Our Lady Star of the Sea

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Palm Sunday • April 2, 2023

Current Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4:00pm

Sunday: 8:30, 10:30am (Live Stream as well),

6:00pm

Daily Mass: Monday - Friday @ 11:00am

(Star of the Sea)

Confessions: Sat. 3:00-3:30pm

Tues. & Thurs. after 11:00am Mass

Eucharistic Adoration:

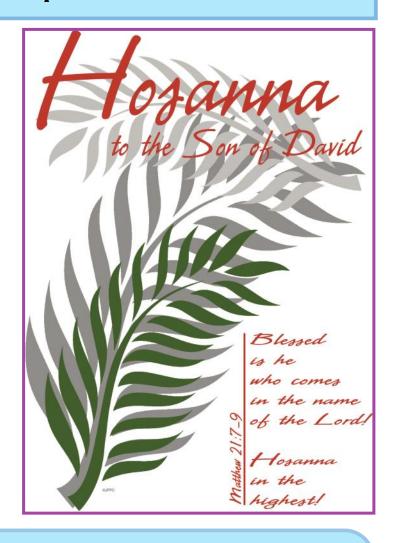
1st Friday of Each Month 9:00am - 11:00am

Ist Saturday of Each Month: Mass @ 9:00am

Church open for Private Prayer:

Mon.-Fri. 10:00am - 5:00pm

Parish Office Hours: Monday through Friday 9:00am - 12:00pm and 1:00pm - 4:00pm



Our Mission...

Swept by the waves of Christ's love and guided by the Holy Spirit, we welcome all to the Catholic community of Our Lady Star of the Sea in the heart of Cape May. We celebrate God's Presence in Word, Sacrament, and Service.

We seek to be a faith-filled community where you experience the loving embrace of God.

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LITURGY

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, April 1

9:00a Debbie Finnegan r/b The Hilsey's
4:00p Hank Moller r/b The McHugh Family
Michael Hayko r/b Pat Kelly
Bernard Vezina r/b Denise & Mike Duffy
Christopher Hildebrandt r/b His Family

SUNDAY, April 2

8:30a Dec'd Members of the Mahaney & Brand Families r/b The Mahaney Family

10:30a Rob Dougherty r/b The Kubiak Family Mary E. O'Neill r/b The Piro Family

Dec'd Members of the Collins Family r/b Angelo

Randazzo

Keith Van Buskirk r/b Roger & Dani Barnsby Matthew Hayes r/b Denise & Mike Doyle

6:00p Grace Beachem r/b Bill Keegan

MONDAY, April 3

11:00a Dec'd Sisters of St. Joseph r/b Sisters of Star of the Sea

TUESDAY, April 4

11:00a Timothy Mahon r/b Mary & Bill Moore

WEDNESDAY, April 5

11:00a Loretta Gizowski r/b Mr. & Mrs. Frank McCollum

THURSDAY, April 6

6:00p Mass for Priests
Eucharistic Adoration until 9:00PM

FRIDAY, April 7

3:00p Passion of Our Lord Services

This Week in our Parish

Saturday, April 1

Opening of the Annual Car Raffle Fundraiser

Monday, April 3, 9:15AM

Legion of Mary ~ De Sales Room, Parish Hall

Monday, April 3, 7:00PM

"That Man is You" ~ McGivney Room, Parish Hall

Thursday, April 6, 6:00PM

Holy Thursday Mass

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after Mass until 9:00PM

Friday, April 7, 3:00PM Good Friday, Passion of the Lord Service No Stations of the Cross this evening

Saturday, April 8, 8:00PM

Holy Saturday Mass

No 3:00PM Confessions or 4:00PM Mass

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Chrism Mass 2023

Bishop Sullivan invites the faithful of the Diocese to



join him and his priests for the Chrism Mass. The Chrism Mass is a celebration of the priest-hood and the occasion at which the Bishop consecrates the sacred oils used in the sacramental life of the Church. Your presence and prayerful support will be greatly appreciated.

When: Tuesday, April 4

Time: 3:30PM

Where: St. Agnes Church, Blackwood

SALESIAN REFLECTION

Palm Sunday (4/2/2023)

We have just heard Matthew go to great pains to show us that every event, every happening, every person involved in the passion and death of Jesus fulfills a passage from the Hebrew Scriptures.

The betrayal and abandonment of Jesus by his special friends, the innocent Jesus becoming the victim of religious and political conniving, the darkness of the skies and the dramatic ripping of the Temple veil - all are seen in light of the sacred scriptures of the Jewish people.

