

Saint Joseph

Roman Catholic Church

Oradell/New Milford, NJ Nineteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time ~ August 13, 2023

Newark Archdiocesan Pilgrimage

Registration Form See page 6

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



19th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Peter said to him in reply, "Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water." He said, "Come." Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water toward Jesus. - Mt 14:28-29

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the Greenhouse

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



Saturday August 12, 2023 5:00 pm Susan E. Schrader

Sunday
7:30 am
9:00 am
10:30 am
People of the Parish
Evelyn Layug
Dr. John Driscoll

12:00 pm Silvio and Vinny Ciurleo

Monday
7:00 am
8:30 am
Valentina Abuedo
Assumption of the
Blessed Virgin Mary
7:30 pm
Ethel and Fred Pedrick

TuesdayAugust 15, 20237:00 amPeople of the Parish8:30 amJohn T. Flieger7:30 pmSgt. David Solinas, Jr

WednesdayAugust 16, 20237:00 amMarie L. Chiarella8:30 amLaudalina Martin

Thursday August 17, 2023 7:00 am Dina Acerno 8:30 am Abella Planillo

Friday August 18, 2023 7:00 am Maureen Pough 8:30 am Tony Teehan

Saturday 8:30 am Kevin O'Boyle 5:00 pm George J. Fabiano

Sunday August 20, 2023 7:30 am Josephine Tomassi

Birthday Remembrance

9:00 am Paul Rota 10:30 am Muriel Russell 12:00 pm People of the Parish



BREAD & WINE INTENTION

The Bread and Wine for the week of August 13, 2023 Is Offered

In Celebration of our Wedding Anniversary Cecilia and Lawrence Adinde

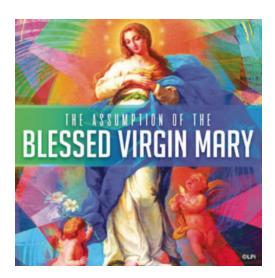
PRAYER REQUESTS

Let us remember all those who are ill: Ed Grube, Richard Nelson, Annette Linder, Paul Toner, Rita Petrie

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, Capt. Ellen McPherson, Capt. Michael McPherson Warrant Officer Brian P. McCarthy USMC, Capt. Michael Shuler, 2LT Michael Kirwan USAF



Calling All Volunteers and Liturgical Ministers!

As we begin to look forward to a new year of ministry together, we invite any adult volunteer (age 18 or over) who has not completed a volunteer packet which includes the Archdiocesan requirements of Protecting God's Children, the authorization of a background check, and the signing of the Code of Conduct, to please do so. Compliance with these requirements is necessary for any adult volunteering at St. Joseph's and is mandated by the Archdiocese of Newark. Please contact our parish office with any questions.

Also, if you would like to volunteer for any of the many ministries that we have at St. Joe's, please do not hesitate to reach out! Your kindness and gift of time is what helps to make our parish the welcoming home it is for our parishioners and visitors.

We are very grateful to all who share their gifts with our community.

Weekly Prayer

Sunday's Readings

First Reading:

Then the LORD said to him,

"Go outside and stand on the mountain before the LORD; the LORD will be passing by." (1 Kgs 19:11)

Psalm:

Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation. (Ps 85)

Second Reading:

My conscience joins with the Holy Spirit in bearing me witness

that I have great sorrow and constant anguish in my heart.

For I could wish that I myself were accursed and cut off from Christ

for the sake of my own people. (Rom 9:1-3)

Gospel:

Peter said to him in reply,

"Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water."

He said, "Come."

Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water toward Jesus. (Mt 14:28-29)

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Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

Christ is always coming to us in ways that we do not expect. Ways that shock us. Ways that frighten us. Ways that seem impossible. Are we ready to accept him however he comes, amidst whatever fear and doubt we are battling with in our hearts?

