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## Parish Services

**Main Church:** 111 East High Street, Bound Brook, NJ 08805

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### Parish Office:

124 East Second Street, P.O. Box 72, Bound Brook, NJ 08805

Phone: (732) 356-0027 | Fax: (732) 356-8092

Website: <https://www.sjcbb.net>

Emergencies Only: (732) 356-8936

### Parish Office Hours:

Monday through Thursday 9 AM-12 PM and 1:30-4 PM,

Fridays 9 AM-1 PM (closed Fridays in the summer).

Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 6:30-8:30 PM.

## 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.

### First Penance, First Eucharist and Confirmation:

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.

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

## Devotions

**Marian Novena:** Saturdays following 8:30 AM Mass in the Chapel.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** First Friday of the month from 9 AM-12 PM, Benediction in English in the Chapel.

Second Friday of the month from 6:30-8:30 PM, Benediction in Spanish 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.

## 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?** 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 Days of Obligation. **They will need to obtain a Certificate of Eligibility signed by their pastor.** If you have questions, speak with a parish priest 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

Mrs. Carol Woodburn, Principal

Grades Pre-K through 8

149 S. Plainfield Avenue | S. Plainfield, NJ 07080

(908) 822-5890 | [www.holysavioracademy.com](http://www.holysavioracademy.com)

# Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 13, 2019



*The cleansing of ten lepers. (Luke 17:11-19)*

## Masses/Penance for the Week

### Monday, October 14, 2019

8:30 AM † Theresa C. Gleason, request of Ray Gleason

### Tuesday, October 15, 2019

8:30 AM † Deceased Aunts and Uncles, request of Louis and Elaine Pilato

### Wednesday, October 16, 2019

8:30 AM † Rev. Msgr. William Haughney, request of Rev. John Pringle

### Thursday, October 17, 2019

8:30 AM † Parishioners of St. Joseph

### Friday, October 18, 2019

8:30 AM † World Peace

### Saturday, October 19, 2019

8:30 AM † Ceferino Orta, request of Gloria Villamil and family

5:00 PM Thomas Pisciotta, request of Bellovin family

7:00 PM Mirta Nola, request of sister and family

### Sunday, October 20, 2019

8:00 AM Richard Iacono, request of Jim and Barbara Barile

10:00 AM Randy Cancel, request of Mom and Dad

12:00 PM Lucia Lopez, request of family

† Masses celebrated in the Chapel.

## Attention Youth!



Join us for our youth group, *Youth United in Christ!* We meet every Friday from 6:00-8:00 PM in the Upper Room. If you have questions, please call (732) 648-5775.

## Next Sunday's Readings

### Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### Reading 1: Exodus 17:8-13

As long as Moses kept his hands raised up, Israel had the better of the fight.

#### Reading 2: 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2

The scriptures train you to stay with the task.

#### Gospel: Luke 18:1-8

Be persistent in prayer, especially in the pursuit of justice.

## This Week

### Monday, October 14, 2019

Columbus Day Parish Office closed

7:00-8:15 PM Religious Education (Community School)

7:30-9:00 PM Spanish Lector and Eucharistic Minister Meeting (Upper Room)

### Tuesday, October 15, 2019

4:00-5:15 PM Religious Education (Community School)

### Wednesday, October 16, 2019

7:00-8:15 PM Religious Education (Community School)

### Thursday, October 17, 2019

4:30-5:30 PM Spanish Choir (Main Church)

5:30-6:30 PM Children's Choir (Main Church)

6:30-7:30 PM Bell Choir (Main Church)

7:30-8:30 PM Adult Choir (Main Church)

7:00-9:00 PM Divine Mercy (Chapel)

7:00-8:30 PM Jóvenes Adultos Llamados al Amor de Cristo (Library)

### Friday, October 18, 2019

9:30-10:30 AM Holy Hour of Prayer for Priests (Chapel)

6:00-8:00 PM Youth Group (Upper Room)

7:00-9:00 PM Spanish Prayer Group (Chapel)

### Saturday, October 19, 2019

6:00-8:00 PM Encuentro Matrimonio (Community Room)

### Sunday, October 20, 2019

9:30 AM-12 PM Sacrament Prep I and II (Upper Room)

10:00-11:00 AM Children's Liturgy (Church)

5:00-7:00 PM Ushers Meeting (Upper Room)

## Stewardship Reflection

### 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

*"Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?" (Luke 17:18)*

Most of us live "easy" lives. We have food, shelter, and clothing. We go on vacation every year and own a car or two. Most of us take this all for granted. Did you ever notice that people with the least amount of possessions are usually the most grateful? Shouldn't this be the other way around? Take time every day and thank God for all He has given you.

## Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

**RCIA** 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. In addition, if you wish to be baptized into the Catholic Faith, 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). For more information about sessions in English, please contact Deacon Gary Newton at [Deacon.Gary@sjcbb.net](mailto:Deacon.Gary@sjcbb.net) or for sessions in Spanish, please contact Deacon Edgar Chaves at [Deacon.Edgar@sjcbb.net](mailto:Deacon.Edgar@sjcbb.net).

## 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.



## Question of the Week

Do I receive the Lord in gratitude, here at Mass and at other times in my life? How can I change my attitude, to see what I have as blessings from God?

## Blue Mass

Bishop James F. Checchio invites all to the Diocese of Metuchen's 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Blue Mass honoring local, county, state and federal law enforcement officials of all faiths who live and work in the diocese, which includes, Middlesex, Hunterdon, Somerset and Warren Counties.



**Date:** Thursday, October 17, 2019  
**Time:** 10:30 AM  
**Location:** Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi  
32 Elm Avenue  
Metuchen, NJ 08840  
**Information:** Call (732) 755-6438 or visit [diometuchen.org](http://diometuchen.org)

## World Mission Sunday

Next weekend we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. We are invited to support mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable communities. Please keep the Pope's missions in your prayers and be generous in next week's collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith.

## Purchase ShopRite Gift Cards Help Support Your Parish!

ShopRite gift cards are available for purchase following most Masses or in the Parish Office. Simply pay face value to purchase a card. The parish benefits because we are able to purchase the cards at a 5% discount. As a result, without spending anything extra, you make a contribution to St. Joseph Church. The profit generated is used to support the parish. You can buy \$10 or \$50 cards. ShopRite Gift Cards do not expire. Cash or checks are accepted.



## A Retreat for those with Life-Changing Illness

Gennesaret, a retreat designed to provide a spiritual and temporal oasis for men and women suffering with a life changing illness, will be held the weekend of October 18, 19 and 20, 2019 at the Archdiocesan Retreat Center, located in Kearny, NJ. The retreat will begin Friday at 2:15 PM and end with a closing prayer Service on Sunday at 1:30 PM. There is no cost to you for the retreat. For further information contact Hilare Reinold (732) 566-7237  
Peggy Walsh (908) 654-5575  
Linda Capobianco (732) 608-7277

## Metuchen Cursillo Weekend - Fall 2019

The Metuchen Cursillo Movement will be holding their next Cursillo Weekend in the fall at the Blue Army Shrine in Asbury, NJ. The Women's Weekend is scheduled for **November 14-17, 2019**. The Men's Weekend is to be announced. Weekends start on Thursday evening and end on Sunday afternoon.



Bishop Checchio has called the Metuchen Cursillo Movement "an international Catholic evangelical apostolate," and has assigned Rev. Fr. John Primich as its Spiritual Advisor. Cursillo is a Spanish word meaning "short course" - a short course in Christianity. A Cursillo Weekend is an "Encounter with Christ." For details and to download an application, log on to [www.metcursillo.org](http://www.metcursillo.org) or you may contact the Lorri Casabianca at [lorri.casabianca@gmail.com](mailto:lorri.casabianca@gmail.com) or (732) 738-1796. You may also contact Lucille Hess, Lay Director, at [lhess@metcursillo.org](mailto:lhess@metcursillo.org). **Space is limited so please submit your registration asap!**

### Children's Liturgy

Children's Liturgy of the Word will be held on the third Sunday of the month, October 20<sup>th</sup> during the 10:00 AM Mass. Any child is welcome to participate and will be called for proper dismissal to go to the Community Room. Parents are welcome to accompany their child, and will return to the main Church after the homily to join in the creed.



### Parish Giving

St. Joseph Parish now offers *Parish Giving*, an online option for donating to the Sunday collection. It's simple. Log on to the St. Joseph Parish website [www.sjccb.net](http://www.sjccb.net) and click on the Parish Giving Logo. Follow the easy registration instructions.

### Mass of Remembrance

A mass of remembrance, commemorating those in our parish who have entered into eternal life during the past year will be celebrated on All Souls Day, Saturday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> during the 5:00 PM mass. All are welcome.

### Silver and Gold Wedding Anniversary Celebration

You are cordially invited to celebrate your 25<sup>th</sup> or 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary and renew your marriage vows with Bishop James F. Checchio at a special Evening Prayer Service at the Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi in Metuchen on Sunday, October 27, 2019 at 4:00 PM. Registration is required. Please register online at [diometuchen.org/silver-and-gold](http://diometuchen.org/silver-and-gold).



