

# *Saint Mary Refuge of Sinners and Star of the Sea*

August 29, 2021

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Blessed are the peacemakers,  
For they shall be called children of God.  
Blessed are they who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness,  
For theirs is the Kingdom of Heaven.  
**Matthew 5:9-10**



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## **MASSES/MISA**

Sunday: 9:00 AM - English  
Domingo: 6:00 PM - Español  
**Thursday 8:00AM - English**

## **CONFESSIONS:**

Sunday: 8:15 - 8:45am

## **WEDDINGS:**

Contact parish office one year in advance.

## **BAPTISMS:**

Contact parish office to register and to make arrangements.

## ***St. Mary Star of the Sea Church & Cemetery***

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**MASS: Saturdays @ 4:00pm**  
**Memorial Day through Labor Day**



**Dichosos los que trabajan por la paz, porque serán llamados hijos de Dios.  
Dichosos los perseguidos por causa de la justicia, porque de ellos es el reino de los cielos.**

**Mateo 5, 9-10**

**Calendar: Aug 29 thru Sept 5**

<b>Sun 8/29</b>	<b>22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time - Mark 7: 1-8, 14-15, 21-23</b>
<b>Wed 9/1</b>	<b>Rosary in the Church @ 7pm</b>
<b>Thur 9/2</b>	<b>Mass in Chapel @ 8:00am</b>
<b>Fri. 9/3</b>	<b>Rosary @ 9:00am in the Hall</b>
<b>Sun 9/5</b>	<b>23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time - Mark 7:31-37</b>

*Mass Intentions*

<b>SAT</b>	<b>Aug 28</b>
4pm	Kitty Phillips
<b>SUN</b>	<b>Aug 29</b>
9:00am	Sara Henszey, Harry & Marge Seebode
<b>SAT</b>	<b>Sept 4</b>
4pm	People of the Parish
<b>SUN</b>	<b>Sept 5</b>
9:00am	David Dunlap



Almighty and Everlasting God, the eternal salvation of those who believe in You, hear us on behalf of Your servants who are sick, for whom we humbly beg the help of your mercy, so that, being restored to health, they may render thanks to you in your Church. Through Christ our Lord. Amen

**Please pray for those who**

**are ill:** Celie Adams, Marianne Asplen, Charlotte Blazei, Pat Borz, Connie Bradley, Kay Bramble, Madelyn Brock, Julie Bryan, Beth McDonnell, Susan Durst, Mary Francis Duvall, Ryan Elzey, Rachel Frost, Sue Gray, Marty Habermann, Maria Hernandez, Kenny Hill, Albert Hoffman, Judy Holiday, Helen Jones, Greg Leonard, Morgan Mejia, Billy Newcomb, Jenny Nugent, Geraldine Phillips, Diane Porter, Pamela Rae, Lucas Redmer, Paula Q Remedios, Elaine Robbins, Lisa Robbins, Tommy Robbins, Sr., Dan Roff, Ed Schantin, Jennifer & Kathy Wendowski, Karen White.

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**AUGUST STAR PARISHIONER**

**\*\*\*\* Hamlet Perez\*\*\*\***

**Our August Star Parishioner is actually someone most of us have never seen! How can that be, you ask?**

**Well, Hamlet and his wife Nora, have quietly, yet consistently prepare the Church each week for the 6pm Spanish Mass. They have done this work EVERY week since we reopened from the pandemic last June. How many of us can say we have been to Mass every Sunday since last June?**

**Each week Hamlet ensures there is a priest available for the Mass. He is there an hour ahead of time to prepare the altar and to provide help for whatever the priest may need in any given week. Since there is music at the 6pm Mass, Hamlet helps them set up so they can practice before Mass begins.**

**Where our Mass at 9:00am usually has many different people serving in a variety of capacities such as usher, lector and eucharistic minister, the Hispanic community does not participate in their Mass this way. Instead, it all falls on Hamlet's shoulders and he has willingly taken on these roles without complaint.**

**In addition, in the last several months there have been many Baptisms taking place at the 6pm Mass. Again, Hamlet makes sure the priest has everything needed to perform the Sacrament, and organizes the parents and families in order to have the celebration that is expected. Baptisms are a very big deal in the Hispanic Community.**

**Hamlet has also planned and organized fundraisers to raise money for Our Lady of Guadalupe Mass and festivities in which he also participates to ensure success.**

**As you can see, even though Hamlet is not someone we may see at the English Masses, he plays an important role in the spiritual wellbeing of the Hispanic Community.**

**Thank you Hamlet for your time and dedication to our community and our Parish!**

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**MARK YOUR CALENDARS**

**Sept. 12th - Orientation/Classes begin for Religious Education** - Registration for Religious Education classes will take place in the church hall at 10:00am. Please be on time. Classes will begin after registration.

**Sept. 19th - Catechetical Sunday 2021** -The United States Catholic Bishops have chosen the theme **“Say the Word and My Soul Shall Be Healed”**. Catechetical Sunday is a wonderful opportunity to reflect on the role that each baptized person plays in handing on the faith and being a witness to the Gospel. An opportunity for all to rededicate themselves to this mission as a community of faith. **Class from 10:00am - 11:15am in the hall.** The catechists will receive the **Rite of Commissioning at 9:00am Mass.** Bring your families and pray for the catechists who volunteer their services to our parish.

Grade	Catechist	Assistant
Grade 1	Ms. Julie Yankovich	Ms. Stephanie Elzey
Grade 2	Ms. Lisa Flynn	Ms. Lisa Peters
Grade 3/4	Ms. Karen McGowan	Ms. Denise Seebode
Grade 5/6	Ms. Julie Gilberto-Brady	Ms. Nenexy Pokrandt-Cruz
Grade 7/8/9	Ms. Jackie Foxwell	Mr. Kenny Foxwell

Lay Ministers for Sept. 4/5  
 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

LECTORS	
Sat 4:00pm	TBD
Sun 9:00am	George Fox
Sun 6pm	Hamlet Perez
MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	
Sat 4:00pm	TBD
Sun 9:00am	Jackie Foxwell
USHERS	
Sun 9:00am	Kenny Foxwell
Sun 6pm	TBD

<b>PARISH INCOME</b>	<b>Aug 23</b>
<b>General Offertory</b>	
Refuge of Sinners	1245.00
Star of the Sea	515.00
Mass @ 6pm (Spanish)	155.00
Buildings & Grounds	25.00
Cathedral of St. Peter	44.00
SVDP (Poor Box)	.00
Mass Stipends	20.00
Assumption	60.00
Hall Rentals	.00
Rel. Ed 2nd collection	25.00
Donation: Hispanic Baptism	173.00
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>2262.00</b>

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**Please note the last Mass for Star of the Sea this year will be held on Saturday, September 4th at 4:00pm. Please make an effort to visit this beautiful, historic church before it closes for the season. And pray for a retired priest to move to our area!**



**St. Vincent De Paul News**

**The Pantry will reopen on September 9th! Current plans are to operate outside due to concerns with the Covid-19 variants and increasing numbers in Dorchester County. Please continue to support SVDP with you monetary and food donations.**



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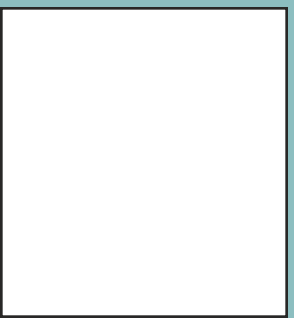
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