

Parish Ministries

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Parish Services

Parish Office: Open Monday through Thursday from 9:00 AM-4:00 PM (closed 12:00-1:30 PM for lunch).

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings from 6:30-8:30 PM

Parish Center/Chapel of the Nativity:
124 East Second Street

Church: 111 East High Street (corner of Mountain Avenue and East High Street)

Parish Office: (732) 356-0027

Parish Fax: (732) 356-8092

Emergencies Only: (732) 356-8936

Website: www.sjcbb.net

Sacraments

Baptism: English Baptisms will be officiated on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month at 1:30 PM in the Church. Spanish Baptisms will be officiated on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month at 1:30 PM in the Church.

Contact the Parish Office to schedule. Attendance at Baptism class is mandatory. The Baptism must be scheduled before you attend Baptism class.

Marriage: Weddings celebrated Saturdays and Friday evenings, but not Sundays. You must contact a priest 9 months before the planned date, and reservation of a wedding time is suggested even earlier.

Confirmation, First Eucharist, First Penance: Though immediate preparation is given before receiving these sacraments, children are expected to receive a Catholic upbringing in their families. This includes formal religious education classes and regular Sunday worship in the years prior to and following the reception of these Sacraments.

Devotions

Marian Novena: Saturdays following 8:15 AM Mass in the Chapel.

Eucharistic Adoration: First and Second Friday, Adoration following 8:30 AM Mass; Benediction: 1st Friday in English; 2nd Friday in Spanish, 12:00 PM in the Chapel.

In the Hospital?

If you or someone you know is sick in the hospital or nursing home for an extended stay, please contact the parish office. We will do our best to have someone make a pastoral visit and bring communion. Please note that the Hospitals or Nursing Homes do not notify us, and we rely on the family to inform us of this information. Thank you for your assistance.

New Parishioners

New Parishioners are asked to come to the Parish Office and fill out a Census form. Individuals and families must be registered and practicing here for at least six months before applying for sponsorship.

If you have changed your address or other information, please contact the Parish Office at (732) 356-0027 so that we can update our records.

Sponsorship Eligibility

To be or not to be . . . A Sponsor for Baptism or Confirmation

The opportunity to walk with another in Faith, whether a child or an adult is an awesome privilege. It is cause for serious consideration on the part of those who ask another to witness with their lives to what it means to be a Catholic, and for those who accept this responsibility. It is important to think carefully about your selection and decision. The person to be considered a Sponsor must be at least 14 years of age and have themselves completed the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Eucharist, Confirmation), and are leading a life in harmony with the Faith and Tradition they are called to witness. A Godparent/Sponsor cannot be the mother or father of the one to be baptized. If married, their marriage must be recognized as "valid" by the Catholic Church. They must be attending Mass regularly, that is, every Sunday and Holy Day of Obligation.

They will need to obtain a Certificate of Eligibility signed by their pastor. Being properly registered at one's parish is an important first step. Consider carefully your invitation and response. There is more involved to this than simply standing at the Baptismal Font. It is a lifelong commitment. If you have questions, speak with one of the parish priests who can guide you correctly. Call the Parish Office EARLY, even before your child's birth to obtain information that will help you in selecting suitable godparents.

Holy Savior Academy

*The Middlebrook Deanery
Catholic School*

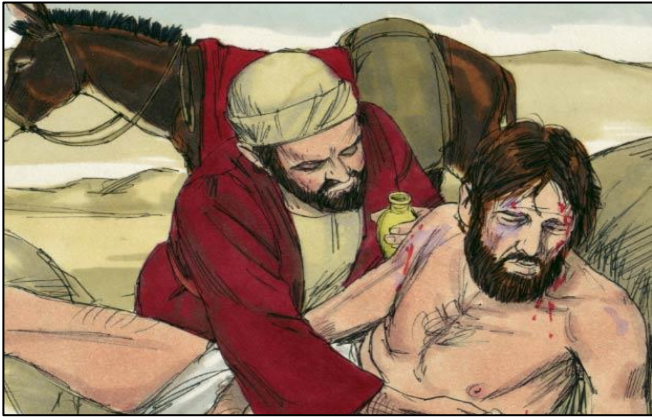
(Grades Pre-K through 8)
149 South Plainfield Avenue
South Plainfield, NJ 07080
(908) 822-5890

www.holysavioracademy.co..
Mrs. Melinda Hanlon, Principal



Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 10, 2016



The Good Samaritan

Masses/Penance for the Week

Monday, July 11, 2016

8:30 AM* Betty Reid, request of Felix and Eileen Reid

Tuesday, July 12, 2016

8:30 AM* William Bedner, request of DiBiase family

Wednesday, July 13, 2016

8:30 AM* World Peace

6:15 PM* Penance

7:00 PM* Charles Long, request of
Isidoro and Maria Garcia

Thursday, July 14, 2016

8:30 AM* People of the Parish

Friday, July 15, 2016

8:30 AM* Daniel Salvatore, request of Villamil family

Saturday, July 16, 2016

8:30 AM* Helen Sikora, request of Tom and Flo Patullo

4:00 PM Penance

5:00 PM Robert Lowe, request of
Mary Anne and John Griguoli

7:00 PM All deceased of Guerrero Valencia family,
request of Moran-Guerrero family

