

Oradell/New Milford, NJ

# Saint Joseph

## Roman Catholic Church

Thirtieth Sunday In Ordinary Time ~ October 29, 2023

### Our Beloved Deceased

Robert Q. Alto  
 Ronald Amtmann  
 Angela Armenio  
 Anna Barbagallo  
 Marguerite Ann Biondi  
 Rose Bricca  
 Peter Browning  
 Jean Chaffiotte  
 Gaetana Cosenzo  
 Crescenciana de Luna  
 Gregorio de Luna  
 Serafina (Faye) Della Torre  
 Bill Demas  
 William J. DePalma  
 June DiMartino  
 Alfonzo Dispenza  
 Junling Dong  
 Barbara Donovan  
 Peter C. Eckert, Jr.  
 Macario Escobanas  
 Robert Fagan  
 Thomas Fahey  
 Margaret Fletcher  
 Samuel Gazzolo  
 Josephine Geenty  
 Edward J. Gerity  
 Dahlia Hartman

David Hoffman  
 Msgr. David C. Hubba  
 June Hughes  
 Concetta Kallas  
 Tyler Kallensee  
 Cara Kamrowski  
 Joan Link  
 Ann Maron  
 Anthony Martins  
 Mark Maurer  
 Joseph Maurer  
 Thomas McCormack  
 Marianne McMillin  
 Kieran McPartland  
 Marilyn Mercadante  
 Edward Moriondo  
 Anne E. O'Toole  
 Bolivar Penalba  
 Michael Perrone  
 Barbara Piersa  
 Bruce Plentus  
 Emilie M. Pouch  
 Anne Predonzani  
 Lillian Quevedo  
 Brendan J. Reilly  
 Barbara Richmond  
 Matilde Rodriguez

Stephen Sacchi  
 Paul Saint-Aime  
 Sgt. David Solinas, Jr.  
 Remedios Santos  
 Narciso Santos  
 Marie Siliato  
 Nicholas Sodano  
 Juanita Soto Marino  
 Viola Speranza  
 Riley Suapengco  
 Frank M. Svec  
 Donald Sweeney  
 Josephine Swift  
 Gail Westerdahl  
 Carol Wieder  
 Frances M. Woods

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they

**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

**ALL SAINTS DAY**  
 November 1  
**ALL SOULS DAY**  
 November 2



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)

Orders due Nov. 20!

## 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 20.**

**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](mailto:pastoralcouncil@sjcnj.org)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Name to be memorialized: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Teardrop ornament character limit for name: 20 characters

Cross ornament character limit for name: 19 characters

Birth & Death years: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Teardrop ornament character limit for years: 20 characters

Cross ornament character limit for years: 11 characters

Choice of ornament (please select one):

Teardrop \_\_\_\_\_ \*\*Cross \_\_\_\_\_

\*Character limitations on both ornaments include periods, commas and blank spaces

\*\*Please note: regarding the **cross** ornament, names that contain a lowercase "z" will have the font changed from a script to a block style for legibility purposes



## A note from Fr. Christian



There's a lot of things to "love" about life! We can love a particular type of food, a certain vacation destination or place, cars, movies, the list goes on and on. "Love" is a term that we frequently and casually use. But from the perspective of faith, true love has a

much more profound meaning. A deep meaning that flows from the heart of God and from our hearts to others. God loves each and every one of us with such a depth that he even sent his son Jesus to us. Jesus, though completely pure and innocent, suffered, died, and rose again for the sake of you and me because he loves us that much. Talk about deep!

As disciples of Christ, we too are called to love and to model our love on that of Christ. First, to love God above all things, "...with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind (Matthew 22:37) and to then, "...love your neighbor as yourself (Matthew 22:39). It's not always easy to show this kind of love because it requires, on some level, sacrifice on our part and a willingness to put God and others before ourselves. There are many ways that we can show our love for God and our love for our neighbor. We can show our love for God by making the sacrifice of time in prayer or by making the effort to frequently come to Mass. We can show our love for others by sacrificing something we would like to do so that another person in our life could enjoy what they would like. There are many more examples, far too numerous to list here. As disciples we are invited to look into our hearts to find more ways to let our love for God and others shine. As we begin a new week, may we have the grace to put God in first place in our lives, and to truly care for and love others as fellow beloved sons and daughters of God.

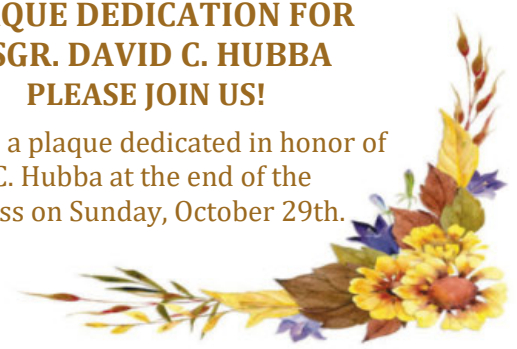
**With Prayer,  
Fr. Christian**



The Knights of Columbus will be hosting light appetizers in the retreat house after the 5:00pm Mass on Saturday, November 4th to honor and remember the deceased members of Council 3814. All are welcome!

