

HIS WORD TODAY

by Rev. William J. Reilly

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) June 11, 2023

“Then taking the five loaves and two fish, and looking up to heaven, he said the blessing over them, he broke them, and gave them to the disciples to set before the crowd. They all ate and were satisfied. And when the leftover fragments were picked up they filled twelve wicker baskets.”

How would I have felt if I was in the crowd, listening and learning, and hungry? I sat down and observed Him taking and breaking, praying and blessing, and then giving to the disciples and they to the crowd. I reach out and gratefully accept this gift.

Take a minute and apply that scene to your presence at Holy Mass today. We are taught in the word and then watch, pray and listen as Jesus becomes truly present in the bread and wine – ‘MY BODY... MY BLOOD.’ NOT A SYMBOL BUT A REAL PRESENCE. Our faith focuses on His coming to me in the sacrament. When I leave liturgy, I too leave satisfied.

May I express my faith in His presence and reverently receive and consume the most important moment for Catholics.



CHURCH OF ST. DENIS

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MASS SCHEDULE:

Weekday Masses: 7:30 AM (Mon.-Tues.-Wed.-Fri.) – St. Denis Church
Saturday: 8:30 AM – St. Denis Church
Saturday Evening: 4:30 PM (fulfills Sunday obligation) - St. Denis Church
Sunday: 8:00 AM & 9:30 AM - St. Denis Church
Mass is shown on the Parish Facebook Page each weekend.
Sunday: 10:00 AM - Our Lady Star of the Sea Chapel
Holy Days: See bulletin or website for schedule

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Saturdays, 3:30-4:15 pm & by appointment.

MIRACULOUS MEDAL DEVOTIONS: Tuesday morning after the 7:30 AM Mass-St. Denis Church

BAPTISM: The sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on Saturday and Sunday afternoons. Parents must complete the required preparation with the Pastoral Associate and obtain godparent eligibility letters before a date for Baptism will be given. Please call the rectory for further details.

MARRIAGE: Please contact the rectory office for more information about weddings. All couples contemplating marriage are asked to give the priests one year prior notice in order that all the requirements for marriage can be satisfied. Do not reserve the reception hall before contacting the church; your requested date may not be available.

CARE OF THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND: We will gladly bring Holy Communion to anyone who is ill or otherwise unable to get to Mass. Please call the rectory to make arrangements. The priests and deacon make regular visits to the local hospitals. Please call the rectory if any loved one is hospitalized.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN BURIAL: At such times of deep pain and loss, we seek to offer our bereaved families comfort and hope as they commend their loved ones to God. Please note that, in accordance with Church regulations, eulogies are not permitted during Funeral Masses.

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS: Monday-Thursday 8:30 AM-12:00 noon & 1:00 PM- 4:30 PM, Friday 8:30 AM- 12:00 noon only. There are no office hours on Saturday & Sunday. Evenings are by appointment only.

NEW PARISHIONERS: Welcome! We encourage new families moving into the area to stop in or call the rectory to arrange for registration.

CELIAC SPRUE PARISHIONERS – Saint Denis provides a low gluten (<0.01% gluten content) host. Parishioners who are gluten-intolerant should see a deacon or priest prior to the start of Mass in order to be included in the reception of the Eucharist.

VISIT US ON FACEBOOK- Saint Denis Parish Facebook page: www.facebook.com/churchofstdenis. You don't need to have a Facebook account to read parish news and updates, but would need one to leave comments and feedback.

THIS WEEK'S
MASS
INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 10, 2023

8:30 am The Avena & Barone Families by the Family
8:30 am Honorable N. Peter Conforti
by Nancy & Bob Morgenstern
8:30 am Pauline Convey by Megan, Ray, Lou & Rose
4:30 pm For the People of the Parish

Sunday, June 11, 2023

8:00 am Peter Zocchi by his Mom & Dad
8:00 am Courtney Nerenberg by Maureen Johnson
8:00 am Jerolim Crvic by Gordon Justin
9:30 am Jack Kolon by his Mother, Kay Kolon
9:30 am Jack Kobes by his Wife, Carol
9:30 am Bill Truex by Bob & Barbara Gilbert
10:00 am Rita Durham by a Friend
10:00 am Patricia Dombal by a Friend
10:00 am Nancy Bernhardt by a Friend

