

Oradell/New Milford,

Saint Joseph Roman Catholic Church

November 14, 2021

33rd SUNDAY in ordinary time "Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away." - Mk 13:31

| Office | Location | Phone | Email/Fax | Website |
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UPCOMING THANKSGIVING and ADVENT EVENTS (See pp. 2 and 5)

PASTOR:

Msgr. David C. Hubba PAROCHIAL VICARS: Rev. John Z. Radwan Rev. Christian G. Scalo DEACON: George Montalvo PASTOR EMERITUS: Rev. George M. Reilly

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 7:30am, 9am, 10:30 am, 12 noon DAILY Weekdays 7:00 am & 8:30 am Saturday 8:30 am

HOLY DAYS as announced

Miraculous Medal Novena Monday, 7:00 pm in Mary's Chapel

Eucharistic Adoration First Wed. of Month 9 am—5 pm in MC

SACRAMENTS

Confession: Saturday, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Baptism Contact the Parish Office

Marriage Arrangements should be made with a priest at least one year in advance.

Homebound/Hospital Call Parish Office

Christian Initiation of Adults—RCIA Contact Parish Office

PARISH REGISTRATION Contact Parish Office

Parish Office Hours: Mon.-Fri.: 9:00 am-2:00 pm. YOU MUST TELEPHONE FIRST (201-261-0148)



SHARE THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

Amazon, Shoprite, Target & Walmart **GIFT CARDS NEEDED**

Prepare your home and heart for Christmas by sharing the blessings of the season with those in need.

Our Giving Trees, an Advent tradition at Saint Joseph, will be put up in the main entrance of the church and at the Harrison Street entrance on November 24.

The **GIFT CARDS** we collected last year were very well received by the families we supported. Cards from Amazon, ShopRite, Target, and Walmart were greatly appreciated last year and will be gratefully accepted this year. When you purchase a gift card and indicate the \$ amount, you will b able to place it in the box you will find next to the tree the next time you come to Mass.

Traditionally, parishioners have given \$25 or \$50 gift cards, but please feel free to give any amount you are able to give. For more information, please contact Kristin Racine or Melinda Rabbia at sjgivingtree@gmail.com



PLACE ALL ORDERS BY NOVEMBER 19TH AT:

http://freshandfancyfarms.com/saint-joseph-school-1/

Quantities are limited.

Orders can be picked up beginning December 2nd at: Fresh and Fancy Farms 575 River Road New Milford, NJ 201-483-9494

For assistance or delivery please contact: Caroline Miller carolineamorris@aol.com Katy Traphagen cathrynbasile@mac.com



FOOD DRIVE AT SAINT JOSEPH NEXT WEEKEND—NOV. 20-21 Our traditional Thanksgiving Food *Thanksgiving* **Drive** will take place November 21-22.

Your generous donations will bless

those in need of the Food Pantries at the Church of the Ascension in New Milford and St. Joseph Church in Jersey City. Below is a list of items often requested. Please make sure that the food is **NOT OUTDATED**.

Baby Food/Formula **Baked Beans** Beans (Dried or Canned) Beef Stew (Canned) Pancake Mix /Syrup Peanut Butter & Jelly Cake Mix/Frosting Coffee/Tea **Cranberry Sauce** Fruit (Canned) **Fruit** Juice Gravy Jello/Pudding Deodorant **Dishwashing Liquid Garbage Bags** Laundry Detergent Napkins/Paper Towels

Macaroni & Cheese Mayo/Mustard/Ketchup Meat/Fish (Canned) Milk (Powdered or Canned) Pasta/Pasta Sauce Potatoes (Canned or Instant) Cereal Rice Salad Dressing Soup (Canned) **Stuffing Mix** Sugar/Salt/Pepper/Etc. Vegetables (Canned) Shampoo

Shaving Cream Soap **Toilet Paper** Toothpaste

FROZEN TURKEYS WILL BE GRATEFULLY ACCEPTED.

If you prefer, you may make a monetary donation. Please make your check payable to "Saint Joseph

Church" and mark the envelope "Food Drive." Please bring your donations to the Rectory

Garage, before or after any of the Masses on the weekend of November 20-21.

INTERFAITH **THANKSGIVING PRAYER SERVICE** AT ST. PETER's -NOVEMBER 16



The annual Interfaith Thanksgiving Prayer Service will be held at St. Peter the Apostle Church (445 Fifth Avenue, River Edge) on Tuesday, November 16 at 7:30 pm.

