



Oradell/New Milford, NJ

Saint Joseph

Roman Catholic Church

Thirteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time ~ June 30, 2024



ADMINISTRATOR :
Rev. Christian G. Scalò

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
Monday - 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.

For More Information
About:

Homebound/Hospital Visits

Christian Initiation of
Adults / RCIA

Parish Registration

Please Contact Parish Office

13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said to the synagogue official, "Do not be afraid; just have faith." When they arrived at the house of the synagogue official, he caught sight of a commotion, people weeping and wailing loudly.

So he went in and said to them, "Why this commotion and weeping? The child is not dead but asleep." - Mk 5:36bc, 38-39

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Saint Joseph School the Greenhouse PreK	305 Elm St., Oradell	201-261-2388	office@sjsusa.org	sjsusa.org
Youth Ministry	Youth Center (Curry House)	201-410-5930	ellen@solinas.net	sjcnj.org

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



PRAYER REQUESTS

Let us remember all those who are ill:

Pat Barrow, Annette Linder, Lucy Jaimes,
Irene Galvan, Angela Schimpf,
Eugene Bohan, Susan McGough

Names of individuals added to this list will be read aloud at Mass for two consecutive weeks and then listed here for 3 months. If you would like to add a person again, please contact the parish office. Names should only be submitted with the permission of the individual who is sick.


Let us remember all those who have died.

Carolyn Conti, Robert Golden, Jr.
Nestor Ladron Bercebal

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,
2LT Michael Kirwan USAF

Saturday 5:00 pm	June 29, 2024 Nancy Sattely
Sunday 7:30 am 9:00 am 10:30 am 12:00 pm	June 30, 2024 People of the Parish William Driver Susan De Rosa Edward P. Cronin, Jr.
Monday 8:30 am	July 1, 2024 Eleuterio Tumang Raymond J. Broking
Tuesday 8:30 am	July 2, 2024 Robert Luyke
Wednesday 8:30 am	July 3, 2024 James Kelly Birthday Remembrance
Thursday 8:30 am	July 4, 2024 Keelin O'Connor Birthday ~ Living
Friday 8:30 am	July 5, 2024 Thomas and Jean Oxton
Saturday 8:30 am 5:00 pm	July 6, 2024 Dr. Jose Antillon George and Catherine McPherson
Sunday 7:30 am 9:00 am 10:30 am 12:00 pm	July 7, 2024 People of the Parish Gloria Schneider Edward P. Cronin, Jr. Ruschell Boone



PLEASE NOTE!
The Church Office will be closed on **Thursday, July 4** and **Friday, July 5** for Independence Day

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"

We are very grateful for, and continue to rely on your support financially during the summer season



The **Saint Joseph Youth Ministry** meets every Tuesday evening from 7:30-9:00 in the Youth Center (Curry House). Please enter through the Grotto. For more information regarding St. Joseph Youth Ministry, please email Ellen Solinas at Ellen@solinas.net



BREAD & WINE INTENTION

The Bread and Wine
for the week of
June 30, 2024
Are Offered
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A note from Fr. Christian



This coming Thursday, we as a nation celebrate Independence Day, a day when we more intentionally recognize the gift of our freedom and acknowledge the many men and women who have put and continue to put their lives on the line in order to defend it. True freedom is

something very profound. All of us, made in the image and likeness of God, have been gifted with an intellect and a free will. Of all God's creatures here on earth, we human beings have the ability to critically think and to freely make choices that have consequences not only for ourselves, but potentially for others as well.

