



**Bishop of the  
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O'Connell, C. M.

**Pastor:**  
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**Pastor Emeritus:**  
Reverend Fr. William J. Bausch

**Deacons:**  
Fred Sorrentino  
Vincent Rinaldi

**Trustees:**  
Bill LaMorte  
Irene Weller

**Parish Office hours**  
Mon. - Thurs. 8:30 am - 7:30 pm  
Open Sunday 9 am - 12 noon.  
*Closed Tuesday, 4 July*

**Parish Membership:**

New Parishioners welcome!  
Next New Parishioner Orientation  
- Sunday, 9 July 11 am  
Contact Parish Office  
*Registration is required*

**Sacraments:**

**Eucharist:** Detailed Mass Times  
listed on page 2

**Penance & Reconciliation**  
Saturday 4 pm or by appointment.

**Marriage**  
Contact the Parish Office one year in  
advance for information & guidelines.

**Baptism**  
Contact the Parish Office for  
information & required paperwork  
three months in advance.

*There are no Baptisms during Advent  
or Lent, please plan accordingly.*

# THE PARISH OF SAINT MARY

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**One Phalanx Road Colts Neck, NJ 07722**  
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**Independence Day - Tuesday, July 4**  
**9 am Mass in the Church**

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**Mass Intentions for the Week**  
**3 July - 9 July**  
 For \* Requested by

**Monday, 3 July 9:00 AM – Chapel**

*St. Thomas*

Julio Carbuccia \* Festa Family  
 Jacqueline Andras \* Martha Mary Guild

**Tuesday, 4 July 9:00 AM – Church**

*Independence Day*

Lucy and Ralph Savino \* Michele Telesca  
 Anthony Carnevale \* Diane Carnevale

**Wednesday, 5 July 9:00 AM – Chapel**

*St. Anthony Zaccaria; St. Elizabeth of Portugal*

Mary Elizabeth Shaw \* Pauline Madzin  
 Janet Sivertsen \* Patricia Helmacy

**Thursday, 6 July 9:00 AM – Chapel**

*St. Maria Goretti*

Arnold Pucillo \* Marie and Joseph Merante

**Friday, 7 July 9:00 AM – Chapel**

*First Friday*

Nohra Gomez \* Lanza Family

**Saturday, 8 July 5:00 PM – Church**

*Blessed Virgin Mary*

John Bialkowski \* Suzanne Schlesinger  
 Jacqueline Andras \* Ginny Hamlin  
 Joseph Nichols \* Connie Weighell

**Sunday, 9 July – Church**

*Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**8:00 AM**

Pro Populo  
 DeStefano/Albruno Families \* Mr. and Mrs. M. Franceschetti  
 James Walsh \* Joseph and Karen Mascaro

**10:00 AM**

Adelaine Parker \* Bruce and Lee Parker  
 John Sadlon \* Linda and William Stagliano  
 Vincent James Maneri \* Linda and Sal Sgroi

**12:00 PM**

Henry Tranquilli \* Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clemenza  
 Alfred Angelucci \* Drs. Gener and Elvira Dapul

*Please pray for the following members of our parish family who are ill:*



- |                          |                    |
|--------------------------|--------------------|
| Eileen Beckley           | Dean Johnson       |
| John Beckley             | Theresa Kopp       |
| Michelle DiFedele Carney | Julianna K         |
| Sal Castro               | Richard V. Kelly   |
| Jo Clement               | Mary Klein         |
| Linda Damen              | Lori Lettieri      |
| Logan Dayton             | Joseph Mascaro     |
| John DeStefano           | Pauline Madzin     |
| Kaitlin Donahue Nagle    | Leonidas Mavrookas |
| Virginia Endlicher       | John McInerney     |
| Jose Espinoza            | Mary Joan McNamara |
| Jake F.                  | Marjorie Messler   |
| Gary Federico            | Tere Nolan         |
| Ruth Fiedler             | Juliana Schmitt    |
| James Fiedler            | Lou Schmitt        |
| Jim Gardner              | Owen Shoemaker     |
| Mario Geneve             | Frank Sikorkas     |
| Emily Gioacchini         | Bill Szostak       |
| Thomas Giuffrida         | Remmington T.      |
| Edward Habrack           | Robert Towler Jr.  |
| Shawn Hamlin             | Kevin Venancio     |
| Tom Hudak                | Tommy Zita         |

