

# St. Dorothea Church

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## MASS SCHEDULE

### Saturday, Jul 11

4:00p Rose Sherman & Elaine Morrissey

### Sunday

8:30a Nina Silva Estevez  
& Maria Silva Larageiro

10:00a Julia Slattery

### Monday

12:15p Louis Mantovano

### Tuesday

7:00p deceased member of our parish family

### Wednesday

12:15p the paryers in our Book of Intentions

### Thursday

12:15p Veronica Szenzenstein

### Friday

12:15p For World Peace

**15<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**JUL 12, 2026**

## WHAT'S HAPPENING

### **Sunday, Jul 12**

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection for the retirement of the Religious and Clergy

### **Friday, Jul 17**

- Blood Drive, St. Dorothea's, 12:30 – 6:30 pm

### **Sunday, Jul 19**

- 8 AM Mass at Precious Blood moved to Monmouth Beach Pavilion, weather permitting
- Hospitality Sunday after the 8:30a & 10a Mass
- **Missionary Appeal. 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection to support the work of the missions.**

### **Sunday, Jul 26**

- Filipino/English Mass at 3p at St. Dorothea
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection: For the poor

### **Sunday, Aug 9**

- Backpack drive

## NEXT BLOOD DRIVE

**This Friday, Jul 17, 12:30 – 6:30 PM**  
**Blood banks are running low**  
**there is a critical need at this time**

Appointments for the next drive at St. Dorothea Meeting Room (school) are now available at: [nybc.org/newjerseydrive](https://nybc.org/newjerseydrive), sponsor code **71265**, or, search by zip code. And make sure you change the ending date filter. **Also, thanks who recently gave – 39 unites were collected!**

## **BEACH MASSES, SUMMER 2026**

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- **July 19, 8 AM** • August 16, 8 AM
- Sep 20, 11a, pot-luck picnic following

## **MISSIONARY APPEAL FOR ST JOSEPH'S TRUST**

### **Next Sunday with 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection**

Under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, St. Joseph's Trust endeavors to educate and empower the poor and the marginalized in order to give them ample opportunity to better themselves in all aspects of their lives that hinders their growth and enables them to be productive members of society.

St. Joseph's Trust is committed to helping the poor in the Tamil Nadu region, South India by supporting over 463 children at all levels of education, from primary grades up to undergraduate. The future of these children can be bright with the gift of an education. Please consider donating to help us to provide:

- Tuition assistance for children of above families.
- Food and housing for HIV and Leprosy Patients and their families.
- Medical care and Financial Assistance to receive treatments.
- Job placement assistance for those unemployed.

As we celebrate 250<sup>th</sup> Birthday of our Country, we invite you to ask yourself, "*what does God want from me?*" and consider donating to this Saint Joseph's Trust Mission Fund. Even a dollar can help a hungry child with a one-time meal. A few extra dollars can help a family of four with food or basic medical care. Every penny counts together to save someone. Thank you in advance for your prayerful consideration of this request.

## **TEACHERS WANTED FOR NEXT YEAR'S REL. ED. PROGRAM**

Religious Education has begun planning for next year (2026-2027). The program is looking for Teachers and Aides. Anyone who is interested, or simply has questions, can contact Deacon John at [jnotaro32@gmail.com](mailto:jnotaro32@gmail.com). The main quality in helping is a desire to share your faith with the children of the parish. Please pray and think about assisting! The program needs additional help.

## **SUMMER 50/50 RAFFLE**

Tickets for our Parish Summer Raffle 50/50 for Precious Blood Church are on sale now. The drawing will be on September 20, 2026 after our 11:00 AM Beach Mass at the Monmouth Beach public pavilion. Tickets will be sold at the parish offices, which are open weekdays 9a to 1p. We will also sell at the Summer beach Masses and at all the Masses the first two weekends in September. Last year, the Jackpot was about \$13,000 and the winner received their half of that. We encourage you to take a book of 10 and sell them to your friends and neighbors. Tickets are \$25 each / book of 10 tickets is \$250.

## CONFESSIONS

### **Precious Blood**

Tuesdays & Fridays after the 8:30a Mass

### **St. Dorothea**

Tuesday, after the 7:00 PM Mass

Fridays, after the 12:15 PM Mass

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION IN EXPOSITION

Tuesdays from 12:00 PM to 6:45 PM

Benediction at 6:45 PM

Mass following at 7 PM

Confession following Mass

All at St. Dorothea Church

## DEVOTIONS AFTER DAILY MASS

- Miraculous Medal Novena 1<sup>st</sup> Mondays.
- Praying of the Rosary on Wednesdays.
- Our Mother of Perpetual Help every 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday before the rosary.
- Sacred Heart of Jesus novena 1<sup>st</sup> Fridays.

