



Church of St. Joseph

149 Cottage Street, Middletown, N.Y. 10940 ☩ (845) 343-6013

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 14, 2018

Rev. Dennis A. Nikolić, Pastor
Rev. Alejandro Sanchez, Parochial Vicar
Rev. Simon Nwachukwu, Hospital Chaplain
Rev. Ngozi Osuji, Prison Chaplain
Rev. Donald Timone, In Residence
Deacon Richard Trapani
Deacon Albert Loeffler
Deacon Alexander Gapay

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

845-343-4415

SUNDAY MASS

Saturday evening: 5:30
Sunday morning: 7:00, 9:00, 9:00 (Latin), 11:30
Sunday afternoon: 1:00 -- en Español

DAILY MASS

Monday – Friday: 7:30 a.m., & 12:10 p.m.
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. en Espanol
Saturday: 8:00 a.m.

HOLY DAYS

Mass and Confession schedule announced ahead of time.

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays: 4:15 to 5:00 & 7:30 to 8:00 p.m.
Eve of First Friday: 4:15 to 5:00 p.m.
Also by appointment.

BAPTISMS

For registered parishioners, by appointment, after instruction. Sundays at 2:30 p.m., 2nd through last Sunday in English, 1st Sunday in Spanish.

PARENT BAPTISMAL INSTRUCTION

Meetings in the Parish Center
English: 3rd Saturday, 9:15 to 10:15 a.m.
Spanish: 4th Saturday, 9:00 to 10:00 a.m.

ST. JOSEPH'S RELIGIOUS GIFT SHOP

9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. & 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Sunday

MARRIAGES

For registered parishioners. Arrangements must be made at least 6 months in advance.

PASTORAL VISITS

Communion for the home-bound and anointing of the sick: call the rectory.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (RCIA)

For adults interested in becoming Catholics and for Catholics who need to receive Communion and/or Confirmation. Please call the Rectory: 343-6013.

LITURGY

Eucharistic Ministers: *Coordinator*, Deacon Trapani
Lector Coordinator: Martin Suchy
Organist: Mr. Joseph Bertolozzi

DEVOTIONS

Miraculous Medal Novena and Rosary:
Mondays 7:00 p.m.
Perpetual Adoration In Chapel: 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
First Friday: Holy hour 8:00-9:00 p.m.
First Saturday: Rosary after the 8:00 a.m. Mass
First Saturday: Holy hour 7:00 – 8:00 p.m. in Spanish
Rosary Crusade for Life: First Sunday of the month, 4:00-5:00 p.m.

PARISH SERVICES

Food Pantry: Open Wednesdays 11:00am
Senior Dining: Serving lunch Mon-Fri 845-956-1428
Parish Website: www.sjchurch.com



Welcome To
Our Parish

**TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
OCTOBER 14, 2018**

*My peace
I give unto you
Let not your heart
be troubled,
neither let it be afraid.
John 14:27*

*Mass Intention
for the Week*

October 14– October 21

SAT:	5:30pm	All Parishioners Living & Deceased
SUN:	7:00am	Pino Rossi
	9:00am	Pasquale "Pat" Arceri Donald Milligan
LATIN	9:00am	Mirosław Adamowicz
	11:30am	Antonio, Rosina & Maria Scumaci
	1:00pm	Christopher Ruckdeschel (Living)
MON:	7:30am	Francesco Fratto
	12:10pm	John Frisenda
TUE:	7:30am	Richard Curtis Stevens
	12:10pm	Linus Denis & Anesta Brumaire
WED:	7:30am	Dick Orlandi
	12:10pm	Louis Crocco
THUR:	7:30am	Geraldine Mc Cormick Grenzhauser
	12:10pm	Antonio Mastroia
FRI:	7:30am	David Schoeneberger
	12:10pm	Katherine Masci
SAT	8:00am	Mary Catherine Kennedy
	5:30pm	Vincent & Mary Marceano
SUN:	7:00am	All Parishioners Living & Deceased
	9:00am	Ann Isola Angelo & Carmen Velez
LATIN	9:00am	Louis 'Chi-Chi' De Stefano
	11:30am	Dominic & Josephine Scarano, Mike & Rose Mingolla Sr.

PRAY FOR

Ross Sheehan
Unique Love Myers

Note: Monday through Friday, 12:10pm mass is offered for an increase in vocations. An additional intention may be requested.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

World Mission Sunday, next Sunday, October 21, celebrates the mercy of God as we extend His loving heart to our neighbor half a world away, through our prayers and sacrifices.

