

# Notre Dame de la Mer Parish

[www.notredamedelamer.org](http://www.notredamedelamer.org)

**Mass Schedule**  
**St. Ann Church**  
**2901 Atlantic Avenue**  
**Wildwood**

Monday to Friday (Chapel) 7:00 AM

Saturday 4:30 PM

Sunday 10:30 AM

7:00 PM (Spanish)

**Confessions**

Saturday ~ 3:30 PM

**Assumption Church**  
**7101 Seaview Avenue**  
**Wildwood Crest**

Monday to Friday (Kelly Hall) 8:30 AM

Saturday 4:30 PM

Sunday 8:30 AM

**Confessions**

Saturday ~ 3:30 PM

**Please see the Mass Intentions schedule for potential changes to weekday masses, due to civil holiday and holyday masses for the upcoming week.**



**Upcoming Special Parish Information**

**Blessing of the Throats:** February 2nd and 3rd - will be available at all weekend masses.

**Reconciliation:** February 20 at 6:00pm at Assumption

**Ash Wednesday ( March 6th):**

9:00am at Assumption - Mass with Distribution of Ashes

4:00pm at Assumption - Distribution (Not a Mass)

6:00pm at St. Ann - Mass with Distribution of Ashes

**Confirmation:** March 21 at 5:00pm at Assumption

**Notre Dame de la Mer Parish**  
**Business Office Hours**

Monday through Thursday 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Friday 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM.

Closed Saturday & Sunday, Religious Holydays and Civic Holidays.



**Our Mission Statement**

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

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

**January 20, 2019**  
**2nd Sunday in**  
**Ordinary Time**

## Message From Mr. Kevin Quinn, Parish Administrator

Dear Friend,

This liturgical year we use cycle C in the lectionary, and the vast majority of the gospel readings in ordinary time will be taken from Luke. But today, the Church instead chooses a reading from the fourth Gospel. The Gospel of John inaugurates the public ministry of Jesus and we see that Jesus' public ministry will not follow the path that one would expect from the Messiah, the promised King of Israel.

In today's gospel Jesus performed his first sign, turning water into wine. Please consider the setting: He did not stand beside the village well, turning water into wine for anyone who approached him. He did not gather a large crowd (think of the miracle of loaves and fishes) and then provide them with abundant wine. Rather, he is one guest among many at a large wedding. He again does not call attention to himself. Indeed, from the way John describes it, only a few guests—Jesus, his mother, his disciples—and a handful of servants knew what had happened. Neither the steward in charge of the feast, nor the groom, the guest of honor, knew. The story would get around: surely the servants would tell the story of great stone jars of water changed to wine. But at the moment Jesus acted quietly, without fanfare, without calling attention away from the bride and groom, so that his disciples might "begin to believe in him."

This would slowly change: Jesus' ministry would attract more attention, the crowds would grow, and so would the opposition. In the end, as we know, Jesus would be crucified. Looking back, John frames this first miracle story to point his readers, to point us, forward to the final miracle of Jesus. In the New Testament, the Gospel passage begins "on the third day...."; it ends by telling us that Jesus "revealed his glory." The final miracle of Jesus, the one which would inaugurate the Kingdom of God, was his resurrection: on the third day God raised him up and he again revealed his glory.

Another important aspect of the gospel today is that it is set at a wedding. In the Old Testament, the prophets frequently used marriage and weddings as symbols to describe the relationship between God and his people. In the first reading today, the prophet Isaiah promises the Israelites, then in exile in Babylon, that their kingdom will be restored. He uses wedding imagery to describe the occasion: "As a young man marries a virgin, your Builder shall marry you; and as a bridegroom rejoices in his bride so shall your God rejoice in you." He chose this familiar image because a wedding, full of joy and the promise of a better future, made concrete the depths of God's love for his people.

This image continues in the New Testament. Throughout his ministry, Jesus refers to himself as the bridegroom: he has come to bring to fulfillment the prophecy of Isaiah and claim his bride, the people of God. By starting his public ministry at a wedding, he is in fact heralding the greater celebration to come: the wedding feast of the Lamb in Heaven, when all things are made new in the Kingdom of God.

