

St. Joseph's Church

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Rev. Hiep Nguyen Administrator

Fr. Mauricio Romero, OFM Cap

Assistant Pastor to the Hispanic Community

Mr. Nathan Ledoux Seminarian

Masses

Saturdays: 5:15PM in English

7:00AM & 10:30AM in English **Sunday:**

6:30PM in Spanish

Mondays & Thursdays: 12:05PM

Civic Holidays: 9:00AM

Thursdays: 11:AM—12:00PM Holy Hour with Adoration and Confession Available

Sacrament of the Sick: Please call the office

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Or contact our Wedding Coordinator at 401-847-9248

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St. Joseph's Website:



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Music Director:

Denis Tetrault

Parish Office

Kerri Ann Caduto, Bookkeeper Cindy Sullivan, Office Manager

<u>Parish Office Hours:</u> MANN AVENUE ENTRANCE

9:00am—2:00pm MON—WED

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9:00am-4:00pm Monday 9:00am-2:00pm Wednesday Phone: 401-847-9248



December 7, 2025

Parish Support

In Pew /Online Collection:
November 22/23.....\$ 5,285.55 November 29/30.....\$ 5,051.00

Building and Maintenance:

Due November 29/30.....\$3,225.11

<u>Campaign For Human Development</u> Due November 22/23.....\$ 280.00

The Spanish Community has arranged an Event to celebrate devotions in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe. All are welcome!



Our Lady of Guadalupe Celebration

Sunday December 14, 2025

- * 2:00pm Rosary at Jesus Saviour Church
- * 3:20pm Procession begins from Jesus Saviour Church to St. Joseph's Church
- * 4:15pm Mass at St. Joseph's Church



Saturday December 6

5:15pm Mass

<u>Sunday</u> December 7 Second Sunday of Advent

7:00am Mass Gerri Piszcz

10:30 am Mass **6:30pm Mass**

Monday December 8 The Immaculate Conception Of rhe Blessed Virgin Mary

12:05pm Mass **Holy Day of Obligation Lorraine Asiello**

7:00pm

Rosary en Espanol

Tuesday December 9

St. Juan Diego Cuauhtlatoatzin

Wednesday December 10 Our Lady of Loreto

Thursday December 11 St. Damasus 1, Pope

<u>11—12noon</u> Holy Hour with Confession

12:05pm Mass **Patsy Davis**

Angel Benefactors

Robert Corbin

Helen & Joseph Gigliotti **Guise Hung Pham &** Maria Mo Nguyen

Friday December 12 Our Lady of Guadalupe

Saturday December 13 St. Lucy, Virgin & Martyr 5:15pm Mass **Dolores Flowers**

Sunday December 14 Third Sunday of Advent 7:00an Mass Rose Sullivan



Confession

St. Joseph's 11:00am —12noon Thursday **Jesus Saviour** 3:00pm — 3:30pm Saturday



<u>Week 2:</u> This week of Advent Represents: "Peace"

We recall the journey that Joseph and Mary took from Nazareth to Bethlehem.

<u>Candle Name:</u> The Bethlehem

<u>Candle Color:</u> Purple



Christenas

Evergreen Tree: Titus 1:2

Eternal Life

Star & Lights: Matthew 2: 9-10
Star that told of Christ's birth

Candy Cane: Luke 2: 8-9, John 10:11
Staff of shepherds who visited the Christ child/Christ is the good shepherd

Bells: John 10:16
Ring out to bring lost sheep back to the fold

Holly & Berries: Titus 1:2, Luke 22:44
Green = Eternal life, Red = Blood of Christ

Gift: Matthew 2:1,11, John 3:16
Wise men's gifts to the Christ child/God's
greatest gift to us was the Savior

Prayer Requests

Javier Alonso Bruce Barrett Celeste Carney Walter Carter Stevie Connery Larry Dattilo Larry Davis Margaret Douglas The Dupre Family **Billy Gerberville Danny Gliah** Virginia Heins Michelle Imondi Irina & son Jeanne Jerolaman **Josiah & Family Tom Kowalczyk Charlotte Kiss** Hailey L.