Monday, June 12, 2023

7:30 am Ken O'Donnell by his Family
7:30 am John Noone by Mary Rottino
7:30 am Catherine Shaloo by Kroupa

Tuesday, June 13, 2023

7:30 am Frank Kuchinski by John & Donna
7:30 am Diane Geppetti by Maureen Flumerfelt
7:30 am Jimmy Racioppi by the McNamara Polak Family

Wednesday, June 14, 2023

7:30 am Deceased of the McGlynn Family
by the Gowen Family
7:30 am Owen Brown by the Rice Family
7:30 am Joan Harriman by the Rice Family

Thursday, June 15, 2023

No Mass

Friday, June 16, 2023

7:30 am Eileen Dunne by Virginia Dunne
7:30 am Dennis Moynihan by his Family
7:30 am Elmer Schmieder by the Rice Family

Saturday, June 17, 2023

8:30 am Lois Avon by her Son
8:30 am Randy Farmer by Mary Farmer
8:30 am Jean Humphreys Iarussi & Joseph Iarussi
by the Family
4:30 pm For the People of the Parish

Sunday, June 18, 2023

8:00 am Father's Day Intentions
9:30 am Father's Day Intentions
10:00 am Father's Day Intentions

SAINT DENIS PRAYER GROUP-The Prayer Group meets at 12:00 noon each Monday in St. Denis Church. There are no meetings on holidays. All are welcome.

LOW-GLUTEN HOSTS – Those in need of these specially approved Communion hosts at Mass are invited to receive from the priest. Look for the small cup attached to the priest's ciborium, in order to receive the sacramental Body of Christ with a low-gluten host.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE DECEASED especially Sara O'Leary Gentile, Frank Culley, Susan Tighe and Anne Williams.



MASS INTENTIONS for the weekend, as well as the coming week, can be found on our parish website on Friday mornings www.churchofstdenis.org



especially Doris Abruzzo, Maiya Andrews, Velma Andrews, Peggy Andrich, Vincent Azzollini, Baby Lucy, Bobbie Banks-Grove, Edith Bean, Belle & Ashton, Bernadette Bevan, Stanley Bevan, Joseph Bick, Lois Borton, Holly Boyd, Cathleen Brenner, Borgias Family, Lois Brookes, Karen Brown, Eileen Byrne, Stephen Byrne, Barbara Cabrera, Campbell Family, Sean Campbell, Mary Carstens-Lockenmeyer, Amanda Castro, Andrew Chermack, Albert J. Cifelli, Mark Clarkin, Elizabeth Clos, Christine Coburn, Mary Collins, Mary Conlon, Jimmy Conrey, Rick Constrisciano, Thomas P. Coyle, Linda Custode, Mary Damico, Duane Danish, Lauren Davis, Rose DeMarco, Constance & Hugh Doherty, Frank Dugan, Lisa Dunfee, Thomas Evans, Thomas Fahey, Gail Fallon, Chris Faraca, Joseph Fiamingo, Christine Fields, Steve Ford, Nannette Forkan, Denise Frank, Norma Friel, Mary Anne Gearing, Katherine Geiger, Nicole Giambone, Sharon Goettle, Johnny Gondek, Baby Kelly Grace, Phillip Graceffa, Julianna Grusso, Angeline Hart, Irene Hayes, Jeanne Hayes, Teresa Hayes, Thomas Hayes Jr, Beverly Heinz, Sandy Heitner, Katie Holbrook, Jimi Hood, Lori Hurd, Baby Cayden Joseph, Gordon Justin, Eugene Karpinski, Jim Kazenmayer, Haley Keating, Marian Keefe, Catherine Kelleher, Robert Kelleher, Regina Kiesche, Bill Koch, Tanner Koch, Bridget Korn, Christopher Kurtanick, William Liao, Barbara Liggett, Elizabeth Ann Linden, Joan Lipscomb, Nick Ljuljana, Frank Lopez, Linda Lowery, Barbara Magda, Ed McCullough, Michael McGonigle, Helen McGowan, Michael McNulty, Claire Meachum, Frank Meidenbauer, Nair Messias, Ronnie Micciulla, Marylee Monsell, Mary Moran, Elizabeth Morgan, Margaret Mullin, Nancy Murphy, Pauline Naturile, Nesbitt Family, Jack Noble, Jennifer Noble, Neil O'Callaghan, Catherine O'Connor, Sue O'Connor, Gerald O'Keefe, Diane Padluck, Wes Pal, Dolores Palmisano, Joanne Panzarella, Joseph Pastore, Charlotte Pentek, Tony Picinich, Mike Pierce, Lisa Pirrello, Marty Pirrong, Samara Pirrong, Timothy Michal Przywara, Vera Raffetto, Windell Rainey, Leanna Rawson, Al Ricciardi, Marybeth Richards, Joel Rivera, Taryn Rotondi, Christina Roundtree, Christian Russo, Donna Schwear, Slotnick Family, Rob & Katie Spawn, Susan Suagee, Norma Summers, Sadie Svenson, Marie Tashjian, Cindy Tomkins, Jim Trischitta, Paul Tuyp, Phyllis Van Salders, Riley Veazey, Dee Vulgaris, Siobhan Vuono, Stephen Whyte, Kathy Wicks, Karen Williams, Marilyn Woerner, Patricia Wolfe, Albert Wood, Butch Wright, Linda Wynd, and Werner Ziesmer.



