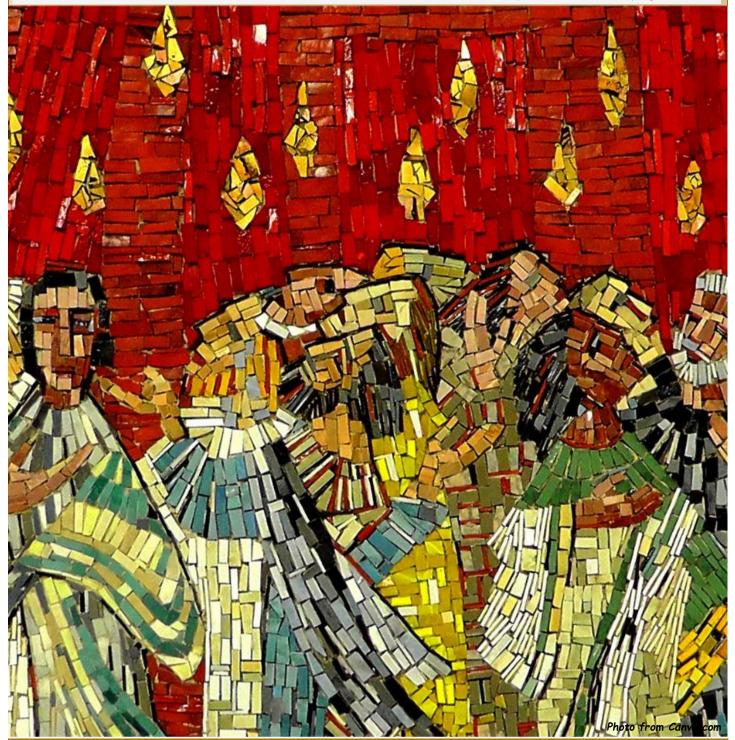


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PENTECOST SUNDAY

JUNE 5, 2022

DATE	MASS INTENTIONS	READINGS	EVENTS
Saturday, June 4	(L) Living +Deceased 9:00 AM +Alfonso Passaro, Jr. 3:30 - 4:30 PM Reconciliation <i>Pentecost - Vigil</i> 5:00 PM +Fran Jennette	Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Jn. 21:20-25 Acts 2:1-11; 1 Cor. 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn. 20:19-23	
Sunday, June 5	Pentecost Sunday 7:15 AM +George Simon 8:30 AM +Pete Juzefyk +Eleanor Barry 10:00 AM +Elana Madigan +Joan Magee, ofs +Richard Bradley 11:30 AM +Pat Campoli +Anna Mihalenkova & family	Acts 2:1-11; 1 Cor. 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn. 20:19-23	10:00 AM <i>Live-Streaming Mass</i> www.facebook.com/stfrancisparishlbi 12:30 PM OFS Fraternity Meeting, BB Church Hall
Monday, June 6	9:00 AM +Joan Magee, ofs	Gn. 3:9-15, 20; Jn. 19:25-34	
Tuesday, June 7	9:00 AM +Margaret Virili +Frances M. Doyle	1 Kgs. 17:7-16; Mt. 5:13-16	9:45 AM St. Anthony Novena
Wednesday, June 8	9:00 AM +Andrew Wainwright	1 Kgs. 18:20-39; Mt. 5:17-19	2:00 PM Adoration of Blessed Sacrament 3:00 PM Scripture Study, Sr. Kate Room
Thursday, June 9	9:00 AM +John Primerano	1 Kgs. 18:41-46; Mt. 5:20-26	7:00 PM Survivors of Suicide, Room 212
Friday, June 10	9:00 AM +Margaret Onorato	1 Kgs. 19:9a, 11-16; Mt. 5:27-32	
Saturday, June 11	9:00 AM +Richard Durante 3:30 - 4:30 PM Reconciliation 5:00 PM +Fran Jennette +Johnny Klingler +Josephine Edmundowicz	Acts 11:21b-26, 13:1-3; Mt. 5:33-37 Prv. 8:22-31; Rom. 5:1-5; Jn. 16:12-15	9:45 AM Contemplative Living, Sr. Lounge
Sunday, June 12	7:15 AM +Mr. & Mrs. J.H. Yardley 8:30 AM +Harry Snyder 10:00 AM +John V. Raftery +Mogens Petersen +Donna Knode 11:30 AM +Joseph Monahan	Prv. 8:22-31; Rom. 5:1-5; Jn. 16:12-15	10:00 AM Live-Streaming Mass www.facebook.com/stfrancisparishlbi