*To add a family member to the sick list, please call or e-mail the Parish Office.*

**A person is put on the list for 8 weeks unless a renewal call is received. Thank you!**

732-780-2666 or

[parishbulletin@stmaryscoltsneck.org](mailto:parishbulletin@stmaryscoltsneck.org)

**Sanctuary Lamp Intentions**

Consider donating the sanctuary lamp that burns in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament in the Church or in the Chapel in memory of a deceased loved one.

*The suggested donation is \$25.*

*Intentions are available these weeks for the*

**Christ Chapel & Church**

**Church 7/9 - 7/15**

**Chapel 7/23 - 7/29**

**FREEDOM**

Those who deny freedom to others deserve it not for themselves; and under a just God, cannot long retain it.

*--Abraham Lincoln*



*Welcome to the newest members of our Saint Mary Parish family who were Baptized recently:*



*Ryan Joseph Tedeschi  
 Crosby Nolan Boodey  
 Sabrina Mae Mahjouri*

**Parish Office: 732-780-2666**

[parishoffice@stmaryscoltsneck.org](mailto:parishoffice@stmaryscoltsneck.org)

**Bulletin Deadline:**

Electronic format by 12 noon Thursday of the prior week (10 days before).

[parishbulletin@stmaryscoltsneck.org](mailto:parishbulletin@stmaryscoltsneck.org)

**Adult Faith Formation & Community Building**

Contact: Linda Dickinson-Pancila  
[FaithFormation@stmaryscoltsneck.org](mailto:FaithFormation@stmaryscoltsneck.org)  
[CommunityBuilding@stmaryscoltsneck.org](mailto:CommunityBuilding@stmaryscoltsneck.org)

**Liturgical & Worship Ministries**

Contact: Andrew J. Macirowski  
[Worship@stmaryscoltsneck.org](mailto:Worship@stmaryscoltsneck.org)

**Music Ministry**

Contact: Lauren Walters  
[Music@stmaryscoltsneck.org](mailto:Music@stmaryscoltsneck.org)

**Religious Education Grades 1 - 8  
 RCIA & Pastoral Care**

Contact: Deacon Vincent Rinaldi  
[ReligiousEd@stmaryscoltsneck.org](mailto:ReligiousEd@stmaryscoltsneck.org)

**Temporal Administration, Stewardship & Outreach**

Contact: Edwin A. Sevillano  
[TemporalAdmin@stmaryscoltsneck.org](mailto:TemporalAdmin@stmaryscoltsneck.org)

**Save the Date**

*Love Thy Neighbor*

**SAINT MARY PARISH SAPPHIRE JUBILEE  
 45th Anniversary**

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2017**

**5 PM to 10 PM**

**Willow Brook Farm**

**hosted by Juan & Marta Gutierrez**

**39 Willow Brook Rd, Colts Neck, NJ 07722**

**Cocktails, Cigars, Food Tasting, Gift Auction**

**Music by the Moondance Big Band**

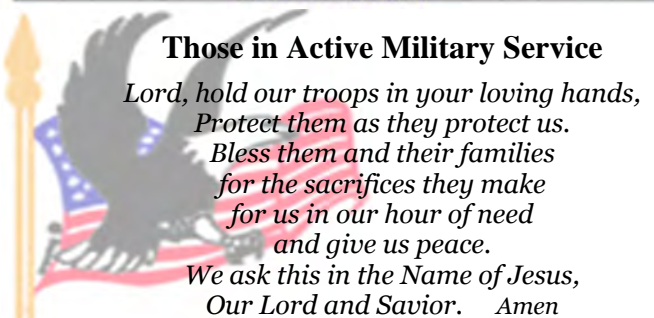
**Tickets: \$150 per person**

**Sponsorships available**

**For more information, please visit:**

<https://stmarycoltsneck.ejoinme.org/lovetthyneighbor>

**or scan this code with your smartphone**



**Those in Active Military Service**

*Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands,  
 Protect them as they protect us.*