### Sunday Offering

October 6<sup>th</sup> Regular Collection.....\$4,967  
Thank you! Your continued support helps St. Joseph Parish to serve our community more effectively.

### Music Ministry

If you would like to sing to the Lord here at Saint Joseph, come! All are welcome. The ability to read music is not a prerequisite, but a definite asset.



- 4:30 PM Spanish Choir
- 5:30 PM Children's Choir
- 6:30 PM Bell Choir
- 7:30 PM Adult Choir/  
Instrumentalists

For more information contact Maritza Alvarez after Masses or e-mail [Maritza.Alvarez@sjccb.net](mailto:Maritza.Alvarez@sjccb.net).

### Holy Hour of Prayer for Priests

Come join us in prayer for our priests and priestly vocations this Friday, October 18, from 9:30-10:30 AM in the Chapel. All are welcome.



### St. Francis of Assisi Blessing of the Animals

On Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup>, Fr. John Pringle conducted the annual Blessing of the Animals. We had an excellent turnout, and pets receiving blessings included a ferret, guinea pig, hedgehog, parakeets, and many dogs!



## Lecturas Para el Próximo Domingo

### Vigésimo Noveno Domingo Ordinario

#### Primera Lectura: Éxodo 17: 8-13

Josué cumplió las órdenes de Moisés y salió a pelear contra los amalecitas.

#### Segunda Lectura: 2 Timoteo 3:14-4:2

Toda la Sagrada Escritura está inspirada por Dios y es útil para enseñar, para aprender, para corregir y para educar en la virtud.

#### Evangelio: Lucas 18:1-8

Jesús enseña a sus discípulos la necesidad de orar siempre y sin desfallecer.

## Avisos a la Comunidad

### Confesiones

Las confesiones se realizan en inglés y español:

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

19 de octubre - Fr. Marco Cáceres (Inglés-Español)

26 de octubre - Fr. John Pringle (Inglés)

2 de noviembre - Fr. Marco Cáceres (Inglés-Español)

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 7:00 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.

### Círculo de Oración

El Grupo de Oración se reúnen todos los viernes de 7:00 a 9:00 PM en la capilla. Para más información puede contactar a Maribel Alfaro (908) 642-0497, Osvaldo Navarro (732) 208-3856.

## ¡Atención Jóvenes!

Jesús te está llamando,

### Jóvenes Unidos en Cristo!

Ven a unirse a nosotros para compartir 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 7:00 - 9:00 PM en lo alto del centro parroquial, para más información puedes llamar al (732) 469-5775. ¡No te olvides de traer a un amigo!



St. Joseph Catholic Church, Bound Brook, NJ

## 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](mailto:Deacon.Gustavo@sjcbb.net).

**El Diácono Edgar Chaves** está disponible para las personas adultas que deseen hacer el bautismo, comunión o confirmación. También el está a cargo de la Divina Misericordia y los ensayos de matrimonio en español, si desea más información contacte al diacono en su correo [Deacon.Edgar@sjcbb.net](mailto:Deacon.Edgar@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. Todos los martes y jueves de 6:30 a 8:30 PM y vía telefónica llamando al (732) 356-0027 ext. 15.

**Ana Valencia** la directora del programa de Educación Religiosa (CCD) estará todos los martes de 6:30 a 8:30 PM en la oficina Parroquial, para las personas que necesiten consultar sobre sus niños por la Educación Religiosa.

## Rito de Iniciación Cristiana de los Adultos

Si usted o alguien que usted conoce le gustaría escuchar más acerca de Jesús y su iglesia, le invitamos a unirse a nosotros en una Sesión de Información del RICA. Para más información acerca de las sesiones en inglés, por favor contactar con el diácono Gary Newton a [Deacon.Gary@sjccb.net](mailto:Deacon.Gary@sjccb.net) o para sesiones en español, comuníquese con diacono Edgar Chaves a [Deacon.Edgar@sjcbb.net](mailto:Deacon.Edgar@sjcbb.net), o ir en persona a la oficina Parroquial martes o jueves de 6:30 a 8:30 PM.



## Santo Rosario

Los grupos de la Parroquia durante el mes de octubre, los sábados y domingo estarán rezando el Santo Rosario en la iglesia, iniciando media hora antes de la Misa. Los esperamos, para juntos honrar a nuestra Madre con el Santo Rosario.



