

SAINT JOSEPH PARISH

216 COMLY ROAD, LINCOLN PARK, NEW JERSEY 07035

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: stjoelp@optonline.net Parish Website: stjosephparishnj.org Facebook: @stjoelp

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. Dominik Bakowski, Pastor Fr. Martin Bradtke, Assistant Priest frmartinbr@gmail.com

Sr. Ellen Byrnes, F.S.P., Pastoral Associate Rev. Mr. Stephen Marabeti, Deacon Rev. Mr. Joseph Parlapiano, Deacon

Ms. JoAnn Caputo, Admin. Asst./Bookkeeper Ms. Denise Dixon, Music Director

Mrs. Kathleen Miller, Director of Religious Education

Mr. Rich Williams, Maintenance 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 arrange 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 5:00 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 Peggy Folenta ----- 973-628-6773 Lectors Maria Maggi ----- 201-774-5544 **Altar Servers** ----- 973-452-2300 Carla Danzi -----Ushers Fr. Dominik Bakowski ----- 973-696-4411 Music Ministry ----- 973-590-9975 Denise Dixon --Cantors, Adult Choir, Echoes of Faith & Choristers RELIGIOUS ED. / SACRAMENTAL PREP. **Religious Education** Mrs. Kathleen Miller----- 973-696-4411 x15

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Youth Ministry

Marriage Preparation		
Fr. Dominik Bakowski	973-696-4411	
Baptismal Preparation		
Deacon Joseph Parlapiano	973-696-4411	
Confirmation		
Sr. Ellen Byrnes	973-696-4411 x12	
PARISH SERVICE COMMITTEES		
Baking, Parish Events		
Maria McMann	973-896-4353	
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AnnMarie Abad 973-93	1-4882		
Prayer Line			
Maria McMann 973-89	6-4353		
Stewardship			
Mary O'Reilly973-63	3-8009		
Warming Bee			
Antoinette VanWyck 973-69	4-1818		
Women of Faith			
Vicki Pignone 201-41	.0-6869		



TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 16, 2022

MASS INTENTIONS & SCHEDULE

Saturday	5:30 PM	Joseph Abbate – M&K Manza Joan DiPatria – R&M Williams
Sunday	8:00 AM	Courtney Brightman – D Brightman
		Leo DeBenedictis -Pam Keegan
	10:00 AM	Adam Olejniczak – M Krakowski
	12:00 PM	Margaret Parlapiano –
		M Christman Lila DeLuca – Nardella Fam
Monday	7:00 PM	Ruben Martinez – Fam
Monday		
Tuesday	8:00 AM	
Wednesday	8:00 AM	Pedro Rafael & Fidela Rafael –
		T Rafael
Thursday	8:00 AM	Rocco Calandra – Fam
Friday	8:00 AM	Olga Celleri – Fam
Saturday	5:30 PM	Joan DiPatria – A&B Schmidt
•		Joy Fedewitz – C&D Cleary
Sunday	8:00 AM	Marguerite & William H Hughes-
10/23/22		Hughes Fam
	10:00 AM	Kevin Haley – D Haley
		Gloria Santos – Fam
	12:00 PM	Lila DeLuca – K Bower
		Wayne Mowry – Eucharistic
		Ministers

SHARING OUR TREASURE

October 9, 2022:	\$ 6,248
2 nd Collection, Straight & Narrow:	\$ 943
All Souls:	\$ 387
Candles:	\$ 162
Poor Box:	\$ 21
Attendance:	414

What people are like: "There was a judge in a certain town who neither feared God nor respected any human being". Maybe our town. Appointed or elected, some judges sound like Jesus' parable judge, whose corruption short-circuits a widow's justice. So Jesus teaches us "to pray always without becoming weary". Although "for a long time the judge was unwilling," he eventually renders "a just decision...because this widow keeps bothering me" and "lest she finally come and strike me".

What God is like: "Will not God then secure the rights of his chosen ones who call out to him day and night? Will God be slow to answer them?" God sometimes seems slow. But Jesus boldly asserts: "God will see to it that justice is done for them speedily". But since God's speedy differs from ours, Jesus' story counsels us to be dauntless in faith, unwearied in prayer, confident God's justice will come for everyone. But Jesus' poignant final question is pointedly left unanswered: "But when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth"?



TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Exodus 17:8-13

Amalek and his people attacked the Israelites, so Moses instructed Joshua to lead some of the Israelites into battle the next day. While Moses kept his hands raised in prayer, the Israelites were winning. But when he put his hands down, they would begin to lose. So two others helped him keep his hands raised, and Joshua and the Israelites won the battle.

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 3:14—4:2

Paul tells Timothy that the Scriptures are inspired by God and are an excellent tool in teaching others about God's expectations of his people. Knowledge of the Scriptures, coupled with faith in Jesus, will lead many people to salvation. Paul urges Timothy to continue preaching the gospel, although this will sometimes be a difficult task.

Gospel: Luke 18:1-8

Jesus speaks about a corrupt judge who lacked respect for either God or man. A widow repeatedly asked him to settle a case in her favor. He finally settled the case, only because he grew weary of listening to her requests. Jesus points out that if even this corrupt judge eventually listened, then God, who is just, will certainly answer the pleas of his people.



Sunday

Ex 17:8-13; 2 Tm 3:14-4:2; Lk 18:1-8

Monday

Eph 2:1-10; Lk 12:13-21

Tuesday

2 Tm 4:10-17b; Lk 10:1-9

Wednesday

Eph 3:2-12; Lk 12:39-48

Thursday

Eph 3:14-21; Lk 12:49-53

Friday

Eph 4:1-6; Lk 12:54-59

Saturday

Eph 4:7-16; Lk 13:1-9

MEMORIALS

The sanctuary lamp will burn in loving memory of Courtney Brightman ~ From Donna Brightman

CHRISTIAN SERVICE COMMITTEE



The Christian Service Committee will once again be collecting new pajamas and books for children ages 18 months to 16 years. The new book will go along with the pajamas for that age

child. Please keep the book and pajamas together, either in a shopping bag or rubber band for ease of distribution.

We are working with Norwescap, a Morris County agency that works towards family self sufficiency. The pajamas and books we collect provide these items to children in low-income families as well as to children in an early head-start program.

The collection will start on October 15th with a box in the back of church and will continue until November 5th. Any questions, contact 201.675.4802. Thank you in advance for you generosity!

GRIEF GROUP



The Grief Support Group of St. Joseph's Parish is for those who have lost a loved one due to death. It is open to all faiths and is strictly confidential. Participants are

encouraged to wait at least three months after the death has occurred before joining the group. For more information or to register please call the parish office at 973.696.4411 x 12.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK



Those wishing to be anointed should be in the church after the Noon Mass this Sunday, October 16th. Also, please let us know if there is a need for anointing at any

other time and we would be glad to visit and anoint those who need it.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION



Every Tuesday 8:30 AM – 8:00 PM

Ways to Spend an Hour with Jesus:

The Eucharist is the memorial of Christ's Passover, that is, of the work of salvation accomplished by the life, death, and resurrection of Christ, a work made present by the liturgical action.

"I encourage Christians regularly to visit Christ present in the Blessed Sacrament."

St. John Paul II



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

GRADES K-6

Oct 23 1st Communion Parent Meeting,

9 & 11

Nov 6 5th Grade Class Mass Nov 21-23 4th Grade Mini Retreat

Nov 27 1st Sunday of Advent (NO CLASSES)

For more information or to request forms, please call 973.696.4411 x10.



Congratulations to the young men and women who received the Sacrament of Confirmation on Saturday, October 8th with Bishop Arthur Serratelli. We pray that the Holy Sprit will guide and strengthen them as they continue on their spiritual journey with our Lord.



Leonor Cabrera
Siena Campagna
Patrick Cios
Dylan Cortegana
Hayley DeFrancesco
Grace Henches
Leah LePera
Elise McHugh
Paige Monza
Frankie Otero
Fernando Sanchez
Sean Scardilli
Jeremiah Sibi
Charlotte Stager
Jeromos Toth

Adrian Calderon
Ryan Capozzi
Joseph Colon
Gianna DeFrancesco
Fabiana Follegatti
Justin Lauriano
Lorraine Lintag
Ashlee Monroy
Liliana Nubla
Brandon Parliman
Jake Scardilli
Rebecca Sherbert
Jose Sibi
Chloe Torres

Joseph Valente

Andrew Voza

What?

