

**WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULES**

**St. Mary's Church, Barnegat**

**April 28 & 29, 2018**

**Saturday, April 28**

**5:30pm** People of the Parish

**Sunday, April 29**

**8:00am** Kathleen Briney: Kessler Family  
Patricia Blaine Smith: Mr. & Mrs. John Chabala  
Robert Harth: Ted & Carol Britske  
Christina Cardillo: Linda & Bruno  
Robyn Monahan: Jim & Linda Saladino  
Howard Van Natta: Mona & Angelo Sappio  
Arthur Bentley: Hank & Betty Molendyk  
Tom Bono: Barra Family  
John Vitolo: Carol & Peter Eschmann  
Margaret Willan: Gene & Rose Zeigler  
Richard Dyer: John Konieczny

**10:00am** Gerri Greiza: husband, Joe and daughters,  
Debbie & Joanne  
Alfonso LoBasso: Madeline Flynn

**12:00n** Louis, Julia & Russell Castelli: Norma Quartello  
Mary Anne Krankowski: Parents

**5:00pm** Boland-Schafer and Hanlon-Lenahan Families:  
Robert & Mary Boland  
Richard Johnston: Debra & Chip Graham

**Weekdays**

**Monday, April 30**

**8:00am** Robert Corbliss: Yvonne Adubato  
Scott Webb: Susan Hunter

**Tuesday, May 1**

**8:00am** Ernest Rizzolo: Joe & Bonnie Emillio  
Gary Glenn Doran: Leila Kmicinski

**Wednesday, May 2**

**8:00am** Peter Montemurno: Carol & Ken Sommers  
Eric Courtney: Grandma & Grandpa

**Thursday, May 3**

**8:00am** William Barkalow: Family  
Louis & Alfred Marino: Aldo & Marian Cerbo  
Dad, Mom, & Peter: John

**Friday, May 4**

**8:00am** Souls in Purgatory  
Albert Guarneri: Guarneri Family  
Anna Fiorillo: Vincent Fiorillo, Children &  
Grandchildren  
Felix Pamintuan: Sares Family  
Marie Martello: John & Michele McIntyre  
Rose Siano & Battisto Siano: Terri & Joe  
Siano  
Ken Schultz: Deacon Joe Fiorillo  
Joseph Weaver: Deacon Joe Fiorillo  
Roberta Sloan: Deacon Joe Fiorillo  
Leonarda Mendoza: Mr. & Mrs. B. Kern  
Joan DiBari: Paul & Lucille Zmuda

**Saturday, May 5**

**8:00am** Joe Kerly, Sr.: Kristen & Joe Kerly  
Nicholas Scarpelli: RoseMarie Megna &  
Family  
Albert Reischel: wife, Barbara

**WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS**

**St. Mary of the Pines, Manahawkin**

**April 28 & 29, 2018**

**Saturday, April 28**

**4:00pm** Happy 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Fran & Anthony  
Degregorio  
Frank Martin: Family  
Parisi & Mintarulo Families: Mr. & Mrs. John  
Rohr  
Elsie E. Morrison: Rae Iacovelli

**Sunday, April 29**

**7:30am** Dennis Golden: Patricia Golden  
Peter Prachthausen: Rick Ramentol &  
Gracie Kochowski

**9:00am** Special Intention for Carol & Dave Liming:  
Louise & Richard Frein  
Joseph Giacalone: Staiger Family  
George Stahl: Maryann Taylor  
Sue Wuebber: Staiger Family  
Edward A. Gere: Staiger Family  
Anne Parrinello: Robert & Susan Tolomeo  
Jack Louis Littleton: Mary & Ed Tamburo  
James Icklan: Wohl Family  
Frank Sylvester, Jr.: B.J. & Jimmy Auletto  
Salvatore P. Spagnolo: Catherine & John  
Van Sickle  
Vincent Ascioffa: Rob & Barbara Vidal and  
Family

**11:30am** Elizabeth Piscioneri: Frank & Catherine  
Pannone  
Marilyn O'Connor: Catherine & Frank  
Pannone

**3:00pm** Special Intentions for Vincent Devenuta: Theresa  
Devenuta  
Special Intentions for Joseph Dzwonar: Theresa  
Devenuta  
Special Intentions for Carol Tweitmann: Theresa  
Devenuta  
Special Intentions: Bob Dodds  
Doris Dodds: Bob Dodds  
Norm Greenberg & Ron Sevean: Joanne  
Greenberg  
Roberta Sloan & Pat Jones: Betania III

**Weekdays**

**Monday, April 30**

**9:00am** Joseph Reichert: Michele  
Barbara Dean: Margie & Joe Caruana  
Peter Togher: wife, Ann

**Tuesday, May 1**

**9:00am** Joanne Cleary: Marie Cleary  
Virginia Wagner: Lueders Family

**Wednesday, May 2**

**9:00am** Dominick Valinoti: Anthony & AnnMarie  
Valinoti  
Olga Jayson: Bill Elsner

**Thursday, May 3**

**9:00am** Judith Huether: Betty Vivona  
Peter Guida: Eileen & Tony Miloscia

**Friday, May 4**

**9:00am** Richard Grattini: Jo Scelfo  
Scott R. Beriont: Juliann Bailey

**Memorials – St. Mary’s, Barnegat**

**Bread and Wine** are donated this week in loving memory of Paul Joseph Schell requested by Dr. Paul Schell & Family.

**Altar Candles** burn this week for Special Intentions for Beverly Klinger requested by Neil & Arlene Vanderberg.

**Sanctuary Lamp in the Church** burns this week for Special Intentions for Beverly Klinger requested by Neil & Arlene Vanderberg.

