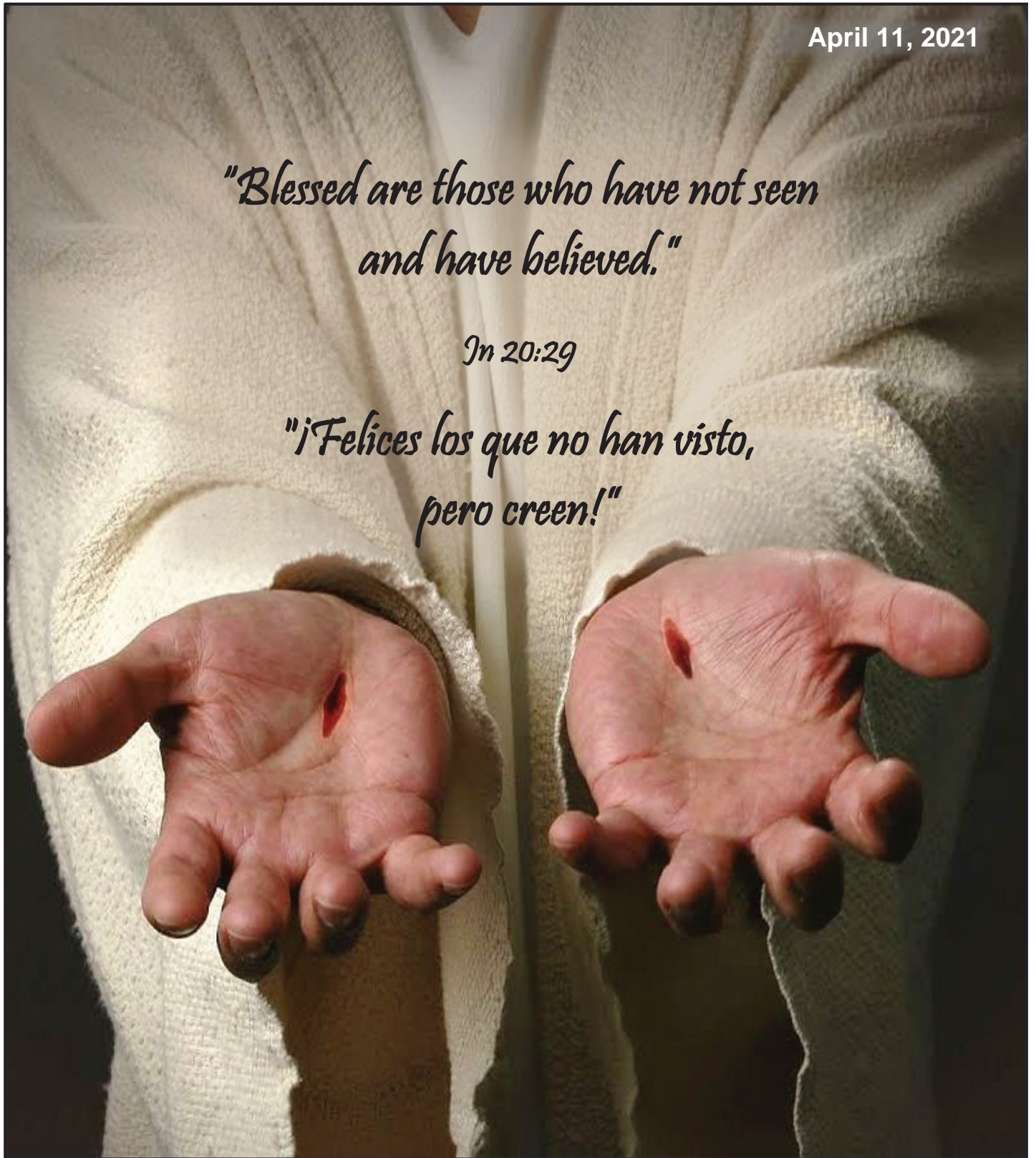


April 11, 2021

*"Blessed are those who have not seen
and have believed."*

In 20:29

*"¡Felices los que no han visto,
pero creen!"*



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Center morning hours (**remote service only, no in-person**):

Monday through Thursday: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Evening in-person hours in church community room:

Tuesday only 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Website: <https://dreamsofstjoseph.org>

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SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION

Infant/Child Baptism: Baptism is our incorporation into the Body of Christ and the foundation of our sacramental life. Contact Ana Valencia at the parish center to begin the process of instruction and celebration.