Emergency Information

1. Call the main office (609) 494-8861. There will be a recording.

2. Check Facebook *www.facebook.com/stfrancisparishlbi* St Francis of Assisi Parish for updates.

Read our bulletin online at www.stfrancisparishlbi.org

 Daily gospel reflections can be found on Facebook at:

 www.facebook.com/stfrancisparishlbi

• Follow St. Francis Parish on Instagram: StFrancisChurchLBI

Franciscan Sisters of Philadelphia, PA Vocation Office *vocations@osfphil.org*

St. Francis is a sending Parish to St. Mary Academy (609) 597-3800 or visit: *www.stmaryknights.org*

Mass Schedule CHANGE -June 4/5 through June 25/26

- St. Francis of Assisi, Brant Beach 9:00 AM Daily Mass Reconciliation: 3:30-4:30 PM Saturday, 5:00 PM; Sunday, 7:15, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 AM Live-Streaming Mass - Sundays 10:00 AM www.facebook.com/stfrancisparishlbi
- St. Thomas of Villanova, Surf City Saturday, 5:00 PM; Sunday, 8:30, 10:00 AM
- **St. Thomas Aquinas, Beach Haven** Saturday, 5:00 PM; Sunday, 10:00 AM
- St. Clare, Loveladies Closed

A Letter From The Pastor...





Letter from the Pastor Pentecost Sunday June 5, 2022

We Are A Great Group!

Fr. Francis Di Spigno, OFM, Pastor Last weekend was great! The weather was perfect and the crowds reminded us how

exciting LBI can be when everyone is back. An added bonus, at least for me, is to see our parishioners who were away for the winter months. It is great to have them back on LBI and here at St. Francis.

Besides our year-round residence - *the backbone of the community* - and our "snowbirds" – *those loyal parishioners, who like the swallows of Capistrano, return each year* - we also have a third group of people. They are the countless number of people who worship with us while on vacation or down for the weekend. They become a part of our worship for a week or two or perhaps even longer. It is great to have them join us as well and become part of our parish community.

Very soon you will be seeing an envelope in the church pews with a "Welcome Letter" from me. It is written to this third group of people. Unlike most parishes where the community is relatively constant, our population changes every week. For some, even the church "loyalty" shifts from Brant Beach to Surf City, Loveladies, or Beach Haven. We are now at the beginning of that dynamic shift. There are 10 Masses on the weekend, in three churches, for the month of June. In 4 weeks that will rise to 16 Masses each weekend until the end of August.

While it is exciting to welcome so many people each week it is also very hard to get to know everyone who comes. We want to welcome our summer guests to the parish, but we would also like to get to know them as well. We are interested in hearing how we can serve them and find out if they might like to get involved in our parish community while they are here.

I would ask our year-round community, our "snowbird" community, as well as those people who might be coming to St. Francis on a regular basis but, for whatever reason, have not yet registered as parishioners, to also read the letter. Perhaps it might spark something in you, and you might find that you too would like to engage the parish a bit more. We are a wonderful parish, but that is only because of the wonderful people who make up our community.

Here's to a great summer 2022 filled with many blessings!!

Peace and All Good!

