

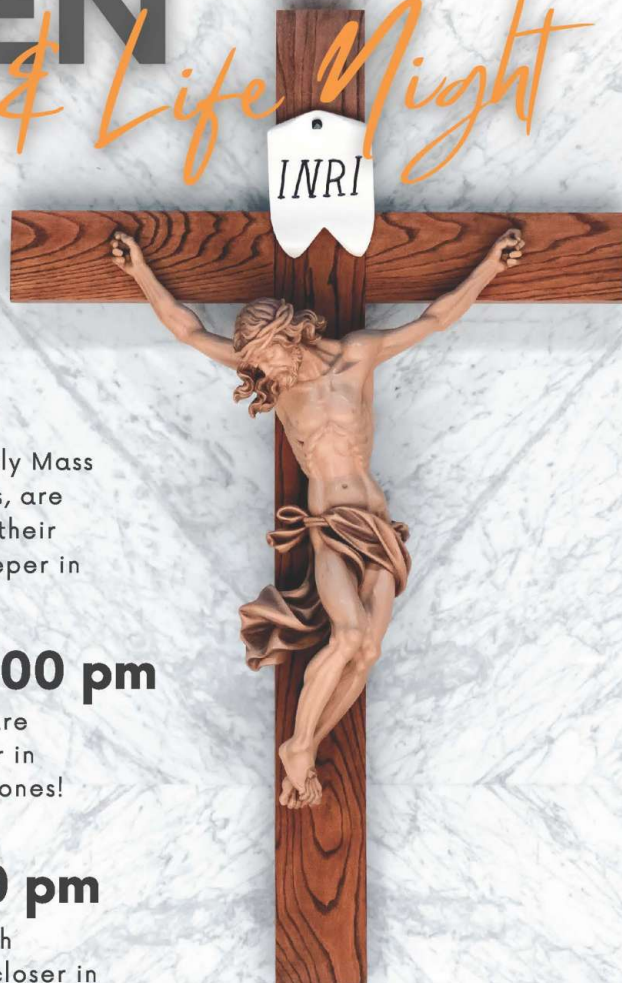
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Notre Dame of Mount Carmel Church

SS LIFE TEEN *Youth Mass & Life Night*



Youth Mass, 6:00 pm

All are welcome to attend this weekly Mass where participants, especially teens, are invited to invigorate and revitalize their hearts, minds, and souls and fall deeper in love with Jesus in the Eucharist.

Food & Fellowship, 7:00 pm

Following Mass, high school teens are invited to share a meal, grow closer in existing friendships, and make new ones!

Life Night, 7:30 -8:30 pm

Life Nights are the heart of our Youth Ministry. Here the teens are drawn closer in their relationship with Jesus and are challenged to grow and witness a renewed commitment to faith, in service to others.

Source & Summit Life Teen Youth Ministry

Notre Dame of Mt. Carmel Church
75 Ridgedale Avenue, Cedar Knolls, NJ
www.ndcarmel.com

Begins this Sunday, September 12, 2021!

Congratulations to Beth Vecchio

Our 2021 Recipient of the Vivere Christus Est Award



Our parish family of Notre Dame has chosen **Beth Vecchio** as the recipient of the 2021 Vivere Christus Est award. Since joining the parish with her four children in 1995, Beth has served in several ministries, including Faith Formation, Music Ministry, Mental Health Support, and Pastoral Council. In addition, she has directed for 13 years the Performing Arts Ministry in the Lenten presentation of *The Living Stations of the Cross*.

Beth's missionary heart is in constant outreach to those in need, especially of food and shelter. In response to hurricane disasters, Beth spearheaded *Operation Katrina Relocation* and *Hurricane Sandy Relief*. Most recently, from the onset of the COVID pandemic, Beth started the Food Rescue Ministry at Notre Dame, a food source for homeless and low-income people through many local agencies.

Please join us in congratulating Beth and thanking her for her commitment to the mission of the Church and the gifts she continues to share with our parish family and the local community!

The Vivere Christus Est Award will be presented at a special service Sunday, October 17th at 3:00 pm at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist in Paterson, NJ. All are welcome to attend!

Grieving With Hope

Have you experienced a loss— whether a death or any other type of loss – and find it challenging at times to move through your grief?

Does a gnawing sense of emptiness weigh down your spirit and your outlook on life?

A photograph of a dirt path winding through a forest. The ground is covered with fallen autumn leaves in shades of red, orange, and brown. Tall, thin trees line the path, their leaves partially obscuring the sky. The overall mood is peaceful and contemplative.

GRIEVING WITH HOPE

An opportunity to learn from practical wisdom about moving through grief, as we lean into Christ for healing of our hearts.

**A six-week virtual series beginning
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2021, 7:00-8:30 PM.**

*Contact Peg Buck to register today:
973-267-8290 / mmbuck@gmail.com*

Men's Group: "People will come..."