There was a wedding in Cana of Galilee. At this wedding, with little fanfare, Jesus performed his first miracle, a simple gift to the bride and groom. By changing water into wine he allowed their wedding feast to continue uninterrupted, for friends and family to celebrate their time of joy. Today, in the Eucharist, Jesus brings himself to us in the simple gifts of bread and wine, changing them into his body and blood. In this sacrament we receive a foretaste of the wedding feast of Heaven. Like the disciples, we see his glory. Today, therefore, let us approach the altar with joy and thanksgiving, let us celebrate, knowing how much our God rejoices in us.

In Him,

Kevin



## Mass Intentions

### Saint Ann Church

<b>SATURDAY</b> 4:30 PM	<b>January 19</b> Ben Ingersoll r/b The Winsett Family Christine Hogan r/b Bobbie Gallo Robert Mitros r/b Bob Kilgore Norma L. Kelly r/b Bill Kelly & Family
<b>SUNDAY</b> 10:30 AM	<b>January 20</b> Peter DiFazio r/b George & Carolyn Miller Christofer Harris r/b James O'Donnell Ben Ingersoll r/b Bobbie Gallo
<b>MONDAY</b> 7:00 AM	<b>January 21</b> <b>NO MASS—ASSUMPTION 9:00 ONLY</b>
<b>TUESDAY</b> 7:00 AM	<b>January 22</b> Intentions of the Priest
<b>WEDNES.</b> 7:00 AM	<b>January 23</b> Intentions of the Priest
<b>THURSDAY</b> 7:00 AM	<b>January 24</b> Intentions of the Priest
<b>FRIDAY</b> 7:00 AM	<b>January 25</b> Intentions of the Priest

### Assumption Church

<b>SATURDAY</b> 4:30 PM	<b>January 19</b> David Grasso r/b Family Charles William Ronn r/b Mom Gregory Lacivita r/b Debbie Kathryn Lockwood r/b Stephanie
<b>SUNDAY</b> 8:30 AM	<b>January 20</b> Lawrence Norcia r/b Family Lucia Conello r/b Dana, Addison, & Jacob
<b>MONDAY</b> 9:00 AM	<b>January 21</b> Louis Celenza r/b Anonymous
<b>TUESDAY</b> 8:30 AM	<b>January 22</b> Albert P. Torrese r/b Stephanie Stratoti
<b>WEDNES.</b> 8:30 AM	<b>January 23</b> Matt Diana r/b Stella
<b>THURSDAY</b> 8:30 AM	<b>January 24</b> Fred Alfonsi r/b Family
<b>FRIDAY</b> 8:30 AM	<b>January 25</b> Intentions of the Priest

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



### Sanctuary Lamp

**The Sanctuary Lamp at St. Ann Church is lit for:**

Thomas Kuruc r/b The Celinski Family

**The Sanctuary Lamp at Assumption Church is lit for:**

Intentions of the Parishioners



### Please Pray for Our Deceased

**Please remember in your prayers those who are ill—** Tandi Ankrum, Tom Ankrum, June Barkovitch, Isoletta Batten, Bernadette & Family, James Brooks, Christian Buscham, Matthew Bzwonariak, Joseph Carfagno, Nikki Carty, Christine Cavaliere, Don Chiancone, Joan Condit, Angie Dabbingino, Niall Devlin, Bob DiPeso, Sr., Janine Donofrio, Ted Etling, Margaret Faber, Dominic Farone, Jr, Jeff Fetzer, Ken Ford, Linda Marie Gallo, Helen Garagosa, Joanne Golley, Anne Grasso, Nadine Halp, Drew Heimack, Justin Hennessy, Nancy Ann Hoffman, John E. Howe, Jay Hunt, Jeff Jahn, Luke David Johns, Bill Kelly, Eric Kirchner, Tommy Krajewski, Michelle Lauriello, Jim Leahy, Charles Long, George Ludwig,, Angela Lynch, Alexandra Mac Donald, Joseph Martorano, Kathy Mason, Terry Mc Ardle, Lydia McGinty, Mary Ann Metzger, Bill Morey, Jr., Daniel Murray, Vito Navarra, Lynn Nichols, Sherrie Owens, William Peter, John Pisani, Dr. A . Richard Polino, Gloria Porto, Lou Porto, Nicholas Ricci, Dom Romeo, Bailey Schafer, Tommy Luke Schaffer, Joseph Scheuer, Steven Seeberger, Joe Simmon, Irene Simone, Kathy Snyder, Joe Stella, Damien Tirello, Olivia Tirello, Luke Trask, Michael Vallone, Mark Visalli, Jack Walder, Bob Wallace, Tom Waring, Jack Weis, Dawn Herman Williams, Shelby Williams, Caitlyn Young. **Also, anyone who wishes to receive Communion may call the parish office.**