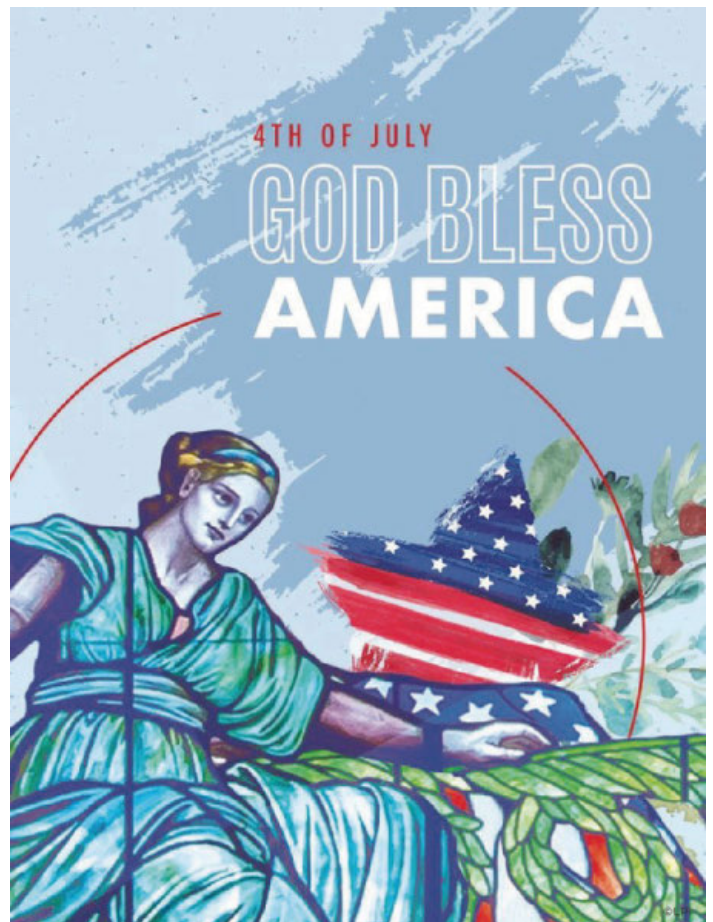
While we all have been given the gift of freedom by God, I'm sure there are many moments in our lives where frankly, we don't feel free at all. Maybe we're struggling with an addiction or feel compelled to think or act in a certain way to find the acceptance of others. Maybe we feel bound by the many obligations that take up most of our time during the week with little time for rest. Maybe, for whatever reason, we feel like we simply don't have the power to make the decisions that we feel need to be made.

Regardless of where we find ourselves, it's so important to remember that Jesus came to set us free, *"for freedom Christ set us free; so stand firm and do not submit again to the yoke of slavery"* (2 Corinthians 3:17). The moments when we feel especially burdened, chained down by the pressures that surround us, trapped under the weight of whatever problem or difficulty we are facing... are opportunities for us to turn to the Lord Jesus for guidance, support, and love.

Freedom and the ability to exercise our freedom is truly a gift, but it is also a tremendous responsibility. As followers of Christ, all of us are called to use our freedom to choose good and to avoid evil, to help lift up those who are in need, and to be peacemakers in the midst of conflict. Human freedom is not only meant to be exercised for ourselves, but also in a significant way for others, like St. Paul says, *"For you were called for freedom, brothers. But do not use this freedom as an opportunity for the flesh; rather, serve one another through love"* (Galatians 5:13).

This is no easy task! Yet, it is one that we certainly can accomplish one step at a time, because of the grace and love of Jesus that is poured into us when we receive the Sacraments, especially the gift of his Real Presence in the Eucharist. As we celebrate this week, may we give thanks to God the author of true human freedom and use our gifts for the good of others without counting the cost.

*With prayer,
Fr. Christian*



A Note From Fr. Christian will be on summer hiatus beginning next week. Fr. Christian's column will resume in September.

I want to take this opportunity to wish everyone a happy and safe summer. I hope it is a time of relaxation and renewal.

Carleen Wagner



For his Eagle Scout Project, **Gerard Palazzo** ran a very successful collection of items and funds to help New Hope Pregnancy Resource Center. He is pictured here with Barbara Mezzina. Barbara is the Director of New Hope and also a long-time Saint Joseph parishioner!

*Dear Parishioners,
With sincere gratitude we thank all those who contributed to Gerard Palazzo's Eagle Scout project benefiting New Hope Pregnancy Resource Center. Whether you donated a baby item to stock our shelves or made a monetary donation to help with education, rent subsidies or daycare, you helped ease the burden of a struggling first time single mom. May God Bless you all.
Barbara Mezzina, Director*



YOUTH MINISTRY HIKE TO ORADELL RESERVOIR - JUNE 11, 2024

Tonight's hike allowed us to witness our creator's masterpiece. We got to see some beautiful views and spend some quality time outdoors. Beautiful evening with a group of amazing humans.
(Photos and caption provided by Ellen Solinas)



Bulletin submissions for **Sunday, July 14**
Are due by **Friday, July 5.**
bulletin@sjcnj.org

SCAM EMAIL ALERT!
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Adoration for **July** will be on the second Wednesday of the month, on July 10



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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.