There will be a second collection next weekend. Please be as generous as your means permit.



PERPETUAL ADORATION

Perhaps you wonder why we ask for Guardians of the Eucharist to commit to one specific hour each week. Here are three reasons.

Each hour you spend with Jesus will deepen His Divine Peace within your heart. "Come to Me all you who are weary and find life burdensome and I will refresh you." Matthew 11:28

Jesus is infinitely deserving of our unceasing thanksgiving and adoration for all that He has done for our salvation. "Worthy is the lamb that was slain to receive honor, glory and praise." Rev. 5:12

For Peace in our country!

"When my people humble themselves and seek My Presence, I will revive their land." 2 Chronicles 7:14

Every hour of every day and night is available for you to sign as a Guardian of the Eucharist. Choose one and commit. Call Marty/Clarice Suchy 692-4510.

Hours of special need are:

Monday 1-2 PM Tuesday 1-2 AM
Thursday 2-3AM Friday 8-9 PM
Saturday 5-6 PM

WOMEN'S RETREAT

'The Road to Emmaus'

"Were not our hearts burning within us while he talked with us on the road and opened the Scriptures to us?" Luke 24

"Come and join us for a Women's Retreat, October 27 – 28" at the Vincent Pallotti Center, 23 Resident Road, Monroe, NY 10950. The retreat fee is \$75.00 for an overnight and all meals and refreshments are included. Please make checks payable to Sisters of the Catholic Apostolate and mail to: Toni Kerins- 98 Harriman Heights Rd., Monroe, NY 10950, (845)492-5066. Registrations forms at the doors of the church.

2019 PARISH MASS BOOK TO OPEN

On **Wednesday, October 24th**, the 2019 Parish Mass Book will open. Requests **MUST** be made in person, **NOT** by phone. Requests will be recorded in the Gymnasium from 9:00am-3:00pm. Also requests will be made from 6:30pm-8:00pm in the rectory. You may request up to a total of **SIX** masses, but not more than **TWO** may be on a Saturday evening or Sunday masses. An offering for an announced mass is **\$20.00**. Please come prepared with your names dates and times ready to be recorded in the Mass book.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

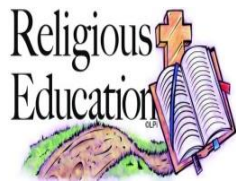


Are you part of this effort to save babies from abortion? You can be! 40 Days is a three pronged approach to saving babies and ending abortion. 1) **Prayer**. Young and old, each of us can pray for those mothers considering abortion, for those who would encourage abortions and for the workers in the abortion facilities. 2) **Fasting**. Each of us can fast from a favorite food, TV program or something else which brings us pleasure. 3) **Public witness**. If possible join us in front of Planned Parenthood on Coates Drive in Goshen. St. Joseph's is there on Mondays from 7AM till 6 PM.

Please call Veronica at 845-551-8560 if you are able to volunteer. For more information go to the website: 40DaysforLife.com/Goshen.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

A good number of faculty and students represented St. Joseph's Religious Education School as they participated in the peaceful & prayerful Life Chain on Sunday October 7th.



FORMED

Just a reminder about the site named FORMED. A subscription to all parishioners is available. To learn more about FORMED, go to www.formed.org. To register, go to **register** and then put St. Joseph's code in – **XNNQX7**, and then enter your email address. Then continue and look for different programs that may interest you and your family.

APOSTOLATE OF PRAYER

Parishes of the Orange County Vicariate are uniting in prayer each day throughout the year for the members of our beloved clergy. Please remember:

October 14	Cardinal Dolan Auxiliary Bishops
October 15	Rev. Joseph Emmanuel Rev. Joseph Fallon
October 16	Rev. Jack Arlotta Deacon Edward Wood
October 17	Rev. Bejoy Thomas Valliyil CMI Rev. Jeffrey Maurer
October 18	Rev. Paul Dmoch Deacon John Frohbose
October 19	Rev. Ivan Csete Most Rev. Peter Byrne
October 20	Vocations Seminarians

ORMC TRICKY TRAY

The Orange Regional Medical Auxiliary will be having a **TRICKY TRAY** Fundraiser on Saturday, **October 20, 2018** at St. Joseph's Parish Center in Middletown, NY. Doors will open at 10:00am and calling will begin at 11:30am. Door prizes, fabulous baskets, grand raffle and refreshments available. Please come and support our local Hospital! All proceeds go to the Pediatric Department at ORMC. The Auxiliary is always looking for ways to help **all** members of our communities! We welcome new members! Thank you very much! More information will follow in next weeks bulletin.

