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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 **Religious Education:** 973-694-4411

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. Dominik Bakowski, Pastor

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

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.

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 5:00 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.

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WORSHIP

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Fr. Dominik Bakowski ----- 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

Sr. Ellen Byrnes, F.S.P. ----- 973-694-8289

Youth Ministry

Dylan Anderson ymd.andersonst.josephs@gmail.com

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

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Social Activities

Fundraiser/Social Activities

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Warming Bee

Antoinette VanWyck ----- 973-694-1818

Women of Faith

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



PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD ✠ APRIL 10, 2022

MASS INTENTIONS & SCHEDULE

Saturday	5:30 PM	Mary Jane Moloughney – R&M Williams Richard O'Reilly – M O'Reilly
Sunday	8:00 AM	Jenny Santoro – Betty, Frank & Marty Corso
	10:00 AM	Czeslava Hawruk – Sr. Ellen Norman & Catherine Gravino – Fam
	12:00 PM	Pantano Family – J DeMauro
Spanish	7:00 PM	For the Parish

Holy Week Schedule

Monday	8:00 AM	Dino DeFino – A Argenzio
	7:00 PM	Chrism Mass @ Cathedral of St. John the Baptist
Tuesday	8:00 AM	Lorraine Lewandoski – N Dadione Fr. Philip LeBeau – Anniv of Birth
Wednesday	8:00 AM	Marie McCormack – Bono Fam
Holy		
Thursday	7:30 PM	Mass of the Lord's Supper
Good	8:00 AM	Prayer Service
Friday	3:00 PM	Passion of the Lord
	7:30 PM	Stations of the Cross (Confirmation Students)
Holy	8:00 AM	Prayer Service
Saturday	12:00 PM	Blessing of the Food Baskets
	1:00 PM	Blessing of the Food Baskets
	2:00 PM	Blessing of the Food Baskets
	3:00 PM	Blessing of the Food Baskets
Easter Vigil	8:00 PM	For the Parish
Easter	6:00 AM	Polish Mass
Sunday	8:00 AM	For the Parish
	10:00 AM	For the Parish
	12:00 PM	For the Parish
Spanish	7:00 PM	For the Parish
Mass		

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

April 3, 2022:	\$ 5,867
Easter Flowers:	\$ 810
Ukraine:	\$ 200
Building Fund:	\$ 120
2 nd Collection, Franciscan Sisters of Peace	\$ 150
Candles:	\$ 156
Poor Box:	\$ 6
Attendance:	\$ 546

Palm Sunday is the only Sunday of the year when we read two Gospels. The opening rituals of the Mass include the Gospel reading of Jesus triumphal entry into Jerusalem, and we read the Passion of Our Lord Jesus Christ during the usual time for the Gospel.

It was easy on the Sunday before Jesus died for the people to wave palm branches and yell "Hosanna!" when everyone was doing so. It was easy to proclaim, "Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord" when there was no opposition from unbelievers. But what happens during the rest of the week? His disciples begin to leave him when the going gets tough. As soon as things get tough, people flee. The apostles flee from the Garden of Gethsemane. Judas denies Jesus, Peter betrays Him. All that are left are the three women and St. John at the foot of the Cross. It's also easy for us to be disciples at certain times, such as being at Mass or volunteering around our parish. But what about those difficult times? Do we stand up for our faith when people are bashing Catholics? Do we try to share our faith with others, especially those with no faith? Do people at work even know we are Catholics? As we begin Holy Week, think about what Jesus asked Peter in the Garden of Gethsemane: "Could you not keep watch for one hour?" You received the Holy Week and Easter schedule in the mail. Will you try and make one or more of our events for your own spiritual enrichment, so we can proudly be Easter people who proclaim it to all we meet?

FR. ENGLISH

The Warming Bee donated 80 knitted and crocheted items to Fr. English Community Center in Paterson to give to the needy. Thank you to Bill Murphy for delivering the items to Fr. English.



CHRISM MASS

The Chrism Mass will be celebrated on **Monday, April 11th at 7:00 PM at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist in Paterson**. The oils used in baptism, anointing of the sick, confirmation, and ordination are blessed, and priests renew their promises made at ordination. It is a beautiful ceremony and all are welcome to attend.

COLUMBIETTES SPRING FLOWER SALE

The Bishop Navagh Columbiettes are sponsoring a Spring Flower Sale. A variety of flowers are being sold including flats of begonias and impatiens and also hanging baskets of geraniums, fuchsia, and petunias. Fifty Percent of the profits from this flower sale will be donated to a young mother supporting herself and her 2 children and fifty percent will be donated to other local charities. Order forms are in the vestibule of the church. **Orders along with payment must be received by Friday, April 15th**. You can pick up your order at St Joseph's Parking Lot on May 6th or May 7th. See order form for more details.



Every Tuesday during our all-day Eucharistic Adoration, the Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed out loud at 3 PM.

"There are two things the devil is deadly afraid of: fervent communions and frequent visits to the Blessed Sacrament."

Saint John Bosco

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

First Reading: Isaiah 50:4-7

Isaiah describes an individual who had been taught by God to reach out to others. He also describes this individual's willingness to be beaten and spit upon, secure that with God's help, he will not be disgraced.

Second Reading: Philippians 2:6-11

Paul discusses how Jesus did not declare equality with God, but took on human form. He humbled himself enough to accept dying on the cross. God in turn exalted him and wants us to respect Jesus' name and worship him.