Saint Joseph will join neighboring houses of worship on November 16 at St. Peter's to offer thanks to God for all our blessings.

Please plan to attend this beautiful prayer service that has become a very special tradition in our community.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



It would be hard to come up with a better analog for the spiritual life than a pilgrimage. After all, we're on the way somewhere in our lives and aren't just

staying put.

Soon after Our Lord's earthly life, Christian pilgrims began making their way to the places where he set foot, taught and worked, especially to Ierusalem, where he died for us and rose from the dead. Much later, Christian pilgrims journeyed to such



Canterbury pilgrims

revered destinations as Canterbury, where St. Thomas Becket was martyred at the altar of his cathedral, and Compostella, where the tomb of St. James was venerated by pilgrims who made the arduous walk along the famous *camino* trail.

Pilgrimages and other travels of spiritual significance also preceded Christian times. Psalm 107 speaks of journeys of futility:

Some wandered in the desert, in the wilderness. finding no way to a city they could

dwell in. Hungry they were and thirsty;

their soul was fainting within them.

They cried to the Lord in their need and he rescued them from their distress and he led them along the right way, to reach a city they could dwell in.

St. John Vianney, known as the Curë (parish priest) of Ars, led a life of amazing austerity. He worked tirelessly among his people and the many pilgrims who came, often for fifteen or sixteen hours a day, to make their confession to him. He was certainly no adherent to a non-carbohydrate diet, since for years his typical meal consisted of a potato or two and a cup of milk, a strong irony since he lived near Brillat-Savarin, the most eminent expert on food in France's history.

In addition to his other priestly duties, St. John gave regular catechetical talks to children and adults. Many of these talks, presented in simple and direct language, have survived. In one of them, the Curë spoke of how prayer strengthened him on a long journey he once had to make:

(continued above)

Prayer ... makes time pass very quickly and with such great delight that one does not notice its length. Listen: Once when I was a purveyor in Bresse and most of my companions were ill, I had to make a long journey. I prayed to the good God, and, believe me, the time did not seem long.

Prayer sustained the Curë, and it can do the same for us, including in the most difficult of our trials. For St. John, prayer was no grim obligation, but a joyous delight. As he once said:

Prayer is nothing else but union with God. ... In this intimate union. God and the soul are fused together like two bits of wax that no one can ever pull apart. The union of God with a tiny creature is a lovely thing. It is a happiness beyond understanding.

Msgr. David Hubba



... from NEW HOPE "Once again, New Hope **Pregnancy Resource Center** in Westwood extends our heartfelt thanks to the parishioners of Saint Joseph Church for your incredible

generosity of spirit in response to our talk which raised about \$1,300.

We are truly blessed to have you as partners in our outreach mission to women in crisis pregnancies and to young moms and their babies.

If you would like to **volunteer**, please contact marilyn@newhopeprc.org or call 201-722-4705. May God bless you all!"

DO YOU WANT TO BECOME A CATHOLIC? DO YOU NEED TO BE CONFIRMED?

RCIA, or Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, is an opportunity to learn more about Catholicism and to become fully initiated into the Catholic Church.

Anyone who would like to inquire about becoming a **fully initiated** Catholic through the sacraments, or

any Catholic adult who would like to **be confirmed**. is welcome and should contact **RC** A 261-0148 ext. 11.



Mass Intentions

| Saturday | November 13, 2021 |
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| 5:00 pm | Mary & William Sweeney |
| Sunday 7:30 am 9:00 am 10:30 am 12:00 pm | November 14, 2021 People of the Parish Jeannie Mills Robert M. Westerdahl <i>(Birthday Remembrance)</i> Tony Navarra |
| Monday 7:00 am 8:30 am | November 15, 2021 Michael Delucia Frei Thomas Jones, OFM <i>(Birthday—Living)</i> |
| Tuesday | November 16, 2021 |
| 7:00 am | Marie Chiarella |
| 8:30 am | Virginia Vincent |
| Wednesday | November 17, 2021 |
| 7:00 am | Hugh Flanagan |
| 8:30 am | James Kelly |
| Thursday | November 18, 2021 |
| 7:00 am | Carol Hubba |
| 8:30 am | Michele A. Nydegger |
| Friday | November 19, 2021 |
| 7:00 am | Mary G. McCormack |
| 8:30 am | Jeannie Mills |
| Saturday | November 20, 2021 |
| 8:30 am | Carmela & Simon Scarano |
| 5:00 pm | Rocco DiRico |
| Sunday 7:30 am 9:00 am | November 21, 2021 People of the Parish Deceased Members of the Tomassi Family |
| 10:30 am | Anthony Di Stefano, Sr. |

10:30 am 12:00 pm



BREAD & WINE INTENTION

The **bread and wine** for the week of **November 14, 2021** is donated in loving memory of **Irma Primc** and **Ivan Piasevoli** as requested by Ida & Ivo Piasevola.