**Memorials – St. Mary of the Pines, Manahawkin**

**Sanctuary Lamp in the Church** burns this week in loving memory of Viola V. Madden requested by Children & Grandchildren.

**ALL SAINTS SCHOOL**

All Saints School is celebrating its 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary on **Saturday, May 5, 7:00pm in the All Saints All Purpose Room**. At that dinner each of the pastors of the sending parishes, including our own Msgr. Ken, will be honored. In addition to the presentation, dinner and music, there will be a special robotics demonstration by students. It will be a memorable night. Please join us in honoring our pastors and supporting our school. **Tickets are \$35 person and can be purchased either in the rectory office or through the school.**

**Please join us for the Spring show: Seussical Jr, Friday, May 18, 7:00pm, and Saturday, May 19, 7:00pm in the All Saints All Purpose Room. Tickets may be purchased through the school.**

**Hearts to Hospitals**

**Hearts to Lead – Hands to Help**

All Saints Regional Catholic School is participating in the Diocesan elementary School Day of Service.

Hearts to Hospitals: Hearts to Lead – Hands to Help will benefit sick children (infants – 17 years of age) and their families at local hospitals in Burlington, Mercer, Monmouth, and Ocean Counties. Students at All Saints Regional Catholic School, along with our 31 diocesan elementary schools, are participating in a Day of Service on **April 27, 2018**.

As parishioners, you can help too! We are collecting coloring books, crayons, colored pencils, travel size games, small puzzles, and gift cards ( Wawa, iTunes, Starbucks, Applebees, etc.). All donations can be dropped off at All Saints Regional Catholic School by **April 25, 2018. Donation boxes are in the foyer of the school. Donations may be dropped off Monday – Friday, from 9:00am – 2:30pm**. Our students will be making care bags and delivering them to our local hospitals. Thank you for helping us help others

**ASCENSION THURSDAY**

**Ascension Thursday, May 10, is a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass will be celebrated: Wednesday, May 9: 5:00pm in St. Mary of the Pines; 7:00pm in St. Mary’s; Thursday, May 10: 8:00am, 10:00am and 7:00pm in St. Mary’s; 9:00am and 1:15pm with the All Saints School in St. Mary of the Pines.**

**UPCOMING MASS SCHEDULES**

**St. Mary’s Church, Barnegat**

**May 5 & 6, 2018**

**Saturday, May 5**

**5:30pm** Trina & John Leone: Neil & Arlene Vandenberg  
Matija Krsulic: Maria Krsulic  
Erroll Apun: Family

**Sunday, May 6**

**8:00am** People of the Parish  
**10:00am** Leonardo Basile: Andrew & Lovlene Sansone  
Kathy Brinley: VanHook Family  
Richard Johnston: Ron & Chris Schmidt  
Gordon Marzano: Gerri Sylvester  
Alex Kobar: Anelle Kobar  
Robert Corbliss: Dee & Rich Boscarino  
Joyce Valente: Dorothy Saropoulos  
Margaret Sheridan: Fowler Family  
Gene Kankowski: Kankowski Family  
Ann Casciano: Susanna Fiorentino  
Robert Grady: Sylvia Rubito  
**12:00n** Deceased Members of the Garcia & Bracety Families: Miriam & Joe  
Joseph & Robert Flynn: Madeline Flynn  
**5:00pm** Paul Joseph Schell: Dr. Paul Schell & Family  
John Santamatua: Buonincontri Family  
Joanne Narwello: Michael & Sally Collins

**St. Mary of the Pines**

**Saturday, May 5**

**4:00pm** Traceyann Greco & Grandparents: Greco Family  
William Romer, Jr.: Delikat Family  
Trudy Servedio: husband, Victor  
Elsie E. Morrison: Rae Iacovelli

**Sunday, May 6**

**7:30am** Souls In Purgatory  
Prudy Diaz: Rick Ramentol and Gracie Kochowski  
**9:00am** Elizabeth Hundley: William Meade  
Sue Wuebber: Mark & Doreen Ferraro  
**11:30am** Special Intention for Mark Joseph Eichner:  
Joan & Joe Walsh  
Carol Sneyers: husband, Mickey  
Anna Pannone: Frank & Catherine Pannone  
Marilyn O’Connor: Frank & Catherine Pannone  
Connie Burke: Ginny Draney  
Serafino Federico: Lois Roberts & Family  
Walter Serembus: Bob & Rita Goodwin  
Pete Lipowski: Paul, Jenny & Family  
Florence Dandola: Joan & Dick Coughlan  
Marilyn Falkowski: Rosemary Romano  
Martin Menditto: Joseph & Joan Papenberg  
Frank Prachthausen III: Family

