

Rev. Charles R. O'Hara, Pastor & Rev. Donato P. Silveri, In Residence

MARCH 16, 2025

# SAINT JOSEPH CHURCH

## MASSES

Daily Monday - Friday at 8:00 AM

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 PM, Sunday Masses: 7:30, 9:00 (streamed) & 11:00 AM

## Confession

Saturday, 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM



Second Sunday of Lent

The readings for next Sunday are shared here to give you a chance to meditate on them in preparation for Mass.

1<sup>st</sup> Reading:

Genesis 15: 5-12, 17-18

Psalm

27: 1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:

Philippians 3: 17

Gospel:

Luke 49 28b-36

## OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday: 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Friday: 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM

## 1<sup>ST</sup> SATURDAY DEVOTION & MASS

7:20 AM Rosary followed by Mass

## ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Daily from 8 AM until 7 PM

## BAPTISMS

Sundays at 12:15 PM by appointment

Baptismal Prep by appointment

## MINISTRY TO THE SICK

Those unable to attend Mass due to illness should call the Rectory to make arrangements to receive Holy Communion.

## Hospitalization

If a family member is hospitalized, please inform the Rectory so that we may remember them in our prayers.

## MARRIAGE

Couples contemplating marriage must contact the priest **at least 6 months in advance** to make an appointment to discuss marriage preparations.

## EDUCATION

### ***Parish Religious Education Program (PREP)***

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## Redner's Save-A-Tape Grocery Receipts

\*\*\*January 2025 Update:

We've collected \$300 !!!! \*\*\*

PLEASE...keep shopping at Redner's turning in your REDNER'S Save-A-Tape grocery receipts or consider joining the program to support this project! St. Joseph Parish receives benefits from your receipts and they **PAY OFF!**

There is a container in the Narthex on the credenza under the TV waiting for your receipts.



Monday March 17	<i>George Yost &amp; Son &amp; Family Req. by The Family</i>
Tuesday March 18	<i>Barbara Wynne 1 Year Anniversary Req. by The Parishioners of St Joseph</i>
Wednesday March 19	<i>Josephine Mungin Req. by Her Granddaughters</i>
Thursday March 20	<i>Ann &amp; Dan Cavanaugh Req. by Jim &amp; Jane Logue</i>
Friday March 21	<i>Josephine Mungin Req. by Her Daughters</i>



Bulletin Date	Date Due
March 30-	March 20
April 6-	March 27
April 13-	April 3

Bulletin Submission Schedule  
Please submit any items for the bulletin to [St.Joes@comcast.net](mailto:St.Joes@comcast.net)

### Lector Schedule

<u>March 15</u> 4:30 - E Slanga	<u>March 22</u> 4:30 - H Coggins
<u>March 16</u> 7:30 - J Kelly 9:00 - J Michael 11:00 - M Arnold	<u>March 23</u> 7:30 - C Staab 9:00 - B Keeley 11:00 - S Lorenca

### Eucharistic Minister Schedule

<u>March 15</u> 4:30 - Carla N	<u>March 22</u> 4:30 - Harry C
<u>March 16</u> 7:30 - Judy Z 9:00 - Sr Mary Ann 11:00 - Craig or Ginny R	<u>March 23</u> 7:30 - Paul P 9:00 - Sandy P 11:00 - Tony D



Leslie Staab  
Mike Culver  
Megan Flynn  
Joe Leaf  
Marianne Quinty

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## WEEKLY EVENTS

### SUNDAY

Masses 7:30, 9:00 & 11:00 am  
CGS Level I 8:45 am  
PREP every other Sunday 8:45 am  
PREP Confirmation Class 6:00 pm

### MONDAY

Mass 8:00 am

### TUESDAY

Mass 8:00 am  
CGS Level I - 9:00 am  
CGS Level II - 4:30 pm  
CGS Level III - 4:30 pm

**Holy Hour & Devotion -  
6:00pm**

### WEDNESDAY

Mass 8:00 am

### THURSDAY

Mass 8:00 am

### FRIDAY

Mass 8:00 am

### SATURDAY

Confession 2:30 - 4:00 pm  
Vigil Mass 4:30 pm

### HOLY DAY SCHEDULE:

**Vigil Mass** 7:00 pm

**Holy Day:** 8:00 am, 12:00 pm, 7:00

## EVENTS & PROGRAMS

### SUNDAY, March 16

4:30 pm - CGS Meditation Series Found Coin/Sheep - Church

### MONDAY, March 17

Noon - Rosary - Church  
7:00 pm - Knights of Columbus - Trailer 1

### TUESDAY, March 18

Noon - Rosary - Church  
6:00 pm - Holy Hour Devotion- Homebound - Church  
7:00 pm - MOJO Meeting - Trailer 1  
8:30 pm - Building Committee Meeting - Trailer 1

