

Saint Joseph Roman Catholic Church

200 CARLTON AVENUE • WASHINGTON, NEW JERSEY 07882

"Everyone who acknowledges me before others, I will acknowledge them before my Father." —Matthew 10:32



Parish Office/Rectory ----- 908-689-0058

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Website----- stjosephwashingtonnj.org

Open Monday - Friday...

9:30 am - 12:00 noon & 1:00 - 4:30 pm

After 4:00 pm, by appointment only.

Parishioner on the Move
Please notify the Parish Office.

PASTORAL & SUPPORT STAFF

Rev. James A. Kyrpczak-----*Pastor*
Paul Flor-----*Deacon*
Edmund M. Hartmann, Jr.-----*Deacon*
Laura A. Torres-----*Parish Secretary*
Mrs. Joyce Rock-----*Parish Catechetical Leader (PCL)*
Shirley A. Firling-----*Director of Sacred Music*
James Mc Aloon-----*Pastoral Council Chairperson*
James McAloon-----*Trustee*
John Rolak-----*Trustee*
Anthony Tomeski-----*Web Master*
Bob Opdyke-----*Finance Council Chairperson*
Sonia Amparo Arevalo---*Hispanic Committee Chairperson*

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION / 908-689-0093

Tuesday: 5:30 - 6:30 pm / **Grades:** 1, 2, 3, 4
7:00 - 8:00 pm / **Grades:** 5, 6, 7, 8

SAINT JOSEPH CEMETERY / 908-689-0058

12 Jackson Valley Road • Washington, New Jersey

SACRAMENTAL & PRAYER LIFE

Sacrament of Eucharist/Mass

Saturday Vigil-----5:00 pm

Sunday-----7:30 & 11:00 am

Spanish Mass-----9:00 am

Daily Mass-----9:00 am

Holy Days-----9:00 am & 7:00 pm

Sacrament of Baptism

Expectant parents are requested to attend a Baptism Preparation Session prior to the birth of the child. Please pre-register with the parish office. The sessions are held on the 1st Wednesday of each month at 7:00 pm in the Meeting Room. Baptisms are held the 2nd Saturday of each month at 11:30 am at the church.

Sacrament of Penance

The Sacrament of Penance is celebrated on Saturday from 4:00 to 4:45 pm in the reconciliation chapel.

Sponsorship/Eligibility Forms

Only registered and practicing Catholics can receive a letter attesting to their sponsorship eligibility. One must request the form from the parish office prior to being a sponsor. The form will then be mailed or picked up at the parish office.

Sacrament of Marriage

Couples planning marriage are requested to make an appointment with the Pastor. Arrangements should be made one year in advance.

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

We, the parish family of Saint Joseph Church, are brothers and sisters in Christ. Under the Guidance of the Holy Spirit and through the nourishment of the sacraments, we are called to love and serve in His name. We will promote the Kingdom of

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY
TIME

January 14, 2024



Saturday	<u>January 13</u>
5:00pm	+David Joho <i>r/o The Trimmer Family</i>
Sunday	<u>January 14</u> <u>Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</u>
7:30am	+Nicholas Klementowicz <i>r/o The Petlick Family</i>
9:00am <i>(Spanish)</i>	People of the Parish
11:00am	+Benjamin Reyes <i>r/o Paul & Felina Schmieder</i>
Monday	<u>January 15</u>
9:00am	+All Souls <i>r/o A Parishioner</i>
Tuesday	<u>January 16</u>
9:00am	+Joan Castella <i>r/o Family</i>
Wednesday	<u>January 17</u> <u>Saint Anthony</u>
9:00am	+Roger DeLuca <i>r/o The DeLuca Family</i>
Thursday	<u>January 18</u>
9:00am	+Gloria & Jose Daniel <i>r/o Daughter & Family</i>
Friday	<u>January 19</u>
9:00am	+John H. Melious, Sr. <i>r/o Family</i>