**MAY CROWNING**

**May 6, at the 9:00am Mass in St. Mary of the Pines  
May 13, at the 12noon Mass in St. Mary’s**

### TITHING REPORT

St. Mary's parishioners tithed \$29,549.00 in the collection for last Sunday and an additional \$753.00 in on-line giving. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SACRIFICE OF TITHING! "I will praise You, Lord, in the assembly of Your people." We express our Stewardship in the collection each week, but also throughout the week in our generosity of Time, Talent and Treasure to others.

TODAY THERE IS A SECOND ENVELOPE FOR THE CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS.

### SCRIPTURE READINGS

**TODAY: FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER.** Acts 9:26-31; 1 John 3:18-24; John 15:1-8

**NEXT SUNDAY: SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER.** Acts 10:25-26, 35-35, 44-48; 1 John 4:7-10; John 15: 9-17

### SAINTS OF THE WEEK

*Monday: St. Pius V*  
*Tuesday: St. Joseph the Worker*  
*Wednesday: St. Athanasius*  
*Thursday: Sts Peter and James*

### WE WELCOME THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN BAPTIZED

*Zenor Skalski, Savannah Snow*

### BIBLE TRIVIA

**LAST WEEK:** *During Peter's preaching he says that Jesus is "the stone rejected by you the builders." Where is that found in the Old Testament?*

This verse comes from Psalm 118:22: "The stone the builders rejected has become the cornerstone."

**TODAY'S QUESTION:** *If you don't know this answer, shame on you! Why were the disciples afraid of Saul when he arrived in Jerusalem to join them?*

### PRAYERS FOR OUR RECENTLY DEPARTED

*Fr. Gerry Joe Santillan, Robert Wolfe, Leila McIntosh, Nan Fallon, Harvey Kelly, Joseph Branston, Margaret Smith, Frank Magliacane, Ronald Gorman, Tracy Leto*

### BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

Work has begun on the front steps of the St. Mary's Church, Barnegat. The work should take about two weeks. **During this time there will be NO interruption to the Mass schedule.** We will not have access through the front doors, however, you can use the side entrances or go through Monsignor Reinbold Hall. You may also choose to attend Mass during that time in St. Mary of the Pines. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

Also, the work on the windows in St. Mary's, Barnegat has been completed. Notice the difference!

### HEALING SERVICE

There will be a Healing Service the second Wednesday of each month at St. Mary's Church in Barnegat. We will begin with the rosary at 12:30pm and end with benediction. There will be individual prayers for those who desired to be prayed over. Service will end at approximately 2:00pm. God Bless. Deacon Joseph Fiorillo.

## WEEK AT A GLANCE

### **Sunday, April 29**

**1:30pm** Baptisms (St. Mary's)  
**3:00pm** Betania Mass (Pines)  
**7:00pm** Bingo (Parish Center)  
**7:00pm** NA (MRH)

### **Monday, April 30**

**1:00pm** Crafty Ladies (MRH)  
**4:30pm** Divine Mercy Library (Parish Center)  
**6:00pm** Scripture Sisters (Pines)  
**7:00pm** Light of the World (Rectory)

### **Tuesday, May 1**

**8:45am** Monica's Daughters (Rectory)  
**10:00am** Scripture Sharing (Rectory)  
**6:30pm** Light of the World (Rectory)

### **Wednesday, May 2**

**10:30am** Divine Mercy Library (Pines)  
**6:30pm** Rosary for Betania (St. Mary's) **All Welcome**  
**6:30pm** Journey Through Scripture (Rectory)  
**7:00pm** Divorced & Separated (Rectory)  
**7:30pm** Light of the World (Rectory)

### **Thursday, May 3**

**9:00am** Ken's Kitchen (Parish Center)  
**10:00am** CCEE (Parish Center)  
**1:00pm** Bridge Club (MRH)  
**6:00pm** Youth Group (Parish Center)  
**7:00pm** Choir (Pines)  
**7:00pm** Life in the Spirit (Parish Center)  
**7:00pm** Light of the World (Rectory)

### **Friday, May 4**

**1:00pm** Light of the World (Rectory)  
**3:00pm** Divine Mercy Service (Pines)  
**7:00pm** Emmaus (Rectory)

### **Saturday, May 5**

**6:30am** That Man is You (Parish Center)  
**3:30pm** Confessions (St. Mary's)  
**7:00pm** A.A. (MRH)

### PILGRIMAGE TO EWTN

The EWTN Pilgrimage, which will take place in fall of this year, will depart from St. Mary of the Pines parking lot at 9:00am on Sunday, October 28 to Virginia for an overnight stay and resume trip to Irondale, Alabama and arrive there approximately 6:00pm Monday, October 29. We will return home to New Jersey late evening on November 3. Cost per person: DOUBLE OCCUPANCY: \$1068.00; TRIPLE/QUAD OCCUPANCY: \$1005.00; SINGLE OCCUPANCY: \$1381.00. IN ADDITION THE COST FOR OVERNITE STAY AT BERNARD'S RETREAT HOUSE IS \$65.00 PER ROOM (2 PEOPLE TO A ROOM \$32.50 PER PERSON) COST FOR THREE MEALS \$22.50 PER PERSON. \$5.00 PER PERSON FOR TOUR OF AVA MARIA GROTTO. **If you are interested please call Deacon Joe Fiorillo at the rectory to sign up.**