### WEDNESDAY, March 19

Noon - Rosary - Church  
7:00 pm - Holy Hour-Reconciliation-Prayer-Praise- Church

### THURSDAY, March 20

Noon - Rosary - Church  
7:00 pm - St Vincent de Paul Meeting - Narthex

### FRIDAY, March 21

Noon - Rosary - Church  
7:00 pm - Station of the Cross - Church

### SATURDAY, March 22

8:00 am - Confirmation Service Rosary Beads - Trailer 3

## CGS Parent/Child First Communion Meditation Series

Sundays, 4:30–5:30PM at the church:

March 16<sup>th</sup> Found Coin/Sheep

March 23<sup>rd</sup> Loving Father

April 6<sup>th</sup> Centurion's Servant



## The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

### Sharing Peace

In the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd atrium, the children come to know that we are united in the love of the Father through Jesus with the Spirit. Through the gesture of peace, Jesus shares His peace with us and wants us to share it with each other.

For more information contact Anne Pulsifer  
484-431-5156 or [cgsstjoseph@comcast.net](mailto:cgsstjoseph@comcast.net)

## March 16, 2025 - Second Sunday of Lent

**AS FATHER O'HARA WOULD SAY,**

**"THANK YOU FOR COMING"**

**PLEASE JOIN US AND LEARN ABOUT THE FUTURE OF OUR PARISH AS THE ARCHDIOCESE OF PHILADELPHIA MOVES FORWARD IN ESTABLISHING THE PARISHES TO FORM HUBS.**

**THURSDAY MARCH 27, 2025**

**6:30pm**

**MEETING IS AT THE CHURCH**



We at St. Joe's Parish would like to invite all our parishioners to consider joining our hands together in **caring for the poor** in our community. **Current** :

**Soups**  
**Ready to Eat Canned Goods**  
**Chef Boyardee Items**  
**Cereals**  
**Canned Tuna & Chicken**  
**Pasta Sauce**

You may place the donated items in the large cabinet in the Narthex. We are very grateful to all of you for your support in the mission to Care for the Poor!



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### **An invitation for those Interested in joining the faith**

Our parish is starting classes for those who would like to become a member of the Catholic Faith. If you are interested in joining our OCIA, Order of Christian Initiation, classes during this Lenten season, please call the rectory (610 948 7760).

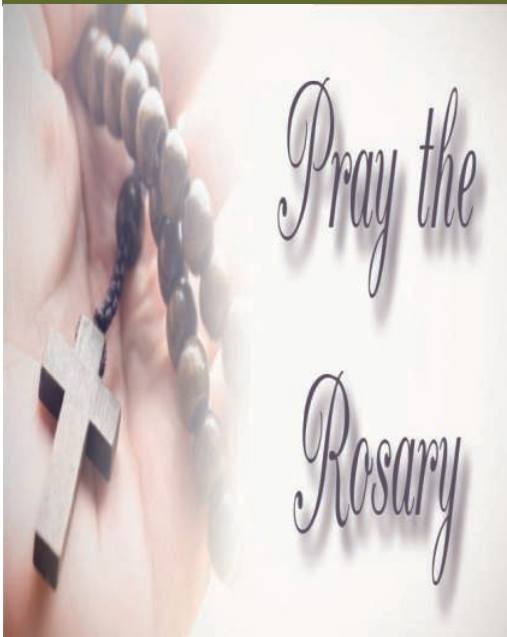
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Monday - Friday in Lent - Starting Thursday March 6th - To Wednesday April 16th  
Rosary at Noon in the Church

Wednesdays in Lent - March 19th, 26th, April 2nd, 9th, 16th  
Holy Hour 7:00pm  
Reconciliation  
Eucharistic adoration, prayer, and praise.

Fridays in Lent – 21st, 28th , April 4th  
Stations of the Cross 7:00pm  
Living stations will be Friday April 11th



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