



SAINT JOSEPH PARISH

Our Mission Statement: We, the Eucharistic community of the Lord at Saint Joseph's and members of the Body of Christ, are varied in background, culture, age and economic class. We are a welcoming parish consisting of longtime Catholics, new and returning Catholics and the young, all seeking knowledge of our faith, its teachings and traditions. We are a faith community empowered by the Holy Spirit and dedicated to helping others. We are committed to celebrate the sacramental life of the church; to listen, proclaim, practice, teach and evangelize the word of God; to minister to each other, the poor and those in need.

WE INVITE YOU TO CELEBRATE THE EUCHARIST

Saturday Eve: 5:30 PM
 Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM,
 12 Noon
 7:00 PM Spanish Mass
 Weekdays: Monday 7:00 PM
 Tuesday - Friday 8:00 AM
 First Friday Mass 7:00 PM
 Holy Days: Will be announced in the bulletin and
 from the pulpit.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

Our parish family invites all of its members to participate fully in our spiritual and social life. Every family moving into our parish is requested to register. Please contact the parish office for the form. If you are going to move to another parish or change your address, please notify the parish office.

NOVENA

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction 6:30 PM and our Lady of the Miraculous Medal every Monday followed by Mass at 7:00 PM.

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated any Saturday or Sunday, with the exception of major holidays. A parent preparation program is held monthly. Parents are asked to contact the parish office for information about Baptisms two months in advance.

RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 4:30 PM to 5:00 PM

COMMUNION AND SICK CALLS

Anointing of the Sick is offered every 3rd Sunday of the month after the Noon Mass. When any member of your family becomes ill or is confined to the home and unable to come to the Celebration of the Eucharist, please contact the parish office so that arrangements can be made for Communion to be brought to the house. If it is an emergency situation, please call 908-328-9892.

MATRIMONY

Ideally, arrangements for weddings should be made at least one year in advance. Please contact the parish office to make arrangements.

GRIEF MINISTRY

Meets twice per year, mutual sharing and support in strictly confidential setting. Call Sr. Ellen at 973.696.4411 ext. 103.

PARISH STAFF

Fr. Thomas Mangieri	Pastor
Sr. Ellen Byrnes, F.S.P.	Pastoral Associate
Rev. Mr. Stephen Marabeti	Deacon
Rev. Mr. Joseph Parlapiano	Deacon
Rev. Mr. Lukasz Wnuk	Deacon
Ms. JoAnn Caputo	Administrative Assistant/ Bookkeeper
Ms. Denise Dixon	Music Minister
Kenneth & Jennifer Shirkey	Youth Ministers

CALL TO STEWARDSHIP

Worship

Eucharistic Ministers	Bonnie-Ann McLain	610-2014
	Peggy Folenta	628-6773
Lectors	Ray Kerwin	696-8513
Altar Servers	Carla Danzi	452-2300
Ushers	Fr. Thomas Mangieri	696-4411
Music Ministry	Denise Dixon	590-9975
Cantors, Adult Choir, Echoes of Faith, Choristers		

Religious Education/Sacramental Preparation

Religious Education	Sr. Ellen Byrnes, F.S.P.	694-8289
Rite of Christian Initiation	Jerilynn Prokop	216-2509
Pre-Cana	Fr. Thomas Mangieri	696-4411
Baptismal Preparation	Deacon Joseph Parlapiano	696-4411
Confirmation	Ken & Jen Shirkey	
stjoeslp youthministry@gmail.com		

Parish Service Committees

Baking, Parish Events	Maria McMann	896-4353
Christian Service	Walter Jaslanek	305-0232
Finance	Fr. Thomas Mangieri	696-4411
Greeters	Lysandra Kuroly	706-8482
Hall Rental	Julia Brady	696-4411
Knights of Columbus	Bill Murphy	709-0683
Lazarus Ministry	Judy Mulhearn	696-4411
Legion of Mary	Cora Jackson	628-9010
Media & Office Technology	Walter Jaslanek	305-0232
Prayer Line	Maria McMann	896-4353
Social Activities	Robin Zanca	872-0746
Stewardship	Chris Sirica	633-1379
Warming Bee	Florence Kane	696-2017
Women of Faith	Vicki Pignone	201-410-6869

