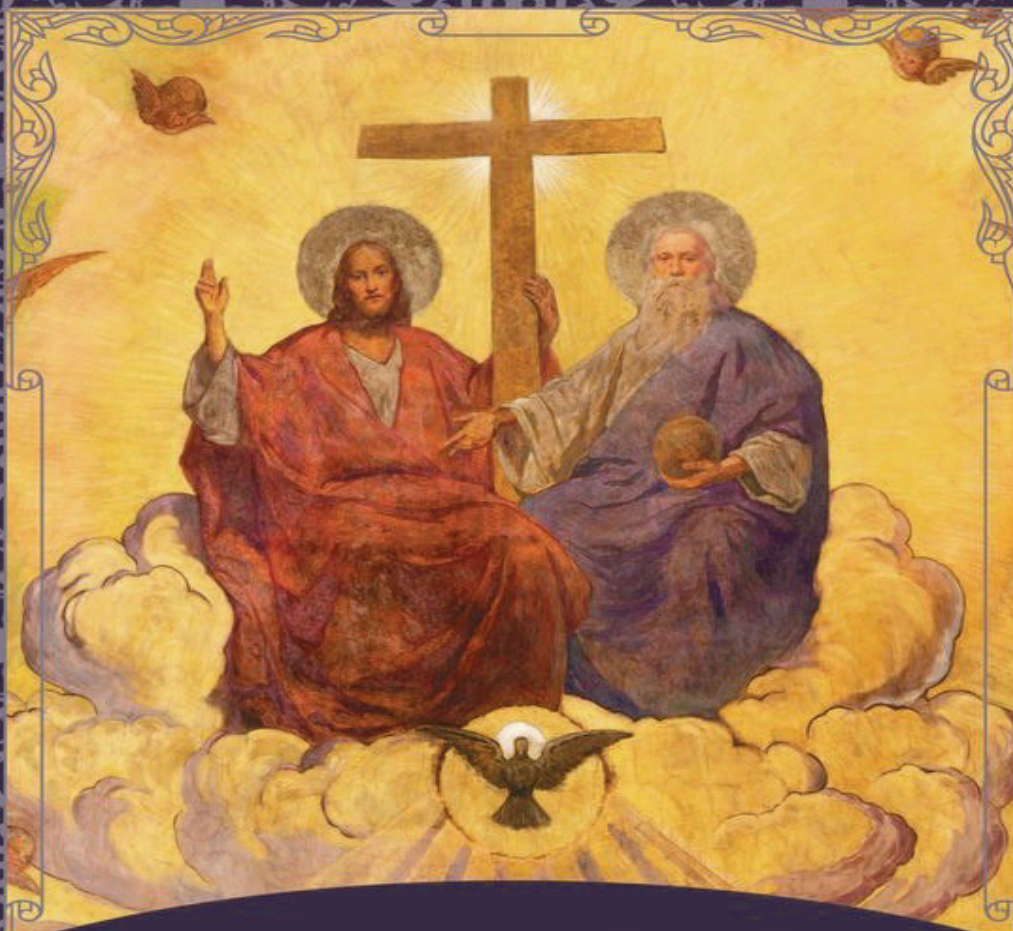


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Rev. Christian G. Scalo

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Rev. John Z. Radwan

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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

**Order of Christian Initiation
of Adults / OCIA**

Parish Registration

Please Contact Parish Office

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



Saturday June 14, 2025
5:00 pm Edward and Marguerite Jackson

Sunday June 15, 2025
7:30 am Maura Esler
9:00 am People of the Parish
10:30 am Concetta Cariello
12:00 pm Dolores E. Emery

Monday June 16, 2025
8:30 am Michael Glynn
Anniversary Remembrance

Tuesday June 17, 2025
8:30 am Daniel Blair

Wednesday June 18, 2025
8:30 am Linda Johnson ~ Living

Thursday June 19, 2025
8:30 am Onofrio Petrella

Friday June 20, 2025
8:30 am Pablo Tumang

Saturday June 21, 2025
8:30 am Mary Ellen Schuber
5:00 pm Concetta Cariello

Sunday June 22, 2025
7:30 am People of the Parish
9:00 am Concetta Cariello
10:30 am Evelyn Lawler
12:00 pm Felice and Angelo Bartolomeo