Children's Penance/Eucharist/Confirmation: Preparation for these sacraments of initiation are handled within our Faith Formation program. For questions, contact Ana Valencia.

Adult Initiation: The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the path for those seeking to learn more and perhaps ask for full initiation into the Catholic church. A related process is available for those adults who only need to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. For initial questions, contact any clergy person of the parish.

SACRAMENTS OF HEALING

Penance: this Sacrament is celebrated Saturday from 4:00-4:30 PM in the Church. Other times are available by making an appointment with parish priests.

Anointing of the Sick: freely offered to those who are sick, facing surgery, those with chronic mental or emotional illness, and those of advanced age. In the COVID-19 era, there are certain conditions that prevent clergy from home visits and hospitals, but contact Fr. Blicharski at the parish if you would like the sacrament and we can determine if we can celebrate it safely.

SACRAMENTS OF SERVICE

Christian Marriage: Congratulations and blessings on your engagement. Every couple has unique gifts and needs, and our clergy will walk and work with you to meet our own time-tested standards to get you to the altar and beyond. Contact anyone on the pastoral team.

Holy Orders: If you are sensing God's call to service as a priest or deacon in the church, contact our pastor and/or any parish team member you feel can best serve you.

Similarly, even though there are no sacraments associated with the religious life, monastic life, lay ministry or faith-based humanitarian service, please contact us if we can help you in your discernment.

DEVOTIONS

First Friday Mass in Time of Pandemic:

For every First Friday of the Month, apart from Holy Week, the parish will offer a bilingual "Mass in Time of Pandemic" at 7:00 PM.

Next Mass in Time of Pandemic: Friday, April 16

First and Last Friday Eucharistic Adoration:

Every First Friday morning of the month, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will run from 9:00 AM - Noon in the church. For every Last Friday of the month, an evening Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be offered from 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM.

Next Dates: April 30 (PM), May 7 (AM)

Monthly St. Sharbel Healing Mass: Every 22nd of the month, a bilingual healing Mass will be offered, focusing on the intercession of St. Sharbel, the hermit of Lebanon, who is the subject of increasing devotion throughout the world for his intercessory popularity with healing.

Next St. Sharbel Healing Mass: Thursday, April 22 at 7:00 PM, with Father Pauly Thekkan as presider.

Marian Devotion: first Friday Angelus, 12 noon monthly, at the conclusion of Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. *Next Angelus: May 7.*

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DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

APRIL 11, 2021

MASSES/PENANCE FOR THE WEEK

ALL MASSES IN THE CHURCH

Monday, April 12, 2021

8:30 AM Italo Maratta, request of Florence Bednar
6:00 PM^B Lectio Divina
6:30 PM^S Vespers
7:00 PM^S Spanish Mass

Tuesday, April 13, 2021

8:30 AM Parishioners of St. Joseph
6:00 PM Contemplative Prayer
6:30 PM^S Vespers
7:00 PM^S Spanish Mass

Wednesday, April 14, 2021

8:30 AM Deceased siblings of Louis and Elaine Pilato
6:00 PM Contemplative Prayer
6:30 PM^S Vespers
7:00 PM^S Spanish Mass

Thursday, April 15, 2021

8:30 AM World Peace
6:00 PM Contemplative Prayer
6:30 PM^S Vespers
7:00 PM^S Spanish Mass

Friday, April 16, 2021

8:30 AM Kathleen Lynch, request of Rene and Pablo Meduios
6:00 PM Contemplative Prayer
6:30 PM^S Vespers
7:00 PM^B Mass in Time of Pandemic

Saturday, April 17, 2021

8:00 AM Souls in Purgatory
4:00 PM Penance
5:00 PM Abramo Franzetti, request of Elaine and Louis Pilato
7:00 PM^S Cristian Vega, request of LaSerna family

