

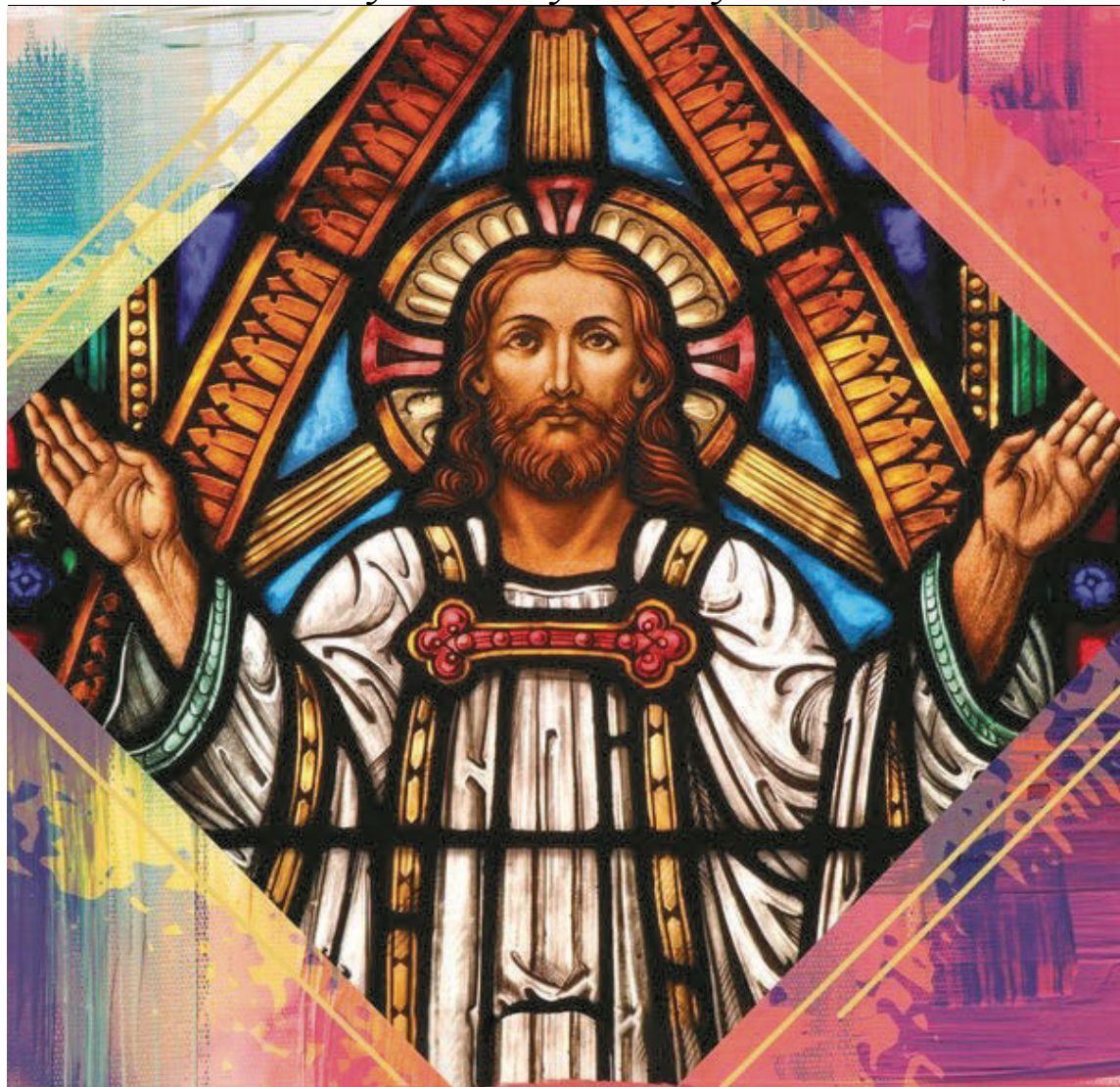


Saint Joseph

Roman Catholic Church

Oradell/New Milford, NJ

Thirty Third Sunday In Ordinary Time ~ November 13, 2022



33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“I myself shall give you a wisdom in speaking that all your adversaries will be powerless to resist or refute.”

