

Oradell/New Milford, NJ

Saint Joseph

Roman Catholic Church

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time~ January 16, 2022

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PASTOR:

Msgr. David C. Hubba
PAROCHIAL VICARS:
Rev. John Z. Radwan
Rev. Christian G. Scalo
DEACON:
George Montalvo
PASTOR EMERITUS:
Rev. George M. Reilly

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 7:30am, 9am, 10:30 am, 12 noon DAILY Weekdays 7:00 am

& 8:30 am **Saturday** 8:30 am

HOLY DAYS

as announced

Miraculous Medal Novena Monday, 7:00 pm in Mary's Chapel

Eucharistic Adoration

First Wed. of Month 9 am—5 pm in MC

SACRAMENTS

Confession: Saturday, 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Baptism

Contact the Parish Office

Marriage

Arrangements should be made with a priest at least one year in advance.

Homebound/Hospital

Call Parish Office

Christian Initiation of Adults—RCIA

Contact Parish Office

PARISH REGISTRATION

Contact Parish Office

Bringing the Joy of Christmas into the New Year (See page 2.)





Office	Location	Phone	Email/Fax	Website
Parish Office	105 Harrison St., New Milford	201-261-0148	office@sjcnj.org	sjenj.org
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Saint Joseph School the greenhouse PreK		201-261-2388	office@sjsusa.org	sjsusa.org

Parish Office Hours: Mon.-Fri.: 9:00 am-2:00 pm. YOU MUST TELEPHONE FIRST (201-261-0148)







Our annual Christmas concert under the direction of Monroe Quinn was again a huge hit! Featured performers included our Adult Choir (1), solosists Elena Gutierrez (2), Sean Farley (4), Josephine Peacock (3), Ivana Joy Kunc (6) and Danielle Gherardi (8) as well as Fr. Christian Scalo (5-on piano), Monroe Quinn (7-on guitar) and Rich Leavy (9-on drums).















Photos are courtesy of **Ellen Philpott Solinas**. Check out many more of her wonderful photographs of the event on our parish Facebook page at **facebook.com/church.st.joseph** We hope to have the concert (filmed by **Charles Beltran**) posted shortly on our YouTube channel.

THANK YOU FROM LITURGICAL ART & ENVIRONMENT

"Our church was so beautifully decorated for Christmas by many volunteers this season. We are so thankful for all the helping hands—many of whom have helped for years, but also many who came for the first time.

Father John's artistic talent is wonderfully welcomed. We would never be able to do it all without everyone's help. We greatly appreciate the assistance of our **Youth Ministry** and our **Confirmation students**.



Thank you all for making our church look so beautiful. (See cover of bulletin.) Prayers for a blessed New Year from your ever grateful Art and Environment Committee." —**Teresa Glenn**, Chairperson



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Some significant people died in 2021:

Of religious interest:

- Hans Küng: The Catholic world's most prominent dissident theologian, who was also, somewhat surprisingly, close to Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI, despite their many disagreements.
- **Fr. Joseph Koterski, SJ:** A philosophy teacher and writer who died while preaching a retreat. Known for his zeal for discipleship and his love for the Western tradition's Great Books, he served as a chaplain to the Missionaries of Charity and to the Sisters of Life, and used to be a pretty good boxer.
- Anglican Archbishop Desmond Tutu: With Nelson Mandela (a prisoner for almost 30 years), he was a key figure in ridding South Africa of its segregationist apartheid ways. When a woman referred to him as Archbishop Mandela during a visit to California, he showed his typical good humor by replying to her, "So, you are getting two for the price of one!" He once plunged into an angry mob that was about to set fire to an accused snitch, saving his life.

Writers:

 Lawrence Ferlinghetti: Poet, publisher and owner of San Francisco's famous City Lights (continued above) Bookstore. In his novel *Little Boy*, published when he was nearly 100, he asked, "Am I the consciousness of a generation or just some old fool sounding off and trying to escape the dominant materialist avaricious consciousness of America?"

- **Anne Rice:** Her books, mostly on vampires, sold more than 150 million copies. A onetime convert to Catholicism, she soon left the Faith.
- **Jonathan Spence:** A Yale scholar who specialized in books about Chinese history, which included his superb work *The Memory Palace of Matteo Ricci*, on the early Jesuit who sought to win over China's influential mandarins by bringing them the fruits of Western science and learning.

Msgr. David Hubba

NOTE: In last week's "From the Pastor's Deak," it was mentioned that India's government, led by th Hindu-dominated party of Prime Minister Narendra Modi, barred a charity founded by Mother Teresa from accepting foreign donations for its charitable work. It has since been announced that approval for the missionary group to receive foreign funding has been restored. India's Ministry of Home Affairs did not say what prompted the reversal.