GOSPEL:
Everything that the Father has is mine; for this reason I told you that he will take from what is mine, and declare it to you. (John 16:15)

"O Lord, our God, how wonderful your name in all the earth!.."
Psalm 8



BREAD & WINE INTENTION

The Bread and Wine
for the week of
June 15, 2025
Are Offered
For The Glory and Honor of God

PRAYER REQUESTS

Let us remember all those who are ill:

Ciril Kearney, Manuel Relucio, Annette Linder, Guillermo Valencia, Cian Dankin, Angela Schimpf, Agnes White, Rosemary Yessi, Louise Scarano, Pat Crane, Barbara Gillen, Josephine Fernandez, Patrick Valentino, Jim Cunningham, Ed Grube, Bill Schmalz, Patrick Kelley

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.

Lourdes Meneses, Franz Ebertz

Let us remember those serving in our military:

Capt. Harry Aquino USAF, 2LT Michael Kirwan USAF Chaplain (Capt.) Father AJ De Silva USAR, CWO2 Brian P. McCarthy USMC, Capt. Christopher Bascomb, USAR, LCpl Joseph Rabanal (USMCR)



CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION JUNE 22

Every year, the Church celebrates Corpus Christi to honor our Lord Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. St. Joseph Parish will have a procession on the parish grounds on Sunday, June 22 following the 12 noon mass. Everyone is invited to participate in the procession which will include prayers, hymns, and devotion to honor our Lord.

After serving us for many decades, our main air conditioning unit in the upper church has now broken beyond repair. As a result, we are in the process of replacing the unit so our church can remain comfortable during the hot summer months. If anyone is interested in helping us to offset the expenses associated with this project, please reach out to our business manager Phyllis Vrola at vrolap@sjcnj.org or call our parish office at 201-261-0148.



SANCTUARY LAMP INTENTION

The Sanctuary Lamp

For the week of

June 15, 2025

Burns in the Upper Church

In Loving Memory Of

Alexander Mauro

Requested by Terry Spiniello



June 8, 2025

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

The peace of Christ our Redeemer be with you.

I write to you today as a witness to your deep faith, your love for the Church, and the vibrant diversity that makes our Archdiocese a sign of hope.

Yet, the realities we face as a Catholic Church in the Archdiocese of Newark are both urgent and undeniable: parish membership, Mass attendance, and sacramental participation have declined. The number of priests to serve as pastors is decreasing. And still, the population of our region continues to grow, offering new and fertile ground for evangelization.

I believe the Holy Spirit is inviting us to something new.

Today, I am announcing an archdiocesan initiative called ***We Are His Witnesses***. This is not simply another program. It is a journey of renewal—one that asks each of us to discern, with courage, humility and faith where God is leading us.

Together, we will reflect on three essential questions:

1. **Where are we now?**
2. **Where is God calling us?**
3. **How will we get there together?**

This effort will focus on how we evangelize, care for one another in our parishes, and ensure our parishes are strong and sustainable for the future. This process calls for an honest evaluation of current practices and structures. Some ministries will be renewed; some parish alignments may change. Over time, mergers or closures will be necessary. These conversations and decisions will not always be easy, but as members of one body—the Church – we will support one another throughout this journey.

To guide this effort, I have asked Bishop Michael Saporito and an Archdiocesan Planning Commission to collaborate with pastors and parish leaders across our four counties. But the success of this initiative depends on each one of us. I want to hear from you.

We have already begun by listening through a survey called the Disciples Maker Index —and we will continue listening in the months ahead. I invite you to be part of this journey. Learn more at **WeAreHisWitnesses.org**, where you'll find a brief video message from me and updates on our progress.

