

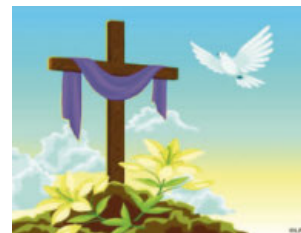


Oradell/New Milford, NJ

Saint Joseph

Roman Catholic Church

Easter Sunday ~ April 9, 2023



E A S T E R S U N D A Y



THE Resurrection

**TEMPORARY
ADMINISTRATOR :**
Rev. Christian G. Scalo

PAROCHIAL VICAR:
Rev. John Z. Radwan

DEACON:
George Montalvo

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 Wednesday 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

Office	Location	Phone	Email/Fax	Website
Parish Office	105 Harrison St., New Milford	201-261-0148	office@sjcnj.org	sjcnj.org
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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. PLEASE TELEPHONE FIRST (201-261-0148)

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK

Saturday 8:00 pm	April 8, 2023 People of the Parish (<i>Easter Vigil</i>)
Sunday 7:30 am 9:00 am 10:30 am 12:00 pm	April 9, 2023 <i>Easter Sunday</i> Nina and John Tomassi Almerindo Accomando Birthday Remembrance Deceased Members of the Corso and Bernardi Families Gregorio and Crisenciana DeLuna
Monday 8:30 am	April 10, 2023 Anna Frikker
Tuesday 7:00 am 8:30 am	April 11, 2023 Marie Siliato Dr. John Driscoll
Wednesday 7:00 am 8:30 am	April 12, 2023 Michelle and Scott Ratliff ~ Living Patrick Andy Glynn
Thursday 7:00 am 8:30 am	April 13, 2023 Edward Deyro ~ Living Carmelo and Annunziata D'Alessandro
Friday 7:00 am 8:30 am	April 14, 2023 Jean Camerlengo Teresita Lagdameo
Saturday 8:30 am 5:00 pm	April 15, 2023 Rosama Joseph William J. Sweeney
Sunday 7:30 am 9:00 am 10:30 am 12:00 pm	April 16, 2023 People of the Parish David Adinde Birthday ~ Living Hugo DelBove 34th Anniversary Remembrance Richard Fabiano

PRAYER REQUESTS

Let us remember all those who are ill:

Ed Grube, Richard Nelson, Annette Linder,
Ed Ahlers, Judy Ahlers, Nancy Scaramuzzo,
Anthony Maolio, Vincent Ortenzio,
Ellen Pedrick, Brian Neubert

Let us remember all those who have died.

SGT David Michael Solinas, Jr.

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
1st LT Michael McPherson, Capt. Michael Shuler



The new white Altar cloth and the
Paschal Candle are in memory of
Msgr. David C. Hubba.

Thank you to the many generous parishioners
who made a donation in his memory.

The **Rectory Office** will be closed on
Easter Monday, April 10, 2023.

The **School** will be on their Easter Break until
Monday, April 17, 2023.

**Please note that there is no 7:00 am Mass on
Easter Monday, April 10 2023.**

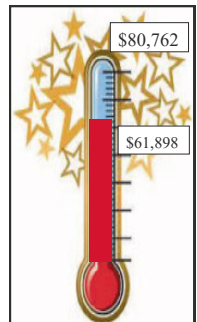
2023 ANNUAL APPEAL

To date 119 families have pledged a
total of \$61,898, which is 76.64% of
our assigned parish goal of \$80,762.

Please Help Us Reach Our Goal

The Parish needs \$18,864 more in
pledges in order for the parish to
qualify for a 2% reduction in our
assessment. This is a savings of
approximately \$15,000 for our
parish.

Please consider making a donation
now. Thank you for your prayers
and support.



BREAD & WINE INTENTION

The Bread
for the week of

April 9, 2023

Is Offered for a special intention

Requested by

Deborah and Mark DelBove



FROM THE DESK OF FR. CHRISTIAN SCALO



On behalf of the parish of St. Joseph, Fr. John, Deacon George, our dedicated staff, ministers, and faithful people, I extend to you and your families our very best wishes for a Happy Easter. This is the day... this is the day that we celebrate the victory of our Lord

Jesus over death. The day we celebrate the new life He has won for us. The day we come together as a family, united in our belief that God loves and cares for us and always welcomes us to draw closer to Himself and to one another.

