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March 22, 2026



St. Frances Cabrini

Worship Site at 2nd Street

Sunday: 10:30 AM & 4:00 PM (SPA)

Confessions: Sunday, 3:00 PM (ENG/SPA)



St. Augustine

Worship Site at 13th Street

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 9:00 AM

Confessions: Saturday, 3:00 PM

Daily Mass (Mon - Sat): 8:30 AM

Communion Service (Mon - Fri): 7:00 AM

Adoration (Mon - Fri): 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM



Our Lady of Good Counsel

Worship Site at 40th Street

Sunday: 7:30 AM

All Are Welcome!

5th Sunday of Lent

GATHERING SONG

Gather Us In

Marty Haugen

1. Here in this place new light is stream - ing,
2. We are the young— our lives are a mys - t'ry,
3. Here we will take the wine and the wa - ter,

Now is the dark - ness van - ished a - way,
We are the old— who yearn for your face,
Here we will take the bread of new birth,

See in this space our fears and our dream - ings,
We have been sung through - out all of his - t'ry,
Here you shall call your sons and your daugh - ters,

Brought here to you in the light of this day.
Called to be light to the whole hu - man race.
Call us a - new to be salt for the earth.

Gath - er us in— the lost and for - sak - en,
Gath - er us in— the rich and the haugh - ty,
Give us to drink the wine of com - pas - sion,

Gath - er us in— the blind and the lame;
Gath - er us in— the proud and the strong;
Give us to eat the bread that is you;

Call to us now, and we shall a - wak - en,
Give us a heart so meek and so low - ly,
Nour - ish us well, and teach us to fash - ion

We shall a - rise at the sound of our name.
Give us the cour - age to en - ter the song.
Lives that are ho - ly and hearts that are true.

Text: Marty Haugen, b.1950. Tune: GATHER US IN, Irregular; Marty Haugen, b.1950. © 1982, Gia Publications, Inc.

PROFESSION OF FAITH

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

OFFERTORY SONG

Be Forgiven

Tom Booth

Refrain I

Be for - giv - en, be for - giv - en,

be for - giv - en of the sin that you hold on.

Be for - giv - en, be for - giv - en,

1, 2

Je - sus died and rose that you might know his love,

to Verses

and be for - giv - en.

Final

died and rose that we might know his love

and be for - giv - en, be for -

giv - en, be for - giv - en.

Verse 1

Jesus told you he wants your peace, and Jesus told you he wants you healed.
Jesus lifted up the blind man. He lifted up the dead. He lifted those who mourn their own.
He did just what he said, and Jesus rose for you, and he rose for me.
He died and rose that we might know his peace and... (to Refrain I)

Verse 2

Jesus walked the miles that it took to reach us.
Jesus touched the leper that you shouldn't touch.
Jesus wept for Lazarus. Don't you think he'll do the same for you and me,
when we are dead, and we are in our graves? And Jesus rose for you, and he rose for me.
He died and rose that we might know his peace (to Bridge)

Bridge

And like the woman at the well, he looks into our eyes
and tells us everything that we have ever done.
And with a love that's plain to see,
he is calling you and me to follow him that we might truly be... (to Refrain II)

Refrain II

for - giv-en, for - giv-en, for -
giv - en of the sin that we hold on.
Be for-giv-en, be for - giv-en, Je-sus
died and rose that we might know his love, and

to Refrain I

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HOLY, HOLY

Mass of Christ the Savior

Dan Schutte

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and
earth are full, are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na! Ho -
san - na! Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is
he who comes, who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -

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MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

Mass of Christ the Savior

Dan Schutte



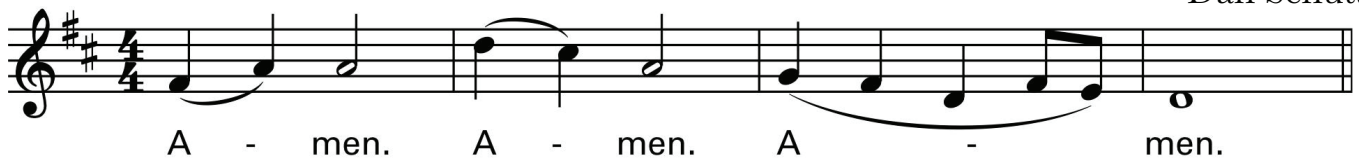
When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we pro-
claim your Death, O Lord, un - til you come a - gain.

