

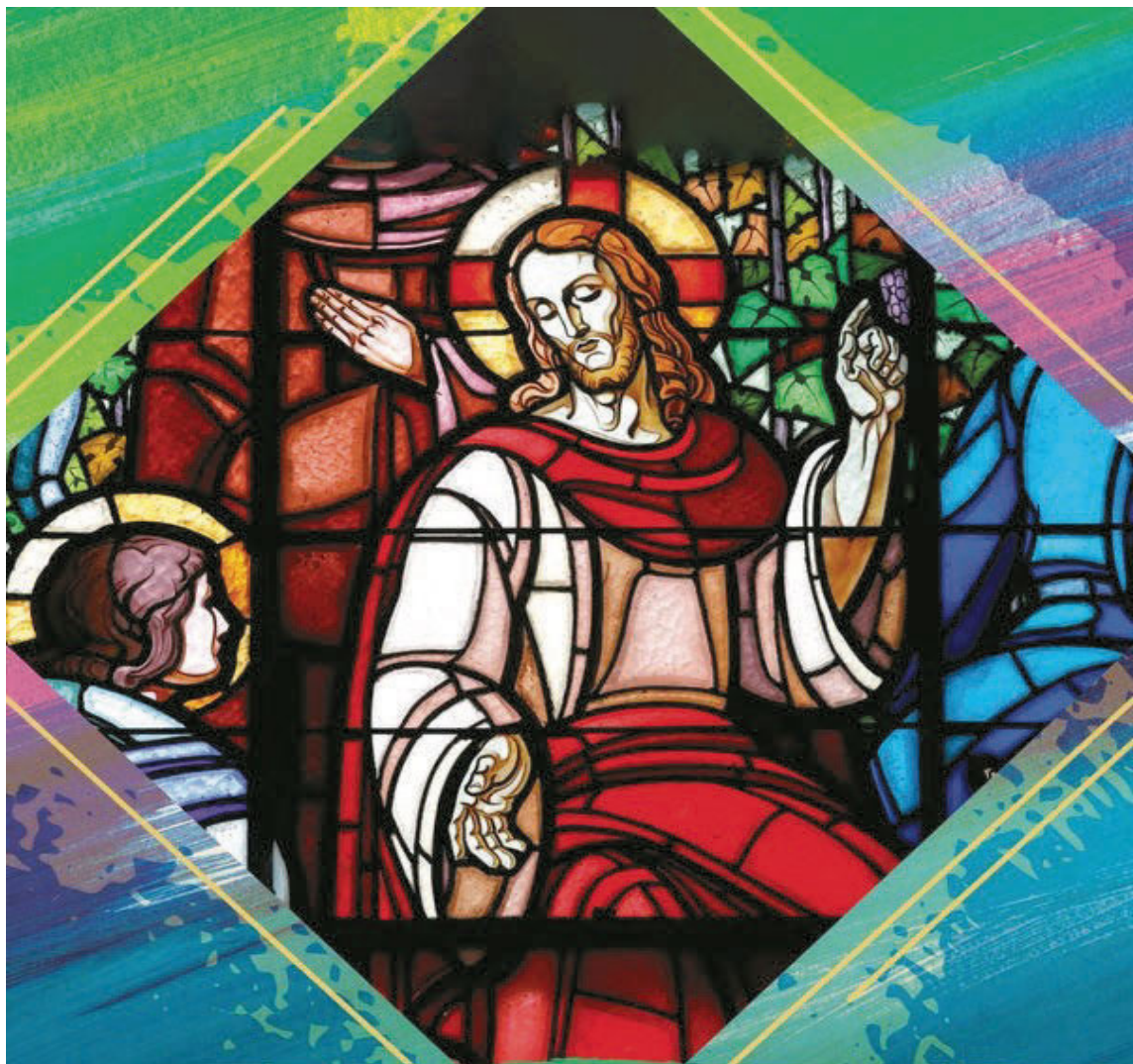


Oradell/New Milford, NJ

Saint Joseph

Roman Catholic Church

Twenty-Fifth Sunday In Ordinary Time ~ September 24, 2023



25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Summon the laborers and give them their pay, beginning with the last and ending with the first.” - Mt 20:1, 8

