Church of Saint Joseph

The Celebration of The Eucharist

Monday, September 11th 9:00 a.m. Alfred Mohr 7:30 p.m. Frank Skidmore

Tuesday, September 12th 9:00 a.m. Paul DeBacco

Wednesday, September 13th 9:00 a.m. Deborah O'Connell

Thursday, September 14th 9:00 a.m. Sabina & Gaetano Anginoli

Friday, September 15th 9:00 a.m. For The People

Saturday, September 16th 8:00 a.m. Joyce Fredericks 5:00 p.m. Zachary Lopian

Sunday, September 17th 7:30 a.m. Henry Oswald 9:30 a.m. Peter Cavalero 11:30 a.m. Vincent Capuano

Reconciliation: Saturdays 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

Baptisms:

First & Third Sundays of the Month



FOCUS: Let our lives be rooted in love. Today's second reading reminds us that our lives are to be rooted in love, for love fulfills the law. More specifically, the more we are able to love God with our whole being and to love our neighbor as ourselves, the more we will keep the commandments and experience the blessings God wishes to bestow on us such as peace, joy and fulfillment.



Readings for Next Weekend

First Reading: Second Reading: Third Reading: Sirach 27:30—28:7 Romans 14:7-9 Matthew 18:21-35

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1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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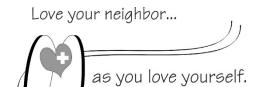
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Parish Mission Statement

To Enable Parishioners to Live Their Christian Vocation in the World.



If you are going into the hospital and would like a priest to visit you there, please call the Parish House at $973 \sim 543 \sim 5950$ to inform the priest.



We welcome the Giovacco, Miller, Minetti & Mitchell families who recently joined our parish. Welcome and God Bless!



Sunday Offering

September 3, 2017: \$7,734 Outreach: \$ 347

Thank you for your generous spirit! Fr. Joe



The 2017 Bishop's Annual Appeal is currently underway. This year, the theme of the Appeal is "In Giving, We Receive." By being generous with our God-given gifts, we not only help people in need, but we also help ourselves. Jesus reminds us of the blessings that come from being good stewards. The Bishop's Annual Appeal supports four causes: our Catholic Charities agencies; seminarian education; Nazareth Village, our diocesan priests' retirement residence; and our inner-city area elementary schools. You can help make this year's Appeal an even greater success by making a generous pledge today. Every single gift is important, valued and changes lives. Whatever you do to help is a profound blessing!

Fr. Stephen is very excited to announce a Young Adult Pilgrimage to Rome from May 21-29, 2018. After living in Rome for five years, Fr. Stephen has acquired a great knowledge of and love for the city and hopes to share it with our young adults. So why is the trip only for young adults? According to the data out there, 50% of Millennials raised Catholic no longer identify as Catholic today. There is a crisis going on in our Church and we need to reach out to our young adults! Fr. Stephen hopes that young adults who come on this trip are able to rediscover Catholicism, to see their faith come alive before their eyes, and to find a supportive group of peers from their local community who are seeking the truth and striving to live a good life. If you are a young adult (18-40 years old), please consider this trip. The early registration deadline is November 21.

A New RCIA Year ~ We extend an open invitation to anyone who may be thinking of becoming a Catholic or would just like information about the Catholic teachings. Each year, our parish sponsors a Rite of Christian Initiation program to prepare adult candidates for entrance into the Catholic community. This year, it will begin on Thursday, October 12. The RCIA program is open to all unbaptized inquirers, to members of other Christian denominations, and to baptized Catholics who have not received the sacraments of Eucharist and/or Confirmation. RCIA is also open to any Catholic who is returning to the practice of their faith. Please call Fr. Joe at the Parish House for more information, 973-543-5950.

