

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ February 7, 2016

# Church of Saint Joseph

6 New Street, Mendham, New Jersey 07945 ~ [www.stjoesmendham.org](http://www.stjoesmendham.org)

## The Celebration of The Eucharist

### Mass Intentions ~

Monday, February 8<sup>th</sup>  
9:00 a.m. For the People

Tuesday, February 9<sup>th</sup>  
9:00 a.m. Warren Swan

Wednesday, February 10<sup>th</sup>  
6:30 a.m. Julita Mamhot Valeros  
9:00 a.m. Maria Rodriguez  
4:00 p.m. CCD Liturgy of the Word  
7:30 p.m. Ann Flynn

Thursday, February 11<sup>th</sup>  
9:00 a.m. Joseph & Mary Anginoli

Friday, February 12<sup>th</sup>  
6:30 a.m. Zachary Lopian  
9:00 a.m. Joseph & Catherine  
Carter

Saturday, February 13<sup>th</sup>  
8:00 a.m. Mary Jane Milli  
5:00 p.m. Michael Fedor

Sunday, February 14<sup>th</sup>  
7:30 a.m. Joan M. Doonan  
9:00 a.m. Peter Cavalero  
10:30 a.m. Barbara E. Scurko  
12 Noon Rufino Benitez

Reconciliation:  
Saturdays 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

Baptisms:  
First & Third Sundays of the Month



**FOCUS: Christianity demands that we make a leap of faith, placing our lives in the hands of Jesus.** In order to be a true follower of Jesus, we must let go of the security of an earthly life and place our lives into the hands of the Lord. This daunting challenge can be met by remaining firm in our faith and belief that Jesus has saved us and opened the way to eternal life in heaven. We can rely upon the Lord to be our strength.

### Readings for Next Weekend

First Reading:  
Deuteronomy 26:4-10

Second Reading:  
Romans 10:8-13

Third Reading:  
Luke 4:1-13

TRY TO  
**DISCERN**  
THE WILL OF GOD



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### **Parish House: 973~543~5950**

Monday ~ Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon  
1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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#### **Welcoming/Weddings:**

Fran Plodkowski 973~543~2145

#### **Pre~Cana:**

Steve and JoAnn Peck [jpeck62@gmail.com](mailto:jpeck62@gmail.com)  
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#### **Family Liturgy:**

Maria Gray 908~955~6383

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#### **Parish School Served By:**

Lisa Gillespie	School Principal
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Lisa Mauriello	Finance Manager
Karen Johnson	Operations Manager
Lynne Connor	HSA President
Brian O'Dowd	Education Council

### **Parish Mission Statement**

*To Enable Parishioners to Live Their  
Christian Vocation in the World.*



If you are going into the hospital and would like a priest to visit you there, please call the Parish House at 973~ 543~5950 to inform the priest.



We welcome  
The LaRocca and DeSanti families  
who recently joined our parish.

**Welcome and God Bless!**



### **Sunday Offering**

January 31, 2016: \$ 11,892

Thank you for your generous spirit!

Fr. Joe



Ash  
Wednesday

6:30 a.m. Mass in the Chapel  
9:00 a.m. School Mass in the Church  
4:00 p.m. CCD Liturgy of the Word  
7:30 p.m. Mass in the Church

**Save The Date ~ Our Parish Lenten Mission**  
will be held on the evenings of February 15, 16  
and 17, from 7:30 ~ 8:30 p.m. in the church. Fr.  
Derek Anderson, SOLT, S.T.L. will present a  
series on Pope Francis and the Way of Mercy:  
The Nuts, Bolts and Struggles. A reception will  
follow on February 17. Please plan to join us.

**"Welcome Home"** is a diocesan initiative to  
invite all Catholics to experience the grace of the  
Sacrament of Reconciliation. Confession is a  
wonderful opportunity to set aside our sinful  
ways and to draw closer to our Lord.  
Confessions will be held every Monday during  
Lent, from February 15 to March 14, 2016, from  
7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. in every Catholic Church

in the Diocese of Paterson. Don't be afraid! Information will be provided. Ask the priest to help you. Experience the gracious mercy of God! [www.WelcomeHomeToHealing.org](http://www.WelcomeHomeToHealing.org)



### Reconciliation ~

#### Saturdays

4:00 ~ 4:30 p.m.  
(Chapel)

#### Mondays during Lent ~

February 8, 22  
March 7, 14,  
7:00 p.m. ~ 8:30 p.m.  
(Chapel)

### Lenten Communal Penance Service ~

March 22 (Tuesday)  
7:30 ~ 9:00 p.m. (Church)



### HUNGERING FOR THE JOURNEY ~

Join our parish community and nearly 14,000

Catholic communities across the United States, in a life-changing Lenten journey with CRS Rice Bowl. Pick up your family's rice bowl located at the exits on of the church, and don't forget to download the CRS Rice Bowl app! Remember, what you give up for Lent changes lives.