*Bless them and their families  
 for the sacrifices they make  
 for us in our hour of need  
 and give us peace.*

*We ask this in the Name of Jesus,  
 Our Lord and Savior. Amen*

If there is a family member you wish to be placed on a list, please call the Parish Office at 732-780-2666. Please include rank and branch of service.

**Pray for Our Military**

*Sergeant Scott MacConnell  
 Lance Corporal Edward Zarzecki  
 Lt. Col. John Anthony Coppola, US Army  
 Chief Blake Conley, USN  
 Staff Sergeant Stephen Witherow, USAF  
 2nd Lt. Ryan Tanguay, US Army*

**Parish Food Collection**



Food is accepted weekly. Please place donations in the grey cart in the gathering space of the Church.

*Please, no expired items.*

**Thank you** to all for your continued support to help feed others in the community.

**Lifelong Catechesis Week of  
 3 June - 9 July**

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

- Monday:** Eph 2:19-22; Jn 20:24-29
- Tuesday:** Gn 19:15-29; Mt 8:23-27;
- Wednesday:** Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Mt 8:28-34
- Thursday:** Gn 22:1b-19; Mt 9:1-8
- Friday:** Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67; Mt 9:9-13

**Sunday, July 9 - 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 Zec 9:9-10; Rom 8:9, 11-13; Mt 11:25-30

**Questions for Deeper Reflections:**

**Question for Children:** When you are generous, honest, and loving, how do you know it is Jesus who helps you do that

**Question for Youth:** Jesus invites us to bring him our burdens and promises us that he will give us rest. How do you rely on Jesus during times of trouble? When has Jesus helped you?

**Question for Adults:** As you go about your daily life, dying in love for others, how do you experience Christ giving you consolation and peace?  
 - Lifelong Catechesis

**Liturgical & Worship Ministries**  
 Andrew J. Macirowski  
 Worship@stmaryscoltsneck.org

**Music Ministry**  
 Lauren Walters  
 Music@stmaryscoltsneck.org

**Worship Ministry Schedule: July 8 - July 9: Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

	Altar Server	EMs of Holy Communion	Reader 1	Reader 2	Greeter	Cantor	Liturgy of Word Dismissal	Usher
<b>Saturday, 5 pm</b> (Church)	Christopher Montefusco Allen Montefusco	Monty Matriciani - Center Cup Suzanne Schlesinger - Organ Host Emily Santangelo - Center Host Trudy Matriciani - Tabernacle Host Susan Murphy - Organ Cup Louise Habrack - Tabernacle Cup Sandra Montefusco - Alternate	Carl Simone	Dering Sprague	Margaret Caponegro <b>NOT FILLED</b>	Lauren Walters	Stephen Hawthorne	John Grabowski Jim Davis Bob Lind Frank Sikorskas <b>NOT FILLED</b> <b>NOT FILLED</b>
<b>Sunday, 8 am</b> (Church)	Abigail Cowles Daniel Cowles	Mike LaCava - Center Cup Michael Stivala - Organ Host Diane Antico - Center Host Jane Slattery - Tabernacle Host Rosanne LaCava - Organ Cup Joyce Flynn - Tabernacle Cup Gail Hall - Alternate	<b>NOT FILLED</b>	<b>NOT FILLED</b>	<b>NOT FILLED</b> <b>NOT FILLED</b>	Diane Dragone		Michael Boliver George Watts James Pifer Joe Young
<b>Sunday, 10 am</b> (Church)	Patrick Dickinson Tesyra Yaninas	Barbara Moskal - Center Cup Dolores Addler - Organ Host Richard Yaeger - Center Host Amy Orrico - Tabernacle Host Heide Lohn - Organ Cup Mary Aiello - Tabernacle Cup Edward Moskal - Alternate	Steve Rumsby	Barbara Schaflin	Anne Baker Mary DeSalvatore	Bridget Farrow	Jennifer Garcia	Leigh Gavinelli John Orrico Greg Penczak Jack Zumba Charlie Gavinelli Allan Ryan Vince Cerulo
<b>Sunday, 12 noon</b> (Church)	<b>NOT FILLED</b>	Maria Gerbino - Center Cup Patricia Balbo - Organ Host Irene Weller - Center Host Monica Barr - Tabernacle Host Dawn Reinhardt - Organ Cup Anna May Schellenberger - Tabernacle Cup Joseph Merante - Alternate	Charles Young	Christopher Aquinas	Tina Repetto Donna Murphy	Lauren Walters	Fernando Pinguelo	James Dolan Joe Mancino Joseph Rinaldo William Starce