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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

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

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

Saturday 5:00 pm	September 23, 2023 Mildred M. Frykberg
Sunday 7:30 am 9:00 am 10:30 am 12:00 pm	September 24, 2023 People of the Parish Philip Vincenti 1st Anniversary Remembrance Wilbert and Ann Norton Brian McCann Anniversary Remembrance
Monday 7:00 am 8:30 am	September 25, 2023 Carazon V. Ferreol Irene Dempsey
Tuesday 7:00 am 8:30 am	September 26, 2023 Sgt. David Solinas, Jr. Frank Proietti
Wednesday 7:00 am 8:30 am	September 27, 2023 Joseph Lasala Mary Broking
Thursday 7:00 am 8:30 am	September 28, 2023 Marie Chiarella George and Mary Margaret Carter
Friday 7:00 am 8:30 am	September 29, 2023 Msgr. David C. Hubba Edna Deyro ~ Living
Saturday 8:30 am 5:00 pm	September 30, 2023 Vincenza Crisantiello Birthday Remembrance The Brienza and Cella Families Deceased Members
Sunday 7:30 am 9:00 am 10:30 am 12:00 pm	October 1, 2023 People of the Parish James Vincent Toscano Birthday ~ Living Pauline Smith Pantaleon - Capati Family



PRAYER REQUESTS

Let us remember all those who are ill:

Ed Grube, Richard Nelson, Annette Linder,
Paul Toner, Rita Petrie, Daniel Blair,
Anthony Avena

Let us remember all those who have died.

Mazie Shuler

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



BREAD & WINE INTENTION

The **Bread and Wine**

for the week of

September 24, 2023

Are offered in loving memory of
Carolina and Almerindo Accomando's
Wedding Anniversary

Requested by The Vincenti Family.



ALTAR FLOWER INTENTION

The **Altar Flowers**

For the week of

September 24, 2023

Are in loving memory of

Philip Vincenti's

1st Anniversary Remembrance

Requested by Connie and Cynthia





A note from Fr. Christian

This weekend we are introducing our Increased Offertory Program at all of our Masses. I am truly excited to introduce this program to all of us here at St. Joe's! It is an opportunity not only for us to increase our support for the parish that we love, but also to draw attention to the needs of our parish and bring an increased awareness to the spirituality surrounding giving as we move together into the future.

We will outline what St. Joseph's is embarking on over the course of the next 2 months as well as the reasons we need to address our Sunday offertory collection. Hopefully by now or within the next few days you will receive a mailing which highlights the reason for and urgency of this program. Each mailing will have a confidential reply card included. After prayerful reflection (and discussion) we ask you to please consider filling out that card and returning it to us in the provided envelope, the Sunday collection basket, or at the parish office.

Below is a brief summary of what we are embarking on, why we are addressing these needs, and how you can be a part of it. As we move forward with the program, you will be provided with more information and updates on our progress. In addition, you will be hearing from some of our fellow parishioners when they share their experiences of our parish through lay witness talks.

I sincerely thank all of you who have so generously supported St. Joseph's over the years and for your consideration of supporting this important endeavor. Your support and presence in our parish community truly make St. Joe's what it is today - a loving, welcoming, and inviting home for all who walk through our doors.

May God continue to richly bless you for the love and kindness that you share with our parish. It makes a difference!

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

Ministry Growth and Outreach!

We have so many ministries to be grateful for here at St. Joe's; ministries that cater to all ages and are kept alive and running smoothly by the dedication of countless volunteers. We are blessed with a large Religious Education Program, a vibrant Youth Ministry and Young Adult Group, our parish Care Corner, an active and growing Men's and Women's Cornerstone, multiple volunteer opportunities, Ministries of Worship, and Adult Faith Formation opportunities. These are among the many examples of how we work together here as a parish and live our lives in a Christ-like way.

