



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. Dominik Bakowski	Administrator
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. Dominik Bakowski	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. Dominik Bakowski	696-4411
Baptismal Preparation	Deacon Joseph Parlapiano	696-4411
Confirmation	Ken & Jen Shirkey	
	stjoelplpouthernministry@gmail.com	

Parish Service Committees

Baking, Parish Events	Maria McMann	896-4353
Christian Service	Walter Jaslanek	305-0232
Finance	Fr. Dominik Bakowski	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



READINGS

Sunday
Dt 30:10-14; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37
Monday
Ex 1:8-14, 22; Mt 10:34-11:1
Tuesday
Ex 2:1-15a; Mt 11:20-24
Wednesday
Ex 3:1-6, 9-12; Mt 11:25-27
Thursday
Ex 3:13-20; Mt 11:28-30
Friday
Ex 11:10-12:14; Mt 12:1-8
Saturday
Ex 12:37-42; Mt 12:14-21

MASS INTENTIONS & SCHEDULE

Saturday	5:30 PM	Richard Holtz – Fam Helen McKeown – R&M Williams
Sunday	8:00 AM	Rose Aguanno – Fam John L Murphy – Fam
	10:00 AM	Joyce Stager – Zulauf Fam Jean Caputo – L&G Manser
	12:00 PM	Kevin Herron – R Schwake Idania Rojas-Bautista – Fam
Spanish Mass	7:00 PM	For the Parish
Monday	7:00 PM	Nina Lewis – L Lewis
Tuesday	8:00 AM	Rose Rodriguez – Fam Sr. Eileen Halloran (Anniv Of Death)
Wednesday	8:00 AM	Rose Ciambrone – Trabucco Fam
Thursday	8:00 AM	James O’Connell – L&G Manser
Friday	8:00 AM	Hoby Stager – Friend
Saturday	5:30 PM	Rose Lea – Clark Fam Ralph Semeraro – K&D Petrow Kathleen Lewis – L Lewis
Sunday 7/21	8:00 AM	Marie Aguanno – Fam Doris Boyle – M Boyle
	10:00 AM	Edward Huber – M&M Monza Richard Holtz – J&M Bono
	12:00 PM	Jon & Luke Warbeck – Siebel Fam John Nicholich – K&K Miller
Spanish Mass	7:00 PM	For the Parish

MEMORIALS

The sanctuary lamp will burn in loving memory of
Henry Piccoli ~ From Family

SHARING OUR TREASURE

June 30, 2019:	\$	6,262.00
Candles:	\$	128.00
Pennies for the Poor:	\$	7.00
Attendance:		556

July 7, 2019:	\$	5,990.00
Candles:	\$	122.00
Pennies for the Poor:	\$	6.00
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Attendance:		512

The story of the good Samaritan is one of the clearest teaching moments of Jesus, as He used the two first testament books to describe the only way one can love God is through love of neighbor. Perhaps we are like the scholar of the law, thinking that we are in pretty good shape, as we pray, honor God and try to do the right thing. But wait a minute. Do we dare ask ‘who is my neighbor’ without fearing the consequences?

Pope Francis has called us to see the face of Christ in those who ask our help, who need our assistance. He asks two things: that we recognize the Christ in people who come to us, and to reflect the face of Christ to those who approach us. The parable ends with the scholar, unable to describe the unnamed Samaritan, saying the neighbor was the one treated him with compassion. He was told, go and do likewise. Think today of one person or group who are looking for the good Samaritan. Do they find him in you?

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.*

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

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

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Those wishing to be anointed should be in the church **after the Noon Mass next Sunday, July 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

VACATION

Due to staff vacation from July 29th – August 1st, our office hours will be 9 AM – 12 PM.

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

Ecc. 3:1

John Puchalik & Anna Corso

“a time to heal...”

