

IN GREENWICH VILLAGE



**SAINT JOSEPH'S**  
1829  
**CATHOLIC CHURCH**

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**The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph**

Octave of Christmas

December 31, 2023

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**MASS TIMES:**

MON – FRI: 12:10 PM  
SATURDAY: 12:10 PM  
5:30 PM (Vigil)  
SUNDAY: 9:00 AM  
11:30 AM  
6:00 PM

**CONFESSION TIMES:**

MON – FRI: 11:30 AM to 12:00 PM  
SATURDAY: 11:30 AM to 12:00 PM  
4:30 PM to 5:15 PM  
SUNDAY: 8:30 AM to 9:00 AM  
11:00 AM to 11:30 AM  
5:30 PM to 6:00 PM

**PARISH OFFICE:**

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**PASTOR**  
Fr. Boniface Endorf, O.P.

**PAROCHIAL VICAR**  
Fr. Jonah Teller, O.P.

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Fr. Isaiah Beiter, O.P.,  
Associate Director & Chaplain

**SACRISTAN**  
Br. Paul Kennedy, O.P.

**GIVING FIRE QR CODE**



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## A Word From Our Pastor

Holy Family of Jesus, Octave of Christmas  
12/31/23

Dear St. Joseph Parish Family,

Today we celebrate the Holy Family and tomorrow we celebrate the Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God. Usually the latter is a Holy Day of Obligation, but because it falls on a Monday this year it is not. You don't have to attend Mass tomorrow, but it wouldn't hurt to do so! We'll have our usual 12:10pm daily Mass on Monday.

Monday also ends the Octave of Christmas. Like Easter, Christmas is such an important celebration that it lasts 8 days. So today it's still Christmas.

Next weekend is Epiphany, where we'll have the blessed chalk for you to bless your homes again this new year (instructions included). We'll also have the special blessing of the Epiphany Holy Water just before the Epiphany Vigil this upcoming Saturday (5pm for the blessing, 5:30pm for the Mass). If you'd like some Epiphany water, bring a container with water in it and we'll include it in the blessing.

May you find many blessings this Christmas Season,

*Fr. Boniface Endorf O.P.*



## Parish Office Hours

The parish office will be closed Monday, January 1, 2024 for New Year's Day.

## Weekly Collection

Will report in next week's bulletin.

## 2023 Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal

### CONSIDER YOUR GIFT

The Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal has served the people and parishes of our 10 counties for 40 years. To date our parish has received: **49** pledges, totaling **\$87,267.82** exceeding our goal of **\$66,100**.

## Second Collection

January 6<sup>th</sup> – January 7<sup>th</sup>

Please note there will be a **combined** second collection:

The Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC) helps the Church spread the Gospel message through the media locally and nationally.

## Catholic University Campaign

The Catholic University community works tirelessly on behalf of its 5,700 undergraduate and graduate students to help educate them to serve the Church and nation as the Catholic leaders of tomorrow.

## Chapel Announcement

We are so pleased to announce that we will begin to have Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament every **Monday from 8am to 6pm**. Please consider making a commitment to adoring our Lord during these times and make sure to ask others to join in. Our adoration chapel is brand new and we're working, with your help, to fill all the adoration slots. Please sign up with the QR code below.



## 2024 March for Life Respect Life Office Bus Trip

Friday, January 19<sup>th</sup> | Washington, DC

Join the Respect Life Office on a pilgrimage of prayer, penance, and fellowship as we continue to work to change hearts in our nation and build a Culture of Life. Roe has been overturned, but the battle for life has only intensified and the need to gather in solidarity and prayerful, public witness in our nation's capital is greater than ever. The Respect Life Office bus will depart from Manhattan and attend the New York Pilgrim Mass in Washington, D.C.

For more information and to register, please visit:  
<https://form.jotform.com/233054763590054>

Questions? Email Sr. Hope at  
[sr.mary.margaret.hope@archny.org](mailto:sr.mary.margaret.hope@archny.org)

## Mass Intentions

### **Saturday, December 30<sup>th</sup>**

12:10pm | † Charles E. Holder  
5:30pm (Vigil) | † Joseph DeFeo

### **Sunday, December 31<sup>st</sup>**

The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph, Octave of Christmas  
9:00am | People of the Parish  
11:30am | † Luis Miguel Castillo  
6:00pm

### **Monday, January 1<sup>st</sup>**

Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God  
12:10pm | Louis Capici

### **Tuesday, January 2<sup>nd</sup>**

12:10pm | † Joseph DeFeo

### **Wednesday, January 3<sup>rd</sup>**

12:10pm | † Joseph DeFeo

### **Thursday, January 4<sup>th</sup>**

12:10pm | † Joseph DeFeo

### **Friday, January 5<sup>th</sup>**

12:10pm | † Joseph DeFeo

### **Saturday, January 6<sup>th</sup>**

12:10pm | † Luis Miguel Castillo  
5:30pm | † Joseph DeFeo

### **Sunday, January 7<sup>th</sup>**

The Epiphany of the Lord  
9:00am | Parick and Enrique Miguel Travers  
11:30am | People of the Parish  
6:00pm | † Josephine Woodward

## Parish Prayer Intentions

John Brandt, Kate Beier, Bryan Sorahan, Jill Sutro, George Telesco, Kim Barreiro, †Felix Cruz, Natalie Nass, Joan Budson, Michael Budson, Ruth Mercandetti, Michael Kho, Lisa Holly.

# This Week at St. Joe's

Sunday, December 31<sup>st</sup>

In Vino Veritas (Young Professional Meeting) | 7pm

Tuesday, January 2<sup>nd</sup>

Jesus in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century | 7pm

Friday, January 5<sup>th</sup>

St. Joe's Book Club | 7pm

