

The Parish of Our Lady of Hope

Saint Jerome
Church

254 Wall Street, West Long Branch, NJ 07764

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00pm

Sunday: 7:30am and 11:00am

Daily: Wednesday-Friday-Saturday 8:30am

Confessions: Saturday 4:00 PM



Saint Mary of the
Assumption Church

46 Richmond Avenue, Deal, NJ 07723

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am and 10:00am

Daily: Monday to Thursday at 9:00am

Confessions: Saturday 4:00 PM

Mission Statement

Through the intercession of Mary our Mother and Saint Jerome,
we the parish families of Our Lady of Hope
are called to live and proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

We strive to grow as a vibrant and welcoming community
through worship, evangelization, and ministry to those in need
by sharing the resources, time, and talents given to us by God.



June 7, 2020 *The Most Holy Trinity



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THE PARISH OF OUR LADY OF HOPE

ROMAN CATHOLIC FAMILIES OF ST. JEROME AND ST. MARY OF THE ASSUMPTION CHURCHES

Pastoral Plan Goals and Objectives

Goal 5: To provide a better understanding of our Baptismal responsibilities as stewards of time, talent and resources

Objectives:

- To form a Stewardship Committee, **Target Start Date TBD**, to create a Stewardship Manual, explaining what it is to be a steward of our Parish (Talent, Resources and Time)

Goal 6: To increase Mass participation of parishioners from all ages, especially the young, and engage their involvement in parish ministries

Objectives:

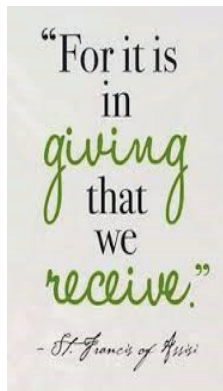
- To form a Children's Liturgy Ministry of the Word. **Target Start Date TBD**
- To enhance liturgies that will resonate with the spiritual needs of the parishioners and achieve a greater appreciation and understanding of the Mass. **Target Start Date TBD**

Weekly Collection and Attendance

May the good Lord bless you for your generosity and presence!

St. Jerome

Saturday/Sunday, May 30/31, 2020		
5/31/2020	\$5,658.00	
Online Giving	\$1,010.00	39 families
Totals	\$6,668.00	
Diocesan Asses	\$274.00	
Last year same weekend total	\$8,482 Sister Angelina Mass	723 people



St. Mary of the Assumption

Saturday/Sunday, May 30/31, 2020		
5/31/2020	\$2,372.00	
Online Giving	\$762.00	24 families
Totals	\$3,134.00	
Diocesan Asses	\$165.00	
Last year same weekend total	\$4,131.00	376 people

Pastoral and Support Staff

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Father PJ's Letter

Dear Friends in Christ,

Peace and Joy to you and your homes!

We will begin our celebration of limited “in church” public daily Masses starting tomorrow, June 8th, at the Church of Our Lady of the Assumption in Deal. Following our regular schedule before the pandemic, the daily Masses will be held there from Monday to Thursday at 9 A.M. Our weekly Mass schedule for St. Jerome’s Church is no different than before, too: Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays—at 8:30 A.M.

Our weekend “in church” public Masses will also begin on the weekend of June 13 and 14. Same weekend schedule: 5 P.M. for both Churches, 7:30 and 11 AM Sunday Masses at St. Jerome’s and 8 and 10 A.M. Masses at St. Mary’s.

Kindly note that no more than 25 persons attending is required for daily Masses. For weekend Masses, it should be no more than 1/3 occupancy.

Here are some more points to consider, if I may reiterate Bishop’s guidelines:

1. The dispensation from Sunday/Holy Day Mass obligation remains in effect until Monday, September 7 (unless otherwise announced). The fulfillment of the Easter Duty may be accomplished before the First Sunday of Advent, November 29, 2020.
2. Those who are hesitant or fearful because of COVID 19 concerns as well as those with a COVID 19 diagnosis or symptoms, those who may be asymptomatic carriers, those not feeling well, those with underlying health conditions or those in a high risk category should stay home and avoid any public gathering.
3. A single entrance to the church should be utilized to monitor the number of people attending. ***We will use just the front doors, as our single entrance, of our two churches.*** All doors can be used for exiting church.
4. Receptacles for parish offerings/collections should be placed at the entrance and all exits.
5. The maximum percentage of seating mentioned above will determine the number of Masses necessary to accommodate the corresponding number of parishioners, keeping in mind the amount of time necessary to sanitize the church between Masses.
6. All missals, hymnals, printed materials, pamphlets, etc., must be removed from churches.
7. No public gatherings or greetings before or after Masses, at church entrances/exits or on parish property are permitted.
8. Sanitation of church before and after each Mass, using approved methods is mandatory. Holy Water fonts or receptacles are to remain empty.
9. **Masks must be worn at all indoor/outdoor public Masses; regular hand washing with soap/water or alcohol-based sanitizer brought from home should take place; social distancing (6 feet) between groups of people from the same household and any other groups/individuals and between single individuals must be maintained at all indoor/outdoor Masses.** Marking off pews is recommended.
10. The usual presentation of offertory gifts and physical contact of any kind at the sign of peace is prohibited. Communion is restricted to the Sacred Host only and no chalice may be offered or shared. Communion in the hand is strongly preferred.

We will have our last livestream Mass this Sunday, at 9 A.M. from St. Jerome’s Church. Looking forward to seeing you in person and thanking you, in advance, for patiently journeying with us as we re-open our Churches for public worship. This pandemic is all new and unprecedented. Thank you for being understanding with us, as we all together cope with its after effects.

With my prayers for you and yours,

Fr. PJ



Saint Jerome Church

Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 6 Livestream	5:00 PM	Matthew Paul Mandica (17th Anniversary)	Mom & Dad
	9:00 AM	Ivanna Portillo	Her parents
Sunday, June 7 Livestream 900 AM	7:30 AM	Theresa Dennehy Doreen & Dennis Flanagan Katherine & Elizabeth Klose Anna Gagliano	
	11:00 AM	Living and Deceased Parishioners Frank Bulzis Doreen & Mark Bulzis Donald Curtis Marie Curtis	
Wednesday, June 10	8:30 AM	Louis Ciarla Irene Ciarla Anna Pagano The Mandica family	
	8:30 AM	William Stanton Irene Ciarla Mila Richards Her family	
Saturday, June 13	8:30 AM	In Memory of Giacomina Paonesca Gulli The Laugelli family William McKeon Nancy Torre	
	5:00 PM	Living and Deceased Parishioners Tony Strollo Mom & Dad Joseph Montague The Monteleone family	
Sunday, June 14	7:30 AM	Maria Lopes Her children Kevin O'Grady, Jr. Ann Goldy	
	11:00 AM	In Honor of Theodore & Marilyn 62nd Wedding Anniversary The Ferraro family Donald Curtis Marie Curtis	



"The Rosary Altar Society of Our Lady of Hope Parish," invites everyone to reserve flowers in front of the Blessed Mother and Sacred Heart Statues at St. Jerome Church. The donation is \$12 each and can be for loving memorials, birthdays, anniversaries, or any special intentions. Please contact Donna Tomaino for available dates at 732-996-6037 or email: tomainotippycat@comcast.net

Weekly collection envelopes can be mailed or placed in the **box labeled SJ Rectory** at 254 Wall Street Church or 46 Richmond Avenue for both St. Jerome and St. Mary's Churches. Please do not leave cash in rectory box outside of business hours. Please make all checks payable to: Our Lady of Hope Parish. We thank you for your continued support during this time. Please note both rectory offices are closed to visitors until further notice but we can be reached by phone or email. We will return your message or call when we come in. Please feel free to take a bulletin from the rectory mail box as we are not to leave them in the church.

All donations, contributions, and payments to the parish should be made payable to:

The Parish of Our Lady of Hope



LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER

Please pray for the sick, the homebound and those who have requested us to remember them in prayer, especially:

Week 1: Stephanie Bernstein, Christopher Cohalan, Syron Sean Davis, Lori Kelly, Diane Latshaw, Frank Marsico, Carole Mueller, Anna Oleinik, Frank Signorelli, Kelly Terry, Father Ray Wadas, Bob Waitt, David Walther, Maureen Walther, Myra Walther, and Samy Yanni

Week 2: Joan & Robert Day, Donald Dunphy, Connie Heal, Joyce Kohn, and Katie McCann

Week 3: Allison Dutka, Fr. Fred Jackiewicz, and Steve Lazar

Week 4: Michael Bitterly, Ashley Cusack, James Shanahan

Also, we continually keep in our prayers all those who are serving in our Armed Forces.