Fr. Francis Di Spigno, OFM Pastor

St. Thomas Aquinas Church 2ND & Atlantic Ave., Beach Haven

DATE	MASS INTENTIONS
Saturday, June 4	(L) Living +Deceased 5:00 PM +Edna Behlmar
Sunday, June 5	10:00 AM +James "Butch" McCaffrey
Saturday, June 11	5:00 PM +Franciscan Mass League
Sunday, June 12	10:00 AM +Thomas Moore

St. Thomas of Villanova Church 13th & Long Beach Blvd., Surf City

DATE	MASS INTENTIONS
Saturday, June 4	<u>(L) Living +Deceased</u> 5:00 PM +Eileen McGowan +Anne T. Roseman +Thomas Keuper
Sunday, June 5	8:30 AM (L)+Stein & Kempski Families 10:00 AM (L)+Stein & Kempski Families
Saturday, June 11	5:00 PM +Linda Marquis
Sunday, June 12	8:30 AM (L)+Stein & Kempski Families 10:00 AM (L)+Stein & Kempski Families

St. Clare's Church, Loveladies, NJ Closed for the Season

Celiac Disease and Holy Eucharist



If you have Celiac disease and wish to receive Holy Eucharist, we now have low gluten hosts in all the churches. Please bring your own pyx *[host container]* to mass. If you forget

your pyx, please tell the priest. We have some extras in the safe. Please see the priest before mass and he will provide you with a low gluten host. Complete directions are posted in the vesting sacristy.

Liturgical Ministers Retreat

"Ministry & Discipleship" Lectors – Ushers – EM's – Altar Servers Members of Liturgy & Ordinary Time Teams - Music Ministers – Sacristans - All Ministers and those interested in Ministry **Saturday, June 25, 2022 Beginning with Mass at 9:00 am Concludes at 12:30 pm** St. Francis of Assisi Church

Presentation by Fr. James G. Sabak, OFM Question and Answer Session - Small Group Discussion Rededication to Ministry Questions? Contact JoAnne Reeder 609-494-8861

Parish Information - (609) 494-8813

Emergency Information: Available on our answering machine (609) 494-8861 and on the following website: *schoolclosingsnj.com* and *facebook.com/stfrancisparishlbi.*

Evacuation Information: In the event of a hurricane, severe weather, or extreme high tides, please do not call the Parish Office for assistance and note that **none** of the parish buildings (churches, community center, residences or maintenance facilities) has been designated as an evacuation site. Evacuate as soon as you can, following the direction of local officials.

Parish Registration: The Parish Office is located on the second floor of St. Francis Community Center, 4700 Long Beach Blvd., Long Beach Twp., NJ. Office hours are Monday through Friday, 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM. The office is closed for lunch from 12:00 to 1:00 PM. Please notify the Parish Office as soon as possible if you are moving.

Baptism: The sacrament is celebrated three times a month at St. Francis Parish. Group Baptisms are the 2nd Saturday at 10:00 AM and the last Sunday at 12:45 PM each month at St. Francis Church in Brant Beach. Baptisms during Mass are celebrated on the 3rd Sunday of each month at the last Mass in each Church. Call the Parish Office for availability and requirements: (609) 494-8813 ext. 154 or 155.

Family Faith: For children in grades one through eight. Please call Judith Clayton at (609) 494-8813 ext. 153 for more information.

<u>Marriage</u>: In accordance with the Common Policy of the five Dioceses of New Jersey, arrangements must be made ONE YEAR in advance. Couples are required to attend Marriage Preparation classes. Weddings are performed on Friday or Saturday. Weddings are NOT performed on Sundays, the beach, Memorial Day, Fourth of July or Labor Day weekends.

<u>*Pastoral Visitations:*</u> Please notify the Parish Office if you or any of your loved ones are ill, homebound, in SOMC, nursing homes or rehabilitation centers.