Ladies,

Curious about Walking with Purpose?

Walking with Purpose (WWP) is a women's study that dives into the Catholic faith in a way that is not intimidating or overwhelming.

WWP will reveal your Catholic faith in a new way—giving you the answers and tools you need to live in a world of uncertainty.

At WWP we learn how to face life's uncertainties and "walk" through life with peace, joy, and purpose.

JOIN US FOR A

WWP SUMMER SAMPLE.

Join us for some or all gatherings: July 11, 18, & 25

**7pm, St. Denis Parish Center
(School Building Cafeteria)**

Lessons provided. No cost, simply *Open Your Heart.*

Email your name to Allison at

allisonpenkethman@gmail.com to sign up.

(Full WWP Study starts in Oct--

go to www.wwpnjshore.com for more info.)

ST. DENIS MEN'S GROUP is a faith study group for Catholic men at the Jersey Shore, coordinated from St. Denis Parish. The group meets the 2nd & 4th Tuesdays of the month in the Parish Center, from 6-7 pm. For more information contact the St. Denis rectory at 732-223-0287.

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND & BEYOND— Fr. Todd Carter, Pastor of Holy Innocents Church in Neptune will be the trip Spiritual Advisor for a 10-day round trip to the Holy Land, November 10-19, 2023. Air and land prices start at \$3,890 (per person, per double occupancy), single room (limited in number), \$600 supplement. Reserve your spot with a \$500 deposit ASAP. Final payment must be made by 9/1/23. For more information call the St. Denis Rectory Office at 732-223-0287.

MOVING? Please inform the rectory office if you are moving out of the area or if you have a change of address, so the envelope company can be notified. Thank you!



our military, especially Navy Lt. Rachael M. Honrath, Navy LS3 Nora N. Honrath, Army Major Matthew Cauda, Navy LL. Edward P. Windas, USMC Lance Corporal Laura Licata, Contractor Benjamin Ostrow, Air Force Major David Smith, Army Major Sean Fessenden, Army Lt. Nikkole Crosson, Navy Captain Colin S. Walsh, Army Captain Dr. Justin Eisenman, Army Lt. Brian Quinn, Navy E4 Patrick Moynihan, Air Force 1st Lt. Dominic Celiano, Air Force Academy Cadet 2nd Class Slade Kelling, Coast Guard Petty Officer Joseph Beattie, Navy CM Taylor Nesbitt, Airman Devon Webster, Army Private 1st Class Cody Svenson, Lt. Jg. Mary T. Herman, Matthew Van Pelt, Army, USMC Capt. Philip Cahill, Navy ENS Michael Zimmerman, Air Force 2nd Lt. Jason Trischitta, US Army 2nd Lt. Allison M. Ingraham, PFC Joseph J. Foley, Jr. USMC, Airman Andrew Halmi, Sgt. Jordan Basile USMC, PFC Neil Horenburg USMC, US Army Airborne Private Zachary Hoyle, Army 2nd Lieutenant Brendan Ertle, USMC Corporal Patrick Bednarski, USMC 1st Lt. Diego Heinzerling, and USMC Private Robert E. Mullin IV.