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

ELeen Bradley, Susan Autieri, Jim Bradley, Jolson Regencia, Toni Smith, Leonice Duaret, Jackie & Brian Bycheck, Carol Olsen, John Roselli, Emilia Moye, Gianna Matthews, 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’Alessandro, Eileen Jones, Larry Embley, Christopher Shomonta, Karl Stumpf, Phil Leto, Ewk Purenko, Walter Condon, Jr, Marion Tallia, Nathan Grompone, Ruth Vitale, Eugene Tensen, Rosemarie Lea, 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, 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

If you have placed a name on the prayer list and the person is no longer in need of special healing prayers, please notify the office so that we can remove their names. Thank you.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



The Knights of Columbus use recycled aluminum cans as a source of revenue to “Help Us Help Others”. We have a pickup at St. Joseph’s Church every Saturday morning between 9 AM and 11AM. We take as many cans (aluminum only) as you can drop off, soda cans, beer cans, etc. Please help the Knights help those of us in need.



SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

Our Parish Office will be closed on Fridays through August 30th. Office hours will be Monday to Thursday 9 AM – 3 PM **closed Fridays.**



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION GRADES K-8

Registration forms for the 2019-2020 CCD school year are due back by AUGUST 1st. If you did not receive it or if your email address has changed since last year’s registration (which would have been last summer), please be sure to email us at stjoelp@optonline.net with your new email address. Registration forms are available on the back tables in church and in our Parish Center.

First Holy Communion – Children are required to complete 1st grade of Religious Education before they can enter into the 2nd grade of our program for First Holy Communion.

Registration for **new** students will also be taking place. Our program begins with Kindergarten and continues through Grade 8. If you have a child in **Kindergarten only**, the registration fee is \$30. **A copy of their baptismal certificate is required for each new child registered. Families must be registered members of the parish when registering for the program.**

For more information or to request forms, please call 973.696.4411 x10.

CONFIRMATION PROGRAM

ATTENTION: 8TH GRADE PARENTS

As your child enters freshmen year, they will begin their preparation for Confirmation and enter the High School program. This program is **separate** from the K – 8. Therefore, you will receive a different registration form from Ken & Jen Shirkey, our Youth Ministers. They are the coordinators of the Confirmation Program.

Confirmation Email:

StJoesLPYouthMinistry@gmail.com

REGISTRATION SUNDAYS



We will be holding special Registration Days for Religious Education classes for **Grades K – 8** for new and returning students on **Sundays July 21st & July 28th at 11AM** in the Parish Center (school). Please bring your child’s Baptismal Certificate if he/she is new to the program. Registration forms will be available.



GROW IN FAITH



There are many ways our faith becomes stronger and more meaningful. One of the best ways this happens is when you have to explain or demonstrate to someone else your own understanding or beliefs. Putting words on what you believe helps to clarify and refine your own thinking. This makes teaching an outstanding way to grow. Becoming a teacher in the Religious Education Program not only brings our faith to the hearts of youngsters for life, it also helps crystallize and strengthen the teacher his or her own beliefs. When you share faith with children, both the student and the teacher grow.

If you are interested and would like to explore the idea of volunteering as a teacher in the Religious Education Program (K-8th Grade), please contact Sr. Ellen Byrnes at 973.696.4411, x12. This is a wonderful way to grow in faith and help your parish.

VISITING THE SICK AND SHUT-INS

It is easy to overlook the homebound in our parish because we do not see them often, if at all. These members may be elderly, undergoing cancer treatment, living with a severe chronic illness, or dealing with another type of disability. Although these brothers and sisters in Christ cannot attend church services regularly, **they are an indispensable part of the body of Christ** (1 Corinthians 12:22).

If you would like to share in the ministry of serving people who are homebound or in the nursing home that are unable to attend Mass. Consider signing up on the sheets in the back of church.

PARISH EMAIL LIST

If you would like to be added to the parish email list to receive notifications of funerals, parish events and announcements, please email us at stjoelp@optonline.net and let us know if you would like to be placed on our list. What a resourceful way to keep up to date on parish happenings. Thank you.

RCIA

R.C.I.A., the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, is a process for anyone wishing to know more about the Roman Catholic Faith and the reception of the sacraments of initiation (Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation). By our baptism, each of us is called to share the good news. Each of us may know someone who, if asked, would consider becoming a Catholic. The invitation needs to be extended. As a member of the faith family, have you extended the invitation? If you know someone who may be interested in being contacted by a member of the staff or the RCIA team, please call the office at 973.696.4411.

FR. TOM'S FARWELL CELEBRATION