Observances for the week of August 13, 2023

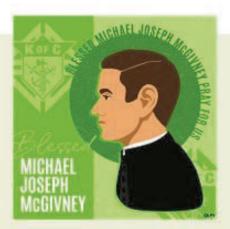
Sunday: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: St. Maximillian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr

Tuesday: The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Wednesday: St. Stephen of Hungary Saturday: St. John Eudes, Priest

Next Sunday: 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Saint of the week

Blessed Fr. Michael Joseph McGivney was a diocesan priest from Connecticut born to an Irish immigrant family. Together with men from his church, St. Mary's in New Haven, he founded what is now the world's largest Catholic fraternal service organization — the Knights of Columbus.

Prayer

Founder of the Knights of Columbus God, our Father, protector of the poor and defender of the widow and orphan. You called Your priest, Blessed Michael McGivney, to be an apostle of Christian family life and to lead the young to the generous service of their neighbor. Through the example of his life and virtue, may we follow your Son, Jesus Christ, more closely, fulfilling his commandment of charity and building up his Body which is the Church. Let the inspiration of Your servant prompt us to greater confidence in Your love so that we may continue his work of caring for the needy and the outcast. We humbly ask that you glorify Blessed Michael McGivney on earth according to the design of Your holy will. Through his intercession, grant the favor I now present. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

(Prayer Source: https://www.fathermcgivney.org/)

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A Note From Fr. Christian is on summer hiatus. Fr. Christian's column will resume in September. Please enjoy this weekly prayer page provided by LPi.



PRAYFULLY CONSIDER JOINING THE LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary would like to invite you to attend a meeting. We meet once a week in the Jackson Room of Mary's Chapel on Mondays after the 8:30 AM Mass.

We start every meeting with prayer and the recitation of the rosary. You may decide to stay for the meeting or just for the rosary. Please come and bring your special prayer requests. We would love to have you join us!

For more information: email LOM@sjcnj.org.

RCIA (the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)



is a process of welcome and exploration open to any adult who is considering becoming a member of the Roman Catholic Church or who wishes to complete the

process of initiation into the Church. RCIA prepares adults to receive the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and/or First Eucharist. While the RCIA process is primarily for adults seeking baptism, adaptations are made for baptized Christians of other denominations who are seeking to join the Catholic Church, and for baptized Catholics who are seeking to complete their initiation into the faith.

Please contact Melinda Rabbia at sjoradellrcia@gmail.com or melindarabbia@gmail.com for more information, and to learn if this might be the time for you to start the RCIA journey and grow closer to Jesus. Sessions will commence in September.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HALL AVAILABLE FOR RENTAL

The **Knights of Columbus Hall** located at **199 River Road in New Milford** is available for rental for parties of all kinds. Go to **kofc3814.org** and click on "HALL RENTAL INFORMATION."

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



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DO YOU HAVE PARISH NEWS TO SHARE?

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

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

Bible Study Offerings for Fall 2023

New groups are now forming for September 2023. Our new study is:

When You Pray: A Clear Path to a Deeper Relationship with God (7 Sessions)

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

Virtual studies are also available. Registration fee is \$35 and includes a study guide as well as online access to the videos and workbook. Deadline to register is September 8. Most studies will begin the week of September 18.

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

In Person sign-up after all Masses Aug 19 & 20.



TRAVELING? FIND A MASS NEAR YOU

To find the Mass schedule of a Catholic Church near where you will be staying simply go to https://masstimes.org on your smartphone or laptop.

A WAY TO HELP SAINT JOSEPH CONTINUE ITS MISSION

While you are away from home, please continue to support Saint Joseph!

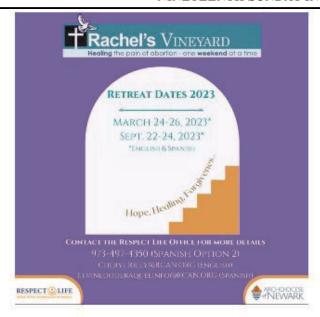
Please either drop off your parish envelope to the rectory / parish office, or open and direct your smartphone's camera on the QR code below to simply open the to send in your donation, either as "One-time" or "Recurring"

Your continued financial support of Saint Joseph Church is key to our church's survival.