- Lk 21:15

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Msgr. David C. Hubba

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DEACON:
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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-4:15 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. PLEASE TELEPHONE FIRST (201-261-0148)



Memorial Christmas Ornament Fundraiser



Saint Joseph Parish cordially invites you to join us in commemorating your deceased loved ones during the Christmas season by participating in our memorial fundraising event.

You can select from one of two beautifully crafted glass ornaments, \$25 each, which will be personalized with the name of your loved one and hung on our Church's Christmas trees during the Christmas season. Afterward, you can take it home as a treasured keepsake for years to come.

For more detailed images of the ornaments, please see the order forms in the bulletin racks. You can also view these ornaments on the parish website and parish Facebook page.

Please provide the information below and return the completed form, with your check, as soon as possible. Please fill out one form per ornament order. All orders must be received by **Monday, November 28.**

Please return your completed form(s) and check one of the following ways:

- Drop off your form(s) and check at the rectory or mailbox outside the rectory;
- Place your form(s) and check in the collection basket at Mass;
- Mail your form(s) and check to Saint Joseph Church, 105 Harrison Street, New Milford, NJ 07646.

Please make the check payable, for \$25 per ornament, to "Saint Joseph Church" and write "Ornament" in the memo line.

Questions, please email: pastoralcouncil@sjcnj.org

Name: _____

Phone #: _____

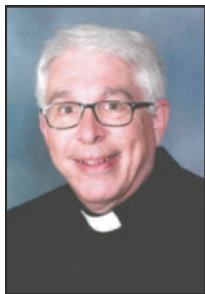
Email address: _____

Name to be memorialized: _____

Birth & Death years: _____

Choice of ornament (please select one): Teardrop _____ Cross _____

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



The biblical Holy Land was about the size of New Jersey, but with more striking geographical features. The main ones run north and south, although they are cut through with some important valleys that run east to west.

A key presence are the land's mountain ridges, which have a crucial effect on the weather. The land to their west benefits from the Mediterranean Sea and is good for farming and raising sheep, but the rains have little influence on the eastern side of the mountains, and quickly turn to deserts, some of them as harsh as the Earth contains.

We are near the end of this liturgical year, in which the Gospel of Luke has been emphasized. Its concluding chapters present the life of Jesus as a journey to Jerusalem and the cross. He passes through Jericho, where he has a memorable encounter with the tax collector Zacchaeus.

Jericho is near the Jordan River where it passes into the Dead Sea, 1,300 feet below sea level, the lowest place on Earth. Galilean Jews often chose the Jordan River route to Jerusalem instead of the more direct way through Samaria to avoid the long-standing bad feelings of encountering a people who were half-Jewish. (See Lk 9, 53-55, Jn 4,9.)

A road much used by devout Jews on their way to Jerusalem for the three great pilgrimage feasts juts off from the vicinity of Jericho. The distance to the Mount of Olives, where the worshippers could marvel at the splendor of the great temple below, was just over 15 miles, but the trek was difficult. The Temple, which Psalm 48, 2 describes as "the holy mountain, fairest of heights, the joy of all the earth," was about 2,450 feet above sea level and the Mount of Olives almost 300 higher than that, and there was no source of water along the way. To the right was the forbidding, harsh Judean desert.

The Episcopalian Bishop James Pike met his death there in September of 1969 after his car broke down in its desolate hills. Bishop Pike, a frequent guest on the media of his day, was a flamboyant dissenter from mainline Christian doctrines and biblical interpretations. As the ancient pilgrims climbed over 3,300 feet toward Jerusalem, they sang what were called the "Psalms of Ascent" (Pss 120-135) in their joyous anticipation. This can be a fine inspiration for us to do our best to praise God with our singing each Sunday at Mass.

Msgr. David Hubba



ATTENTION: LECTORS

The **2022 Lector Workbooks** are now available for pick up for those Lectors currently serving at Mass. Your copy of the **2022 Lector Workbook** is available in the Upper Church (in the **Ministers' Gathering Room** at the Elm St. entrance). The book has your name on it (*bottom right hand corner*). Please be sure to pick up your copy before **November 27** (the first Sunday of Advent - the start of the new liturgical year).

