; diocesan migrant workers were the receivers of the water; and our brothers and sisters in Haiti especially the children were those who received the school supplies and the shoes. Mercy is an on-going act we as Catholics need to practice in our lives. I hope and I pray all the good works that have been evidenced during this year of Mercy will not stop. I pray that with the grace of God and the love for others we as Catholics will continue to reach out to those who are in need in our local surroundings and in countries far away. May God abundantly bless you for all that you have done!

Our gospel and readings today speak to us of wealth and the use of wealth yet in 2015 - 9.2 million people lived in extreme poverty. That number only includes those who lived on \$1.90 or less a day. But we know in our country poor in dollars is a great deal higher than \$1.90 and in a great many ways cannot always be measured by dollars and cents. As the readings come to an end clearly it is stated we cannot serve both God and man. What is this saying? Do we trust? Do we place our trust in God? Do we believe that God will only ask us to do what He knows we have the strength to handle? Do we realize we have a call to be present to others and to help others? Do we remember that God gave us our life and we are to live it for Him? Trusting? Trusting in God? So many times we see people who make preparations in their lives for the future or plans for five or ten years down the road only to never get that far in their life. An accident; an illness; something happens to cause an early end. Has their life been lived for God? Have they served Him to the best of their ability? Or was it I will get to that tomorrow? I will give to that cause tomorrow? I will start praying tomorrow? I will start going to church again next week? What is so important in our lives that we cannot place God first and still have enough time to accomplish everything else that is important? Do we give God that place of honor and priority in our lives believing that He will take care of everything else? Believe God can do all things and He works to good for all those that BELIEVE. BELIEVE and give God your ALL.

In Jesus, AnnaMae Muryasz – Life Long Faith Formation Director

## Mass Intentions

Saint Ann Church

SATURDAY	September 17
4:30 PM	Lynn, Patrick & Joanne Kilgarriff
	r/b their Family
	Dec'd Members of New Jersey State
	Firemen Association r/b Officers
	Joseph H Leonard (10th anniv.) r/b his
	Wife, Joan
	Mary Martellia r/b Mary & Mary Egan
SUNDAY	September 18
8:30 AM	Vincent Fares r/b George & Theresa Stuhl
	Dorothy Umstead r/b Robin Jordan Seifert
10:30 AM	Greg Di Antonio r/b Mom & Jeff
	Claire Verrecchio r/b her Daughter
	& Family
7:00 PM	For Our Parishioners
MONDAY	September 19
7:00 AM	Madeline Turbeville r/b Gerri Polillo
TUESDAY	September 20
7:00 AM	Dr. John Incarvito r/b his Wife, Dottie
Wednesday	September 21
7:00 AM	Intentions of the Priest
THURSDAY	1
7:00 AM	Intentions of the Priest
FRIDAY	September 23
7:00 AM	Patrick Maguire r/b Joe & Marie Tighe
SATURDAY	1
4:30 PM	Jane Parson r/b her Family
	Mary & Connie Kilgarriff r/b their Family
	Fred Corazo r/b his Wife & Daughter
CATUDDAY	Assumption Church
<b>SATURDAY</b> <b>4:30 PM</b>	September 17
4:30 F M	Grace Stratoti r/b Leon & Stephanie Theresa Grier r/b her Family
	Pat Bradly-Frat r/b Bill & Emilie Bradley
	Bob Young r/b Stella Diana
	Charles Jaffe r/b his Wife, Catherine
	& Family
SUNDAY	September 18
8:30 AM	Margery Ann Magoon r/b O'Keefe Family
	Susan Evans r/b Maryann & Walt Deegan
	Alice Valeri r/b Madonna Sue & Rudy Prate
	Mary Beth Schiff r/b Mike & Mary Vey
MONDAY	September 19
8:30 AM	Ginny Young r/b her Family
TUESDAY	September 20
8:30 AM	Sue Filgueras r/b Catherine & John Luthin
WEDNES.	September 21
8:30 AM	Louis Celenza
	September 22
8:30 AM	Intentions of the Priest
FRIDAY	September 23
8:30 AM	Matt Diana r/b Wife, Stella

