



IHOC Monthly News

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Please join me on Saturday, October 22 for the IHOC dinner from 6:00 to 9:00pm at the Catholic Church of St. Mary on Springdale Road in Cherry Hill. Because Covid prevented us for having our usual annual dinner for the past two years, I am extremely excited for this opportunity to get together with other IHOC volunteers and program

participants. I hope you are as well! We also plan to use this event to share some exciting news about our plans for the future. The IHOC Board wants that to be the focus of this event, so we have not raised the price of the dinner tickets.

The dinner program will begin with appetizers, followed by a delicious buffet dinner, entertainment, and words from “graduates,” and Board members. We will also have a 50/50, door prizes and a few silent auction items.

Entertainment will be provided by Kevin Peterson, a well know local singer who specializes in songs form the 50’s, 60’s and 70’s including classics by The Platters, Jonny Mathis, and Nat King Cole.

Tickets are \$25 per person. You can get tickets from your congregational representative or by calling me at 856-261-3464. You can also buy tickets at the door but, if you plan to do so, please RSVP to me by October 17th so we can plan our seating and notify our caterer.

CLERGY BREAKFAST

On September 20th, IHOC held a breakfast event for local clergy and individuals involved in social service agencies. It was a chance for IHOC Board members and volunteers to explain our programs to people who had not been involved with IHOC in the past. Everyone who attended seemed pleased with the opportunity to get to know more about us and enthusiastic about being involved with us in the future.



Once a month Tom Martin organizes a Wednesday evening “Mentor Night” for men who participated in one of IHOC’s programs. These nights are informal get togethers for the men and IHOC volunteers. According to Tom, some nights are just dinner and conversation, other nights include dinner and an activity such as a movie or bowling. Last month the men went to a park and “had a Blast” playing Bocce ball. This month he is planning another outside event (weather permitting). Tom would like to include more men but needs more volunteer mentors to be able to do so. If you are interested Tom would be delighted to “tell you all about the great time they are having” and his plans for the next mentor night on October 12th. Tom can be reached at 856-308-6992 or at kennedyper@aol.com.

“A Taste of Hope”



**MAKING A
DIFFERENCE
TOGETHER**

Saturday, October 22, 2022

6:00 PM – 9:00 PM

The Catholic Church of St. Mary

2001 Springdale Road ~ Cherry Hill, NJ

Appetizers ~ Dinner ~ Desserts ~ Entertainment

Door Prizes ~ 50/50 ~ Silent Auction



Cost is \$25 per person

For tickets email ihocprogram@gmail.com, or see your congregational representative

or contact Ruth at 856.261.3464 or Sonya at 609.238.8885