Sunday, April 18, 2021

8:00 AM Parishioners of St. Joseph
10:00 AM Adriano Andrade, request of Antonio Andrade and family
12:00 PM^S Jose Luis Lujan and Maria Luisa Lujan, request of Cintia Lujan
6:00 PM^S José Ines, request of St. Joseph Pastoral Team

S = Spanish Mass B = Bilingual Mass

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

APRIL 12 - 18, 2021

Monday: Acts 4:23-31 | Jn 3:1-8

Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37 | Jn 3:7b-15

Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26 | Jn 3:16-21

Thursday: Acts 5:27-33 | Jn 3:31-36

Friday: Acts 5:34-42 | Jn 6:1-15

Saturday: Acts 6:1-7 | Jn 6:16-21

Sunday: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19 | 1 Jn 2:1-5a | Lk 24:35-48

THROUGH AT LEAST SEPTEMBER 2021...

Due to COVID-19 realities, all non-parish-wide activities (i.e., groups) are suspended for the foreseeable future.

COVID-19 FURTHER CHURCH RESTRICTIONS

On February 22, Governor Murphy raised the capacity limits for houses of worship to up to 50%, if 6-foot distancing can be maintained. The new raised capacity of the church is now 163 people.

We have added a 6:00 PM Sunday Spanish evening Mass to provide an added safe option for worship and to increase weekend capacity.

Those in vulnerable groups should stay home, and those who are sick or symptomatic must stay home. Catholics in our diocese will continue to be dispensed from the obligation to attend Mass until further notice.

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED UNTIL SEPTEMBER 2021

As near-misses and second-level exposures to the coronavirus increase among parish staff and leaders, **the parish center is again closed to the public.** Staff is continuing to work remotely and in the office and can be reached by phone or email.

NEW: The Church Community Room opens each Tuesday evening 6:30-8:30 PM for pastoral services with one or two staff members present.

LIVE-STREAM MASS AT ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

The English 10:00 AM and the Spanish 12:00 PM Masses are being live streamed on YouTube. Simply log onto our website

The best way to access the Mass is use the following link: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCiyEO3bu2KX2rb7RXiDulmg/live>. Thank you to Julian Mahecha and Luz Helena Escobar for providing this service.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"The community of believers was of one heart and mind, and no one claimed that any of his possessions was his own..." - ACTS 4:32

All that we are and all that we have is a gift from God! Think of your family, your friends, your life, your talents and your money – these are all gifts from God! We aren't really owners of anything, we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has blessed us with. We are called to be grateful and generous with all of our gifts for the benefit of others.



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NEW ARTWORK IN THE CHURCH

OCHRANA" -- SLOVAKIAN FOR "PROTECTION



We are happy to unveil "Ochrana" – Slovakian for "Protection." This is the latest work from **Pavol Olsavsky**, who created our logos and the St. Sharbel portrait for the church. "Ochrana" is his interpretation of Psalm 91, the so-called "pandemic psalm." As we continue to honor those who have recovered from COVID-19, and unfortunately those who have perished, I hope

this painting will provide some small measure of comfort and solace when we display it in the Pandemic Memorial Area of the narthex.

RESTORED STATUE OF ST. JOSEPH



AFTER RESTORATION

Thank you to **Gerry Yuknis** who skillfully restored a weathered statue of our patron Saint Joseph which was discovered in the basement of the old Church and will now be displayed proudly for all to enjoy.

Gerry described this restoration project as a labor of love.



BEFORE RESTORATION

2021 BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

TRANSFORMED BY CHRIST BODY AND BLOOD – SENT ON MISSION TO LIGHT A FIRE IN THE HEART OF THE CHURCH

A vocation to the priesthood is both challenging and rewarding. A priest is called to be a witness of Christ. He is a minister of the sacraments, proclaimer of the word, teacher of the faith, and steward of the Church. He accompanies the faithful through this world, leading the way to the eternal kingdom of heaven.