**SATURDAY** September 23 4:30 PM Ginny Young r/b her Family Robert Starr r/b Catherine Jaffe & Family

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THOSE WHO ARE ILL- John Barkovitch, Isoletta Batten, Edward Daniel Bauman, Melissa Anne Marie Bauman, Walter Bendis, William Boykin. Sr., Christian Buscham, Joseph Carfagno, Maggie Chase, Don Chiancone, Bob Collelouri, Betty Collins, Stumpy Countiss, Angie Dabbingino, Carol Danzeison, Rosemary Delgado, Marion & Dana Di Caprio, Patricia Dan Elkins, Fran Feketics, Jean Feketics, Andre Ferry, Bob Finn, Ken Ford, Rita Frankowski, Helen Garagosa, Joanne Golley, Ann Grasso, David Grasso, Maggie Hartley, Drew Heimack, Janet Johnson, Jessica Karabian, Barbara Klecz, Henry Korzeniowski, Yvonne Kukielka, Michelle Lauriello, Elizabeth Love, Mark McKee, Marge McMullin, Mary Ann Metzger, Krista Mote, Marie Murphy, Lynn Nichols, Bob Necker, Frank Niemczak, Tim O'Leary, Sr., Madison Pagliaccetti, Valerie Biedzian Parr, Brittany Peace, James Peterson, Mamie Reed, Tony Robinson, Pat Rooney, Luigi Rovar, Rose Salvitelli, Noel Sanesec, Maria "Gabby" Sarri, Jane Scarano, Michael Bailey Schafer, Steven Seeberger, Michael Schaefer, Rita Sicilia, Jess Silver, Leatrice Spiewak, Sr. Joe Stella, Tom Stephano, John & Jennifer Tipton, Stacey Tipton, John Tirello, Cheryl Tolen, Luke Trask, Brian Uetz, Sue Reich Walden, Dawn Herman Williams, Shannon (Lentz) Wilson. 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 Fred M. Eichenhofer, Jr. r/b his Family and at St. Ann Church for the Willey Family r/b the Mc Cusker Family

#### 2017 Mass Books

Our Mass books are now open for your 2017 Mass Intentions. Please stop in the parish office to make your request.

## Stewardship



#### **Stewards Serve God**

'No servant can serve two masters. He will hate one and love the other, or be devoted to Stewardship one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and mammon (wealth) Luke 16:13

Is money a "god" that you put before God? Giving money to support the Church and other charity develops Stewardship and is a pill of our Faith, just like attending Mass every Sunday and participating in parish ministry. Giving money frees us from being a slave to money and increases our dependence on God and to trust that He will provide all that we need.



DID YOU KNOW - the House of Charity is a donor choice for many employee giving campaigns? Many businesses will begin their Employee Giving Campaigns this month and continue to solicit donations through the fall months. Employee Giving/United Way campaigns give us an opportunity to direct our donations to the charities that best represent our beliefs, interests and social concerns. Ask your employer for a pledge card and be sure to: In the Donor Choice Section, designate the "HOUSE of Charity" Ask to be acknowledged! This ensures our parish will receive credit toward our House of Charity goal. If the agency requests a code for your donor choice...these codes may be found on the House of Charity website under "Employee Giving Campaign" and in the Catholic Star Herald. Your donation to our House of Charity helps to build, support and maintain many programs, ministries and services throughout our parishes and communities. These programs save lives and build futures. Thank you so much for your past, present and future support of our House of Charity fundraising campaign. If you have any questions, please contact: Sheila McGirl, House of Charity (856) 583-6128 BishopsAppeal@camdendiocese.org

#### Save the Date



#### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18th, 2016 at 6:30 P.M.



### 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, November 6, 2016, 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.



<u>Thursday,</u> December 8th

Bus leaves Wildwood Catholic at 9am, arrives home at 11:30pm Cost \$150 per person

Call 609-374-1274



Bus trip to Lancaster for Tanger Outlet Christmas shopping, dinner at Miller's Smorgasbord, then <u>Samson</u> at Sight and Sound Theatre

Save the Date-Saturday December 9, 2017 Bus trip to Sight and Sound Theatre to see Miracle of Christmas !





#### *Our Car Raffle is 4 Weeks Away!* Notre Dame de la Mer Parish is selling chances on a 2016 Ford Mustang coupe with the complete California Special Package. Chances are available on the boardwalk, after weekend masses and in the parish office or by mailing a check to Notre Dame de la Mer Parish, 1500 Central Avenue #100, North Wildwood, NJ 08260 or for credit card purchases call Pat at 609-522-2709 x210. Parishioners are asked to return the chances mailed to you as soon as possible. Thank you.