Sunday, July 17, 2016

8:00 AM Marie Monteleone, request of family

10:00 AM Annette Hawkins, request of Rose Marie Green

12:00 PM For the health of Angela Otero, request of
daughter and family

*Masses/penance are held in the Chapel

Next Sunday's Readings

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading 1: Genesis 18:1-10a

Sarah and Abraham receive God as a guest.

Reading 2: Colossians 1:24-28

The body of Christ suffers and rejoices in our sufferings and joys.

Gospel: Luke 10:38-42

Martha and Mary received Jesus as a guest.

This Week

Tuesday, July 12, 2016

10 AM-12 PM Vacation Bible School Meeting in the
Church Community Room

7:00 PM Spanish Baptism Class in the Upper
Room

Wednesday, July 13, 2016

7:00-9:00 PM Vacation Bible School Meeting in the
Church Community Room

7:00-9:00 PM Spanish Ministries in the Library

Thursday, July 14, 2016

7:00 PM Divine Mercy in the Chapel

Friday, July 15, 2016

6:00-8:00 PM Youth United in Christ! In the
Upper Room

Saturday, July 16, 2016

6:00-9:30 PM Spanish Prayer Group in the Chapel

Sunday, July 17, 2016

3:00 PM Vacation Bible School Set-Up in the
Main Church

Prayer for Victims of Terrorism

Loving God, Welcome into your arms the victims of violence and terrorism. Comfort their families and all who grieve for them. Help us in our fear and uncertainty, and bless us with the knowledge that we are secure in your love. Strengthen all those who work for peace, and may the peace the world cannot give reign in our hearts.



Prayer for Our Military

Father, keep our servicemen and women physically safe and healthy, and guard them from the evil one. Help them resist all temptation, be a shield around them, and guard them as the apple of Your eye. In the powerful name of Jesus we pray, amen.

First Communion and Confirmation Photographs

First Communion and Confirmation Photographs are ready for pick-up in the Parish Office.



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St. Joseph Catholic Church, Bound Brook, NJ

Sunday Offering

The Week Ended July 3

Regular Collection:

\$ 5,268.50

Thank you! Your continued support helps St. Joseph Parish to serve our community more effectively.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

If you or someone you know would like to hear more about Jesus and His church, we invite you to join us at an Inquiry Session. Inquiry Sessions are opportunities to ask questions about God, Jesus, the Catholic Church, the Mass, Saints, Sacraments, prayer, etc. The sessions DO NOT expect



or require a commitment to join the Catholic Church. They are informal conversations about any questions you may have. We welcome any and all inquiries about the Catholic Faith. In

addition, if you wish to be baptized into the Catholic Faith, or you are already baptized and wish to receive the other Sacraments of Initiation, or you come to us from another faith wishing to become a fully initiated member of the Catholic Church then we invite you to join RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults). RCIA is the process which will lead you to Baptism (for those unbaptized), Eucharist, and Confirmation. For more information about sessions in English, please contact Deacon Gary Newton at Deacon.Gary@sjccb.net or for sessions in Spanish, contact Sr. Susana Islas at Sr.Susana@sjccb.net.

Silver and Gold Wedding Anniversary Celebration

Save the Date

The Silver and Gold Wedding Anniversary celebration will take place at St. Francis Cathedral in Metuchen, on Sunday, October 30 at 4:00 PM. Details to follow.

Eucharistic Ministers

Great news, many Eucharistic Ministers have been trained according to the Diocese of Metuchen's guidelines, and their names have been submitted to Bishop Checchio for his approval. You will see at the Mass you attend the commission of new Eucharistic Ministers and the re-commission of existing Eucharistic Ministers. Five new Eucharistic Ministers have joined this ministry. Only those who have attended the workshop for Eucharistic Ministers and have had their names submitted to the Bishop are permitted to be Eucharistic Ministers. There were three different dates to attend the workshops. I assumed that those that did not attend no longer have the time to serve in this ministry.