Mary Macy Monica Marcucci Patricia McMahon Sarah Miracle **Dewey Morton** John Murphy Daryll Neal Cheryl O'Brien Dan O'Rourke Johnny Perrotti **Amy Powers** Alice Johnson Ribeiro **Cathy Butler Ribeiro Cheryl Roberts & Family** Malinda Shea Jim Trillo

And our homebound parishioners.



Retirement Fund for Religious

Our senior sisters, brothers, and religious order priests need your help. They have spent decades caring for those in need, but years of service for little or no pay have left many religious communities without sufficient retirement savings. Today, over 20,500 elderly religious depend on the Retirement Fund for Religious to help cover their rising health care costs, medication, and daily living expenses. Your gift can help ensure they receive the care they deserve.

Please give back to those who have given a lifetime.
Collection is next weekend December 14.



Hats, Gloves, and Socks Collection

Our annual Hats, Gloves, and Socks Collection is underway and will continue through the weekend following Christmas. We have collection baskets at both Church entrances, and invite you to join us as we collect new Hats, Gloves, and Socks for men, women, and children. We use the adult items we collect to distribute as gifts on the Monday before Christmas in our soup kitchen, as well as throughout the winter. The Children's items we collect will be distributed through Conexion Latina. Because of your generosity, we were able to collect and distribute over 450 items last year. Please consider donating this year to help keep everyone warm this winter.



Star Angel Giving Tree For Seminarians and Religious Sisters

Please join us in providing Christmas gift cards for our Rhode Island seminarians and religious sisters this Christmas by taking a star angel from our Star Angel Giving Tree at the front of the Church, and returning it with a gift card attached to either Father Hiep or the Parish office. Our seminarians and religious sisters are particularly in need of gas cards; cards for clothing, such as Gap gift cards; and cards for miscellaneous necessities, such as Amazon or Target gift cards. This is a wonderful opportunity to show our support for our seminarians and religious sisters during this joyous season.



December 7: Second Sunday of Advent

In today's Gospel, John the Baptist urges us to "Prepare the way of the Lord." This Advent season is the perfect opportunity for us to prepare the way of the Lord by making the person of Jesus central in our lives. One way that we do this is by sharing in Jesus' compassionate and love for the poor.

By donating to the St. Joseph Conference of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, you are joining with us to share in Jesus's love and compassion for the poor. We are preparing the way of the Lord by bringing His love to those who are in need, especially during this time of year.

We are very grateful for all of your support, and pray that you and your families have a very blessed Advent Season.

This week, our food pantry is in need of cookies, crackers, and pasta sauce.

Thank you very much for your generosity.

Soup Kitchen: Monday

11:30am -12:30pm

Food Pantry: Tuesday and Wednesday

10:00am - 12:00pm

If you know someone who needs financial assistance or a food delivery, please call SVDP phone line 401-258-5773 and leave a message.



Thank you for your great generosity for the Back to School Food Drive.....we will still gratefully accept donations for this as the need is great.

Weddings

Alyssa Scott to Kevin Hogan

November 22, 2025

Trees Trees......Beautiful Trees

Our Trees will be going up on the Altar Soon...
....With the banners soon to follow!!
Light a tree in the memory of a loved one
who has passed or in honor of someone dear
to you for the Christmas season.

The tree you sponsor will have a ribbon Banner memorializing or honoring that Person in your life..

Please call the rectory to reserve a tree 401-847-0065.

There are 3 levels

Christ, Our Light
Christ Born of Mary
Christ In Our Midst

\$200.00—-only 4 \$150.00—7 trees left \$100.00—Sold Out





Friday February 6, 2026

St. Joseph's Bingo

At Knights of Columbus on Valley Road
In Middletown





Middletown / Newport Knights of Columbus 2025 Christmas Clothing Drive

FOR THE NEEDY AND HOMELESS

MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S WINTER WEAR NEW OR USED CLOTHING IN GOOD CONDITION

COATS*JACKETS*SWEATERS HATS*SCARVES*GLOVES PANTS*SHIRTS

Please drop off clothing donations
At the Knights of Columbus Council Hall

Side Entrance
7 Valley Road, Middletown
846-8800

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 10th THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11th FRIDAY, DECEMBER 12th 5:00 – 8:00 PM

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