Parish Staff

Michele Beck, Director, Music Fr. Scott Brookbank, OFM Judith Clayton, Director, Family Faith Formation Deacon Robert Cunningham Fr. Kevin Daly, OFM Fr. Francis DiSpigno, OFM, Pastor Fr. John Frambes, OFM Sr. Patricia McNiff, OSF Jo Anne Reeder, Director, Worship Fr. Andrew Reitz, OFM Parish Office - (609) 494-8813 Monday - Friday 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

(Closed for lunch 12:00 - 1:00 PM) Family Faith Formation - (609) 494-8813 ext. 153 Community Center - (609) 494-8861 Counseling Services - (609) 494-1554

Appeals Box

Second Collection:

Utilities

All of us are concerned about the rising cost of utility bills. We here at St. Francis are not immune from those increases and we need your assistance to ensure that we cover our utility expenses. Please be generous.

This Week We Need:

Budgeted: \$27,000

Last Week's Collection: Collected: \$33,057 Budgeted: \$50,000



<u>Second Collection:</u> Catholic Communication Campaign Collected: **\$8,391**

(Online Giving totals are included in the above figures) ** Thank you for your generosity! **





The 2021 Annual Catholic Appeal raised over \$6 million. 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal began February 19/20. Goal this year is \$6.5 million.

Goal: **\$100,000.00**

Total Pledged: **\$37,496.00** (37% of Goal) Total Collected: **\$34,943.00**

Total Donors:	166
Total Gifts:	174
Average Gift:	\$215,49

Thank you for your generosity in contributing to the Annual Catholic Appeal. It was greatly appreciated! We look forward to your continued support.

Visit the parish website for a YouTube video on the Annual Catholic Appeal by Bishop O'Connell at: www.stfrancisparishlbi.org/annual-catholic-appeal

St. Francis of Assisi Parish is a Franciscan Faith Community of *Holy Name Province* in the Diocese of Trenton. Find out more about Holy Name Province online at: *www.hnp.org*

St. Francis Liturgical Community

Family Faith

Judith Clayton, Director of Family Faith (Ext. 153) *jclayton@stfrancislbi.org* Angie Graiff, Elementary Coordinator (Ext. 150) Mary Lou Ligus, Administrative Assistant (Ext. 179) Marion Pierri, Registration & Tuition Coordinator (Ext. 177)

Family Faith would like to congratulate the 23 Confirmation candidates. Some of our newly confirmed will now be serving the parish as altar servers and lectors.

We thank the parishioners who took prayer cards and prayed for our First Communion children. As part of their final preparation, the children attended a gathering where they learned about vestments and the Last Supper. Each child crafted a replica of a chalice to have for their home prayer space.

Our closing activity for the year will be a prayer service crowning of the Blessed Mother and a pizza party for their families.

As the summer months begin, take time to see God everywhere at work in the world; in the sunrise and sunset, or the rolling ocean, time spent with family and friends on a vacation, or a new baby in the family. Every ordinary event can be seen as the extraordinary gift of God.

Some suggestions: 5 ways to create a faith filled environment

- On-line resources for Parents
- Leave faith-related books and magazines where they can be seen (don't forget the car)
- Create a household altar where family members can place meaningful objects. Tell about the objects or let them speak for themselves.
- Don't be afraid to say "Hallelujah" or "Praise God" when something good happens.
- If you don't have the answer to your child's problem, say so. Then take it to God together.
- Wedge holy cards in mirror frames. Tuck prayers under pillows. Years later, they'll be fondly remembered.

On-Line resources for Parents:

- 3-Minute Retreat 3 minutes a day, 24 hours of peace. Loyola's online retreat invites you to experience a daily prayer break with Scripture and reflection
- <u>http://www.loyolapress.com/3-minute-retreats-daily-online-prayer</u>
- Special Needs a special needs website that provide informative articles, videos from experts in the field of special needs, and other resources for families with children with special needs. <u>http://www.lovolapress.com/specialneeds</u>
- Family fun engaging questions to spark fun and creative family conversations. Hours of family fun and faith-talk are just a click away. <u>http://www.loyolapress.com/family-fun</u>
- Sunday Connection the Sunday connection provides useful background and activities to better understand the upcoming Sunday's Scripture readings, helping you to connect the Scripture to daily life in a meaningful way. <u>http://www.loyolapress.com/sunday-connection</u>
- Additional Resources Ignation Spirituality.com and blogs such as People for Others and Other6 nurture the faith of the online community. You can also find Loyola Press on Facebook, Twitter and YouTube.