### HOUSE BLESSING

If you would like to have your house blessed, please call the parish office at (609) 522-2709, x210

**\*\*Morning Prayer \*\*** is taking place at Msgr. Kelly Hall at 8:15am followed by Daily Mass at 8:30am each weekday.

The **Diocese of Camden Cemeteries** are holy grounds, offering dignified, respectful resting places to the mortal remains entrusted to our care. It is our mission to help all Catholic families whether you are experiencing the death of a loved one or you are interested in a pre-need purchase. You will find many resources to help you understand your choices. We recognize that it is a privilege to be buried in a Catholic cemetery; we hope you agree. We encourage you to learn why a Catholic burial is your right.

Visit [SouthJerseyCatholicCemeteries.org](http://SouthJerseyCatholicCemeteries.org) to learn more or call us at 855-MyPrePlan (855-697-7375) and a member of our staff will gladly assist you..



SOUTH JERSEY CATHOLIC CEMETERIES  
1000 New Jersey Turnpike, Suite 100, Camden, NJ 08102

## Stewardship



January 20, 2019

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Stewardship Brings Benefits**

*"To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit." (1 CORINTHIANS 12:7)*

St. Paul tells us that God has blessed each of us for a reason. How has God blessed you? Are you using your gifts according to God's plan? How are you helping to build God's kingdom here on earth? Remember that if you don't do the work God planned for you, no one else can do it. Live the **Stewardship** life God has intended for you, feel His love, peace and joy!



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



**The House of Charity – Bishop's Annual Appeal** seeks to raise funds to provide care, respect, justice, peace and dignity

for every soul in the Diocese of Camden. We ask that you prayerfully consider how this annual program provides solace, support and grace to thousands of your brothers and sisters in Christ and give, generously, in support of the 2018 House of Charity – Bishop's Annual Appeal.

Your support of the 2018 House of Charity – Bishop's Annual Appeal ensures the vitality of essential Diocesan ministries and programs that sustain the healing, teaching and redemptive Presence of Jesus Christ through the Diocese of Camden.

Still in search of anyone interested in offering their **TIME** to help us keep our beautiful worship sites clean.

Can you help?...give the parish office a call. Our devoted teams need your help once a week



## Family Reflection Corner

### Weekly Readings Reflections

#### 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

- Plan a family celebration for the gifts that each family member has received from God. Each member should contribute to the celebration by offering something they created by using a talent God has given them. The celebration should include a short prayer service thanking God for the gifts.
- Go for a winter walk with your family as a reminder of the gifts of nature. As you walk together, point out all the wondrous gifts of creation. Make an arrangement of winter gifts to remind the family of God's abundance.
- Discuss the different ministries within your church and the people who use their gifts for the community. Have each family member write a note of appreciation to one of these members of the community.
- Each evening at dinnertime, ask a different family member to name one gift that each other member of the family brings to the family.

## Sacramental Information

### Sacraments

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

**Pre-Baptism Class:** Required for parents/guardians. Notre Dame de la Mer offers its class throughout the year. Please contact the parish office for more information. The next class is scheduled for Saturday, **March 1, 2019** from 9:30 to 11:00 AM in the parish office.

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

**Sacrament of the Sick:** Anytime

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

### Spanish Baptism Information

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

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

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

**Clases Pre-Bautismales:** El jueves anterior a la celebraci3n del bautismo a las 7:00 pm en la iglesia de Santa Ana.

## General Information



### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Please consider signing up to spend thirty minutes or more before the Blessed Sacrament at St. Ann Chapel on Thursdays from 7:30 a.m. to noon. Sign up books for are at the back of each church and in Msgr. Kelly Hall. If you cannot commit to a specific time for a month or two, please consider signing up to be a sub. AND please remember to sign in when you get to adoration. Thank you so much. God will truly bless you in a special way.

### Holy Hour of Intercession

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

**Our next holy hour will be Monday, Jan. 21 2018**  
(the third Monday of the month),  
at 9:00 AM at Kelly Hall

### Rediscover the Love in Your Marriage!

Is your marriage going down the right road . . . or is it a little off track? Life can be difficult, and so can the challenges you face in marriage.