Thank you for your cooperation. Fr. Al



Drogadictos Anónimos, A.C.
Grupo "Manhattan"



June 27, 2016

St. Joseph R.C.C
111 E. High St.
Bound Brook, NJ 08805

Rev. Alfonso R. Condorson,

This is a letter of appreciation and gratitude. It's also a letter to express our feeling towards the benevolence of people like yourself.

As we stay sober, we can face almost anything with the help of others. We are very grateful to you, your team of servers and community for the generosity, kindness and charity with which you have treated us every time we have visited your parish.

Thank you for your time and your trust in us. We have been reborn; therefore, we are in debt with God primarily in life, because we died emotionally and spiritually, many times, some of us nearly physically. Every day we make the decision to turn our will and our lives over to the care of God as we understand him. We are survivors, all we have is our life experience that can be an inspiration for others to make the decision to change their way of acting, being and thinking which will directly change their way of living.

Your example of making a difference serving others is also an encouragement that we appreciate and value. For these reasons, our wishes for you are that we pray to God to keep blessing you and everyone around you, today and always.

Sincerely,

William J. VanSickle III and Giovanni Scuotto
The Corona Self-Help Center, Inc.
Public Relations

171 Market St. Staten Island, New York 10310 U.S.A.
Tel: (917) 675-4334 Fax: (917) 512-4563 Email: gjesias@clasmexica.org

Attention Youth!

Join us for our new youth group, *Youth United in Christ!* We meet every Fridays from 6:00-8:00 PM in the Upper Room of the Parish center. If you have questions please call (732) 648-5775. Please note the Youth Group will be on break for the month of August until after Labor day.

Message from Fr. Al

A Recital by Laura Beth Couch

Fr. Al welcomes you to come and see St. Joseph's Cantor sing in a free, public concert on **July 31st at 4:00 PM** in St. Joseph's main church!! Laura Beth Couch, Mezzo-soprano, will be singing alongside St. Joseph's pianist/organist, Maritza Robles Alvarez, and Laura's father, James Couch with her family. The recital is called **Songs of Love and Longing**, and includes works in English, French, German, Italian and Spanish. She will be singing pieces by Schubert, Mozart, Bellini, Gustavino, Copland, Poulenc, Richard Rodgers and more! The recital is a combination of Classical Art Song, Aria and Musical Theatre. Don't miss out on an afternoon of beautiful music depicting love and longing across the ages!

Religious Education Volunteers Needed

We have a wonderful Religious Education Program at St. Joseph's and we are in need of Catechists, Aides, and Office Help to complete our team. If you enjoy working with children, the Holy Spirit may be calling you to work with us. We have openings Tuesdays afternoons and Monday and Wednesday evenings. We supply the textbooks and training. You supply the dedication and enthusiasm. Please call the Religious Education office at (732) 356-0645 if you are in a position to help or have questions.



Food Kitchen

To all those who might need a hot plate of food and something to share with your family - Every Wednesday, South Bound Brook's Reformed Church, a small white building on Clinton Street behind Joe's Market, offers this service. Anyone who wishes to participate or needs some assistance, please come or go to their web site <http://rcsbb.com/>. They always need help and are willing to feed anyone.

Vacation Bible School Items Needed

It doesn't get any better than our Vacation Bible School program which will be held July 18-22 this year.

Can you help?

First - Pray for a beautiful week!
Then - Check our Vacation Bible School display in the narthex. You will find lots of tags, each describing an item we need for Vacation Bible School. Choose a slip of something you can provide and bring it to the parish office by July 11.

Vacation Bible School/ Catholic Kidz Camp July 18-22

Let's go up, up and away in a hot air balloon around the world! Join us this year as we travel to five different countries visiting patron Saints. Children ages 4-10 (completed Pre-K to fifth grade) are invited to register for the summer program sponsored by the Office of Religious Education. Your kids will love the games, crafts, music, and snacks! Activities will take place in our Main Church or outdoors (weather permitting). The day will begin at 9:00 AM and end at 12:00 noon. Dress for the week is casual and comfortable. Fees: one child \$35, two children \$65, three children \$90, Four or more \$100. Please register as soon as possible. Checks made payable to St. Joseph Church along with the form below can be dropped in the collection basket, brought to the parish office, or mailed to: St Joseph Religious Education Office, P. O. Box 72, Bound Brook, NJ 08805. Please clearly mark the envelope "Vacation Bible School". If you have any questions, please call us at (732) 356-0645.



