

Oradell/New Milford, NJ

# Saint Joseph

Roman Catholic Church

March 27, 2022

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#### **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

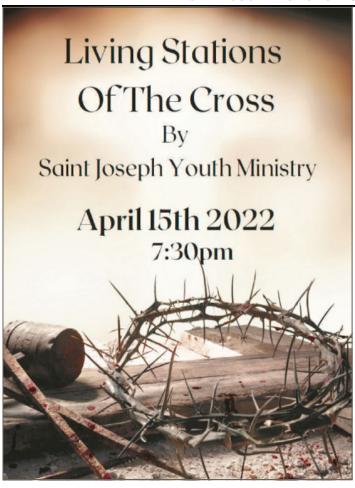
PARISH REGISTRATION

Contact Parish Office

FOURTH SUNDAY OF "He said to him, 'My son, you are here with me always; everything I have is yours." -LK 15:31

Office	Location	Phone	Email/Fax	Website
Parish Office	105 Harrison St., New Milford	201-261-0148	office@sjcnj.org	sjcnj.org
Religious Education	105 Harrison St., New Milford	201-261-1144	religioused@sjcnj.org	sjcnjre.org
Saint Joseph School the greenhouse PreK	305 Elm St., Oradell	201-261-2388	office@sjsusa.org	sjsusa.org

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





#### WEEKLY STATIONS OF THE CROSS

—EVERY FRIDAY EVENING

Saint Joseph Church will offer the **Stations of the Cross IN CHURCH** every **Friday** during Lent at **7:00 pm.** You are invited to attend.



Monday, MARCH 28 @ 7:00 pm - St Peter's, River Edge Saturday, APRIL 2 @ 1:00 pm - St. John's, Bergenfield Monday, APRIL 4 @ 7:00 pm - St Therese, Cresskill



## GROUP SHARING THE LENTEN COMPANION

The final session of the Group Sharing of The Ascension Lenten Companion in Mary's Chapel will take place on

**Friday, April 8** after the Stations of the Cross (which begin at 7:00 pm).









## 2022 HOLY WEEK / EASTER SCHEDULE Saint Joseph Church

300 Elm Street, Oradell, NJ

#### **Individual Reconciliation**

During Holy Week
Monday, April 11, Tuesday, April 12
and Wednesday, April 13
Following the 7:00 am and 8:30 am Masses each day.
Holy Saturday, April 16

Holy Saturday, April 16 From 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm

#### Palm/Passion Sunday, April 10

Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am and 12 noon

#### Holy Thursday, April 14

Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:30 pm Following the Mass, the Church will remain open for adoration with the concluding Night Prayer at 11:00 pm.

#### **Good Friday, April 15**

Morning Prayer 9:00 am
Celebration of the Lord's Passion 3:00 pm

#### Holy Saturday, April 16

Morning Prayer 9:00 am followed by Blessing of Food

Easter Vigil 8:00 pm

#### Easter Sunday, April 17

7:30 am, 9:00am, 10:30 am and 12 noon

All Masses are in the Upper Church.

#### LENTEN MISSION

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Church of the Annunciation (50 W. Midland

Avenue, Paramus) welcomes **Sean Forrest** for a **3-Night Lenten Family Mission** on **Monday, April 4 through Wednesday, April 6** from **7:00-8:30 pm**. Sean is a missionary, author, singer/songwriter and gifted speaker who has inspired countless people of all ages to live a deeper, more authentic Catholic Christian life. ALL ARE WELCOME.



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#### FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

The Council of Chalcedon (451) formally defined the relation of Jesus's divinity and humanity when it declared that he was one

divine person who possessed two complete natures, one of God and one of mankind. (The term "person" refers to who someone is, while the term "nature" indicates a person's capabilities.) These sharpened distinctions were not sudden discoveries of the fifth century but truths implicit in the biblical texts and in the Church's growth in exploring them in the times that followed.

This week we will consider Christ's divine nature as Scripture asserts it. The Jesuit theologian Domenico Grasso's description of miracles is comprehensive and concise. He wrote that they are:

- tangible facts (evident to the senses)
- above natural forces
- · caused by God
- having a religious or moral purpose.

