# Church of Saint Joseph

The Celebration of The Eucharist

**Mass Intentions** ~

Monday, September 26<sup>th</sup> 9:00 a.m. Arnold F. Traudman

Tuesday, September 27<sup>th</sup> 9:00 a.m. Louis P. Moglia, Jr.

Wednesday, September 28<sup>th</sup> 9:00 a.m. Alexander Barth

Thursday, September 29<sup>th</sup> 9:00 a.m. For the People

Friday, September 30<sup>th</sup> 9:00 a.m. June Bossie

Saturday, October 1st 8:00 a.m. Blake Cain 5:00 p.m. Grace Seifert

Sunday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> 7:30 a.m. Guido Ferrara 9:30 a.m. Hilda Abascal 11:30 a.m. Helen & Daniel Galate

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

#### **Baptisms:**

First & Third Sundays of the Month





FOCUS: We must be mindful of the stumbling blocks that distract us from living as disciples of Jesus. Wealth is not inherently evil, but can cause us to become complacent and lose our focus on building up the kingdom of God on earth. Jesus is reminding us that our worldly possessions must not blind us to the fact that our blessings come from God, and we must use them to love one another, and to help ease the suffering of others.

#### **Readings for Next Weekend**

First Reading: Second Reading: Third Reading: Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4 2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14 Luke 17:5-10

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

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#### **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  $973 \sim 543 \sim 5950$  to inform the priest.





2016 Bishop's Annual Appeal ~ Be Rich in Good Works. Did you know that, in addition to returning your pledge card with a check, you can make a gift to the Bishop's Annual Appeal on-line? Simply go to www.2016appeal.org and follow instructions. You can either make a one-time gift or a pledge with monthly payments made automatically for your convenience. More and more parishioners are taking advantage of this option, so please consider using this method today if it is convenient for you. Whether it is a pledge, a one-time gift, or an on-line donation, your support is most welcome and greatly needed. Please consider participating in this worthy cause!

A New RCIA Year ~ We extend an open invitation to anyone who may be thinking of becoming a Catholic or would just like information about the Catholic teachings. Each year our parish sponsors a Rite of Christian Initiation program to prepare adult candidates for entrance into the Catholic community. This year, it will begin on Thursday, October 20. The RCIA program is open to all unbaptized inquirers, to members of other Christian denominations, and to baptized Catholics who have not received the sacraments of Eucharist and/or Confirmation. **RCIA** is also open to any Catholic who is returning to the practice of their faith. Please call Fr. Joe at the Parish House for more information – 973-543-5950.

**SILVER AND GOLD WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS** ~ Couples, were you married in 1966 or 1991? You are warmly invited to celebrate your 25<sup>th</sup> or 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary with the Church of Paterson. Bishop Serratelli will be the main celebrant at Mass at St. Peter the Apostle Church, Parsippany, on Sunday, November 6, 2016, at 4:00p.m. Arrangements can be made by contacting St. Joe's Parish House. Registrations will be accepted through Monday, October 24, 2016. Information will be sent from the Office of Family Life once your registration has been processed. Congratulations on this joyous occasion.

The 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Peter G. Cavalero Memorial Golf Outing will be held on Monday, October 3, 2016, at Fiddler's Elbow Country Club in Bedminster. All proceeds from the event benefit St. Joseph School. For more information, contact Lynne Connor at 678-689-4247.

The next St. Joseph Communion Breakfast will be on Saturday, October 8, beginning with Mass at 8:00 a.m. in the church, followed by a traditional breakfast buffet. Bishop Arthur Serratelli, S.T.D., S.S.L., D.D., will be our guest speaker and will talk about "Humor and Religion."

Hospitality Volunteers needed ~ Coffee and donuts are served in the gym on CCD Sundays, immediately following the 9:30 a.m. Mass. If you



can help set up, clean up and/or pick up the donuts in Chester on any of these CCD Sundays, please contact Eileen at egehsmann@msn.com.

For the safety of your children ~ We ask that parents accompany young children when they use the bathroom during Mass.



