



PALM SUNDAY

of the

Passion of the Lord



SAINT JOSEPH PARISH

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Our Mission Statement: We, the Eucharistic community of the Lord at Saint Joseph's and members of the Body of Christ, are varied in background, culture, age and economic class. We are a welcoming parish consisting of longtime Catholics, new and returning Catholics and the young, all seeking knowledge of our faith, its teachings and traditions. We are a faith community empowered by the Holy Spirit and dedicated to helping others. We are committed to celebrate the sacramental life of the church; to listen, proclaim, practice, teach and evangelize the word of God; to minister to each other, the poor and those in need.

And the crowds
that went before
him and that
followed him
were shouting,
"Hosanna to the
Son of David!
Blessed is he
who comes in
the name of the
Lord! Hosanna
in the highest!"

—Matthew 21:9



Hosanna!
Hosanna!

Parish Office Hours: Monday - Friday, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm **Parish Office:** 973-696-4411 x10 **Religious Education:** 973-696-4411 x13
Fax: 973-305-8466 **Convent:** 973-696-4279 **Email:** stjoeelp@optonline.net **Parish Website:** stjosephparishnj.org **Facebook:** @stjoeelp

We Invite You to Celebrate the Eucharist

Saturday Eve: 5:30 pm

Polish Mass: Every third Saturday
of each month at 7:00 pm

Sunday: 8:00, 10:00 am, 12:00 noon &
7:00 pm (Spanish Mass)

Weekdays: Monday, 7:00 pm
Tuesday - Friday, 8:00 am

Holy Days: Will be announced in the
bulletin and from the pulpit.

Parish Membership

Our parish family invites all of its members to participate fully in our spiritual and social life. Every family moving into our parish is requested to register. Please contact the parish office for the form. If you are going to move to another parish or change your address, please notify the parish office.

Parish Staff

Fr. Artur Zaba, Pastor
Fr. Martin Bradtke, Parochial Vicar
frmartinbr@gmail.com
Sr. Ellen Byrnes, S.F.P., Pastoral Associate
Rev. Mr. Stephen Marabeti, Deacon
Rev. Mr. Joseph Parlapiano, Deacon
Mrs. JoAnn Caputo, Admin. Asst./Bookkeeper
Mrs. Isabella Bubnick, Assistant Secretary
Mrs. Denise Dixon, Director of Music
Mrs. Kathleen Miller, Director of Religious Education
Mr. John Petracca, Maintenance

Novena: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Benediction 6:30 pm followed by the Mass at 7:00 pm and Novena to our Lady of the Miraculous Medal every Monday.

Adoration: Every Tuesday from 8:30 am to 8:00 pm, every Wednesday and Thursday from 8:30-9:30 am.

The Sacrament of Baptism: The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on Sunday, with the exception of major holidays. Baptisms during Mass or at any other Time are to be arranged with the Pastor. A parent preparation program is held monthly. Parents are asked to contact the parish office for information about Baptisms two months in advance.

Reconciliation: Saturday, 4:30 pm to 5:20 pm

Communion & Sick Calls: Anointing of the Sick is offered every third Sunday of the month after the noon Mass. When any member of your family becomes ill or is confined to the home and unable to come to the Celebration of the Eucharist, please contact the parish office so that arrangements can be made for Communion to be brought to the house. If it is an emergency situation, please call 973-974-0213.

Matrimony: Ideally, arrangements for weddings should be made at least one year in advance. Please contact the parish office to make arrangements.

Grief Ministry: Meets twice per year, mutual sharing and support in strictly confidential setting. Call Sr. Ellen at 973-696-4411 ext. 12.

CALL TO STEWARDSHIP

WORSHIP

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Peggy Folenta ----- 973-628-6773
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Maria Maggi ----- 201-774-5544
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Carla Danzi ----- 973-452-2300
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Fr. Artur Zaba ----- 973-696-4411
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Denise Dixon ----- 973-590-9975
Cantors, Adult Choir, Echoes of Faith & Choristers

RELIGIOUS ED. / SACRAMENTAL PREP.

