

Church of Our Lady Star of the Sea

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19th Sunday in Ordinary Time • August 7, 2022

Summer Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4:00, 5:30pm

Sunday: 7:00, 8:00, 9:30 (Live Stream as well)
11:00am and 6:00pm

St. Agnes, CM Point: Sunday: 8:30am

Daily Mass: Monday - Friday @ 11:00am
(Star of the Sea)

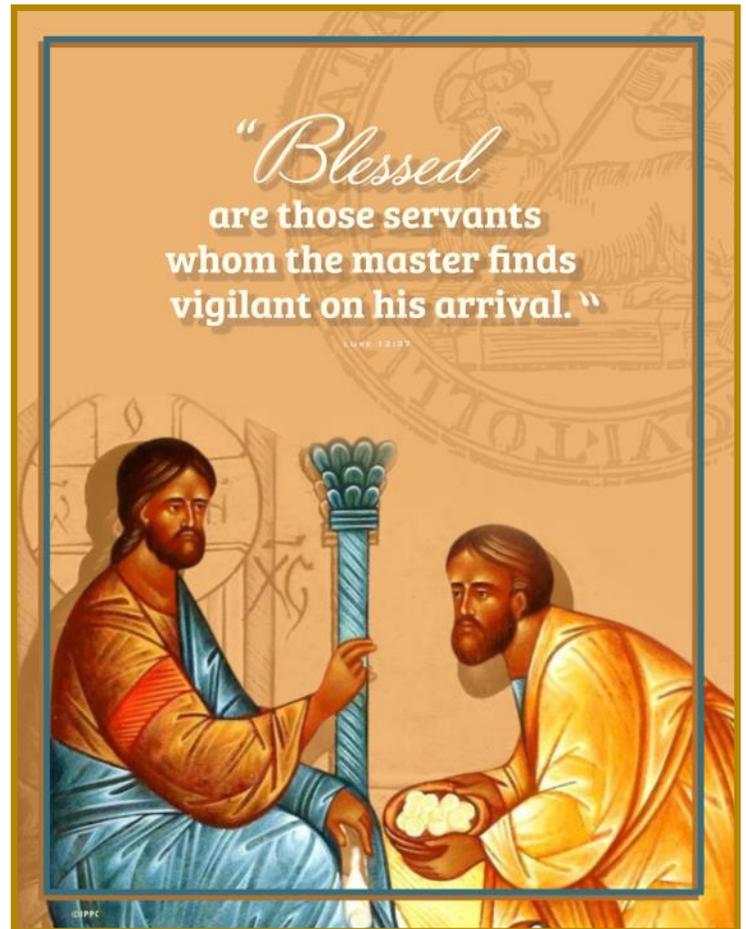
St. Agnes: Wednesday @ 8:30am

Confessions: Sat. 3:00-3:30pm
Tues. & Thurs. after 11:00am Mass

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

1st Saturday of Each Month: Mass @ 9:00am

Church open for Private Prayer:
Mon.-Fri. 10:00am - 8:00pm



Our Mission...

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

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

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www.ladystarofthesea.org

LITURGY

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, August 6

- 9:00a** Sandy Johnson
4:00p Zachary Swan r/b The Shaw Family
Sandy Johnson r/b Betty & Frank Stepniak
Michell Paynter r/b Mr. & Mrs. Ron Pilla
Sophia Seubert r/b The Seubert Family
5:30p John Cannon r/b Mary & Jack Snyder
Denis Rendler r/b Joan & Ken Kryst

SUNDAY, August 7

- 7:00a** Parishioners
8:00a Gerald Hutton r/b Lucie & Jim Seaman
Jerry Quinlan r/b Adeline Quinlan & Family
Ints. of Father Collins r/b Angelo Randazzo
9:30a Joseph John Greco, IV 24th Anniv. r/b
Leonora M. Greco
Pat Guntle r/b Her Husband & Children
11:00a Sallie Jean Schlosser r/b Chris & Mary
Clifton
Rose Baccarella 1st Anniv. r/b Dawn Aiello
Nick Hober r/b The Morris Family
Phil & Kathy Festa r/b The Haboush Family
Raymond, Neglin, Samuel Albed r/b The
Haboush Family
6:00p Bob & Jean Ewald r/b Their Children
Mary Dennen r/b The Ungvary Family

St. Agnes, Cape May Point

- 8:30a** John Fulginiti r/b Joan Scutti
Sandy Johnson r/b Anne Marie Patton
Elena & Albert Gonzalez r/b Helen Miranda

MONDAY, August 8

- 11:00a** Carmela Pacitti r/b Maria & Joe Tenaglia
Dec'd Members of the Perillo & Gravel
Families r/b Family

TUESDAY, August 9

- 11:00a** John & Mildred Gaynor r/b Carol Gaynor
Mary Steady r/b Joe Fahy

WEDNESDAY, August 10

- 11:00a** Joseph Steady, III r/b The Sowa Family
Barbara Byrne r/b Her Friends
Sophia Seubert r/b The Seubert Family