FATHER'S DAY SPIRITUAL BOUQUETS-

Sunday, June 18th is Father's Day. On Father's Day and continuing for the next two days, we will have special Mass intentions for our fathers, both living and deceased. This weekend in the church and chapel, you will find intention envelopes and Father's Day cards. The cards are provided for fathers that are living. If you do not need a card, please just take an intention envelope. We ask you to fill out the intention envelope (you may put more than one name on the envelope) and return it to the rectory no later than Friday, June 16th. These envelopes will then be placed on the altar and the intentions will be remembered at our Masses.

BABIES IN NEED!! LET'S HELP!- *Love Lifts Us Up* is a faith based organization that focuses on supporting families of babies and children who are patients at Jersey Shore University Medical Center. Services include providing baby items (formula, diapers, wipes, car seats, etc) to those who are in need, as well as providing gift cards for groceries and rides to and from doctor visits. This is temporary assistance until patients and families can secure more long-term services. We will be having a diaper and wipe collection at all Masses on the weekends of June 17/18 and 24/25 to support this initiative. Donations may be left in the gathering space at the entrances of the church and the chapel. Thank you for your support! It is great timing to collect for the babies in need as we celebrate the Birth of John the Baptist on 24 June.

BLESSED ST. GERARD MEDALS AND PRAYER CARDS AVAILABLE-Do you know someone who is expecting a child, hoping to conceive, or thinking about adoption? Blessed St. Gerard medals and prayer cards are available for anyone who wishes to take them for themselves or to give to family and friends. To receive one, please stop by the rectory office during normal business hours.

BISHOP'S ANNIVERSARY BLESSING 2023-All couples celebrating their 1st, 25th or 50+ wedding anniversary during 2023 calendar year are invited to share the Eucharist, reaffirm your sacred wedding vows, and receive Bishop O'Connell's Episcopal Blessing. Anniversary couples from Ocean and Monmouth Counties may attend the Mass and reception at the Co-Cathedral of St. Robert Bellarmine in Freehold on Sunday, October 8, 2023 at 3 pm. For more information and to register for this event online visit us at www.dioceseoftrenton.org/bishops-anniversary-blessing, or call your local parish office. The registration deadline for all anniversary couples is September 15, 2023.

ONLINE GIVING- To help support our parish more easily we offer online giving! For information or to sign up, go to our parish Website www.churchofstdenis.org and click on "Online Giving".



June 4, 2023

Weekly Collection-

\$12,934.50

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY !



“THE CHOSEN” DISCUSSION- We will continue our discussion on Season Three of “The Chosen” on the following Wednesdays: June 14 and 21. We will meet at 11 am in the Holy Trinity Lutheran Church meeting room and we will also meet at 7 pm in the St. Denis cafeteria. So,

choose the time that is best for you and watch the episode before you attend a discussion of the show and its impact on us.

REGISTRATION FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM 2023-24-

All new students entering the 1st grade this Fall and all returning students must complete a new registration form each year in order to keep our records up to date. New students must provide a Baptismal certificate. All transfer students from other religious education programs should also include a copy of the Baptismal certificate, proof of any sacraments received, if not at St. Denis, and a letter or progress report showing what level has been completed to date. Download the form from the St. Denis Church website <http://www.churchofstdenis.org/> under the Religious Ed tab. If you require any further information regarding the Religious Education program, please do not hesitate to contact the Religious Ed office at (732) 223-1161 or email: office@stdenisccd.com We thank you for your interest in choosing to further your child’s Faith Formation at St. Denis Parish.

GARDEN NEWS- WE NEED YOU! We are looking for someone to manage email communication. We have an updated email list and just need someone to coordinate getting the word out to the members with an update or two each week. We are also looking for people to join the garden group for this year’s growing season. Contact the Rectory Office if you can help with either or both.

CURSILLO is all about building long-term Christ-centered relationships with God and others through prayer and a focus on authentic Christian living. For information contact trentoncur-sillo@gmail.com or 609-396-8447 x14.

LASAGNA LOVE- What started as a mother and daughter feeding families in their community has grown into a national movement with over 5,000 volunteers across the country, all making and delivering home-cooked meals. The mission is not only to help address the incredible rise in food insecurity among families, but also to provide a simple act of love and kindness during a time full of uncertainty and stress. To request a free lasagna delivery: 1. Visit lasagnalove.org 2. Get matched to a local lasagna mama or papa 3. Coordinate a delivery day & time 4. Get a safe contactless delivery 5. Sign up again the next month.