SISTER OF LIFE

Come Holy Spirit! The Sisters of Life invite all women to a Feminine Genius Brunch Saturday, November 3rd @ 10:00AM Duchess Manor in Beacon, NY This brunch borrows its name after those amazing God-given attributes endowed to you as women—receptivity, sensitivity, generosity, and maternity—all of which make up the feminine genius!! In addition to a lovely brunch overlooking the Hudson River, Sr. Virginia Joy, the director of the Respect Life Office of the Archdiocese will give a talk on the beauty of the feminine heart and these distinct attributes as women. Come discover God's plan for your ultimate flourishing! Invite a friend, mother, or daughter (in-law)! RSVP by October 28, at www.adnyfemininegeniusbrunch.eventbrite.com. Any questions, please contact sr.virginia.joy@archny.org.

RSVP Here: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/feminine-genius-brunch-tickets-50339447643>

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

New donations are needed for the raffle table at our bazaar. Also, donations are being accepted for the white elephant table. Only items in good condition will be accepted for the white elephant table. **Clothing will not be accepted.** Call the rectory for more information.

Tables are still available at a cost of \$25.00 per table for our bazaar to be held on Saturday, **November 10th** from 9am – 3:30pm.

The Christmas Bazaar meeting will be held on **Wednesday evening, October 22 at 7:00pm** in the Parish Center Meeting Room. Anyone who is helping out the day of the bazaar **MUST** attend this meeting. We will be making the final arrangements for the bazaar. **Do You Bake Cookies?** We need bakers for the **COOKIE WALK** that will be part of our Bazaar. If you'd be willing to bake a few batches of your favorite cookie(s), please call Marilyn Hoffman at 733-1237 or the rectory 343-6013. Cookies can be dropped off on Friday evening, Nov. 13 after 5:00pm.

SHORTER NOTICES

† **ST. JOSEPH'S LAY APOSTLES** will meet on Sunday, November 12th at 3:00pm in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. Everyone is invited. Come and join us. For more information call 1-914-443-1435.

† **PARISH COUNCIL** will meet on Thursday, October 18 at 7:00pm in the meeting room/gym



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BLOOD DRIVE

The John Paul the Great Knights of Columbus Council #486 will be holding their semiannual Blood Drive on Sunday October 28th. The event will take place in the St. Joseph parish center gymnasium from 8:30 AM - 2:30 PM. To donate blood you must be between the ages of 17 (16 with consent) and 75 years old and must weigh at least 110 lbs. Please remember that the one pint of blood you donate can save up to 5 lives! If you would like to donate or desire more info, please contact Carl at 845-649-0347.

OCTOBER IS HOSPITAL CHAPLAINCY APOSTOLATE MONTH!

The director of this ministry for ArchCare, John Schultz, BCC, recently ran in a NYS marathon to kick off ArchCare's October focus to raise awareness and funding the Hospital Chaplaincy Apostolate.

ArchCare has placed 23 priests and religious chaplains to support 26 hospitals and 3 nursing homes throughout the archdiocese. These Catholic chaplains minister to well over 100,000 patients annually, often at a time of deep spiritual need and crisis for them and their families. They also minister to hospital staff as they deal with patient care and difficult situations. In our own parish, Fr. Simon Nwachukwu is assigned at Orange Regional Medical Center full time to minister to the many Catholic patients in need there.

This is beautiful ministry where the Church is meeting people where they are, when they need it most. It is the work of evangelization and healing: reminding those who need it most that God is with them and they are not alone; helping them to achieve peace or come closer to it; bringing life more abundantly.

The impact of this care is deep and meaningful. In one case, a priest helped an elderly patient return to God and his faith after 50 years away from the Church; in another, a priest helped reconcile an elderly dying man with his e-wife; in countless others, priests help patients who are dealing with significant health issues to connect with themselves, others and God.

More information about this important and beautiful ministry is included in the link below. Please help support it through a contribution and pass this message and link on to anyone who might be interested in providing support. It would also be great if you could share this appeal on any applicable social media. Thank you for anything you can do.

<https://www.archcare.org/hospitalchaplaincy>