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:

Saria Adria, Debbie Antonillo, Greg Aurigemma, Willie Baker, Patricia Baroz, Adrianna Berrios, Tracy Berrios, Benjamin Bernstein, Benjamin Boschen, Alexis Capozzoli, Kathy Chiarulli, Nicholas Cottone, Kristine Rhee Cy, Arsenia Del Rosario, Jill Dubay, Gerry Farhan, Anthony Francisco, Joseph Gallagher, Julie Galloway, Francine Gore, Kerry Groff, Tony Groff, Charles Hemsel, Carol Hutchins, Jane Jenkins, James Herring, Sharon Lawson, The Lewis Family, Nina Lopez, Christine Mathews, Barbara McAloon, Ann McComb, Robert Meleo, Denise Melious, Maureen Milletich, Emma Parrales, Vincent Pizzo, Rose Reddan, Charles Roseberry, Maureen Rosko, Angelo Saccos, Dave Scott, Dawn Scott, George Stine, Nicholas Torres, George Trimarci, Gina Trimarci, James Todd, Woody Wagner, Daniel Walker, Joey Yangco, Emma

<u>WEEKLY OFFERING</u>	
<u>WEEKLY COSTS:</u>	
Church Expenses:	\$6,464.00
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<u>December 30 / 31</u>	\$5,410.00
Electronic Giving	1,485.00
Solemnity of Mary	<u>393.00</u>
Total	\$7,288.00
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Weekly Surplus / (Deficit)	\$824.00
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<u>January 6 / 7, 2024</u>	\$2,990.00
Electronic Giving	1,992.00
Other Donations	<u>117.50</u>
Total	\$5,099.50
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Weekly Surplus / (Deficit)	(\$1,364.50)

GIFT BEARERS AT MASS

If the Mass intention is for your loved one, please see an Usher prior to Mass and let him / her know that you would like to bring up the gifts. If you choose not to do so, please let the Usher know that so other arrangements may be made. With that being said, we are in need of Gift Bearers.

MASS INTENTIONS

Mass intentions for 2024 are available. Forms can be found in the Narthex or please stop by the Parish Office. Mass intentions cannot be taken of the phone.

<p align="center">THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON <u>MONDAY, JANUARY 15</u> IN OBSERVANCE OF THE FEDERAL HOLIDAY - DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.</p>

<p align="center">Speak, O God, for your servant hears.</p>	
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SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: 1 Samuel 3:3b-10, 19

This powerful story describes Samuel, who at the time was the servant of the high priest. The Lord called out to Samuel, who twice thought Eli had called him. They gradually realized that it was the Lord who called for him. So the third time Samuel answered and the Lord remained with Samuel as he grew.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 6:13c-15a, 17-20

Paul explains to the Corinthians that their body is a temple of the Holy Spirit. He tells them to avoid lewd conduct, and glorify God by keeping their bodies pure.

Gospel: John 1:35-42

John told two of his disciples that Jesus is the Lamb of God. They turned and followed him, immediately curious and attracted to him. Andrew told his brother Simon about Jesus. Simon also came to meet Jesus, who renamed him Cephas, or Peter.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 5170

The Knights of Columbus will sponsor a blood drive in the Parish Center from 8:00am until 2:00pm on Sunday, January 14, 2024.

Appointments are required.

Sign-up at www.council5170.org

Thank you for giving the **Gift of Life.**

FLOCKNOTE

You may have seen the bulletin announcement and the signs in the Narthex about the **FLOCKNOTE** communication network that parishioners are encouraged to join.

This is a free service that will keep you informed about activities and ministries at the parish, including the Mass schedule, Religious Education, and social activities.

You can choose to receive notifications about the things that interest you and can leave at any time. A cell phone/or e-mail are required to join, and these will never be sold or shared with an entity outside of the parish.

Please take a few moments to join so that you can be better informed about the many activities and programs at Saint Insenh