PARISH COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITY

Volunteers are needed to help serve lunch at Eva's Village, located at 393 Main Street, in Paterson, NJ on **Tuesdays - July 23, August 27, and September 24** . 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.

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

<https://sjcnj.org/community>

To submit photos, please contact Melinda at webmaster@sjcnj.org.

JOB OPENINGS!



Part-Time PK2 After Care Supervisor

Saint Joseph School is looking to hire a part-time PK2 after care supervisor. This is a 10-month position. (September-June), Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, from 2:30pm-6pm for \$18/hour.

The PK2 after care supervisor is responsible for the following - Supervise approximately (5) 2 year old students in our after care program - Monitor students for safety - Continue potty training schedule/change students as needed - Engage students in play-based activities. Candidate should have experience in a school or daycare setting. Substitute teaching certificate not required, but a plus. Upon hiring, candidate **MUST** complete fingerprinting, background check, and Protecting God's Children training (Saint Joseph School will help candidate to obtain this). If interested, please submit a cover letter and resume to Principal, Kassie Pierinelli, at pierinellik@sjsusa.org

Part-Time Tech Teacher/Coordinator

Saint Joseph School is looking to hire a part-time Grades PK-8 Tech Teacher/Coordinator for the 2024-2025 school year. This is a 10-month position (September-June), teaching tech/STEM classes on Tuesdays and Fridays, from 8am-2:45pm, and conducting tech coordination on site 1 day a week from 8am-2:45pm (flexible with which day during the week).

Tech coordination includes managing student Google accounts and Chromebooks, scheduling and administering the MAP Growth online assessment 3x/year, basic troubleshooting of PowerSchool, and providing teachers and staff with basic computer troubleshooting. Saint Joseph School has a contract with a local tech company that manages the wifi and network.

Qualified candidate must be willing to teach engaging tech and STEM classes for students in grades PK3-8. Candidate must hold a NJ teaching certificate (preferred) or be on the path to certification. We would also consider candidates who hold a 4 year degree in technology and/or related field. Upon hiring, candidate **MUST** complete fingerprinting, background check, and Protecting God's Children training (Saint Joseph School will help candidate to obtain this). If interested please submit cover letter and resume to Kassie M. Pierinelli, Principal at pierinellik@sjsusa.org.



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REQUEST FOR PHOTOS!

On our Parish website, under the Parish Staff link, <https://sjcnj.org/parish-staff/> there are two memorials for our beloved Pastors - Msgr. David Hubba, and Pastor Emeritus, Fr. George Reilly. If you have any photos of them, or with them at different events, ceremonies or sacraments that would make a nice addition to their page, and that you are willing to share, please send them to Melinda Rabbia at webmaster@sjcnj.org, or melindarabbia@gmail.com.

ALTAR FLOWER OFFERINGS

We are accepting donations for the flowers that decorate the altar area. Please contact the Parish Office for further information.

The Bergen Catholic LEAD ON Program is a three-week summer enrichment program for 7th and 8th grade students. It offers diverse subjects like Sports Analytics, Broadcast Media & Journalism, Leadership, Engineering Principles, Legal Business Environment, and Scientific Investigations. The program emphasizes social growth, maturity, and friendship-building in small classes, alongside team-building activities and community service opportunities. Registration can be found on the Bergen Catholic website. For questions, please the admissions office at admissions@bergencatholic.org

The Bergen Catholic Junior Crusaders Leadership Academy Program is a 4 day program dedicated to rising 5th & 6th graders to educate them on effective leadership skills. Registration can be found on the Bergen Catholic website. For questions, please the admissions office at admissions@bergencatholic.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.

To Support Our Mission



Electronic Giving

Electronic/Online Giving is a convenient method of making your Sunday offertory to the church. For more information or to sign up, you can visit sjcnj.org and click on the **Donate** tab.

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. You can also contact the parish office for more details.

To View Our Community



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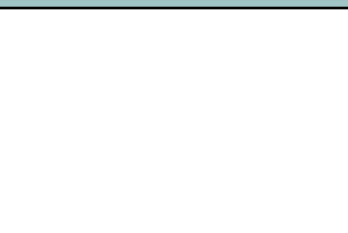
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