

Church of Saint Joseph

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

The Celebration of The Eucharist

Mass Intentions ~

Monday, January 9th
9:00 a.m. Daniel, Nora & John
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Tuesday, January 10th
9:00 a.m. For The People

Wednesday, January 11th
9:00 a.m. Flora DeAngelo

Thursday, January 12th
9:00 a.m. Joan Holenstein

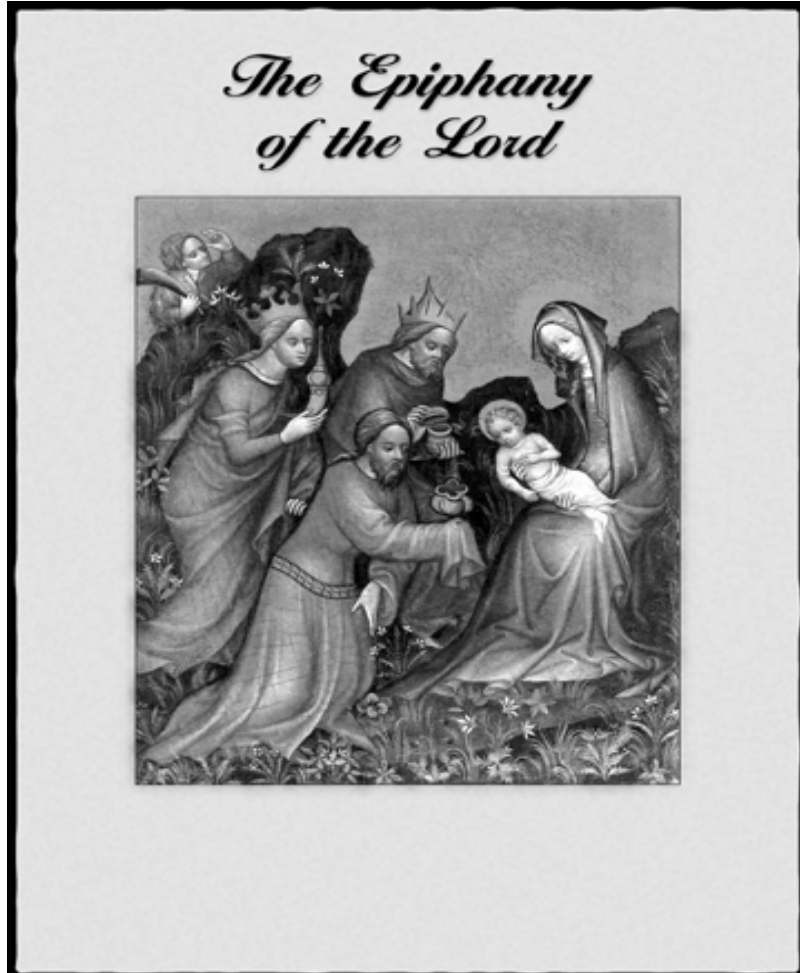
Friday, January 13th
9:00 a.m. Louis P. Moglia, Jr.

Saturday, January 14th
8:00 a.m. Vincent A. Marelli, Sr.
5:00 p.m. Zachary Lopian

Sunday, January 15th
7:30 a.m. Thomas Rago
9:30 a.m. Peter Cavalero
11:30 a.m. William McGaul

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

Baptisms:
First & Third Sundays of the Month



FOCUS: God lavishes upon us gifts beyond our merit. Today's readings demonstrate the gratuitous nature of God's love for humanity. Recognizing this benevolence, we along with the Magi, prostrate ourselves and pay homage by offering our supreme gifts – our faith, hope and love – in the service of our generous, loving God.

Readings for Next Weekend

First Reading:
Isaiah 49:3, 5-6

Second Reading:
1 Corinthians 1:1-3

Third Reading:
John 1:29-34

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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.



**Entering the house
they found the child
with Mary, his mother.**

Sunday Offering

December 25, 2016: \$ \$95,437

January 1, 2017: \$ 8,569

Outreach: \$ 340

Thank you for your generous spirit!

Fr. Joe

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.

If you would like to be added to our parish email list to receive our E-newsletters and other parish announcements, please contact Diane Quaglia at dquaglia@stjoesmendham.org.



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

❖ **The Bethany Ministry** assists both families and the priest for funeral Masses. The team members meet with the family to select readings and music for the funeral Mass, prepare the service program and assist the priest at the service itself. Team members may function as a reader, Eucharistic Minister, usher, or set up for the funeral Mass. We need to build our membership as it takes anywhere from two to five members to assist at a Mass, depending on its size. Eucharistic Ministerial experience is a plus, but not mandatory. All are welcome. **Think on it; pray on it.** Please call Debby Fullam (973-714-0660), Kevin Wood (973-543-3445) or Corrine Vollmuth (973-543-4468) to learn more about this rewarding ministry.

❖ **Hospitality** ~ 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. **Next Parish Coffee Sunday:** January 22.

ParishPay ~ To strengthen stewardship at St. Joseph Parish, we offer you an option to support our parish through **Automated Giving**. In lieu of weekly collections, the ParishPay program will collect monthly contributions from your checking, savings or credit card account. There is no cost to you to participate in the program. If you choose to participate, this will replace your weekly envelopes and you will no longer have to write a check every week or be concerned about catching up on missed offertory donations when you are away. Enrollment is easy. Go to the homepage of our website: <http://www.stjoesmendham.org> and click on ParishPay, or stop by the Parish House for an enrollment form. Your support in this effort is greatly appreciated!