ADVENT PENANCE SERVICES

Please note the Advent Penance Service schedule:

- Monday, November 28 at 7:00 pm at Our Lady of the Visitation, Paramus, NJ
- Monday, December 5 at 7:00 pm at Saint Joseph, Oradell, NJ
- Saturday, December 17 at 1:00 pm at Saint John, Bergenfield, NJ
- Monday, December 19 at 7:00 pm at Ascension, New Milford, NJ



PRAYER REQUESTS

Let us remember all those who are ill:
Ed Grube, Craig Schmultz,
Richard Nelson, Annette Linder

Let us remember all those who have died.

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

Saturday 5:00 pm	November 12, 2022 Mr. and Mrs. William Sweeney
Sunday 7:30 am 9:00 am 10:30 am 12:00 pm	November 13, 2022 People of the Parish Maria Mallet Anthony Smith Tony Navarra
Monday 7:00 am 8:30 am	November 14, 2022 Ennis / Wallace Extended Family The Wiseman Family
Tuesday 7:00 am 8:30 am	November 15, 2022 Imaria Oliveira Phil McGough
Wednesday 7:00 am 8:30 am	November 16, 2022 Edna Deyro ~ Living George Carter
Thursday 7:00 am 8:30 am	November 17, 2022 In Thanksgiving Joseph Spezzacatenn
Friday 7:00 am 8:30 am	November 18, 2022 Mary G. McCormack Virginia Kern
Saturday 8:30 am 5:00 pm	November 19, 2022 George Carter Albert Scerbo
Sunday 7:30 am 9:00 am 10:30 am 12:00 pm	November 20, 2022 Joe Quinn People of the Parish Thomas Piersa Nicole Suapengco ~ Living



**A Note of thanks from New Hope
Pregnancy Resource Center**

Dear Msgr. Hubba,
Once again, New Hope is very humbled by the generosity of the Saint Joseph parishioners in response to our talk at your Masses last weekend. We cannot thank you enough for allowing us to share our ministry's mission and for the generous donations of almost \$1,400.00 that were received. It is such a wonderful blessing to have Saint Joseph's as a partner in our mission.

These funds will be used to help our four expecting moms who are currently living in maternity homes. After their babies are born, we will be helping them find and move into permanent housing where they can begin their lives as a family. New Hope will help furnish them everything they need for their babies and more. This is what your support enables. We currently care for 42 moms and their babies and help another 100+ families that are in need.

Again, Msgr. Hubba, please extend our heartfelt thanks to the entire Saint Joseph community for this wonderful gift and please know that you are all in our prayers.

May God continue to bless you all abundantly!

Sincerely in Christ,
Timothy J. Dougherty
President, Board of Trustees

BREAD & WINE INTENTION



The Bread and Wine
for the week of
November 13, 2022
is offered In Loving Memory Of
Mark Dance
Requested by Dee Dance.

SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTION



The Sanctuary Lamp
In the Upper Church
burns for
Patrick Cappock
Requested by Patricia Kelly.



OUR GIFT TO YOU

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THE MAGNIFICAT ADVENT COMPANION GIVEN OUT AT MASS NEXT WEEKEND

This pocket-sized *Companion* follows a practical, page-a-day format and features original meditations on each day's Gospel by one of twenty-four gifted authors. It also includes: beautiful and practical **blessings**; an **Advent Penance Service**; specially commissioned **poetry**; **Advent Stations** and the **O Antiphons**. **A limited number of copies will be available at all Masses next weekend.**

Saint Joseph School

Students support each other in their faith through *Prayer Partners* and Praying the Rosary at *Mary's Grotto*.



Please support **Saint Joseph School 8th Grade Class** in their graduation fundraising efforts.

The class will be selling chocolate bars at the end of all the masses the weekend of Nov. 19th and 20th. The cost of these delicious chocolates is \$1.00 a bar. Thank you so much for your support!



