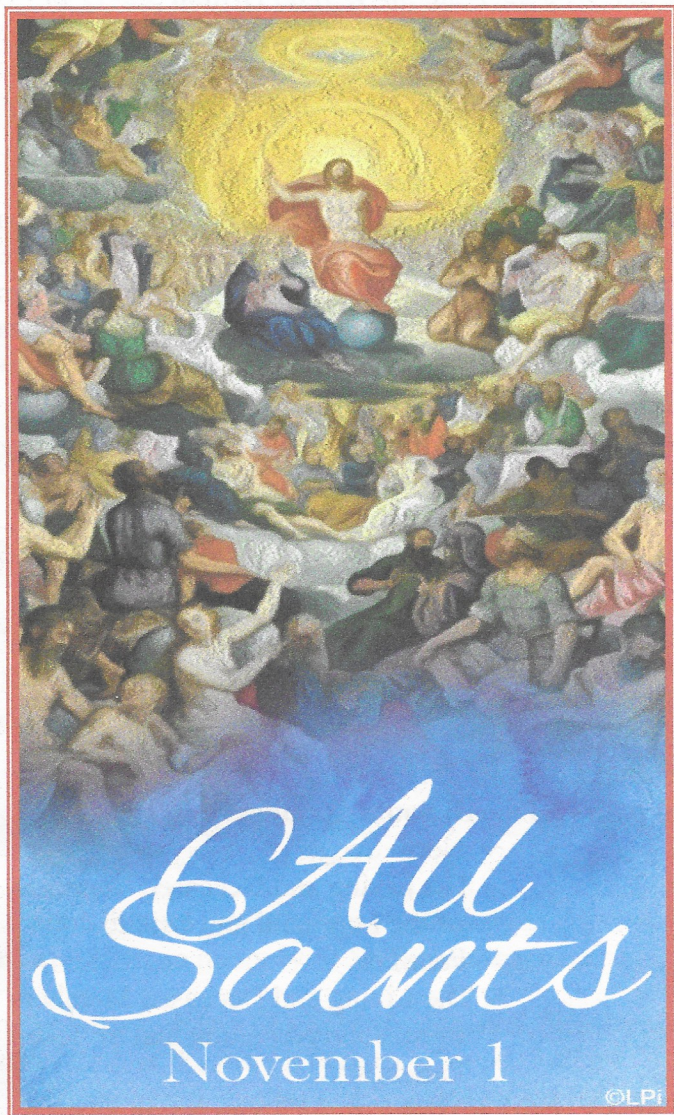


ST. JOSEPH AND ST. JOHN NEPOMUK CATHOLIC CHURCHES

RACINE, WISCONSIN • NOVEMBER 1, 2020



MASSES

SAT 4:00 p.m. - SJN

SUN 8:30 a.m. live stream / 10 a.m. - SJ

TUE 8:30 a.m. - SJN

WED 8:30 a.m. - SJ

THU 8:30 a.m. - SJN

FRI 8:30 a.m. - SJ

Live stream at [Facebook.com/St-Joseph-Parish-Racine](https://www.facebook.com/St-Joseph-Parish-Racine)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

SAT 3-3:30 p.m. - SJN Face masks, please.

Anytime by appointment. Call the Parish Office.

CATHOLIC CEMETERY ASSOCIATION OF RACINE

Call their office, 639-1071, or visit racinecemeteries.org

LEGACY GIFT

Please remember St. Joseph Church or St. John Nepomuk Church in your estate planning. Thank you.

PASTORAL STAFF

Fr. Steven K. Varghese, Pastor

Deacon Douglas Gundlach - SJ

Leslie Gain, Administrative Assistant - SJN

Amber Fay, Coordinator of Faith Formation - SJ and SJN

David Kirkpatrick, Director of Music - SJ and SJN

Heidi Hernandez, St. Joseph School Principal

Michael Reth, Business Manager - SJ

Deanne Koleske, Parish Secretary - SJ

Jeanmarie Diehn, St. Joseph School Secretary

Mary Lee Odders, Bulletin Editor - SJ and SJN

Russ Blaha, Maintenance - SJ

Thomas Quiroz, Maintenance - SJN

TRUSTEES

Jim Tresemer - SJN

John Gates - SJ

Suzanne Yde - SJN

Pete Koleske - SJ

PASTORAL COUNCIL

Dennis Maller, Chair

OFFICE INFORMATION

St. John Nepomuk Church; 1903 Green Street; Racine, WI

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Office hours Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 8 a.m.-noon;

Thursday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.; Friday, closed

St. Joseph Church; 1533 Erie Street; Racine, WI

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Office hours Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