The proclamation of the centurion who has witnessed all these events is the surprised recognition from all the clues: "Clearly this was the Son of God."

With that recognition, Matthew turns our attention back to the fidelity of the women who have been following Jesus from Galilee. They alone remained to witness the fulfillment. All the others had scattered in fear.

We are among the faithful who attend Jesus and will follow him through His passion and death. St. Paul tells us what we must be doing as we journey. We are to learn to live with the attitude that Jesus had toward life and its varied events. Suffering and glory will be so intertwined as to be inseparable. Learning to accept whatever comes as coming from God's hand and doing it in obedience to the will of the God who is my Father, being willing to put aside any position so as to better love God and my neighbor - all of this is having the attitude of Christ.

May we all be open to learning more about life from Jesus this week.

Rev. Michael S. Murray, OSFS, Executive Director of the De Sales Spirituality Center

Our Lady Star of the Sea Lenten Enrichment

Lenten Activity of Cape May Combined Churches

Good Friday, April 7, 9:30AM Stations of the

Cross
~ on the Promenade
starting at Convention Hall



2023 Easter Schedule

Confessions: Tuesday, Thursday After 11:00AM Mass









Holy Thursday, April 6 ~ Mass: 6:00PM

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 9:00PM

Good Friday, April 7 ~ 3:00PM Celebration of the Lord's Passion

Holy Saturday, April 8 ~ 8:00PM Solemn Easter Vigil Mass

> Easter Sunday, April 9 Mass: 7:00, 8:00, 9:30, 11:00AM

St. Agnes Chapel, CM Point Mass: 8:30AM

Lenten & Holy Week Mass - Cemetery Visitation

We encourage our families to visit our cemeteries and mausoleums and pray for their dearly departed loved ones and all those who have gone before us. We invite you to celebrate Lent and Holy Week with us in our chapel mausoleums. Mass schedules can be found on our website at SouthJerseyCatholicCemeteries.org. All are welcome! Wishing you many blessings during this most Holy Season.

"Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who in his great mercy gave us a new birth to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead" 1 Peter 1:3





Young Adult Discernment Group

This is a group for men, (Young Adults (16 - 39) who are thinking about a vocation, to come together to pray with other young men from around our Diocese.

Where: Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish

135 N. White Horse Pike, Lindenwold

Time: 2:30 - 4:00 PM

When: May 7 ~ Topic: I Am the Bread of Life

Contact: Father Adam Cichoski, Director of Vocations

Adam.Cichoski@camdendiocese.org



Prayer for Priestly Vocations

Lord Jesus, we ask you to bless the Diocese of Camden with an increase in vocations to the priesthood. We pray that young men from our parishes and families will hear your call and be both generous and courageous in their response. May more young men serve you as priests who teach the faith, preach the Gospel, celebrate the sacraments and make you present among us through their ministry. Encourage them to embrace the joy-filled and fulfilling life of a diocesan priest. May parents support priestly vocations in their families by prayer and good example. We entrust these prayers through Mary Immaculate, our patroness, hopeful that you will bless our diocese with more priests in the near future, who lives and reigns forever and ever. Amen

"There is **NO EVIL** to be faced that Christ does not face with us. There is **NO ENEMY** that Christ has not already conquered. There is **NO CROSS** to bear that Christ has not already borne for us, and does not now bear with us." ~ Pope John Paul II



Spring Retreats -Marianist Retreat Center Cape May Point

Widows Retreat

When: April 28 - 30

Cost: \$150.

Contact: https://www.capemaymarianists.org or

609-884-3829

We will look at our own individual stories for courage and wisdom. We hope to discover how in the sharing of our stories we continue to find strength and hope.

There will be time for sharing in small groups, Eucharist and other appropriate liturgies.

Mother and (Adult) Daughter Retreat

When: May 12 - 14

Cost: \$150.

Contact: https://www.capemaymarianists.org or

609-884-3829

Knowing that your relationship is special, and the need to nurture it throughout the years, this is a wonderful opportunity to walk upon common ground while celebrating your differences.

Eucharist, small group sharing, prayer experiences, socials and fun are included.



Fasting

Abstinence

Ash Wednesday
Good Friday

Every Friday during Lent

Ages 18-59

Ages 14-

How do we fast?

When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal.

Am I excused from fasting and abstinence?

Those that are excused from fast and abstinence outside the age limits include the physically or mentally ill including individuals suffering from chronic illnesses such as diabetes. Also excluded are pregnant or nursing women.