A **Pastoral Advisory Board** is a parochial structure consisting of representative members of the parish who form one body with the pastor in fulfilling the Church's ministry. Theologically, the right and duty of the laity to participate in parish councils is rooted in the grace of Baptism and Confirmation. Born out of the need for co-responsible leadership, the parish council is the focus for the effective participation of clergy and laity in the total mission of the parish as called for in Vatican II. According to Vatican II, one of the chief principles of the apostolate of the Church is that the laity should shoulder all the tasks that belong to their vocation in the Church and in the world. This does not by any means imply disrupting the community; but rather, strengthening it. Representative spiritual leadership efficiency in accomplishing pastoral goals, spiritual growth and renewal, as well as the utilization of sound administrative procedures are some of the values that indicate a need for a Pastoral Advisory Board The Pastoral Advisory Board is a vital component of our parish life. Our 2017 - 2018 PAB members are Father Joe, Pastor; Fr. Stephen, Parochial Vicar; Lori Arends, Principal SJS; Marian West, HSA President; Mary Pat Davies, Director of Music Ministries; Lisa Mauriello, Parish Finance

Manager; Annette Tracy, Director of Religious Education; Mark Tosso, Confirmation Coordinator and Youth Minister; Diane Quaglia, Calendar/Admin. Asst.; Robert Cooley, Maintenance - Buildings and Sites; Ursula Duffy, Human Concerns; Colleen Dolan, Respect Life; Corrine Vollmuth, Bethany; Beverly Ryan, Spiritual Life; Bill Gilligan, Parish Trustee, Liturgy; Mort O'Shea, Parish Trustee; Jane McCarthy, Interfaith; and Jack Diegnan, Youth Representative.

Hospitality Volunteers needed ~ We will begin serving coffee and donuts in the gym on CCD Sundays, immediately following the 9:30 a.m. Mass. If you can help set up, clean up and/or pick up the donuts in

Chester on any of these CCD Sundays, please contact Eileen at egehsmann@msn.com. Thank you!

Upcoming Parish Coffee Sundays ~ September 17, 24

All parishioners who love to sing are invited to join the Adult Choir! This choir sings on Sunday mornings at the 9:30 a.m. Mass. Choir rehearsals are held on Thursday evenings at 7:30 p.m. in the church. We are currently accepting all four voice parts - sopranos, altos, tenors and basses. For more information, please contact Mary Pat Davies at 973-543-7474, ext. 314. Remember ~ he who sings once ~ prays twice.

Online Giving ~ If you currently give online through ParishPay, your account will soon be transferred to WeShare, our new online giving provider. This transfer ensures that your scheduled transactions will continue to be received by the parish as scheduled. The security of your personal information is important to us. If you want to make any changes to your account or adjust your giving amount, **WeShare** requires a one-time security verification to provide you access. To successfully complete the verification process you will need: Your ParishPay User Name, the last four digits of the bank account or credit card that is currently being used for your donations, and ONE of the following two options: the email you used to register with ParishPay OR a collection name and the specific amount donated in the last six months. Once verification is complete, you will receive a confirmation email with a link to our new WeShare site. Please bookmark or save this link for future access.

For the safety of your children ~ We ask that parents accompany young children when they use the bathroom during Mass.

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Worship

The Rosary is prayed weekdays at 8:30 a.m. in the chapel.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place every Friday, beginning September 15, after the 9:00 a.m. Mass. (9:30-10:30 a.m.) and every first Saturday, beginning October 7, after the 8:00 a.m. Mass $(8:30 \sim 9:30$ a.m.). Saturday's Holy Hour is devoted to Mary, Mother of all the living. We offer our prayers for all those who are suffering and hurting, especially those affected by abuse and abortion. Please consider devoting some time in quiet prayer with our Lord — it's good for the soul! For more information, please contact Fr. Stephen at the Parish House.

Every Monday, following 9:00 a.m. Mass, the **Divine Mercy Chaplet and Novena** is prayed for all those who are suffering from cancer and other serious illnesses. Please join us in the chapel. For information, call the Parish House.