Help Wanted - Altar Server Ministry

CALLING ALL BOYS AND GIRLS



Do you find mass boring? If you do, why not sign up to be an altar server. We need young people [after First Communion] to help with priests and/or carry the cross in the parade at the beginning and end of mass. The more you do during the mass, the more interesting mass becomes. Have your parents contact Ms. Toby McCarthy

via email <u>toby121e@comcast.net</u> or call/text (609) 923 5417.

Praying the Rosary



St. Francis of Assisi Church Brant Beach Monday through Saturday, 8:20 AM

St. Anthony Novena

St. Francis of Assisi Church Brant Beach Tuesdays after the 9:00 AM Daily Mass



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

St. Francis of Assisi Church Brant Beach Wednesdays, 2:00 - 3:00 PM



Romans 12:12 Rejoice in hope, endure in affliction, endure in prayer

SAVE THE DATE WOMEN'S CORNERSTONE EXPERIENCE OCTOBER 21 & 22, 2022

Women's Cornerstone Invitation For Women of St. Francis Parish & Friends (18+) If you've never had the experience of Women's Cornerstone this could be the year for you to take time for yourself, or for someone that you love.

Friday, October 21 to Saturday October 22

Maris Stella Retreat House, Harvey Cedars Please contact Lauren Finelli with questions or for information: Igf finelli@hotmail.com or 609-332-8366

Franciscan Spiritual Center Presents:

Spiritual Direction



Spiritual Direction is a professional ministry in which a spiritual director accompanies others to grow in intimacy with God as they experience the challenges and joys of life. This sacred ministry assists individuals to notice and savor their experiences of God and to respond to God's abundant love. We now have four certified Spiritual Directors offering *free* Spiritual Direction in our parish. For an appointment please call:

Anne Bock, ofs, (609) 204-3835, Kathy Egan, (215) 694-4651, Mary Lou Jacoby, (732) 995-6917 Pat Simmons, ofs, (609) 661-1361.

An Invitation to Contemplative Living

Our times together invite us into prayerful reading and discussion of Scripture or other spiritual writing through Lectio Divina or "Divine Reading" and a period of silent prayer. In these experiences we support each other in our prayer and faith. We meet by *Zoom* on the first Wednesday of each month at 10:30 AM - write Kathy Egan (klegan.chaplain@gmail.com) for the link.

On the second Saturday of the month we meet in person in the Senior Lounge of the Community Center at 9:45 AM when we also have a presentation. We always welcome new folks to join us! Next **in-person** session - **June 11**th, Sr. Marcy Springer presenting

Men's Spirituality Group

No Meetings June, July, August

Meetings:



St. Francis Center unless otherwise noted.

Book Club

We will meet in person at St. Francis Center in either Room 102 or the Knight Wing Conference Room, (Room 212) on the last Tuesday of the month from 1:30-2:30 PM. *The Great Alone* by Kristen Hannah.

Tuesday, June 28, 1:30 PM, Room 212

Order of the Franciscans Secular ofs

Sunday, June 5, 12:30 PM *Fraternity Meeting*, Brant Beach Church Hall

Scripture Study

Meets **Bi-monthly on Wednesdays**, at 3:00 PM to learn, discuss and reflect on passages of the Sacred Scriptures. Call Tom Troyano at (732) 261-4721 or email: *tomtroyano@comcast.net* for more information.

Wednesday, June 8, 3:00 PM, Sr. Kate Meeting Room

Survivors of Suicide

Meets the 2nd Thursday of each month at 7:00 PM in the Knight Wing Conference Room (Room 212). Call Sr. Pat McNiff, osf at (609) 494-8813 for more information. Thursday, June 9, 7:00 PM, Room 212

Peace Prayer Project

Remember to pray the Peace Prayer of St. Francis every Wednesday at noon!





