



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. 12.

PARISH STAFF

Fr. Thomas Mangieri	Pastor
Sr. Ellen Byrnes, F.S.P.	Pastoral Associate
Rev. Mr. Stephen Marabeti	Deacon
Rev. Mr. Joseph Parlapiano	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
Marriage Preparation	Fr. Thomas Mangieri	696-4411
Baptismal Preparation	Deacon Joseph Parlapiano	696-4411
Confirmation	Ken & Jen Shirkey	
	stjoelplp@optonline.net	

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

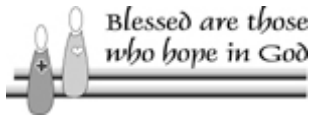
Email: stjoelp@optonline.net

Parish Website: stjosephparishnj.org

Facebook: @Stjoelp

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FEBRUARY 17, 2019



TODAY'S READINGS

Jer 17:5-8; 1 Cor 15:12, 16-20; Lk 6:17, 20-26

WEEKDAY READINGS

Monday

Gn 4:1-15, 25; Mk 8:11-13

Tuesday

Gn 6:5-8, 7:1-5, 10; Mk 8:14-21

Wednesday

Gn 8:6-13, 20-22; Mk 8:22-26

Thursday

Gn 9:1-13; Mk 8:27-33

Friday

1 Pt 5:1-4; Mt 16:13-19

Saturday

Heb 11:1-7; Mk 9:2-13

MASS INTENTIONS & SCHEDULE

Saturday	5:30 PM	Marcella Redner – L&R Frick Jack Bator & Norman Gravino – Fam
Sunday	8:00 AM	Philip Coiro – D&J Grimes Vincent Cardillo – Hughes Fam
	10:00 AM	Josephine Hajjar – Monza Fam Barbara Wild – J Wild
	12:00 PM	Doreen Bubier – C Osborne Vincent Favorito–D&P Folenta
Spanish Mass	7:00 PM	For the Parish
Monday	7:00 PM	Mietek Fritza & Miecica Gorska – E Karpinska
Tuesday	8:00 AM	David Friswell – T Rafale & CPCU
Wednesday	8:00 AM	Nicholas Dantonio – Fam
Thursday	8:00 AM	Kathy Calero - Friend
Friday	8:00 AM	Emilio J Santoro – Fam Richard Holtz – Caputo Fam
Saturday	5:30 PM	Nancy Osborne – C&D Cleary Robert Gustafson – M Chisari
Sunday	8:00 AM	Kathy Calero – D Brighton Vincent Cardillo–M&C Hughes
2/24	10:00 AM	Vito Fragati – Sr. Ellen Vincent Cardillo – Miller Fam
	12:00 PM	Dale Pegler & Joyce Stager – D&P Folenta
Spanish Mass	7:00 PM	For the Parish

FOOD PANTRY ITEMS

The items requested for the month of February are: children's snacks, juice boxes, mustard, mayo, ketchup, salad dressing, canned potatoes, bread crumbs, salt & pepper, coffee, feminine products, laundry detergent, dish detergent, cleaning products, mouth wash, deodorant, baggie, foil, saran wrap.

Please leave donations in the back of church.

Thank you,

SHARING OUR TREASURE

February 10, 2019:	\$ 6,492.00
Candles:	116.00
Attendance:	640

The American Heritage Dictionary defines "trust" as: "Firm reliance on the integrity, ability or character of a person or thing."

Imagine a world without trust. Imagine a world in which nobody believed in the "integrity, ability or character" of others. Trust is the mortar that binds us together. Trust is what enables us to form families, friends, community and a country. Trust is an integral part of what it means to be human.

Our ultimate trust must be found in God, the one is always trustworthy, the faithful friend who never deceives or betrays. Our fundamental trust allows us to not merely survive this life, but to thrive in it, especially when confronted by our own imperfections and those of others.

Cursed are we if we expect others to fulfill all of our deepest wants, our deepest needs, our deepest desires and our deepest dreams without fail. Such expectations lead to bitterness, resentment and despair. Blessed are we if we take confidence and consolation in the God who is always trustworthy, even when we humans are not. Our trust in God will not shield us from life's inevitable disappointments – those we receive, those we cause – but it will enable us to name them, to work through them and to ultimately move beyond them.

