

Church of Saint Joseph

8 West Main Street, Mendham, New Jersey 07945 ~ www.stjoesmendham.org

The Celebration of The Eucharist

Monday, April 2nd
9:00 a.m. Dorothea Prisk

Tuesday, April 3rd
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Wednesday, April 4th
9:00 a.m. Edward Rush

Thursday, April 5th
9:00 a.m. For The People

Friday, April 6th
9:00 a.m. Marie Rowe

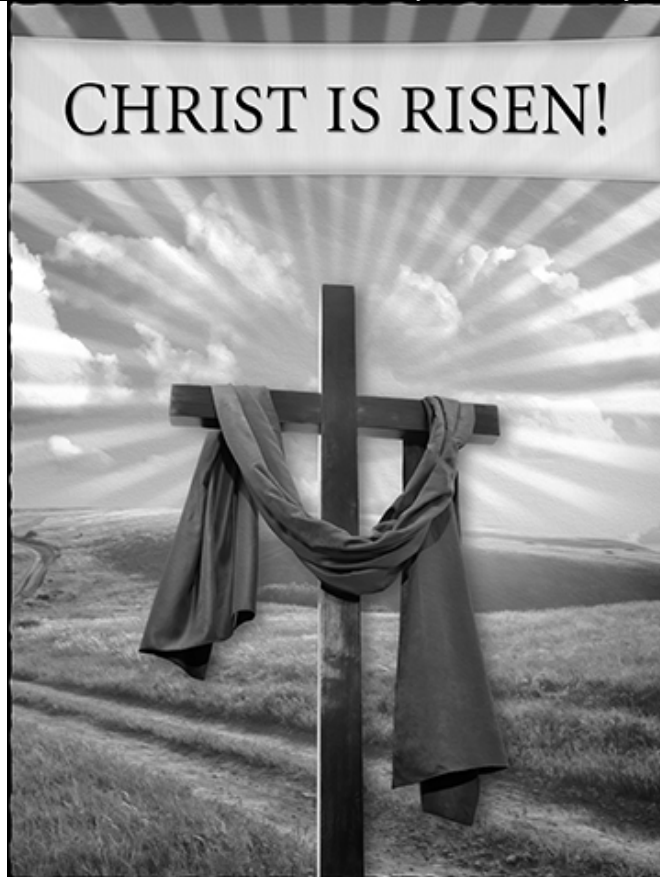
Saturday, April 7th
8:00 a.m. Peter Audino
5:00 p.m. John & Cathleen
O'Callaghan

Sunday, April 8th
7:30 a.m. Peter Cavalero
9:30 a.m. John J Doddy
11:30 a.m. Madeline Zampella

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

Baptisms:
1:00 p.m. in the Chapel on the
First & Third Sundays of the Month

**TRY TO
DISCERN
THE WILL OF GOD**



FOCUS: Is it fact or fiction? The totality of our faith hinges on our fervent belief that the tomb is empty. It all comes down to this. Jesus being raised from the dead gives purpose to his cross and ours. Without the Resurrection, all suffering is absurd, death is the end and we are lost.

Readings for Next Weekend

First Reading:
Acts 4:32-35

Second Reading:
1 John 5:1-6

Third Reading:
John 20:19-31

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

**On Holy Days of Obligation the Parish House
will open at 10:00.**

www.stjoesmendham.org



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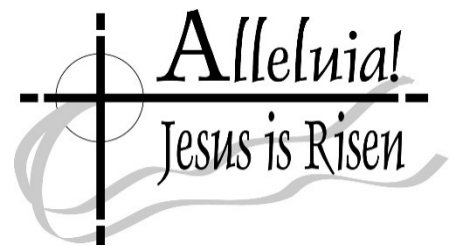
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Parish Mission Statement

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.



Sunday Offering March 25, 2018:

Sunday Envelopes: \$ 10,918

WeShare electronic giving: \$ 3,695

Total: \$ 14,613

Thank you for your generous spirit!