M.O.M. Meeting —JANUARY 27

The Ministry of Motherhood invites all mothers to our monthly prayer meeting,
Thursday, January 27 from
7:30-8:30 pm. Please note we will be hosting a Zoom meeting

this month and hope to return to in-person next month.

If you would like to attend the Zoom or to learn more about M.O.M., please email us at **ministryofmotherhoodsjc@gmail.com** and we will share the link.

Feel free to call/text **Jeannie Tenaglia** at **201-725-1131** or **Maureen Hunt** at **908-770-2969**. Follow us on our new **Instagram** at **instagram.com/ministryofmotherhood_sic/**



VOLUNTEERS REQUESTED

On behalf of Saint Joseph Parish, our sacristan, **Tom Moran**, would like to thank parishioners **Mike Humisaton**, **Eileen DeBari** and **Frank DeBari** for

their assistance setting up and serving at **funeral Masses** at Saint Joseph.

If you are interested in volunteering to help in this very important ministry, please contact Tom at **tmoran61@gmail.com** You do not need previous experience. Training will be provided.

COMMUNICATING GOD'S WORD

You can still donate to the Archdiocesan campaign **Communicating God's Word** to help the Church spread the Gospel through the media locally and nationally. Use your parish envelope or write your check to "Saint Joseph Church" and memo it "CCC." You can drop your check in the collection basket or mail it to 105 Harrison Street, New Milford, NJ 07646.



Saturday January 15, 2022

5:00 pm Edward & Marguerite Jackson

SundayJanuary 16, 20227:30 amPeople of the Parish9:00 amRudolph J. Wagner10:30 amMarie Chiarella12:00 pmBruce Henry

4:00 pm Michael Anthony DeBenedetto

Monday January 17, 2022 7:00 am Gail Gerbino 8:30 am Gloria Iwanowski

TuesdayJanuary 18, 20227:00 amJuan F. Yzaguirre8:30 amEthel Heredia (Living)

Wednesday
 7:00 am
 8:30 am
 Walter L. Rayment
 Albert Abbadessa
 Thursday
 7:00 am
 January 20, 2022
 Dolores Kusel

8:30 am Deceased Members of the McNiff and Kelly Families

Friday January 21, 2022 7:00 am Patrick Burke 8:30 am Ellen O'Donnell Reese

Saturday January 22, 2022 8:30 am William & Mary Marion 5:00 pm Courtney Jensen

(30th Birthday Remembrance)

Sunday
7:30 am
9:00 am
10:30 am
12:00 pm

January 23, 2022
People of the Parish
Tom & Mary Kelliher
Garrett James Marinella
John Padula



BREAD & WINE INTENTION

The **bread and wine** for the week of **January 16, 2022** is offered in loving memory of

Gilda Moretti

100th Birthday Remembrance
as requested by

as requested by her son Michael and Family

VISIT US ON OUR WEBSITES:

CHURCH: sjcnj.org SCHOOL: sjsusa.org RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: sjcnjre.org

PRAYER REQUESTS

Let us remember all those who are ill:

Joanne Hudes, Fr. George Reilly, Harold Bottino, Garrett Pepe, Mimosa Elyan, Josephine Luby, Annette Linder, Brandon Relucio, Craig Schmultz, Rose Drury, Dave Gerzberg, Richard Bing, Ed Grube, Casey Ruvuolo, Paige Siconfli

Let us remember all those who have died:

Helen Browning, Jane Statesir, Dominic Vy Van Tran, Deacon Stan Fedison, Sr. Mary McGuiness, OP

Let us remember those serving in our military:

1st LT Harry Aquino USAF, Capt. Christopher Bascomb, Chaplain (Capt.) Father AJ De Silva USAR, 1st LT Ellen Dougherty, GY Sgt. Brian P. McCarthy USMC, 1st LT Michael McPherson, Capt. Michael Shuler, PFC David Solinas, Jr.

The **RECTORY/PARISH OFFICE**will be **CLOSED**on **Monday, January 17**for Martin Luther King Day.





FAMILY MASS LED BY OUR YOUTH MINISTRY THIS SUNDAY

JANUARY 16 at 4 pm

Join our teens serving with our celebrant **Fr. Christian** and featuring the sound of contemporary worship by our Youth Ministry Music Director **Dan Ferrari**. *All are welcome*.

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To make a **donation** through our **electronic giving program**, simply go to our parish website **sjcnj.org** Click on "**Donate.**" You can choose how much you will donate and your contribution will be made automatically, safely and securely, from your debit or credit card.

If you wish to continue to **donate on a regular basis**, click on "**Sign Up Today**" and follow the instructions to register.