Retrouvaille can help heal your marriage, as it has for tens of thousands of couples throughout the world. The next program begins on the weekend of **February 8-10** at the Family Life Center in Malvern, PA. Additional weekends will be held in April and August. For more information, or to register for one of our weekends, visit our web site at: [www.HelpOurMarriage.org](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.org) or call 1-800-470-2230. All inquiries are kept strictly confidential.



A HEALTHCARE MINISTRY OF THE DIOCESE OF CAMDEN

### VITALity: A Healthcare Ministry of the Diocese of Camden

For more information call : (856) 583-6123 or Email Karen Fisher at: [karen.fisher@camdendiocese.org](mailto:karen.fisher@camdendiocese.org)

### INCLEMENT WEATHER INFORMATION for NDDLM Daily Mass and Business Office

Keeping you safe is our main concern! Please do not take chances that are not necessary. 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 due to weather there will be no daily morning mass. (This is for the 7:00AM and 8:30 AM Mass)... also the Parish Office would probably be closed. *In the event of inclement weather on the weekends, masses will be determined at that time.*

### STAY CONNECTED!



[www.notredamedelamer.org](http://www.notredamedelamer.org)



Notre Dame de la Mer - The Wildwoods



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### Parish Webpage and Social Media Resources

Please VISIT, LIKE ,and FOLLOW our sites for Parish Happenings

### Black History Month Mass

All are welcome! Bishop Dennis Sullivan is celebrating on **Sun., Feb. 24, 2:30 p.m.**, at St. Charles Borromeo Church, 176 Stagecoach Rd., Sicklerville 08081. A light reception will follow Mass.

### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

**St. Mary by-the-Sea Retreat House, Cape May Point, NJ** is a retreat center sponsored by the Sisters of Saint Joseph, Chestnut Hill, PA.

Volunteers are needed to assist with various one- week programs in the summer of 2019. We welcome new, as well as experienced staffers, and we'd welcome young volunteers 18 years of age and over. All you needed is good physical stamina and a willing heart to help others! Volunteer requirements are listed in the latest brochure: [www.stmarybythesea.org/smbts/](http://www.stmarybythesea.org/smbts/)

Please call Sr. Sharon Mc Carthy, SSJ at 609-884-8708 or write to [smccarthy@ssjphila.org](mailto:smccarthy@ssjphila.org) to request a 2019 volunteer form.



*Cape Trinity Catholic School - Preschool 4 - Eighth Grade*  
*Wildwood Catholic High School - Freshman - Senior*

*Catholic Schools Week*  
*January 27 10:30AM Mass St. Ann Church*



**Upcoming events for all to join!**  
**February 9** - Quizzo/Trivia Night in the cafeteria!

7:00 - 9:00PM, gather your team of six for \$25 per team.

Trivia master Joe McLaughlin hosts the event.

**March 2** - Purse Bingo at the EEC. Benefits *Post Prom* at WCHS.

**March 9** - Casino Night returns to Wildwood Catholic! \$75 per person:



**Golf Cart chances** - \$5.00 - call the office for tickets!

Drawing to be held on **May 16, 2019** at the annual **Golf Tournament: Stone Harbor Golf Club**. Save the date and join the fun!



**Mary Poppins, Jr. at Cape Trinity Catholic!**

Show dates:  
**May 9, 10, 11, 2019**

# CATHOLIC STRONG—Your Parish Capital Campaign



## CATHOLIC STRONG

CAMPAIGN FOR THE CATHOLIC  
COMMUNITY OF SOUTH JERSEY

**STRONG PARISHES**  
**STRONG SCHOOLS**  
**STRONG SERVICE**  
**STRONG FAITH**

The Catholic Community of South Jersey has evolved tremendously over the course of its 80 year existence. Now, the time has come for this generation of Catholics to contribute to the great history of our diocese. Catholic Strong will provide the resources needed to ensure our parishes are financially stable, strengthen Catholic education, expand our outreach capabilities, and enhance our evangelization efforts. A successful campaign will ensure the vitality of our faith community and meet the needs of our parish and diocese. **The funds raised through this campaign do not go to our operation costs.** We will use the funds raised in this campaign for:

Enhanced Ministry to Senior Citizens—\$60,000

Liturgy Enhancements—\$200,000

Facility Improvements—\$500,000

Notre Dame de la Mer Catholic Education Scholarship Fund—\$171,000



Our Campaign Goal: **\$1,330,000**  
Total Pledged to Date: **\$1,077,065**

## IRS STATEMENT FOR 2018 CONTRIBUTIONS to NDDLDM

If any parishioner would like a statement of contributions to NDDLDM for 2018, please complete the form below and return it to the Parish Business Office. Feel free to place in the collection basket at mass or call the office at 609.522.2709, x. 210

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Please mail me a copy of my 2018 contributions to Notre Dame de la Mer Parish

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Envelope # (if known): \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

# Parish Catechetical Team

## MARK YOUR 2019 CALENDARS

2019 SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION  
FIRST PENANCE & FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

### PARENT MEETING FOLLOWS MASS IN CHURCH

ALL students (CTC & PREP) who are scheduled to make their First Penance in February should attend the following session: **Jan. 26** classes at EEC/CTC, 9-11 a.m. (optional for CTC students; required for PREP students)

**Feb. 9**.....Retreat, Assumption Church, 9-11 a.m.  
REQUIRED FOR ALL STUDENTS

**Feb. 20**.....First Penance celebration,  
Assumption Church, 6 p.m

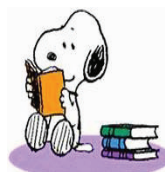
First Holy Communion....Sunday, May 5  
St. Ann Church...More info to follow

## First Holy Communion News

Today is the Presentation/Commitment Mass for our First Holy Communion Class. We **Present** them to the parish for prayers and guidance. You will be given a card with a name on it please include that person and their family in your daily prayers as they begin the next step in their initiation process begun at Baptism. We as a Community of Faithful can share in their special day when they receive Our Lord for the first time on **May 5** at the 10:30 am mass. The class along with their parents **Commit** to prepare for the sacrament by making several promis-

## **SUNDAY PREP CLASSES**

Classes resume Feb. 3 at regular time



**Students should be working on their take-home projects and any make-up work assigned to them. Students who did not get their take-home packet should call Mrs. Black at**



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



### **An opportunity for:**

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

For Additional Information please contact:  
Deacon Nicholas Danze  
609-522-2709-Ext. 222  
[ndanze@notredamedelamer.org](mailto:ndanze@notredamedelamer.org)

## Confirmation News

We just received the Confirmation schedule from the Office of the Bishop.

Confirmation will be **Thursday March 21, 2019** Which means one of our classes will need to be rescheduled since it falls after Confirmation. Rehearsal will be held on **March 20, 5:00PM** at Assumption.

The class scheduled for April 12, 2019 will be rescheduled for **March 1, 2019 6-8pm** at EEC dinner will be served.

Any outstanding paperwork will now need to be handed in by the **March 8** class.

Confirmation retreat **2/12/19 4-8pm** Marianist Retreat House, Cape May Point

Thank you for your cooperation.



Our Lady of Fatima wants to visit you!

The traveling statue of Our Lady of Fatima is a wonderful way to increase devotion to the Blessed Mother. Sign up to have the statue in your home for one week by calling 609-522-2709 ext 218

## Parish / Community Information

### Vocations Discernment Group "Hearing the Voice of God"

Come, consider the call. Father Michael Romano, Director of Vocations, is hosting a "Young Adult Priesthood Discernment Group. If you are currently a junior or senior in high school, college student or in the professional world (up to 39 years old), and feel the possible call to the priesthood, this group can help you discern and pray with others who are also considering the priesthood.

**Sunday, February 3rd** from 2:00pm – 3:30pm  
Our Lady of Peace Parish Offices  
32 Carroll Avenue, Williamstown, NJ 08094

### Forever Young Happenings

**MEETING:** Forever Young meets on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 12:00 Noon at Kelly Hall for lunch and program. **Our next meeting will be on Tuesday, January 22, 2019.** Doors open at 11:30. Dues are \$10 for the year and lunch is \$5. All are welcome to join us.

