

MARCH 17, 2024 • FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

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Feast of
St. Joseph

MARCH 19

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2024 MASS SCHEDULE Sat Vigil: 5:30 pm • Sun: 7:30, 10:30 am & 5:00 pm
DAILY MASS 7:00 am & 9:00 am; Sat: 8 am • **HOLY DAYS** As Announced

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the people of God of Saint Joseph Roman Catholic community, Empowered by the Holy Spirit, must manifest to the city of Kingston, New York, and to the world, a clear vision of God's plan for His kingdom as we strive to grow in relationship with Jesus Christ, one another, and the Universal Church.

We endeavor to be a welcoming parish, and are dedicated to creating an environment of faith through Sacred Scripture, Sacred Tradition, Sacred Liturgy and by the reception of the Holy Sacraments, study, stewardship, and action, so that in union with our Triune Godhead, we may build up the Kingdom of God. Sharing these ministries, as the Mystical Body of Christ, we as the People of God at St. Joseph Parish challenge ourselves to witness to the truth of His Church in Word and Deed to one and all.

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

8:30 am - 3:30 pm or call to
make appointment with a
Priest or Deacon

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 4:30 pm - 5:15 pm

EXPOSITION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT & MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

Adoration: Monday mornings
after the 7 am and 9 am Masses
until 3 pm in the chapel.

Miraculous Medal Novena after
the 7 am & 9 am Masses. Divine
Mercy Chaplet at 2:30 pm
followed by Benediction

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Eucharistic Chapel
469 Delaware Avenue
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BAPTISM

Call the Rectory to arrange to
have your child Baptized.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Call the Parish Office for Home
or Hospital Visitation as well as
for the Reception of Holy
Communion.

WEDDINGS

Contact the Parish Office at
least six months before the date
of your wedding.

ROSARY FOR LIFE

After the 7:00 am & 9:00 am
Weekday Masses

PARISH BULLETIN SUBMISSION

At least 7 days before the
publication date requested.
Send to: sjrc242@gmail.com or
drop off your announcement at
the Parish Office.

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5:30 p.m. **Mary Spada** † by Anna & Ken Brett

Sunday, March 17: Fifth Sunday of Lent

7:30 a.m. **Msgr. Robert Hickey** † by Ginny DiMuccio

10:30 a.m. **Paul Kaman, Sr.** † by The Estate of
Carole-Lee Wojciehowski

5:00 p.m. **Theresa M. Donnelly** † by E. McGuire

Monday, March 18: Lenten Weekday

7:00 a.m. **Living & Deceased Parishioners**

9:00 a.m. **David McEvoy** † by Laurie & Roddy

Tuesday, March 19: Feast of St Joseph

7:00 a.m. **Maragret, Milton, Charles & Jim VanDuser**
by Al & Nan Gruner

9:00 a.m. **Josephine Friedlein** † by Anna Marie Werling

Wednesday, March 20: Lenten Weekday

7:00 a.m. **Alfred Lawler** †

9:00 a.m. **Kathleen Maurer** † by Mary & Bob Netter

Thursday, March 21: Lenten Weekday

7:00 a.m. **Carole-Lee Wojciehowski & Kathryn & Leo
Wojciehowski, Sr.** † by The Estate of
Carole-Lee Wojciehowski

9:00 a.m. **Dr. Vittorio DePippo** † by Maria DePippo

Friday, March 22: Lenten Weekday

7:00 a.m. **Kevin J. Colleran** † by Ginny DiMuccio

9:00 a.m. **Paul Peter Orgus** † by Marilyn Orgus

Saturday, March 23: Lenten Weekday

8:00 a.m. **Mildred McCormick** † by Mary & Bob Netter

5:30 p.m. **Patricia C. Ferraro** † by E. McGuire

Sunday, March 24: Palm Sunday

7:30 a.m. **Philip & Helen Battaglia** † by Diane Blakely

10:30 a.m. **John J. McCloskey** † by Philis McCloskey

5:00 p.m. **Gloria Martinez** †

Fifth Sunday of Lent



PARISH COLLECTION REPORT

March 9 & 10 In-pew \$ 3,730

February WeShare \$ 5,966

Maint. & Repairs 325

Religious Ed. \$ 127

Catholic Relief Services \$ 676

Votives \$ 77

MARCH 19 ~ FEAST OF OUR PATRON SAINT JOSEPH

Join us for the 7AM or 9AM Mass
in the main church

Everything we know about the husband of Mary and the foster father of Jesus comes from Scripture. We know he was a carpenter, a working man, and he wasn't rich for when he took Jesus to the Temple he offered the sacrifice of two turtledoves or a pair of pigeons, allowed only for those who could not afford a lamb (Lk. 2:24).



