

Mass Intentions

Saturday October 21st, 2023—Vigil
3:45 PM + Dorothy Smith by Marie Roberts and Family

Sunday October 22nd, 2023—Twenty-Ninth Sunday of Ordinary Time
10:30 AM + Carolyn Muehl by Jim Longendyke

Wednesday October 25th, 2023
9:00 AM + Nicholas Sanna by Henry & Debi Sanna

Friday October 27th, 2023
12:00 PM + For the Departed of St. Joseph Parish

Saturday October 28th, 2023—Vigil
3:45 PM + In Honor of St. Jude and St. Anthony by Marie Roberts

Sunday October 29th, 2023—Thirtieth Sunday of Ordinary Time
10:30 AM + Nicholas Sanna by Debi & Henry Sanna
 +Mary Longendyke by Jim Longendyke

Weekly Offering Table

Weekly Need: \$ 2,973.41
 October 14th & October 15th, 2023

	Sat	Sun	Total
Regular	\$ 441.00	\$1,046.00	\$ 1,487.00
Mission	\$ 287.00	\$ 828.55	\$ 1,115.55

“Please write a separate check to St. Joseph’s when requesting a mass intention. Mass intentions are \$15.00 each.”

Thank you for supporting your parish!

The Responsorial Psalm
I love you, Lord, my strength.

Liturgical Ministers

Lectors: 10/28/2023 & 10/29/2023

3:45 PM: Bill Fredette

10:30 AM: Janet Wenner

Eucharistic Ministers: 10/28/2023 & 10/29/2023

3:45 PM: Pat Fowble

10:30 AM: Sandra DiNicola

Altar Servers: 10/29/2023

10:30 AM: Tallulah Kelley, Jason Krueger

Greeter: 10/29/2023

10:30 AM: Lola Kelley

Ushers: 10/29/2023

10:30 AM: Liam Serdy, Angel Mravlja

Readings for the week of October 22nd, 2023

Sunday: Is 45:1, 4-6/1 Thes 1:1-5b/Mt 22:15-21
 Monday: Rom 4:20-25/Lk 12:13-21
 Tuesday: Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21/Lk 12:35-38
 Wednesday: Rom 6:12-18/Lk 12:39-48
 Thursday: Rom 6:19-23/Lk 12:49-53
 Friday: Rom 7:18-25a/Lk 12:54-59
 Saturday: Eph 2:19-22/Lk 6:12-16

40 Days for Life Baby Shower

The Altar Rosary Society is throwing a 40 Days for Life Baby Shower from September 27th through November 5th, 2023. We are asking for donations of new baby items to be put in the bassinet in the Church hallway. Checks are also welcome made out to St. Joseph’s Altar Rosary Society.

Rosary Prayer

We will continue to recite the Rosary twenty minutes before mass. Anyone can start praying the Rosary. Father Joe does not have to be in attendance.



All Saints Day Event



Please join your children on October 29th during class for an All-Saints Day Event. We encourage all students to dress up as their favorite Saint and share something about them. Mass will follow for parents and children; this is a wonderful opportunity to learn all about the Saints with your children while having fun.

Treats and refreshments will be served while we learn all about All Hallows Eve. DON’T STOP THERE!! Join Hospitality after Mass with more treat’s coffee and great conversation.

2023-2024 Diocesan Appeal



The Diocesan Appeal for 2023-2024 has begun! Information has been sent to our parishioners.

Please be generous in supporting our Diocese so that they continue to help in providing services for our parish and other parishes throughout the Albany Diocese.

Thank you.

Trick or Treat



Don’t forget to come and get your trick or treat in front of St. Joseph’s Church from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. on October 31st. And of course, wear your costume so we do not know who you are!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

World Mission Sunday 2nd Collection



This weekend there will be a 2nd collection for World Mission Sunday. World Mission Sunday is an organization that helps 26 million children and health centers across the world. It also helps with Seminarian and Religious Sisters in different countries with their studies. Please help this mission continue to transform lives!

St. Joseph’s Parish Annual Christmas Raffle



It is that time of year again, when we are selling our annual raffle tickets. Ticket packets can be found at each entrance to the church and will be sold at Harvest Dinner and Christmas Boutique. Please help support St. Joseph’s.

Halloween Candy Donations



We are looking for donations of Halloween Candy. Please leave any donations by the Sacristy door. Thank you very much for your generosity.

Can you help us financially?

Thank you for your generous support to St. Joseph. Your donation helps us to pay the bills. Without you, what will we do? Please attend mass and help us with your offering. Now you can make your weekly offering to St. Joseph by mail or place it in our side door rectory drop box. You are all in my prayers and masses. God Bless You! Fr. Joe



Healing and Anointing of the Sick

This weekend at the end of the Sunday 10:30 a.m. Mass, Fr. Joe will offer prayers and anointing to the sick for healing. If you wish to attend or if you know anyone who would like to attend, please come and join us.

“You cannot be half a Saint; you must be a whole Saint or no Saint at all without Love, deeds, even the most brilliant, count as nothing”.....St. Terese of Lisieux



Discipleship Formation All Souls Day



This All Souls Day, we are asking the children to bring in pictures of their departed loved ones so they could be displayed around the altar. Pictures can be 8x10 or smaller in frames with names and phone number on the back. The children can start bringing in their pictures now and we will have our youth children help display them all. The roots of Halloween are to pray for the dead on the Feast of All Souls Day.