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GREAT AMEN

Mass of Christ the Savior

Dan Schutte



A - men. A - men. A - men.

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THE LORD'S PRAYER

LAMB OF GOD

Mass of Christ the Savior

Dan Schutte



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the
world, have mer-cy on us. world, grant us peace.

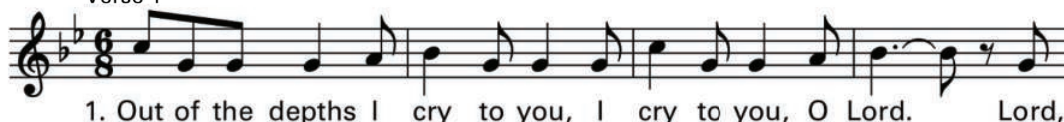
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COMMUNION SONG

With the Lord

Michael Joncas

Verse 1



1. Out of the depths I cry to you, I cry to you, O Lord. Lord,



1. o-pen your ears and hear my voice, at-tend to the sound of my plea.

Refrain



With the Lord there is mer-cy and the full-ness of re-



demp-tion, call to him in your tri-als, he will



an - swer when-ev - er you call. call. call.

1, 3 to Vss 2, 4 | 2 to Vs 3 | Final

Verses 2, 4



2. If you — O Lord, — should mark — our guilt, then, Lord, who could
4. 7 More than the sen - ti - nels wait for the dawn, let Is - ra - el



2. hope to sur-vive? But with you is found for - give-ness of
4. wait for the Lord. For kind-ness is his, re - demp-tion for



2. sin, and mer - cy that we might re - vere you.
4. all, for - give-ness of sins for his peo - ple.

to Refrain

Verse 3



3. Trust in the Lord, count on his word, wait for the



3. Lord, my soul. I will wait for the Lord all the



3. days of my life as sen - ti - nels wait for the dawn.

to Refrain

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SENDING SONG

Led by the Spirit

Bob Hurd



1. Led by the Spir - it of our God, we go to fast and
2. Led by the Spir - it, we con - front temp - ta - tion face to
3. Led by the Spir - it, now draw near the wa - ters of re -
4. Led by the Spir - it, now sing praise to God the Trin - i -



1. pray With Christ in - to the wil - der - ness; we join his
2. face, And know full well we must re - ly on God's re -
3. birth With hearts that long to wor - ship God in spir - it
4. ty: The Source of Life, the liv - ing Word made flesh to



1. pas - chal way. "Rend not your gar - ments, rend your hearts. Turn
2. deem - ing grace. On bread a - lone we can - not live, but
3. and in truth. "Who - ev - er drinks the drink I give shall
4. set us free, The Spir - it blow - ing where it will to



1. back your lives to me." Thus says our kind and
2. nour - ished by the Word We seek the will of
3. nev - er thirst a - gain." Thus says the Lord who
4. make us friends of God: This mys - t'ry far be -



1. gra - cious God, whose reign is lib - er - ty.
2. God to do: this is our drink and food.
3. died for us, our Sav - ior, kin and friend.
4. yond our reach, yet near in heal - ing love.

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From the Pastor's Desk

After many years of service to St. Augustine Parish and St. Damien Parish, Susan Campbell has decided to retire. I want to thank Susan for her ministry over these past years and wish her good health and joy in her retirement years.

If you or anyone you know is interested in working in our parish office two or three days a week please send me an email and we can get together to have a conversation. tnewton@stdamienparish.com
Enjoy these closing days of Lent.

Peace,
Fr. Tom

MARCH 25

Wednesday

7:00 PM

St. Augustine

Lenten Penance Service

Join us for our annual Lenten Penance Service on March 25, 2026. All are welcome to partake in this special evening of reflection and prayer.