## LETTER FROM MONSIGNOR KEN

I grew up in West Long Branch, NJ and my home parish was St. Jerome's. However, when I was born it did not yet exist, so I was baptized at Our Lady Star of the Sea in Long Branch and we attended St. Michael's Church in West End. The one church in the area that we didn't go to was Holy Trinity. That was the Italian parish. Back in the day, in an effort to reach out to the immigrant population, the Church created different ethnic parishes. Many of you can recall growing up in a neighborhood that had multiple parishes – the Polish parish, the Hungarian Parish, the Italian parish and others. From then to today the make-up of immigrants has changed to now include many of Asian and Latino descent. At the same time the topic of immigration has become more heated and complicated. Through it all the Church has continued to reach out to bring the love of God and the Church to our brothers and sisters of varied backgrounds and languages. From the moment of Pentecost, the Lord has called people of all nations to hear the same Good News. I know some French but do not speak Spanish. However, a number of years ago I became concerned because I knew that there were many Latinos in our community but they were not at Mass. Driving around I saw many Protestant churches with signs in Spanish inviting them to attend. This bothered me because almost all of Spanish heritage are Catholic. I still remember at another parish when a Spanish family came to register. They were told by the staff that they should go to the nearby Spanish speaking parish. The message was unfortunately clear- you are not welcome here. I want everyone to feel welcome and I want to encourage those whose native language is Spanish to be faithful to their Catholic spiritual roots. To that end, I began, with the help of the Diocese, to have Mass occasionally in Spanish. From those small beginnings the community has grown. Now Bishop O'Connell has recognized this and designated St. Mary's, in conjunction with St. Francis Parish, as a center for Latino ministry for Southern Ocean County. To that end, we have been assigned a priest effective July 1, 2018 to assist, Fr. Walter Quiceno. He is a wonderful young priest who is fluent in both English and Spanish. Our Bishop is very clear that his desire is not to have separate ethnic parishes, as in the past, nor does he want a parish within a parish. He wants parishes to function as one. That is, of course, easier said than done, but not impossible. It begins in prayer and charity.

My sister's parish is undergoing something similar. Her parish, Ascension in Bradley Beach, is being merged with St. Elizabeth's in Avon. That is a new adventure for them. It is challenging to suddenly have new parishioners and, in their case, another church building. Because something is new and different, or even uncomfortable, doesn't mean that it can't work. So, I ask each of us to pray. Let us pray for one another, whether our background is mostly growing up in the United States or having a different history-Italian, German, Polish, African, Filipino, Asian, Latino, or even another planet! We need to work together.

*"In this is love: not that we have loved God, but that He loves us and sent His Son as expiation for our sins. Beloved, if God so loved us, we also must love one another. No one has ever seen God. Yet, if we love one another, God remains in us, and His love is brought to perfection in us" (1 John 4:10-12).*

## KNOW YOUR SAINTS

*St. Catherine of Siena (1347-80), April 29.*

From Siena, Italy, she was the twenty-fifth child of a wool-dyer. Having made a vow of chastity when aged seven, she became a Dominican tertiary when aged fifteen, remaining in her parents' home and gathering all sorts of people as disciples by the example of her sanctity. She helped the poor of the city, nursed plague victims, living a heroically penitential life and was very effective in converting obdurate sinners. The unity and welfare of the Church was her special concern and she persuaded Pope Gregory XI to return to Rome from Avignon in 1376 and also tried to heal the subsequent Great Schism. Her most important writing was the *Dialogue* in which she recorded her many mystical experiences.

At the end of her life she became convinced that she had to atone for the sins of the Church, which continued to deteriorate into schism. Her final mystical vision placed the burden of the Church on her back, as though it were a large ship. She collapsed in great pain and lay paralyzed. Shortly after she died at the age of thirty-three. When she died, people saw peculiar marks on her body, the stigmata representing the wounds of her crucified Lord and a "wedding band" placed on her finger by her spiritual Spouse. Before her death, Catherine was the only one who could perceive these marks.

She was canonized in 1461 and was declared a Doctor of the Church by Pope Paul VI in 1870, the first woman so honored.

## MANY MINISTRIES/ONE MISSION

On **Saturday, June 16** we will have an important meeting to gather ALL the ministries of St. Mary's for a day of fellowship, reflection and renewal. There is always a great temptation to focus on MY ministry and lose sight of the bigger picture. To this end, a number of years ago we grouped all the wonderful ministries in our parish under broader headings. In order to strengthen the sense of community and working together, we invite, and strongly encourage, all the ministries to gather on that day from **9:00am until 12noon in the Parish Center**.