My friends, we are not alone. We are His witnesses—called to proclaim the joy of the Gospel in a world that needs it more than ever. I ask you to join me in this sacred work. Let us walk forward in faith, guided by the Spirit, and united in hope.

May God bless you and your loved ones.

Sincerely yours in Christ the Redeemer,

Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin, C.Ss.R.
Archbishop of Newark



SPIRITUAL ADOPTION JOURNEY

by the St. Joseph Respect Life Committee

JUNE – 5 MONTHS: “It’s a Boy!” or “It’s a Girl!”

I have been a boy or a girl since conception, but now Mommy can find out from the doctor. And guess what? I can HEAR. Play me some good music! I’m more active now and turning a lot. I’m 10 inches long and weigh ½ pound – 1 pound. I sleep and wake regularly now. I’d have a chance of surviving if I was born now but I’d really like to stay safe with my mommy.

Please continue to pray this prayer daily for the child you have spiritually adopted:

“Lord Jesus, Holy Mary, and St. Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of the unborn baby that I have spiritually adopted who is in danger of abortion.

Lord Jesus, may your peace and your mercy embrace the hearts, minds and souls of the family, friends, and anyone who contemplates or encourages this abortion. Lead them all to conversion and to Your Sacred and Eucharistic Heart.”

Offer one Our Father and one Hail Mary. Please pray! This baby is counting on you. Please contact David / MaryFrances Bednarcik at respectlife@sjcnj.org if you have any questions about our spiritual adoption program, which will continue through October (Respect Life Month).

Through this program we hope to build a culture of life. Please pray! This baby is counting on you. Feel free to check for updates on the Saint Joseph website,

<https://sjcnj.org/spiritual-adoption-journey-2025/>.

“See now that myself am He! There is no god besides me. I put to death and I bring to life, I have wounded and I will heal, and no one can deliver out of my hand.” – Deuteronomy 32:39



Saint Joseph Church
Oradell - New Milford
Our Lady of Guadalupe,
Intercessor of the Unborn

To help stop the anti-life push in the world, the Church encourages the spiritual adoption of an unborn child. For 9 months, pray daily that one particular but unknown child's life be spared from abortion and be allowed to continue to live.

The name I wish to give my baby is:

Spiritual Adoption
Date: _____

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“Before I formed you in the womb, I knew you.”

-Jeremiah 1:5

**CELEBRATING FR. JOHN Z. RADWAN’S
20 YEARS OF PRIESTHOOD**



On Saturday, June 28, 2025 Fr. John Radwan will be celebrating a special event of 20 years of priestly ministry! As a parish we would like to share this special day with him, beginning with a Concelebrated Mass at 5:00 PM followed by a Reception in our lower school gym.



In order to ensure seating for all who would like to join him for the Reception, please fill out this form and drop it in the collection basket or return to the Parish Office no later than Monday, June 23.



**FR. JOHN Z. RADWAN’S 20TH PRIESTHOOD CELEBRATION
RECEPTION - SATURDAY, JUNE 28, 2025 at 6:00 PM**

Please print the names of each person attending.

Names: _____

Phone: _____

of persons attending: _____

Growing in Faith and Knowledge: Excerpts from the Compendium of the Catechism of the Catholic Church

In this new section of the bulletin, we will highlight different teachings found in the Compendium, with the hope that it helps all of us to grow in basic knowledge of our faith, thereby leading us closer to Jesus!

Why was the death of Jesus part of God's plan?

To reconcile to himself all who were destined to die because of sin God took the loving initiative of sending his Son that he might give himself up for sinners. Proclaimed in the Old Testament, especially as the sacrifice of the Suffering Servant, the death of Jesus came about "in accordance with the Scriptures".

In what way did Christ offer himself to the Father?

The entire life of Christ was a free offering to the Father to carry out his plan of salvation. He gave "his life as a ransom for many" (*Mark 10:45*) and in this way he reconciled all of humanity with God. His suffering and death showed how his humanity was the free and perfect instrument of that divine love which desires the salvation of all people.

How is Jesus' offering expressed at the Last Supper?

