

IN GREENWICH VILLAGE



SAINT JOSEPH'S
1829
CATHOLIC CHURCH

Weekly Newsletter
Second Sunday of Lent
March 5, 2023

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MASS TIMES:

MONDAY-SATURDAY: 12:10 PM
SATURDAY VIGIL MASS: 5:30 PM
SUNDAY: 9:00 AM/ 11:30 AM/ 6:00 PM

CONFESSION:

MONDAY-FRIDAY: 11:30 AM-12:00 PM
SATURDAY: 11:30 AM to 12:00 PM |
4:30 PM to 5:30 PM
SUNDAY: 8:30 AM to 9:00 AM |
11:00 AM to 11:30 AM | 5:30 PM to 6:00 PM

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3/5/23

Dear St. Joseph Parish Family,

This year our annual **St. Joseph Parish Dinner** will be on Saturday, March 25th, after the 5:30pm vigil Mass (so 6:30pm). Tickets are on sale at every Sunday Mass until we sell out. Tickets are \$25 per adult (to cover some of the cost of the dinner). Monte's will be providing the food, as in previous dinners, so the food will be great! We'll have Catholic trivia again too! I hope to see everyone there.

This Sunday is our Cardinal's Appeal Commitment weekend. Our Parish goal is \$66,100. The Cardinal's Appeal supports the Archdiocese of New York in its work. Specifically, it supports charitable outreaches, financially vulnerable parishes, the training of diocesan priests (but not the Dominican friars here at St. Joseph's—that's why we'll have a Friar's appeal this Spring), Catholic education, evangelization and communications, and the many other works of the Archdiocese. Please consider supporting the Cardinal's Appeal, and make sure to list "St. Joseph in Greenwich Village" as your parish.

Mass Tidbit:

After the priest has quietly prayed that the sacrifice of the mass be pleasing to God, he incenses the gifts on the altar (the bread and wine) and the altar itself. The incense represents our prayers rising to heaven, as well as the presence of God, as God showed His presence in the Old Testament Temple through a cloud of presence. The incense is a sign of the holiness of the altar and the holiness of the sacrifice that is about to take place upon the altar, when the gifts are transubstantiated into the Body and Blood of Christ.

After incensing the altar, the priest hands the thurible to the server who then incenses the priest celebrating the Mass. Then the server incenses any concelebrating priests, and then the server incenses the people joining in the Mass. All are taking part in the sacrifice of the Mass and thus have a role in the sacred event about to unfold, and so are marked by the incense as holy to the lord.

You may have noticed that in many churches the priest, when incensing, swings the thurible such that the bowl clicks on the chain of the thurible. However, the Dominican tradition is to swing or lift the thurible silently. This silent incensing is a more contemplative way of celebrating the Mass.

God Bless,

Fr. Boniface Endorf O.P.

Parish Office

Tickets for St. Joseph's Annual Parish Dinner are on sale and will be sold at **Sunday Masses** and in the Parish Office during office hours **8am-4pm** until we sell out.

Weekly Collection

February 20th through February 26th

Collection Total - **\$8,771.19**

Thank you for your continuous support.

2023 Cardinals 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: **5** pledges, totaling **\$10,800** towards our goal of **\$66,100**

Giving Fire

We are fully on board with our new online donation system Giving Fire.

If you have not registered, please do so at your earliest convenience.

We are no longer sending preprinted giving envelopes. If you would like to have cash offerings tracked for tax purposes, there are envelopes available in the narthex.

You may also contribute online using the QR-code in your pew or the link on our website.

Giving Fire Direct Link

<https://stjosephgv.givingfire.com/>

Catholic Center at NYU

The Catholic Center at NYU is the Catholic Campus Ministry for students of NYU and many other schools in NYC. While this ministry is just a couple blocks from St.

Joseph's and is also run by the Dominican friars, it is financially separate from the parish and depends on donations to continue. We have daily Holy Hour and Mass, student dinners, talks, and more students are coming all the time. Please continue supporting us so that we can continue this important ministry— visit nyucatholic.org/donate to learn more.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, March 4

Lenten Weekday

12:10 pm

Bonnie Goebet

5:30 pm

Maria T "Marcia" Stachewicz

Sunday, March 5

Second Sunday of Lent

9:00 am

Vincenza Visconti

11:30 am

Alexander B. Mckeveny

6:00 pm

People of the Parish

Monday March 6

Lenten Weekday

12:10 pm

Tuesday, March 7

Lenten Weekday

12:10 pm

Mary Doogle Joyce

Wednesday, March 8

Lenten Weekday

12:10 pm

Thomas Joyce

Thursday, March 9

Lenten Weekday

12:10 pm

Friday, March 10

Lenten Weekday

12:10 pm

Saturday, March 11

Lenten Weekday

12:10 pm

Prayer Requests

Please pray for:

| Rhe Kennedy | Caceres Family |

If you would like to include someone on our prayer list, please call the church office to submit their names. Names on the prayer list will remain for four (4) weeks. If you wish to leave them on longer, please call the church office, weekdays 8am – 4:00

This Week at St. Joe's

In Vino Veritas (YoPro Meeting) | Sunday at 7pm
St. Joseph's Young Professional social and talk by Fr. Clement.

Men's Group | Monday at 7pm
A group that exists to encourage and support men to be better husbands, fathers, sons and citizens.

Jesus in the 21st Century | Tuesday at 7pm
Join for a weekly study of the Gospel led by Bishop Robert Baron's weekly video sermons.

Stations of the Cross | Friday at 7pm
Join us every Friday during Lent in the church.



Upcoming Events

St. Joseph's Dinner | Saturday, March 25th

*St. Joseph's Church invites all parish families to our annual dinner located in McGuire Hall.
Vigil Mass at 5:30 followed by dinner from Monte's Trattoria.*

Parish Mission | Monday, March 27th – Wednesday, March 29th

*Join us for our 3-night parish mission "In Search of Real Spirituality: The only Three Questions"
starting at 7pm in the Church.*