*"Being part of our monthly Men's Group has truly been a blessing for me. I leave every meeting feeling energized, joyful, and grateful. I am constantly inspired by these men, who come and share their faith lives so willingly and openly. When Ed Newlands and I started this ministry, we couldn't imagine where the Holy Spirit would take us. In the movie *Field of Dreams*, James Earl Jones tells Kevin Costner, 'People will come.' Now, as I look back with wonder on the seeds that were planted nearly 5 years ago, I continue to be overwhelmed by this remarkable group of men. God is good!" Dennis Bloshuk*



Save the date! The next Men's Group Gathering will be on **Saturday, September 25th, 8:00-10:00 am**, in the Resource Room.

Welcome to Our Parish Family!



*Eda Carrion, Whippany
Dave, Gabby, Samantha, & Natalie Couto,
Whippany
Tim, Krista, Ronan, & Emmet Davis,
Morristown
Paul, Jamella, Paul, & Emma Elias,
Whippany
Mike, Dana, Michael, & Cooper Finn,
Morristown*

*Darek, Monika, Olivia, & Gabriela
Organowski, Cedar Knolls
John, Raquel, Mia, & Francesca
Passantino, Whippany
Doug, Julie, Wyatt, Finn, & Jack
Rodgers, Morristown
Adrian, Tatiana, Olivia, & Alan Sobecki,
Morris Plains
Paul, Michele, Nicholas, & William
Stamm, Whippany*

Rob, Katy, Jack, & Tommy Flynn, Morris Plains

Nicole Gambardella, Cedar Knolls

Chad, Monica, & Elle Hoover, Whippany

John, Vincenza, Ariana, & Serafina

Jazenback, Whippany

Shawn, Gina, Grace, & Scott Johnston, Cedar Knolls

Eric, Kristina, & Ella Mastrolia, Morris Plains

Felix, Liz, Diego, & Andrew Mejia, Dover

Jason, Katherine, Brianna, Caitlynn, Ashley, & Meghan Noonan-Grasso, Whippany

Kevin, Natalie, Bruce, & Luke Van Demark, Morris Plains

Chet, Anna, Chloe, & Lucy Wilkolaski, Cedar Knolls

AJ, Lindsey, Emma, & Penelope Wyman, Morris Plains

Wil, Tricia, Emma, Isabelle, & Arden

Yeung, Florham Park

Justin Zgombic & Madeleine Morin, Cedar Knolls

UPCOMING

**This week's Mass
& Lamp Intentions**

**Welcoming Help
Needed for
Weekend Masses**



Notre Dame of Mt. Carmel
Cedar Knolls, NJ

9/11 MEMORIAL SERVICES

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2021

8:30 am, 12:30 pm & 6:00 pm

*at the World Trade Center Memorial Plaza
in front of the church*

"I felt heard for the first time."



Try Virtual Alpha: ndcarmel.com/alpha
Begins Wednesday, September 29, 7:30-9 PM

CONNECT

BELONG. DISCOVER.

...right from home

Hosted by Notre Dame of Mt. Carmel

#TryAlpha



DIVORCE *Care*



Learn how to heal from the deep hurt of divorce or separation and discover hope for the future.

MONDAYS, 7:00–8:30 PM, BEGINNING SEPT. 13

Notre Dame of Mt. Carmel Church, 75 Ridgedale Ave. Cedar Knolls, NJ

Register at www.ndcarmel.com

DISCIPLESHIP GROUPS



Join one or more of the small faith-sharing groups beginning in October. The menu of offerings includes a variety of topics and meeting dates/times.

**Review the options and register online at
ndcarmel.com**

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*"There is a time for everything,
and a season for every activity under the heavens..."*
Ecclesiastes 3



COUPLES DINNER DANCE

A time to Welcome, Rejoice & Celebrate!

FRIDAY, SEPT. 24, 6:00-9:30 PM

in the Parish Hall

Complimentary buffet dinner catered by Sergio's of Denville - BYOB
Music and Dancing by DJ Flo - On-site childcare (2-10 yrs. old)

Space is limited! Register at www.ndcarmel.com

Hosted by the Marriage Ministry at Notre Dame of Mt. Carmel Church
Questions? Contact Debby Kispert: dkispertmsrd@aol.com/973-945-0456

All children from 2nd through 8th grade
Come and Join our

Joyful Noise Youth Choir

Our First Practice will be Wednesday September 15th
@ 5:30pm in the Music Room

We will sing at the 9:30 am mass on September 19th

Joyful Noise sings at the 9:30am mass twice each month.
Our practices are held on the Wednesday's before @5:30 pm.

A calendar will be provided at our first rehearsal.

Any questions please contact our Music Director

Mark Adamy 973-538-1358 x109 or MAdamy@ndcarmel.com



Outdoor Moms & Tots

We will resume the Moms & Tots sessions **beginning Wednesday, Sept. 15, 9:30-10:15 am**, outdoors, on the grass near the World Trade Center Memorial Plaza. Chairs will be set up and the piano will be rolled out. For the time being, sessions will be held outdoors, weather permitting.



DRIVE-THRU DROP-OFF



Gently used clothing in plastic bags

Saturday, September 18, 2021, 9:00-11:00 am
in our back parking lot

Please do not drop off clothing bags inside the church building. Bless you!

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LOCAL AREA ANNOUNCEMENTS



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