Discernment of a vocation to the priesthood requires specialized guidance to navigate the spiritual formation and academic demands of the seminary. While the Diocese of Metuchen has been blessed with an increase in the number of men studying for the priesthood—currently 24—the expense of educating and preparing our future priests is also rising. Your gift to the Bishop's Annual Appeal will help provide men with the opportunity to successfully complete their journey through the seminary and ensure the future of our Church. Please give as generously as your means allow.

IN-PEW WEEKENDS: MAY 23, JUNE 20.

ST. JOSEPH PARISH GOAL FOR 2021: \$33,000.

CRS RICE BOWL – THANK YOU!



Our community changed lives this Lent, and CRS Rice Bowl wants to say THANK YOU! We started to receive CRS Rice Bowls at our Holy Thursday

Mass, and to date we have collected **\$1,574.98!** For a parish that has not participated in CRS Rice Bowl for a few years, this is an amazing response! Don't forget to turn in your CRS Rice Bowl at any Mass during the Easter Season, which concludes May 23.

LIFE-GIVING WOUNDS VIRTUAL RETREAT

The Diocese of Metuchen's Office of Family Life will sponsor a Life-Giving Wounds retreat, designed for anyone over the age of 18 whose parents are no longer together. The virtual retreat will be conducted over the course of three Saturdays: April 17th, April 24th and May 1st. On the first two Saturdays, participants will attend via Zoom from 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM and on the third Saturday, a Mass will be celebrated for all adult children of divorce. People of all backgrounds attend, but together they have one key thing in common: they have lost the love of their parents together. Topics will include discussing anxiety, anger, sin, temptation and forgiveness. All presentations are given by trained, expert speakers who are children of divorce. So whether a person's parents divorced decades ago or last week, the retreat content will apply to them. The retreat is also for people whose parents are separated (but not legally divorced), received a declaration of nullity, or were never married and are now broken up.

For more information and to register, please visit: www.diometuchen.org/adult-children-of-divorce.

COUNSELING AND THERAPY SERVICES

Dr. Janus Ronca, LCSW, director of the JANUS/GPS Bereavement Support Group has announced the April 13th meeting, "Season of Change" will feature a talk by Loring Nagel of Freedom Yoga of Raritan, an activity (chair yoga) and Q & A. General sharing will also take place. Masks are required and group will be limited to 10 people. There is no fee, but registration is required by calling Dr. Ronca at (908) 218-9062.

Anyone who has experienced a loss through death, separation/divorce, loss of job, health, relocation, losses through the pandemic and loss of grandchild should plan to attend. The group meets the second Tuesday monthly at 1124 Highway 202 South, Suite A2 in Raritan and is a community service of Counseling and Therapy Services.

PARISH NEWS AND PRIORITIES

EASTER SEASON 2021

The 50-day Easter Season, even amidst pandemic restrictions, still offers plenty to look forward to at the parish. Save the dates for these activities. Details will be made available as they approach:

Masses in Time of Pandemic:

April 16 and May 7 at 7:00 PM

Earth Day and Arbor Day Events: April 22 and 30

St. Sharbel Healing Mass: April 22 at 7:00 PM

First and Last Friday Eucharistic Adoration:

April 30 at 6:00 PM, May 7 at 9:00 AM

Last Friday of the Month Mass: April 23 at 7:00 PM

The Diocese of Metuchen Hispanic Ministry Office has selected St. Joseph as the site for monthly last Friday Masses with a theme of Protecting the Dignity of Human Life.

Feast of St. Joseph the Worker weekend: May 1-2
Recognition of Essential and Frontline Workers during the weekend; immigration outreach event

Parish First Communions: May 8

Feast of St. Isidore: May 15
Blessing of farmers and gardeners

Parish Confirmations: May 22

Pentecost Weekend: May 21-22
Special Pentecost Vigil Mass and Solemn Pentecost Sunday Vespers to close the season.

A BIG THANK YOU!

Thanks to all who stepped up in various roles during Holy Week and the Pascual Triduum to help in the special liturgies, the set-up, environment and in all ways. Your service enriched our celebrations.

WEEKLY DONATIONS

If you would like to mail your donation for the Sunday collection, please address your envelope as follows:
St. Joseph Church | P.O. Box 72 | Bound Brook, NJ 08805
Your generous support is greatly appreciated.