## SCHEDULE OF 2<sup>ND</sup>/EXTRA COLLECTION

- **Jul 12 – Retirement of Religious & Clergy**
- **Jul 19 – Missionary Appeal**
- **Jul 26 – For the poor**

Regular and Special Donations can be set up to happen electronically. Please click on “Online Giving” at the top menu of our parish’s home page on the Internet.

Donations to St. Vincent de Paul can be made any time during the year by putting a donation in the slot of the wall-safe in the back of the church.

## AID FOR THOSE HARMED BY FIRE, DISASTERS, AND WAR

To provide aid for those affected by the flooding and damage caused by hurricanes,

fires, or other disasters, please give to Catholic Charities USA: [catholiccharitiesusa.org](http://catholiccharitiesusa.org)

To aid those affected by disasters or war outside of the U.S., **especially to help the victims of the Venezuelan earthquake**, please give to Catholic Relief Services: [crs.org](http://crs.org)

## ALL GOD’S CHILDREN

**(off for the Summer: Jun, Jul, Aug,  
back in September)**

*All God’s Children* is part support group, part spiritual faith-sharing group, and part organizational. As a support group, they help anyone in the LGBT+ community, their family and friends, and anyone interested in LGBT+ concerns (called ‘allies’) to feel welcome and loved by God’s family and the Church. The Francis Room is the converted garage behind the Parish House. Enter through screened-in porch.

## MARRIAGE ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS

Those celebrating milestone anniversary dates for their Church marriages, such as a 25<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup>, or 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary can receive a blessing from a priest or deacon. This can be done during a Mass (Sunday or Weekday) or, outside of Mass. It can be done on the anniversary date, or a nearby date. Please call the parish office to arrange.

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**RETROUVAILLE RETREAT WEEKEND:**  
**REDISCOVER THE LOVE IN YOUR MARRIAGE**  
**Weekend July 31 – Aug 2, 2026**  
**Family Life Center, Malvern, PA**

Tens of thousands of couples have healed their marriages through Retrouvaille (pronounced Reh'-true-veye). If you know anyone who could benefit from this program, please pass this on. Couples learn to build communication skills and to increase intimacy. It provides help for marriage problems, difficulties or crises. For more information, or to register, visit [MarriageHelpDeVal.org](http://MarriageHelpDeVal.org) or call 215-766-3944 or All inquiries are strictly confidential.

**SUNDAY MASSES OF OUR 'LINKED' PARISHES**

<b>PRECIOUS BLOOD</b>	<b>ST. DOROTHEA</b>
<b>Saturday Vigil: 5:30p</b>	<b>Saturday Vigil: 4:00p</b>
<b>Sundays: 8:00a, 9:30a, 11:00a</b>	<b>Sundays: 8:30a, 10:00a</b>

**WEEKDAY MASSES OF OUR 'LINKED' PARISHES**

<b>PRECIOUS BLOOD</b>	<b>ST. DOROTHEA</b>
<b>Monday - Friday: 8:30a</b>	<b>Mon., Wed., Thur., Fri. 12:15p</b>
	<b>Tuesdays: 7:00p</b>

**AA MEETINGS**

Two AA groups meet at Precious Blood's Parish Center. There is a daily one that meets at 7 AM – but, in the Summer, they meet at the beach, unless inclement weather brings them back to inside the Parish Center.

The other group is weekly at 7:30 PM on Sundays.

**SCAN AT PRECIOUS BLOOD PARISH CENTER**  
**(732) 542-1326 office@scannj.org**

**Lunch & Learn.** Join us for a free lunch while you listen to presentations on brain health. Sponsored by BoldAge PACE and RedBank Center for Rehabilitation and Healing. **Thursday, July 16** at the SCAN facility in Monmouth Beach behind Precious Blood Church. Registration and visit vendors begins at 11:00 am. Presentations begin at 11:30 am. Enjoy lunch after the presentations. Call SCAN to register. Please bring a non-perishable food item to donate to the Church's Food Pantry.

**LOCAL RETREATS**

**ST. JOSEPH BY THE SEA RETREAT HOUSE**  
**400 Route 35 North, So. Mantoloking, NJ**  
**[www.sjbysea.org](http://www.sjbysea.org)**

**FRANCIS HOUSE OF PRAYER**  
**84 Wainford Rd, Allentown NJ**  
**[www.fhop.org](http://www.fhop.org)**

**SAN ALFONSO RETREAT HOUSE**  
**755 Ocean Ave, Long Branch, NJ**  
**[www.sanalfonsoretreats.org](http://www.sanalfonsoretreats.org)**

**FOOD PANTRY**

Thank-you to all who have been contributing to our Food Pantry. All food items are welcome, but currently there is a special need for these items: personal hygiene products (male and female) such as: toiletries including bath soap, shampoo, body wash, toothpaste, deodorant, razors, shaving cream, and feminine products. Condiments such as ketchup, mayonnaise, mustard, salad dressing. Coffee and tea. laundry detergent, but please no fabric softener and no scented products as much as possible because of allergies.