Employment Opportunity

*Full-time positions are offered benefits; Health Care, Paid time off (with additional earning for years of service), 15 Paid Holidays, Life Insurance, 403B (retirement plan) w/ company match, & more.

*Part-time positions are offered Paid sick time, Paid Holidays (excluding seasonal/variable) and Employee Discounts.

Children's Services

Position: <u>Toddler Room Supervisor-</u> Seeking a person with a warm, nurturing, and friendly personality, be able to relate well with children and families. Bachelor's degree in early childhood education is required and experience working with Toddlers (13 months-2yrs of age) is preferred. First Aid & CPR Certified and Bi-Lingual a plus. Year-round, Full-time, Monday-Friday, \$16 per hour + New Hire bonus

Position: <u>Teacher's Assistant-</u>Prefer a background in early childhood education and/or experience working with children. Must be 18 or older. First Aid & CPR Certified and Bi-Lingual a plus. Year-round, Full-time and Part time. Monday-Friday. \$14.00 per hour + New Hire bonus

Counseling Services

Positions: <u>Full-time and Part-time Licensed Counselors</u>. Full-time and Part-time <u>Bilingual</u> (Fluent English/Spanish) Licensed Counselors Monday through Friday (Some evening hours required) Must complete 40-hour Confidential Sexual Violence Advocate Training (provided free of charge by the agency). On-site clinical supervision is provided.

Must have Current Professional License: LSW, LAC, LPC or LCSW.

Maintenance Department

Position: Housekeeping- Perform scheduled and unscheduled cleaning of Community Center and Parish properties. Must be able to lift 25lbs and must have valid driver's license. Full time and Part time positions available - Part time up to 29 hours per week and full time 40 hours per week with benefits. Starting at \$13 per hour (based on experience). Monday- Friday.

SUMMER EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Active employees receive discounts for recreation classes and child care (when space is available). Seasonal employees working at least 10 hours per week are entitled to a free pool membership during the period of their employment.

Children's Services - Summer Camp

Seeking understanding, creative, fun, and responsible individuals to care for children 5 to 13 years of age. Both Camp counselor and Lead counselor positions are available. Full-time (40 plus hours) and Parttime (29 hours), Monday-Friday

Pay: <u>Camp Counselor</u>- \$13 per hour; <u>Lead Counselor</u>- \$14 per hour *A recruitment bonus of \$1,000 may be available through state funding-More information will be provided in the interview*

It is preferred that applicants are 18 or older, individuals 17 years old may apply for camp counselor position. Applicants must be available 6/21/2022 to 9/1/2022. First Aid & CPR Certified and Bi-Lingual in Spanish a plus. Experience Preferred, but not required.

Recreation - Pool

Position: <u>Summer Seasonal Lifeguard</u> (possibility for year round hours). Summer employment for an indoor pool and 2 seasonal outdoor pools. MUST currently possess Red Cross pool lifeguard certification, CPR/AED and First Aid Certification. Monday-Friday, and/or weekend – flexible schedule. \$13 per hour

Position: <u>Private Swim Lesson Instructors</u> (possibility for year-round part time hours) Summer employment for an indoor pool and 2 seasonal outdoor pools. Pool lifeguard certification, CPR/AED and First Aid Certification are not required but preferred. For weekday lessons 8am-4pm, Age 4 years to adults. Monday-Friday, Hours range from 8-29 per week, (may occasionally exceed 29 hours) \$13.50 per hour.

**Background check and fingerprinting required for all employees 18 years and older.

Please send resumes or inquiries to <u>abodine@stfrancislbi.org</u>

St. Francis Center is an EOE/AA Employer

SPECIAL EVENTS





Fashion Show Tickets Are Sold Out!

JOIN US FOR AN AFTERNOON OF FUN FOOD FASHION PRIZES



Family Support Services Human Concerns Food Pantry Hours: Monday - Thursday: 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Walk-ins are welcome!

