

March 3, 2024 – Third Sunday of Lent

# 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

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

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

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# A Word From Our Pastor

Dear St. Joseph Parish Family,

This week is our annual **Cardinal's Appeal** in-pew weekend. The Cardinal's Appeal supports the work of the Archdiocese of New York. That includes funding the services it provides, its tribunal and administration, the financially struggling parishes and schools it supports, its charitable outreach, the training of Diocesan priests (not Dominican Friars though), and much more. Please consider giving to this appeal, and make sure to mark St. Joseph's as your parish. The Archdiocese considers not only the amount given, but also how many people give, so large and small gifts alike are much appreciated.

This Friday we're starting a new ministry called **NightFire**. We'll keep the church open from 8pm to 11pm and have young adults on the church steps and adoration with music in the church for that whole time. The goal is to evangelize our neighborhood by inviting those walking by the church to come in and light a candle or pray with our parishioners in the church. We'll also have a friar hearing confessions that whole time. Consider stopping by or praying for the success of this ministry.

Our annual **St. Joseph parish dinner** is coming soon! It will be Saturday, March 16<sup>th</sup>, after the 5:30 Vigil Mass (ie: 6:30pm). March 16<sup>th</sup> is also the 190th anniversary of the dedication of our church building! Monte's, our local Italian restaurant will be providing us a great meal again this year. Tickets are on sale after this Mass, and all Sunday masses, until they sell out. I hope to see you all there!

God Bless,

Fr. Boniface Endorf O.P.

# Mass Tidbit:

As we head toward communion, the priest next prays: "Lord Jesus Christ, who said to your Apostles: Peace I leave you, my peace I give you, look not on our sins, but on the faith of your Church, and graciously grant her peace and unity in accordance with your will. Who live and reign for ever and ever." Here the priest offers the prayer of Christ for those who follow Him—that they may share in the peace of Christ. We ask Christ to look on our faith and judge us with His mercy. We also ask for peace and unity within the Church. Christ told us to reconcile with our brother before approaching the altar (Matthew 5:23-24) and here we ask for that unity as we approach Christ together, as Christ prayed that we may be one (John 17:21).

After this prayer, the priest offers everyone peace from the altar: "The peace of the Lord be with you always," to which the people respond: "And with your spirit." They pray for him in his office as a priest conformed to Christ and able to bless in the name of Christ. The priest then says: "Let us offer each other the sign of peace," thus helping us to reconcile and be one before we approach the altar for communion.

## Weekly Collection

February 19<sup>th</sup> – February 26<sup>th</sup>

#### Regular Collection - \$8,027.05

Thank you for your continuous support.

# 2024 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: 12 pledges, totaling **\$10,965.00** towards our goal of **\$67,800.00**.

## St. Joe's Parish Lenten Mission

#### "Call Me Jonah"

by Fr. Gabriel Torretta, O.P.

#### March 18<sup>th</sup> – March 20<sup>th</sup> | 7pm

Coward. Bigot. Curmudgeon. Image of Christ. The prophet Jonah isn't what we think a saint should look like—he's too mediocre, too petty, too normal. But his story is the story of Lent, the story of redemption, the story of reality. It's our story.

#### **Chapel Announcement**

## THE DIVINE MERCY PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

#### COMMITTED ADORERS NEEDED:

SUNDAYS	8am, 9am, 11am,
	12pm, 3pm
TUESDAYS	11am – 1pm
THURSDAYS	10am – 1pm
FRIDAYS	9am
SATURDAYS	6pm

Our current goal is to fill all recurring adoration hours 8am - 6pm by Divine Mercy Sunday! Currently, out of our 637 adorers, 122 have a recurring adoration commitment. To fill those 8am - 6pm slots we need committed adorers to make at least a one (1) hour commitment to adoration, weekly, bi-weekly, or monthly. Most of the hours are being covered by one person.

Please help us spread the word so that we can find more adorers to help fill those hours as well!

## St. Joe's Parish Dinner Tickets

#### March 16<sup>th</sup> | After 5:30pm Mass

Our annual St. Joseph Dinner will be on Saturday, March 16<sup>th</sup> following the 5:30 Vigil Mass in McGuire Hall. Tickets will be available for purchase after every Weekend Mass and in the Parish Office (Monday to Friday, 8-4). Payment by Credit/Debit Card, Cash, or Check. We are also looking for volunteers to help with ticket sales, set-up, food serving, and clean-up. If you are available to volunteer, please reach out to Nicole Bogatz at <u>nicole@stjosephgv.nyc</u>

## **IN NEED OF USHERS**

We are in need of volunteers at our Sunday Masses to man the doors, greet people as they enter, and assist with the collection. If you are willing to help, please let us know at secretary@stjosephgv.nyc, and we will connect you with our usher team for training.

## Mass Intentions

Saturday, March 2 <sup>nd</sup>	
12:10pm + 5:30pm (Vigil) +	Nicholas A. Longo Katya DiPiazza
Sunday, March 3 <sup>rd</sup> – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent	
9:00am † 11:30am 6:00pm †	Rachel and Daniel Lacorazza People of the Parish Mary M. Holder
Monday, March 4 <sup>th</sup>	
	Luis Miguel Castillo
Tuesday, March 5 <sup>th</sup>	
12:10pm +	Alexander B. McKeveny
Wednesday, March 6 <sup>th</sup>	
12:10pm	John McCready
Thursday, March 7 <sup>th</sup>	
12:10pm	The Di Piazza Children
Friday, March 8 <sup>th</sup>	
12:10pm +	Luis Miguel Castillo
Saturday, March 9 <sup>th</sup>	
	Esther Judge Charles Holder, Sr.
Sunday, March 10 <sup>th</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent	
9:00am † 11:30am	Vincenza Visconti People of the Parish
6:00pm +	

## **Parish Prayer Intentions**

Stephen Grillo, Gerri Williams, Jill Sutro, George Telesco, Kim Barreiro, Natalie Nass, Joan Budson, Michael Budson, Veronica O'Donnell, †Jade Colleen Adam, †Alice Negrone. Vicente Morales.

# This Week at St. Joe's

<u>Sunday, March 3<sup>rd</sup></u> In Vino Veritas (Young Professional Meeting) | 7pm

> <u>Monday, March 4<sup>th</sup></u> Dominican Discourse | 7:30pm

> <u>Tuesday, March 5<sup>th</sup></u> Jesus in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century | 7pm

<u>Friday, March 8<sup>th</sup></u> Stations of the Cross | 7pm NightFire | 8pm

<u>Saturday, March 9<sup>th</sup></u> Ascension Press Film Night | 7pm



# **DAYLIGHT SAVINGS REMINDER!**

Next Sunday, March 10, 2024 our clocks are set <u>forward</u> one hour.