Spiritual Enrichment



Bible Study begins on Wednesday, September 13 with Father Stephen. Last year was a fruitful year for Bible

Study. We have been looking ahead each week toward the readings for the weekend, using the Catholic Commentary on Sacred Scripture as our guide. This commentary is edited by a number of big-named American Catholic biblical scholars such as Scott Hahn, William Kurz, SJ, and Curtis Mitch. This year we will continue with our weekly preparation for the Sunday readings. It is a great way to have a better understanding of what we hear at Mass and allows God to really touch our hearts through his Word. Faith sharing is also an organic part of our discussion. Members share how the Word of God takes root in their personal lives. Bible Study is open to anyone, so please come if your schedule allows. There is no commitment to this group. You need not be there each week. We meet weekly in the Christopher House at 9:30 on Wednesdays.

The Men's Discussion Group will meet on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month, beginning on September 23, from 8:30 a.m. to 10 a.m. in the East Room. This forum provides presentations and open discussions on a variety of topics to promote a deeper understanding of our Catholic faith. Please call Bob Manthey at 973-543-2129 for details.



Ministry to Life

The annual **NJ Right to Life raffle** sale will be held at St. Joseph's this weekend. 1st prize -2018 Volvo XC60 AWD SUV, valued at \$43,500. 2nd, 3rd and 4th prizes are Shop-Rite gift cards valued at \$1000, \$750 & \$500. Chances are \$10. Please feel lucky and buy one for a good cause - LIFE.



The Sacrament of The Anointing of the Sick

Not a Sacrament for the dying only! Please call the Parish House to inform one of our priests that a family member needs the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick before the person becomes gravely ill. This sacrament may be repeated. It is also appropriate to receive this sacrament prior to surgery. "If circumstances suggest it, the celebration of the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick can be preceded by the Sacrament of Penance." (1140, The Catechism of the Catholic Church)



St. Joseph School News

St. Joseph School Where Faith, Family, and Education Come Together.

Congratulations to 8th grade student Marisa Snee whose "mission patch" artwork was selected from hundreds of entries, by the Buehler Challenger & Science Center for their 2017 holiday card. Marisa's artwork will be on the cover of 2,000 cards sent out by the Center.

Back to School Night is this Thursday, September 14. The program will begin promptly at 7:00 p.m. in the gym.

The first full week of school will end with all students being treated to an **ice cream social** that is being sponsored by the Student Council. The 10th Annual **Peter G. Cavalero Memorial Golf Outing** will be held on Monday, October 2, at Fiddler's Elbow Country Club in Bedminster. All proceeds from the event benefit St. Joseph School. Please mark your calendars and plan to join us! For more information, contact Lynne Connor at 678-689-4247.

St. Joseph School has some openings for students in the lower grades. We were designated a *National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence* in 2012, are AdvancED Accredited and a STEM school. For more information, please call 973-543-7474 ext. 7 or visit us at www.sjsmendham.org. St. Joseph School Where Faith, Family and Education Come Together.

Please visit us at <u>sjsmendham.org</u> for all of the latest news and events happening at St. Joseph School.



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FIRST DAY OF CLASS Grades K-8:

Drop off in the GYM / Pick up in the CAFETERIA

Faith Group (K~6)

Sunday morning, September 10, 9:45 a.m.

Hope Group (1~6)

Sunday morning, September 17, 9:45 a.m.

Love Group (1~6)

Monday afternoon, September 25, 4:00 p.m.

TLC Group (7~8)

Monday night, September 25, 7:00 p.m.

<u>Grade 6 Movie Night</u> ~ All 6th graders are invited



to watch the movie "The Prince of Egypt" as a supplement to what you are learning in class. This will take place in the cafeteria from 6:00 - 8:30 p.m. on the following Friday

nights. Please select the night that works best for you and RSVP to Mrs. Tracy:

Friday, September 15 **OR** Friday, September 22



Confirmation ~ Year 1 & Year II (Grades 9 & 10)

Our Confirmation program begins on **Sunday**, **September 10**, **5:00 – 6:30 p.m.** for both Year I and Year II candidates.



