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Sunrise Gathering to Kick Off Recovery Month

A sunrise gathering to kick off Recovery Month, which celebrates recovery from alcohol and drug diseases, will be from 6:15 to 7:15 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 1, at the Divine Word Missionaries, Park Street, Bordentown.

The event is sponsored by Friends of Recovery-New Jersey and will feature family, friends and members of central New Jersey's recovering community, including Mercer County Freeholder Brian Hughes.

Friends of Recovery-New Jersey seeks to overcome the stigma of addiction, and to honor and celebrate the positive experience of recovery. The group is committed to providing opportunities for recovering people, their families, significant others and friends to empower themselves as a voice for change of societal perceptions and public policy.

Everyone who has been affected by the disease of addiction is welcome to join the celebration of the "positive face of recovery."

For information call the National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence-New Jersey at 609/689-0599 x. 152.