The day will begin with Mass at 9:00am in St. Mary of the Pines. We will proceed to the Parish Center for a continental breakfast. From 10:00am until 10:30am there will be a group presentation. At 10:30am the ministries will gather in their subgroups for discussion and sharing. There will be a brief and simple agenda for these meetings. At 11:30am we will regroup with all the ministries for a brief recap and conclusion. The day will end at 12noon.

It is important for us to come together this way so we are asking each ministry to be represented. **To register or for more information, please contact the rectory office.**

### REALITY CHECK/BASIC TRUTH

This week we continue our study of the Holy Spirit through excerpts from the Catechism of the Catholic Church. Remember your homework – take some time during this Easter Season in preparation for Pentecost to read those sections of the Catechism pertaining to the Holy Spirit!

What does the Holy Spirit do in our lives? A simple answer can be found in the gifts of the Holy Spirit, received in Confirmation, and the fruits of the Holy Spirit.

Quoting from St. Ambrose, the Catechism states: “Recall then that you have received the spiritual seal, the spirit of **wisdom** and **understanding**, the spirit of **right judgment** and **courage**, the spirit of **knowledge** and **reverence**, the spirit of **holy fear in God’s presence**. Guard what you have received. God the Father has marked you with His sign; Christ the Lord has confirmed you and has placed His pledge, the Spirit, in your hearts.” (CCC, #1303)

Quoting from Galatians 5:22-23, the Catechism states: “By this power of the Spirit, God’s children can bear much fruit. He who has grafted us onto the true vine will make us bear ‘the fruit of the Spirit...**love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control.**’ ‘We live by the Spirit’; the more we renounce ourselves, the more we ‘walk by the Spirit.’

‘Through the Holy Spirit we are restored to paradise, led back to the Kingdom of heaven, and adopted as children, given confidence to call God “Father” and to share in Christ’s grace, called children of light and given a share in internal glory.’” (CCC, #736)

### The Continuing Catholic Education Ministry Presents Queen of Heaven

Come join us for an exciting new parish program, *Queen of Heaven: Mary’s Battle for You*, which paints the epic narrative of Mary’s life. Hear of her life in Scripture and see how Mary lives on as the Mother of the Church. Filmed on location at over a dozen US pilgrimage sites. We invite you to join us and bring a friend! On DVD for 8 Thursdays, 10:00am -11:15am in the Parish Center, May 3 – June 14. **Call Margaret Wohl at 609-978-5465 for more information/registration.**

### ST. MARY’S M.O.M.S. GROUP Ministry of Mother’s Sharing

We are a Catholic Moms Group who meet to discuss relevant topics on being a Christian woman in today’s world, grow more in our faith through speakers and in sharing, and create meaningful relationships with other like-minded. Our meetings are usually every other Tuesday from 9:00am – 11:00am in the Parish Center. Free childcare will be provided. Can’t make mornings? Join us for our monthly night meeting instead. All moms are welcome!

### ENOUGH

The next meeting of our addiction ministry will be **Wednesday, May 2, 7:30pm in Monsignor Reinbold Hall.** All are welcome to attend.

### PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration at St. Mary’s takes place in the Adoration Chapel on church grounds in Barnegat. If you would like to become an Adorer for an open hour listed below, or to be added to our Substitute List, call Joann Kaczala @ 609-698-6168. Open hours:

**SUNDAY, 3:00pm to 4:00pm**  
**WEDNESDAY, 9:00am to 10:00am**

### BETANIA III

#### **Cause for the Beatification & Canonization of Maria Esperanza who passed away on LBI in 2004.**

Please join us for our weekly Wednesday Rosary –  
**EVERYONE IS WELCOME!**

- St. Mary of the Pines: 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays of the month at 6:30 pm.
- St. Mary’s Church, Barnegat: 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month at 3:00 pm.
- Mass is celebrated on the last Sunday of each month at 3:00 pm in St. Mary of the Pines.

**The next Mass (which fulfills the Sunday obligation)  
will be celebrated April 29.**

Any questions, please call Bob Dodds at 609-464-6773.

### Life In The Spirit

**“Remember that the Church was born on Pentecost”**  
– Pope Francis

**How can the Life in the Spirit seminar help you  
prepare for Pentecost, and the rest of your life?**

It can bring the scriptures alive for you. Teach you how to love and forgive others as Jesus does, and help you possess the grace and courage to share the Good News. You can learn how to be more open to the Holy Spirit through a **Life in the Spirit Seminar**. It will take place each Thursday evening from 7:00pm-9:00pm in the Media room of **St. Mary of the Pines Parish Center through May 31**. Call Dotty Cronan at **609-488-1708** to register or for more information. We wish to **“share with everyone in the Church the grace of baptism in the Holy Spirit”** as Pope Francis directs.