Click on the *COMMUNITY* tab in our parish website to see photographs from some of the recent Parish special events!

https://sjcnj.org/community



Rachel's Vineyard is a safe place to renew, rebuild and redeem hearts broken by abortion. Weekend retreats can help begin the process of restoration, renewal and healing for men and women. Call 973-497-4350 or e-mail cheryl.riley@rcan.org for more information. There is a retreat in Newark Sept. 22-24, but there are retreats in other locations, as well. If you are you in need of healing

locations, as well. If you are you in need of healing for the pain from abortion but can't wait for a retreat, please know that you are not alone. God loves you, And we're here for you 24/7. Call 866-721-7881 or visit https://h3helpline.org/

PREGNANCY RESOURCES

If someone you know is pregnant and needs assistance, there are many resources available. Confidential help is free and available to all. Please call 1-800-848-LOVE any time. Or contact New Hope Pregnancy Resource center in Westwood at 201-722-4705, or text 201-669-2796. New Hope staff and volunteers remain involved through every step of the journey through pregnancy, the toddler years, and beyond, providing food, diapers, clothing, mentoring, and assistance with schooling/employment for moms.

FROM THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

Registration is open for our Religious Education Program for children from 1-8 grades in public school. The family needs to be registered as parishioners. For information, contact the office at 201-261-1144 or email us at religioused@sjcnj.org

Bergen Catholic will be hosting Open Houses on Tuesday October 3rd at 6:30pm, and Sunday November 5th at 1pm. Registration can be found on the Bergen Catholic website. For questions, please the admissions office at admissions@bergencatholic.org

Attention ALL 8th grade students: Bergen Catholic will be hosting an HSPT prep course for interested students applying to local catholic high schools in November. Course dates and registration information can be found on the Bergen Catholic website. For questions, please contact Matt Rosa '08, VP of Admissions at mrosa@bergencatholic.org.



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COME AND JOIN FR. CHRISTIAN, FR. JOHN and the PARISHIONERS of ST. PETER'S CHURCH in RIVER EDGE on the NEWARK ARCHDIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE to the

BASILICA OF THE NATIONAL SHRINE OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Washington, D.C.

One-Day Bus Trip from Saint Joseph Parish - Saturday, September 16, 2023

This pilgrimage offers a wonderful opportunity for blessings upon you and your family. <u>Please sign up as early as possible as space is limited</u>. Deadline is Monday August 28, 2023. For more details on the Pilgrimage, please contact:

Pat Fakharzadeh at 201-615-0585 email lom@sjcnj.org or Phil DeRosa at 201-970-3733 email euchmin@sjcnj.org

The bus leaves Saint Joseph Rectory, 105 Harrison St. New Milford, NJ at 6:00am sharp; departs D.C. at 5:30pm sharp for return.

Cost: \$50.00 per person (Checks payable to "St. Joseph Church").

This pilgrimage will allow you to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation and partake of the Holy Eucharist at Mass with Cardinal Tobin. Other opportunities include Rosary devotion, a self-guided tour of the Basilica, visiting the Shrine Bookstore and gift shop.

The bus will make two <u>brief</u> stops, one going and one returning. <u>We advise that you bring all meals for the day.</u> Additional information and the day's agenda will be provided once you register.

PILGRIMAGE REGISTRATION FORM

Please enroll me as a pilgrim to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, Washington, D.C. on September 16, 2023.

Deadline to register and payment is Monday August 28, 2023

NAME:	
ADDRESS:	
CELL PHONE:	
EMAIL.	

Your completed form and payment can be mailed (105 Harrison St. New Milford NJ 07646) or dropped off at the SJC Rectory/Parish Office or put in the collection basket in an envelope marked PILGRIMAGE by Monday August 28, 2023.



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