Easter Magnets

The Ocean City Knights of Columbus will be offering “**He is Risen**” Yard signs and Magnets for your Car or Refrigerator to **Celebrate Easter!** Look for the Knights after all Masses on March 21st & 22nd. Your generous donations to our local charities will be accepted. And remember, “**He is Risen!**”



MARCH 27

Friday

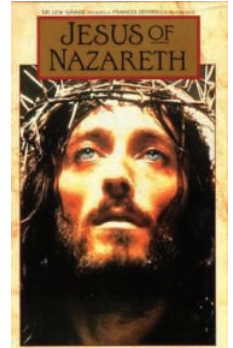
6:00 PM

Parish Center

1337 Asbury Ave

Young Adult Movie & Reflection

Come join us for a movie followed by group discussion and reflection. We will be watching scenes of the Passion from *Jesus of Nazareth*. Refreshments will be provided. Open to anyone 18-33 years old. *For more information, contact Xander Wright at xwright@stdamienparish.com or (609) 412-9358 (call/text).*



Mass Intentions

St. Augustine (13th St.)

Saturday, March 21st

- 8:30 am **For the Parish Community**
 4:00 pm **In Loving Memory of Robert McDowell and Joseph Marchese**
 requested by their Families
Frances Marotta
 requested by Charles & Mary Jane Durkin

Sunday, March 22nd

- 9:00 am **Michael Rago**
 requested by Diana Rago
Bryan McGeoch - 17th Anniversary
 requested by Jim & Judy McGeoch

Monday, March 23rd

- 8:30 am **Patricia Trevi**
 requested by her Loving Husband

Tuesday, March 24th

- 8:30 am **Marjory McShane**
 requested by Therese Donlan

Wednesday, March 25th

- 8:30 am **Madeline Cruoglio**
 requested by Larry & Tina Boylan

Thursday, March 26th

- 8:30 am **Nancy Southard**
 requested by Carl & Theresa DeBarbrie

Friday, March 27th

- 8:30 am **Julie Mangan**
 requested by The Mangan Family

St. Frances Cabrini (2nd St.)

Sunday, March 22nd

- 10:30 am **Isabella Palumbo**
 requested by Elaine DiGiamgattista
Jason Kurtz
 requested by John & Lucille Worley
 4:00 pm **For the Parish Community**

Coming Up Next Weekend...

Saturday, March 28th

- 8:30 am (13th) **Schiavo/Welker Families**
 requested by Ralph Schiavo
 4:00 pm (40th) **Chris & Bob Armstrong and Family (Special Intention)**
 requested by Cathy & Dave Neder
John Wesley Hokenbury
 requested by Rosemary & Gary Wallace
 5:30 pm (13th) **MaryAnne Suter**
 requested by Sally McDonnell
Frances Marotta
 requested by her Loving Husband

Sunday, March 29th (Palm Sunday)

- 7:30 am (40th) **Robert Talone**
 requested by Joseph Talone
Ruth A. Coates
 requested by Rod & Janet Burk
 8:00 am (2nd) **John Sager**
 requested by Maurcy & John Daley
 9:00 am (13th) **Tricia Shafie**
 requested by Alice Rinkavage
Marie R. Gallagher
 requested by Carol Heenan
 10:30 am (2nd) **Robert McDonnell**
 requested by Ruth Ann Firmani
Patsy Burns (Living)
 requested by her Children
 11:00 am (13th) **Rosalie Peachey-Brancato**
 requested by Sal and Jill Iuliano
 4:00 pm (2nd) **For the Parish Community**

Our Lady of Good Counsel (40th St.)

Sunday, March 22nd

- 7:30 am **Joseph Holmes**
 requested by The Family
Jack Thornton
 requested by Jim and Joan Ricketts

HOLY WEEK & EASTER

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday

Saturday, March 28

4:00 PM: Our Lady of Good Counsel (40th St.)

5:30 PM: St. Augustine (13th St.)

Sunday, March 29

7:30 AM: Our Lady of Good Counsel (40th St.)

8:00 AM: St. Frances Cabrini (2nd St.)

9:00 AM: St. Augustine (13th St.)

10:30 AM: St. Frances Cabrini (2nd St.)

11:00 AM: St. Augustine (13th St.)

4:00 PM (Spanish): St. Frances Cabrini (2nd St.)

Holy Thursday

Thursday, April 2

St. Augustine (13th St.)

8:30 AM: Morning Prayer

7:00 PM: Mass of the Lord's Supper

Good Friday

Friday, April 3

St. Augustine (13th St.)

8:30 AM: Morning Prayer

3:00 PM: Service of the Lord's Passion

Holy Saturday

Saturday, April 4

St. Augustine (13th St.)

