

Saint Joseph

Roman Catholic Church Twenty Third Sunday In Ordinary Time ~ September 4, 2022 The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, Sept. 5 for Labor Day No Novena

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**

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

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"Whoever does not carry his own cross and come after me cannot be my disciple." - Lk 14:27

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Mass Intentions September 3, 2022 Saturday 5:00 pm **Courtney** Jensen 9th Anniversary Remembrance Sunday September 4, 2022 7:30 am Vincent DeConzo 9:00 am **Dennis Maloney** 10:30 am **James McMorrow 1st Anniversary Remembrance** 12:00 pm People of the Parish Monday **September 5, 2022** 7:00 am *No Mass— Labor Day Adeline Pineau 8:30 am Tuesday September 6, 2022 7:00 am John McCague 8:30 am John Flynn Wednesday **September 7, 2022** 7:00 am Victoria Shirk 8:30 am Lorraine Burre Thursday **September 8, 2022** Virginia Carolan 7:00 am 8:30 am Rosario Vala September 9, 2022 Friday 7:00 am Paul Young 8:30 am Marie Chiarella **September 10, 2022** Saturday Noemi DeLeon 8:30 am **1st Anniversary Remembrance** Edward and Marguerite Jackson 5:00 pm **September 11, 2022** Sunday People of the Parish 7:30 am All of the victims of 9/11

9:00 am 10:30 am 12:00 pm 4:00 pm

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BREAD & WINE INTENTION

The Bread and Wine for the week of September 4, 2022 is offered In Loving Memory of **Rita Gallagher** Requested by her family.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Let us remember all those who are ill: Ed Grube, Craig Schmultz, Annette Linder, Ed Malley, Eileen Baxter, Joseph Ponticorvo

Let us remember all those who have died. **Cole Patrick McKeon**

Let us remember those serving in our military:

1stLT Harry Aquino USAF, Capt. Christopher Bascomb, Chaplain (Capt.) Father AI De Silva USAR, 1st LT Ellen Dougherty, GY Sgt. Brian P. McCarthy USMC 1st LT Michael McPherson, Capt. Michael Shuler, SGT David Michael Solinas, Jr.





LIFT YOUR VOICE IN SONG, **JOIN OUR CHOIR!**

The Saint Joseph Choir is currently accepting new members. If you love to sing and are looking for a way to

give praise to God along with your fellow parishioners, the Saint Joseph Choir would like to hear from you.

The first rehearsal of the new season is

Thursday, September 8 in the Upper Church from 7:30-9:00 pm.

All voice types are welcome, but the choir *especially* needs Altos!

If you are interested in joining or have any questions, feel free to stop by after Mass to speak to our Director of Music, Monroe Quinn or contact him at quinnm@sicni.org.

> **Correction In PRAYER REQUESTS** Let us remember all who have died Week of August 28, 2022 **Dolores McGorty**

FROM THE DESK OF FR. JOHN RADWAN



This Sunday Gospel has to be one of the great attention grabbers of the telling of Jesus. It's very strong what Jesus says,

"If anyone comes to me without hating his father and mother, wife and children, brothers and sisters, and even his own life, he cannot be my disciple."

And the first thing you say, "Why is He so strong?" and we might think that Jesus is talking to himself.

When we're children, we used to pray to God for ice-cream cones, bicycles and all these things. And we're always thinking that to follow Jesus, it means that we get the good stuff, because He himself is full of love and caring. And that's true. However, He is looking for something else in his disciples. He is looking for resolution, detachment from everything, total and complete commitment to His life. There comes a time in our life when we must take everything seriously. It's no fooling around. Faith in God is the most important.

I'll give you one example. James Conley grew up in Overland Park, Kansas, a suburb of Kansas City. His father was a building materials salesman and his mother a housewife; he has one adopted sister. The family was Presbyterian and attended church occasionally. While in college, at the University of Kansas, James Conley studied the "Great Books" favorites included the Confessions of St. Augustine and the writings of Blessed John Henry Newmanand he converted to Catholicism at age 20. His father was "not too happy" about his conversionhe told him he'd given up the freedom of thinking for himself. "Don't do that." And later, when he decided that he would become a Catholic priest, his father was even more upset and said "If you get ordained in that Roman Catholic Church, you're out of this house and I will never see you again." And he was torn. But something deep inside him said, "I must do this." And he did it. And he did it because he felt that he understood the suffering of Jesus and he knew it was the suffering Jesus that was inviting him to come with him into a new world.