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.

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

Fr. Stephen's Tour of St. Peter's Basilica ~ Join Fr. Stephen and the Spiritual Life Committee at 7:00 p.m. on Sunday, January 22, in the school cafeteria for a virtual tour of St. Peter's Basilica. While studying in Rome, Fr. Stephen gave tours of St. Peter's to pilgrims. Take advantage of this opportunity to get an inside scoop - learn the theology of the art, the motivation of the artists, and the historical context of the building. Whether or not you have visited St. Peter's, see it for the first time with the eyes of faith. He looks forward to sharing with you his knowledge of our Mother Church!

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 date: January 21.**



Ministry to Life

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 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.

On Tuesday, the **5th Grade** will travel to the Mayo Performing Arts Center.

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

The **Kindergarten class** will attend the 9:00 a.m. liturgy on Friday, January 13. Also on

Friday, the **8th grade** will attend the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

Please join St. Joseph School at the 11:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday, January 29, as the **6th grade** leads us in the **Opening of Catholic Schools' Week**. Everyone is welcome to attend the **Open House** immediately following. Visitors will have the opportunity to tour the school, visit classrooms and meet current families. See our website for details

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.sjsmendham.org
to see all that is happening.



Religious Education

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JANUARY CLASS SCHEDULE:

HOPE Group (K ~ 6)

Sunday, 9:45 a.m. ~ January 8

LOVE Group (2 ~ 6)

Monday, 4:00 p.m. ~ January 9 & 30

TLC Group (7~8)

Monday, 7:00 p.m. ~ January 9 & 30

FAITH Group (1 ~ 6)

Sunday, 9:45 a.m. ~ January 22

POLICY REGARDING WEATHER RELATED CLASS CANCELLATIONS



ALL CANCELLATIONS
WILL BE POSTED ON THE
PARISH WEBSITE:

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 lines: 973-543-5950, ext. 19, ext. 14, ext. 13.

Whenever inclement weather forces closings for Mendham Township/Borough schools, the parish Religious Education classes will also be cancelled.

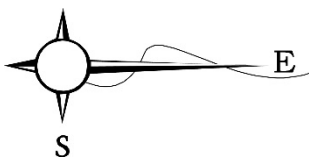
In the case of weather or other emergencies that occur later in the day when CCD and TLC are scheduled (Mondays), class cancellations will be announced by 3:00 p.m. on the Religious Education phone lines: 973-543-5950, ext. 19, ext. 14, ext. 13.



Family Liturgy

Family Liturgy will be held during the 9:30 a.m. Mass on the first and third Sundays of the month. **On Sunday, January 15**, there will be a pull-out program open to children from preschool through 6th 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.

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 mgray0415@gmail.com. If you are in high school, you will earn Confirmation service hour credits.



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

JANUARY CLASS SCHEDULE:

Sunday, January 8 & 29

5:00 p.m.



Teen News

High School Youth Ministry

Appalachia Mission sign-ups began December 1 ~ our annual **Appalachia Service Trip** to serve the working poor in Kentucky will be June 25 through July 1, 2017. If you would like to attend, you must be 16 years of age by the end of summer *or be a rising junior or senior. Applications will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. The trip fills up quickly.* For trip packets and more information, please visit St. Joseph's website at www.stjoesmendham.org under "Youth Ministry" or contact Monica Micera at 908-963-4546, monicamicera@aol.com, or Mark Tosso at 973-543-5950, tosso@stjoesmendham.org. **Adults interested in joining our 2017 Appalachia trip as a chaperone, please contact Monica Micera or Mark Tosso.**

Mass & Bagels ~ Start the week off right with 6:30 a.m. Mass in the chapel and then enjoy fresh, hot bagels in the East Room before heading off to school. Our next Mass and Bagels is **Monday, January 9, at 6:30 a.m.**

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.

The Knights of Columbus will have a Rose Sale this weekend and next. Proceeds from the sale will enable the Knights to sponsor a bus for the March for Life Rally in Washington, DC on January 27. If you wish to reserve a seat on the

bus to the rally, please contact Tom Quaglia at 908-347-9660 or tquaglia@ptc.com.

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

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat ~ Rachel's Vineyard is a safe place to renew, rebuild, and redeem hearts broken by abortion. Weekend retreats offer a supportive, confidential, and non-judgmental environment where women and men can express, release, and reconcile painful post-abortive emotions and begin the process of restoration, renewal, and healing. A Rachel's Vineyard Retreat will be held from Friday evening, January 27 through Sunday afternoon, January 29, in the Stirling area. To register, or for more information, contact Marie at 973- 377-1004, ext. 425. All calls will be held in strictest confidence.

Bethlehem Heritage Volunteers needed ~ Contact Mr. Paul Divine at 973-927-5135.

The Bernards Township Health Department will provide residents with a **Free Rabies Clinic** for their dogs and cats on Saturday, January 14, from 10:00 a.m. to noon at the Bernards Township Public Works Garage, 277 South Maple Ave., Basking Ridge.

✧ 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? _____