8:30 AM: Morning Prayer

9:00 AM: Blessing of the Easter Food

8:00 PM: Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday

Sunday, April 5

7:30 AM: St. Augustine (13th St.)

7:30 AM: Our Lady of Good Counsel (40th St.)

8:00 AM: St. Frances Cabrini (2nd St.)

9:00 AM: St. Augustine (13th St.)

9:00 AM: Our Lady of Good Counsel (40th St.)

10:30 AM: St. Frances Cabrini (2nd St.)

11:00 AM: St. Augustine (13th St.)

11:00 AM: Our Lady of Good Counsel (40th St.)

1:00 PM (Spanish): St. Frances Cabrini (2nd St.)



Prayer Requests

For all those in need of healing...

Kim Bailey	Donald DeRossi, Jr.	Mark Heister	Mike Murphy	Anthony Spadafora
Suzanne Barr	Maryann Dishaw	Kenneth Hoffman	Joseph O'Conner	Cynthia Thompson
Julie Baumgardner Perkins	Eileen Doering	Mary Hudak	Janice Orlowski	Lucas Towers
Neil Betchner	Bob Dolan	Theresa Ifkovits	Terrence Polazneck	Baby Shane Wetzel
Larry Boylan	Dan Durkin	Brian Kozakowski	Joseph Probst	Carol Wheeler
Matthew Bozarth	Charlene Engel	Laurie Anne Krebs	John Quinn	Laura Wheeler
Marie Call	Robert Fastuca	John Logue	Eileen Reilly	Allen Wood
Baby Giancarlo Campozzoli	Jim Fedoryczuk	Joseph Lopresti	Walter Rider	Bill Wood
Brooklyn Marie Civil	Alison Feller	Mike Maioriello	Bud Scherle	Nora
Lauren Cook	Nicholas Franceschi	John Maioriello	Maureen Schneider	Ellie
Nancy Cook	Vira Froehlinger	Julia Martin	Carly Grace Serlenga	Rebecca G.
Baby Iris Cooper	Larry Golt	Rosa Martinez	Frank Sheldon	Brooke
Robert Crane	Valerie Gonzalez	Chris McNesby	Nina Sheppard	Baby Gia
Pat Crowley	Mary Kates Gray	Rita Miselo	Richard Sinclair	Baby Cocco
John DellaFave	Baby Stella Harper	Baby Griffin Munsell	Baby Jamie Singer	Janet

For all those who have died...

Joseph Mayers | Russell Migeot

If you would like to request a special prayer for someone, please call the Parish Office at (609) 399-0648.

Stewardship of Treasure

Weekly Offertory

3/8/2026	\$ 20,882		
3/9/2025	\$ 22,548		
DIFF:	\$ (1,666)	-7.39%	

Fiscal Year to Date

FISCAL YEAR			
2025-2026 YTD:	\$ 1,102,764		
FISCAL YEAR			
2024-2025 YTD:	\$ 1,092,347		
DIFF:	\$ 10,417	+0.95%	



Saint Damien Parish offers a more accessible, secure, and convenient way to donate online through Parish Giving. Scan the QR code with your smartphone and sign up today!



Weekly Parish Activities

Mon-Sat	Rosary 7:50 AM • St. Augustine
Mon-Fri	Eucharistic Adoration 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM • St. Augustine
	Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet 12:00 PM • St. Augustine
Monday	Miraculous Medal Novena 8:15 AM • St. Augustine
Tuesday	Legion of Mary 9:15 AM • Parish Center
Wednesday	Knitting & Crocheting 10:00 AM • Parish Center
Thursday	St. Frances Novena 8:15 AM • St. Augustine
Friday	Rosary (Prayers Offered for Vocations) 12:00 PM • St. Augustine

MAR 24
TUE**Legion of Mary Weekly Meeting****Every Tuesday at 9:15 AM • Parish Center (1337 Asbury Ave.)**All are welcome! *To learn more, contact Mary Louise Bowdler at (609) 442-4091.***MAR 25**
WED**St. Damien Parish Knitting & Crocheting Ministry**
10:00 AM • Parish Center (1337 Asbury Ave.)