### JOB SEEKERS SUPPORT GROUP

St. Mary’s Job Seeker Support Group (formerly the Employee Resource Committee) meets on the **second and fourth Wednesday of each month at 7:00pm in St. Mary of the Pines all-purpose room**. The group offers assistance in preparing/updating a resume or cover letter, identifying job search internet links, preparing for a job interview, providing information on local job market conditions and wages, and other general support. **Please register for a meeting in advance by contacting Steve Muench at (513) 509-3654 or [smnjav@gmail.com](mailto:smnjav@gmail.com) by 5:00pm on the second or fourth Monday of each month. Thank you.**

### PUBLICITY MINISTRY

Through our parish council we are seeking volunteers to assist in publicizing our many parish activities, both within our parish and also to the broader community through radio and newspaper. If you have a background in this area or have an interest, please contact Msgr. Ken at the rectory office.

### COME TO THE TABLE

Over the next few weeks we will be inviting families to participate in our new program called, "Come to the Table." As a reminder, the goal is to more actively engage families, parents and their children, to become more active in their Faith and to enhance a spirit of community.

**The first meeting will take place on Wednesday, May 30, 7:00pm in the Parish Center.** All are welcome to attend.

To register or for more information contact the rectory office: 698-5531; the Religious Formation Office: 597-7600; the Youth Ministry Office: 597-1071; or the Youth Director, Alicia: [abruno@stmarybarnegat.com](mailto:abruno@stmarybarnegat.com)

### **DIVINE MERCY PARISH LIBRARY**

Good Catholic books and videos are available to borrow from our parish library. Located in the All-Purpose Room in St. Mary of the Pines, the hours are:

**Monday, 4:30 – 6:00pm**

**Wednesday & Friday, 10:00 – 11:30am**

Can't make these hours? Explore the library's contents online at [www.DivineMercyLibrary.org](http://www.DivineMercyLibrary.org) or send an email to [DivineMercyLibrary@gmail.com](mailto:DivineMercyLibrary@gmail.com)  
*Tenemos libros y dvds en Español*

### MONICA'S DAUGHTERS

**We meet the second and fourth Tuesday of every month 8:45am, in the rectory. For more information, please call Irene Kutner at 693-5029 or Jean Esposito at 607-1731.**

### SCRIPTURE SISTERS: A WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Bible Study will meet on Monday evenings from 6:00pm-7:30pm until May 21. We will celebrate our final fellowship that evening, and then break for the summer. For all who have shared in this Spiritual journey - be blessed!

### CURIOUS ABOUT THE BIBLE?

If you are the least bit interested in something about the Bible, if you have questions or wonder what some things mean, or if you want to get more familiar with the ancient texts of Christianity, and you are 18-39 years old, this brand-new Bible study is for you. **Come to Emmaus – weekly study on Friday evenings at 7:00 pm in the Charlie Kiger Conference Room** (upstairs in the rectory office). **No long-term commitment is necessary.**

**Call Mary or Felicia for more information, (609) 698-8619.**

### DIVORCED OR SEPARATED?

Please come – you are not alone. Support meetings with facilitators who have experienced the pain, are there to listen to yours. Meetings are held **every Wednesday at 7:00pm in the rectory office in Barnegat.** **For more information, please call Deacon Ron at 607-9447 or Lois Roberts at 290-8929.**

### INTERNATIONAL FRIENDSHIP DINNER

Our annual International Night Dinner will be **Saturday, May 19, 6:30pm, in the Parish Center.** Doors will open at 5:30pm. Tickets are \$8.00 each and can be purchased at the rectory. Tickets will not be sold at the door. **If you would like to share your culinary heritage, please contact Fran Thompson at (973) 647-0716 or Patty Golden at (609) 709-1633.** Join us for a sampling of delicious foods from around the world.

### MONTHLY SUNDAY BREAKFAST

On the first Sunday of each month the Knights of Columbus will host a parish breakfast in the Parish Center from **8:00am until 12:00pm.** The cost is family friendly and you will order from a menu – individually and freshly prepared! We hope to see you there! **Please join us on May 6.**

### BLOOD DRIVE

The Knights of Columbus Council 3826 will be hosting a Blood Drive on **Wednesday, May 16, 2:30pm to 8:00pm at the Parish Center.** To make an appointment, please call Chris at 732-278-4279 (leave a message) or Karen at 732-842-5750 x243, or email: [kmcgowan@cjcblood.org](mailto:kmcgowan@cjcblood.org). Please come out and help save a life!

### ST. PADRE PIO PRAYER GROUP

The St. Padre Pio Prayer Group will meet **Saturday, May 12 at St. Mary's Church after the 8:00am Mass** as we pray the rosary, Divine Mercy, and St. Pio Novena. Blessings with relics of various saints and speakers will follow prayers. Fellowship will follow in Monsignor Reinbold Hall. Guest speaker will be Deacon Joseph Fiorillo.