Teen News

High School Youth Ministry

Mass & Bagels ~ Start the week off right with 6:30 a.m. Mass in the chapel and then enjoy fresh, hot bagels in the East Room before heading off to school. Our first Mass and Bagels of the year will be tomorrow, Monday, September 11.

If you'd like to be added to our email list, please contact Mark Tosso at tosso@stjoesmendham.org.

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Diocese of Paterson

SILVER AND GOLD WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS - Sunday, November 5, 2017 at 4:00 p.m. Couples, were you married in 1967 or 1992? You are warmly invited to celebrate your 25th or 50th Wedding Anniversary with the Church of Paterson. Bishop Serratelli will be the main celebrant at Mass at The Cathedral of St. John the Baptist in Paterson. Arrangements can be made by contacting the Parish House. Registrations will be accepted through Tuesday, October 17. Information will be sent from the Office of Family Life once your registration has been processed. Congratulations on this joyous occasion!

There is still time to sign up for the **2017 Diocesan Pilgrimage** this October 21 hosted by the Diocese of Paterson. The trip to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception will provide the faithful the opportunity to join parishioners throughout the diocese to join in a prayer - filled day that includes Mass, Confession, Rosary, Divine Mercy, and Catechetical presentations. We are asking parishioners to contact either Corrine Vollmuth (973-543-4468) or Cliff Straub (973-543-6469). A brochure is available for more information by contacting the Diocesan Pilgrimage office at 973-728-8162.

"Pizza Night for Women" ~ Monday, September 25, from 7 – 9 p.m. at Pope John XXIII High School, in Sparta with Bishop Serratelli. This event will be open to high - school and college - aged women discerning their vocation. For details, please contact the office of the Delegate for Religious at 973-777-8818, ext. 207, or kerry@patersondiocese.org.

Parishioners, please note: On our Diocesan website, www.patersondiocese.org, there is the Advance Directive for End of Life Issues available for printing. This directive has been approved by the Bishops of New Jersey.



Save The Date ~ The Knights of Columbus' Annual Wine Tasting Event on Saturday, November 4, at 6:30 p.m. in the Gym.

The Knights will host the **9/11 Memorial Mass** in the chapel at 7:30 p.m.

The Installation Ceremony for new officers will take place on Thursday, September 28, in the chapel at 7:30 p.m. ~ a reception will follow. All Knights and their families are welcome to attend.

Become a Knight ~ If you would like to be a member of the Saint Joseph Knights of Columbus, please contact Tom Quaglia at 908-347-9660 or tquaglia@ptc.com

Please visit us on our website: http://www.stjoesmendhamknights.org

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Human Concerns

Fall Frozen Meal Collection ~ You can impact the life of one hungry family at the Father English Center by preparing a dinner for them. The weekend of September 16 and 17, we will be handing out aluminum pans. Each contains suggested recipes for a nourishing meal or you can prepare one of your own. Please take a pan, make a dinner and freeze The frozen meals should be returned on Saturday, September 23, between 8:30 & 10:00 a.m. at the St. Joseph School entrance. A truck from the Father English Center will be there to collect the frozen dinners and deliver them directly to the Center. If it is impossible to deliver your dinner on Saturday, a cooler will be in the narthex of the church on Friday, September 22, from noon to 3:00 p.m. Please call Barbara Nutt at 973-543-2444 or Mary Creamer at 973-543-9522 with any questions. Thank you for your continued generosity!

Please continue to help stock the shelves at Bob and Carol's Food Pantry at the Father English Center in Paterson. The pantry is in serious need of the following items: rice, canned soups, canned beans, pasta, and pasta sauces. Place your donations in the bin at the west entrance ONLY. If you have any questions regarding this request, please call Emily Wood, 973-543-3445. Thank you!

Please note: St. Joseph Church **no longer collects clothing donations.** We will continue to collect nonperishable food items. If you have other items to donate to the Father English Center, please call Adi Conover at 973-543-0248.

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E-Mail:	Would you like to join our Parish E-mail List?:			
Husband:			Religion:	
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Children	Date of Birth	Religion	School & Grade	
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