Despite his humble work and means, Joseph came from a royal lineage. Luke and Matthew disagree some about the details of Joseph's genealogy but they both mark his descent from David, the greatest king of Israel (Mt. 1:1-16 & Lk.3:23-38). Indeed the angel who first tells Joseph about Jesus greets him as "son of David," a royal title used also for Jesus.

We know Joseph was a compassionate, caring man. When he discovered Mary was pregnant after they had been betrothed, he knew the child was not his and as yet unaware that she was carrying the Son of God, he resolved to send her away quietly to not expose her to shame or cruelty. However, when the angel came to Joseph in a dream, he did as the angel told him (Mt 1:19-25).

When the angel came again to tell him that his family was in danger, he immediately left everything he owned, all his family and friends, and fled to a strange country with his young wife and the baby. He waited in Egypt without question until the angel told him it was safe to go back (Mt. 2:13-23).

We know Joseph loved Jesus. His one concern was for the safety of this child entrusted to him. Not only did he leave his home to protect Jesus, but upon his return settled in the obscure town of Nazareth out of fear for his life. When Jesus stayed in the Temple we are told Joseph (along with Mary) searched with great anxiety for three days for him (Lk. 2:48). We also know that Joseph treated Jesus as his own son for the people of Nazareth often said of Jesus, "Is this not the son of Joseph?" (Lk. 4:22)

We know Joseph respected God. He followed God's commands, for example, had Jesus circumcised and Mary purified after Jesus' birth, and he took his family to Jerusalem every year for Passover.

Since Joseph does not appear in Jesus' public life, at his death, or resurrection, many historians believe Joseph probably had died before Jesus entered public ministry.
Catholic.org

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Chapel **Main Church** **Gym** **Parish Center Meeting Room**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
18 MARCH 7:00AM MASS 9:00AM MASS EXPOSITION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT between the 7AM & 9AM MASSES until 2:30 Chapel MIRACULOUS MEDAL & DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET 2:00 HOLY FAMILY DINNER 5:30-6:30PM (Parish Center)	19 7:00AM MASS 9:00AM MASS Feastday of ST. JOSEPH Masses in Main Church PICKLEBALL 9AM-1PM and 7-9PM GYM	20 7:00AM MASS 9:00AM MASS RELIGIOUS ED. IN SESSION 6-7:30PM	21 7:00AM MASS 9:00AM MASS PICKLEBALL 9-1 G CHOIR REHEARSAL 7:00-8:30PM Chapel	22 7:00AM MASS 9:00AM MASS PICKLEBALL 9AM 1PM GYM STATIONS OF THE CROSS 6PM (Chapel)	23 8:00AM MASS CONFESSIONS 4:30-5:15PM 5:30PM VIGIL MASS	24 7:30AM MASS 10:30AM MASS  PALM PASSION SUNDAY 5:00PM MASS TEEN GROUP MEETING

MARCH 23 & 24, 2024 LITURGICAL MINISTER SCHEDULE

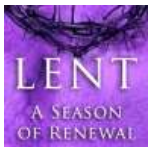
Mass		Lector	Eucharistic Minister	Altar Server
<i>Saturday 5:30 p.m.</i>	Msgr. Sullivan	G Gubinski/ M Graziano	E & P Sinagra	C Weishaupt/ A Klein
<i>Sunday 7:30 a.m.</i>	Fr. Kevin	B VanAllen	B VanAllen/ R Rahilly	TBD
<i>Sunday 10:30 a.m.</i>	Msgr. Sullivan	K Chee/ Deacon Cranston	E & C Reyman	M & B Reuben
<i>Sunday 5:00 p.m.</i>	Fr. Cyprien	D Sutkowski	C Argulewicz/ N Gagnon	TBD
<i>Holy Thursday 6:30 p.m.</i>	Fr. Cyprien	M Graziano	G DiMuccio/P Sinagra	R & R Plotena
<i>Good Friday 3:00 p.m.</i>	Fr. Kevin	Choir chants the Passion	C Argulewicz/ N Mazzola	TBD

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

March 20 - Religious Ed Classes are in session

PRAYER FOR RCIA CANDIDATES & CATECHUMENS

Eternal God, please help us, according to your divine will, help those whom you have called, and pour out your Holy Spirit to work through us to set all our hearts afire for Your Kingdom. We ask this through Your Son Jesus, who is the Way, the Truth and the Life for all. Amen.



Please pray for all of our parishioners who are homebound, in healthcare facilities or seriously ill, especially Daniel Callahan, Tom Cerwonka, Margarita Davin, Deacon Joe Dougherty, Deidre Gianati, Crystal Goodman, George Habernig, James Juanis, Dottie Krempf, Michael Knopski, Philis McCloskey, Karen O'Connor, Sean O'Connor, Irene Roudis & Henry Rowan.