The St. Damien Knitting & Crocheting Ministry creates handmade items that bring comfort and share Christ's love throughout our community. In 2025, donations supported the Atlantic City Rescue Mission, Options for Her, Father Benedict House Clothing Pantry, Eastern Service Workers Clothing Pantry, St. Damien Hispanic Community, The Gift of Life Program, St. Damien Faith Formation Program (Santa's Workshop), and families served by the St. Damien Social Ministry. The group is currently making lap blankets and shawls for Grace Hospice patients. The ministry meets Wednesdays, 10:00 AM–12:00 PM at the Parish Center (1337 Asbury Avenue). All skill levels are welcome. For more information, contact Joanne Kelly at 609-399-0648 X0100 or jkelly@stdamienparish.com

**MAR 25**
WED**Leisure Club****1:00 PM - 3:30 PM • Culliney Hall (122 Atlantic Ave.)**

The Leisure Club meets on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month. All are welcome to attend!
Questions? Call Tom at 609-390-8269.

MAR 27
FRI**Stations of the Cross****Every Friday at 4:30 PM • St. Augustine (13th St. & Wesley Ave.)**

Stations of the Cross will be held every Friday in Lent (except Good Friday) at 4:30 PM at St. Augustine. All are welcome!

**APR 1**
WED**Journey of Love: Traveling the World with Bishop Robert Barron**
10:00 AM - 11:15 AM • April 1, 15, 22 • Parish Center (1337 Asbury Ave.)

Our interior disposition is to turn toward God and imitate and deepen our relationship with Christ. Bishop Robert Barron, through media presentations, enlightens and invites us to open our lives by traveling with Christ through Scripture, Art, Architecture, Music, Reflections, and study. Praying for the grace of conversion and transformation. Registration is required to receive helpful handouts. To register, contact Sr. Jeanne at jbelli@stdamienparish.com.

APR 1
WED**American Legion Morvay-Miley-Cruise Post 524 Lunches**

Wednesdays • 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM • Starting April 1

46th & West Avenue, Ocean City, NJ*All proceeds benefit veteran projects. Everyone is welcome!*

Faith & Justice

St. Damien Social Ministry

The St. Damien Social Ministry is a ministry of care and hope for our neighbors during especially challenging times. With rising costs, economic uncertainty, and severe winter weather, the need for assistance has grown significantly. Through limited financial help with rent and utility bills, the ministry works to keep families safe, warm, and housed, and to help prevent homelessness. The St. Damien Society Ministry is administered by Joanne Kelly, the Pastoral Associate for Justice and Community Outreach, and overseen by our pastor, Father Thomas Newton.

Lenten Call to Action

During this Lenten season, we invite you to support St. Damien Social Ministry through prayer and, if you are able, through financial donations. Your generosity makes a meaningful difference in the lives of those most in need. Questions? Please contact Joanne Kelly at 609-399-0648 X0100 or jkelly@stdamienparish.com.

13th Annual Diocese of Camden FaithFULL Food Drive

March 21-22, 2026

The **Catholic Social Teaching** principles of **Solidarity** (we're all in this together), and **Subsidiarity** (solve problems close to where we find them) guide us as we prepare for the Diocese of Camden's FaithFULL Food Drive.

"Our fasting this Lent can create more room in our hearts and in our budgets for those who go hungry in our communities." -**Bishop Joseph A. Williams**

On the weekend of March 21-22, 2026, all the parishes in the Diocese of Camden will be collecting food donations during the 13th Annual Faith FULL Food Drive. There will be collection boxes in all the churches and the Parish Center for your convenience. The donations from St. Damien Parish will benefit the Ocean City Ecumenical Council Food Cupboard. The Food Cupboard is in particular need of the following items:

Dinty Moore beef stew
 Hormel Chili
 Chef Boyardee (Any Flavor)
 Canned Beans (Any Kind)
 Canned Pork And Beans
 Canned Fruit
 Spaghetti Sauce (No Pasta Needed At This Time)
 Knorr Pasta Sides
 Peanut Butter
 Jelly
 Bars Of Soap

Questions? Please contact Joanne Kelly at 609-399-0648 X0100 or jkelly@stdamienparish.com

Food for Life Freezer Donations

The Food for Life Freezer is in dire need of some dinners! This food goes to the elderly, the sick, and those who can't get out. We have containers in the back of both churches for your meals. You can return them to the freezer in the parish center. Instructions are with the container. We thank you in advance! Any questions please contact Joan McKeown (609) 399-5054.