The Gospels preserve the memory of more than 30 miracles Jesus worked. Most can be categorized as:

- nature miracles, including the changing of water into wine at Cana (Jn 2, 1-11), the miraculous catch of fish (Lk 5, 1-11) and the calming of the storm on the Sea of Galilee (Mt 8, 23-27 and //s)
- healings, the most numerous category, including the cleansing of the lepers (Lk 17, 12-19) and the cure of the man blind from birth (Jn 9, 1-41)—two of twenty in all
- deliverances from demonic possession and mental illness, for example, the Gerasene demoniacs (Mt 8, 28-34 and //s) and the Epileptic boy (Mt 17, 14-21 and //ss)
- resuscitations of the dead (which differ from Jesus's resurrection, since those others restored to life would eventually die), including the restoration to life of the daughter of Jairus (Lk 8, 41-42 and 49-56 and //s), the son of the widow of Naim (Lk 7, 11-17) and Lazarus (Jn 11, 1-44).

The two greatest theologians in the Church's history after biblical times are St. Augustine (354-430) and St. Thomas Aquinas (c. 1225-1274). Both regarded the miracles of Jesus as key indications of his divinity.

Augustine once said that "I should not be a Christian but for the miracles." Aquinas wrote that *(continued above)* 

The faith of Christ believed by the saints and handed down to us has been marked by the seal of God shown in works no creature can perform. These are the miracles by which Christ has confirmed holy apostolic doctrine.

Msgr. David Hubba



## CELEBRATING A SPECIAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY?

The Archdiocese would like to honor those couples who celebrate **five**, **twenty-five** and **fifty years** of **Christian marriage** in the year 2022 These anniversary liturgies will take place in the **Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart** in Newark on the following dates:

APRIL 24, 2022 at 3:00 pm (5 years & 25 years)
MAY 15, 2022 at 3:00 pm (50 years)

**PLEASE NOTE:** Since we were unable to host these celebrations in 2020 and 2021, any couple who would have celebrated their Silver or Gold Anniversary in those years is also most welcome to join us.

We extend our warmest congratulations to those who are celebrating one of these special anniversaries and hope you will be able to attend the liturgy.

**IMPORTANT:** You MUST notify our parish secretary Gerry Carolan **NO LATER THAN APRIL 18** so we can send your name to the Archdiocese. They will then send you further information about the celebration.

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Amount Already Pledged: \$56,960

by 115 families

Balance Needed: \$23,802

HOW TO DONATE: Fill out the Pledge Envelope you got in the mail or from church. Return it by dropping it in the collection basket or in the mailbox outside the parish office or you can mail it to 105 Harrison St. New Milford, NJ 07646.

Or visit rcan.org/sharing

Remember to select Our Parish Name when making your gift.



**Saturday** March 26, 2022 5:00 pm James Sattely

**Sunday** March 27, 2022 7:30 am Deceased Members of the

Almeida and Dias Families

9:00 am Arthur Zaccaria 10:30 am Kathleen Serocke 12:00 pm People of the Parish

MondayMarch 28, 20227:00 amLucille Smolinsky8:30 amWilliam Mooney, Sr.

**Tuesday** March 29, 2022 7:00 am Caroline Guevarra 8:30 am Ethel Stewart

WednesdayMarch 30, 20227:00 amIn Thanksgiving8:30 amNicholas Marinaro

**Thursday** March 31, 2022 7:00 am Rosalia Gugliotta 8:30 am Marie Von Urff

**Friday** April 1, 2022 7:00 am Melissa Garville

8:30 am William Joseph Mooney

Saturday April 2, 2022

8:30 am Philomena Mascarenhas

5:00 pm Joan Lia

SundayApril 3, 20227:30 amPeople of the Parish9:00 amRobert J. Fleming10:30 amPedro Eguia

12:00 pm Angelo and Felice Bartolomeo

4:00 pm Edgardo Lopez

#### **BREAD & WINE INTENTION**



for the week of
March 27, 2022
is offered
in prayer and celebration
of the wedding of our son,

The bread and wine

Michael Carolan to Victoria Barry

as requested by Geraldine & Michael Carolan.

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#### SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTION

**WEEK OF MARCH 27, 2022** 

The Sanctuary Lamp in the Upper Church burns in loving memory of **Tom Piersa** 

as requested by his family.

#### **PRAYER REQUESTS**

Let us remember all those who are ill:

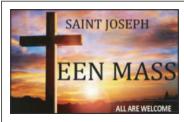
Rev. Joseph Coda, Tom Burke, Mike Bellinger, James LaMendola, Annette Linder, Craig Schmultz, Ed Grube

Let us remember all those who have died.

Sr. Madeleine Fahey

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.