St. Agnes

- 8:30a** Jon Allen r/b Mary Lou & Michael Hayko

THURSDAY, August 11

- 11:00a** Gino Pagano r/b Betsy Pagano
Mary Parsons r/b Her Children
Ronald Hannon r/b The Hannon Family

FRIDAY, August 12

- 11:00a** June Smith r/b Tim Hilsey & Family
Edward & Eleanor Rochford r/b
Dr. James & Marilou Rochford

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Our House of Charity Campaign is Underway



FROM MANY
One Body

Please consider making a pledge to the House of Charity campaign today. Your pledge will ensure the vitality of essential Diocesan ministries and programs that sustain the redemptive presence of Jesus Christ through the Diocese.



"For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be." Luke 12: 34

Jesus encourages us to build up our treasure in heaven. The world encourages us to build up our treasure in real estate, investments, and material goods. How much time are you investing in building up a worldly treasure? How much time are you investing in building up a heavenly treasure? To invest more in the things of heaven, you must live **Stewardship** and let go of some of the things of this world.

SALESIAN REFLECTION

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time (8/7/2022)

Jesus has desired from all eternity to meet us here at this sacred meal.

He invites us to sit down with him and listen as he tells us about our Father's love for us and what our Father desires for us. He will also tell us how we can respond to our Father's loving care for us.

Jesus offers us the example of Abraham and Sarah, our ancestors in the faith, in today's reading from the Letter to the Hebrews. He tells us that we have faith when we accept our God's word as the truth, confident that what God says will become a reality.

Both Abraham and Sarah did just that: They left their homeland for a new land that God promised. They accepted God's word that they would have a child even though they were old. They were willing to sacrifice their son Isaac who was the only evidence they had of God's promise of many descendants. And God gave Isaac back to them as a sign of the truth of God's word to them and as a witness to their confident hope.

Jesus offers their example to us as a reminder. He tells us not to be afraid. Our Father is pleased to give us the kingdom. He invites us to place our trust in our Father's promise, to make our heart's only desire the treasure we have been promised and given.

The sign of our confident hope will be our willingness to be prepared each day: prepared to seek our Father's will for us each day and do it lovingly; prepared to live with Jesus at our side each day, talking with him about our day and listening as he talks to us, often through the people and events of our day; prepared to care gently for each person we will meet today.

Jesus tells us: much will be expected of the person entrusted with much. You and I have been given much by our God. Let us be worthy of the trust our God puts in us as his beloved children.

Let us take what Jesus tells us at this meal and live it out today – and every day. He is here to strengthen us to do just that - for he gives us his Body to eat and his Blood to drink.

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



NATIONAL
**Eucharistic
Revival**

Live Jesus

"If Christ did not want to dismiss the Jews without food in the desert for fear that they would collapse on the way, it was to teach us that it is dangerous to try to get to heaven without the Bread of Heaven."

~ St. Jerome

Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass



If this year, 2022, you are celebrating a milestone Wedding Anniversary of 25, 50, 60, or 70 years or more, please join us in celebrating Mass with the Bishop. A light reception in the parish hall will follow.

When: Sunday, September 25 @ 3:00PM

Where: St. Gianna Beretta Molla, Northfield

Registration: forms available in the Parish Office

Deadline to register: September 9

The emphasis of Worldwide

Marriage Encounter is on communication between husband and wife, who spend a weekend together away from the distractions and the tensions of everyday life, to concentrate on each other. Every marriage deserves that kind of attention!



When: Oct 14-16 and Dec 2-4, 2022.

Contact: 609-741-8012 for information or email applications@wwme-southjersey.org.

Visit our website: wwme-southjersey.org.

Saturday - Aug. 13		Lectors		Sunday - Aug. 14	
4:00p	G. Kucher	7:00a	J. Preis	7:00a	J. Preis
5:30p	W. Kuemmerle	8:00a	E. Mahaney	8:00a	E. Mahaney
		9:30a	T. Konz	9:30a	T. Konz
		11:00a	J. Fahy	11:00a	J. Fahy
		6:00p	J. McCaney	6:00p	J. McCaney

Extraordinary Ministers

Saturday - Aug. 13

4:00p 1. D. Dix 2. M. Schuhl 3. F. Greenfield 4. N. Mulvaney
5:30p 1. Y. Kuemmerle 2. M. McCormick

Sunday - Aug. 14

7:00a 1. ML. Hayko 2. E. Krause 3. J. Preis
8:00a 1. P. Motz 2. L. Saggiomo 3. S. Tarrant 4. E. Mahaney
9:30a 1. B. Schiffbauer 2. MR. Piro 3. B. Sharp 4. P. Dillon
11:00a 1. E. Hughes 2. B. Van Riper 3. J. Foreman 4. J. Foreman
6:00p 1. J. Holt 2. K. Brown 3. F. Bianco

St. Agnes: 8:30a St. Agnes, Cape May Point

Sunday: 8:30a R. Turco (Lector) M. Turco, AM. Zabelinski

THANKS FOR BEING HERE

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

★ Our Lady Star of the Sea ★ Parish Registration Form

Last Name _____
Full Name and relationship of all resident family members you wish to register at OLSS:

E-Mail Address:

Mailing Address in Cape May Area*:

Permanent Address (if different):

Preferred Telephone #: _____

Are you a:

- Full-time resident
- Seasonal resident

*PLEASE *do not* use a rental property address.

