



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	
	stjoelplpouthernministry@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: @Stjoelp



TODAY'S READINGS

Is 50:5-9a; Jas 2:14-18; Mk 8:27-35

WEEKDAY READINGS

Monday

1 Cor 11:17-26, 33; Lk 7:1-10

Tuesday

1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a; Lk 7:11-17

Wednesday

1 Cor 12:31—13:13; Lk 7:31-35

Thursday

1 Cor 15:1-11; Lk 7:36-50

Friday

Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Mt 9:9-13

Saturday

1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49; Lk 8:4-15

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

Wis 2:12, 17-20; Jas 3:16—4:3; Mk 9:30-37

MASS INTENTIONS & SCHEDULE

Saturday	5:30 PM	Sally Cleary – C&D Cleary Pat Gray – C&E Corbiere John Messenkopf – Fam
Sunday	8:00 AM	Thomas Jakimas – D'Andrea Fam Mary Boyle - Fam
	10:00 AM	Barbara Jenks – G Krueger & B McKowen Mildred Marino – McLain Fam
	12:00 PM	Ruth & William Osborne – C Osborne Claire Lambert – L DeLuca
Spanish Mass	7:00 PM	For the Parish
Monday	7:00 PM	Antoinette Coppola – Fam
Tuesday	8:00 AM	Carmen Gonzalez – Fam
Wednesday	8:00 AM	Shirley Ann Manicone – Fam
Thursday	8:00 AM	Frank Wilkisson – Fam
Friday	8:00 AM	Ruth Nowacki – Fam
Saturday	5:30 PM	Andrew Stessel (2 nd Anniv) & Art Astone (4 months) – Fam Daniel Petrow- J&C Parlapiano
Sunday	8:00 AM	Monica Ward – F Wilkisson
9/23	10:00 AM	Jan Bednarczyk & Stanistaw Plewa – Fam
	12:00 PM	Marie Maio – Rubbone Fam August LaLuna – Wallis Fam
Spanish Mass	7:00 PM	For the Parish

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Nursing Home Reminder: Group III is scheduled for September 23rd.

MEMORIALS

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

SHARING OUR TREASURE

September 9, 2018:	\$ 6,864.00
Candles:	\$ 70.00
Pennies for the Poor:	\$ 5.00
Attendance:	500

May each of us evolve toward the fullness of the vision of Jesus' unconditional love for his father and for all. We may not just bask in that love. We need to come to understand that unconditional love calls for our response just as it called for Jesus' response to our father.

That response calls us to be servants, not masters in our relationships. Servants do not seek the first places in social gatherings; do not seek honor or recognition. Servants serve! When his thousands of followers were without food, he served their hungry stomachs with loaves of bread and their staple food, fish. When their minds and spirits hungered for wisdom, he served them the bread of wisdom. Ever the servant, he gave example of how we are to serve and work. When time for instruction was running out, he got down on his knees at the last supper and washed his disciples' feet – the work of a servant.

As we mature, we see the hypocrisy of those who call themselves "public servants" and serve themselves generously and let the people who elected them suffer and pay for their "perks." As we mature, we see the hypocrisy of those who call themselves "servants of the servants of god" and then act imperiously and dress as princes with rings and things – not as servants – and investigate those who honestly seek otherworld values.

And the good news is that when we become discouraged at hearing answers and responses other than "messiah-servant" answers and responses, when we see power abused, we have the great consolation of coming home to our parish community and celebrate Eucharist together, here at the table of the Lord.

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.

LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR COLLECTION

Next weekend there will be a special collection for Little Sisters of the Poor in Totowa. Continuing the work of Saint Jeanne Jugan, their mission is to offer the elderly of every race and religion a home where they will be welcomed as Christ, cared for as family and accompanied with dignity until God calls them to himself.

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

Ecc. 3:1

Christopher Bentley

"a time to heal..."

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

Paula Tafuri, Gianna Matthews, Corazon Jackson, Patricia Pagdanganan, Dot Lisowski, Herbie Giardino, Roseann Post, Karen Camporeale, Errett Corbiere, 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, Toni Smith, Emily Castaneda, Peggy Piccoli, Patricia Morelli, Mary Kay Klein, Rose Fedor, Joanne Cerelli, 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, Sr, Karen Meyer, Patrick D'Alesandro, Eileen Jones, Larry Embley, Christopher Shomenta, 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, Rosemarie Lea, Phil Leto, Mary Rivera, John Mooney, Pat Leto, Donna Tafuri-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, 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

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Those wishing to be anointed should be in the church **after the Noon Mass this Sunday, September 16th**. 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.

CHRISTIAN SERVICE COMMITTEE



This weekend, **September 15th & 16th**, the Christian Service Committee will be collecting for our "pajama and book" collection. This program will provide children-in-need, those waiting and hoping to be adopted, with their very own book and warm pajamas. These simple items give these lonely children a secure and nurturing bedtime environment. New pajama sizes can be from infant to 16 year old children. The new book will go along with the pajamas for that age child. **Please keep the book and pajamas together either in a shopping bag or rubber band for ease of distribution.** Thank you in advance for your generosity!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

GRADES K-8

Sept 16 Classes Begin for Grades K-5, 9 & 11 AM
Sept 16 Catechetical Sunday – Teachers' Blessing @ 10 AM Mass

Sept 23 Meeting for 1st Communion Parents
Sept 29 Memory Boxes for 1st Communion

CONFIRMATION PROGRAM

Confirmation Email:

StJoesLPYouthMinistry@gmail.com

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Registration forms for our Confirmation Program were emailed last week. Registrations can be sent to the parish office anytime between now and October 14th. If you did not receive this information or if you are new to our parish, **please email Jen Shirkey at StJoesLPYouthMinistry@gmail.com**. **Registration forms are also available on our website at stjosephparishnj.org.**

CATECHETICAL SUNDAY

This Sunday the Church will celebrate Catechetical Sunday across the United States. It is the day for commissioning all those men and women who are handing on the faith and being a witness to the Gospel in our Religious Education Program. All the Catechists who faithfully and generously serve at St. Joseph's will receive a special bless at the 10 AM Mass. May God bless them abundantly!