Fr. Joe



Happy Easter

**The Parish House
will be closed
on Easter
Monday, April 3.**

Our Spring Communion Breakfast will take place on Saturday, April 14 ~ Mass at 8:00 a.m. in the Chapel, followed by breakfast at 8:30 a.m. in the gym. Rev. Msgr. Geno Sylva, S.T.D., our guest speaker, will talk about: ***How Do We Keep Our Faith as a Family in Today's World?*** Breakfast will be catered by our Saint Joseph Church Knights of Columbus Council #6462. Reservations will be taken in the narthex after all Masses this weekend and next.

The **St. Joseph School Alumni Association** is hosting a cocktail party for all SJS alumni families on **Saturday, April 14, from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m.**, at the home of Jonathan and Judy Chester, 26 Corey Lane, Mendham. Come catch up with old friends and meet our new principal Lori Arends who will share the wonderful things happening at our school. Please RSVP to judy.chester59@gmail.com.

There are two spots left for the Rome Pilgrimage! Contact Corporate Travel for more information. They can be reached at 313-565-8888, ext. 121 or 150, or you can **BOOK ONLINE** at: www.CTScentral.net and use Trip Code: 12513 and Group Code: 7269.



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

SJS collects box tops for education. A collection box is in the narthex for all box tops. Thank you very much for helping the students at St. Joseph School.

Local grocery gift cards in \$100 denominations are available for purchase from the school. For every \$100 card purchased, St. Joseph School receives \$5. Kings, ShopRite, ACME, Weis, and Stop & Shop all participate. Please contact Peggy Timoney to purchase your gift cards; 973- 543-1101. Thank you for your support.

† **Worship**

Celebration of Divine Mercy Sunday ~ Come to the chapel for an hour of prayer, 3:00 ~ 4:00 p.m., on next **Sunday, April 8**, for the celebration of Divine Mercy Sunday. There will be exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, readings from the diary of St. Faustina, praying of the Divine Mercy Chaplet, and confessions available. The same plenary indulgence offered during the Year of Mercy is offered on this special day under the usual conditions. See Fr. Stephen with further questions.

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**

Morning Bible Study with Fr. Stephen meets weekly on Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. in the Christopher House. Bible Study is open to everyone, so please come if your schedule allows. There is no commitment to this group. You need not be there each week.



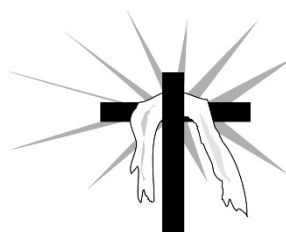
The Men's Discussion Group meets on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month, from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. This forum provides presentations and open discussions on a variety of topics to promote a deeper understanding of our Catholic faith. Please call Bob Manthey at 973-543-2129 for details.
Upcoming Meetings: April 7 & 21.

Ministry to Life

Spiritual Adoption ~ Baby's skin becomes pink and smooth. Her pupils respond to light and she is about 11 inches in length and 4 1/2 lbs.

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 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m., at Garden State Gynecology, 25 Lyndsley Drive in Morris Township. For more information, please call Colleen Dolan at 973-543-7037.

New Jersey Right To Life, the state's largest pro-life organization, will hold its Annual Banquet Dinner on Friday, April 20, at the Hyatt Regency, New Brunswick. The evening's events begins at 6:30 p.m. and will feature 2008 Republican Vice Presidential Candidate and Governor of Alaska (2006-2009) Sarah Palin. A 5:30 p.m. photo opportunity with the speaker is also available. Registration for the Banquet and /or VIP Reception must be made in advance, seats are on a first-come, first-serve basis and can be found at www.njrtl.org or by calling 732-562-0562. Register now to reserve a set. Thank you!





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

*Faithfully Changing the World
Hand in Hand*

The faculty, staff and students of St. Joseph School wish you and your family a **Blessed Easter.**

SJS will be on **Spring Break** through Sunday, April 8.

Classes will resume Monday, April 9.