### FIRST SATURDAY FATIMA ROSARY RALLY

**The St. Padre Pio Prayer Group as well as Betania III ministry invites you to join us on the first Saturday of every month at 12:00noon at St. Mary's Barnegat to pray the Rosary for our country, political leaders around the world and peace on earth. We hope to see you there. The next rally will be May 5.**

### ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS

Fr. Duffy Division # 2 Ancient Order of Hibernians is a Irish Catholic Men's Organization we gather on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month at the American Legion Hall on Route # 9 in Barnegat, starting at 7:30pm. Please join us to celebrate your Irish Heritage, as well as promoting friendship, Unity and Christian Charity. **CONTACT: BOB GOODWIN 609-978-0635 for more details.**

### RESPECT LIFE NEWS

Every Friday we meet at St. Mary of the Pines at 2:30pm to say a rosary and special prayers for our new initiative—"Respect Life Educational Outreach Program." We will remain for the 3:00 Divine Mercy Holy Hour with the Chaplet and Benediction.

The Church is concerned about you, body and soul. For this reason St. Mary's has created their Respect Life Educational Outreach program to keep you informed about important issues we face today. Each week we will publish a brief article regarding a different life issue.



### KEN'S KITCHEN

Ken's Kitchen is a free social lunch program sponsored by St. Mary's Church, which welcomes people of all faiths from ours and the surrounding communities. Join us each Thursday in the Parish Center, 9:00am – 11:30am for coffee, followed by informative speakers and entertainment. Soup and lunch will be served from 10:30am-11:30am. Meals are available for take-out after 11:30am. Free bread and baked goods are distributed as well. Parish Nurses are available each week for blood pressure screenings and more. **For more information, please call John Donato at 660-9386.**

**May 10 – Lady Di**

### SPIRITUAL DIRECTORS

If you want a deeper relationship with God and desire guidance on your spiritual journey, **contact Patricia Addas at 607-8486 or (973) 479-6264, or Pat Stephens at (732) 728-0221.**

### PROVIDENCE HOUSE 50/50 RAFFLE

Catholic Charities is sponsoring a 50/50 raffle to benefit Providence House on June 8, at their annual gift auction. First prize is 25%; second prize is 15%; third prize is 10%. Cost of tickets are \$2.00 each and are available at the rectory.

### W.O.W. MEETINGS

The W.O.W. (Widows or Widowers) meetings for 2018 will be on the third Tuesday of the month from 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm in Monsignor Reinbold Hall. **Our next meeting is on May 15.** We hope to see you there. If you have any questions, please call Cookie at (609) 971-2609

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Last month, your donations--totaling over 10,000 pounds of food-- fed 182 families and 648 individuals and filled a great need. Thank you and God bless!

### RESPECT LIFE NEWS

**Every Friday**, we will meet at St. Mary of the Pines to say the Rosary and special prayers for our new initiative – "Respect Life Educational Outreach Program". We will also stay for the 3:00pm for Benediction and Divine Mercy Chaplet. **Our next Respect Life meeting is Saturday, May 5, 10:00am in the Rectory.**

### DESIGNER BAG BINGO

Interfaith Health and Support Services invites you to attend the Second Annual Designer Bag Bingo **Friday, June 15, at the Parish Center.** Doors open at 5:30pm. Bingo starts at 7:00pm Tickets: \$35.00 in advance; \$40.00 at the door. Coffee, tea and desserts included. Raffle baskets, door prizes, and an on-premise 50/50 will add to the evening's excitement.

All proceeds benefit Interfaith's services for seniors in Southern Ocean County. **Tickets are available at Interfaith office at 56 Nautilus Drive, Manahawkin Monday-Thursday 10:00am-2:00pm by calling (609) 978 -3839**

### CEAD MILE FAILTE (ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND WELCOMES!)

Our Lady of Knock Division 2 of the Ladies Ancient Order of Hibernians would like to extend to you an invitation to join our organization. **For further information please call Denise McInerney at 609-290-5054.**

### OUR PROMISE TO PROTECT

The Diocese of Trenton is committed to the initiatives outlined by 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 in the Catholic Church, or if you know someone who was, you can report that abuse through the Diocesan Abuse Line at (800) 296-2965 or via e-mail at [abuseline@dioceseoftrenton.org](mailto:abuseline@dioceseoftrenton.org).

The Diocese of Trenton reports any allegations of sexual abuse to the appropriate law enforcement agencies. Anyone with an allegation is also encouraged to provide that information to local law enforcement authorities.

### ST. MARY'S GOLF CLUB

Like to play golf but can't find someone to play regularly? Think the level of your game keeps you from enjoying a round with others?

Well, St. Mary's Golf Club just might be the answer to those questions. The club is made up of men and women who play with handicaps mostly over 15, who just enjoy playing golf and the companionship of others.

St. Mary's Golf Club meets three times a year at the Parish Center. The club meetings are to sign up members for the upcoming golf outings at Atlantis Golf Course in Tuckerton.