Parish News

#### Christmas 50/50 Raffle

Notre Dame de la Mer Parish is sponsoring a 50/50 raffle just in time for Christmas. Tickets sales began just into time for "*Christmas in July*" and the winning ticket will be drawn December 18, 2016, just in time for "*Christmas*". Tickets are available at the car raffle pavilion on the boardwalk, before and after weekend masses at both of our churches and at the parish offices. Tickets are \$1 each.

Our Jackpot is currently over \$2,700.00.



#### Come and Spend some time with our God at St. Mary by the Sea

The Forever Young Senior Club at Notre Dame de la Mer Parish would like to extend an invitaion to everyone in your Parish to join us on Tuesday, October 4, for a one-day retreat at the Sisters of St. Joseph Retreat House, Cape May Point. The day will begin with Mass at 10 a.m. and will be celebrated by Fr. Wallace. Sr. Mary Ann Mulzet, SSJ will coordinate our retreat experience. The price of \$35 includes lunch. For more information, please call Kay at <u>609-729-5773</u>.

## Wildwood Catholic High School



Phone: 609-522-7257 Website: www.wildwoodcatholic.org

**Mission Statement of Wildwood Catholic High School:** Since 1948, Wildwood Catholic High school has provided a valuecentered, college preparatory education to the youth of Southern New Jersey. We nurture hearts and minds by the light of Christ forming well-rounded individuals who will shape their communities through leadership and service. All are welcome to become part of our tradition.



609.522.7257

wildwoodcatholic.org



Wildwood Catholic High School 1500 Central Avenue

October 27th, 2016 from 6:30PM

North Wildwood, NJ 08260

Contact the Advancement Director for details Julie Roche j.roche@wildwoodcatholic.org 609.522.7257

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"Nurturing hearts and minds by the light of Christ" Become a part of our tradition today!



## Save the Date!!

Wildwood Catholic High School

2016 WCHS Golf Tournament Monday, October 24th @ Wildwood Golf Club 11:00 AM ~ Registration 12:30 PM ~ Shotgun Start 5:30 PM ~ Cocktails, Dinner Party, Auctions

Questions, Please call or email: Julie Roche @ Wildwood Catholic High School J.roche@wildwoodcatholic.org or 609-522-7257

#### ReggaeFest To celebrate the life of Greg DiAntonio

Sunday, September 18, 2016 3:00PM – 8:00PM Uries Waterfront Restaurant 588 Rio Grande Avenue, Wildwood *Non-Stop Music with 2 Bands* Donation \$40 – Children Under 12 *Free!* Includes: food stations, domestic beers and wines, soda, iced tea, coffee...import beer specials Tickets available by Calling Jen: 609.780.3560 or Kreni: 609.425.6628 **Proceeds to benefit Wildwood Catholic High School and the Greg DiAntonio Memorial Fund** 



**Mission Statement of Cape Trinity Catholic :** A school for critical thinking, is based on gospel values and the promotion of academic excellence. We challenge all to engage in meaningful learning and to make Christ-like decisions in an environment rich in prayer and service. With the support of our caring community, we aspire to develop students who will celebrate life and make a positive difference in the world.

## Student Council Induction Mass at Our Lady Star of the Sea Church. Presided by : Fr. Frank Danella



Fr. Frank addresses the Student Council class representatives and Executive Board. He then administered the leadership oath to all members.

Congratulations to our new leadership!

Eighth grade representatives and Executive Board.



## Community Outreach

#### Lazarus House

(Emergency Food Pantry)

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

#### ATTENTION FRIENDS OF LAZARUS HOUSE

Lazarus House (emergency food pantry) has temporarily re-located to the First Presbyterian Church of Wildwood at 4511 Pacific Ave. (Burk and Pacific Aves.) Wildwood, NJ.

We welcome donations of food for Lazarus House any Monday, Wednesday or Friday between 10:00am and 12:00 noon. We are always in need of pasta, cereal, tuna fish, peanut butter and jelly, canned stews, canned pasta, chili, etc.

Monetary donations to Lazarus House can be placed in any collection in an envelope identified for Lazarus House or sent to the parish office.

Lazarus House continues to conduct an aggressive search for a permanent location, please keep our efforts in your prayers.

For questions or additional information contact: Frank Stone, 609-729-7217 or cell 917-574-6662.

Thank you for your continued support.

#### Christ Child Society Fundraiser

The Christ Child Society of Cape May County will once again be selling the delicious Stock's pound cakes as a fundraiser. The cost is \$15 each and orders must be received and paid for no later than September 29, 2016. Please call Pat at 435-5654 or Cindy at 889-7730 to order or for more information. Cake pickup will be on October 11. All proceeds benefit children in need in our community.