#### **FAMILY MASS**

LED BY OUR
YOUTH MINISTRY
NEXT SUNDAY
APRIL 3 at 4:00 pm

Join our teens serving

with our celebrant **Fr. Christian** and featuring the sound of contemporary worship by our Youth Ministry Music Director **Dan Ferrari.**All are welcome.



#### **DONATE ONLINE**

To make a **donation** through our **electronic giving program**, WeShare, 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.

#### **EARLY BULLETIN DEADLINES**

If you wish to have your announcement considered for publication in the Palm Sunday (4/10) or Easter (4/17) bulletin, it must be sent to **hellriegeld@sjcnj.org** no later than the following dates:

April 10 issue is due by **Friday April 1**.
April 17 issue is due by **Wednesday, April 6**.

#### DON'T MISS OUT ON YOUR CHANCE TO WIN—AND TO HELP SAINT JOSEPH CHURCH!

Get your 50/50 raffle ticket NOW! Only 500 tickets will be sold. Pick up a form in church or go to sjcnj.org/events/







### JOIN US!

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Wednesday, March 30th 7:00pm Open House at Saint Joseph School 305 Elm Street, Oradell, NJ; 201-261-2388, sisusa.org

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## HELP A CHILD FEEL SPECIAL ON THEIR FIRST COMMNION DAY!

I THEIR FIRST COMMNION DAY!

There are several families in our

community, and many just beyond, who cannot afford to purchase a Communion outfit for their child. Please help these children by donating gently used or new Communion dresses, suits, shirts, head pieces or shoes.

Donations will be accepted at **Saturday**, **April 9** from **10:00 am to 4:00 pm** at **St. John the Baptist Church** (69 Valley St., Hillsdale, NJ)in front of the Parish Center. Or call **Kathy** at **201-666-4185**. Please bring all articles, clean, on hangers and covered in plastic. Monetary donations will also be accepted. **If you or anyone you know needs an outfit, please contact Kathy.** 

# JOB OPENING SAINT JOSEPH SCHOOL PART-TIME MAINTENANCE PERSON

SJS seeks a part-time maintenance person for five days per week for 4 hours per day. This is a 12-month position and the hours begin in the afternoon. The successful candidate will have Protecting God's Children (we can help with that). Holding a Black Seal license is a plus. The successful candidate will clean and prepare the buildings for daily use. Send letter of interest to valentip@sjsusa.org



### SAINT JOSEPH PARISH TRACK AND FIELD

LAST CALL TO REGISTER

Saint Joseph Parish Track and Field invites all parish boys and girls attending Saint Joseph School, or who are enrolled in the parish Religious Education classes (CCD) in grades K-8, to join!

The **registration fee** is \$80 per child or \$125 per family. The registration packet can be picked up at the rectory/parish office or downloaded from the parish Facebook page.

**Registration forms and payments** must be dropped off at the Saint Joseph **Lower School Office by March 28**.

For additional information on the track program, volunteering or registration forms, please email

Mike Smith at msmitty2004@aol.com



## CEREAL COLLECTION -- MARCH 26-27



Saint Joseph Youth Ministry will be collecting boxes of

cereal for Mercy House—an Archdiocesan ministry that provides a welcoming space for families and individuals in need. There is a shortage of breakfast cereal to provide to the families that visit the Mercy House for assistance. Collection Bins will be located at both church entrances on March 26-27. We appreciate your generosity in helping those in need.



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## BUS TRIP TO ATLANTIC CITY -MARCH 29, 2022

**Ascension Parish**, New Milford, will sponsor a trip to **Resorts Casino, Atlantic City,** on **Tuesday, March 29**. The cost is \$37 per person. The bus will leave **Ascension parking lot** at **9:00 am**. You must have ID to get a promotions card. For reservations and info call **Josie** at **201-265-0485** or **Anna** at **201-206-4297**.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HALL AVAILABLE FOR RENTAL

Looking for a great place to host a **First Communion** or **Confirmation Party**? A Bridal or Baby

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The Knights of Columbus Hall located at 199 River Road in New Milford is available for rental. Go to kofc3814.org and click on "HALL RENTAL INFORMATION." To book or for additional info, send an email to kofc3814@gmail.com



## FIRST COMMUNION & EASTER PHOTO PACKAGES AVAILABLE

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For more info or to schedule an appointment, email Sara and Katie at luckyedenstudio@gmail.com or call 201-477-0082. Be sure to mention Saint Joseph School when you contact them!

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