For more information on fasting and abstinence, visit usccb.org.





Are you looking for a way to deepen your relationship with God?

Are you looking to share this desire with others?

God may be inviting you to become an SSJ Associate!



Associates in Mission are persons who feel called to embrace with enthusiasm the mission of the Sisters of Saint Joseph - "We live and work that all people may be united with God and with one another." Associates experience living the mission in ways as varied as the ordinary circumstances of the lives they live.

Our local Associate group meets monthly at Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish for communal prayer and reflection focused on the SSJ spirituality and mission. You may wish to explore becoming an Associate in Mission if...

- ★ You are seeking to engage in a deeper, more intentional spiritual practice with others on the faith journey
- ★ You are looking for a faith community with which to pray, minister and celebrate God's presence in life
- ★ You realize that life has a deeper meaning when lived in the context of reflection, shared experiences, and spirituality

Visit the website: ssjphila.org/join-us/become-anassociate/ or call Sister Maria 609-884-5312 x109.

This could be your Year to Win!

Our Lady Star of the Sea

Mercedes-Benz Car Raffle Fundraiser



We are excited for another great year of finding a winner for our 2023 Mercedes-Benz GLZ250!

Tickets are on sale and can be purchased at the Raffle Booth in front of the church starting on weekends throughout April or by contacting the office at 609-884-5312 x 110

Tickets are: \$3.00 each 2 for \$5.00 or 10 for \$20.00

Drawing is October 29, 2023 DON'T MISS OUT!

Thank you in advance for your support to OLSOS. Proceeds benefit Catholic Education, Church Restoration and Operating Expenses.

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.

For more information:

Contact: Stephanie Ware at 609-846-7006 or capemay1950@hotmail.com

"Nothing is too much to do for a child"



Our House of Charity Campaign

Your pledge will ensure the vitality of essential Diocesan ministries and programs that sustain the redemptive presence of Jesus Christ through the Diocese.

Our 2022 - 2023 Goal: \$121,000.00 Collected to Date: \$96,801.50 Percentage of Goal: 80%





The next weekly session of "That Man is You" (TMIY) on Monday, April 3 theme is "The Pathway to Paradise". Mark Hartfiel discusses receive Mary into your home and heart as your Heavenly Mother. Respond to Our Lady's call to pray the Rosary. The meeting begins at 7:00 PM in the Parish Hall, Father McGivney Room . All men of the Parish are welcome.

Please contact
Earle Hughes 609-609-351-2780
for further information.



We are the **Survivors & Thrivers**, a community of women who have experienced or are experiencing any kind of cancer. We meet the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month from 4:00 - 5:30PM in the De Sales Room of the Parish Hall.

Next meeting: April 20, 2023

Contact: Christina bluepaw74@yahoo.com,

or 610-908-2405

Weekly Contributions ~ March 18 - 19, 2023

Ordinary Income Ordinary Expenses 2nd Collection \$10,717.00 \$5,473.00 \$2,604.00 Catholic Relief

The **PARISH GIVING Program** enables you to have your Sunday Offering automatically debited from your credit card. **Make your life easier and check it out on the parish website.**



Prayer and Praise Welcome to our Prayer Group

When: 4th Thursday of every month

@ 3:30PM

Where: De Sales Room in the Parish Hall

Contact for additional information:

Donna - dwicker.olsos@gmail.com call 609-898-4431



Lectors

Saturday - April 15 4:00p A. Martino Sunday - April 16 8:30a R. Crouthamel 10:30a J. Scutti 6:00p B. Hodgdon

Extraordinary Ministers

Saturday - April 15

4:00p 1. J. Preis 2. M. McCormick 3. P. Motz

4. F. Greenfield

Sunday - April 16

8:30a 1. E. Krause 2. C. Crouthamel

3. V. DiRenzo-Adams 4. L. Saggiomo

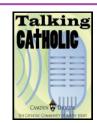
10:30a 1. B. Sharp 2. J. McFadden 3. R. Genzel

4. E. Cubbage

6:00p 1. K. Brown 2. B. Cummings 3. M. Stewart

4. J. McCaney

Each week the *Talking Catholic* hosts interview Catholic leaders about what brought them to where they are now and how they are bringing the faith to their communities.



Check it out at:

talking.catholicstarherald.org

THANKS FOR BEING HERE

If you would like to become an ACTIVE member of Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish (either Full Time or Seasonal) we invite you to complete the Parish Registration form below and place the completed form in the Offertory basket or send to the Parish Office. Someone from the Parish Office will then contact you.