FOOD DRIVE AT SAINT JOSEPH NEXT WEEKEND NOV. 19-20



Our traditional **Thanksgiving Food Drive** will take place November 19-20.

Your generous donations will bless those in need of the **Food Pantries** at the Church of the Ascension in New Milford and Catholic Family Community Services in Paterson. Below is a list of items often requested. Please make sure that the food is **NOT OUTDATED**.

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| Baby Food/Formula | Macaroni & Cheese |
| Baked Beans | Mayo/Mustard/Ketchup |
| Beans (<i>Dried or Canned</i>) | Meat/Fish (<i>Canned</i>) |
| Beef Stew (<i>Canned</i>) | Milk (<i>Powdered or Canned</i>) |
| Pancake Mix /Syrup | Pasta/Pasta Sauce |
| Peanut Butter & Jelly | Potatoes (<i>Canned or Instant</i>) |
| Cake Mix/Frosting | Cereal |
| Coffee/Tea | Rice |
| Cranberry Sauce | Salad Dressing |
| Fruit (<i>Canned</i>) | Soup (<i>Canned</i>) |
| Fruit Juice | Stuffing Mix |
| Gravy | Sugar/Salt/Pepper/Etc. |
| Jello/Pudding | Vegetables (<i>Canned</i>) |
| Deodorant | Shampoo |
| Dishwashing Liquid | Shaving Cream |
| Garbage Bags | Soap |
| Laundry Detergent | Toilet Paper |
| Napkins/Paper Towels | Toothpaste |

FROZEN TURKEYS CAN NOT BE ACCEPTED AS THE PARISH HAS NO REFRIGERATOR/ FREEZER CAPACITY.

Due to the plastic/paper bag ban in NJ, we greatly appreciate your donation of re-usable bags (or cardboard boxes) with your food donation. We only have a limited number of plastic bags available for food donations.

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 19-20.



DO YOU HAVE PARISH NEWS TO SHARE?

Bulletin announcements should be sent to bulletin@sjcnj.org.

All bulletin submissions for Sunday, Nov. 27, are due by Friday, Nov. 18.



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To book or for additional info, send an email to kofc3814@gmail.com

CATHOLIC WOMEN OF ZION RETREAT

St. Andrew Parish
120 Washington Ave. Westwood, NJ
November 19, 2022

St. Andrew Parish will host a **Catholic Women of Zion Retreat** on **Saturday, November 19, 2022**, from **9:00 am to 2:00 pm**. The day will consist of Mass, celebrated by **Fr. Paul Cannariato**, prayer, music, speaker **Camille Herr**, sharing, networking and prayers for healing.

The theme is **"Walking with Mary, Our Mother."** Admission is \$20.00 and includes a Box Lunch, payable at the door. Reservations are necessary. You must select a Box Lunch from selections listed on the CWOZ website www.cwoz.org. You can also register by phone. Please leave your phone number, spell your last name, and selection of Box Lunch at 201-370-2577 no later than **Tuesday, November 15**. Any questions, please contact Viola Lifrieri, President of CWOZ Chapter 3 at 201-666-5697.

THIRD SATURDAY MASS FOR RECOVERY AND HEALING

All are welcome to Church of St. Mary, 20 Legion Place, Closter for the Third Saturday Recovery and Healing Mass on Saturday, November 19th 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. At our November and December Masses, we will continue the tradition of collecting new socks and underwear, hats and scarves for the needy in treatment.

Current religious gathering protocol will be strictly followed. Following Mass, all are welcome to a meeting and refreshments in the community hall.

For more information, please contact The Father Jim McKenna Memorial Fund at 201-281-6247 or visit our website at <https://fatherjimmckenna.org/>.

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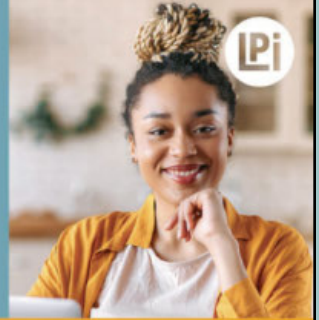
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