Place completed form in the Offertory Basket or send to Parish Office.



SOUTH JERSEY CATHOLIC CEMETERIES
Your Choice † Your Privilege † Your Right

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

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

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

SCHOOL NEWS



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SACRAMENTS

BAPTISMS

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

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 3:00 - 3:30 PM

Tuesday and Thursday after the 11:00 AM Mass

VISITATION OF THE SICK

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

MARRIAGES

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

Please visit the Parish website,

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

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

Parish Ministries

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

GOOD SAMARITAN If you are interested in becoming a volunteer please contact Janet Kerney @ 267-342-2756. Parish volunteers are available to help others in a variety of ways: rides to Sunday Mass, doctor's appointments, shopping/banking, errands. Also visits: hospitals, nursing homes, your home, brief respite care. Let us know your need and we will try to provide for you. All requests must go through the Captain of the week. Please do not call our volunteers directly. To use our services you must be fully vaccinated. We are unable to transport wheelchairs. **This week's captain is Pat Raymond. Her number is 610-316-3230.**



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

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

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

SURVIVORS & THRIVERS is a community whose mission it is to support women who have experienced or are experiencing any kind of cancer. We meet on the first and third Thursdays of every month from 4:00 - 5:30 PM in the Parish Hall, and we welcome all women regardless of faith or parish affiliation. For more information or to join the group, call Christina at 610-908-2405 or email her at bluepaw74@yahoo.com.



THE LEGION OF MARY meets Mondays at 9:15AM in the DeSales Room in the Parish Hall. All are welcome to join in the service of Mary. For information please call Liz McPherson, President (609)884-2947.

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



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

Parish Pastoral Council The primary focus of the council is to oversee the Parish Pastoral Plan and to evaluate and recommend new goals each year. The following parishioners are members of the Parish Pastoral Council: Joe Bogle (Chair), Donna Wicker (Vice Chair), Patrick Holden, Danielle Rechner, and Janet Kerney.

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

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

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

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



PRAYER IS POWERFUL!
Pray for the Sick of Our Parish

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

Bill Causey, Rev. James Collins, Angel Hennessy, John Krimmel, Maura Marnell, Marielle Murphy, Jason & Jaxon Rivera, Rose Walsh



Pray For Our Deceased

Connie Velli

They have gone no further from us than to God, and God is very near.

OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES

Would you like to volunteer?
Call us today! We need you!

Car Raffle Booth

Available Time Slots:
Saturday: 4:00 - 6:00PM
Sunday: 5:00 - 7:00PM & 7:00 - 9:00PM
If you would like to join the Car Raffle Team, please call Martine Simonis, 484-885-6435 or 609-884-5312 ext. 102

Wednesday Tours of Our Lady Star of the Sea Church



We invite parishioners and vacationers to join us for a tour of our century old church.

When: Wed. evenings at 7:00PM
Tour Guides: Father Dave Devlin, Pastor Joe Fahy, Donna Wicker

Learn the history of the Church and the significance and meaning of the beautiful stained glass windows, the altar, statues, and other church features.

2022 Mercedes-Benz GLA250 Car Raffle



Can't make it to the Washington Street Mall to purchase tickets for our annual church fundraiser? Simply scan the QR code and it will take you to a hyperlink to download and print out our new Mail-in Car Raffle Ticket Form.

The Wedding of the Sea



Join us for an Our Lady Star of the Sea Church tradition as we celebrate the "Wedding of the Sea" after the 11AM Mass on the Feast of the Assumption, Mon., Aug. 15.

After Mass a statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be carried in a procession down Ocean Street from the church to the beach for the traditional "Wedding of the Sea" ceremony.

The "Wedding of the Sea" is a popular centuries old rite in many European seacoast cities and towns like Venice. The ceremony symbolizes the Wedding of the Sea and the City created by God, in proximity to each other, and blessed by His love and protection.

After the blessing, a lifeguard will assist Father David Devlin by casting a floral garland into the surf.

*Where Mary has gone, we hope to follow!
Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us!*

A Marian Evening with Irish Tenor, Mark Forrest



When: Monday, August 15
Where: St. Ann Church, Wildwood
Time: 7PM
Cost: Free-will offering
Questions: Call 609-522-2709

An Evening of Prayer, Meditation and Music
ALL ARE WELCOME

You Are Invited

Keynote Speaker: Abby Johnson
3rd Annual Benefit Dinner
 Friday, August 12, 2022
Cocktail hour begins at 6pm
Dinner at 7pm



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