



ST. JOSEPH PARISH

Established 1895

SOUTH NORWALK, CONNECTICUT



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WEEKDAY MASS TIMES				
Monday	<i>Lunes</i>	6:00 PM	Latin/English	(chapel)
Tuesday	<i>Martes</i>	6:00 PM	English	(chapel)
Wednesday	<i>Miércoles</i>	6:00 PM	Español	(iglesia)
Thursday	<i>Jueves</i>	6:00 PM	Espanol	(capilla)
Friday	<i>Viernes</i>	6:00 PM	English	(chapel)
WEEKEND MASS TIMES				
Saturday	<i>Sábado</i>	9:00 AM	English	(chapel)
		5:00 PM	English	(church)
		6:30 PM	Español	(iglesia)
Sunday	<i>Domingo</i>	7:00 AM	English	(church)
		8:30 AM	Español	(iglesia)
		10:00 AM	English	(church)
		12:00 PM	Español	(iglesia)
		5:15 PM	French-Creole	(church)
CONFESSIONS				
Wednesday	<i>Miércoles</i>	6:45 PM - 7:45 PM		
Friday	<i>Viernes</i>	4:00 PM - 4:45 PM		
ADORATION:				
Wednesday	<i>Miércoles</i>	7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Holy Hour & Exposition (church)		

Updated Mass Schedule!

COMING UP NEXT WEEKEND...

THE FEAST OF ST. JOSEPH

SATURDAY, MARCH 16TH
6:00pm - 11:00pm
in the Side By Side School Gym

The members of the Haitian community invite you to join us for a social gathering to celebrate the feast of our patron saint.

For more information and to purchase tickets, please visit or call the Parish Office.
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- Sunday, March 10th 2019 -
First Sunday of Lent

Mass Intentions

Sat. 03/09/19	
	9:00 AM 5:00 PM (Spanish) 6:30 PM † Rosa Giraldo
Sun. 03/10/19	
	7:00 AM † Jules Chouloute (Spanish) 8:30 AM Andres Ochoa 10:00 AM † Juliene Chouloute (Spanish) 12:00 PM Maria Elvia Paccha Andres Paccha (Creole) 5:15 PM
Mon. 03/11/19	
	(Latin/English) 6:00 PM Jose Ochoa
Tue. 03/12/19	
	(English) 6:00 PM
Wed. 03/13/19	
	(Spanish) 6:00 PM † Horacio Posada - 20th Anniversary
Thu. 03/14/19	
	(Spanish) 6:00 PM Ana Maria Valencia
Fri. 03/15/19	
	(English) 6:00 PM
Sat. 03/16/19	
	9:00 AM 5:00 PM (Spanish) 6:30 PM † Isabel Giraldo
Sun. 03/17/19	
	7:00 AM † Solange Loiseau (Spanish) 8:30 AM † Teresa Valdovinos Alfredo Yopez 10:00 AM (Spanish) 12:00 PM † Emerita Vazquez Figueroa (Creole) 5:15 PM

Mass Collections for the Week of: February 27th to March 3rd

MASS COLLECTIONS			
Wednesday	2/27	7:00pm	\$14.40
Saturday	3/2	5:00pm	\$390.63
	3/2	7:00pm	\$451.00
Sunday	3/3	7:00am	\$270.05
	3/3	8:30am	\$524.09
	3/3	10:00am	\$2,713.49
	3/3	12:00pm	\$1,471.41
	3/3	5:15pm	\$186.00
Extra Offertory	3/3	5:15pm	\$17.00
Rel. Ed. Envelopes			\$293.00
TOTAL:			\$6,331.07

It's not often that we think of something like monetary contribution in such spiritual terms. Because so much of our life is focused on financial transactions, we might think of charitable donations or donations to our church in a similar way- we give money as a sort of salary to our pastor to pay for the various ministries in our parish. That may be true, but there is also a spiritual aspect to it, and to any service that we do - any "gracious act."

- *The Word Among Us*, February 2019, pp. 12

A Preview of the Upcoming Week in Our Neighborhood...

10	11	12	13	14	15	16
7:00 am 8:30 am (Español) 10:00 am 12:00 pm (Español) 5:15 pm (Creole)	6:00 pm (Latin/Eng) - Chapel Pastoral Council Meeting - 7:00pm Parish Center	6:00 pm (English) - Chapel Cenáculo de Oración 7:30pm St. Ladislaus Church (Church Basement)	6:00 pm (Español) Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with Confessions Credo Meeting - 8:00m Parish Center	6:00 pm (Español) - Chapel Grupo de Oración - 7:30 pm Church Basement	6:00 pm (English) - Chapel Grupo de Oración - Adultos 8:00pm St. Ladislaus Parish (in the Church)	9:00 am - Chapel 4-4:45 pm Confessions 5:00 pm 6:30 pm (Español) St. Joseph Feast 6 - 11 pm Side-by-Side Gym

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

First Reading: Deuteronomy 26:4-10

Moses discusses the power God has displayed in freeing his people from oppression and leading them to a rich land. He tells the people that they should make offerings to God to show their gratitude, then celebrate over the great things he has given them.