## PLAQUE DEDICATION FOR MSGR. DAVID C. HUBBA PLEASE JOIN US!

There will be a plaque dedicated in honor of Msgr. David C. Hubba at the end of the 10:30 am mass on Sunday, October 29th.



## ALL SOULS ENVELOPES

Are available at the doors of the church. Be sure to pick one up to have your deceased loved ones remembered at Mass. The envelope and your donation (\$10 per name/couple suggested) can be put in the collection basket or brought to the Parish Office.

## PARISH COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITY

Volunteers are needed to help serve lunch at Eva's Village, located at 393 Main Street, in Paterson, NJ on Tuesday, November 21; and Tuesday, Dec. 19. Approximate time commitment is 11:00 am- 1:30 pm. For more information, or if you are able to help, please call Tom Kelly at 201-657-4352.

## Ministry of Motherhood

For all mothers of all ages and stages  
NOVEMBER M.O.M. PRAYER MEETING

Join us for an evening of prayer,  
conversation and refreshment

Thursday, Nov. 2, 2023 - 7:30 pm - 9 pm  
St. Joseph Retreat House

Located directly behind the Church  
Parking available in SJS Upper school lot

Questions?

Email: [ministryofmotherhoodsjc@gmail.com](mailto:ministryofmotherhoodsjc@gmail.com)

Text/call: Reen Hunt 908-770-2969 or

Jeannie Tenaglia 201-725-1131

*Light refreshments, coffee & tea will  
be served!*



*“Everyone who was willing and whose heart moved him, came and brought an offering to the Lord for the work.” Exodus 25:21*

**What we have done so far?**

A few weeks ago, we announced that our parish is embarking on an ***Increased Offertory Program***.

Then, you received a mailing, explaining the reason, purpose, and goals of this important endeavor.

Then we had our ***Lay Witness Weekend*** where we listened to our fellow parishioners share the importance of the Sunday collection and how you can participate in this effort.

Our ***In Pew Commitment Weekend*** was a few weeks ago where everyone had an opportunity to make their commitment at Mass.

**AN INCREDIBLE RESPONSE!  
WITH 4 WEEKS REMAINING!!!**

There have been many responses to this effort, along with countless “anonymous” ones with an average offertory increase of 20%. Thank you to all those who have participated thus far.

With 4 weeks remaining there will be a **follow up mailing** to parishioners who **have not responded by using the response cards**. Parishioners should receive this mailing within the next 1-2 weeks and we **request you respond before Thanksgiving**.

*We invite you and every registered household to consider taking a step, or two, in your contribution to the parish by increasing your Sunday offering by 20%-50%.*

**Electronic Giving**

**Electronic/Online Giving** is a convenient no hassle method, of making your Sunday offertory to the church.

For more information or to sign up you can visit [sjcnj.org](http://sjcnj.org) and click on the **Donate** tab. You can also contact the parish office for more details.

**If you are a current online giving user** and you participate in the Increased Offertory Program you will need to log into your account and update your giving to reflect your intention.

To View Our Community



To Support Our Mission





<b>Saturday</b> 5:00 pm	<b>October 28, 2023</b> Nicholas Merlino
<b>Sunday</b> 7:30 am 9:00 am 10:30 am 12:00 pm	<b>October 29, 2023</b> People of the Parish John Byrne Vincent P. Tabone Imogene Papp
<b>Monday</b> 7:00 am 8:30 am	<b>October 30, 2023</b> Sgt. David Solinas, Jr. Joseph Rabbia
<b>Tuesday</b> 7:00 am 8:30 am 7:30 pm	<b>October 31, 2023</b> Emilia Ann Dawe Onofrio Petrella Yvette Hendrickson
<b>Wednesday</b> 7:00 am 8:30 am 7:30 pm	<b>November 1, 2023</b> John Paul Falley People of the Parish Servino and Crescencia Gonzales
<b>Thursday</b> 7:00 am 8:30 am 7:30 pm	<b>November 2, 2023</b> All our beloved deceased All our beloved deceased All Soul's Remembrance Mass
<b>Friday</b> 7:00 am 8:30 am	<b>November 3, 2023</b> All Soul's in Purgatory All our beloved deceased
<b>Saturday</b> 8:30 am 5:00 pm	<b>November 4, 2023</b> All our beloved deceased Arthur M. Schrader, Jr.
<b>Sunday</b> 7:30 am 9:00 am 10:30 am 12:00 pm	<b>November 5, 2023</b> People of the Parish Johnny Tomassi Margaret Fox Deceased Members of the Spiniello, Mauro, Cina and DePeri Families



### BREAD & WINE INTENTION

The **Bread and Wine**  
for the week of  
**October 29, 2023**  
Are Offered In Loving Memory Of  
**Thomas Piersa**  
Requested by his family

### PRAYER REQUESTS

#### Let us remember all those who are ill:

Ed Grube, Annette Linder, Paul Toner,  
Rita Petrie, Daniel Blair, Jonathan J. Benkovic,  
James Sweeney, Cooper Kurella, Rosemary Iessi

