

Church of Saint Joseph

6 New Street, Mendham, New Jersey 07945 ~ www.stjoesmendham.org

The Celebration of The Eucharist

Mass Intentions ~

Monday, March 27th

6:30 a.m. Richard T. Harter
9:00 a.m. Stephen Gaffney

Tuesday, March 28th

9:00 a.m. Robert Reynolds

Wednesday, March 29th

6:30 a.m. For The People
9:00 a.m. Larry Paragano, Sr.

Thursday, March 30th

9:00 a.m. Stephen Gaffney

Friday, March 31st

6:30 a.m. Margaret Mohr Gilligan
9:00 a.m. Marie Claire Gerken

Saturday, April 1st

8:00 a.m. Andrzej Lobza
5:00 p.m. Larry Paragano, Sr.

Sunday, April 2nd

7:30 a.m. Ronald W. Wood
9:30 a.m. Peter Cavalero
11:30 a.m. Arthur Totten

Reconciliation:

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

Baptisms:

First & Third Sundays of the Month



FOCUS: The blind man's conversion of heart stands in stark contrast to the stubborn blindness of the Pharisees. Observing how a blind person negotiates his or her way through life is inspiring. Observing blindness of heart, however, is troubling. Those who are blinded to the truth often stumble through life because of obstacles they place in their own paths. When we seek the truth of the Gospel, we are like the blind man who came to believe in the Son of Man.

Readings for Next Weekend

First Reading:
Ezekiel 37:12-14

Second Reading:
Romans 8:8-11

Third Reading:
John 11:1-45



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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~ 543~5950 to inform the priest.

LENT...
IS A TIME FOR QUIET REFLECTION
AND CONTEMPLATION

We welcome
Grayson James Adler



and

Lillian Alice Castner

who joined our faith community
through the waters of Baptism.

Please keep Grayson, Lillian, their
parents, and godparents in your
prayers.

Welcome and God Bless!



Sunday Offering

March 19, 2017: \$ 8,418

Diocesan Assessment: \$ 628

Thank you for your generous spirit!

Fr. Joe

Full-time Facilities Manager needed ~ Applicant must have the ability to delve into project management, supervising the work of contractors and co-workers and doing research to adequately compare costs of goods and services. Must be able to juggle job responsibilities each day, and solve maintenance issues that may come up on a day-to-day basis. Responsible for the maintenance, cleanliness and repair of parish and school facilities must be able to perform basic carpentry and plumbing. Please send resume to JCronin@StJoiesmendham.org, or mail to St. Joseph Church, 6 New Street, Mendham, NJ 07945. Attention: Jackie

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. A different church/convent in the community leads the service each week and provides the soup for the luncheon. **Fr. Joe will**

lead the service on Wednesday, March 29. All are welcome at all services!

March 29 ~ Saint Joseph R.C. Church

Rev. Msgr. Joseph Anginoli J.C.L.

April 5 ~ Saint Mark Episcopal, Fr. Shawn Carty

April 12 ~ Community of St. John Baptist

For more information, or to volunteer to make soup and/or help with the March 29 luncheon, please contact Jane McCarthy at 973-543-4502.



WELCOME HOME TO HEALING

RECONCILIATION THROUGHOUT LENT

“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, through April 3rd, 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

The
Season
of
Lent



Reconciliation

Saturdays ~

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

Mondays during Lent ~

7:00 ~ 8:30 p.m. (Chapel)

March 27, & April 3

Lenten Communal

Penance Service ~

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

Tuesday, April 11

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Wednesday after the 9:00 a.m. Mass in the chapel.

ENCOUNTER COMMUNITY ~ We encounter Maria in Mexico, where a community of hardworking women share joys, sorrows and fellowship while growing economic opportunity at a greenhouse. How have your communities helped you encounter Christ anew this Lent? Visit crsricebowl.org for more information.

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

Good Deed Friday ~ We'd like to hear about your good deeds and we will post them on the Saint Joseph Facebook page every Friday. You are free to be anonymous, as a good deed is its own reward! Email your good deed to dquaglia@stjoesmendham.org.



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. Stephen at the Parish House.

Sunday, April 23, is Divine Mercy Sunday. The Chaplet of Divine Mercy will be prayed at 3:00 P.M. in our chapel with adoration and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. All are invited to attend.

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

St. Joseph Women's Cornerstone April 7-8: Relax, be still.... Relax, be still! Listen to your heart. God is calling you by name. This is your time to experience the warmth and wonder of Cornerstone. Come join us at the Quellen Center for 24 hours of faith, friendship and fabulous food. Brochures are available in the narthex. If you have any questions, please contact Marie Beggan at

201-317-9199, tripbeggan@gmail.com or
Barbarann Kwasnik at 973-432-4350,
bhkwasnik@gmail.com.

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 meets on the 1st
and 3rd 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.

Next meeting dates: April 1 & 15



Ministry to Life

On Behalf of the Babies,
thanks for Supporting Life!

Please join us for **40 Days for Life** as we
peacefully pray outside of Planned Parenthood in
Morristown, 196 Speedwell Avenue. We pray for
all those who have created a child, for each life is
a joyous gift from God. Please come singularly or
in groups, to pray or meditate. If you wish to
register for particular hours, please visit 40 Days
for Life and register for the Morristown vigil, or call
973-933-2800, or email 44lifeus@gmail.com.