SAINT JOSEPH PARISH, 216 COMLY ROAD, LINCOLN PARK, NJ 07035

Parish Office Hours: Monday - Friday: 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Parish Office: 696-4411 Religious Education: 694-4411 Fax: 305-8466 Convent: 696-4279

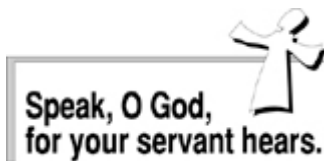
Email: stjoelp@optonline.net

Parish Website: stjosephparishnj.org

Facebook & Twitter: @Stjoelp

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 14, 2018



TODAY'S READINGS

1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19; 1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20; Jn 1:35-42

WEEKDAY READINGS

Monday

1 Sm 15:16-23; Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday

1 Sm 16:1-13; Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday

1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Mk 3:1-6

Thursday

1 Sm 18:6-9, 19:1-7; Mk 3:7-12

Friday

1 Sm 24:3-21; Mk 3:13-19

Saturday

2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27; Mk 3:20-21

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

Jon 3:1-5, 10; 1 Cor 7:29-31; Mk 1:14-20

MASS INTENTIONS & SCHEDULE

Saturday	5:30 PM	Jean Lusto – C&D Cleary Mary Kishko – J&Y Cantisano
Sunday	8:00	Mary Brady – L Thierry Vincent Carapreso – M&W Hemberger
	10:00	Ann Jaenchen – E&R Hubbard
	12:00	Patricia A Milazzo – M&P Keresztury Kate Keeler – D&P Folenta
Spanish Mass	7:00 PM	For the Parish
Monday	7:00 PM	Diane Rainey – Fr. Tom
Tuesday	8:00	Steven Festa - Fam
Wednesday	8:00	Jennie Marino – Fam
Thursday	8:00	Mary C. Pisarcik - Fam
Friday	8:00	Mariska Handoyo – V Pignone
Saturday	5:30 PM	Nan Roberts & Mary Gyrsko – LP Seniors
Sunday	8:00	Mary Brady – L&G Manser
1/21	10:00	Diane Petracca & Fay Deroian – J&K Rallo
	12:00	William “Billy” Tracy – M&P Keresztury Elizabeth Folenta – D&P Folenta
Spanish Mass	7:00 PM	For the Parish

FOOD PANTRY

The items requested for the month of January are **toothpaste, tooth brushes, shampoo, conditioner, bath/body wash & dish detergent**. Please leave your donations in the back of church. **Thank you.**

SHARING OUR TREASURE

January 7, 2018:	\$	7,808.00
Christmas:	\$	315.00
Candles:	\$	90.00
Pennies:	\$	35.00
Attendance:		625

We Catholics, we Christians in general, are seldom truly baptized people. Yes, we've all gone through the ceremony. We've had the water poured over our heads. But, way too many of us have gone on living our lives pretty much like everyone else. No real difference can be observed.

True baptism is the moment when you understand what your life's purpose really is, you wake up one morning and say to yourself: I get it. You have come to a deeper understanding of life. This usually happens when we are faced with experiences of failure, of abandonment, of betrayal, of deep hurt, of sin.

The good news is that this kind of pain can bring gain — if we allow ourselves to be taught by it; if we allow ourselves to enter into a deeper experience of God. That's when you're baptized. When that happens, we are in effect joining Jesus in his plunge into the river Jordan. He was 30 years old at the time. He had lived a bit, perhaps failed a bit. And then “it” happened.

Jesus is calling us today to immerse ourselves again in the water that will allow us to be truly baptized and will re-make us into gentle followers of the Lamb of God.

How you can help us earn money? If you have an account with Boiling Springs Savings Bank's, you can help us earn extra money. There is no fee or anything additional you need to do. For more information, call Boiling Springs Bank at 973.696.7100 or visit your local Boiling Springs Savings Bank Branch at 60 Beaverbrook Road in the ShopRite Shopping Center.