**Independence Day - Tuesday, July 4**  
**9 am Mass in the Church**

**TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION**

It's Independence Day week, and there is a link worth tracing between the Declaration of Independence and the language of liturgy. One of the signers of the Declaration on that July 4 long ago was Charles Carroll, probably the wealthiest man in the colonies and one of the few Catholics on the political scene. As a flourish to his signature, he sought to distinguish himself from other prominent citizens bearing the same name by penning "Charles Carroll of Carrolltown"--a defiant "come and get me if you dare" postscript aimed at the British.

Carroll's brother John was a priest and patriot who in 1789 was given the task of organizing the Catholic Church in this country. By 1791 he had assembled a synod, or assembly of delegates, to launch that task formally. Archbishop Carroll wanted to gain acceptance of our faith by American people who mistrusted our customs and could not comprehend our liturgy. He made the amazing proposal to Rome that our liturgy should be prayed not in Latin, but in the vernacular, English. His wish was denied, but one hundred sixty years later, his deep desire helped the American bishops and scholars at the Second Vatican Council to win the vote in favor of the vernacular not just for the United States, but for the Church throughout the world. --Rev. James Field, Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co.

Adult Faith Formation

Linda Dickinson-Pancila, Coordinator of Adult Faith Formation  
faithformation@stmaryscoltsneck.org 732-780-2666 x305

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- ◆ Enter your email and create a password (you need this to login later)
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For more information, please contact: Linda Dickinson-Pancila at faithformation@stmaryscoltsneck.org



### Ascension Press Bible Study Program

*Acts: The Spread of the Kingdom*  
by Jeff Cavins and Sarah Christmyer

**20 week program,  
starting this Fall September 2017**

**This program is open to men and women.**

**Registration will open soon.** For more information please contact: Linda Dickinson-Pancila at faithformation@stmaryscoltsneck.org



*All women are invited to join Walking with Purpose*

The 2017-2018 program will meet for 22 weeks  
**September 2017 through May 2018**  
*(calendar still yet to be determined and will reflect days off based on school vacations and holidays).*  
Babysitting is available.

*Click **WWP** logo on parish website to find paper and online registration*

For more information, please contact:  
faithformation@stmaryscoltsneck.org

Religious Education Grades 1 - 8, RCIA & Pastoral Care  
Deacon Vincent Rinaldi  
ReligiousEd@stmaryscoltsneck.org 732-780-2666 x 309

## 2017-2018 Religious Ed Fall Program Grades 1-8



**No registration of returning students** will be accepted after August 31, 2017, midnight. **Progression to the next grade level will ONLY occur upon completion of prior grade level!**

- **Grades 1 & 2:** Weekly classes Tuesday afternoons September-May with periodic Intergenerational activities.
- **Grades 3-6:** Online Instruction with periodic Intergenerational activities scheduled throughout the year.
- **Grades 7 & 8:** Bi-Weekly classes Sunday evenings September-May with family participation at Sunday 5pm Mass during Standard Time.