At the Last Supper with his apostles on the eve of his passion Jesus anticipated, that is, both symbolized his free self-offering and made it really present: "This is my Body which *is given* for you" (*Luke 22:19*), "This is my Blood which *is poured out*..." (*Matthew 26:28*) Thus he both instituted the Eucharist as the "memorial" (*1 Corinthians 11:25*) of his sacrifice and instituted his apostles as priests of the new covenant.

Excerpts are taken from the Compendium of the Catechism of the Catholic Church as found on: https://www.vatican.va/archive/compendium_ccc/documents/archive_2005_compendium-ccc_en.html



Members of the OCIA Team and the Legion of Mary prayed the rosary in the grotto with some of the newly confirmed who recently completed the OCIA program.

ANNUAL ²⁰²⁵ APPEAL

THANK YOU, WE DID IT!

SAINT JOSEPH PARISH HAS EXCEEDED ITS GOAL

Thank you to all those parishioners who have helped Saint Joseph Parish reach and exceed our 2025 Annual Appeal goal of \$88,939.

\$87,408 Pledges Paid to Date

\$ 1,531 Unpaid Pledges

Please be sure to fulfill your pledge as soon as possible. All pledges must be paid by June 30 in order for our parish to qualify for a 2% reduction in our parish assessment, which is a savings of approximately \$18,000 and the parish will get back 50% of all monies received beyond our goal.



ALTAR FLOWER OFFERINGS

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



Members of the Respect Life committee gathered with representatives of Several Sources Shelters after they spoke about how the organization helps save both babies and their moms at Mass on Pentecost Sunday. (L-R: Cyndi Young, Katrina from Several Sources, Fr. John, Fr. Christian, Melinda Rabbia, Dan Young, Teresa Glenn, Elaine Santiago from Several Sources). If you were away and would like to learn more about SSS, please visit <https://www.severalsources.org/> PHONE: 201.818.9033 EMAIL: mail@severalsources.org. 24/7 LifeLine Helpline 1.800.662.2678

New Hope Pregnancy Resource Center is seeking a nurturing, dependable woman with a heart for supporting young mothers in need at our faith-based maternity home. This person would serve as a House Mother to live on-site and provide daily guidance and structure for pregnant women and new mothers navigating to a future of independence. If interested, please contact us at info@newhopeprc.org or 201-722-4705.

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 - June 17, July 22, August 19, Sept. 23, Oct. 21, Nov. 18.**

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.



Saint Joseph School seeks a part-time (potential FT) Spanish teacher for the 2025-2026 year. Join a dynamic team to teach Spanish to K - 8 students. With proper credentials, also opportunity to teach Religion classes. Part-time-no benefits salary range \$25k-\$30k. Full-time position, with health benefits, salary range: \$30k - \$35k (negotiable). Send resume and supporting documents to: valentip@sjsusa.org

SJS also seeks a dynamic ELA teacher to join the Middle School team, to teach reading/comprehension, vocabulary and writing/grammar to grades 6, 7& 8. There is also the opportunity to serve as Grade 8 Advisor and Honor Society Advisor. Send resume and supporting documentation to: valentip@sjsusa.org

MEN'S AND WOMEN'S CORNERSTONE CORNER

Anyone who has made Cornerstone at St. Joseph's Church or elsewhere is welcome! Meet in the **Retreat House**

WOMEN:

Monthly meetings - 2nd Wednesday of month -7:30pm

MEN:

Monthly meetings - 3rd Wednesday of month -7:30 pm



Bulletin announcements should be sent to bulletin@sjcnj.org. All bulletin submissions for **Sunday, June 29** are due by **Friday, June 20.**

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Our Mission



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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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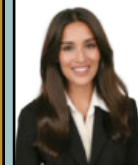
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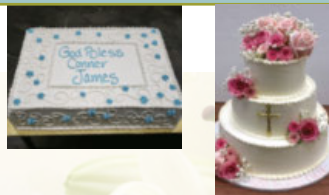
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