Please Remember Our Parish in Your Will. By remembering our parish in your will, you can help us continue the good work in the Lord's name. *Remember, God is never outdone in generosity to each and every one of us.* Thank you and God bless you.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Those wishing to be anointed should be in the church **after the Noon Mass next Sunday, January 21st**. Also, please let us know if there is a need for anointing at any other time and we would be glad to visit and anoint those who need it.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Nursing Home Reminder: Group IV is scheduled for January 21st.

To everything there is a season and a time for every purpose."

Ecc. 3:1

Patrick Ward & Beatrice Carberry

"a time to heal..."

Let us pray for the sick and their caregivers and families, especially:

Toni Toranto, Vince Auteri, Joseph Chisari, Joseph VanDunk, Thomas Ketteler, Louis Martinelli, Samuel Iasso, Steven Duarte, Edel Montoya, Joan Cronin, Mary Riveria, Frank Croker, Toni Smith, Emily Castaneda, Peggy Piccoli, Patricia Morelli, Patricia Dias, Mary Kay Klein, Rose Fedor, Joanne Cerelli, Margaret Link, Frank Lombardi, James Russo, Baby Tony, Ed Leonard, Ron Gatti, Joanne Atherton, Maggie Bertola, Karen Hayes, Joan Godowsky, John Patereck, Charlotte Frances, Carl Ross, Lenny Basilio, James McNamara, Michael A Coiro, Sr, Karen Meyer, Patrick D'Alesandro, Elizabeth, Eileen Jones, Cecily Zahorian-Schinelli, Larry Embley, Christopher Shomonta, Karl Stumpf, Mary Dixon, Conner Stager, Phil Leto, Carmen Calabrese, Ewk Purenko, Walter Condon, Jr, Marion Tallia, Nancy Macaluso, Nathan Grompone, Kyra Dashe, Ruth Vitale, Eugene Tensen, Loretta Pace, Rosemarie Lea, Phil Leto, Mary Rivera, John Mooney, Pat Leto, Donna Roselli, Juan, Lou Tafuri, Alexander Parany, Judy Lorincz, Jill Cerullo, Bev Harrison, Marcella Redner, Maria Gerena, Edith Thomas, Paul Fitzpatrick, Rev Ricardo Ortega, Barbara Arvus, Chick DeVito, Jayne Vandorten, Toni Basilio, Greg Hunziker, Leonard Rizzolo, Pam Miles, Kathleen Wisniewski, Mr. Chun Yung & Wife Si Ock Yung, Maureen Carson, Christopher & Diane Hunziker, Matthew Saenz, Ashley Saenz, Marguerite McGrath, Cassie Lynn, Megan Jordan, Baby Noah, Mrs. Gloria Torrito, Kima Tan, A.M. Lagan, Nick Baggio, Kevin McNulty, Michelle Manna, Pam Teehan, Martin Brennan, Donna Niforos, Concepcion Fernandez, Leslie DuBois, Sergio Duarte, Joseph & Angelina Napoli, Alfred Joyell, Jack Parish, Adaria Duarte, Peter Sarf, Sophia Jade Frey, Steven Tomasi

SPECIAL WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS

Parish registration is expected for all who come to St. Joseph's on a regular basis and consider this their parish. Formal registration enables us to know who you are and where you live. This helps us with parish mailings and, in the event of the need for a sick call or emergency, to find you quickly. Registration forms are available in the back of church, at the Parish Office and on line at stjosephparishnj.org.

We are hosting a special welcome on **January 21st at 1:15pm in the LeBeau Center** (school building) for all new people to our parish. Invitations have been sent to those who have registered but we welcome any others who wish to register and enter into the life of our parish.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
GRADES K-8

**** **NEW** ****

Jan 21 8th Grade Class Mass @ 10 AM

Jan 28 Meeting for 1st Communion Parents

For more information or to request forms, please call 973.696.4411, x4.

CONFIRMATION PROGRAM

Jan 20 Antioch, 8 AM

Feb 3 Confirmation, 11 AM

Confirmation Email:

StJoesLPYouthMinistry@gmail.com

ST. JOSEPH'S CONFIRMATION CLASS OF 2018 COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS

As many of you know, Father English Center of Paterson has suffered a loss of all its food and clothing donations in a fire at their facility in November, leaving them without donations. The people of OUR diocese need OUR help in rebuilding this community staple that many of our brothers and sisters rely on.