Our Community Outreach Programs continue to provide services responsive to the needs of the larger community and our fellow brothers and sisters in Christ. And we are especially conscious of the needs of the Mission Church throughout the world.

Why must we address our offertory?

St. Joe's is and continues to be a growing and vibrant community! In order to keep our parish vibrant and serve the needs of our parish community, coupled with the rising cost of goods and services in general, our expenses have noticeably increased. With the active participation of our Finance Council, the expanded ministries and parish expenses are closely monitored to ensure that our finances remain fiscally strong.

For some time now, our Sunday collections have been trending downward and do not meet our financial obligations. Therefore, it is extremely important that we continue to remain prudent and proactive as we manage our finances to secure our future.

We invite you to consider.....

We invite each registered household to reflect on their current financial support and prayerfully consider increasing that commitment to the parish. A consistent and modest increase from all our parishioners will help us to better address our existing financial needs, as well as plan for our future. Every donation helps and is truly appreciated.

NEWARK ARCHDIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE


On Saturday September 16th, Father Christian and Father John joined forty-four pilgrims from St. Joseph and St. Peter the Apostle, River Edge on a bus trip to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington DC. All parishes in the Archdiocese of Newark were invited. This year was the 50th Anniversary Jubilee of the Pilgrimage for the Archdiocese. Upon their arrival our pilgrims were greeted by Cardinal Joseph Tobin and Bishop Michael Saporito. The day's activities included free time touring the Basilica and grounds, an opportunity for Reconciliation, an organ concert, praying the Holy Rosary, procession of Parish banners and concluded with a Mass presided by Cardinal Tobin. It was truly a beautiful day!

A very special and heartfelt thank you to Great Foods Market & Catering, 225 Kinderkamack Road in Oradell for graciously donating 'breakfast bags' for each pilgrim on the trip.



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POWERFUL
EVENINGS**

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**SAINT JOSEPH
PARISH MISSION**

OCTOBER 9TH-11TH

MONDAY - WEDNESDAY | 7:30PM
SAINT JOSEPH CHURCH, ORADELL, NJ

The Parish Mission will be led by Fr. Glenn Sudano, one of the eight founding members of the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal, founded in 1987. The apostolic mission of the Community is to save the materially poor, especially the destitute and homeless. Fr. Glenn serves the community through spiritual direction, pastoral counseling, spiritual deliverance ministry, and more. He is from Brooklyn and now resides at Holy Family Farm, a faith-based initiative of Catholic laity.



FR. GLENN SUDANO, CFR

JOIN THE

ST. JOSEPH CHILDREN'S CHOIR!

GRADES 3-8

REHEARSALS BEGIN
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28
SAINT JOSEPH SCHOOL: 3:00 - 3:45 PM
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: 4:00 - 4:45 PM



for more information
contact SJC Director of
Music Monroe Quinn
via email
quinnm@sjcnj.org



Pat Schuber served as MC for the 9/11 Remembrance Service at the Oradell Fire Department



Eric Shuler, retired major in the Army Reserves, spoke at the 9/11 Remembrance Service



Fr. Christian gave the invocation at the 9/11 Remembrance Service



Fr. Christian with Pat Schuber (Borough historian) and Councilman Steve Carnevale



Prayer led by Fr. Christian at Memorial Field, and The Rotary Club, led by Tom Kelly, provided a candlelight ceremony.



Parishioner Ellen Solinas gave a moving speech.



Saint Joseph Coffee Hour

Saint Joseph's coffee hour is where you can find fellowship, coffee, and some delicious goodies after feeding your soul at Mass.

Join us the **first Sunday** of each month after the 7:30, 9:00 and 10:30 Masses, and on the **fourth Tuesday** after the 8:30 Mass.

Please join us in Saint Joseph's Retreat House behind the church. (Follow the signs) We look forward to seeing you.