Second Reading: Romans 10:8-13

Paul tells us that if we proclaim, "Jesus is Lord" and truly believe that God raised him from the dead, we will be saved. For God shows his mercy toward everyone who calls upon his name.

Gospel: Luke 4:1-13

Jesus fasted in the desert for forty days, then Satan appeared to him and tempted him to turn stone into bread. After Jesus refused, Satan promised him great powers if Jesus would worship him. Jesus replied that he would worship God and no one else. Then Satan tried to persuade Jesus to put God to the test, but again Jesus resisted his temptation.

Next Week:

First Reading: Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18
 Second Reading: Philippians 3:17 – 4:1
 Gospel: Luke 9:28b-36

PRIMER DOMINGO DE CUARESMA

Primera Lectura: Deuteronomio 26:4-10

Moisés habla del poder que Dios ha demostrado al liberar a su pueblo de la opresión y al darles un abundante tierra. El dice al pueblo que deben dar ofrendas a Dios para demostrar su gratitud, y luego celebrar las grandes cosas que El les ha dado.

Segunda Lectura: Romanos 10:8-13

Pablo nos dice que si proclamamos que "Jesús es el Señor" y que si verdaderamente creemos en que Dios se ha levantado de entre los muertos nos salvaremos. Dios muestra su misericordia a todo aquel que llama su nombre.

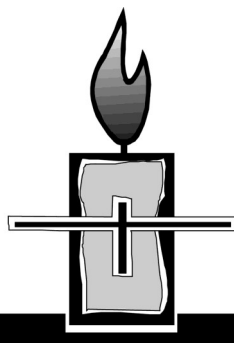
Evangelio: San Lucas 4:1-13

Jesús ayunó en el desierto por cuarenta días. Luego Satanás se le apareció y lo tentó con volver una piedra en pan. Luego que Jesús rehusó, Satanás le prometió grandes poderes si Jesús lo adoraba. Jesús respondió que el adoraría a Dios y a nadie más. Entonces Satanás trató de persuadir a Jesús a que pusiera a Dios a prueba, pero una vez más Jesús resistió la tentación.

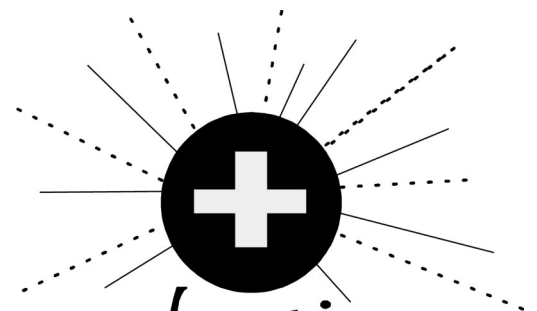
Proximo Semana:

Primera Lectura: Génesis 15:5-12, 17-18
 Segunda Lectura: Filipenses 3:17–4:1
 Evangelio: San Lucas 9:28b-36

Dios
 es mi Luz



God
 is my
 Light
 and my salvation





**Grupo
de Oración
Monte Tabor**

El Grupo de Oración Monte Tabor se reúne
todos los jueves

a las 7:30pm

en el sótano de la iglesia St. Joseph. Ven a
participar de la meditación de la sagrada
escritura, testimonios, cantos y reflexiones
de la palabra de Dios.

*Todos son bienvenidos! Te esperamos!
Comité el grupo Monte Tabor.*



CREDO



Young Adult Ministry of South Norwalk

“Credo– I believe”

St. Joseph Parish’s young adult group will be meeting ...

Wednesday, March 13th and 20th

at 8:00pm

in the Parish Center Chapel.

Meetings usually consist of a mass or prayer service followed by
a social at a local restaurant in downtown SoNo.

*You DO NOT need to be a registered parishioner to attend.
All are welcome!*

See our Facebook page for details.



**2019 MASS OF HOPE & HEALING
SUNDAY APRIL 7TH, 2019—2:00PM**



The Most Rev. Frank Caggiano, together with a planning committee of Survivors of Sexual Abuse as Minors by Priests, will hold a very special Mass for anyone who has been sexually abused as a minor and for others who have been impacted.

The Mass will be held on Sunday, April 7th, 2019 at 2:00 PM at St. Joseph Church 8 Robinson Avenue, Danbury CT. Light Refreshments will be served immediately following the Mass.

There are regularly scheduled gatherings for any person who has been sexually abused as a minor to meet with the victim assistance coordinators and fellow survivors of sexual abuse for friendship, prayer and peer support. For more information, please contact Erin Neil: Eneil@diobpt.org.