The first group of sophomores are collecting monetary donations to replenish the center by purchasing Shop Rite gift cards. Please give what you can and place your donations in the collection buckets located in the back of Church after Mass **this weekend, January 13/14th** where details will be announced. Thank you for your generosity in advance and God bless.

For more information contact: Confirmation Student, Rachel at racheljamesfrancis@gmail.com.

A second group of sophomores are partnering with the Montville Homeless Bus for a collection of Cup-O-Noodle soups (any flavor). Donations can be dropped off in the back of the Church in a box marked 'Cup-O-Noodle Soup Donations'. **The final pick up will be on January 28, 2018.** Please open up your hearts and bring in some Cup-O-Noodle soups for the less fortunate. We truly appreciate your help!"

KIDS BINGO NIGHT



Children in grades K-6 are invited to another Kid's Bingo on **Friday, January 19th in Halloran Hall from 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM.** The cost is \$3.00 plus a snack! Pizza, sack and water will be served. All must register by January 17th by emailing the committee at stjosephkids@gmail.com.



YOGA CLASSES

Due to an injury, Enza, our yoga instructor, classes are canceled for a few weeks! We will let you know when classes will resume.



This year the March for life will be held in Washington, DC on January 19, 2018. It will be the 45th anniversary of the passage of the land mark decision of Roe v. Wade that made abortion legal for the entire country.

Our people from the Paterson Diocese will board buses to go to Washington, DC to show solidarity against abortion and stand for life issues.

Buses will be leaving from several locations but the closets parishes are listed below:

St. Mary – Denville – 973-627-2596
St. Vincent Martyr – Madison – 973-408-9042
Holy Family – Florham Park – Tinafr@shu.edu

Once again, Mass will be offered at St. Peter's Church on Capitol Hill on the day of the March at 12:10 PM. For any other information, please contact Dr. Mary Mazzarella at 973-777-8818 x269.



CHRISTMAS FLOWER DONATIONS IN LOVING MEMORY OF...

Juan Mariblanca, Simeona Gallenero, Jean & Gene Blewitt, Christine D'Apolito, Helen Blewitt, Rosario & Nicanor Canton

Mr. & Mrs. Daniel Blewitt
Nicholas & Celeste DiCanio
James & Peter DiCanio

Inang Malonazo
Andy Malonzo
Ziggy Pawluczenko
The Roepke Family

Joseph L. Theberge
Jane Theberge
My Beloved Aunt Kathryn F. McDonnell
Ruth Vitale

Mallory
Anonymous



IN THANKSGIVING FOR...

Doug Bell & Family
Anonymous
Peace in Family, Good Health, Hope & Love
Anonymous



MISCELLANEOUS...

Elfmede Quitt, Carolyn Santangelo, Mary Scott, Siebel Family, Wild Family



All parishioners are invited to St. Joseph's Mardi Gras Party on Saturday, February 10th after the 5:30 PM Mass. All are asked to bring a covered dish for sharing. Non-alcoholic beverages and desserts, all paper goods and serving utensils will be provided. Please feel free to bring additional food/beverages for your own table. If your covered dish needs to be kept warm, wire racks & sterno set ups will be available. We ask that you bring all food in aluminum trays for ease of use with the wire racks.

RSVP by Sunday, February 4th to Robin Zanca at robzanca@msn.com or 973.872. 0746. For planning purposes, please provide:
Name: _____

Email _____

attending _____

Phone # _____

AREA HAPPENINGS

HOLY SPIRIT SCHOOL BEEFSTEAK

On Saturday, **February 10th**, Holy Spirit School will hold their Annual Beefsteak Dinner in their gym from 7PM until 11PM. The cost is \$52.50 per ticket and includes antipasto, pasta, beefsteak and bread, french-fries, dessert catered by the Brownstone. Beer, soda, water, coffee and tea will also be provided. Dress is casual, and you are welcomed to bring any additional beverages, snacks, appetizers or special dessert for your table! Also, a DJ will provide music for dancing. For more information or tickets please call (973) 835-5680.