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AUGUST 21, 2022

SAINT JOSEPH CHURCH

MASSES

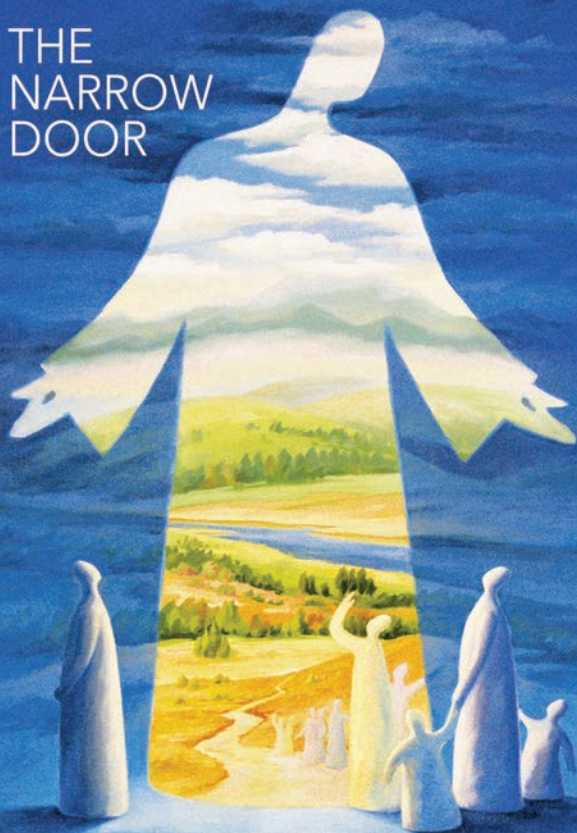
Daily Monday - Friday at 8:00 AM

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

Confession

Saturday, 3:00 - 4:00 PM

THE NARROW DOOR



Next Sunday's readings are shared here to give you a chance to meditate on them in preparation for Mass.

1st Reading: Sirach 3:17-18, 20, 28-29

Psalm 68:4-5, 6-7, 10-11

2nd Reading: Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24a

Gospel

Luke 14:1, 7-14

OFFICE HOURS

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

Friday: 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM

1ST 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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Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS)

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AUGUST 21ST

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Please Welcome Rev. Shaji Silva of the Latin Archdiocese of Trivandrum, India

This weekend at all Masses, Reverend Shaji Silva will be speaking about the works and the needs of the Latin Archdiocese of Trivandrum in India. Trivandrum has about 270,000 Catholics. 90% of the people are traditional fishermen who depend on fishing for their livelihood and 10% are farm workers who are recent converts from low caste Hindus. Unemployment and poverty are most rampant in this community. The Archdiocese depends upon outside assistance to support its clergy, seminarians, and catechists and to continue its developmental programs.

However, during the pandemic lockdown the situation became extremely dire as the fishermen were restricted from fishing - their livelihood. With income lost from fishing, the people are struggling to survive. The recent Cyclone Tauktae hit their coastal villages in May 2021 and destroyed hundreds of homes. They are continuing to look for emergency assistance of food, medicine and housing.

Please consider being as generous as you are able in assisting this worthy Mission. And, as always, please pray for the people of this area as they rebuild after the last devastating years.

Bulletin Deadlines*

Bulletin Date Date Due

August 28 - August 22

September 4 - August 29

September 11 - September 2

September 18 - September 12

*Bulletin submissions are due the Monday before you would like them to run. Please email st.joes@comcast.net to submit items for the bulletin. Please note exceptions to deadlines in red.



Masses for the Week

Table with 2 columns: Day and Date, and Requester. Rows include Monday August 22 (Michelle Tremblay), Tuesday August 23 (MaryBeth Coggins), Wednesday August 24 (Judie Narducci), Thursday August 25 (George & Betty Yost & Son), and Friday August 26 (Virginia Urness).

St. Joseph Parishioner Evan Reese has been invited to join 124 Catholic Young Adults nationwide volunteering with NET (National Evangelization Teams) Ministries.

Evan is looking for donors to partner with him as he embarks on this faith journey. To support this worthy mission, please contact Evan at 484-925-3622.



Don't forget that if you're a Redner's Shopper's Club member, your receipt can help St. Joseph Parish! Simply bring your receipts to the marked box in the Narthex any time. If you're cleaning and come across a bunch of receipts dated within the last 3 years- put them to work by handing them in. Thank you for your support! We are up to \$1,000!