St. Joseph Parish now offers *Parish Giving*, an online option for donating to the Sunday collection. It's simple. Go to the St. Joseph Parish website dreamsofstjoseph.org and click on the Parish Giving Logo. Follow the easy registration instructions.

For one-time gifts, click on the PayPal logo on the "Ways to Give" section of the new website.

STEWARDSHIP

March 28 Weekend Masses	\$ 4,553.50
April 4 Weekend Masses.....	\$ 4,953.25
Online Giving (2 weeks)	\$ 1,566.73
Weekday Masses (2 weeks)	\$ 326.00
Holy Thursday.....	\$ 546.00
Easter.....	\$ 5,283.00
Total	\$ 17,228.48

Diocesan Collections

Good Friday/Holy Land	\$ 745.00
Retired Clergy of the Diocese.....	\$ 1,771.40
Total.....	\$ 2,516.40

PARISH WEBSITE: NEWS BLOG AND NEWSLETTER

WWW.DREAMSOFTJOSEPH.ORG

Hopefully many have now visited our new parish website at www.dreamsofstjoseph.org. This website was developed with great reflection and will allow both our parishioners and staff to carry out their ministry more efficiently during this time of pandemic and beyond.

The News Blog section is updated often during the week with the latest parish news. Also, please sign up for the E-mail newsletter for condensed parish news delivered to your in-box. Before contacting the office for different administrative needs, note the new online form options that are available.

Try our new QR code. Scan the square on the right with the camera app on your cell phone to instantly access our new website.



FAITH FORMATION

Children's Faith Formation will be concluding soon for this year, with the May celebrations of First Communion and Confirmation, and then taking an extended hiatus through the remainder for 2021, as we put the finishing touches on unveiling a new and continuous parent-based model in 2022. Thanks to all who have assisted with the current program model over the years.

We are looking forward to empowering parents and families, making faith formation more relational, integrating it more with parish life, responding better to continuing pandemic restrictions and ending the notion of faith formation as simply another class to gain information. Over the summer and fall we will be releasing details. Stay tuned!

MORE DAYLIGHT, WARMER WEATHER

Consider joining our Contemplative Practice sessions nightly Monday-Friday from 6:00 to 6:30 PM.

LECTURAS PARA EL PRÓXIMO DOMINGO

TERCER DOMINGO DE PASCUA

Primera Lectura: Hechos 3:13-15, 17-19

Dios cumplió así lo que había predicho por boca de los profetas: que su Mesías tenía que padecer.

Segunda Lectura: 1 Juan 2:1-5

Él se ofreció como víctima de expiación por nuestros pecados, y los del mundo entero.

Evangelio: Juan 24:35-48

"Está escrito que el Mesías tenía que padecer y resucitar de entre los muertos al tercer día.

AVISOS A LA COMUNIDAD

Confesiones

Las confesiones se realizan en inglés y español:

- **Sábados** de 4:00 a 4:30 PM en la Iglesia.

Se requerirá máscaras y distanciamiento social.

Para confesarse en otro momento debe hacer una cita previa llamando al (732) 356-0027.

TOME NOTA

El Diácono Gustavo Sandoval está disponible para aquellas personas que necesiten alguna ayuda espiritual. Para comunicarse con él, favor llamarle al teléfono (732) 317-8544 o a su correo Deacon.Gustavo@sjcbb.net.

El Diácono Edgar Chaves está disponible para las personas adultas que deseen hacer el bautismo, comunión o confirmación. También él está a cargo de la Divina Misericordia y los ensayos de matrimonio en español, si desea más información contacte al diacono en su correo: Deacon.Edgar@sjcbb.net.

La Sra. Martha Rovitto atiende todo lo relacionado con Misas, bautismos, registros parroquiales y certificados. Llamando al (732) 356-0027 ext. 15 o al correo Martha.Rovitto@sjcbb.net.

Ana Valencia la directora del programa de Formación de Fe (CCD), pueden contactarla llamando (732) 356-0027 ext. 17, o al correo Ana.Valencia@sjcbb.net, las personas que necesiten consultar sobre la Formación de Fe.