#### Let us remember all those who have died.

Doug Barron, JoAnn Krupp, Robert Fagan,  
Anna Barbagallo, Cara Kamrowski, Josephine Geenty

#### 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

### Daily Mass Schedule Change

Beginning on November 20th, 2023 we will have only one daily Mass, the 8:30am. The decision to cancel the 7am was made with careful consideration, after speaking with members of our Pastoral Council, and with a personal announcement to the regular attendees out of respect and courtesy for them. Since the passing of Msgr. Hubba, we have done our best to maintain the current schedule of daily Mass, however this has become less sustainable now that we have two priests continuing the ministries that once belonged to three. This has become especially challenging when one priest is unavailable or away on vacation. All of this, coupled with a lower attendance at the 7am Mass compared to the 8:30am Mass, contributed to this decision. To facilitate this change, **all current Mass intentions for the 7am Mass will be announced alongside those of the 8:30am Mass of the same day.** Please know that this was not a decision that was made lightly, but ultimately, one that is more sustainable for us going forward. **Please note this change does not impact Sunday Masses.** Thank you for your understanding.



### SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTION

The **Sanctuary Lamp**  
For the week of  
**October 29, 2023**  
Burns in the Upper Church  
In Loving Memory Of  
**Sgt. David Solinas, Jr.**  
Requested by The Solinas Family





## Fall Collections Benefit SJCC

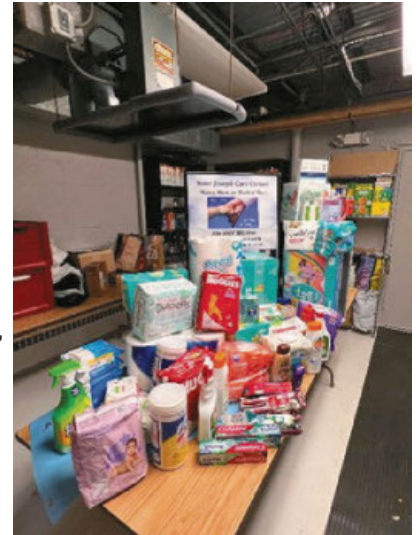


*This Fall many groups have responded to the Saint Joseph Care Corner's (SJCC) need for donations.*



Bergen Catholic students ran a successful drive with items going to the Franciscan Community Development Center in Fairview.

Saint Joseph School donated many needed items including diapers, wipes, toiletries and cleaning supplies



Saint Joseph CCD strongly supported the SJCC with a "Back to Religious Ed." drive.

The Oradell- Emerson Rotary Club consistently supports the SJCC and once again donated many items in October.

*The SJCC is always ready to accept your donations of non-perishable items such as diapers, wipes, laundry detergent, paper supplies, cleaning supplies, and all toiletries. The local organizations that we help are always looking for these items. Please drop them in the bin marked SJCC on Grand Street.*

*Questions: contact Peg Kohli - [tkohli@optonline.net](mailto:tkohli@optonline.net) or 201-391-0224.*

*The support of the parish enables the SJCC to help so many - Thank you!*

## ALL SAINTS DAY WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1 Holy Day of Obligation

### MASS SCHEDULE

(All masses held in the Upper Church)

(Vigil Mass) Tuesday, October 31 at 7:30 pm  
(Holy Day Masses) Wednesday, November 1 at  
7:00 am, 8:30 am, and 7:30 pm

## ALL SOULS MASS THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2

A Mass commemorating the faithful departed will be celebrated at Saint Joseph Church on Thursday, November 2 at 7:30 pm, during which the names of those who have died this year will be read aloud

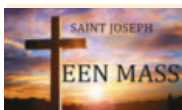


## NJ RIGHT TO LIFE RAFFLE

Tickets for the NJRTL raffle will be available the weekend of **10/28-10/29** after all masses. Proceeds will benefit women in crisis and their babies. Raffle tickets are \$10 each; please bring cash or checks to "NJ Right to Life". The grand prize is a 2024 Volvo 240 AWD SUV. For more information, call or text Sophia at 201-688-5412.

## Free Concert at New Milford Public Library

The Friends of the New Milford Public Library will host a concert featuring the All Seasons Chamber Players on Sunday, November 5 at 2pm, at the New Milford Library located at 200 Dahlia Avenue. The program titled "Old Friends and New Acquaintances" is free to the public and light refreshments will be served. For information, call 201-262-1221 or 201-262-7132



## Youth Ministry - Led Family Mass

Sunday, November 5 at 4:00 pm

All are welcome!

Bulletin submissions for **Sunday, November 12**  
Are due by **Friday, November 3.**  
[bulletin@sjcnj.org](mailto:bulletin@sjcnj.org)



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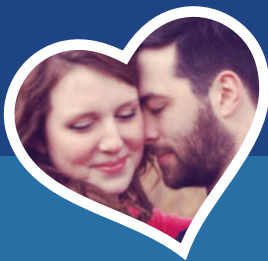
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