Religious Education
Mrs. Kathleen Miller ----- 973-696-4411 x15
Marriage Preparation
Fr. Artur Zaba ----- 973-696-4411

Baptismal Preparation

Deacon Joseph Parlapiano ----- 973-696-4411

Confirmation

Kathleen Miller ----- 973-696-4411 x15

PARISH SERVICE COMMITTEES

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Maria McMann ----- 973-896-4353
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Fr. Artur Zaba ----- 973-696-4411
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Lazarus Ministry

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Maria McMann ----- 973-896-4353
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Mary O'Reilly ----- 973-633-8009
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PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD ✠ APRIL 2, 2023

MASS INTENTIONS & SCHEDULE

Saturday	5:30 PM	Louis G Tafuri, Sr & Americus Tafuri – D&J Roselli
Sunday	8:00 AM	Maureen Clegg – Eucharistic Ministers Courtney Brightman & Jamie Krautheim – D Brightman
	10:00 AM	Josephine Savino – Monza Fam Pete Stupiello – M Semeraro
	12:00 PM	David Bower – LP Seniors Dezi Folenta – Deacon Joe & Cathy Parlapiano

Holy Week Schedule

Monday	8:00 AM	Evelyn Byrnes & Tria Reuss – FSP
	7:00 PM	Chrism Mass @ Cathedral of St. John the Baptist
Tuesday	8:00 AM	Maria Krakowska (Healing) – Friends
Wednesday	8:00 AM	Thor Jorgensen – McMann Fam & M Foti
Holy Thursday	7:30 PM	Mass of the Lord's Supper
Good Friday	8:00 AM	Prayer Service
	3:00 PM	Passion of the Lord
	7:00 PM	Stations of the Cross
	8:00 PM	Spanish Stations of the Cross
Holy Saturday	8:00 AM	Prayer Service
	12:00 PM	Blessing of the Food Baskets
	1:00 PM	Blessing of the Food Baskets
	5:00 PM	Spanish Easter Vigil
	8:00 PM	Easter Vigil
Easter Sunday	6:00 AM	Polish Mass
	8:00 AM	For the Parish
	10:00 AM	For the Parish
	12:00 PM	For the Parish
Spanish Mass	7:00 PM	For the Parish

POLISH MASS EASTER SUNDAY

There will be a Polish Mass on Easter Sunday at 6:00AM. All are welcome to attend.

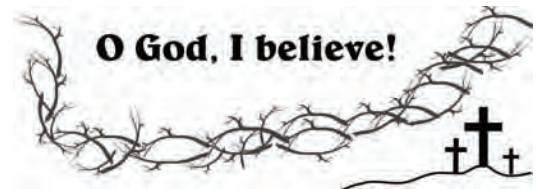
MEMORIALS

*The sanctuary lamp will burn in loving memory of
Courtney Brightman & Jamie Krautheim*

SHARING OUR TREASURE

Due to vacation, "Sharing Our Treasure" will be posted in the Easter Sunday Bulletin.

When Jesus first told his disciples what would happen to him in Jerusalem and they reacted with shock and horror, he told them that everyone who wished to follow him must also carry their own crosses. As Jesus was willing to carry his cross, shameful and horrible and lethal as it was, he calls upon us to carry our own painful and difficult crosses. Remember, the cross he carried was not for himself. He carried his cross for everyone else – for Peter and Judas; for revolutionaries crucified with him; for you and for me. We are called to carry crosses for others as well, to ease the burdens on our neighbor. As Jesus gave of himself for our benefit, we are called to give of ourselves for the benefit of those in need. We are challenged to see Jesus in our neighbor in need, for that makes clear to us that we are returning in some small way the debt we owe to him who gave his life for us.