**St. Vincent De Paul Society’s Food Pantry
at St. Denis Church Phone: 732-223-1383**

Location: Msgr. O’Connor Hall
(lower level of church)

There is curbside pick-up of
prepackaged food with social distancing.
Questions or special food needs?

Please call our hotline number at 732-223-1383

Pantry hours: Tuesdays: 1PM–3PM

This week’s needed items:

Tea, cooking oil, crackers, & mustard.

Donations can be dropped off at the shopping cart in the gathering space of the church. For monetary donations please make checks payable to: SVDP/St. Denis Conference. On the memo line please write: “Food Pantry”. Thank you!

THE 2024 MASS BOOK AND SANCTUARY LAMP

CALENDAR will open Tuesday, June 13, 2023 at 9:00 am. Intentions will be taken at the rectory office. Please be aware that there is a limit of 4 Masses and 4 Sanctuary Lamps per person. There are still 2023 Masses (daily & Saturday morning) and Sanctuary Lamps available.



**THE SOCIETY OF
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**



Vincent de Paul was canonized by Pope Clement XII in 1737, but Pope Leo XIII honored him as patron saint of all charitable societies in 1885. It was the deathbed confession of a dying servant which opened Vincent’s eyes to the crying spiritual needs of the peasantry of France. This was a crucial moment in the life of a man from a small farm in France, who originally became a priest with little more purpose than to have a comfortable life. The Countess de Gondi-whose servant he had helped-persuaded her husband to endow and support a group of missionaries who would work among the poor tenant farmers and country folk. After working for some time in Paris among imprisoned galley slaves, Vincent returned to be the leader of that group-now known as the Congregation of the Mission, or the Vincentians. These priests, with vows of poverty, chastity, obedience and stability, were to devote themselves entirely to the people in small towns and villages.

Later, Vincent established confraternities of charity for the spiritual and physical relief of the poor and sick of each parish. From these, with the help of Louise de Marillac, came the Daughters of Charity to help the sick in the city. He organized the rich women of Paris to collect funds for his missionary projects, founded several hospitals, collected relief funds for the victims of war, and ransomed over 1200 galley slaves from North Africa. He was also zealous in conducting retreats for clergy at a time when there was great laxity, abuse and ignorance among them. Remarkably, Vincent was by temperament a quick tempered and testy person-even his friends said so. He said later in life that except for the grace of God he would have been “hard and repulsive, rough and cross.” But, he became a tender and affectionate man, very sensitive to the needs of others, and would become the patron saint of our Society which bears his name.

If you would like to donate to our ministry, checks can be made payable to “SVDP/St. Denis Conference” and placed in the shopping cart in the gathering space of the church (envelopes available). At the Beach Chapel, please drop them in the collection basket.”

To learn more about helping those in need, come to the Society’s next meeting on Thursday, June 15, 2023 at 7 pm in the Parish Center.

If you need assistance, please call the hotline at 732-223-1383.



WEEK OF JUNE 11, 2023
IN LOVING MEMORY OF
MICHAEL BIALAS
REQUESTED BY HIS FAMILY

CATHOLIC CHARITIES –YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE- Are you interested in helping your neighbors in need in Monmouth County? At Catholic Charities, we rely on the time, talent, energy and passion of volunteers to keep our mission moving forward. To make a difference in the lives of children, adults, and families in our county, contact us for information at Hollis Painting: hpainting@ccrenton.org

KATERI DAY CAMP- Make a difference in the life of a local child this summer. For over forty-six years, The Sisters of the Good Shepherd have provided low-income Monmouth County children with a safe, enriching summer at Kateri Day Camp. You can help a child this summer! Key components that make our camp valuable are: *Full-day camp for 7 weeks allows parents to work and know their child is safe *We provide transportation, breakfast, lunch, and snack to each child *Each child receives daily swimming lessons and literacy *Each child can take home as many books as they enjoy reading. Your donation will have an impact on a child's life. \$80 = one day of camp • \$400 = one week of camp • \$2,800 = full seven weeks of camp. Get some friends together and sponsor a local kid at camp! Visit www.collieryouthservices.org/camp to donate online or mail your contribution to: Collier Youth Services *Campership Appeal* P.O. Box 300 Wickatunk, NJ 07765-0300.