As Catholic Christians we truly believe that God, the eternal Word, the Creator of the stars in the sky and the depths of the sea became man. We believe that He experienced every single thing that we experience in our lives, without falling into sin, *"For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who has similarly been tested in every way, yet without sin (Hebrews 4:15).* The events of Jesus's passion say a lot. Ever felt lonely? Jesus understands... He asked His disciples to stand by and pray with Him during a very difficult time, only to come back to all of them asleep. Ever felt betrayed? Jesus understands... He was handed over to the Roman soldiers by Judas, one of His own disciples, for a mere 30 pieces of silver. Ever felt misunderstood, wrongly accused, scapegoated? Jesus understands... He was put on trial, scourged at the pillar, nailed to the cross for speaking only the truth. How blessed we are as people of faith to be able to say with the utmost confidence and certainty that there is nothing in the world that we can go through in our personal lives or in our community that God doesn't understand.

The best thing that we can do for God is to love Him in return by giving Him the gift... the gift of ourselves. To make the time to say thank you especially by frequently receiving the gift of His body and blood at Mass. To be people who are loving and forgiving of others because we know that God forgives us so freely and mercifully when we ask, most especially in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. To not be afraid to be a believer out there in the world and put God in first place at work or school or wherever we find ourselves. The world so desperately needs to experience Jesus, and we are the people who can make that happen by accepting Jesus into our own hearts first... and then by making the decision to live our lives well; treating others with dignity and respect as fellow children of God made in His image and likeness.

Whether you've been a longtime member of our parish, been away for sometime, or just visiting us for the first time, please know that you are always welcome here at St. Joseph's. We as a parish community love God and love each other in Christ. We do our best to strive each day to be the people that God desires us to be. We support each other in the good times and in the bad. God loves you so deeply and takes great joy in seeing all of us here together. There is no greater gift you can give to the Lord than the gift of yourself.

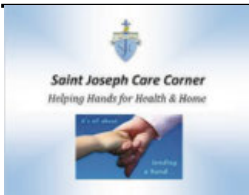
May the blessing of God be upon you, your families, and your loved ones today and always. Happy Easter!

***With Prayer,
Fr. Christian***



Our thoughts and prayers go out to all of the family and friends of the military members who passed away as a result of the recent helicopter training accident in Kentucky.

Among those who died is SGT David Michael Solinas, Jr. the son of our Youth Minister Ellen Solinas and her husband David. We join together as a parish to lend our prayerful support to the Solinas family during these very difficult days.



Community Collects for SJCC



In March, the Saint Joseph Confirmation Candidates collected various items needed to stock the Saint Joseph Care Corner. The SJCC also benefited from a recent drive held by the Oradell -Emerson Rotary Club. The local community has been very supportive of the SJCC and all donations are greatly appreciated.

To donate at any time please leave your items in the bin marked SJCC which is located on Grand Street behind the church next to the Retreat House. Currently the most needed items are Diapers – sizes 4, 5, 6, & pullups and laundry detergent. Any questions please contact Peg Kohli – tkohli@optonline.net or 201-391-0224.



Saint Joseph's Feast Day March 19, 2023

We celebrated with pastries and fellowship provided by **Saint Joseph Coffee Hour**



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY—APRIL 16

Divine Mercy Sunday will be celebrated **NEXT SUNDAY, April 16 at 2:00 PM** in the Upper Church. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Confession, and the Divine Mercy Prayers will be part of the celebration. All are invited to attend.

The Saint Joseph Respect Life Committee has reconvened! To join or to learn more about promoting the sanctity of human life from conception to natural death in accordance with Church teachings, please email Melinda at melindarabbia@gmail.com or stjosephrespectlife@gmail.com

FEELING LUCKY? WATCH THE MAIL FOR YOUR CHANCE TO BE IN OUR 50/50 RAFFLE



Saint Joseph Church will again offer everyone a chance to participate in our annual **50/50 Raffle**. The net proceeds of which will go to benefit Saint Joseph Church.