**\*\*Registration is online at:**

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

## Summer Intensive Religious Education Program

(Registration CLOSED)

### Mandatory Orientation Sessions

**Attendance by parent and student to this 60 minute information session prior to your selected week is mandatory.**

The following are dates for those attending.

**Summer Intensive 1 : July 10 – 14 & 17 – 21**

**Sunday, July 9th 12 noon** Mass, then proceed to Madonna Hall immediately afterward.

**Summer Intensive 2 : August 7 – 11 & 14 - 18**

**Sunday, August 6th 12 noon** Mass, then proceed to Madonna Hall immediately afterward.



### Catholic Childcare Center at Saint Mary Parish

Monday-Friday 6:30 am- 6:30 pm  
Full/Part time scheduling options

## Now Enrolling for Summer Camp! June 26 - August 25

Field trips, visitors, weekly themes, water play and much more! Weekly Sessions for Children  
Ages 2 ½ - 10 years.

Flexible schedule options available. Sign up for as few or as many weeks as you need!

**For more information contact  
Danielle Corde, Director**

732-780-0135  
[danielle@fgkids.org](mailto:danielle@fgkids.org)



## 3 Day Music CAMP for Grades 3 through 12



The Music Ministry is proud to present a 3 day Music Camp

**Thursday, July 27<sup>th</sup> from 10 am - 3 pm**

**Friday, July 28<sup>th</sup> from 10 am - 3 pm**

**Saturday, July 29<sup>th</sup> from 12 pm - 5 pm**

Children from all over the diocese are invited to learn how to read music, develop healthy vocal techniques, conduct and become familiar with solfeggio and rhythms through games, activities and group lessons.



Please contact Lauren Walters at  
[music@stmaryscoltsneck.org](mailto:music@stmaryscoltsneck.org)

Registration is available online  
[www.stmaryscoltsneck.org](http://www.stmaryscoltsneck.org)  
Or <https://goo.gl/iqC9F9>

# Quo vadis...

My Dear Parishioners:

Today we celebrate the Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time. The heart of the paschal mystery is dying and rising. Jesus first showed us both the cost and fruits of self-sacrifice in his suffering and death and being raised to new life on the third day. Our own daily living can sometimes seem to have much more dying than rising. Even setting aside the issue of consciously choosing self-sacrifice, just the simple demands of our lives pull it out of us: feeding the infant in the middle of the night, ferrying the kids to soccer, helping with homework when we are dog tired, taking time to share some good thing with a spouse, calling an aging parent. One of the great encouragements of this Sunday's reading is that all this behavior -like giving "a cup of cold water...to little ones"-may seem small to us, but to God they are actions that correspond to those of Christ. The message in these readings is that our generosity is far surpassed by God's generosity. This means that the "dying" of our daily lives are more than equaled by God's generosity of blessings in this life and the next. This is why we can continue to choose to die to self.

This coming week we observe the civic holiday commemorating Independence Day. Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 am in the Church. This is an opportunity for us to reflect on the gift of freedom that we enjoy. How do we use this gift to make our world a better place? How do our choices show our Catholic Christian Faith? We are currently living in a climate of diminishing respect and tolerance for differences. Civil discourse and dialogue seems to be less and less regarded as a value for building consensus. Independence Day provides us with an opportunity to give thanks for the many and varied sacrifices of those who have gone before us in our great country. It is also a wake up call for us to consider how we are advancing the values that have long characterized our country. Join us for Mass to give thanks to God for all that we have and continue to achieve as Americans, while remembering those people and countries who struggle with independence and freedom.