James entered the seminary and was ordained as a Catholic Priest. It was a matter of time; both his parents converted to Catholicism themselves in 1991. Fr. James was the same one who administered Baptism and Confirmation to his parents. Soon their son will become Bishop of Lincoln, Nebraska.

What Jesus is saying really is this, he is saying, I give you my life. You give me yours. I give without counting the cost. You give me yours without counting the cost. I give you my life to teach you how to love as I love. You give me your life to receive my love and bring it to other people. I begin a mission. You continue it.

"But, in the continuing of it, I will never, never, be far from you. I will be with you all days, even to the end of the world."

And that's exactly what Jesus is telling his disciples. Yes, you love your mother. Yes, you love your father. But, in choosing me, you must just choose me as your first love. It takes courage. It doesn't take talent — it takes courage. And you've got to have courage to make these kinds of commitments, commitments to your own word. And that's why no one else, besides me, has the right to say my "yes" or "no" to the decision when Jesus says, "Come follow me."

With prayer, Fr. John Radwan



PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

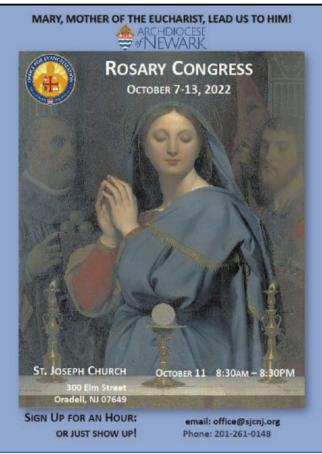
Saint Joseph Shawl Ministry will have its first meeting during this school year on Wednesday, September 7, 2022. We warmly welcome those who know how to knit or crochet and wish to become new members to join us at the Parish Life Center. Current members are reminded to bring any new work they have to the meeting to be blessed and prayed over. The prayers of the entire ministry go forward with these gifts. We hope that the recipients will experience the warmth of God's love when they use them. The meeting will be from 11AM to 1PM.



IN HONOR OF LABOR DAY The Rectory Office will be closed.

The Rectory Office will be closed. There will **not** be a 7:00 am Mass, or a 7:00 pm Novena.

SAINT JOSEPH CHURCH ORADELL/NEW MILFORD, NJ



SAINT JOSEPH PARISH IS JOINING THE ARCHDIOCESAN ROSARY CONGRESS OCTOBER 7-13, 2022

SIGN UP FOR AN HOUR, OR JUST SHOW UP!

The Rosary Congress at our parish will take place on Tuesday, October 11 beginning after the 8:30 Mass in the Upper Church.

There will be:

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Hourly Recitation of the Rosary, and a Closing Benediction at 8:30 PM.

To sign up for an adoration hour, or to lead the rosary, call Teresa Glenn at 201-967-5670 or Pat Fakharzadeh at 201-599-2123 or email LOM@sjcnj.org

Please check Office for Evangelization website, <u>https://www.rcan.org/rosarycongress</u> for all dates and locations.

OUR BLESSED MOTHER'S BIRTHDAY

Everyone is invited to join the Legion of Mary for a special rosary and refreshments after the 8:30 AM Mass on Thursday, September 8 in Mary's Chapel in honor of our Blessed Mother's birthday and the closing of the 100th anniversary celebration of the Legion Of Mary.



Our Lady appeared and gave a message to three children to pray for peace and conversion in Fatima, Portugal in 1917.

On Saturday, Oct. 15, the closest Saturday to the Feast of Our Lady of Fatima, there will be a public Rosary Rally and prayer in Schirra Park, in Oradell at 12:00 pm.

There will be many parks, municipalities and churches, across our country who will be simultaneously praying the rosary at noon. Please share this with your ministries, family, children and friends. The power of praying the rosary to our Most Blessed Mother makes miracles happen! More information about America Needs Fatima can be found at

https://americaneedsfatima.org/articles/why-public-squarerosary-rallies



ASCENSION TRIP TO RESORTS CASINO, ATLANTIC CITY, NJ

Ascension Parish, New Milford will sponsor a trip to the Resorts Casino, Atlantic City on Thursday, September 22, 2022. The price is \$37 per person with a return of \$18 playing voucher. To get your voucher or to get a promotions card you must have ID with you. The bus will leave Ascension Parking lot at 9AM. Please make all checks payable to: Ascension Church and drop off at Parish Office. For info. please call Josie (201)265-0485 or Anna (201)206-4297.



WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL!

Saint Joseph School will open its doors to students in Kindergarten - Grade 8 on Tuesday, September 6.