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Sunday

Mt 21:1-11; Is 50:4-7; Phil 2:6-11;
Mt 26:14— 27:66 or 27:11-54

Monday

Is 42:1-7; Jn 12:1-11

Tuesday

Is 49:1-6; Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday

Is 50:4-9a; Mt 26:14-25

Thursday

Chrism Mass: Is 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9; Rv 1:5-8; Lk 4:16-21
Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper: Ex 12:1-8, 11-14;
1 Cor 11:23-26; Jn 13:1-15

First Friday

Is 52:13—53:12; Heb 4:14-16, 5:7-9; Jn 18:1—19:42

Saturday

Easter Vigil: Gn 1:1—2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a; Gn 22:1-18 or
22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18; Ex 14:15—15:1; Is 54:5-14;
Is 55:1-11; Bar 3:9-15, 32—4:4; Ez 36:16-17a, 18-28;
Rom 6:3-11; Mt 28:1-10



Our annual Golf Outing will continue this year on **Monday, May 15th** at the **Balleyowen Golf Club**, Hamburg, NJ. Registration begins at **7:30 AM**. Shot-Gun Start approximately 9:00 AM. Cost is **\$170 per player** and includes: greens fees, cart, breakfast, dinner & gratuities and prizes. Sign up forms are in the back of church or contact Gale Tedeschi at GTedeschi@optonline.net or 973.896.2574.

EASTER EGG HUNT



Calling all children ages Pre-K through 4th Grade.... please join us for an Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 8th at 11 AM (weather permitting) on the school grounds. We will have lots of hidden eggs; plenty for everyone so bring your baskets and a-hunting we will go!

RICE BOWLS

Rice Bowls will be collected on Sunday, **April 2nd and on Good Friday, April 7th**. A box will be in the back of church marked for the Rice Bowl collection. **Please make a check payable to St. Joseph Church or submit cash for the amount you collected in your bowl. Thank you. (NO COINS PLEASE!! Please write a check to St. Joseph Church for the amount of coins collected.)**

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION



Every Tuesday
8:30 AM – 8:00 PM

*"There are two things the devil is deadly afraid of: fervent Communion and frequent visits to the Blessed Sacrament."
Saint John Bosco*

PATRIOTIC ROSARY



The Patriotic Rosary is celebrated on the first **Monday of the month after the 7:00 PM Mass. Due to no evening Mass on April 3^d, the next Patriotic Rosary will be on Monday May 1st.**

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

GRADES K-8

Apr 2	Palm Sunday
Apr 5	Last Class Grades 5 – 8
Apr 7	Good Friday
Apr 9	Easter Sunday – NO CLASSES
Apr 23	Grade 3 Class Mass
Apr 30	1st Communion Parent Meeting 9 & 11 AM

For more information, please call 973.696.4411 x 15

GOOD FRIDAY WALK



The Friday before Easter Sunday is designated by all Christians as **"Good Friday"** – the day that Jesus carried his cross to Calvary where He died for the sins of all. The

Good Friday Cross Walks are a way for Christians to publicly affirm their belief and give witness to an event that is central to our faith. We walk to remind all of what happened on this day and bring awareness of the significance of the Cross.

St. Joseph Parish will be sponsoring a Cross Walk for all the Christians in Lincoln Park and beyond. Those walking will meet in the church parking lot on **Friday, April 7th at 12 Noon** to begin our Walk of Witness through town.



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LOCATION: The benches will be installed at Centennial Park or Lincoln Park Community Lake, "LPCL", by borough staff according standards and specifications. Please indicate your requested location.

BENCH DETAILS: Each bench is 6 foot and constructed from recycled plastic ready for engraving in the slats. There are two slats available for printing, 38 characters per slat. The photo shown below is a sample of the product with black legs with cedar slats.

MAINTENANCE: The Borough will maintain the benches in the same manner as other park benches. Any benches damaged due to vandalism or any other reason will be replaced **ONCE**, (without charge to the donor), during the FIRST YEAR after installation.

DEADLINE TO ORDER: The deadline to order a bench is March 31, 2023. Benches will be installed mid-Summer 2023.

Cost: \$1,000 per bench and includes engraving on 1 or 2 slats.

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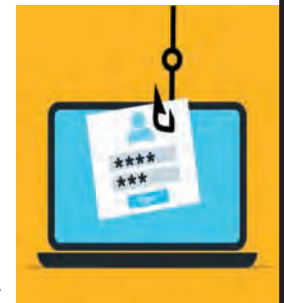
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