VBS Registration Form

Child's Name: _____
Grade in Sept '16: _____ Age: _____ T-shirt Size: _____
Child's Name: _____
Grade in Sept '16: _____ Age: _____ T-shirt Size: _____
Parent's Name(s): _____
Phone: _____
Allergies: _____
Emergency Contact and #: _____

Are you available to help with our program?

- | | | |
|--|------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Group Leader | <input type="checkbox"/> Assistant | <input type="checkbox"/> Arts & Crafts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bible Stories | <input type="checkbox"/> Music | <input type="checkbox"/> Snacks |

I am available:

- | | | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Each day or | <input type="checkbox"/> Monday | <input type="checkbox"/> Tuesday |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Wednesday | <input type="checkbox"/> Thursday | <input type="checkbox"/> Friday |

Lectura Para el Próximo Domingo

Decimo Sexto Domingo Ordinario

Primera Lectura : Génesis 18: 1-10

Sara y Abraham reciben la visita del Señor.

Segunda Lectura : Colosenses 1: 24-28

Cristo vive en ustedes y es la esperanza de la gloria.

Evangelio: Lucas 10 : 38-42

Martha y María reciben a Jesús en su casa.

Avisos a la Comunidad

Confesiones

Las confesiones se realizan en inglés y español los siguientes días:

•**Sábados** de 4:00 a 4:45 PM en la Iglesia.

•**Miércoles** de 6:15 a 6:45 PM en la Capilla.

Para confesarse en otro momento debe hacer una cita previa llamando al (732) 356-0027.

Familiares Hospitalizados

Si tiene algún familiar hospitalizado, y desea visita pastoral y Eucaristía, por favor infórmelo a la parroquia, llamando al teléfono (732) 356-0027.

Durante esta Semana

Divina Misericordia

Todos los Jueves a las 7:30 PM se reúnen en la Capilla el grupo de la Divina Misericordia. Cada tercer jueves del mes se tiene Hora Santa. Para más información llamar a José Molina al 732-824-9570 o Luis Méndez (732) 766-6647.

Tome Nota: La exposición del Santísimo este mes de Julio lo tendremos el segundo jueves 14, como siempre de 7:30 a 9:00 PM. Por favor tomelo en cuenta.

Círculo de Oración

Todos los sábados a las 6:30 PM se reúne el círculo de oración en la Capilla. **¡Los esperamos!**

Tome Nota

El Diácono Gustavo Sandoval está disponible para aquellas personas que necesiten alguna ayuda espiritual. Para comunicarse con él, favor llamarle al teléfono (732) 317-8544 o a su correo deacon.gustavo@sjcbb.net.

La Sra. Martha Rovitto atiende en la oficina Parroquial (donde está la Capilla) todo lo relacionado con Misas, bautismos, registros parroquiales y certificados. Ella está en la oficina todos los martes, miércoles y jueves de 6:30 a 8:30 PM y vía telefónica llamando al (732) 356-0027 ext. 6.

Mensaje del Padre Alfonso

Todos quedan invitados a oír a nuestra líder de Música, Laura Beth Couch. Ella nos deleitara con su preciosa voz con un concierto gratis aquí en nuestra Iglesia principal, el 31 de julio, a las 4:00 PM. Ella es una estudiante de Música profesional y nos quiere brindar su talento. Laura estará cantando bajo la dirección de nuestra directora del coro y pianista, Maritza Robles Álvarez y su papa, James Couch. La obra que nos dará se llama **Música de Amor y Esperanza**. Esto incluida música en inglés, francés, alemán, italiano, y español. Su recitación es una combinación del Arte Clásico, Arias, y Música de Teatro. No se pierdan esta oportunidad de oírla y verla cantar en nuestra parroquia. Cualquier ofrenda es bienvenida. Muchas gracias, Padre Alfonso

Comida para los Necesitados

Aquellas personas que necesiten un plato de comida junto con sus familias. Todos los miércoles a las 7:00 PM la Iglesia Reformada de South Bound Brook's, que es un edificio pequeño blanco en la calle de Clinton y detrás de Joe's meat market en la Main Street ofrece este tipo de servicio. Para cualquier información pueden mirar a su página Web <http://rcsbb.com/>. Ellos siempre necesitan ayuda y están disponibles a ayudar a todos.

¡Atención Jóvenes!!!

Jesús te está llamando! Estamos muy contentos de anunciar nuestro grupo de jóvenes, **Jóvenes Unidos en Cristo!**

Ven a unirte a nosotros para compartimos juntos el amor que Jesús tiene para nosotros a través del culto, la construcción de la fe, de la comunidad divulgación, y la diversión. Únete a nosotros los viernes de 6:00-8:00 PM en lo alto del centro parroquial. No te olvides de traer a un amigo!