Friends of the New Milford Public Library Book Sale and Town-Wide Garage Sale

The Friends of the New Milford Public Library will hold a Book Sale at the library, 200 Dahlia Avenue, on Friday, Sept 29 from 12-4 pm and on Saturday, Sept 30 from 10am-4pm. Preview sale for Friends of the Library will be on Friday, Sept 29 from 10am-12pm. Books in good condition can be donated Sept 5-26 during library hours. Also scheduled is a Town-Wide Garage sale on Saturday, Sept 30 from 9am-4pm. Participant forms can be picked up at the library. Maps will be available in front of the library on Sat. Sept. 30 at 8:30am. For more information, call 201-262-1221.

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Paramus Catholic - Sept. 24 ~ 12-2pm
Oct. 18 ~ 6:30-8pm
www.paramuscatholic.com

St. Joseph Regional - Sept. 24 ~ 11-1pm
Nov. 2 ~ 6-8pm
www.saintjosephregional.org

Don Bosco - Sept. 28 ~ 6:30-8:30pm
www.donboscoprep.org

Holy Angels - Oct. 1 ~ 10am - 2pm
www.holyangels.org

Albertus Magnus - Oct. 1 ~ 12-2pm
Nov. 1 ~ 6-8pm
www.albertusmagnus.net

Bergen Catholic - Oct. 3 ~ 6:30pm
Nov. 5 ~ 1pm, Mass at 12:15 in Chapel
www.bergencatholic.org

Immaculate Heart Academy - Oct. 15 ~ 11-2pm
Oct. 19 ~ 6:30-8:30pm
www.immaculateheartnj.com

NEW HOPE GALA

New Hope helping first time single mothers and their babies is hosting their annual Gala on Wednesday October 4 2023 at Seasons, 644 Pascack Road Washington Township 6:30-10:30. Cocktail hour, gourmet dinner, dancing, 50/50 raffle, Tricky Tray and Silent Auction. Tickets \$125 per person - please call 201-722-4705 and join us for a fun filled evening.

**THE MARIAN SHRINE CELEBRATES
BLESSED CARLO ACUTIS**

Featuring his Mother, Antonia Salzano Acutis

On Thursday, September 28, 2023 the Marian Shrine located at 174 Filors Lane, Stony Point, New York will be hosting Mrs. Antonia Acutis, mother of Blessed Carlo Acutis, the 1st Millennial to be Beatified. The evening begins with Eucharistic Adoration at 7:00 pm followed by a presentation and conversation with Antonia Acutis at 8:30pm. The Marian Shrine is handicapped accessible and the event is FREE to attend, however, tickets for the event are required by calling 845-947-2200 x 302. Following the conversation with Antonia Acutis there will be a book sale and signing of her newly released book "My Son Carlo."

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

October 6 - November 24

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 Fridays (7:00-9:00 pm)** from **October 6 - November 24** 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**.

**Attention families of 8th grade students
planning to attend Catholic High School
in Fall 2024!**

The High School Placement Test (HSPT) administered as part of the Cooperative Admissions Exam Program for Catholic High Schools will be given on Friday, November 10, 2023. Registration for the HSPT exam is available online at www.njcoopexam.org beginning September 1st. For more information about the Cooperative Admissions Program, go to www.catholicchoolsnj.org. Additionally, the Catholic High Schools are holding their annual HS Expo Night. Parents and students are invited to meet with representatives from many Archdiocesan High Schools from 7:00-8:30 pm on the following dates and locations:

Tuesday, September 26th at Academy of St. Paul, 187 Wycoff Avenue, Ramsey

Wednesday, September 27th at St. Peter's Preparatory School, 144 Grand Street, Jersey City

Thursday, September 28th at St. John the Apostle School, 541 Valley Road, Clark

For directions and more information, visit www.catholicchoolsnj.org or call 973-497-4260.

Bulletin submissions for **Sunday, October 8**
Are due by **Friday, September 29.**
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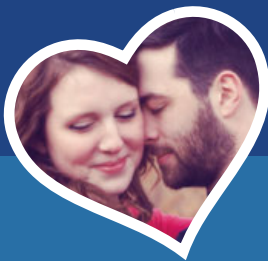
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