#### **Bereavement sessions**

Are you in need of prayer and compassion regarding the loss of a loved one; or do you know a friend or someone in your neighborhood who might have this need? If so, please come to Notre Dame de la Mer Parish Conference Room for our bereavement sessions. These meetings are held each Wednesday through November 16<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 pm. One does not need to be a member of the parish in order to attend. All are welcome to come; pray; and share the stories of their loved ones. Please join us! For further information, please call Sister Ro at the parish offices: 609-522-2709 ext. 221. Thank you.

#### Diocese of Camden Marian Pilgrimage Schedule

To the Basilica of the National Shrine Of the Immaculate Conception Saturday, October 1, 2016

**9:30-11:00:** Arrive at the Basilica. Confession is available. Time to explore the Shrine, for private prayer and to visit the gift shops.

n:oo: Official Welcome. Concert of Sacred Music.

12 Noon: Time for lunch.

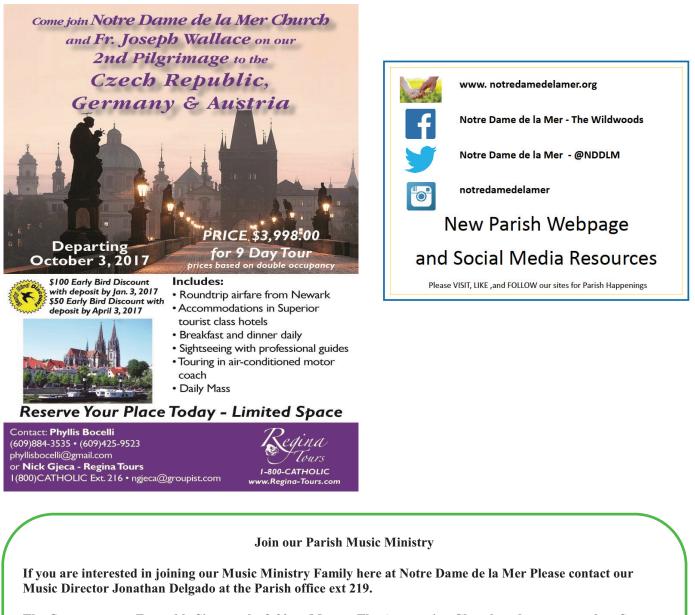
1:30: Procession of Parishes, with their banners, in the Great Upper Church. Multi-Lingual Rosary and Crowning of the image of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

**3:00**: Holy Mass with Bishop Dennis Sullivan.

Departure following Mass.

Notre Dame de la Mer Parish will sponsor a bus for the pilgrimage. The cost of the bus will be \$60.00 and will leave at 6:00 a.m. from the Wildwood Catholic High School parking lot near the Parish Offices. Please call Pat Manning 609-522-2709 x210 to reserve your seat.

## Community Events



The Contemporary Ensemble Sings at the 8:30am Mass at The Assumption Church and once a month at St. Ann's Church. All instrumentalists and vocalists are welcome. Our rehearsal are held on Wednesday evenings form 7:00-9:00pm in the Music Center located on the second floor of The Early Education Center.

The Adult Choir sings at the 10:30am Mass at St. Ann's Church and once a month at the Assumption Church. All are welcome and men are especially needed. We rehearse on Thursday evenings from 7:00-9:00pm in the Music Center located on the Second floor of The Early Education Center.

Our Children's Choir is open to any student in our Parish Family from grades 3-8. Rehearsals are held on Tuesday evenings in the CTC school music room from 6:45pm-7:45pm. Our first rehearsal will be held on September 27<sup>th</sup> and then every Tuesday evening during the school year. The Children's Choir sings once per month and for holidays and special occasions rotating between St. Ann's Church and Assumption Church. Parish 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 Vicars* Fr. Yvans Jazon.....x214 Fr. Cesar A. Rebolledo-Ramirez.x211

*Parish Administrator* Mr. Kevin Quinn.....x217

*Life-Long Faith Formation Director* Ms. AnnaMae Muryasz.....x218

### Pastoral Associate

Seniors' Ministries and Bereavement /Volunteers Sr. Rosaline Walters.....x221

#### Director of Music & Liturgy

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

#### Office Staff

## More Parish News

#### **Parish Activities**

**Mary, Refuge of Sinners Prayer Group** Wednesday 7:00 PM 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 September 27, 2016.

**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.



Gift Shop

The gift shop at Assumption Church is available before and after our Masses at that location or by calling Betty 609-675-5146.



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