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 Parish Office at 973.696.4411 x10.



LINCOLN PARK DAY 2018

We ask our parishioners to visit the St. Joseph's booth to check out why our parish "Rocks"!! We are looking to spread kindness to all parts of Lincoln

Park with our simple project. If you would like to help for a little while at the booth, call us at 973.696.4411 x10.



LATIN MASS PILGRIMAGE AT THE CATHEDRAL OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST

All are invited to the second annual Latin Mass Pilgrimage on Saturday, October 13, 2018 at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist in Paterson. Bishop Serratelli will celebrate a pontifical solemn high mass in the extraordinary form at 9:30 AM. A reception with the Bishop will follow the mass in the Rodimer Center. Free parking is available in the garage on Grand Street. For more information, contact Dr. Joseph Daly at (973) 464-2954.

WOMEN SAINTS FOR OUR TIME

Three Franciscan Parishes are sponsoring an evening about Women Saints. They are featuring five "women saints for our time". It will be held at St. Bonaventure Church, 174 Ramsey St., Paterson on **Monday, September 24th at 7:30 PM**. Please join this celebration of the gifts these incredible women have brought to our Church: Saints Hildegard of Bingen, Katherine Drexel, Elizabeth Ann Seton, Dorothy Day and Teresa of Calcutta.

MUSIC MINISTRY

Adult Choir rehearsals begin **Wednesday, September 5th at 8 PM** in the church. If you are a woman, high school age or older, who loves to sing and can carry a tune, now is the time to join! We're looking forward to a blessed year filled with inspiring music.



Choristers' rehearsals begin on **Wednesday, September 12th at 6:30 PM**. Open to those children who love to sing from 3rd grade up. Please contact Denise Dixon at 973.590.9975 for more information about either.

ONE HEART FOR HAITI

SAVE THE DATE for our first One Heart for Haiti Asian Dinner fundraiser on **Saturday, November 10th** in St. Joseph's Halloran Hall after the 5:30 Mass. Tickets are \$25 in advance or \$30 at the door. This includes a buffet of all-you-can-eat Asian style dishes prepared by our very own Filipino cook Ofie Blewitt. The buffet will include authentic Asian dishes such as: rice noodles with chicken and veggies, chicken/pork adobo, egg rolls, sweet and sour fish, chop suey, and garlic fried rice, as well as desserts such as flan, deep-fried sugar balls, fruit salad, and fried bananas. Soda, water and coffee will also be provided (BYOB). Please call Ellen at 973.896.4070, or email ellen.corbiere@gmail.com with questions or to order your tickets. Checks addressed to One Heart for Haiti can be mailed to Ofie Blewitt, 37 Highland St, Lincoln Park, NJ 07035. All proceeds will be used to support our nonprofit foundation, One Heart for Haiti, to educate children in our Grand Vincent sister parish. Donations are also greatly appreciated.



SJP 1ST ANNUAL CARNIVAL

St. Joseph's First Annual Family Carnival/BBQ will be held next **Sunday, September 23rd from 1:30 – 4:30 PM**. Join us for games, food and family fun! Sign up sheets are in the back of the church.



BISHOP NAVAGH COLUMBIETTES COUNCIL 5943

The Columbiettes are planning to have a Recruitment Weekend in October. As Catholic women who work with the Knights of Columbus, we hope to make a difference in today's world, by befriending others and helping when needed with family, church and community. We are thankful to God for all he has given us and we take time to give to others, enjoy fun in fraternity and serve God and Country. Some of our events include: Fish and Chips Dinner, Baked Potato Night, Bingo at Little Sisters of the Poor, Altar Server Appreciation Party, Grains of Hope, Spring Flower Sale.

Area Happenings

EPHESIANS: DISCOVER YOUR INHERITANCE – One of the most remarkable things about our Faith is that by God's grace, we have become his adopted sons and daughters. In your day-to-day-life, what does it mean to be a son or daughter of God – and heir to his promises and blessings? When you sit in the pews each Sunday, what does it mean to you to be a part of his family, the Church? To help you uncover this meaning, **Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish** will begin an 8 week class entitled *Ephesians: Discover Your Inheritance* on **September 19th at 7 PM**. For more information or to register, visit AscensionPress.com or contact Carla Trost at ministries@goodcounsel.org 973.839.2447 or Joe Manicone at joemanicone@gmail.com.

DEPAUL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL NINE & DINE – Join us for nine holes of golf at the Passaic County Course (Preakness Valley) and a BBQ at The Barnyard in support of the Spartan Athletic Programs on **Thursday, September 20th with a 4:30 PM Shotgun Start**. The \$100 registration fee includes greens fees, cart, and BBQ dinner. Dinner to follow at 7 PM at The Barnyard, 754 Totowa Rd, Totowa. For more information, or to inquire about sponsorship opportunities, please contact: Carmela Raiti, Director of Development at raitic@dpchs.org or 973.694.3702 x440.