We continue to make last minute preparations for our first of two Summer Intensive RE Programs. This year each two-week module (one in July; one in

August) are fully subscribed with just more than 100 young people registered for each module. When we announced the beginning of this Summer Intensive Program several years ago, after much dialogue and consultation, this program was not well received by some in our community, very well received by a few and with skepticism by many. We have continued to listen to our stakeholder families making adjustments each year to provide the very best for these young people and their families. Thank you for helping us to grow this important program. The demographics continue to change in our parish and throughout Colts Neck, as such the leadership of our parish must continue to respond to the signs of the times in ways that are consistent and sustainable. Once again we benefit from the teaching ministry of some Catholic School Teachers from throughout our Diocese of Trenton. They are certified teachers, certified catechists who are in full compliance with the safe environment standards required by our Diocese of Trenton. This is a win-win for all involved. These young people and their parents are reminded that Sunday Mass continues their formation along with monthly Intergenerational Programs arranged by our parish staff members. Let us strive to continue to provide the very best Religious Education and Formation for our children and young people.

The summer has begun. Our routines change. Times for vacation and recreation abound. It is my hope that wherever you may find yourself enjoying the fruits of your labor, the regular celebration of Mass will be part of your experience. This is one of the great gifts of being Roman Catholic. We are all joined together in one communion of faith no matter where we find ourselves. Make time for the Lord each week of your life by receiving Holy Communion as frequently as possible. I had the opportunity to stroll through the Saint Leo Carnival. I saw a few parishioners and was treated to a visit with Sister Jeanne Belli, SSJ who had served in our parish a few years ago. Sister Jeanne and I served together on the staff of a parish in Burlington County a few years back. It was good to catch up. Needless to say, the carnival was very well attended and successful for the Saint Leo Parish & School. Have a great week. Let us pray for one another. Happy Sunday. Peace!  
Father Jeff

**Sharing Our Treasure**  
**25 June**  
**Twelve Sunday in Ordinary Time**

<b>Weekly Sacrificial Stewardship</b>	\$12,739
Envelope Contributions	\$8,645
Electronic/Online Contributions	\$2,759
Loose Contributions	\$1,335
Average Contribution per Household this week	\$33.06
# of Contributing Households	345
# Registered Parishioner Households	1,740

Additionally, because of your contributions, we were able to send \$500 to the collection for the Holy Father.

**This past week our parish transferred \$3,000 from our stewardship income to support the activities of Saint Mary Parish Social Concerns Outreach.**

**THANK YOU**

*for the Sacrificial Stewardship Offerings as we support the ministries, programs and facilities of our parish.  
 May God Bless you for the sacrifices that you make.*

## COLLECTIBLE SHOW

July 8 \* 9 am - 3 pm Parish Hall  
 \*cards, coins and stamps

### Committee forming:

**Fall Festival Family Dinner - Oct 13, 2017**

Interested in joining the committee to plan this social? Fall themed food, hay rides, games and activities, music. Youth and adults needed. Please contact Linda Dickinson-Pancila at communitybuilding@stmaryscoltsneck.org

### FTMM progress as of June 19:

**Total Pledged: \$1,390,234**  
**# of Pledges: 195**  
**Average Pledge: \$ 7,129**



**Contact Deacon Vin Rinaldi for more information**  
**732-780-2666**  
**Saint Mary Parish Essential Goal : \$2,250,000**

### **What is AGAPE?** [ah-gah-pey, ah-guh-pey]

As defined in the dictionary Agape means: the love of Christians for other persons, corresponding to *the love of God for humankind; unselfish love of one person for another, brotherly love; love feast; a communal meal in the early Church taken in commemoration of the Last Supper.*

At Saint Mary Parish Colts Neck, we have Agape on one Sunday a month throughout the year (except for Lent). It is an opportunity for parishioners to get together to enjoy each other's company, learn about parish ministry and share in a light meal of assorted beverages, baked goods, fruit and bagels.

## AGAPE

**Join fellow parishioners after Sunday Masses for donuts, bagels, coffee/beverages and fellowship in the Parish Hall and outside in the courtyard.**

Agape is also an opportunity to meet ministry leaders, sign up for programs and learn more about parish life.