St. Joseph School; 1525 Erie Street; Racine, WI 53402-4830

Office hours 7:15 a.m.-3:15 p.m. when school is in session

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION INFORMATION

Faith Formation Office and absences 262-633-9005

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Dear Parishioners,

All Saints Day is intended to honor the memory of countless unknown and uncanonized saints who have no feast days. Today, we thank God for giving ordinary men and women a share in His holiness and heavenly glory as a reward for their Faith. This feast is observed to teach us to honor the saints, both by imitating their lives and by seeking their intercession for us before Christ, the only mediator between God and man (1 Tm 2:5). The Church reminds us today that God's call for holiness is universal; that all of us are called to live in His love and to make His love real in the lives of those around us. Holiness is related to the word wholesomeness. We grow in holiness when we live wholesome lives of integrity, truth, justice, charity, mercy, and compassion, sharing our blessings with others. They, who do, teach us by their lives that Christ's holy life of love, mercy and unconditional forgiveness can, with the grace of God, be lived by ordinary people from all walks of life and at all times.

The saints are our heavenly mediators who intercede for us before Jesus, the only mediator between God and us (Jas 5:16-18, Ex 32:13, Jer 15:1, Rv 8:3-4). They are also the instruments that God uses to work miracles at present, just as He used the staff of Moses (Exodus), the bones of the prophet Elisha (2 Kings 13:21), the towel of Paul (Acts 19:12) and the shadow of Peter (Acts 5:15) to work miracles.


It may sound hyperbolic, but let us become saints. Accept the challenge! Jesus exhorts us: "*Be made perfect as your Heavenly Father is Perfect*" (Mt 5:48). St. Augustine asked: "If he and she can become saints, why can't I?" We all can become saints by choosing well, by doing good and avoiding evil, and by choosing to follow Christ, all the way to heaven.

Peace and joy,

Fr. Steve

ST. JOHN NEPOMUK PARISH'S
AND ST. JOSEPH PARISH'S SANCTUARY LAMPS:
As we adore Christ in the Blessed Sacrament,
please remember in faith, **LEVI JUDAH BARATKI**.

To maximize your COVID-19 protection, both parishes use a water vapor fogger between Masses for surface disinfection as well as space deodorization. Activated with tap water, the chlorine dioxide solution is eco-friendly, OMRI organic certified, has a neutral pH, and is registered with the EPA and FDA.


**MASS INTENTIONS
FOR THE WEEK**
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2 All Souls' Day

Wis 3:1-9/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]/Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9/Jn 6:37-40

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3 St. Martin de Porres

Phil 2:5-11/Ps 22:26b-27, 28-30ab, 30c, 31-32 [26a]/Lk 14:15-24

* 8:30 a.m. - **SJN** + Maria Heckwolf

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4 St. Charles Borromeo

Phil 2:12-18/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 [1a]/Lk 14:25-33

*^ 8:30 a.m. - **SJ** - The Living and Deceased Members of the Mike Friedel Family
+ Levi Judah Baratki

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5

Phil 3:3-8a/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [3b]/Lk 15:1-10

* 8:30 a.m. - **SJN** - For the health of Marie Karsnick

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6

Phil 3:17—4:1/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5 [1]/Lk 16:1-8

* 8:30 a.m. - **SJ** - Ben Factor

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7

Phil 4:10-19/Ps 112:1b-2, 5-6, 8a and 9/Lk 16:9-15

MASS OF ANTICIPATION

Wis 6:12-16/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 [2b]/1 Thes 4:13-18 or 4:13-14/Mt 25:1-13

* 4 p.m. - **SJN All Souls' Remembrance Mass**

+ Norm Seeger

- The Living and Deceased Members of the Lorenzini and Orienti Families

- The Living and Deceased Members of St. John Nepomuk and St. Joseph Parishes

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8 32nd Sunday in

livestream

Ordinary Time

* 8:30 a.m. - **SJ** + Mary Ann Waisman

* 10 a.m. - **SJ All Souls' Remembrance Mass**

- The Jerry Boehm Family

+ Levi Judah Baratki

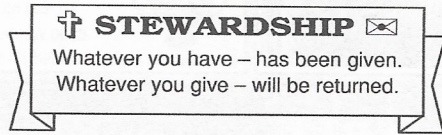
^ School students attending Mass

* Public Mass with COVID-19 guidelines:

FACE MASK MANDATE IF OLDER THAN 4 YRS.

View livestream of the 8:30 a.m. Sunday Mass at [Facebook.com/St-Joseph-Parish-Racine](https://www.facebook.com/St-Joseph-Parish-Racine).

St. Joseph's former 5:15 p.m. Saturday Mass intentions are rescheduled to St. John's 4 p.m. Saturday Mass. **St. John's former 9:45 a.m. Sunday Mass intentions** are rescheduled to St. Joseph's 10 a.m. Sunday Mass. Direct questions to your Parish Office.



