



# 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.

**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, F.S.P., Pastoral Associate**  
**Rev. Mr. Stephen Marabeti, Deacon**  
**Rev. Mr. Joseph Parlapiano, Deacon**  
**Mrs. JoAnn Caputo, Admin. Asst./Bookkeeper**  
**Mrs. Isabella Bubnick, Assistant Secretary**  
**Ms. Denise Dixon, Director of Music**  
**Mrs. Kathleen Miller, Director of Religious Education**  
**Mr. John Petracca, Maintenance**  
**Mr. Rich Williams, 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

#### Eucharistic Ministers

Bonnie-Ann McLain ----- 973-610-2014  
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#### Lectors

Maria Maggi ----- 201-774-5544

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### RELIGIOUS ED. / SACRAMENTAL PREP.

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#### Marriage Preparation

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#### Baptismal Preparation

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

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

### PARISH SERVICE COMMITTEES

#### Baking, Parish Events

Maria McMann ----- 973-896-4353

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#### Prayer Line

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#### Stewardship

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Vicki Pignone ----- 201-410-6869



## THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI) ✠ JUNE 11, 2023

### MASS INTENTIONS & SCHEDULE

Saturday	5:30 PM	John Messenkopf – B Messenkopf Nick Sudenko – Fam Mildred Marino – Thierry Fam
Sunday	8:00 AM	Lois Forde – E Rubin & Fam William Molkenbur – L Moeller
	10:00 AM	Antonio Vella (2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniv) – Fam Kathleen Neville – C Osborne
	12:00 PM	John & Rose Folenta–P Folenta Wayne Van Ordan – K Bower
Monday	7:00 PM	Olga Celleri (Anniversary of Birth) Fam
Tuesday	8:00 AM	Kazimierz & Paulina Karpinsky- Fam
Wednesday	8:00 AM	Stefania Boykiv – Fam
Thursday	8:00 AM	Stanislaw – Karpinski Fam
Friday	8:00 AM	Adam Olejniczak – Fam
Saturday	5:30 PM	James Brady – Sr. Ellen Barbara Fratrach – Fam
Polish Mass	7:00 PM	For the Parish
Sunday 6/18	8:00 AM	Rowland Hubbard – L Thierry & Fam Sheila Murphy – M Murphy Bernard Siebel – Benson Fam
	10:00 AM	Douglas Chaves (10 yr Anniv of Death) – Fam Cutting Bayot & Norberto Dungca – Fam
	12:00 PM	Artemio L Abad – Abad Fam Dezi Folenta – Palma Fam



### THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)

#### **First Reading: Deuteronomy 8:2-3, 14b-16a**

Moses reminds the Israelites that when they were starving in the desert, the Lord fed them with “manna” -- a food not known to them.

#### **Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:16-17**

Paul points out to the Corinthians that through the sharing of the cup and the breaking of the bread, they are all one in Christ Jesus.

#### **Gospel: John 6:51-58**

After Jesus feeds the five thousand people with barley loaves and fishes, he tries to make them understand the significance and the meaning of what he has done. He tells them, in mysterious and beautiful words, that the bread he gives is his flesh and says, “I myself am the living bread... If anyone eats this bread, he shall live forever.”

### SHARING OUR TREASURE

June 4, 2023:	\$	5,688
Candles:	\$	80
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Attendance:		419

Every time we meet for Mass, Jesus is present in the gift of the Eucharist. He is present for adoration in the tabernacle, waiting for our praise and thanksgiving. Jesus is truly present in this sacrament for He wanted to remain with us, and this is the way He chose to be here.

We all should love Jesus in the Eucharist, and receive him with great desire. But sometimes our vision is clouded and our senses dulled by sin. That is why we must confess our sins and receive God's absolution. Confession prepares us to receive the Eucharist in a state of grace, and when that happens, we will experience God's love at each communion.

May we be reminded of this great gift of His presence as we enter our church. May we teach our children the need for respect and reverence as we celebrate each Mass.



#### **Sunday**

Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a; 1 Cor 10:16-17; Jn 6:51-58

#### **Monday**

2 Cor 1:1-7; Mt 5:1-12

#### **Tuesday**

2 Cor 1:18-22; Mt 5:13-16

#### **Wednesday**

2 Cor 3:4-11; Mt 5:17-19

#### **Thursday**

2 Cor 3:15—4:1, 3-6; Mt 5:20-26

#### **Friday**

Dt 7:6-11; 1 Jn 4:7-16; Mt 11:25-30

#### **Saturday**

2 Cor 5:14-21; Lk 2:41-51

### MEMORIALS

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This weekend, **Saturday/Sunday, June 10<sup>th</sup> & June 11<sup>th</sup>**, is the last weekend for the Diocesan-wide food collection in all parishes and agencies on the Feast of Corpus Christi. We are all being asked to bring assorted items and St. Joseph has been asked to **provide canned soup (any variety) and/or toilet paper**. Monetary donations will also be accepted and can be made online at [ccpaterson.org/corpus](http://ccpaterson.org/corpus).