The St. Francis Food Pantry has a variety of food options, personal hygiene products, and cleaning supplies available. Please ask about our Diary-Free Milk alternatives, Gluten-Free or Vegan options, Baby Food, Formula, & Diapers. *Spanish-speaking staff is available to translate.

Donations needed for the Food Pantry: Oatmeal, Nutrishional Drinks (ie. Boost), Coffee/Tea, Laundry Detergent, Toilet Paper, Shampoo, Body Wash/ Soap, Hand Soap, Diapers Size 5 & 6

Donations for the Food Pantry can be left in the bins marked "donation" in the front of the Community Center. If you would like to make a monetary donation to the Food Pantry it can be made through our website: <u>http://stfranciscenterlbi.org/donate</u> via PayPal.

Family Support Services:

To learn more about our programs visit our website at *http://stfranciscenterlbi.org*

- Parenting & Anger Management Groups
- Auto Ownership
- Parents As Teachers

Employment & Career Services For information call ext. 407.

•Adult Education Program •First Step to Self Sufficiency •Next Step to Employment

All participants must be verified for eligibility through the Ocean County PIC Office. Programs funded through a grant provided by the Ocean County Department of Human Services. For additional information call: (732) 281-8653

Senior Services

For information call ext. 108 or 109.



Information and Assistance, Telephone Reassurance Calls, Caregiver Assistance Options Counseling: Application Assistance for PAAD (Pharmaceutical Assistance for the Aged and Disabled), Meals on Wheels, SHIP Counseling (State Health Insurance Program), Energy Assistance, JACC (Jersey Assistance for Community Caregivers) and many more. Socialization, Recreation, and Exercise programs are available please call for availability.

The LBI Health Department will be doing Blood Pressure Screenings the second Tuesday of each Month starting June 14th from 11:00 am - 11:30 am in the Community Center Senior Lounge. Please call 609-494-8861 ext. 111 for more information.



Recreation & Aquatics

For info. please call ext. 105. Visit the **Summer Brochure** online at *www.stfranciscenterlbi.org* or pick up a Brochure at the Center lobby.

SUMMER SESSION REGISTRATION Monday, June 13 9:00 AM

No registrations will be accepted over the phone.



Aquatics

Water Tots, 4 Year Old Beginner Swim, Beginner Level 1 & 2, Intermediate & Advanced Swim Lessons, Youth Swim Team, Aquatic Zumba Aerobics, Aquatic Zumba/Arthritis Aquatic Exercise, Aquatic Aerobics, Deep Water Aerobics, Arthritis Water Exercise & Splash Dance

Recreation

Tot & Tyke Basketball, Basketball Clinics, Ultimate Recreation Camp Games, Summer Recess with Mr. LaMarco, Lacrosse 101, Tyke Gymnastics Clinic, Gymnastics Clinic, Pickleball 101, All Level Yoga, Soccer Clinic, Get Ready for Flag Football, Tee Ball Clinic, Baseball Games, Group Fitness Class, & Basic Boating Safety Courses

Yearly Pool Membership

Adults (ages 18 through 59), \$310 Senior Citizens (60 & up), \$280.

Single only, \$250. Senior Citizens (60 & up), \$225.

<u>Three Month Pool Membership</u> Single only, \$160. Flat rate, no discounts.

Daily Guest Fees: \$10 Per Person Book of 5 Passes: \$45; Book of 10 Passes: \$80

Open Gym is back on a limited schedule Beginning June 1st!

> Wednesday & Thursday Nights 5:30 - 8:30 PM No Open Gym 6/16, 8/9 & 8/10

Saturday Mornings 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM No Open Gym 6/4, 6/11 & 8/13 (see Sumer Brochure for details)

Counseling Service by appointment (609) 494-1554

Services are currently being offered via telephone or various online platforms. We have openings for new clients at this time. Please call (609) 494-1554.

Children's Services For information call ext. 114.



St. Francis Community Center's Preschool and Childcare are fully accredited by the National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC).

www.naevc.org/our-work/for-families.org. We are also a Grow NJ Kids 4 Star Program. www.grownjkids.gov.