### Summer AGAPE Schedule:

⇒ **Sunday, July 9**

**Theme: College Send off and Blessings.**

Mass and gift for those going away to college; outdoor games in the courtyard for all ages



⇒ **Sunday, August 13**

**Theme: Hot Days of Summer.**

Mini movie and Ice-cream social

**Adult and youth HELP NEEDED:**

**Contact Linda at**

**communitybuilding@stmaryscoltsneck.org**

### **Saint Mary Parish SUPER 50/50**

**Super 50/50 tickets are now available for purchase on the parish website or in person at the parish office.**

The parish office will offer assistance to all those who do not have internet access at home.

**Super 50/50 tickets are \$100 each**

**SAVE THE DATE:** The SUPER 50/50 drawing will take place at Agape on **October 22nd at 1:30 pm.**



## Pastoral Coordinator for Community Building

Linda Dickinson-Pancila

communitybuilding@stmaryscoltsneck.org



### Upcoming events for Catholic Social Singles Group

**Wednesday, July 12:** Dinner at Orlando's at 5:45pm and a Movie at Saint Mary Parish - Miracles from Heaven @ 7:15pm

**Saturday, July 15:** River Belle Dinner Cruise, 7pm – 10pm. Cruise along the inland waters of the Manasquan River, Point Pleasant Canal and Barnegat Bay while enjoying buffet dinner and dancing. \$55.00 Adults \*Please purchase your tickets as soon as possible. Tickets sell out quickly.

To RSVP and for more details on events, please contact: Marisa at 732-722-7902 or [marisaarts@aol.com](mailto:marisaarts@aol.com)

### What's summer without Blue Claws Baseball games with Saint Mary Parish?

**Where:** FirstEnergy Park - Lakewood, NJ  
**When :** Monday, July 17, 2017 at 11:05am  
Charleston River Dogs at Lakewood Blue Claws

**Tuesday, Aug 29, 2017 at 7:05pm**  
West Virginia Power at Lakewood Blue Claws

**Tickets:** \$10 Adult, \$8 Children 12 yrs & under  
\$8 Seniors & food coupon (Tuesday eve only)

Meet at the game or car pool from the parish parking lot.  
Coordinate with family and friends.

Reserve your ticket at parish office or contact: Linda  
communitybuilding@stmaryscoltsneck.org.  
*All families welcome!*

### The Movies Series continues:

Join us for a faith inspired movie in the theater.

#### Miracles from Heaven

- Wednesday, July 12 at 7:15 pm
- Monday, July 24 at 9:45 am

**Runtime:** 1 hour, 49 minutes. 2016, rated PG  
starring Jennifer Garner & Kylie Rogers.

In this inspiring true story, a mother (Jennifer Garner) searches for hope and a cure when she discovers her daughter has a rare disease. The movie is based on *Miracles from Heaven* by Christy Beam, which recounts the true story of her young daughter who had a near-death experience and was later cured of an incurable disease.

**Movies are complimentary.**

RESERVE YOUR SEAT. Tickets available at the parish office.

**August: Beauty and the Beast**

Wednesday, 16 August at 7:15 pm & Monday, 28 August at 9:45 am



## Basketball Fun Nights

at Saint Mary Parish, Colts Neck

**July 5 through August 23**  
**5-8pm**

One hour times slots.  
Schedule based on enrollment.

**Wednesday Evenings :**  
**July 5, 12, 19, 26, Aug 2, 9, 16, 23**

Open to all ages 5 + including adult hours.  
Come as many nights as you can.  
Shoot hoops, hone skills or play fun  
pick up game with other participants.

**Teens/Adults: sign up to help run sessions**

Communitybuilding@stmaryscoltsneck.org  
Registration form available on the parish website  
[www.stmaryscoltsneck.org](http://www.stmaryscoltsneck.org)

**Do you love to play basketball?** Volunteers are needed to help run a fun basketball program on Wednesday evenings. Help with skills, drills, pick-up games, set-up, sign-in, and breakdown each week. Select days you can help. Community service and leadership hours are available. Contact Mrs. Dickinson at 732-780-2666 x 305 or email [communitybuilding@stmaryscoltsneck.org](mailto:communitybuilding@stmaryscoltsneck.org)

## Volleyball and Pizza



Let's have some volleyball fun!! Meet with other kids your age in a fun setting. All Youth in 6-12 grades are invited to participate:

**Dates:** Friday, July 7 at 5pm  
Friday, Aug 11 at 5pm

Players of the SJV HS girls and boys volleyball teams will assist with the program.