Parishioners should **watch the mail** for a letter from **Fr. Christian** about our Raffle and for a chance to participate.

There will only be 400 tickets maximum. The donation is \$50 per ticket. 1st Prize will be 25% of proceeds, 2nd Prize—15%, and 3rd Prize—10%.

The drawing will be held on **May 21, 2023** at 1:00 pm in Mary's Grotto at Saint Joseph Church.



Pictured in the photo:

L-R, front row: Fr John, Cyndi Young, Mary Frances Bednarcik, Connie Vincenti, Judy Petrazzuolo

L-R, Back row: Kurt Strobach, Sandra Leyden, Francisco Casado, Dan Young, David Bednarcik, Rita Walker, Melinda Rabbia



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SAVE THE DATE

How about a night out with friends....



.... along with Wine, Cheese, & a little Bourbon!

Saint Joseph Wine & Bourbon Tasting

Parish Life Center

Saturday – April 22, 2023

7:30 – 10:30 PM

\$60 per person

Beer, soda, water and finger foods included

Proceeds to benefit St. Joseph Church

Permit # 103701

Reservation forms available on line at www.sjcnj.org & in the church or rectory.

Please scan the QR code to register for the Wine & Bourbon Tasting



JOIN US!

Saint Joseph School The Greenhouse (PK3-K) Open House

Tuesday, April 25th

6:30-8:30pm Open House at Saint Joseph School
305 Elm Street, Oradell, NJ; 201-261-2388, sjsusa.org

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March 10
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September 8
October 13
November 10

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Matthew 28:20

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BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

APRIL 20—JUNE 8

When grieving the loss of a loved one, individuals may feel overwhelmed and lonely. Adapting to life after the death of a loved one often takes more time than we expect.

Saint Joseph Parish offers a **Bereavement Support Group** led by parishioner **John Fuhrman** for our brothers and sisters who have lost a loved one through death. (Anyone interested, including parishioners from other churches is welcome.)

The purpose of the group is to provide opportunities for mutual healing in a confidential, educational and spiritual environment.

The group will meet for **8 weeks on Thursdays (7:00-9:00 pm)** from **April 20 - June 8** in the **Retreat House** (115 Grand St, Oradell, NJ—behind the Church)

If you would like to participate, or if you need more information, please contact our **Parish Secretary Gerry** at **201-261-0148**.

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Immaculate Heart Academy Township of Washington, NJ

IHA is hosting its Spring Open House on Thursday, April 27 at 6:30 p.m. Take a tour with knowledgeable and friendly student Eagle Ambassadors, who will guide you through the state-of-the-art building and campus. Meet teachers, administrators, directors, students, and coaches. Learn about the admissions process, including the Archdiocesan High School Placement Test (HSPT). Ask questions about curriculum, financial aid, transportation... and much more!

IHA is located at 500 Van Emburgh Ave., Township of Washington, NJ 07676. Register online at ihanj.com; Walk-ins also welcome.



DO YOU HAVE PARISH NEWS TO SHARE?

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

All bulletin submissions for
Sunday, April 23,
are due by **Friday, April 14.**

JOIN US in Mission

The **Franciscan Friars of the Renewal & Hope of the Poor** will be conducting a mission trip to Mexico this May, 2023.

We need your help! We will be visiting families living in very difficult circumstances, within a city dump located on the outskirts of Mexico City. It is a very difficult time for many people.

We are so grateful for any help!

We are collecting the following items:

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To cover cost of shipping of donations



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DONATIONS REQUESTED BY APRIL 30TH



Any Questions, Please Contact:
Sophia Mustard at 201-688-5412



Open House at Saint Peter's Prep

Saint Peter's Preparatory School will hold its Spring Open House on Sunday, April 30 from 1:00 – 3:00 at the school's campus in historic downtown Jersey City. Faculty and staff as well as coaches, students and parents, will be present to answer questions about the school, and tours of the campus will be provided. Saint Peter's Prep is an independent, college preparatory school for boys and it remains New Jersey's only Jesuit high school. For more information on the Spring Open House, please call 201-547-6389.

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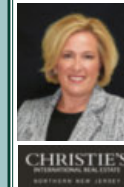


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