★ Our Lady Star of the Sea ★ Parish Registration Form

Last Name
Full Name and relationship of all resident family
members you wish to register at OLSS:
E-Mail Address:
Mailing Address in Cape May Area*:
Permanent Address (if different):
Preferred Telephone #:
Are you a: Full-time resident
Seasonal resident
*PLEASE <i>do not</i> use a rental property address.
Place completed form in the Offertory Basket or send



to Parish Office.

Cremation and Proper Handling of Cremated Remains Your Choices Don't Stop with Cremation

While you may have chosen to be cremated, remember to choose your final resting place. Although the Church earnestly recommends the pious custom of burying the bodies of the dead be observed, it does not however, forbid cremation unless it has been chosen for reasons which are contrary to Christian teaching. Cremated remains are the body of the deceased in a changed form. We should honor them as we honor the body. They must be reverently buried or entombed in a place reserved for the burial of the dead.

Visit <u>SouthJerseyCatholicCemeteries.org</u> to learn more or call us at 855-MyPrePlan (855-697-7375)..

SCHOOL NEWS



South Jersey's first and only PreK-Grade 12 Catholic Academy

Enrolling K-12 Now for the 2023-2024 School Year!



Wildwood Catholic Academy is a premier college preparatory academy based on gospel values and the promotion of academic excellence

SCHEDULE A VISIT OR APPLY ONLINE TODAY! Call 609-522-6243 or email I.mcbride@wildwoodcatholicacademy.org

1500 Central Avenue, North Wildwood, NJ Call or contact us at 609-.522-7257 wildwoodcatholicacademy.org

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISMS

...are celebrated one Sunday each month, except during the Lenten Season. In order to schedule a date for your child's Baptism: parents should be parish members, they must attend a Baptismal Preparation Session, and all necessary documentation for godparents must be submitted. To begin the process for your child's Baptism please contact the parish office.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 3:00 - 3:30 PM Tuesday and Thursday after the 11:00 AM Mass

VISITATION OF THE SICK

Please call the Parish Office if a parishioner is seriously ill or infirm and would like to receive the Sacrament of the Sick and/or Holy Eucharist.

MARRIAGES

We welcome parishioners and the children of parishioners to be married at our Lady Star of the Sea.

Please visit the Parish website,

www.ladystarofthesea.org, click on the *Marriage tab* for more information

One does not register in a parish community for the sole purpose of getting married, but to be a full, active participating member of the faith community.

Parish Ministries

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY We offer bereavement support groups twice a year in the Spring and Fall. Dates and times are announced and printed in the parish bulletin. Call Suzanne Jenkins any time if you have questions or if you would like to participate in one of the groups 609-675-8630.

GOOD SAMARITAN If you are interested in becoming a volunteer please contact Janet Kerney @ 267-342-2756. Parish volunteers are available to help others in a variety of ways: rides to Sunday Mass, doctor's appointments, shopping/banking, errands. Also visits: hospitals, nursing homes, your home, brief respite care. Let us know your need and we will try to provide for you. All requests must go through the Captain of the week. Please do not call our volunteers directly. To use our services you must be fully vaccinated. We are unable to transport wheelchairs. This week's captain is Justine Preis. Her number is 410-241-0481.

Promotes a spirit of fellowship among adults 50 years and older. During our gatherings, we enjoy lunch and varied programs. (Bring your own brown bag lunch. Desserts and beverages are provided). The group welcomes everyone age 50 and over, regardless of faith or parish affiliation. The group meets in Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish Hall on the last Wednesday of the month from 12:00 - 2:00PM from September through May. JUST FRIENDS looks forward to welcoming you at our next meeting! Join Us! No membership necessary. Please notice the time change. For more information call Carol at 609-224-9662 or Martine Simonis 609-884-5312 x 102.

The KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, St. Mary's Council #6202 meets on the second Thursday of each month in the McGivney Room of the Parish Hall. Membership is open to Roman Catholic men, 18 years of age and older, who are committed to making their community a better place, while supporting Our Lady Star of the Sea Church. For more information or to request a membership application, please contact Rick Greenfield, Outreach Coordinator, at rickgreenfield@comcast.net or 609-408-3323.

CATHOLIC RADIO STATION WSMJ 91.9FM has been added to the family of catholic radio stations broadcast by Domestic Church Media (DCM). For a complete schedule of programming visit www.domesticchurchmedia.com. WSMJ 91.9 remains a true Catholic affiliate of EWTN.