- **Monday February 25, 2019** Open Meeting for Survivors of Sexual Abuse as a Minor. 6:00 PM-7:30 PM Catholic Center 238 Jewett Avenue, Bridgeport CT
- **Thursday March 14, 2019-** Open Meeting for Family Members of Survivors 6:00 PM-7:30 PM the Newman Center Danbury 7 8th Ave, Danbury, CT
- **Tuesday March 26, 2019–** Open Meeting for Survivors of Sexual Abuse as a Minor. 6:30 PM -8:00 PM St. Roch Church 10 St Roch Ave, Greenwich, CT

If you are an adult survivor of sexual abuse as a minor or a family member of a survivor and you would like to learn more about the Mass, the upcoming meetings and other resources that are available in our Diocese, please contact one of our Victim Assistance Coordinators:

Erin Neil, L.C.S.W., (203) 650-3265 or Michael Tintrup, L.C.S.W. (203) 241-0987.

We hope to hear from you, you are very important to us.

**Next meetings for the
St. Joseph Youth Groups:**

Senior YG (High School)

Tuesday, April 9th 6:00pm—8:00pm

Junior YG (Middle School, 6th to 8th grade)

Wednesday, March 20th 5:00pm—7:00pm

You don't need to bring anything else other than your body, an open mind, and an open heart.
You are never alone, your family at St. Joe's is always here!

No necesitas traer nada más que tu cuerpo, una mente abierta y un corazón abierto.
¡Nunca estás solo, tu familia en St. Joe's está siempre a tu lado!

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included in our bulletin, please send
an email to our Parish Office:*

stjosono@aol.com

*Si desea incluir algo en nuestro bo-
letín, envíe un correo electrónico a
nuestra Oficina Parroquial:*

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION – ENVELOPE CONTRIBUTIONS

- ♦ We want to thank you and acknowledge the following students of the week of February 23-24 for your commitment to offering to our Lord your time, talent, and treasure in the participation of the Holy Mass this past Sunday. Keep up the good work for God's glory! **PLEASE USE AN ENVELOPE FOR MASS**
- ♦ Queremos agradecer y reconocer el esfuerzo de los siguiente partipantes de la semana del febrero 23-24 de la educación religiosa en la fe, por ofrecer su tiempo, talento y tesoro en la participación de la Santa Misa este Domingo pasado, muchos más están participando para la gloria de Dios, Adelante. **POR FAVOR UTILICEN UN SOBRE POR MISA**

#4 Sophia Castellanos	#138 Valery Perez	#150 Anthony Garcia
#12 Nicolas Ceciliano	#142 Alexis Perez	#159 Adam Marinez
#18 Cardenas Dilan	#195 Armando Ramirez	#27 Katherine Oliveira
#22 Rosa Reyes	#196 Sarah Ramirez	#101 Valentina Aponte
#Valeria Ballinas	#31Aiden Alvaran	#146 Marcos Chacon
#19 Noah Philogene	#78 Damaris Machorro	#194 Mia Ponce
#28 Corina	#183 James Salamanca	#48 Kevin Santiago
#29 Melanie Paucar	#134 Estephany Rivera	#53 Alfredo Martinez
#41 Esmeralda Ramos	#136 Montserrat Vega	#100 Victoria Enriquez
#43 Ashley Ramirez	#160 Eduardo Gonzalez	#152 Francisca Gonzalez
#42 Yesenia Ramos	#169 Manuel Corona	#158 Jocelyn
#175 Eivyn D	#85 Adrian Arana	#108 Mateo Chacon
#81 Allan Portoviejo	#92 Susana Corona	#110 Edwin Rumipulla
#106 Alexander Sanchez	#99 Alejandro Mencos	#180 Steven Andrade
#111 Diego Valenzuela	#122 Brandon Gonzalez	#186 Gisselle Salazar
#114 Yoleni Juarez	#182 Saritha Almache	#204 Mia Palacio
#115 Emelyn Juarez	#105 Esmeralda Robles	#145 Ashley Rumipulla
#112 Juan Corona	#57 Gabriel Barragan	#191 Melvin Pastora
#118 Lizandro Juarez	#77 Kyla Sanon	
#121 Kristin Lema	#131 Gabriella Taccone	

This past Sunday, 32 students of our religious education program, as well as their parents, participated in a retreat to prepare to celebrate their first reconciliation this **Saturday, March 9th at 10:00am** in the church. Thank you to the parents and confirmation candidates for helping out.

Este domingo, 32 estudiantes con sus padres estuvieron en un retiro para estar listos para la celebración de su primera reconciliación este **sábado 9 de marzo a las 10:00am** en la iglesia. Gracias a los padres y los candidatos de confirmación para ayudar.



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Un tiempo de
encuentro
encounter
Lent



Irene from South Sudan lives in the Bidi Bidi refugee settlement in Uganda.

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