Our trust in God enables us to celebrate the ways we are trustworthy. Likewise, our trust in God enables us to forgive one another when we are not.

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.

MEMORIALS

The sanctuary lamp will burn in loving memory of
Gus & Edward Klein

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Nursing Home Reminder: Group is scheduled for **February 24th IV.**



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

Ecc. 3:1

Anthony Muscato & Joseph Esposito

"a time to heal..."

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

Jake Rozell, Jackie & Brian Bycheck, Carol Olsen, Maria Breakey, John Roselli, Mark McCormack, Emilia Moye, Gianna Matthews, Corazon Jackson, Patricia Pagdanganan, Herbie Giardino, Roseann Post, Karen Camporeale, Debra O'Shea, Toni Toranto, Vince Auteri, Joseph VanDunk, Thomas Ketteler, Louis Martinelli, Samuel Iasso, Steven Duarte, Edel Montoya, Joan Cronin, Mary Riveria, Frank Croker, Peggy Piccoli, Patricia Morelli, Mary Kay Klein, Rose Fedor, Joanne Cerelli, Frank Lombardi, James Russo, Baby Tony, Ron Gatti, Joanne Atherton, Maggie Bertola, Karen Hayes, Joan Godowsky, Charlotte Frances, Carl Ross, Lenny Basilio, James McNamara, Sr, Karen Meyer, Patrick D'Alesandro, Eileen Jones, Larry Embley, Christopher Shomenta, Karl Stumpf, Phil Leto, Carmen Calabrese, Ewk Purenko, Walter Condon, Jr, Marion Tallia, Nancy Macaluso, Nathan Grompone, Ruth Vitale, Eugene Tensen, Rosemarie Lea, Mary Rivera, John Mooney, Pat Tafuri-Leto, Donna Tafuri-Roselli, Juan, Lou Tafuri, Alexander Parany, Judy Lorincz, Jill Cerullo, Bev Harrison, 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, Kevin McNulty, Michelle Manna, Pam Teehan, Martin Brennan, Donna Niforos, Concepcion Fernandez, Sergio Duarte, Joseph & Angelina Napoli, Alfred Joyell, Jack Parish, Adaria Duarte, Peter Sarf, Sophia Jade Frey, Steven Tomasi

SEVERAL SOURCES

Kathy DiFiore and Ellen Brown from Several Sources would like to thank the parishioners of St. Joseph's for their generous collection of \$2,664 on February 2nd & 3rd. With the help of our parish, they are able to keep their shelter doors open and their 24-hour hotline available to pregnant women who are contemplating abortion.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Those wishing to be anointed should be in the church **after the Noon Mass this Sunday, February 17th**. 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.

OFFICE CLOSING

The Parish Office will be closed on **Monday, February 18th** in observance of Presidents' Day.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

GRADES K-8

Feb 17 NO CCD Classes, Presidents Weekend
Feb 24 1st Communion Meeting, 9 & 11am

To report an absence for Religious Ed, please call the Parish Office at 973.696.4411, x13.

CONFIRMATION PROGRAM

No Confirmation Classes in February

Feb 24 Confirmation Lecture, 5pm, Church
(Paul DePinto)

Confirmation Email:
StJoesLPYouthMinistry@gmail.com



FSP CALENDAR RAFFLE

The Franciscan Sisters of Peace will again be selling chances for their calendar raffle after all the Masses on the weekend of **February 24th & 25th**. Chances are \$10 for one or \$25 for three. The proceeds from this Calendar Raffle support their works and their mission. As always, the Sisters are most grateful to all who are able to support this very important fundraiser.

CALLING ALL ALTAR SERVERS!