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SUNDAY MASS ONLINE

Enter "Saint Joseph Church Oradell YouTube" in your computer search engine. Click on the link to the official page, then click on the SUBSCRIBE BUTTON

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SAINT JOSEPH CARE CORNER "SJCC"



Saint Joseph Care Corner (SJCC), located in the basement of the Retreat House, provides "Helping Hands for Health and Home" to organizations who require essential household and personal care items not covered by food stamps. Items include: laundry detergent, paper towels, lunch bags, storage bags, paper napkins, shampoo, conditioner, **diapers**, etc. During the year we collect, stock the SICC, and distribute. We are always in need of volunteers to work with the surrounding communities to get the word



out! For more information, please contact Peg at tkohli@optonline.net



THE SYNOD 2021-2023:

BEGIN TO REFLECT AND PRAY

As part of a two-year Synodal journey initiated by **Pope Francis** and designed to re-examine the way the Catholic Church is listening to and walking with its parishioners, Saint

Joseph will be holding "listening sessions" in January-February at which time parishioners will be encouraged to share their opinions on what is expected of today's Church.

The word "synod" comes from Greek words meaning the "same road." The word "synodality" means "walking the same road together." We journey as a Church together. Pope Francis has asked us to prayerfully consider:

What does the Holy Spirit expect of the Church of the 21st Century?

Two subsequent questions will be used at the listening sessions to expound on this question:

- How is this "journeying together" happening today in our parish community?
- How are we "walking together" as a Church, and what steps does the Holy Spirit invite us to take in order to grow in our journeying together?

We invite you to begin to reflect and pray to be able to share your thoughts, concerns and ideas at these listening sessions.

Please visit our parish website (sicnj.org) and go to the "Links" tab to access the Vatican and Archdiocesan Synod websites and view Cardinal Tobin's video message.



WITH OUR SYMPATHY

We are deeply saddened to announce the passing of a great friend of Saint Joseph Parish—

Dennis Maloney

Dennis died peacefully at his home in Oradell at age 75 on January 2, 2022. He leaves behind his beloved

wife of 48 years, Susan, their three dear children (Elizabeth, Jennifer and Matthew) and three adored grandchildren (Ryan, Caroline and James.)

A parishioner of Saint Joseph for over 45 years, Dennis was committed to keeping the parish strong, viable and able to fulfill its mission. He dedicated his time, first as a member of the Finance Committee under Fr. Reilly and then, for the last 8 years, as the chair of that committee under Msgr. Hubba.

Dennis came to his role at Saint Joseph with truly fine credentials. A graduate of Bergen Catholic High School and Fairfield University, he was a CPA and a corporate accountant for Unilever/Best Foods until his retirement.

A veteran of the Vietnam War, he proudly served in retirement as a Trustee and Assistant Treasurer for the Adopt-a-Soldier Platoon.

Dennis was a man of great faith. To his family, friends and fellow parishioners, he was unfailingly steadfast, loyal and kind. His desire to help others was second only to his love for his family. He will be greatly missed by all those who knew and loved him, and most certainly, by Saint Joseph. We were deeply blessed to have had him as a member of our parish family. Eternal rest grant unto his soul, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine on him.



MASKS NOW REQUIRED AT CHURCH

Due to the surge in the spread of the Covid variant, an executive order has been issued by the Mayor of Oradell

that requires masks to be worn in ALL PUBLIC PLACES, including houses of worship.

We have also again temporarily **closed all campus buildings** (except the church) and are encouraging parish ministries and groups to **meet remotely**.

Thank you for your understanding and support of our efforts to keep everyone safe and healthy.



Based on the increasing number of cases and the current situation with the coronavirus, St. Joseph K of C, in the interest of protecting the health and safety of all involved, regrets to announce that the **January 22**nd **Youth Free Throw Competition** has been **cancelled**. Plans to hold the event at a later date in 2022 are under consideration. Thank you for your understanding and support of the Knights of Columbus.



FOR OUR YOUNG PARISHIONERS

SHARING THE GOSPEL

At a wedding party,

Mary said to Jesus, they have no more wine. Help them. Even though it was not time for him to perform miracles, Jesus honored his Mother by changing the water into wine. When you obey God by honoring your mother's wishes, you turn ordinary things, like opening a door, emptying trash, or making the bed into a gift Of love. This love makes your mother and God smile.

PRAYER

Lord, help me turn chores for my family into gifts for you.

SOMETHING TO DRAW

Draw two pitchers, one filled with water and one with purple wine.

MISSION FOR THE WEEK

I will put all of my toys away neatly after I finish Playing,

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RESPECT LIFE EVENTS

• This Saturday, January 22, the Church in the United States observes the annual "Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn

Children." This day is set aside to pray for the legal protection of human life and to do penance for the violations to human dignity through abortion. We are called to observe this day through prayer and penance.

For more information, visit www.respectlife.org/january-22

9 Days for Life (January 19-27, 2022) is an annual novena for the protection of human life.
 Each day's intention is accompanied by a short reflection and suggested actions to help build a culture of life.

Participants can **download the novena** or **sign up** to receive the daily prayers via email or text message. Visit **www.respectlife.org/9-days-for-life**



2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time • John 2:1-11



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