Do you have equipment that we can borrow?  
Volunteers needed to help coordinate.

\*\*\*RSVP needed for pizza order. Please SIGN-UP to volunteer or participate:  
[communitybuilding@stmaryscoltsneck.org](mailto:communitybuilding@stmaryscoltsneck.org)

# In the Community:

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### BASIC EVANGELIZATION TRAINING

**CATHOLIC EVANGELIZATION - PRACTICAL APOLOGETICS**

**SHARING THE STORY OF SALVATION**

**SHARE YOUR TESTIMONY AND MORE**

FRIDAY, JULY 7TH 7:00PM TO 9:00PM

SATURDAY, JULY 8TH 9:00AM TO 3:00PM

SAINT MARY, MOTHER OF GOD CHURCH

19 CHERRY TREE FARM ROAD - MIDDLETOWN, NJ 07748

SUGGESTED DONATION: \$25.00

REGISTER CALL: CHRISTOPHER CARLO 732-671-0071, EXT. 221



**Martha Mary Guild Retreat**  
**“Encounter the Divine Through**  
**Female Images”**

**Sr. M. Francis Lomeo, RGS**  
**Sisters of the Good Shepherd**

*Oct 3, 2017*

**St Joseph by the Sea in Mantoloking, NJ**

Sr. Fran will help us come to know and encounter our God through reflections on Scripture, and through diverse revelations of God in our everyday environment, our prayer, in nature, in music, art and poetry.

The fee is only \$45.00, which covers coffee and “goodies” at 9:00 a.m. and a hearty lunch at noon. The program will start at 10:00 a.m. Car pools to the Retreat will be arranged. If you are willing to be a driver, please call Elia at 732-308-0789. Don’t miss out on this wonderful day – it fills up quickly! Send your check, payable to **St. Joseph’s by the Sea**, to Elia Gallelo at 184 Wintergreen Drive, Manalapan, J 07726.

*“Come apart and rest awhile. Accept this invitation of our loving God.” -Sister Fran.*

### The Upper Room

3455 W. Bangs Avenue, Building 2,  
Neptune, NJ 07753 - 732.922.0550



#### August Programming:

##### **Contemplating Love with Teilhard**

Teilhard de Chardin (1881 – 1955), a scientist, Jesuit priest, theologian, and mystic, was one of the most influential thinkers of the twentieth century. During this evening we will contemplate his approach to the unifying power of love as it courses through everything and everyone.

Presenter: Janice Edwards, RSM

Dates: Tuesday, August 1, 2017 (7:00 – 9:30 pm)

Fee: \$25 - \$40

##### **Three-Day Directed Retreat**

A directed retreat invites us to be especially attentive to the movement of the Holy Spirit within an atmosphere of solitude and silence.

Presenter: Upper Room Spiritual Directors

Dates: Thursday, August 3 (7 pm) through  
Monday, August 7 (10:30 am)

Fee: \$300 (four nights)

To register for all programs please call (732) 922-0550  
or email [office@theupper-room.org](mailto:office@theupper-room.org)

# Birthright

**Birthright of Red Bank**  
is participating in  
**Bosco's fundraiser**  
**“Friends Helping Friends”**  
**Tuesday, October 17, 2017.**

The tickets cost \$5.00 each. Birthright keeps all the proceeds received from the ticket sales. Everyone who purchases a ticket receives a 25% discount shopping pass for purchases made only on October 17, 2017 and they are eligible to win fabulous door prizes.

To purchase tickets for this event please call Karen Fitzgerald at 732-747-4240 OR send your request with the amount of tickets and your check made out to Birthright, P.O. Box 202, Red Bank, NJ 07701.