Nuevos Bautizados

Damos la bienvenida a nuestra familia Cristiana de la Iglesia San José a: Anthony Sebastian Palacios Alcivar, Mark Eddar Palacios Alcivar y Abel Santiago Palacios Alcivar que el pasado fin de semana recibieron el bautismo. Felicidades a los padres y padrinos y que la luz de Jesús permanezca por siempre en estos niños y crezca aún más en sus corazones.



Nota de la Hermana Susana

La Hermana Susana estará ausente de la Iglesia durante los meses de Julio y Agosto, las hermanas van a sus reuniones anuales, prepararse espiritualmente y visitar a sus familiares. La hermana Susana les agradece por el apoyo y el amor que le han brindado a lo largo de este año, y nos pide que oremos por ella y sus hermanas de Congregación ella pedirá a la Morenita de Guadalupe que nos proteja siempre. Si Dios quiere estará nuevamente con nosotros a fines de Agosto.

Clases de Educación Religiosa 2016/17

Todos los niños entre las edades de 7 a 13 años quien no van a una escuela católica son requeridos a participar en Educación Religiosa cada año. Las clases son una vez por semana entre Septiembre a Mayo. Durante ese tiempo, dos años serán dedicados a la preparación de Primera Comunión y otros dos años para la recepción del Sacramento de Confirmación. Las registraciones ya están disponibles en el sitio web de la parroquia (www.sjccb.net), y en la oficina Parroquial, de lunes a jueves de 9:00 AM a 12:00 PM y 1:30 a 4:00 PM y martes, miércoles y jueves de 6:30 a 8:30 PM. Registros nuevos favor de traer una copia del Certificado de Bautismo y Primera Comunión si no se realizó en el Iglesia de San José. La matrícula se puede pagar en efectivo o en cheque.



Llamando Voluntarios Para Catecismo

Tenemos un maravilloso programa de Educación Religiosa aquí en San José y necesitamos más Catequistas, ayudantes en la clase, y ayuda en la Oficina para completar nuestro equipo. Si usted le gusta trabajar con niños, el Espíritu Santo te está llamando a trabajar con nosotros. Tenemos puestos los Martes por las tardes, y Lunes y Miércoles por la noche. Nosotros le ofrecemos los libros y formación, usted pone su dedicación y entusiasmo. Por favor llame a la Oficina de Educación Religiosa al (732) 356-0645 si está en una posición para ayudar o tiene preguntas.

Fotografías de Primera Comunión y Confirmación

Las fotografías de primera Comunión y Confirmación ya las han entregado. Si usted puso una orden, por favor pase por la Oficina Parroquial a recogerlas.

Escuela Bíblica en Vacaciones

Julio 18-22

¡Vamos arriba, arriba y lejos en un globo de aire caliente alrededor del mundo! Únete a nosotros este año en que viajaremos a cinco países diferentes visitando los Santos patronos. Los niños de 4-10 años (Completado Pre-K hasta quinto grado) están invitados a inscribirse en el programa de verano patrocinado por la Oficina de Educación Religiosa.



¡A sus niños les encantan los juegos, manualidades, música y bocadillos! Las actividades se realizarán en nuestra Iglesia mayor o al aire libre (si el tiempo lo permite). La jornada comenzará a las 9:00 AM y terminan a las 12:00 del mediodía. Vestido para la semana es casual y cómoda. Tarifas: un niño \$35, dos \$65, tres \$90, cuatro o más \$100.

Por favor regístrese tan pronto como sea posible. Los cheques a la orden de "St. Joseph Church", junto con el formulario de abajo. Puede ponerse en la canasta de la colecta, llevarlo a la oficina, o enviarlo por correo a: St. Joseph Oficina de Educación Religiosa, P. O. Box 72, Bound Brook, NJ 08805. Favor de marcar claramente en el sobre "Escuela Bíblica en Vacaciones". Si usted tiene alguna pregunta, por favor llámenos al (732) 356-0645.

Formulario de Registro VBS

Nombre del niño: _____
Grado en Sept.: ____ Edad: ____ talle de camiseta: ____
Nombre del niño: _____
Grado en Sept.: ____ Edad: ____ talle de camiseta: ____
Nombre de los padres _____
Teléfono: _____
Alergias: _____
Contacto de Emergencia y teléfono: _____

¿Está disponible para ayudar con nuestro programa?

- Grupo Líde Asistente Artes y manualidades
 Música Snacks Historias de la Biblia

Estoy disponible:

- Cada día o Lunes Martes
 Miércoles Jueves Viernes



St. Joseph Catholic Church, Bound Brook, NJ