Bible Study

Where? St. Joseph's Halloran Hall When? Tuesdays, Nov. 8 – Dec. 13

> 6:00PM Social + refreshments 6:30-8:00PM Bible Study Session



In The Eucharist and in Scripture, discover God's plan as it is expressed through the Bible and the Mass.

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SIGNUP UNTIL OCTOBER 25 **Price: \$25**

CASH OR CHECK (payable to St. Joseph, memo "BIBLE STUDY")

MUST BE PAID BY OCTOBER 25

HAVE A QUESTION? CALL 973-696-4411

Price includes: workbook, DVD with videos, refreshments for the first meeting.

LINCOLN PARK CROP HUNGER WALK



Please join St. Joseph Church on our Annual Crop Walk on Sunday, 23rd October 1:30 PM. at Registration begins at 1 CROP HUNGER WALK Twenty-five percent of the funds

raised are donated back to the local food pantries. The route is three miles with one water station. There is a one mile walk for those who would like a shorter walk. Walkers: Please pick up pledge envelopes at the back of church. For more information call Kathy Bower at 973.706.6362. Wwe encourage as many people as possible to raise money and support walkers and the cause of hunger.

OCTOBER LECTOR SCHEDULE

October 15 & 16	October 22 & 23
5:30 PM Ken Foreman	5:30 PM Ashley LoMonaco
8:00 AM Mary Boyle	8:00 AM Maria Maggi
10:00 AM Liz O'Donnell	10:00 AM Tina Vatrano
12:00 PM Anne Marie Abad	12:00 PM Mark Karrs
October 29 & 30	
5:30 PM George Yost	Maria Maggi
8:00 AM Paul DePinto	nd79@optonline.net
10:00 AM Maria Maggi	201.774.5544
12:00 PM Mark Karrs	

RIGHT TO LIFE RAFFLE

After all the masses this weekend, the Knights of Columbus will be selling raffle tickets for the annual New Jersey Right to Life car raffle. Raffle tickets are \$10 each. First prize is a 2023 Volvo XC40 AWD SUV; 2nd Prize is a Shop-Rite Gift Card valued at \$1,000; 3rd Prize: Shop-Rite Gift Card valued at \$750; 4th Prize: Shop-Rite Gift Card valued at \$500. Please support the right to life.

2022 DIOCESAN MINISTRIES APPEAL "ONE BODY IN CHRIST"

The Diocesan Ministries Appeal is a genuine lifeline to many people and that is why every gift matters! Your support helps bring to life the work of our Catholic Charities' agencies each year. It also supports seminarian education, our diocesan priests' residence, extraordinary healthcare needs of our priests and urban elementary education. In addition, parishes receive half of all funds received over their parish goals, with over \$1 million returned last year to parishes - and over \$4.1 million in five years! Please help people in need and support our own parish by making a gift today! For your convenience, you can make an online gift or pledge at www.2022appeal.org.

BISHOP NAVAGH COLUMBIETTES

Navagh Columbiettes Council 5943 Bishop recruiting!!! We are Catholic women who work together to make a difference in today's world. We are thankful to God for all he has given us, and we take time to give to others through our charitable works. Brochures with more details about our wonderful organization are available at the church entrance. Please contact Membership Chairwoman Regina McKniff rmckniff@optonline.net or 973-694-3203.

HOLY SPIRIT COMEDY NIGHT

Holy Spirit Parish will be hosting a Comedy Night at The Holy Spirit School on Saturday, October 22th. Enjoy a night of laughter featuring UNCLE FLOYD & MELVIN GEORGE! Doors open at 7:00 PM. Show begins promptly at 8:30 PM. Tickets purchased by October 11th are \$25 each. Tickets purchased after October 11th will be \$30 each. Coffee and dessert are included. Feel free to bring you own food and drinks for your table. There will also be a small tricky tray and 50/50 for some added fun. For tickets call 973.835.5680 during school hours and on evenings/weekends call or text 862.329.9906. Only adults 21 and older will be permitted. This is a reserved seating event. If purchasing tickets separately, please let us know the party you would like to be seated with when purchasing tickets.





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