“Think well. Speak well. Do well. These three things, through the mercy of God, will make a man go to Heaven”....St. Camillus

150th Year Jubilee

Will you be part of our Jubilee committee for planning and implementation for the celebration of the 150th year Jubilee in 2025? Please contact Fr. Joe if you are interested.

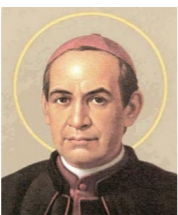
*****For Healing Rosary—Wednesday 7:00 p.m.*****

Meeting I.D. 284 272 6978

Password: 359189

St. Anthony Claret

Feast Day—October 24th



St. Anthony was born at Sallet, Spain, in 1807. A weaver's son, he worked in a textile mill in Barcelona and learned the printing trade. Ordained a priest in 1835, he entered the Jesuit novitiate at Rome, but returned to Spain in 1837 to devote himself to preaching missions and retreats throughout Catalonia. One of Spain's great preachers, he sometimes preached as many as twelve sermons in one day. A number of young priests joined him in his ministry. The community he founded in 1849 became known as the Claretians.

In 1845, he was appointed Archbishop of Santiago, Cuba, where he succeeded in bringing about reforms in the Church of that country even though his life was threatened. Queen Isabella II of Spain recalled him to be her advisor in 1857, and Anthony began a new phase of his ministry. He resigned his Cuban archbishopric in 1858, became influential in Spanish political life, and worked tirelessly to instruct the people in their faith. Besides his constant preaching he published over 200 books and pamphlets on religious subjects and established the Religious Publishing House, an influential Catholic publishing house, in Barcelona. In the revolution of 1868, Anthony was exiled with Queen Isabella II. He went to France, where he died near Narbonne on October 24, 1870. (Reprinted from Book of Saints, The Regina Press, 2010)

Father, may your ways be known upon earth.



Knights of Council 5419



Thank you for your support! The Knights of Council 5419 want to thank all the volunteers and patrons who supported our annual fundraiser. Proceeds will support our charitable works throughout the year.

Is God call you to serve? We invite you to join us in Christian brotherhood as we work together to support our parishes and our communities. Talk to a Knight or visit: <https://sites.google.com/view/kofc5419>

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Hours: Friday 12-5, Saturday 9-5, Sunday 11-5
349 Badeau Hill Rd, Schenevus, NY 12155
Follow red & white signs.
Also open 10/9 weekend. Our final weekend is November 4th & 5th

Instagram



St. Joseph and St. Vincent de Paul now have an Instagram. If you have Instagram, look for "joevin138",

Prayer Remembrance



Please, remember all of our homebound, sick and dying, hospitalized, and the needy! Pray for all the cancer patients and COVID patients! Pray for all of our veterans and soldiers and especially for all the soldiers who are in war zones!! Special prayers for Arthur Verity, Maryann Legaspi, Ean Shirm, Joseph Fedor, Alfred Staudohar, Judy Staruck, JoAnn Barnhart, Grace D. Leggio, Frances Florance, Nick Wicowski, William Libasci, and Karlene Tauzel (Stokes), David Miller, Ed Cacioppo, Shannon Colin, Alexander Mustico, Mary & Jim Bender, Tessa Rheingold, Bob Colichio, Tom Morton, Beverly Erway and Sharon Heller for a speedy recovery.

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Mission Statement: To form Missionary Disciples through encountering the Lord in Word, Sacraments and one another to transform the communities in which we live.

Vision Statement: St. Joseph is a Vibrant, Welcoming, Evangelizing and Transforming Catholic Community!

October 22nd, 2023

Weekend Masses

Saturday Evening: 3:45 PM

Sunday Morning: 10:30 AM

Weekday Masses

Wednesday: Mass 9 AM

Friday: Adoration 11 AM—Mass 12 PM

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Wednesday: 9:00 AM—1:00 PM

Friday: 9:00 AM—1:00 PM

Sacraments

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:00 PM –3:30 PM

Sacrament of Baptism

Contact the Parish Office

The Sacrament of Matrimony

Arrangements for wedding should be made at least six months prior to the marriage.

Anointing of the Sick

Please call our Parish Office to arrange for the Sacrament of the Sick

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Please call the Parish Office

All are Welcome to St. Joseph!

God and Caesar
Good Citizens of God's Kingdom and Our Country



Parish Staff

Pastor: Fr. Joe X. Arockiasamy

Secretary: Joan DeBenedittis

Coordinator for Discipleship Formation for Children: Corinne Connington

Music Director: Terry Hait

Guitarist: Richard Gruber

Bookkeeper: Mike Argiras

Trustees

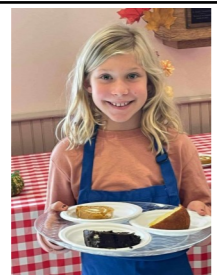
Diane Fedor, William Fredette

Finance Chairperson

Amy Muehl

Will you please remember "St. Joseph's Church" in your Last Will?

Discipleship Formation Thank You



Discipleship Formation would like to thank all who baked, set up, cleaned and attended the

12 Pumpkins Harvest Hospitality. This was a wonderful and enjoyable day for both parishioners and children. God bless!!

Are You Interested in Becoming Catholic ?

If you know of anyone who has received baptism, but not other sacraments, also anyone who has not received any sacraments, who wants to become a Catholic and enter into full communion with the Catholic Church, please call the parish office.