Beacon of Hope

Beacon of Hope, an overnight shelter in Atlantic City for women and men can use your help. Boots, sneakers, and socks can be placed in the box at the back of the church at St. Augustine or St. Frances Cabrini. For information on volunteering, call Doug at (949) 366-6418. Donations of gift cards or cash can be brought to Sr. Jeanne at the Parish Center.

SSJ Neighborhood Center



We invite you to check your closets and donate any gently used t-shirts to the SSJ Neighborhood Center. The shirts will be repurposed as reusable shopping bags. Donations can be dropped off at the Parish Center (1337 Asbury Ave.) We thank you for your generosity!

Thrift Shop



The St. Damien Parish Thrift Shop is located at 914 Haven Ave in Ocean City and is open every Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from 10 AM - 3:00 PM. Come by and check out what we have in stock, all at affordable prices. We are currently collecting soda can tabs for Ronald McDonald House. Please drop off any tabs you might have!

Pro-Life



Pregnant, Need Help? Contact Jersey Shore Women's Center at 609-568-6551 where you will be offered a variety of services in a safe and loving environment. Some of the services offered include Pregnancy Tests, Ultrasounds, Material Support including diapers, wipes, formula and more, Transportation Assistance to JSWC Appointments, Parenting and Educational Classes and more. Join countless women who have experienced Jersey Shore Women's Center's care and support.



*“The Holy Rosary is a powerful weapon.
Use it with confidence and
you’ll be amazed at the results.”*

(St. Josemaria Escriva)

We gather as a community to pray the Rosary:

Monday thru Saturday – 7:50am prior to morning Mass

Monday thru Friday - Noon

Wednesday 9am after morning Mass

*Tuesday and Friday during Lent we will be praying the
Seven Sorrows of Mary Rosary, 9am after morning Mass*

(Stained Glass window of the Our Lady Queen of Martyrs, St. Frances Cabrini Church)

Mary's Way of the Cross

We gathered for Friday's Stations of the Cross to walk with Jesus on his way to Calvary through the eyes of Mary. Our thanks to all who made this a moving and beautiful service.



The Father Benedict House



The Fr. Benedict House is a drop-in center for the homeless in Atlantic City. We are open twice a week for coffee, bagels, fellowship and prayer.

For information about volunteer opportunities at the Fr. Benedict House on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:30am - 1pm, please contact Sr. Maria Teresa at 609-343-1545

Are You a Baptized Catholic Who Has Not Yet Been Confirmed?

Have you been baptized in the Catholic Church but never received the Sacrament of Confirmation? It's never too late to complete your initiation and be strengthened by the gifts of the Holy Spirit.

If you are interested, or if you know someone who may be, please contact Joanne Kelly at jkelly@stdamienparish.com or 609-399-0648 X0100 for more information and to sign up.

We look forward to accompanying you as you take this important step in your faith journey!

Stewards Believe

"Jesus said to her, 'Did I not tell you that if you believe you will see the glory of God?'" (JOHN 11:40)

Many of us say that we believe in God. We attend Sunday Mass and participate in parish events. But when life gets hard and the pressure is on, when things aren't going our way, do we really believe? Do we really put our trust in the Lord? When we live a life of gratitude, recognizing all that we have been given, we really do see that God is providing for our needs. Living a grateful and generous **Stewardship** life allows us to see God's active presence in our daily lives and we become "partakers of the divine nature."

Ministerio Hispano

Agradecemos a todos los que participaron en el curso de preparación para Lectores y Ministros Extraordinarios de la Eucaristía.

Los felicitamos por su generoso servicio en la Santa Misa y por su compromiso con nuestra comunidad de fe. A continuación, compartimos algunas fotos de la **entrega de certificados**.



 Recordatorios Importantes**No olvides llevar tu boletín a casa.**

Recordemos que **EL SANTÍSIMO SACRAMENTO** es la presencia real de **Jesús vivo**. Él está presente en nuestra iglesia en todo momento.

Por ello, se recomienda hacer una **reverencia al entrar y al salir del templo**, así como **guardar silencio** por respeto a Jesús y a quienes están en oración.


 Grupo de Oración

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