Gospel: Luke 22:14—23:56

Luke gives a detailed account of Jesus' last supper with the apostles, where Jesus tells them he will soon suffer in fulfillment of God's will. Then Jesus prayed that he might be spared if it suited God's will. After Judas betrayed Jesus, he was arrested. Although Pilate did not think Jesus was guilty of a crime, he gave in to the will of the people, and sentenced Jesus to death on a cross. Then Jesus was crucified and his body laid in a new tomb.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

GRADES K-6

- Apr 10 Palm Sunday
- Apr 12 Last Day for Grades 5 & 6
- Apr 17 Easter – No Classes
- Apr 24 Instructional Mass – 1st Communion

CONFIRMATION PROGRAM GRADES 7-8

- Apr 13 Classes in School
- Apr 15 Good Friday – Confirmation Students Stations of the Cross
- Apr 17 Easter Sunday
- Apr 20 No Classes – Spring Break
- Apr 27 Presentation in Hall

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

On Good Friday, April 15th, the Stations of the Cross will be at 7:30PM, performed by our Confirmation students.



RICE BOWLS



SHARING GOD'S LOVE

For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. —John 3:16. As we enter Holy Week, we remember how our Lord suffered and died so that each and every one of us might be saved from sin and have eternal life. Reflect on God's infinite love for you. How have you responded to that love this Lent, and how can you share it with others? Visit crsricebowl.org to learn more.

Rice Bowls will be collected this Sunday, **April 10th and on Good Friday, April 15th**. 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. (NO COINS PLEASE!!) Thank you.***

METANOIA PROGRAM

Paul DeLuca is hosting a presentation called Metanoia which was produced by Fr. Dave Pivonka, the President of Franciscan University. The meetings are held every Thursday **in Halloran Hall and will run from 6:30 – 8:00 PM**. There is no need to sign up, just come and join the fun!

**hosanna
Son of David**



GRIEF GROUP



The Grief Support Group of St. Joseph's Parish in Lincoln Park, NJ will begin another six week session. The group 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.

APRIL LECTOR SCHEDULE

April 9/10 (Palm Sunday)	April 14 (Holy Thursday)
5:30 PM Gale Tedeschi Ashley LoMonaco	7:30 PM Tina Vatrano
8:00 AM Mary Boyle Gina Deppert	April 15 (Good Friday)
10:00 AM Aileen Lange Liz O'Connell	3:00 PM Ellen Corbiere
12:00 PM Tony Rafael Cristina Hucalla	
April 16 (Easter Vigil)	April 17 (Easter Sunday)
8:00 PM AnneMarie Abad Tony Rafael	8:00 AM Dan Blewitt 10:00 AM Jack Caputo 12:00 PM Cristina Hucalla
April 23/24	April 30/May 1
5:30 PM Gale Tedeschi 8:00 AM Paul DePinto 10:00 AM Maria Maggi 12:00 PM Aileen Lange	5:30 PM George Yost 8:00 AM TBD 10:00 AM Tina Vatrano 12:00 PM Tony Rafael
Maria Maggi Cell: 201.774.5544 Email: nd79@optonline.net	



Our annual Golf Outing will continue this year on **Monday, May 9th** at the **Balleyowen Golf Club**, Hamburg, NJ. Registration begins at **7:30 AM**. Shot-Gun Start approximately 9:00 AM. Cost is **\$160 per player** and includes: greens fees, cart, breakfast, dinner & gratuities and prizes. Sign up forms are in the back of church or contact Bob Reiss @ reiss402@optonline.net or 973.694.8951.

OPEN HOUSE

MHC Academy in North Haledon is hosting their Spring Open House on **Thursday, April 28th at 6:30 PM**. You must pre-register at MaryHelp.org/OHREG. It is never too early to start looking!

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PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

"Christ Jesus, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God something to be grasped. Rather, he emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, coming in human likeness, and found human in appearance, he humbled himself becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross... That at the name of Jesus every knee should bend...and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord."

St. Paul's letter, probably an early Christian hymn, sets the tone for we who wish to know the Lord, accept His grace, and live fully our Christian lives. Take a minute to review some of these poignant words... He did not hold on to godhead, but reached out to us...He did not give just something of Himself, but emptied, until the last drop of His blood...identified with our humanity, except for sin, and died a horrible death by crucifixion.

As I begin this Holy Week, how do I respond? Do I want to grasp Him, cling to Him? How much of myself do I wish to give in return for His total giving for me? Will this Holy Week find me uniting my suffering and pain to that of Jesus who continues to suffer in persecuted Christians, the poor and marginalized?

As Cardinal Tobin wrote, the passion of Christ continues today, and immigrants are the actors.

HIS WORD TODAY

BY REV. WILLIAM J. REILLY

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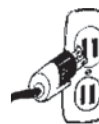
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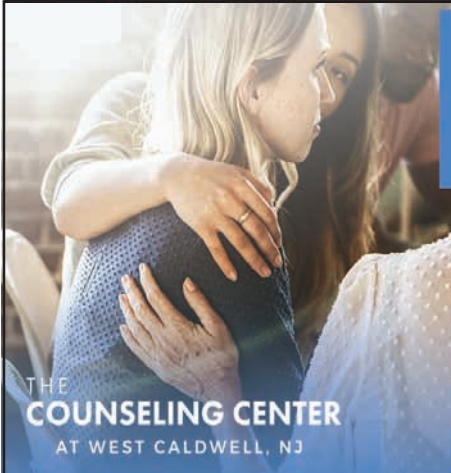
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