

# ECHO of Cape Cod

"Joy is the ECHO of God's life within us" Colomba Marmion

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echoofcapecod@gmail.com

Email our Google group (prayer requests welcome!) echocapecod@googlegroups.com

#### A Note from the Board

We hope you had a refreshing and relaxing summer! As we get into the month of September, we are excited for all that is planned this year for the ECHO community. Please join us as we begin with our **ECHO Opening Mass** on Wednesday, September 21st at 7:00 pm in the chapel at Christ the King. Fr. Matt Laird will be our celebrant!

After a very successful pilot in July, our new ECHO 1-day Retreat is going live! Read on page 2 about the details of this new offering, which will be a supplement to our 3-day retreats, also returning this year. We look forward to continuing our Encounter groups at three locations across the Cape and already have our first Sunday Shuffle planned for October. We will continue to share local Service opportunities, with the first Youth StreetReach Breakfast happening on Saturday, October 1.

Please see our brand new website, www.echoofcapecod.org for information about all our programs. Remember, they are open to anyone, regardless of prior retreat participation! Who in your life could use an invitation to meet Jesus through our Community of Love?



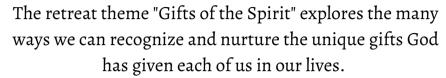
Participants in the July
1-day retreat pilot



### ECHO Retreats

1-Day Retreat





These retreats are co-ed and are open to anyone in high school and early college

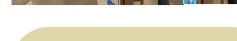
3-Day Retreat

## Paschal Mystery

These retreats are single gender and are open to sophomores, juniors, seniors, and early college







Saturday, October 22 Saturday, November 19 Saturday, January 21 Saturday, February 11

1-Day Retreat Dates

Held at Christ the King Parish Hall

Registration on website opens September 25th!

3-day weekend retreats are coming back in **March & April of 2023**! Stay tuned for dates and start thinking about who you would like to invite to experience an ECHO weekend!

Held at Craigville Conference Center

## ECHO Worship

#### Opening Mass!

Please join us as we kick off the 2022-2023 year!

Wednesday, September 21 7:00 pm Christ the King chapel



#### Sunday Shuffle!

Sunday Shuffles are an opportunity to take part in monthly Mass together and to share with parish communities what ECHO is all about!

To sign up to be a host at your parish, email echoofcapecod@gmail.com Sunday, October 16
10:00 Mass
Our Lady of the Cape,
Brewster

Hosted by Heath Eldredge & Heather Wesp

Please join us for Mass followed by fellowship in the parish hall!

## ECHO fellowship





"For where two or three are gathered in my name, there I am among them." Matthew 18:20



ECHO Encounter groups are open to those who are high school age and up - adults too! No prior involvement in the ECHO program is necessary.

Please join us in welcoming this year's Encounter leaders!

Upper Cape: Sarah LeBrun

St. Elizabeth Seton, North Falmouth

Mid Cape: Maryellen & John Loucks

Our Lady of Victory, Centerville

Lower Cape: Heath Eldredge, Heather Wesp & team

Our Lady of the Cape, Brewster



#### **SEPTEMBER**

September 28 - Our Lady of Victory

#### **OCTOBER**

October 11 - Our Lady of the Cape
October 25 - St. Flizabeth Seton

#### **NOVEMBER**

November 9 - Our Lady of Victory

All groups meet from 7:00-8:30 p.m. Please come to as many groups as you'd like, no matter where you live!





"Therefore encourage one another and build one another up, just as you are doing." 1 Thessalonians 5:11

# ECHO Service

As ECHO seeks to engage in serving our local Cape Cod community, we welcome you to share any service opportunities that are offered through your parish or another organization! Email echoofcapecod@gmail.com

The Youth StreetReach program, offered through the Cape Cod Council of Churches, gives teens and adults a chance to interact with our brothers and sisters who have or are still dealing with being homeless. Youth hear firsthand how each life's path may lead to unexpected circumstances and how a community of faith and love can change lives.



October 1 - November 12 - January 21 - February 25 - March 25 - April 29 All breakfasts are at the lower church hall at the First Baptist Church (486 Main Street, Hyannis)

#### How can you get involved?

Donate Time Come to help set up the night before a breakfast from 6-8 p.m.

Donate Talent Make a breakfast casserole that can be served to the guests.

Donate Compassion Come to a breakfast between 6:30 and 10:00 a.m. to spend time with the guests, help serve them a warm meal, and help them pick out a warm outfit.

Donate Stuff Drop off some much-needed warm clothes, toiletries, and socks on Friday night or Saturday morning.



For more information and to sign up to help, contact Marilyn Lariviere at mlariv@comcast.net or call/text 508-776-6059.

# From the Diocese

## CELEBRATE THE CATHOLIC CHURCH'S ANNUAL WORLD YOUTH DAY LOCALLY!

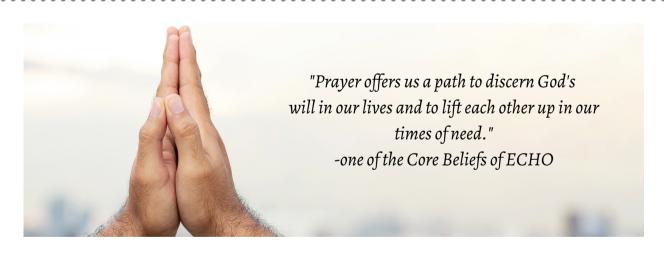
Featuring:

Keynotes by Chika Anyanwu Concert by Two Ten Vigil Mass celebrated by Bishop da Cunha

Games, food, and fellowship all for free!

Open for Grades 6-12. Register today! Email orivera@dioc-fr.org





Prayer requests are always welcome at echocapecod@googlegroups.com. If you would prefer your request to be anonymous, send a message to echoofcapecod@gmail.com

#### Prayer Requests

Please pray for the following:

Kianna Barrows, Butch Lacey, the sick, the homebound, and those struggling with mental illness. For our ECHO spiritual directors, our college students away at school, and for a vibrant future for the ECHO program