Formal registration for the 2018 ~ 2019 school year has begun for all new students. Please contact the school's office at 973-543-7474 to arrange a tour and learn about everything St. Joseph School has to offer.

Please visit us at sjsmendham.org for all of the latest news and events happening at St. Joseph School.

Religious Education

www.stjoesmendham.org



Happy Easter from the Religious Education staff. Rejoice and celebrate the miracle of Easter!



Registration for the 2018-2019 Religious Education Program ~ Parish registration forms will be online for your convenience starting May 1. **Discount for those who register by July 1, 2018.** We welcome any new families who are registered parishioners. For students who attend public school, formal religious education at the parish begins in 1st Grade and is a continuous

process through Confirmation. Our Kindergarten program is optional. Questions? Contact Annette Tracy, DRE at 973-543-5950, ext. 13.

2018 Remaining Class Schedule:

Hope Group (1~6)

Sundays, April 8 & 22, May 6, 9:45 a.m.

Love Group (1~6)

Mondays, April 9 & 23, 4:00 p.m.

TLC Group (7~8)

Monday, April 9, 7:00 p.m.

Faith Group (K~6)

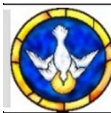
Sunday, April 15 & 29, 9:45 a.m.



1st EUCHARIST SCHEDULE

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

St. Joseph School Saturday, May 5 at 10 a.m.
Faith Group Saturday, May 5 at 12 noon
Hope Group Saturday, May 12 at 10 a.m.



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

Sundays, April 8 & 22
5:00 ~ 6:30 p.m.



Teen News

High School Youth Ministry

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, April 9.

SAVE THE DATE ~ The 4th Annual Pasta Dinner has been re-scheduled for Sunday, April 15, from 5 -7 p.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.
<http://www.stjoesmendhamknights.org>

Become a Knight ~ If you would like to be a member of the Saint Joseph Knights of Columbus, please contact Mike Dunne at mdunne@daypitney.com.



Diocese of Paterson

A Musical Afternoon With Our Sisters ~ Join us for a very special concert next **Sunday, April 8, at 3:00 p.m. at Saint John the Baptist Cathedral in Paterson** for *Our Sisters in Concert*. Several religious communities will be represented as they perform hymns and songs. This is a wonderful opportunity to enjoy the talents and gifts of our Sisters who have dedicated their lives for the mission of the Diocese of Paterson. Also, free garage parking is available!

Solo Organ Recital, Internationally Acclaimed Recitalist Stephen Tharp on Sunday, April 15, at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist, Paterson at 4:00 p.m. As part of the Diocese of Paterson's 80th anniversary and in celebration of the reopening of St. John's Cathedral, a solo organ recital will be given by internationally acclaimed recitalist Stephen Tharp. Mr. Tharp has performed over 1400 recitals in 50 worldwide tours. He was also the official organist for the 2008 New York visit of Pope Benedict XVI. This event is free, but a free-will offering will accepted at the end of the event. Seating is on a first-come, first-serve basis. Free parking is available in the parking garage across the street from the Cathedral on Grand Street. St. John's Cathedral is on the corner of Market Street and Grand Street in Paterson. The event is sponsored by Peragallo Pipe Organ Company. For more information, please contact Mr. John Peragallo at john@peragallo.com.



Feminine, Faithful, and Fearless ~ 2018 Women's conference: At Any Age, at Any Stage of Life. True Catholic womanhood is achieved by using our God-given gifts in

faithfully, and fearlessly, fulfilling our vocation, standing ever firmly in our faith and beliefs. As women, we have so very much to offer—a deep

and abiding wisdom to share. Please join us on Saturday, April 28 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., 205 Madison Ave, Madison. General Admission \$25.00, college students \$10. Fabulous speakers, Adoration, Networking and giveaways! Register at: www.insidethewalls.org/womens-conference.