- Grades 5-8 will start at 8:00 am
- **Kindergarten—Grade 4** will start at **8:30 am** on the first day.
- Children in the *Greenhouse*, Saint Joseph's early childhood program for **PreK 3** and **PreK 4** will start on **Wednesday**, **September 7** at **8:00 am**.

There will be an *EARLY DISMISSAL* at 12 noon on Tuesday, 9/6 and Wed 9/7. The Opening School Mass will be on Friday, September 9, at 10:30 am. *Have a wonderful year!!*

Going to Rutgers in New Brunswick?

The Catholic Student Assoc. at The Catholic Center at Rutgers, located at 84 Somerset Street on the College Avenue Campus, is looking forward to welcoming you to the New Brunswick/Piscataway campuses. Please note the following information:

Mass Schedule

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil, 5:00 pm, St. Peter's Church
8:00 AM St. Peter's Church, 94 Somerset St.
10:00 AM St. Peter's Church
12:00 PM St. Peter's Church
6:00 PM St. Peter's Church
(St. Peter's is in between the Catholic Center and Barnes & Noble) CAC

Daily Mass

7:30 AM St. Peter's Church

12:15 PM The Catholic Center Chapel (located inside the Catholic Center)

Opening Activities Monday, Sept. 5 : Luau, 5:30 - 9 pm, The Catholic Ctr. (Immed. following RU Involvement Fair) Wednesday, Sept. 8: CSA Night, 7:30 pm at The Catholic Center: Welcome to Rutgers!! Saturday, Sept. 10: Tailgate for RU football, 2:00 pm at 292 Easton Ave. CAC

Sunday, Sept. 11 Opening Mass, 6 pm St. Peter's

Check us out at the Involvement Fair, Sept. 5 Visit us online at <u>www.rutgerscatholic.org</u> www.stpeternewbrunswick.org Also check us out on Facebook: Rutgers Catholic Student Association



The cast of Beatlemania is coming to SJC!

Featuring our very own Monroe Quinn as "George."

Friday, October 14, 2022 @ 7pm in Saint Joseph Lower School Gym, 305 Elm Street, Oradell, NJ.

Stay tuned for more details!



ADULT SEARCH FOR CHRISTIAN MATURITY WEEKEND

OCTOBER 14-16, 2022 SACRED HEART SPIRITUALITY CENTER NEWTON, NJ 07860

Retreat weekend for those 23 years and older. This three day experience is the beginning of a lifetime of sharing your Christian Faith at home, work, or wherever you are. The cost is \$190.00 per person which includes all meals, lodging, mementos and any other program costs.

For more information or application, please contact Steven Sahagian at <u>sahagiansos@gmail.com</u> or 201-265-9657.



All bulletin submissions for Sunday, Sept. 18, are due by Friday, Sept 9.

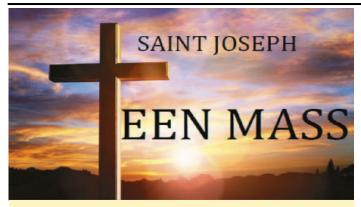
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DO YOU HAVE PARISH NEWS TO SHARE?

Bulletin announcements should be sent to

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SAINT JOSEPH CHURCH ORADELL/NEW MILFORD, NJ



Youth Ministry-Led Family Mass Join our teens serving with our celebrant and featuring the sound of contemporary worship by Dan Ferrari. All are welcome! Sunday, September 11, at 4 pm ~ in the Grotto

Bible Study Offerings for Fall 2022

New groups are forming for September 2022. Our new studies are

- What We Believe: The Beauty of the Catholic Faith (10 Sessions)
- *Hebrews: The New and Eternal Covenant* (8 Sessions)

Daytime and Evening meeting times are available. In person studies meet weekly for 90 minutes in the Parish Life Center (Daytime) or Retreat House (Evening). Virtual studies are also available.

Registration fee is \$35 for each study and includes a study guide as well as online access to the videos and workbook.

Deadline to register is September 9. Most studies will begin the week of September 19.

To find out more about this parish-based bible study program, please visit ascensionpress.com or contact Pat Fakharzadeh at 201-615-0585 or email her at patf720@gmail.com.



Bergen Catholic will be hosting an Open House on Sunday, September 25th at 1:00. Registration can be found on the Bergen Catholic website. For questions, please feel free to contact the admissions office at <u>admissions@bergencatholic.org</u> PLEASE JOIN US FOR OUR

FUEL FALL BALL

Friday September 30th | 7pm

Macaluso's 55 Fourth Avenue Hawthorne, NJ

Cocktail Attire Young Adults ages 21-35

see separate link for registration



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