## Knights of Columbus

The St. Joseph's Knights of Columbus invites all adult (21+) parishioners to participate in our annual **St. Patrick's Day Party** on March 5, at 7:00 p.m.. The Party will be held at "Grasshopper off of the Green" in Morristown. Tickets are \$35 apiece and only 80 will be sold. Deadline for sales is February 26. For tickets contact Diane Quaglia at the Parish House or send a check, payable to the "Knights of Columbus" to 9 Tempe Wick Road, Mendham, NJ, 07945.



## Spiritual Enrichment

**Save the date!** ~ Our **Senior Spring Reflection** will be on Friday, March 18. If you are not on the mailing list, please call Peggy at 908-234-2472 or Kathy at 973- 543-1788 (leave a message) to be added.

**Interchurch Committee of the Mendhams** invites all to join together for **midweek Lenten services** at 12:00 noon each Wednesday in Lent. All services are held at Grace Lutheran Church, 65 East Main St., Mendham. A simple soup and bread lunch follows each service. Each week a different church/convent in the community leads the service and provides the soup for the luncheon. **Fr. Joe will be leading the service on Wednesday, March 9.** *All are welcome at all services!*

February 10 ~ Grace Lutheran Church,  
Pastor Carol Petersen

February 17 ~ St. Mark Episcopal,  
Father Shawn Carty

February 24 ~ Hilltop Presbyterian Church,  
Rev. Bob Heppenstall

March 2 ~ Brookside Community Church,  
Rev. Joel Biggers

March 9 ~ Saint Joseph Roman Catholic  
Church, Msgr. Joseph Anginoli

March 16 ~ Mendham United Methodist,  
Rev. Sam Choi

March 23 ~ Community of St. John Baptist,  
Sister Barbara Jean Packer

For further information, or to volunteer to make soup and/or help with the March 9 luncheon, please contact Jane McCarthy at 973-543-4502.

**Bible Study** with Father David meets on Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. in the East Room. If you have questions, please call Fr. David.

**The Men's Discussion Group** meets on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturdays of each month, from 8:30 a.m. to 10 a.m. in the East Room. This forum provides presentations and open discussions on a variety of topics to promote a deeper

understanding of our Catholic faith. Please call Bob Manthey at 973-543-2129 for details.

**Next meeting date: February 20**

## Worship



**The Rosary** is prayed weekdays at 8:30 a.m. in the chapel.

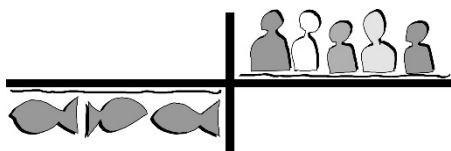
**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** takes place every Friday, after the 9:00 a.m. Mass (9:30 – 10:30 a.m.) and every first Saturday, after the 8:00 a.m. Mass (8:30 ~ 9:30 a.m.). Saturday's Holy Hour is devoted to Mary, Mother of all the living. We offer our prayers for all those who are suffering and hurting, especially those affected by abuse and abortion. Please consider devoting some time in quiet prayer with our Lord – it's good for the soul! For more information, please contact Fr. David at the Parish House.

Every Monday following 9:00 a.m. Mass, the **Divine Mercy Chaplet and Novena** is prayed for all those who are suffering from cancer and other serious illnesses. Please join us in the chapel. For information, call Father David at the Parish House.



## Ministry to Life

**Prayer vigils** for abortion victims, their parents and doctors are held every Wednesday at Planned Parenthood, 196 Speedwell Ave., Morristown, from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. Also on Fridays, from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. at Garden State Gynecology, 25 Lyndsley Drive in Morris Township (behind the Westin/Governor Morris hotel). This is a new clinic with ample parking. For more information, please call Colleen Dolan at 973-543-7037.



## The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick



**Not a Sacrament for the dying only!** Please call the Parish House to inform one of our priests that a family member needs the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick before the person becomes gravely ill. This sacrament may be repeated. It is also appropriate to receive this sacrament prior to surgery. "If circumstances suggest it, the celebration of the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick can be preceded by the Sacrament of Penance." (1140, *The Catechism of the Catholic Church*)



## St. Joseph School News

[sjsmendham.org](http://sjsmendham.org)

Tomorrow the **7<sup>th</sup> grade** will be traveling to the Buehler Challenger Center and **Kindergarten** to the Mayo Performing Arts Center.

On Tuesday, **parents of our 2<sup>nd</sup> grade** students are invited to have lunch with their children at 12:00 noon and then meet briefly with Mrs. Gillespie at 12:20pm in the East Room.

Please join us at the 9:00 a.m. liturgy on Wednesday, February 10, as the **4<sup>th</sup> Grade** leads us in our **Ash Wednesday liturgy**.

Also on Wednesday, after school, students from Grades 6, 7 and 8 will visit **Holly Manor** where they will make crafts with patients.

St. Joseph School will be closed for **winter recess** on Friday, February 12<sup>th</sup> and Monday, February 15<sup>th</sup> in observance of President's Day.

**Formal registration** for the 2016 ~ 2017 school year has begun for new students. Please contact Cathleen Witczak in the school office to arrange a tour.