SURVIVORS & THRIVERS is a community whose

mission it is to support women who have experienced or are experiencing any kind of cancer. We meet on the first and



third Thursdays of every month from 4:00 - 5:30 PM in the Parish Hall, and we welcome all women regardless of faith or parish affiliation. For more information or to join the group, call Christina at 610-908-2405 or email her at bluepaw74@yahoo.com.

THE LEGION OF MARY meets Mondays at 9:15AM in the DeSales Room in the Parish Hall. All are welcome to join in the service of Mary. For information please call Liz McPherson, President 609-841-6629.

Hospitality Committee We live out our Parish mission statement to "welcome all" ..and be for those whom we meet as "the loving embrace of God." Our group offers refreshment, along with a welcoming atmosphere to all who come to our parish activities. Contact: Donna Wicker 609-408-6646.

Do You Know Someone Who Might Be Interested in Becoming Catholic? Please encourage them to contact Sister Maria (609)884-5312 x109 as soon as possible. We would love to have the chance to tell him/her about the wonderful process for spiritual growth called the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. In this process, adults (with other adults) learn about all the Church teaches regarding Jesus, the Bible, the Sacraments, Spirituality, and Discipleship.

Parish Pastoral Council The primary focus of the council is to oversee the Parish Pastoral Plan and to evaluate and recommend new goals each year. The following parishioners are members of the Parish Pastoral Council: Father Dave Devlin, OSFS, Joe Bogle (Chair), Donna Wicker (Vice Chair), Patrick Holden, Janet Kerney, Jeanne McFadden, Michael McGovern, Jim McHugh, Danielle Rechner, Susan Tarrant, and Richard Turco.

Parish Finance Council: Joe Bogle, John Tice, George Catanese, Kathy Parker, Ray Roberts, Kevin O'Neil

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES held **Sundays 9:15AM - 11:30** which includes going to the 10:30 Mass. Contact Sister Maria at 609-884-5312 ext. 109 for more information.

Planning your Estate ~ Have you ever considered leaving part of your estate to the Church? There are several options available that you might find attractive from an income, tax savings, retirement, or inheritance point of view. To learn more about how these programs might work for you and your family, please contact Marie Turco (609)884-5312, ext. 101 for more info.

Pre-Planning: A Sharing of Faith ~ While we focus on living healthy, long lives, the inevitable can't be ignored. We are all destined to cross over to the eternal life that God has planned for us. By preplanning your Catholic burial you are sharing your faith with those left behind. Many benefits come with pre-planning: your wishes are known, peace of mind, elimination of stress, & payment plans. Visit SouthJerseyCatholicCemeteries.org or call 855-MyPrePlan (855-697-7375).

Readings for the Week

Monday: Is 42:1-7; Ps 27:1-2, 3, 13-14; Jn 12:1-11

Tuesday: Is 49:1-6; Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab, 15, 17; Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday: Is 50:4-9a; Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31, 33-34; Mt 26:14-25

Thursday: Chrism Mass: Is 61:1-3ab, 6a, 8b-9; Ps 89:21-22, 25, 27; Rv 1:5-8; Lk 4:16-21

Lord's Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14; Ps 116:12-13, 15-16bc, 17-18; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Jn 13:1-15

Friday: Is 52:13 — 53:12; Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-16, 17, 25: Heb 4:14-16: 5:7-9: Jn 18:1 — 19:42

Saturday: a) Gn 1:1 — 2:2 or Gn 1:1, 26-31a; Ps 104: 1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35; or Ps 33:4-5, 6-7, 12-13, 20, 22;

> b) Gn 22:1-18 or Gn 1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18; Ps 16: 5, 8, 9-10, 11;

c) Ex 14:15 — 15:1; Ex 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18;

d) Is 54:5-14; Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13;

e) Is 55:1-11; Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6;

f) Bar 3:9-15, 32 — 4:4; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11;

g) Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28; Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3-4 or Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 or Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19;

h) Rom 6:3-11; i) Mt 28:1-10

Divine Mercy Sunday Celebration

When: April 16, 2023

Where: St. Brendan the Navigator Parish Maris Stella Church, Avalon

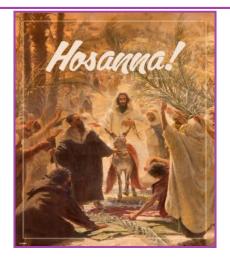
Confessions: 1:15 - 2:30 **Divine Mercy Chaplet:**

2:30 - 2:55PM

Mass: 3:00PM

"Mankind will not have peace until it turns to the Fount of My Mercy."