Lawrence Gangemi



SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTION WEEK OF NOVEMBER 14

The Sanctuary Lamp in the Upper Church burns in loving memory of **Margie Glynn**

as requested by Jim & Teresa Glenn.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Let us remember all those who are ill: Maureen Clancy, Bob DeRose, Stephen Gavosto, Anthony Marchionni, Diann Speranza, Gayle White, Annette Linder, Fred Mezzina, Lorna Ilan, Mimosa Elyan, Mark Hellriegel, Angelo Shingelo, Dennis Maloney, Ed Grube, Craig Schmultz

> Let us remember all those who have died: Thomas (Tommy) Piersa

Let us remember those serving in our military: 1st LT Harry Aquino USAF, Capt. Christopher Bascomb, Chaplain (Capt.) Father AJ De Silva USAR, 1st LT Ellen Dougherty, GY Sgt. Brian P. McCarthy USMC, 1st LT Michael McPherson, Capt. Michael Shuler, PFC David Solinas, Jr.



STEWARDS SHARE

"Jesus answered, 'My kingdom does not belong to this world." (JOHN 18:36)

Life is short. How much time, energy and money do you put into building "your" kingdom here on earth? We all know we can't take it with us. The real kingdom is in the next life. Yet, how much time, energy and money do you invest in working for that eternal kingdom? Ask God for His guidance. Detach from earthly possessions. In <u>Stewardship</u>, generously share your material goods with others for the greater glory of God.

DONATE TO SAINT JOSEPH ONLINE

To make a **one-time donation** through our electronic giving program, simply go to our parish website **sjcnj.org** Click on **"Donate."** You can choose how much you will donate and your

contribution will be made automatically, safely and securely, from your debit or credit card.

If you wish to continue to **donate on a regular basis**, click on "**Sign Up Today**" and follow the instructions to register.

VOCATION MINISTRY



While God inspires all vocations, the programs and activities of a parish can invite and encourage individuals to be open to God's call.

Our parish Vocation Ministry seeks to facilitate and assist ministries in every stage of parish life to **support and promote vocations through prayer and activities** that establish a vocations-minded presence among

both youths and adults within the parish. Through the prayers and efforts of our parishioners, our parish can encourage more young people to **consider the priesthood**

or religious life or spend more time thinking about the **meaning of marriage** and thereby help individuals move toward holiness and discern God's will in their lives.

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For more information, please contact **Tom Moran** at **tmoran61@gmail.com** or any of **our priests**.

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TRANSFORM YOUR ADVENT —BOOK AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE NEXT WEEKEND—NOVEMBER 20-21 pint losoph's Consocration Crown who av

Saint Joseph's Consecration Group, who are currently leading us through 30 days of

meditations found in the book *In Saint Joseph's Footsteps* to consecrate ourselves to our patron saint, is offering us an opportunity to find our own place in the Advent/Christmas story.

The group will be offering the Advent book/journal called *Rejoice, Finding Your Place in the Advent Story.* Published by Ascension Press, it is written by Fr. Mark Toups, who also wrote *In Saint Joseph's Footsteps*.

Copies will be sold after all Masses next weekend at both doors of the church. The cost is \$6 which is more than 50% off the retail price!

There are limited copies available. You can email Teresa Glenn at tjk1025@aol.com or Marilyn Ivory at mclivory@gmail.com to reserve you copy.

Each day, you'll enjoy a word that focuses on the Advent story; a reflection that helps you learn more about the people, places, and events of the first Advent; a Scripture passage; and a powerful prayer prompt. **Space is provided for journaling** each day. Added to this are a **series of free online videos** that supplement the journal experience. **Be sure to reserve your copy now.**

THIRD SATURDAY MASS FOR RECOVERY AND HEALING *—NOVEMBER 20*

AT CHURCH OF ST. MARY IN CLOSTER All are welcome to **Church of St. Mary**, 20 Legion Place, Closter, for the **Third Saturday Recovery and Healing Mass** on **Saturday, November 20** at **12:00 noon**. This special Mass speaks to those affected by the use and abuse of drugs and/or alcohol and for those who love them.