DOWNNEY SIDE- Do you want to make a difference in the life of a foster care child? If so, apply to adopt through Downey Side and give foster care children a permanent home. The children are school-age and up. Call 732-359-8434 for more information.

VOLUNTEER WITH COASTAL HABITAT FOR HUMANITY- Coastal Habitat for Humanity welcomes you to join their volunteer team. Together we can create a world where everyone has a safe and affordable place to live! For information on how to get involved, please email Kim Sambade, Director of Development and Volunteers Services at: ksambade@coastalhabitat.org.



CAREGIVERS NEED CARE TOO!

Join Us for a Caregiver Support Group
When: Tuesday, June 20, 2023 @ 6:00pm

Where: St. Denis Parish Center (*school building*)

The Caregivers Support Group is a group supporting individuals who are caregiving through illness of a loved one. The group offers friendship and fellowship. It will meet once a month on the third Tuesday of the month.

When we allow others to support us, we will find we can do much more in supporting and encouraging those who are in our care. Please consider joining us to find out more and let us help! *Group to be run by* : Kat Verdi MAT, CADDCT, CDP, HTM Caregiver Coach & Dementia Consultant

A MESSAGE FROM FATHER BILL

We celebrate the greatest gift ever!!! The gift of communion with God and each other in the gift Jesus gave us - His Most Holy Body and Blood. We continue to celebrate and give thanks for the Eucharist (which means thanksgiving) during these years of the Eucharistic Revival in the Catholic Church in the United States of America. Throughout the first year of this three-year revival, we offered many opportunities for prayer and study. As we move into this second year, please take advantage of what will be offered. The mystery of the Eucharist cannot be underestimated as the most important thing in your life that deserves your attention for study, meditation/prayer, and worship.

What is not a mystery is the parking situation during the summer months. I remind you that the Borough only allows people to park for free for Sunday 10am Chapel Mass ONLY if you park at the Third Ave. lot, nearest the Chapel. Visitors here for the day should pay as soon as they arrive at the lot, but "locals" coming for Mass and leaving directly after do not have to worry. Only for the Third Ave. lot. A word to the wise...

Our next few "Buildings and Maintenance" collections will go towards replacing two Air Conditioner Units for Our Lady Star of the Sea Beach Chapel. The short of it is that the salt air has slowly destroyed all the units and we only have one unit that kind-of works. The "marine-environment" units will be arriving in a few weeks. I ordered them a few months ago, but supply issues remain a problem.

THE WEDDING SURVIVAL GUIDE FOR CATHOLICS-

Do you know someone who is recently engaged or seriously dating? *The Wedding Survival Guide for Catholics*, a joint publication of the Diocese of Trenton and Stress-Gone Publishing, is an essential guidebook for Catholic parents, grandparents, engaged couples and all who treasure the beauty and sacredness of Catholic weddings. This book covers every aspect of wedding and reception planning, offering a vision for Catholic marriage like no other while minimizing stress and maximizing effective communication and family harmony. Get your free copy from your parish while supplies last, or from Amazon (\$17.95) <https://www.amazon.com/dp/B0BM99FV2R>.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES/ DIOCESE OF TRENTON- If you or someone in your family is in need of food, rental assistance, mental health/addiction services, or domestic violence services, we are here to help! Call 1-800-360-771.

OUR PROMISE TO PROTECT

The Diocese of Trenton is committed to the initiatives outlined in the U.S. Bishop's Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People in regard to the reporting and investigation of sexual abuse allegations involving minors. If you have been sexually abused as a minor by a member of the clergy or anyone representing the Catholic Church, or if you know of someone who was, you can report that abuse through the Diocesan Abuse Hotline: **888-296-2965**



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION takes place First Fridays, from noon to 1 pm, in the church. We look forward to the beautiful prayer of presence with our Lord. All are welcome!