Please visit us at [sjsmendham.org](http://sjsmendham.org) for all of the latest news and events happening at St. Joseph School.

**St. Joseph School has some openings** for students in the lower grades. We were

designated a National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence in 2012, are AdvancED Accredited and a STEM school. For more information, please call 973-543-7474, ext. 7.

***St. Joseph School Where Faith, Family and Education Come Together.***



## Religious Education

[www.stjoesmendham.org](http://www.stjoesmendham.org)

### **POLICY REGARDING WEATHER RELATED CLASS CANCELLATIONS**

ALL CANCELLATIONS WILL BE POSTED ON THE PARISH WEBSITE:

[www.stjoesmendham.org](http://www.stjoesmendham.org)

In the event of inclement weather on CCD Sundays, class cancellations will be announced by 7:30 a.m. on the religious education phone line: 973-543-5950 ext. 19. Cancellation recordings may also be heard on Annette Tracy's extension, 13.

Whenever inclement weather forces closings for Mendham Township / Borough schools, the Parish Religious Education Monday afternoon CCD Love Group and evening TLC classes will also be cancelled.

In the case of weather or other emergencies that occur later in the day when CCD and TLC are scheduled (Mondays), class cancellations will be announced by 3:00 p.m. on the religious education phone lines: 973-543-5950, ext. 19. and ext 13.

**To report an absence, please call the Attendance Hot Line PRIOR to class:  
(973) 543-5950, ext. 19.**

**Parents ~ please be sure that you work with your child to complete the missed chapters at home.**

**Dismissal** ~ Please use the cafeteria door at the back of the school for pick-up. *Please enter the campus from New Street only.* **Remember to display your family name on your car's windshield.**

## **FEBRUARY SCHEDULE FOR GRADES K~8**

Sunday, February 7  
**Faith Group** at 8:45 a.m.

Sunday, February 21  
**Hope Group** at 8:45 a.m.

Monday, February 22  
**Love Group** at 4:00 p.m.  
**TLC Group** at 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, February 28  
**Faith Group** at 8:45 a.m.

### **CCD ENRICHMENT ACTIVITIES**

**Grade 5 Family Day** ~ We invite 5<sup>th</sup> graders and their families to attend "Shared Family Time." Please join your child in the cafeteria AFTER class for a "*Jesus Parable Craft Activity*" and some refreshments (donuts!). Dates are listed below. We will be done by 11:00 a.m. Please RSVP as soon as possible to Mrs. Tracy at [atracy@stjoesmendham.org](mailto:atracy@stjoesmendham.org).

**Faith & Love Groups Grade 5**  
Sunday, February 7, at 10:15 a.m.  
(after CCD class).

**Hope & Love Groups Grade 5**  
Sunday, February 21, at 10:15 a.m.  
(after CCD class).



**Confirmation ~ Year I & Year II**  
(Grades 9 & 10)

**Sunday, February 21**

**12 Noon Teen Mass**

*Confirmation classes will be held later that day at 5:00 p.m.*



**TEEN NEWS**  
High School Youth Ministry

**Appalachia Mission** ~ Adults interested in joining our 2016 Appalachia trip as chaperones, please contact Monica Micera at 908-963-4546, [monicamicera@aol.com](mailto:monicamicera@aol.com), or Mark Tosso at 973-543-5950, [tosso@stjoesmendham.org](mailto:tosso@stjoesmendham.org).

**SAVE THE DATE ~ 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Pasta Dinner** to Benefit the Appalachia Mission Trip: March 9, from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m., with special guest speakers from Kentucky! Tickets will be sold beginning the weekend of February 27/28.

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## Diocese of Paterson

**Parishioners, please note:** On our Diocesan website, [www.patersondiocese.org](http://www.patersondiocese.org), there is the Advance Directive for End of Life Issues available for printing. This directive has been approved by the Bishops of New Jersey.

"All are from  
the dust,  
and to  
dust all  
return."  
*Ecclesiastes 3:20*



## † Human Concerns

**Please note:** Due to ongoing construction in the Christopher House, **St. Joseph Church will not be collecting clothing donations until further notice.** We will continue to collect nonperishable food items. If you have other items to donate to the Father English Center, please call Adi Conover at 973~543~0248.

**Please continue to help** stock the shelves at Bob and Carol's Food Pantry at the Father English Center in Paterson. The pantry is in serious need of the following items: rice, canned soups, canned beans, pasta, and pasta sauces. Place your donations in the bin at the west entrance. If you have any questions regarding this request, please call Emily Wood, 973-543-3445. Thank you!

If you are new and would like to join our parish family, please fill out the form below.

***** NEW PARISHIONER REGISTRATION FORM *****			
Family Name: _____		Date: _____	
Address: _____		City: _____	Zip: _____
Telephone (H) _____		(Cell): _____	
E-Mail: _____		Would you like to join our Parish E-mail List?: _____	
Husband: _____		Religion: _____	
Wife: _____		Religion: _____	
<b>List Only Those Living With You:</b>			
Children	Date of Birth	Religion	School & Grade
Children Eligible for CCD: _____ Others living with you? _____ How Related? _____			