Annual Appreciation Dinner for Volunteers and Staff Friday, May 5 @6:00PM

Invitations have been mailed. Kindly respond as soon as possible.

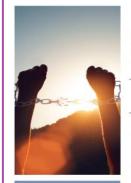




Franciscan Sisters of the Renewal

Unbound Conference

Healing & Deliverance - Five Keys to Freedom in Christ



Especially helpful for situations in need of greater freedom such as

- Marital/family discord
 Negative / distorted
 Negative / distorted
- · Habitual sin · Inability to forgive
- Relationship struggles
 Fear, anger, sadness,
 - · Stalled Spiritual Life

FR. GIUSEPPE MARIA SINISCALCHI, CFR

Conference Facilitator

St. Michael Catholic Church 10 N Mississippi Ave Atlantic City, NJ 08401

(Saturday April 15, 2023 Conference: 9:30am to 4:15pm Mass: 5:00pm Vigil of Divine Mercy Sunday

Confession will be available. Please bring your own lunch. Space is limited, pre-registration is requ To register or for more information, use QR Code or go to: Unboundnewburgh.eventbrite.com Free will donations will be accepted.



Scan code to

Prayer to St. Michael

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou. O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God. cast into hell Satan

and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.





Father of goodness and love; hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need.

Baby Harper, Barbara Conner, Michael DeAngelis, Katelyn Dessner & Babies, Mary Pilla, Jacob & Jaxson Rivera, Roseann Rosenstock, Mary Rothwein, Barbara Sharp, Rose Walsh



K of C SOCIAL DINNER ~ St. Mary's Council 6202,

Learn about the beauty in the darkness

with Cape May Astro, KEVIN BEARE

All councils welcome, Knights with spouse or guest & Knights' widows. Knights may invite male Catholic guests with spouse.

Our Lady Star of the Sea

When: Tuesday, April 4

Place: Alfe's Italian Seafood Restaurant,

Wildwood

Time: 6 PM Cocktails (cash bar) followed by dinner. Entrees: Shrimp Scampi, Linguine and Clams Red. Veal Parmidiani, and Stuffed Shells

Cost: \$25 per Person for 4 Course Dinner includes

Gratuity. Pay at the table, cash only.

RESERVATIONS are REQUIRED.

Contact: Rick Greenfield at 609-408-3323 or

rickgreenfield@comcast.net



"Christ underwent His Eucharistic passion and death freely, because of the sins of men

and out of infinite love, in order that all may reach salvation. It is, therefore, the burden of the Church's preaching to proclaim the Cross of Christ as the sign of God's all-embracing love and as the fountain from which every grace flows," ~ Vatican Council II

Attention Elementary & High School Students:

Elizabeth B. Hall Scholarship

Elizabeth B. Hall College Scholarship

Our Lady Star of the Sea Church will award an annual \$2000 Elizabeth B. Hall college scholarship to a high school student who falls under the following criteria:

- 1. Is a registered member of Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish.
- 2. Is active in Parish ministries
- 3. Will be graduating from Wildwood Catholic, Lower Cape May Regional, Cape May Technical, Cape Christian Academy, other private schools or home schooled.
- 4. Completes the scholarship application showing financial need and academic achievement.
- 5. Has been accepted at an accredited college or university.

Applications are available in the Parish Office and must be submitted by April 15.

Our Lady Star of the Sea High School Scholarship

Our Lady Star of the Sea Church will award an annual \$2000 Our Lady Star of the Sea high school scholarship to a student who falls under the following criteria:

- 1. Is a registered member of Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish.
- 2. Is active in Parish ministries
- 3. Will be attending Wildwood Catholic High School
- 4. Completes the scholarship application showing financial need and academic achievement Applications are available in the Parish Office and must be submitted by April 15.

OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES

Our Lady Star of Sea Needs Your Help

Booth Volunteers needed for the 2023 Mercedes-Benz Car Raffle

Join OLSOS volunteer team for our biggest fundraiser of the year. You can be a part of

making it a success. This is a fun, easy way to meet other people in our community by ministering to the church.



The booth is opened April through October and shifts are 2 hours a week.

> If you would like to become part of our team, please call Martine Simonis 609-884-5312 x110

Volunteers have a chance to win \$200.00.