MEALS ON WHEELS- MONMOUTH COUNTY- Volunteers are needed for the Meals on Wheels program. If interested, please contact Nancy at nancyk@interfaithneighbors.org. We deliver over 1,100 meals daily, Monday-Friday with several starting points across Monmouth County. Depending on the route, meals are generally picked up and delivered between 10-10:30 am. Routes consist of approximately 6-10 stops and take one to one and a half hours to complete. We also have a "standby" volunteer list if you are not able to commit on a daily or weekly basis, but can assist on an "as needed" basis, filling in for vacations and illnesses. Thank you!

ST. MARK'S YOUTH GROUP – AN INVITATION-Teens are invited to join a high school youth group at our neighboring parish of St. Mark, Sea Girt. They meet on Sunday nights at 7:30 pm. There are always lots of games, service opportunities, food, and friendly high school students from our local area.

WELCOME TO MONMOUTH RESOURCE NET- If you are not aware of this resource, let me introduce you to this website for our county. They provide a wide range of information about support, resources, and services for the residents of Monmouth County, NJ. How can the ResourceNet help you? **Residents** can find specific recreational activities, health providers, support groups, and events in their area. If you are a resident of Monmouth County, NJ, please subscribe to our Weekly Events and News.

Health Providers and Community Organizations are able to list their community and health resources, hotlines, support groups, and events. Do you provide services in Monmouth County?

Family Success Centers are community-based, family-centered, neighborhood gathering places where any community resident can go for family support, information and services. There is no cost to access services provided by Family Success Centers (FSCs).

Family Support Organization (FSO)

Family Based Services Association of NJ (FBSANJ) provides free peer support, educates, and advocates on behalf of Monmouth County parents and families of children and youth with emotional, behavioral, mental health, developmental disabilities and substance use. (732) 542-4502

Monmouth ACTS -*Serving You Better. Together.*

Monmouth ACTS (Assisting Community Through Services) is an innovative public-private partnership (the first of its kind in New Jersey!) that brings together Monmouth County government employees and their counterparts in the private/nonprofit sector to find effective ways to meet today's human service needs. This group works together to streamline and improve access to services in mental health, addiction, aging, housing, childcare, transportation, and much more. These key issues were identified by a comprehensive Human Services Needs Assessment. Working groups or "Hubs" were created to address those needs.

Monmouth County residents can call 732-542-6422, Monday-Friday, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. for guidance, resources, mental health support, or just someone to talk to. Residents can connect to a licensed counselor who can provide up to 6 telephone emotional support sessions, Find out more information here: www.monmouthresourcenet.org

RECOVERY CORNER



Monday 7PM "SMART Recovery for Family and Friends"...Education and support using current concepts and a workbook, continuously cycling through the year. Right things, not wrong things. Presently just virtual on Zoom.

Thursday 7PM "Life Recovery Bible Study"...The 12 steps of Anonymous Recovery framed in their origin in holy scripture along with corollary readings. An education and support program featuring scripture and workbook assistance to enlighten and empower those seeking recovery from substance or behaviors. Presently just virtual on Zoom. Call the rectory office for more information.

Thursday 10AM "Life Recovery Bible Study"...Same as above but specializing in corollary readings from the 12 Gifts, the 12 Laws, the 12 Missteps of recovery and other corollary readings. Presently just virtual on Zoom. Call the rectory office at 732-223-0287 for more information.

Life Recovery Bible Weekly Podcasts by City of Angels Recovery Radio

<https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=shoutca.sh.coanj>

Download this app to listen to Life Recovery Bible podcasts. New ones can be heard each Sunday at 10AM and 10PM. There is a library of older podcasts. Please share with friends in recovery or anyone who may want to listen.

NEW JERSEY CATHOLIC CONFERENCE NEWS- Please visit: njcatholic.org for so much information on how the Catholic Church interacts with the State in matters of social justice. You can sign up for "Take Action" in order to notify our state representatives of the social justice response that we take on so many issues.

WHAT CAN YOU DO TO ENSURE THE PROTECTION OF RELIGIOUS LIBERTY AT HOME AND ABROAD? Text the word "freedom" to 377377 for updates from the bishops on current threats to religious liberty. Please visit www.usccb.org/freedom for information on religious liberty.

DEMENTIA / ALZHEIMER SUPPORT GROUP- Manasquan United Methodist Church is having a Dementia/Alzheimer Support Group for families and caregivers every 3rd Monday of each month at 5 pm. If you or someone you know is in need of support, please have them join. All are welcome!

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