## 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, starting October 1, after the 8:00 AM 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. Stephen 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 the Parish House.



## **Spiritual Enrichment**

**SAVE THE DATE!** The next Senior Reflection Mass and Luncheon is scheduled for Friday, October 21. Mass will be celebrated by Father Stephen at 11:30 a.m. in the chapel, followed by the luncheon in the gym.

Bible Study with Father Stephen meets on Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. in the Christopher House. If you are not yet a part of Bible Study and are interested, please come!

The Men's Discussion Group will meet 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 or text Bob Manthey at 973-441-0447 for details.

Upcoming Dates: October 1 & 15.

## **Ministry to Life**

Thank you to all who supported the **NJ Right to Life raffle sale**. St. Joseph's raised over \$1600 towards the work of saving human lives at risk today--the unborn, disabled, ill and elderly. At present NJRTL is fighting in Trenton to prevent assisted suicide, and abortion after a baby can feel pain. The challenge never ends. For anyone who was away during the sale, chances can be obtained from Colleen at 973-543-7037.

#### On Behalf of the Babies, Thanks for Supporting Life!



**Prayer vigils** for abortion victims, their parents and doctors are held every Wednesday and Friday at Planned Parenthood, 196 Speedwell Ave., Morristown, from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. Also on Saturday from 8:00 to 9:00 a.m. at Garden State Gynecology, 25 Lyndsley Drive in Morris Township (behind the Westin/Governor Morris hotel). 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

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

This week, **Grade 6** will attend the 9:00 a.m. liturgy on Monday and Grade 5 attends on Friday.

On Tuesday, September 27, the parents of our 8<sup>th</sup> grade students are invited to join their

students for lunch at 11:40 a.m. after meeting with Mrs. Gillespie in the East Room at 11:20.

The first "Tag Day" of the new school year is Wednesday, September 28. Students, don't forget your \$1.00.

On Friday, September 29, students in **the 8**<sup>th</sup> **grade** will attend Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Chapel at 1:20 p.m.

Visit us at <a href="www.sjsmendham.org">www.sjsmendham.org</a> to see all that is happening.

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, at ext. 7, or visit us at <a href="https://www.stjosephschoolmendham.org">www.stjosephschoolmendham.org</a>.



## **Religious Education**

www.stjoesmendham.org

Annette Tracy, Director of Religious Education 973-543-5950 x13 atracy@stjoesmendham.org

#### September and October Class Schedule

#### **HOPE Group** $(K \sim 6)$

Sunday morning 9:45 – 11:15 a.m. October 16 & 30

#### FAITH Group (1-6)

Sunday morning 9:45 – 11:15 a.m. September 25 & October 23

#### LOVE Group (2-6)

Monday afternoon 4:00 ~ 5:15 p.m. September 26 & October 24

#### **TLC Group** (7~8)

Monday evening 7:00 ~ 8:30 p.m. September 26 & October 24

#### **CCD ENRICHMENT ACTIVITIES**

Grade 3 October "Family Day Sunday" ~ We invite 3<sup>rd</sup> graders and their families to attend "Shared Family Time." Please bring your child to the cafeteria at 9:15 a.m. (a half hour BEFORE class) with their workbook for a Family Time Sheet Activity and refreshments (donuts!). Dates for 3<sup>rd</sup>

graders are listed below. We will be done by 9:45 a.m. Please RSVP to Mrs. Tracy at atracy@stjoesmendham.org.

Hope Group Grade 3 & Family Sunday, October 16 9:15 a.m. ~ (before CCD class)

Faith Group Grade 3 & Family Sunday, October 23 9:15 a.m. ~ (before CCD class)

Love Group Grade 3 & Family Select October 16 OR 23 9:15 a.m.

Family Liturgy will be held during the 9:30 a.m.

Mass on the first and third Sundays of the month. Once again, we will begin our "Family"

Liturgy" program for the 2016-17 season (from October – March).

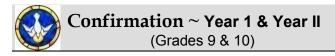
On Sunday, October 2, and Sunday, October 16, there will be a pull-out program open to children from preschool through 6<sup>th</sup> grade. We will invite the children to process into the chapel after the opening prayer for a special age - appropriate liturgy and reflection. The children will rejoin the congregation after the homily. Hope you can join us!