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 a.m. 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 The 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.

St. Joseph School's **Lenten Journey** continues
this week. Tomorrow, Monday March 27, the
students in **Grades 3-5** will receive the Sacrament
of Reconciliation. The **Kindergarten class** will
attend the 9:00 a.m. liturgy on Wednesday. The
week will conclude with the Stations of the Cross
on Friday, at 1:15 p.m. in the church. All
parishioners are invited.

Formal registration for the 2017 ~ 2018 school
year has begun for new students. Please contact
Peggy Banko at 973-543-7474, ext. 5, to arrange
a tour.

Please visit us at www.sjismendham.org
to see all that is happening.



Religious Education

www.stjoesmendham.org

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SCHEDULE FOR APRIL ~ Grades K-8:

FAITH Group (1 ~ 6)

9:45 a.m. ~ 11:15 a.m., Sunday, April 23

LOVE Group (2 ~ 6)

4:00 p.m. ~ 5:00 p.m., Monday, April 24

TLC Group (7~8)

7:00 p.m. ~ to 8:30 p.m., Monday, April 24

HOPE Group (K ~ 6)

9:45 a.m. ~ 11:15 a.m., Sunday, April 30



GRADE 2 SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM



FAMILY NIGHT ~ We invite 2nd graders to bring their favorite bread to church for a blessing! The whole family is invited to attend... parents, siblings, even grandparents! Banner making for First Holy Communion Day will immediately follow in the school gym.

ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL

Wednesday, March 29, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.

1st EUCHARIST SCHEDULE

Please pray for our 2nd graders as they prepare to receive the Sacrament of First Eucharist!

St. Joseph School ~ Saturday, May 6, 10:00 a.m.

Faith & Hope Group ~ Saturday, May 6, 12 noon

Love Group ~ Saturday, May 13, 10:00 a.m.



Confirmation ~ Year 1 & Year II (Grades 9 & 10)

CLASS SCHEDULE:

Sunday, April 23

11:30 a.m. Teen Mass

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

CONFIRMATION PROGRAM REGISTRATION 2017-2018:

IF...you are entering **9th grade** this fall at a
non-Catholic high school...

OR

IF...you are entering **10th grade** in a
Catholic high school...

You and a parent are asked to attend the Confirmation welcoming meeting on Wednesday, April 26, at 7:30 p.m. in the church. We will welcome you to the Confirmation preparation process, discuss details of the program and begin the registration process. Please contact Mark Tosso at tosso@stjoesmendham.org with any questions.



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.



Knights of Columbus

IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

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

Parishioners, please note: On our Diocesan website, 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.



Human Concerns

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.

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!

Community News

VNA of Somerset Hills Annual Rummage Sale ~
May 5 & 6 from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. & May 7, from

12:30 to 3:30 p.m., at the Fairgrounds on Rte. 202, Far Hills. New volunteers welcome. For more information visit: visitingnurse.org or call 908-781-6445.

Assumption College for Sisters ~ looking to jump-start your college career, fulfill your college core requirements, or gain personal enrichment during the summer? Consider taking an on-line course from June 4 – July 30. For more information, course descriptions, and application forms, contact academicdean@acs350.org or call 973-957-0188, ext. 106.

The **Mendham Borough Historical Society** will meet on Tuesday, March 28, at 7:30 p.m. in the Garabrant Center, 4 Wilson Street. Robert Mayers presents: ***Searching for Yankee Doodle ~ Washington's Soldiers in the American Revolution.*** Public invited; parking/program free.

Flea Market Vendors Wanted ~ The Long Valley Columbiettes will hold a FLEA MARKET on May 20 in the parking lot of St. Mark's Church, 59 Spring Lane, Long Valley from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The cost for a 16 X 27 foot space is \$25. For more information, please call Marge Sanders 908-852-3091.

Friendly Visitors Needed ~ Visiting Nurse Association of Northern New Jersey's Friendly Visitor program provides volunteers with a rewarding volunteer opportunity and homebound neighbors with a break from the social isolation that often

comes from living alone or being homebound. Volunteers are matched with homebound residents in Morris County who could benefit from a friendly visitor. For more information, please contact Rachel Enderle, Volunteer Coordinator, at 973-451-4128 or renderle@vnannj.org.

Come Ride With Us! Mendham Area Senior Transportation transports senior and disabled residents in Mendham Borough and Mendham Township to medical appointments and food shopping. We also transport to the Veterans Hospital in Lyons. Rides to other towns in Morris County will be considered as the schedule permits. Call **973-543-2666** to register and **Come Ride With Us!**

Free Blood Pressure Screening! The Visiting Nurse Association of Morristown holds blood pressure clinics in the Community Room at Mendham Area Senior Housing every first and third Thursday of the month from 9:30-10:30 a.m. These clinics are free and open to **all** residents of Mendham Borough and Mendham Township.

Mother and Adult Daughter Retreat ~ May 12 -14, Marianist Family Retreat Center, Cape May Point. Knowing that your relationship is special, and the need to nurture it throughout the years, this is a wonderful opportunity to walk upon common ground while celebrating your differences. \$135 per person. Sign up online at capemaymarianists.org, or call 609-884-3829, for more information.

✧ 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 with you? _____	How Related? _____