Club membership is \$25.00 for past members and \$35.00 for new members. **The 2018 "kick off" meeting will be Monday, May 21, 6:30pm, in the Parish Center.**

**If you think you might be interested in joining, you can contact Bruce Fulda at [baf82@msn.com](mailto:baf82@msn.com) or Frank Pecht at [fpocht114@comcast.net](mailto:fpocht114@comcast.net) and they will be glad to answer any questions or e-mail a copy of this year's club schedule.**

### TUESDAY MORNING SCRIPTURE GROUP

Meeting every Tuesday morning from 10:00am to 11:00am in the rectory in Barnegat and using the book At Home with the Word, we read and discuss the Readings for the upcoming weekend masses. No registration is necessary, so why not come and join us any Tuesday morning at 10:00? Everyone is welcome.

### ST. BERNARD FOOD FOR PET NEWS

On countless occasions, Friends of the Ocean County Animal Shelter have donated hundreds of pounds of dog food to St. Bernard's Food for Pets. We are very grateful for their generosity. On **May 19**, they are sponsoring a very special event that will benefit Friends. The event features art, fashion, music, food and wine all showcased in the gardens and home of a residential compound in Barnegat Light. **If you are interested in attending, please call Wildflowers at (609) 361-8191.**

Please continue to support St. Bernard's Food for Pets by donating or purchasing pet food. All proceeds are used to benefit our neighbors and friends who struggle to feed their pets.

### ANGELS NEEDED

Holy Redeemer Hospice, a faith based hospice program serving Ocean County is looking for angels to share their time and their talents with patients and families that are facing life-limiting illnesses. Hospice volunteers can help through patient visits or by offering office help to hospice staff. If you are interested, please call Bobbi Hunter at (732) 240-2449.

### YOUTH MINISTRY

St. Mary's Catholic Youth Alliance youth group meets most Thursdays at the Parish Center in Manahawkin. We have 2 groups, a Junior group for 6th-8th grades and High School group from 9th-12th. Registration is free and you can join by coming to any of our scheduled dates. Any questions you can call the Youth office at 609-597-1071.

**May 3:** NEW! HighSchool CnCOG

**May 10:** No Meeting - Ascension Thursday. See Holy Day of Obligation Schedule.

**May 17:** HS CnC meeting

**May 24:** CnCOG for both groups

**May 31:** Jr CnC meeting

### PEACEFUL DOVE GIFT SHOP

**Wednesday – Friday**

9:00am – 1:00pm

**Saturday & Sunday:**

9:00am – 2:00pm

**(609) 660-2400**

**Gifts for all occasions!**

100% of proceeds go to the poor.

\*\*\*Gifts for all Occasions are available\*\*\*

### SPANISH MINISTRY

*“Vengan a mi; los cansados y agobiados y sus almas encontraran Descanso” (Mt. 11:28)*

*“Sepan que el señor es Dios, el nos hizo y nosotros somos su pueblo y su rebaño” salmo 100:3*

**La Comunidad Hijos de María Santísima te invita a celebrar la Santa Misa cada 1<sup>st</sup> y 3<sup>rd</sup> Domingo de cada mes alas 2:00pm in le Iglesia.**

**Santa Maria de los pinos: y Todos los Viernes a las 7:00pm a la Asamblea de Oracion. Como pueblo de Dios te invitamos a encontrarte con él. Atravez del**

**Santo Rosario**

**Espiritu Santo**

**Lectura y meditacion de la palabra**

**Alabanzas y veras la Gloria de Dios**

**Platicas de bautismo cada 3<sup>rd</sup> lunes del mes.**

### ATTENTION ALL FINE ARTISTS

St. Mary's is having their Annual Art Shoe and Sale on **Saturday, August 25, 10:00am – 4:00pm, in the Parish Center.** We are looking for artists who would be interested in participating. It will be a **Fine Art Only** show. All proceeds will be divided between Family Promise and St. Vincent de Paul. The entrance fee for a 10 foot x 10 foot space is only \$25.00 and a 10% commission will be taken from all sales. **For more details and registration forms, please call Linda Saladino at (609) 660-8062.**



# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Knights of Columbus meet the 2nd Tuesday of every month, 7:30pm in Monsignor Reinbold Hall. New members are welcome always. **For more information, please call Grand Knight Ed Massari at 609-994-6001.**

### COLUMBIAN SQUIRES

We have a Squires Circle for boys ages 10-18. **For more information, please call Chief Counselor Tom Davies at 347-728-2654.**

### SQUIRE ROSE CIRCLE

We have a Squire Rose Circle for girls ages 10-18. **If interested, please contact our head counselor is Janine Davies at 347-728-2655.**

### Knights of Columbus Trips

**September 26:** Trip to Sands Casino, Bethlehem, Pa. Cost of \$39.00 per person includes transportation, \$30.00 casino credit and \$5.00 food voucher.

**November 27-29:** Trip to Mohegan Sun and Foxwoods Casino. Cost of \$320.00 per person includes transportation, 2 nights accommodations, \$30.00 free slot play, two full buffets and Foxwood casino comps.

**February 3 – 17, 2019:** 14 night Western Caribbean cruise on the Norwegian “Escape” from New York. Cost of \$1,810.25 per person includes two amenities and taxes.

**For reservations, please call Lou Serrao at (609) 698-3582.**

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