LA OFICINA PARROQUIAL CERRADA HASTA SEPT. 2021

Debido a las exposiciones de segundo nivel al coronavirus aumentan entre el personal y los líderes de la parroquia, el centro parroquial está nuevamente cerrado al público. El personal continúa trabajando de forma remota y en la oficina y se puede llegar por teléfono o correo electrónico. A partir del 16 de marzo, la Sala Comunitaria de la Iglesia abre todos los martes por la noche de 6:30 a 8:30 PM para los servicios pastorales con uno o dos empleados presentes.

DONACIONES SEMANALES

Si desea enviar su donación por correo para la ofrenda dominical, diríjase de la siguiente manera:
St. Joseph Church, P.O. Box 72 Bound Brook, NJ 08805.
Su generoso apoyo es muy apreciado.

GUÍA DE MISAS PUBLICAS

El 22 de febrero, el Gobernador Murphy elevó la capacidad límites para las casas de culto hasta el 50%, si 6 pies de distanciamiento se pueden mantener. La capacidad de la Iglesia es ahora de **163 personas**. Se espera que los asistentes a la misa desinfecten sus manos, usen máscaras y se sienten a seis pies de distancia. Los que viven en grupos vulnerables deben quedarse en casa, y los enfermos o sintomáticos deben quedarse en casa. Los católicos de nuestra diócesis seguirán siendo dispensados de la obligación de asistir a la Misa hasta nuevo aviso.

¡LAS NOCHES DE LA PARROQUIAL SAN JOSÉ!

Programa (lunes a viernes)

6:00 PM Silencio Contemplativo

6:30 PM Vísperas (español)

7:00 PM Eucaristía (español)

Misa los Domingos a las 6:00PM (Continua)

La misa del domingo por la noche 6:00 PM en español continuará hasta nuevo aviso.



¡NUEVO SITIO WEB PARROQUIAL!

Visite nuestro nuevo sitio web parroquial en www.dreamsoftjoseph.org. Este sitio web fue desarrollado con mucha reflexión y permitirá tanto a nuestros feligreses como al personal llevar a cabo el ministerio de manera más eficiente durante este tiempo de pandemia y más allá. A medida que navega por el sitio, piense en maneras en las que puede desear más información o desea involucrarse en nuestras áreas de "Práctica contemplativa", "Caridad y Justicia" o "Formación de fe". El blog se actualizará regularmente para las últimas noticias parroquiales. Antes de ponerse en contacto con la oficina para diferentes necesidades administrativas, observe las nuevas opciones de formulario en línea que están disponibles. Pruebe nuestro nuevo código QR. Escanea el cuadrado a la derecha con la aplicación de la cámara en tu teléfono celular para acceder instantáneamente a nuestro nuevo sitio web.



MISA DE TRANSMISIÓN EN VIVO DE LA IGLESIA ST. JOSEPH

Las misas del domingo 10:00 AM en inglés y a la 12:00 PM en español están siendo transmitidas en vivo por YouTube. La mejor manera de acceder a la misa es utilizar el siguiente enlace: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCiyE03bu2KX2rb7RXiDuImg/live>. Muchas gracias a Julián Mahecha y Luz Helena Escobar por brindar este servicio.

PREGUNTA DE LA SEMANA

¿A quién necesito ofrecer misericordia?

CELEBRACIÓN DURANTE LOS 50 DÍAS DE PASCUA

La Temporada de Pascua de 50 días, incluso en medio de restricciones pandémicas. Aquí en San José, tenemos nuestra propia mezcla de eventos especiales y actividades ordinarias teñidas de alegría pascual. Estos son algunos aspectos destacados para las próximas semanas:

Reserve las fechas de estas actividades.