Recemos el Rosario en familia

## Bautismo

Los bautismos se realizan el primer y tercer domingo de cada mes a la 1:30 PM. Si usted quiere bautizar a su hijo/a en el mes de noviembre o diciembre debe registrarse para la próxima clase de bautismo del



5 de noviembre 2019, a las 7:15 PM. Planifique con tiempo el bautismo, las clases son cada dos meses y si no asiste a la clase no puede bautizar al bebé. Para más información, por favor ir personalmente los martes o jueves a la oficina Parroquial (donde está la Capilla) de 6:30 a 8:30 PM.

## Nuevos Bautizados

Damos la bienvenida a nuestra familia Cristiana de la Iglesia St. Joseph a: Ariana Bastida, Amy Borbón-Solís, Carolina Maria Javier, que el pasado fin de semana recibieron el bautismo. Felicidades a los padres y padrinos y que la luz de Cristo permanezca por siempre en el corazón de estas niñas y para siempre sea luz.

## Encendiendo Corazones

El Obispo Checchio anuncio su deseo para que la Diócesis de Metuchen empezara un año de preparación para lo consagración a Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe. Como parte de nuestro caminar a esta consagración, tenemos la oportunidad de usar nuestro paquete con la Virgen Peregrina. La Bolsa con la Virgen incluye lo necesario para que usted y su familia pasen un tiempo con Jesús y su madre, Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe, en sus casas. Incluye un cuadro con la imagen de la virgen, crucifijo, rosarios y agua bendita. También contiene instrucciones de como rezar. A la entrada de la iglesia hay un libro para anotarse. Información sobre la Consagración también está disponible. Planee pasar un tiempo con Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe. La Patrona de las Américas.



## Reflexión

### 28º domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

*"¿Sólo este extranjero ha regresado para dar gracias a Dios?" (LUCAS 17:18)*

La mayoría de nosotros vivimos vidas "fáciles". Tenemos comida, casa y ropa. Nos vamos de vacaciones todos los años y somos dueños de uno o dos autos. La mayoría de nosotros damos todo esto por sentado. ¿Alguna vez notó que las personas que menos tienen suelen ser las más agradecidas? ¿No debería ser esto al revés? Tómese el tiempo todos los días y agradezca a Dios por todo lo que le ha dado.

## El Mes de Misión Extraordinario

El Papa Francisco estableció el mes de octubre de 2019 como un Mes Misionero Extraordinario (MME) para fomentar una mayor conciencia de "missio ad-gentes" (misión a todos los pueblos) y para animar la transformación misionera de la vida de la Iglesia y la actividad pastoral. En los Estados Unidos, hemos elegido a la hermana Dorothy Strang, SNDdeN, quien fue martirizada en Brasil en 2005 debido a su defensa de los pueblos indígenas y el medio ambiente. Para aprender más sobre su vida misionera ejemplar, por favor vaya a [misio.org/resources](http://misio.org/resources).

## Domingo Mundial De Las Misiones

El próximo fin de semana celebramos el Domingo Mundial de La Misiones. El Papa Francisco invita a toda la iglesia a apoyar a las diócesis misioneras de África, Asia, las Islas del Pacífico y parte de Latino- américa y Europa, donde sacerdote, líderes laicos sirven a las comunidades más vulnerables del mundo. Por favor, sigan orando por las misiones del Papa y sean generosos en la colecta de la semana entrante para la Sociedad y para la Propagación de la Fe.

## Jóvenes Adultos Llamados al Amor de Cristo De entre 18 a 30 años

Hoy ha llegado un gran día, para que puedas hacer un cambio en tu vida, ven comparte y aprende a seguir al Señor, como cuando "Jesús subió a la montaña y llamó a los que él quiso y los que quisieron vinieron junto a él" (Marcos 3:13) Hoy él te llama por tu nombre, ven y descúbrela.



**Integrantes de la Directiva:** Norberto Lan, (732) 215-5643, Armida Bonilla (908) 392-3012, Fausto Flores.

## Pregunta de la semana

¿Recibo al Señor con gratitud tanto aquí en la Misa como en otros momentos de mi vida? ¿Cómo puedo cambiar mi actitud para ver todas las bendiciones que tengo de Dios?

## Alcohólicos Anónimos

El Grupo Nuevo Renacer de Somerville, de Alcohólicos Anónimos, invita a toda la comunidad Hispana a la celebración de su 7º aniversario con una información al público, seguida de cena baile totalmente gratis. Fecha: Hoy domingo 13 de octubre, 2019 Horario: 2:00 PM en adelante Dirección: 16 East Somerset St. Raritan NJ Contactos: (908) 327-1437, (908) 300-4893, (908) 205-7755.