Current religious gathering protocol will be strictly followed. For those unable to attend in person, we will be videotaping the Mass for later viewing on our **Facebook** page (https://www.facebook.com/groups/ FrJimMcKenna) and on our website (https://fatherjimmckenna.org/). We hope to again offer virtual participation through Zoom.

During the November and December Masses, we are continuing our tradition of **collecting new socks and underwear** for the men of **St. Christopher's Inn (https://stchristophersinn-graymoor.org/)** and other vulnerable folks in our community.

This monthly Mass is offered for the support, healing and recovery of those afflicted or affected by a substance use disorder. For information please contact **The Father Jim McKenna Memorial Fund** at **201-281-6247** or visit our website *(see above).*



PART TIME/ FULL TIME COOK NEEDED FOR

SENIOR SUPPORTIVE LIVING FACILITY

The Senior Residence at St. Peter the Apostle is

looking for cooks to join our community. Prepare healthy and nutritious meals for 23 seniors. Must enjoy cooking, preferably live local, be able to read and speak English and have reliable transportation.

Shifts: Sunday – Thursday 10:00 pm—6:00 pm. Please send **resume and letter of interest** to: **gprincipato@stpetersresidence.org** or call **Gina Principato** at **201-225-0707.**



SEND US YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS!

Saint Joseph Parish wants to keep you informed of all the wonderful things happening here.

We have begun to send out an **email newsletter** and news blasts. You may have already seen them if you gave us your address.

If you haven't sent us your email address, please do so now! Send it to **pastoralcouncil@sjcnj.org**

If you think you already sent it, but haven't seen our emails, please check your spam folder or (if you use Google Mail, look in your "Social" or "Promotions" folders).

> Don't miss out on all the Good News at Saint Joseph Parish!



HELP SAINT JOSEPH

WHEN YOU DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING!

You can do your Christmas shopping on Amazon with **"Amazon Smile"** and **benefit Saint Joseph Church** (AT **NO COST** TO YOU!)

- Same low prices and selection as amazon.com
- Amazon will donate a portion of your purchase price to our parish.

HOW TO ORDER WITH AMAZON SMILE:

Just go to **smile.amazon.com** and select **"St. Joseph Church New Milford"** as your charity; then make your purchases as you normally would on Amazon.

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CHECK US OUT ONLINE!

We are delighted to announce that our **new parish website** is up and running !

Parishioners **Melinda and Joe Rabbia** have beautifully

transitioned our old site and made our new site wonderfully accessible, extra user-friendly and very easy to navigate.

You can find information about parish events, our Mass times, a link to our bulletin and online Mass, a description of all our ministries and much more!

Please take a look when you have the chance! The url remains the same: sjcnj.org

We are also very grateful to Melinda who has agreed to become our new **parish webmaster**. Any parish ministries that have information for the site should send it to **melindarabbia@gmail.com**



WATCH SUNDAY MASS ONLINE

Tube: r **"Saint Joseph Church Oradell YouTube"** in your computer search engine. Click on the link to the official page, then click on the **SUBSCRIBE BUTTON**

... OR ON OPTV Sundays at 10:00 am *(<u>Oradell only</u>) Available on Altice/Optimum Ch. 77 ; FiOS Ch. 28

HOW TO SEE OUR BULLETIN ONLINE

To see the current bulletin online, go to **https:// parishesonline.com/find/saint-joseph-romancatholic-church**

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES AT SAINT JOSEPH SCHOOL

Part-Time Maintenance Position: This is a yearround position, five days per week for 4 hours per day. The successful candidate will have a positive attitude, and take pride in his/her work. Black Seal license is a plus! This position includes cleaning and routine school maintenance tasks. Candidates may call for an appointment: **201-261-2388 ext. 40**.

Part-Time Pre-Kindergarten 3 Teacher Assistant: 4 hours per day, five days per week. The successful candidate will enjoy working with our little ones and bringing a joyful helping hand to the classroom. Interested candidates should contact: **Dr. Paula Valenti** via phone: **201-261-2388 (x40)** or by email: **valentip@sjsusa.org**

Both positions require Protecting God's Children training, Saint Joseph School can help with arranging enrollment in a training class.



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