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

Volunteers from St Joseph's travel together to **Eva's Kitchen in Paterson** to prepare and serve lunch for 250 guests. We would love if you could join us. Volunteers age 15 and older are invited to join our team and experience this opportunity to serve others while working with fellow parishioners. For Confirmation candidates, this is a meaningful way to accrue volunteer hours. If you cannot join us, monetary contributions are thankfully accepted and go directly to cover the cost of the food served. Remaining service dates for 2018 are June 2 and September 30. Mark your calendar for one or all dates. Please call or email Barbara Pieroni, 908-221-0377 or nutrabarb@aol.com for further details. *Matthew 25:37. The righteous will then answer Him, "When, Lord, did we ever see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you a drink?"*

Please note: St. Joseph Church **no longer collects clothing donations**. If you have other items to donate to the Father English Center, please call Adi Conover at 973-543-0248.

The **People's Choice Food Pantry** at the **Father English Community Center** in Paterson serves *100-150 clients each day*. Please drop your non-perishable donations in the box located in the **West Entrance ONLY**. Items of greatest need include:

Canned Meats/Fish	Baby Food—All Stages
Rice/Pasta/Pasta Sauce	Baby Formula
Canned/Dried Beans	Diapers—All sizes
Macaroni and Cheese	Juices
Canned Soup	Peanut Butter/Jelly
Canned Fruit	Oatmeal/Grids/Farina
Pancake Mix/Syrup	Powdered Milk

If you have any questions regarding this request, please call Emily Wood, 973-543-3445. Thank you.

Community News

Holy Hour for Peace ~ The Sisters of Charity of Saint Elizabeth invite you to a monthly Holy Hour of Quiet Prayer at Holy Family Chapel, 2 Convent Road, Convent Station, from 6:15 p.m. – 7:15 p.m. Everyone is invited ~ the third Tuesday of every month. For further information, contact Sister Maryanne Tracey at mtracey@scnj.org. No RSVP necessary. **(Upcoming dates: April 17, May 15)**

ASSUMPTION COLLEGE FOR SISTERS, 200 A Morris Ave. Denville, SUMMER SESSION 2018 (May 29* - July 6):

The Church: Its Nature and History:

M, W, F 9:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

*Tuesday, May 29 due to Memorial Day Holiday

July 4: Independence Day—No classes

Fundamental Moral Theology:

Tuesdays, May 29 to July 5 (In Class):

10:00 am -12:00 noon, 12:30 pm – 3:30 p.m.

Thursdays, May 29 to July 5 (2.5 hours On Line)

Three Credit Course: \$510

Audited Course \$255

For more information: 973-957-0188, ext. 106

E-mail: academicdean@acs350.org

VNA of Somerset Hills Spring Rummage Sale ~

May 4 & 5 from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. & May 6, from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m., at the Fairgrounds on Rte. 202, Far Hills. New volunteers welcome. **Rummage sale donations:** April 7 – 25 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Monday thru Saturday. Stay connected with the sale! @vnarummagesale   

VNA of Somerset Hills Scholarships for BSN

Candidates: Each year, the Board of trustees awards a \$1000 scholarship to two qualified Morris or Somerset County students planning to pursue a baccalaureate degree in nursing (BSN). We encourage all members of the community considering the nursing profession to apply, including graduating high school students and those adults entering the health care field during a career change. The application is available thru the link below, must be submitted by April 13: <https://www.visitingnurse.org/nursing-scholarship-application/2018-nursing-scholarship-application/>

Enjoy Grocery Shopping?

Visiting Nurse Association of Northern New Jersey's House Calls for Groceries (HCG) provides grocery shopping assistance on a weekly or biweekly basis to homebound residents in Morris County. Once matched, volunteers contact the HCG client to schedule a mutually convenient time to grocery shop. Volunteers visit the client's home to pick up the shopping list, and payment for the groceries. Then, the volunteer will shop at a local grocery store, deliver the groceries to the client's home and assist with putting items away. This is a great opportunity for professionals, retirees and students who are looking for ways to create meaningful relationships with neighbors. For more information, please contact Rachel Enderle, Volunteer Coordinator, at 973-451-4128 or renderle@vnannj.org.

✧ 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? _____