****The names will be listed for four weeks unless you contact the rectory office at office@ladyofhopeparish.org or call 732-222-1424 to extend ****



Saint Mary of the Assumption Church

Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 6 <i>Livestream</i>	5:00 PM 9:00 AM	In celebration of the wedding anniversary of Victor & Marie Gunco
Sunday, June 7 <i>Livestream</i> 9:00 AM	8:00 AM	Veronica Kelly & son, William
	10:00 AM	Margaret Kelly Angelo Lopano <i>The Marcantonio family</i>
Monday, June 8	9:00 AM	Matthew Paul Mandica <i>Mom & Dad</i> Raymond Schmidt <i>The Hennelly & Chisholm families</i> Successful surgery for granddaughter Hailey <i>Pat Serafino</i>
Tuesday, June 9	9:00 AM	Living and Deceased Parishioners Robert & Georgette Gant <i>The Hennelly & Chisholm families</i>
Wednesday, June 10	9:00 AM	Anna & Frank Rosano <i>Nella</i> Rose Marmora <i>The Marmora family</i>
Thursday, June 11	9:00 AM	Angelo Lopano <i>John & Kitty Mandica</i> In memory of military personnel who sacrificed their lives for our country
Saturday, June 13	5:00 PM 9:00 AM	Living and Deceased Parishioners Deacon John McCabe <i>Our Lady of Hope Parish</i>
Sunday, June 14	8:00 AM	Honora & Peter Hughes <i>The Hughes family</i> Jennie & Calvin Applegate <i>David Applegate</i>
	10:00 AM	Joseph Dellomo <i>David & Giovanna Kulka</i>

Cleaning Out Your House?

Did you know that St. Jerome School has a clothing bin?

Acceptable items:

- **Clean wearable clothing**
- **Shoes**
- **Linens**
- **Handbags**
- **Stuffed Animals**



Please do not leave items outside of the bins. We cannot accept furniture or large items.

Our School will receive part of the proceeds on all donations!

Here's One Positive Encouragement

Written by a fellow parishioner

I would like to congratulate everyone on your conscious or unconscious self-improvement by honing- in on your coping skills during these trying times. In the past when I was troubled, I relied on my support group both physically and spiritually to discuss things out over a cup of coffee. This time however, they were not there, they were part of the problem, that being they were not available, they are as quarantined as I am. Using the telephone is not the same as being there in person when you need someone to talk with.

By now you are probably thinking OK, your physical support group was not available but what about the Saints and God? I did talk to the Saints and God, they responded slowly, probably because most of you were talking to them also. Now we all know a true friend, who, when helping you, devote themselves to you exclusively to help solve your problem. God and the Saints, they just took a while to answer me. Finally, the Saints and GOD did help. The first thing they did was ask me what was bothering me. I told them it was this virus, the millions of deaths it had caused, the millions out of work causing lack of income, financial hardship on almost everyone, the disruption of the world's economy, which is based on consumption, the inability of nonprofits to help people because their funding sources relied on funds from people who could no longer contribute.

THE ANSWER FROM HEAVEN to me was in all that you mentioned that bothered you, never was mentioned a concern for your own soul or the souls of others. Then I realized I could not change the past, I could not help my soul or others if I could not cope with the present. Our souls were placed in this reality so our souls could learn to live and help one another and together we would be worthy in God's eyes to ascend and return home to him. The game of life is real. Just like a ball game, God benched the world because we did not follow the rules in the rulebook of life (The Bible). How did the Saints and God answer your prayers?



Pope Francis Prayer Intentions for June

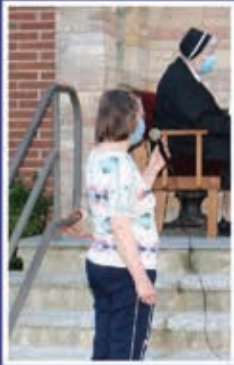
The Way of the Heart

We pray that all those who suffer may find their way in life, allowing themselves to be touched by the Heart of Jesus.

Saint Jerome School



On Saturday, May 30th, Father PJ and the Sisters prayed the twilight Rosary including live stream for the parish, for peace through the intercession of our Blessed Mother. "Our nation is hurting. Lord, we need You! Please bless this nation and heal all people.. Restore our strength, renew our minds, that we may stop violence and seek peace, cast out anything that's not of You. Amen.



Nuns on the Run plus one ...
Father PJ joined the caravan to congratulate our graduates and their parents.



God bless you...
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