Los detalles estarán disponibles a medida que se acerquen:

Misas en tiempo de pandemia: 16 de abril y 7 de mayo a las 7:00 PM (bilingüe)

Charla capitular de Pastor: "Vida pascual: justicia", martes 20 de abril después de la misa de las 7:00 PM (bilingüe)

Día de la Tierra y Evento del Día del Árbol: 22 y 30 de abril. (Actividad al aire libre)

Misa de sanación de St. Sharbel: 22 de abril a las 7:00 PM con el P. Pauly Thekkan presidiendo. (bilingüe)

Primer y último viernes Exposición Eucarística:

30 de abril a las 5:00 PM, 7 de mayo a las 9:00 AM

Misa del último viernes del mes: 23 de abril a las 7:00 PM, La Diócesis de Metuchen, la Oficina de Ministerio Hispano ha seleccionado a San José como el sitio para la misa mensual el último viernes con un tema de **Protección de la Dignidad de la Vida Humana.**

Fiesta de San José Obrero: Mayo 1-2

Bendición especial en todas las misas de fin de semana.

Misa especial para los trabajadores esenciales Sábado, mayo 1º a 10:00 AM, reconocimiento de los trabajadores esenciales y de primera línea.

Evento de divulgación de inmigración

Primeras Comuniones parroquiales: mayo 8

Fiesta de San Isidoro: 15 de mayo
Bendición de agricultores y jardineros

Confirmación parroquial: mayo 22

Fin de semana de Pentecostés: 21-22 de mayo Vigilia y Solemne misa del Domingo

LA IGLESIA ST. JOSEPH TE INVITA A LA

CELEBRACIÓN DE LA DIVINA MISERICORDIA



Fecha: Hoy domingo abril 11, 2021

Lugar: Iglesia principal de St. Joseph

Hora: 4:30 PM – 6:00 PM

La novena de La Divina Misericordia, Adoración del Santísimo Sacramento, rezaremos la Coronilla, la celebración concluirá con la misa de las 6:00 PM



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CAMPAÑA ANUAL DEL OBISPO 2021

Transformados por el Cuerpo y la Sangre de Cristo – Enviados en Misión para Encender el Fuego en el Corazón de la Iglesia

La vocación al sacerdocio es a la vez desafiante y gratificante. Un sacerdote está llamado a ser un testigo de Cristo. Es ministro de los sacramentos, proclamador de la palabra, maestro en la fe, y administrador de la Iglesia. Acompaña a los fieles por este mundo, guiándolos en el camino hacia el reino eterno en el cielo.

El discernimiento de una vocación al sacerdocio requiere de tutoría especializada para avanzar en la formación espiritual y académica que demanda el seminario. Si bien la diócesis de Metuchen ha sido bendecida con un aumento en el número de hombres que se preparan para el sacerdocio -actualmente 24- el costo de la educación y preparación de nuestros futuros sacerdotes también está aumentando. Su aporte a la Campaña Anual de Obispo ayudará a proveerles la oportunidad de completar con éxito su camino por el seminario y asegurar el futuro de nuestra Iglesia. Por favor, sea tan generoso como sus medios lo permitan.

La meta de la Parroquia de San José para el año 2021 es de \$33,000.

BAUTISMOS

Los bautismos se realizan el primer y tercer domingo de cada mes a la 1:30 PM. Si usted quiere bautizar a su hijo/a en los meses de mayo o junio, debe registrarse para la próxima clase de bautismo del 4 de mayo 2021, a las 7:30 PM. Planifique con tiempo el bautismo, las clases son cada dos meses y si no tiene la clase no puede bautizar al bebé. Para más información, por favor comunicarse con Martha Rovitto al 732-356-0027 ext. 15 o al correo electrónico martha.rovitto@sjcbb.net, o en el web. www.dreamsofstjoseph.org.



SOBRES DE CONTRIBUCIÓN Y ASISTENCIA A LA IGLESIA 2021

Si usted está registrado en la Parroquia (ya tiene un número de sobre) debe tomar los sobres de contribución y asistencia en la iglesia. Las cajas fueron clasificadas en orden alfabético, por favor, controle que sus datos estén correctos. Gracias por su cooperación.



COMO DENUNCIAR ABUSOS SEXUALES

Si un miembro del clero o cualquier persona que represente a la Iglesia Católica, o usted sabe de alguien que era, se le anima a denunciar el abuso a las fuerzas del orden, a través del sitio web diocesano www.diometuchen.org, o llamando a la oficina diocesana de Protección de la Infancia y la Juventud en (732) 562-2413.

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