**TRIP:** Springtime in Shenandoah Valley, VA...  
Parades, Caves, Presidents, and Patsy Cline!

**May 19 - 22, 2019.**

Tour Cost is based on 40 paying passenger minimum  
**Single - \$865, Double - \$675, Triple - \$599**  
Includes transportation, lodging, meals, and tours

For more info contact Phyllis Bocelli at:  
609.425.9523 or [phyllisbocelli@gmail.com](mailto:phyllisbocelli@gmail.com)



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### Join Father Wallace on this incredible Parish Sponsored Trip Danube River Cruise: Includes Oberammergau Passion Play

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

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

For More Info contact Phyllis Bocelli at:  
609.425.9523 or [phyllisbocelli@gmail.com](mailto:phyllisbocelli@gmail.com)

Lazarus House  
(Emergency Food Pantry)

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

We welcome all donations of food and personal care items delivered to Lazarus House on any Monday, Wednesday or Friday between 10:00am and 12:00 noon. Lazarus House is located at the First Presbyterian Church of Wildwood at Burk and Pacific Aves, Wildwood, NJ. Items can also be placed in the baskets by the doors of St. Ann and Assumption churches.

Contributions of gift cards, checks, bequests, or in memory of someone can be mailed to: **Lazarus House PO Box 1792, Wildwood, NJ 08260.** Information or questions please contact Frank Stone at the pantry;  
**609-522-1500.** Thank you for your continued support.

### Christ Child Society

Become a member of the Christ Child Society and help the children in Cape May County. We provide layettes, cribs, car-seats, coats, etc. Come and see what we are about. We meet once a month on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday (1-3pm) from Sept thru June. Please contact Marie Austin at 609-408-9275.



### Seniors' Soup and Sandwich

Knights of Columbus Hall  
206 New York Avenue - North Wildwood  
3rd Thursday of every month,  
**2/21, 3/21**

**Time:** 1pm-3pm **Cost:** \$8  
Music will be provided...Invite a friend  
Sponsored by: Ladies for the Knights  
Contact: Pat 610.246.1079

### Retreat at Marianist Family Retreat Center Cape May Point, NJ 08212

#### Young Adult Retreat February 8 - 10, 2019

Come Join other young adults (ages 22-35) married or single, to take a step back from our busy lives in order to examine your personal faith and your relationship with God, your family members and yourself.

Register at: [www.capemaymarianists.org](http://www.capemaymarianists.org) or Call  
609.884.3829

### Dresses for Haiti

Pat Long is looking for assistance with sewing dresses for the little girls in Haiti. If interested please contact her at 609-729-7073.

## Staff Directory

### Parish Business Offices

1500 Central Avenue, Suite 100  
North Wildwood, NJ 08260  
Phone: 609-522-2709  
Fax: 609-522-9375  
www.NotreDamedelaMer.org

### *Pastor*

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

### *Parochial Vicars*

Rev. Yvans Jazon.....x214

Rev. Steven Pinzon.....x211

### *Parish Administrator*

Mr. Kevin Quinn.....x217

### *Parish Catechetical Leader*

Ms. Donnamarie Black.....x218

### *Pastoral Associate - RCIA and Baptismal Preparation*

Deacon Nick Danze.....x222

### *Director of Music & Liturgy*

Mr. Jonathan Delgado.....x219

jdelgado@notredamedelamer.org

### *Administrative Assistant*

Mrs. Mary Vey.....x210

### *Bookkeeper*

Mrs. Anna Landis.....x213

### *Funeral Coordinator / Altar Servers*

Ms. Patricia Monaghan.....610-246-1079

patmonaghan@aol.com

### *Maintenance*

Mr. Jim Di Fazio

## Additional Parish and Community News

### *Parish Activities*

#### **Mary, Refuge of Sinners Prayer Group**

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

#### **Holy Hour of Intercession**

the third Monday of the month at 9:00 AM in Kelly Hall. Next Holy Hour will be Monday, **January 21, 2019**.

#### **Forever Young**

meets on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 12:00 Noon at Kelly Hall for lunch and program. **Our next meeting will be January 22, 2019.** Doors open at 11:30.

#### **Legion of Mary**

Tuesday at 12:00 PM 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. Next one is **February 1, 2019**

**Rosary for World Peace** 1st Saturday of the month 4:00 PM at St. Ann Church.

#### **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.

**A CONTINUED BIG THANK YOU** to those that help out by straightening up the pews after mass at Assumption Church by placing the Missals at the end of the pews and at St. Ann Church by placing the Missals back into the holders.

### **Parish Welcome Center**

Please consider visiting our Parish Welcome Center in the back of church. You can handle many of the things that you would normally go to the parish office for...register for the parish, obtain mass cards,



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