Bishop Navagh Columbiettes would like to thank you for your service to your church at a pizza and ice cream reception on Sunday, **March 3rd**. It will be held at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 84 Lincoln Park Road, Pequannock. It will last from 1:30 to 3:00PM. You are invited to bring your parents and siblings with you. **Please RSVP to Mrs. Danzi either by phone at 973.452.2300 or to carladanzi@yahoo.com with your name, parish and the number attending, no later than February 17th**. Servers will be receiving a certificate which takes some lead time to produce. Please come and let us thank you!



SAVE THE DATE

The success of our first Open Mic has us planning Open Mic #2. All you entertainers get your acts ready and plan for our next Open Mic to be held on **Saturday, March 30th at 7 PM in Halloran Hall**. We are looking for singers, musicians, stand-up acts, etc... as singles, duos or a small group. Acts must be suitable for the venue and within a time frame. All are most welcome to attend... bring your own snacks and enjoy the performers. Contact stjoelp@optonline.net to sign up.





All parishioners are invited to St. Joseph's Mardi Gras Party on **Saturday, March 2nd** 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 24th to Robin Zanca at robzanca@msn.com or 973.872.0746. For planning purposes, please provide:

Name: _____

Email _____

attending _____

Phone # _____



HUMAN TRAFFICKING AWARENESS

Each month the Pope asks the church to pray for a specific intention. This month, he has named the sin of **Trafficking** for our prayers.

For more than two centuries, the United States has worked to advance the cause of freedom. Stained from history of slavery and shaped by ancestors brought to this country in chains. Today, America shines as a beacon of hope to people everywhere who cherish liberty and opportunity. Still, our society remains imperfect, and our nation has more work to do to uphold these values. At home and around the globe, we must continue to fight for human dignity and the inalienable rights of every person.

Human trafficking is a complex and hidden crime, and therefore the true scale of it is difficult to determine. According to the United Nations News Centre, it's one of the most profitable crimes worldwide, second only to illegal drugs and arms trafficking, with an annual trade value of around \$32 billion. It is estimated there are nearly 21 million victims of forced labor, including forced sexual exploitation. It's a major concern that can go unchecked or unnoticed. As Christians, we need to be aware and not turn a blind eye to this current evil.

YOGA CLASSES

Yoga classes are **Mondays at 7:30 PM in Room 1 in the LeBeau Center**. The cost is \$5 per session; pay as you come. All are welcome, from beginner to experienced, male or female, young or old. Bring your mat and come and enjoy the benefits of Yoga with Instructor Enza Postiglione.



GRAINS OF HOPE

Grains of Hope exist to break the cycle of poverty by feeding the hungry and helping those in trouble. People interested in helping with the food packing for the hungry are invited to sign up in advance for 1 ½ hour shifts. Many families, churches, organizations, groups as well as individuals participate in this worthwhile project. It will take place on **March 24th from 12 PM – 5 PM** at the Pequannock Middle School. To sign up please go to: goh2019peq.eventbrite.com and secure your allowed time for work.



Area Happenings

PEQUANNOCK UNICO

Pequannock UNICO is hosting a day trip on **Monday, March 18, to LiGreci's Statten Restaurant, located in Staten Island, NY**. The price is \$90 per person and includes bus transportation, one hour open bar, plated luncheon and wine and soda during dinner. Entertainment by Steve Maglio (Number One Sinatra Stylist) as well as comedian Chris Monty, and music provided by a live band for your dancing and listening pleasure. Please call Joan Deodato 973.696.3799 or Ann Carabello 973.835.0208 to reserve your seat. **Note: Reservations/payment is due by February 28th.**

LINCOLN PARK RECREATION FITNESS CLASSES

- Yoga:** Monday evening 7 – 8 PM (Community Meeting Room)
- Circuit Training:** Tuesday morning 9:30 – 10:30 AM (PAL)
- Zumba:** Tuesday evening 7 – 8 PM (PAL)
- Cardio/Strength Training:** Wednesday evening 7 – 8 PM (PAL)

Walk-in Fee: \$10
 Packages available: 4 class package for \$35 or
 10 class package for \$80

(Classes don't have to be consecutive weeks and can be used for all classes.)

Must be 16 years or older
 Residents & Non-Residents are Welcome!
 More info: pdelaporte@bolp.org (973) 694-6100 Ext. 2206