## JUNE LECTOR SCHEDULE

June 10-11	June 17-18
5:30 PM Ken Foreman	5:30 PM George Yost
8:00 AM Mary Boyle	8:00 AM Gina Deppert
10:00 AM Liz O'Connell	10:00 AM Maria Maggi
12:00 PM Tony Rafael	12:00 PM AnneMarie Abad
June 24-25	
5:30 PM Ellen Corbiere	Maria Maggi
8:00 AM Paul DePinto	201-774-5544
10:00 AM Robert Colfin	nd79@optonline.net
12:00 PM Joyce Favorito	

## 2024 MASS BOOK FOR INTENTIONS

The 2024 Mass Book is available for Intentions. Please call, email or stop by the office with your 2024 Mass Intention(s).

## SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

The Parish Office is on summer hours. Office hours are Monday to Thursday 9 AM – 3 PM, **closed on Fridays**.

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION



**Every Tuesday  
8:30 AM – 8:00 PM**

*"Come to the foot of the altar. Graces will be shed on all, great and little, especially upon those who seek for them." St. Catherine Laboure*



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## ANNUAL GOLF OUTING RESULTS

Our Annual Golf Outing was a great success! We had 101 golfers participate in the outing and made a profit of \$11,511. Thank you to the golf committee for their hard work. We would also like to thank all of our sponsors for their support:

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## OPEN MIC NIGHT



**OPEN  
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NIGHT**

Our Open Mic will be Saturday, August 12<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM in Halloran Hall. We are looking for singers, musicians, stand-up acts, etc... as singles, duos or a small group. Performers are to sign-up no later than August 10<sup>th</sup> and time slots will be allocated. Acts must be suitable for the venue and within a time frame. Please call Sr. Ellen at 973.696.4411 x12 to sign up. All are most welcome to attend... bring your own snacks and enjoy the performers.

# FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT



**Saturday, July 15<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM**

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**FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT**

in Halloran Hall

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**“Jesus”**

All parishioners are welcome and  
admission is free





## THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)

**“Then taking the five loaves and two fish, and looking up to heaven, he said the blessing over them, he broke them, and gave them to the disciples to set before the crowd. They all ate and were satisfied. And when the leftover fragments were picked up they filled twelve wicker baskets.”**

How would I have felt if I was in the crowd, listening and learning, and hungry? I sat down and observed Him taking and breaking, praying and blessing, and then giving to the disciples and they to the crowd. I reach out and gratefully accept this gift.

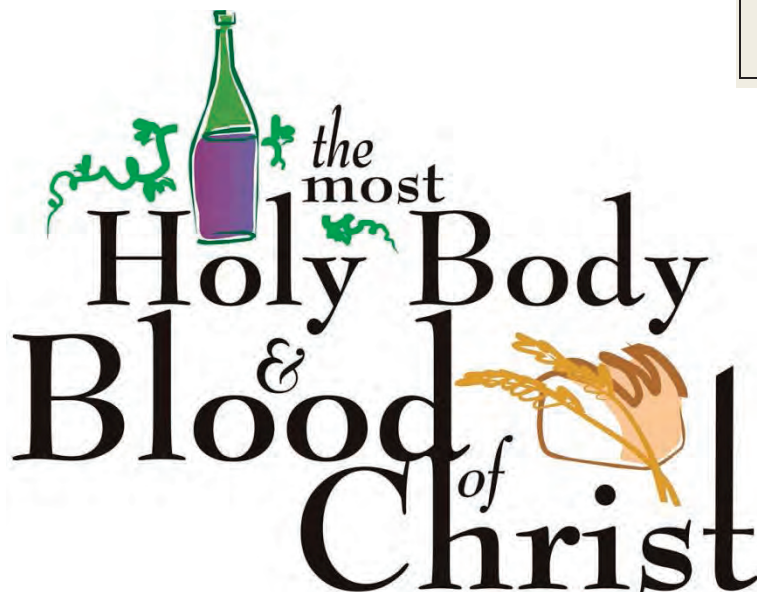
Take a minute and apply that scene to your presence at Holy Mass today. We are taught in the word and then watch, pray and listen as Jesus becomes truly present in the bread and wine – ‘MY BODY... MY BLOOD.’ NOT A SYMBOL BUT A REAL PRESENCE. Our faith focuses on His coming to me in the sacrament. When I leave liturgy, I too leave satisfied.

May I express my faith in His presence and reverently receive and consume the most important moment for Catholics.

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BY REV. WILLIAM J. REILLY

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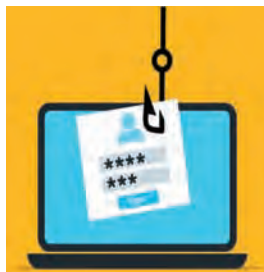
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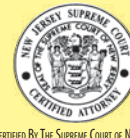
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