St. John Nepomuk Parish

October 17/18 collections:	\$ 1,960.06
Amount budgeted per week:	\$ 2,115.38
Year-to-date given:	\$ 37,302.01
Year-to-date budget:	\$ 33,846.08
Year-to-date balance:	\$ 3,455.93
Festival donations to date:	\$ 13,303.00
Buildings & Grounds to date:	\$ 3,753.00

Please address mailed contributions to your parish office, not the church. Refer to the bulletin cover.

St. Joseph Parish

Weekly collection income:	\$ 3,943.00
October 17/18 collections:	\$ 3,478.00
ACH (electronic) giving:	\$ 0.00
Church renovation:	\$ 275.00
Energy costs:	\$ 190.00
Weekly budget requirement:	\$ 9,100.00
Difference for the week:	\$ -5,157.00
Year-to-date given:	\$ 105,793.02
Year-to-date budget:	\$ 145,600.00
Year-to-date balance:	\$ -39,806.98
Festival donations to date:	\$ 32,569.70
Thanksgiving baskets:	\$ 770.00

St. Joseph Parish gratefully acknowledges generous Memorial Gifts in memory of **William Geertsens**.

For electronic giving (ACH) information, please call Michael Reth at St. Joseph Parish Office, 633-8284.

Join Archbishop ListECKI in praying for peace and the family on his 8 p.m. daily rosary program, 100.1-FM.

You are invited to "Adult Catholic Basics," a series on successive Monday evenings from 6:30-8 p.m.: **November 2** - Tradition and History, **November 9** - Liturgy and Worship, and **November 16** - Prayer. In St. Paul the Apostle Church's Fr. Cox Hall with social distancing. RSVP to Broeder@stpaulracine.org.

St. John's Scrip Program sales tables are in the parish garages after 4 p.m. Saturday Mass. Profit helps with expenses. Gift cards: gas, groceries, and prescription drugs.

Food pantry donation checks can be mailed to St. Vincent de Paul Society; P.O. Box 44195; Racine, WI 53404-7004. Thank you. **Your kind donation stays in Racine to feed the hungry of all ages.**

Read our weekly bulletin at parishesonline.com, st-joes.org, or Facebook.com/St-Joseph-Parish-Racine.

The bulletin article deadline is noon Monday, Nov. 2, for the Nov. 8 bulletin. Send to info@st-joes.org.

For the Sacrament of the Sick and Communion for the Sick when a parishioner is unable to attend church due to age, prolonged illness, or upcoming hospitalization, please call St. John Parish Office at 634-5647 or St. Joseph Parish Office at 633-8284. **If you wish to have Father visit your hospitalized loved one,** please call your Parish Office with your request. The hospital does not notify us of parishioner admissions.

St. Joseph and St. John Nepomuk parishes' 2021 Mass Intention Calendars are open. St. John's has a few 2020 Mass intentions available. A Mass stipend is \$10. **Sanctuary Candles** are \$5 (St. Joseph's) or \$7 (St. John's.) Please call your parish office to arrange.

Remembrance Wreaths are available for purchase from Racine Catholic Cemeteries Association. The 24" wreaths from northern Wisconsin ready to be installed on a tri-pod stand, starting **November 30.** Wreaths placed as ordered at Calvary, Holy Cross, Holy Family, and Old Holy Cross cemeteries. Cost: \$30. Call 639-1071.

SJN CALENDAR 2020 RAFFLE WINNERS

Sunday, October 18, \$50	Thursday, October 22, \$25
Grace London #1185	Pam Bruno #162
Monday, October 19, \$25	Friday, October 23, \$25
Carol Litrenta #838	Mary Olsen #358
Tuesday, October 20, \$25	Saturday, October 24, \$25
Carol Jensen #308	Dia Chavours #1172
Wednesday, October 21, \$25	
Mildred Erdman #236	

Calendar 2021 Raffles (\$25) are on sale in both parish offices for 365 chances. Winners are re-entered. Prizes: Weekdays, \$25; Sundays, \$50; New Year's Day, July 4, Thanksgiving, \$100; and Christmas, \$500.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISHES' FAMILY SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1

10-10:45 a.m. - Virtual Religious Ed. classes, gr. 9-11

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4

6-6:40 p.m. - Religious Ed. classes, gr. 1-5: SJN

6:10 p.m. - First Reconciliation parent meeting: SJN

6:50-7:30 p.m. - Religious Ed. classes, gr. 6-11: SJ

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7

4 p.m. - All Souls' Remembrance Mass: SJN

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8

10 a.m. - All Souls' Remembrance Mass: SJ