Masks will be required for 2 years and up - they will be encouraged to wear a mask throughout the day.

Year-round Childcare for Children TODDLER & PRESCHOOL PROGRAMS

Available Care 8:30 AM - 5:30 PM, 5 Days a Week Full Day and Work Day

Toddlers: Ages 13 months to 2 1/2Preschoolers: Ages 2 1/2 to 5

Did You Know??

Did you know the **Front Desk** is gearing up for our annual Summer Class Registration? On **Monday, June 13 beginning at 9:00 am,** The Front Desk will register the public for all aquatic and recreation classes that are listed in the Summer Brochure (which were mailed out Memorial Day weekend). This registration date includes the St. Francis Sharks Swim Team, 2021 LBI swim team Champions. We also have returning favorites, Dick Manzo and Coach Pamp basketball camps, Gymnastics Camp, Recess Camp with E.J. School's Phys. Ed Teacher Mr. LaMarco, Flag Football, Yoga with Sue Seiter, and a brand new Morning Group Fitness Class, just to name a few. Keep an eye out for that brochure and join us on Monday June 13th.

You may register for all classes, until maximum occupancy has been reached, on or after 6/13/22.

St. Francis Travel

Home Town Travel, 128 Bartlett Ave., Bartlett Commons, Rt. 9 South, West Creek, NJ 08092 Call Nancy at Home Town Travel (609) 597-5100 Email: hometowntravel@comcast.net



Sightseeing Trips & Cruises

Imperial Cities with Oberammergau Passion Play September 19-29, 2022

Rate of \$6,099 double occupancy includes: 16 meals, round trip air from Newark, sightseeing, Passion play and much more.



<u>A private Pilgrimage to Rome and Assisi</u> with Father Steve Kluge October 26-November 3, 2022

Please call Tara at Home Town Travel to find out more on what this great trip entails. (609) 597-5100 *or visit St. Francis Parish*

Website at: https://www.stfrancisparishlbi.org/travel ONLY 4 MORE SEATS OPEN

Community Bulletin Board

Maris Stella Retreat Center, Harvey Cedars, NJ

Silent Directed/Private Retreat Monday, July 18th - Sunday, July 24th, 2022.

Directed: This is for those who wish time in quiet prayer and reflection and to meet each day with a spiritual director. *Private:* For those who prefer retreat with no formal program. Spiritual Director: Anita Constance, SC There is limited space for this retreat.

For more information or to register log on to <u>www.marisstella.org</u> or call Sr Pat, 609-494-2917 or email <u>pdotzauer@comcast.net.</u> **Registration due June 25th, 2022.**

Soroptimist Clothes Closet Stafford Community Center, 25 Pine St., Manahawkin

The Soroptimist Clothes Closet is open every Saturday from 10-1 (except holiday weekends) and the first and third Wednesday of each month from 4-6. Free clothing for women in need. Vouchers are available at the food pantry. Donations of Spring and Summer clothing may be dropped off during these hours at the shop at 25 Pine Street, Manahawkin. Any questions? Call Madelyn at 609-276-3308.

The Catholic Diocese of Trenton 701 Lawrenceville Road, Trenton, NJ 08648

Volunteers Needed for Jail & Prison Ministry

Did you know that inmates in the prisons in NJ have not had Catholic religious services since March of 2020 due to COVID restrictions? That's more than 2 years without seeing a priest, receiving Holy Communion, or going to the Sacrament of Confession. The prisons are gradually reopening to pastoral visitors, but many of our long-time volunteers have passed away, retired, or moved away. We need to rebuild the ministry. There is urgent need for Priests, Deacons, Lay Ministers of the Eucharist, and possibly RCIA Instructors. If you feel called to explore this opportunity to serve, please contact Peter Haas, Coordinator of Jail and Prison Ministry. He can be reached at 609-403-7198 (office), 609-915-3491 (cell) or by email at <u>phaas@dioceseoftrenton.org</u>.





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