

## DECEMBER 10, 2023 - Second Sunday of Advent

## **MASS TIMES:**

MON – FRI: 12:10 PM

SATURDAY: 12:10 PM

5:30PM (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

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

#### GIVING FIRE QR CODE



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#### A Word From Our Pastor

Second Sunday of Advent 12/10/23

Dear St. Joseph Parish Family,

Below is a brief financial statement for St. Joseph's parish. Thank you for all your support this year! We're in a decent place financially and we hope to remain financially solid going forward. Again, thank you for your generosity that makes that possible and for providing us the resources to continue our mission of spreading the Gospel to Greenwich Village and the wider city.

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This year Christmas is on a Monday. On the Saturday just before Christmas we'll have our normal 5:30pm Vigil Mass for the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent. On Sunday, Christmas Eve, we'll have our normal 9am and 11:30am Masses for the 4th Sunday of Advent, and that Sunday evening we'll have a 5pm Christmas Vigil Mass and a 10pm Christmas Night Mass. On Christmas day, Monday, we'll have a 9am Christmas Morning Mass and a 11:30am Christmas Day Mass.

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God Bless,

## Fr. Boniface Endorf O.P.

# St. Joseph's Church Statement of Income & Expenses

Statement of Income & Expenses	
September 1, 2022 – August 31, 2023	
Revenues from Operations	
Sunday, Christmas & Easter Collections	695,945.00
Fundraising	192,008.00
Religious Education	2,675.00
Rental Income	469,755.00
Candle Donations	7,306.00
Other Revenue	18,595.00
Total Revenue from Operations	1,386,284.00
Expenses from Operations	
Clergy Stipend, Benefits, Pension & Support	154,884.00
Salaries, Benefits, Pension & Taxes	371,453.00
Building, Utilities & Equipment Costs	131,183.00
Office & Professional Services	104,008.00
Church & Choir	149,129.00
Cathedraticum & Insurance	227,587.00
Religious Education	2,679.00
<b>Total Expenses from Operations</b>	1,140,923.00
NET OPERATIONS	245,361.00

Note: This financial summary does NOT include extraordinary and non-recuring items including renovations, capital campaign or adoration donations/expenses. This summary is intended to reflect the results of operations only.

#### Mass Tidbit:

Concluding the 2<sup>nd</sup> list of names in the Eucharistic prayer, we have:

Agnes: One of the most popular saints of the early Church, she died a martyr when only 12 years old. She took a vow a virginity and thus died a virgin martyr. She was beheaded in 304 AD under the persecution of the Roman Emperor Diocletian.

Cecilia: She is the patron saint of musicians and is usually shown with a musical instrument. Not much is known about her, but she died a martyr, most likely around 230 AD under the persecution of the Roman Emperor Severus.

Anastasia: Under the persecution of the Emperor Diocletian, Anastasia was tortured and martyred with her husband Publius on Christmas day 304 AD. Not much is known about her life.



#### Weekly Collection

November 27th - December 4th

Regular Collection - \$20,901.10

Thank you for your continuous support.

#### 2023 Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal

**CONSIDER YOUR GIFT** 

Cardinal's Annual The 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:** Retirement Fund for Religious

December 9th - December 10th

This annual appeal benefits 31,000 elderly sisters, brothers and religious order priests - women and men who have consecrated their lives to serving God and His Church. Please join us in supporting this appeal and in praying for the Lord's blessings on our nation's elderly religious.

#### **Christmas Gift Drive**

Thank you to everyone who took a name from our Giving Tree! Just a reminder that wrapped gifts are due back at the church by December 18th. You can drop them off under the tree on Sunday or at the parish office during the week (8am - 4pm)

Missionaries of Charity: are collecting socks, gloves, hats, and scarves for both men and women - we have a box in the narthex where you can drop off unwrapped donations.

The Sisters of Life have an Amazon Baby Registry and you can find the QR code below or on the flyers in the narthex. Please try to purchase gifts by December 18th. You can also drop off any new baby or maternity clothes (unwrapped) to the narthex or the parish office.



#### Canticum Scholare: Candlelight Concert

Join St. Joseph's early music schola, Canticum Scholare, on Thursday, December 14th at 7:30 PM for a candlelight concert with Christmas carol singing. To Celebrate the 400th anniversary of the death of Renaissance composer, William Byrd, the Schola will perform the advent and Christmas motets by Byrd and his contemporaries. No ticket required. Suggested donation at the door of \$25. <a href="https://canticum.org/">https://canticum.org/</a>

#### Mass Intentions

## Saturday, December 9th

12:10pm † Luis Miguel Castillo 5:30pm (Vigil) † Theresa Sabbatino

### Sunday, December 10<sup>th</sup>

9:00am † Helen and Thomas Morgan 11:30am People of the Parish 6:00pm Roberta Clark

#### Monday, December 11th

12:10pm † Raymond DeFillipo

#### Tuesday, December 12th

12:10pm † Luis Miguel Castillo Wednesday, December 13<sup>th</sup> 12:10pm † Mary M. Holder Thursday, December 14<sup>th</sup>

12:10pm

### Friday, December 15th

† Luis Miguel Castillo 12:10pm

### Saturday, December 16<sup>th</sup>

12:10pm † Craig McCarroll 5:30pm (Vigil) † Teresa Leung Sunday, December 17<sup>th</sup>

9:00am † Alvin Randall

11:30am People of the Parish 6:00pm † Sue Hendricks

#### Parish Prayer Intentions

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

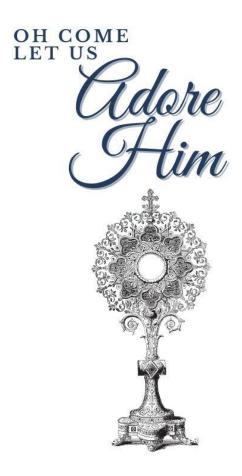
If you would like to include someone on our prayer list, please call the parish office to submit their name.

Names on the prayer list will remain for four (4) weeks. If you wish to leave them on longer, please call the parish office, weekdays 8:00am - 4:00pm.

## **Exposition Announcement**

We are so pleased to announce that we will begin to have Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament every Monday from 8am to 6pm, starting on Monday, December 11<sup>th</sup>. 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.

Thank you for your dedication to the Divine Mercy Adoration Chapel!



Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Mondays 8:00am - 6:00pm

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## This Week at St. Joe's

Sunday, December 10<sup>th</sup>
In Vino Veritas (Young Professional Meeting) | 7pm

Tuesday, December 12<sup>th</sup>

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

<u>Thursday, December 14<sup>th</sup></u>
Canticum Scholare: Candlelight Concert | 7:30pm

# Christmas Mass Schedule

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Saturday, December 23

5:30pm Fourth Sunday of Advent (Vigil)

Sunday, December 24

9:00am Fourth Sunday of Advent 11:30am Fourth Sunday of Advent 5:00pm The Nativity of the Lord (Vigil) 10:00pm The Nativity of the Lord (Night)

Monday, December 25

9:00am The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas at Dawn) 11:30am The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas Day)