Our Pull-Out Coordinator is Mrs. Maria Gray. We thank Mrs. Gray for helping us continue with this special ministry.

**Note:** We are looking for teen volunteers (grades 7-12) to help with the pull-out program. Please contact Mrs. Gray at 908-955-6383 or <a href="mailto:mgray0415@gmail.com">mgray0415@gmail.com</a>. If you are in high school, you will earn Confirmation service hour credits!

Here is the schedule for 2016:

- October 2 & October 16
- November 6 & November 20
- December 4 & December 18



Sunday, September 25, at 5:00 p.m.



## Teen News High School Youth Ministry

If you'd like to be added to our email list, please contact Mark Tosso at tosso@stjoesmendham.org.

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## **Knights of Columbus**

IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

The Knights are proud to serve our Church and Community. In August, the Knights donated \$1,000 for tables for the Christopher House. In July, the Knights disbursed \$1,800 to Disabled Citizens, following a drive at King's Supermarket. The monies were distributed to Camp Fatima, The Department for Persons with Disabilities and Stepping Stones School. Every Friday and Saturday, the Knights do a "Bread Run" from King's Supermarket to the Market Street Mission. The Knights also marshal the Labor Day Parade in Mendham every year.

**Installation Ceremony** ~ The Installation Ceremony for new officers will take place on Thursday, September 29, in the chapel at 7:30 p.m. All Knights and their families are welcome to attend.

**Save the Date!** The Second Annual Wine Tasting Event will take place on Saturday, November 5, beginning at 6:30 p.m. in the gym. Please check future Bulletins for more details.

**Become a Knight** ~ If you would like to be a member of the Saint Joseph Knights of Columbus, please contact Tom Quaglia at 908-347-9660 or tquaglia@ptc.com.

Please visit us on our website: http://www.stjoesmendhamknights.org/



### **Diocese of Paterson**

If you'd like greater depth, growth, and enrichment in your relationship, you'll like the difference a **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend** can make! For more information, contact Janet and Mike Turco at 973- 427-7016 or 609-335-6880,

<u>njwwme@peoplepc.com</u>, or go to www.nnjwwme.org.

Paterson Diocese Men's Conference ~ The Diocese of Paterson Men's Conference will be held on Saturday, October 15, at St. Paul Inside the Walls in Madison. Visit <a href="https://www.insidethewalls.org">www.insidethewalls.org</a> for more information.

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

## **+** Human Concerns

The Human Concerns Ministry, was able to donate to several organizations these past months. We thank you for your generous financial support to make this possible. In March, \$190 was donated to Hope House for the Dover Child Care Food Backpack program. Just before Easter, Human Concerns presented \$100 in gift cards to the seminarians of the Paterson Diocese, and \$100 to the Passaic Neighborhood Center for Women. In May, Birth Right was blessed with bundles of donations from our parishioners during the Respect Life Baby Shower. In July, gift cards and bags of wish list items were collected for Family Promise of Morris County. Human Concerns thanks our parishioners for your continuing support. We look forward to upcoming events including: frozen food tray collection; blanket collection; pet food donations at the pet blessing; Homeless Solutions collection; Thanksgiving food drive and the Christmas Giving Tree gifts.

Please note: St. Joseph Church NO LONGER collects clothing donations. 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.

#### **September is National Hunger Month!**

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!

#### **Pet Concerns**

ALL PETS INVITED!!! We invite all pets and their families to gather for St. Joseph's Pet Blessing on Sunday, October 2, at 2:00 p.m. in the parking lot behind the school. Refreshments will be served. Carter, Father Joe's Miniature Schnauzer, will have a special treat for all non-humans, and there will be bins available for pet food donations for the Randolph Animal Shelter. Hope to see you there!

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:			
List Only Those Living With You:				
Children	Date of Birth	Religion	School & Grade	
Children Eligible for CCD:	Others living w	ith you?	How Related?	
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