ST. JOSEPH TEEN GROUP

March 17, Sunday - Teen Group is hosting a Pancake Breakfast, 8:30-12:30, Parish Meeting Room.

March 24, Palm Sunday - There will be a Teen Group Meeting after the 5:00 PM Mass

Opportunities for Confession

Saturdays in the Church
4:30 - 5:15 PM

Reconciliation Monday March 25
2 - 4 & 6 - 8 PM

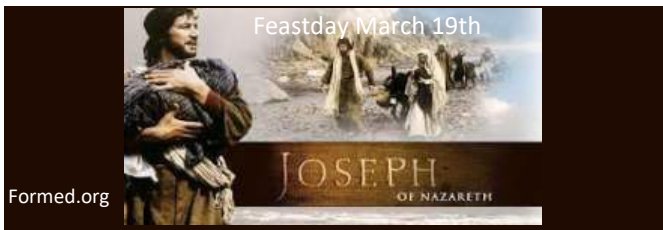
Holy Family Outreach Dinner

Monday ~ March 18, 2024

5:30 - 6:30 PM

Parish Center Meeting Room

Delicious Meal Free - All are welcome!



JOSEPH OF NAZARETH:

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The first feature film ever on the story of St. Joseph. Scripture tells us that he was a "just man" and that God gave him the most daunting task ever asked of a man—to be the husband of the woman who would give birth to the Messiah and the father and protector of this Holy Family. He would be the man closest to Christ.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Each **Monday** morning (except holidays), the **Blessed Sacrament is exposed after the 7:00AM and 9:00AM Masses.** The Miraculous Medal Novena is said at the close of each of those Masses. The Divine Mercy Chaplet is prayed at 2:30PM with Benediction. ***Please join us.***



Prayer for the Faithful by St. Patrick

*May the Strength of God guide us
May the Power of God preserve us
May the Wisdom of God instruct us
May the Hand of God protect us
May the Way of God direct us
May the Shield of God defend us
May the Angels of God guard us
Against the snares of the evil one.*

*May Christ be with us!
May Christ be before us!
May Christ be in us!
Christ be over all!*

This day, O Lord, and forevermore. Amen

K of C LENTEN ESSAY CONTEST!

"WHAT DOES MY CATHOLIC FAITH MEAN TO ME"

+ **Who can enter?** Grades 3-5 (100-150 words),
Grades 6-8 (300-500), Grades 9-12 (500-750).

+ **Prizes will be awarded!** End date **April 15th.**

+ **Three Ways to Enter:**

1. Essay page on this site (best way)
2. Email to webmasterkofc275@gmail.com
3. Mail to Robert Santiago PO Box 1547 Kingston.

If you mail or email, make sure to include your Full Name, grade, and parent telephone # to contact you.

Holy Week & Easter Schedule

Palm / Passion Sunday Vigil - March 23

Mass 5:30 p.m.

Palm / Passion Sunday - March 24

Masses 7:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., & 5:00 p.m.

Reconciliation Monday - March 25

Confession 2:00-4:00 p.m. & 6:00-8:00 p.m.

Holy Thursday - March 28

Tenebrae | 9:00 a.m.

Mass of the Lord's Supper | 6:30 p.m.

Adoration until 10:00 p.m.

Good Friday - March 29

Tenebrae | 9:00 a.m.

The Lord's Passion | 3:00 p.m.

Stations of the Cross | 6:30 p.m.

Holy Saturday - March 30

Tenebrae | 9:00 a.m.

Easter Vigil | 8:00 p.m.

Easter Sunday

of the Resurrection of the Lord - March 31

Masses 7:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., & 5:00 p.m.

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ST. JOSEPH TEEN GROUP
St. Patrick's Day
PANCAKE
BREAKFAST

TODAY, MARCH 17, 8:30AM -12:30PM

After Mass, treat the family to delicious pancakes, scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage, coffee and juice which will be served in the Parish Center. The cost is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children age 10 and younger. Hosted by the St. Joseph Teen Group. See you there!

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**CAPUCHIN FAMILY MINISTRIES
2024 SUMMER EXPERIENCES**

Don't miss **EARLY REGISTRATION DISCOUNTS** by March 23

For details, registration, and other info,
see the fliers posted, visit CYFM.ORG,
or email myannitelli@capuchin.org



Presented by the Cultural Committee
&
Community Care Program

UCIAF will be having a St. Joseph's Day Table and
Food Drive on **March 17th** at
St. Mary's-St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church 9am-1pm
Event will be held in the Divine Mercy Meeting Room
160 Broadway, Kingston, NY 12401

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