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WEEKLY EVENTS

SUNDAY

Masses 7:30, 9:00 & 11:00 am

MONDAY

Mass 8:00 am

TUESDAY

Mass 8:00 am

Holy Hour & Devotion - 6:00 pm

WEDNESDAY

Mass 8:00 am

THURSDAY

Mass 8:00 am

FRIDAY

Mass 8:00 am

SATURDAY

Mass 8:00 am

Confession 3:00 - 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 pm

EVENTS & PROGRAMS

SATURDAY, AUGUST 20 & SUNDAY, AUGUST 21

Mission Priest: Rev. Shaji Silva

TUESDAY, AUGUST 23

7:00 pm - Men's Spirituality Group in Trailer 1

7:00 pm - Women's Group Meeting in the Narthex

7:00 pm - CGS Volunteer Night in Trailers 2 & 3

7:00 pm - MOJO Meeting in the Pavilion

SATURDAY, AUGUST 27 & SUNDAY, AUGUST 28

CGS Faire in the Narthex after Masses

SUNDAY, AUGUST 28

7:30 am - MOJO Breakfasts in the Pavilion until 11:00 Mass

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3 & SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

Special Collection: Black and Native American Mission

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

7:20 am - First Saturday Devotion in the Narthex

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

2:00 pm - Sunday Sundaes in the Pavilion

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

7:00 pm - CGS Parent Orientation Informational Night,
Trailers 1 & 2

Men of St. Joseph



after 7:30 Mass
until 11:00 am
in the Pavilion

Upcoming Dates:

August 28
September 18

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This Sunday after all Masses
Parents are encouraged to stop by the table in
the Narthex to Register for this fall's
Religious Education Sessions

St. Joseph's Women's Group's
17th Annual
BASKET RAFFLE!
October 2, 2022
VPW Post #6341
in Royersford

We need your help!

To help this become our most successful Basket Raffle ever, we would like each family of the parish to donate, if possible.

Ways to donate:

- Donate a themed basket.
Contact Pat Herbert at 610-764-1734 to arrange for pick up.
- Donate new items to include in a basket.
Leave new items in the box in the Narthex.
- Donate money towards a basket, please mail a payment to St. Joseph Church or place in the collection clearly marked ATTN: Basket Raffle.

NEW DEADLINE! All baskets and donations must be received by September 15th

Children's Faith Formation

2022-2023
REGISTRATION IS OPEN

Families currently enrolled in our programs should have already received registration information for next year.

If you are new to our Faith Formation programs, please go to our website to find information on the programs offered and how to register:

www.stjosephspringcity.com/registration-information/ or scan the QR code:



The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS)

CGS is offered to children starting at age 3. CGS is a faith formation option for children enrolling in PREP, and as enrichment to the religious education provided to our Holy Family children.

Dates to consider:

- † **Tuesday, August 23 - 7:00 pm - Volunteer Meeting in Trailers 2 & 3**
- † **August 27 & 28 between Masses - CGS Faire - learn more about what CGS is all about in the Narthex**
- † **Sept 11 - 7:00 pm - Parent Orientation in Trailer 1**
- † **Sept 13 - Tuesday Levels I & II Sessions begin**
- † **Sept 15 - Thursday Level III Sessions begin**
- † **Sept 18 - Sunday Level I Sessions begin**

REGISTRATIONS ARE STILL BEING ACCEPTED!

Scan the above QR Code to register!

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Men's Retreat



"Friends & Jesus Too!"

September 9 - 11 ~ Malvern Retreat House

Nativity BVM is sponsoring the Men's retreat as a chance to wind down from summer, kick off fall and get closer to yourself by getting closer to God. This will be held both virtually and in person. For more information, go to www.malvernretreat.com/events/nativity-bvm-6 or call Jack Warnock at 610-722-2673 (leave a voice message, please). See you at Malvern!

Women's Retreat



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CONFERENCE

"Be Not Afraid
Finding Your Freedom in Christ"

Saturday, October 22, 2022

9:00 am - 4:30 pm

Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa in Doylestown

Details & Registration catholicwomensconference.org

GONE FISHING

The column that normally appears here is taking a break. Keep watching for its return!

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 4 IS A

Sunday Sundae

2pm

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