

Church of Saint Joseph

5 Monroe Street, New York, NY 10002



THE MISSIONARIES OF ST. CHARLES
(SCALABRINIANS)

Rev. Lydio F. Tomasi, c.s., PASTOR

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Rev. Paul Tang

Office Hours:

Monday - Friday 9:00am to 7:00pm

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Daily Eucharist

Monday - Friday - 7:10 am (school days), 8 am.

Saturday - 8:00 am

Lord's Day Eucharist

Saturday - 5:15 pm (Vigil)

Sunday - 9:00 am, 10:30 am (Chinese), 12 pm, 3 pm (Chinese)

Sacrament of Baptism: By appointment.
Parents must meet with the priest prior to Baptism.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: It is celebrated in English and Italian on Saturday from 4:30 to 5:00 pm. It is also celebrated in Chinese on Sunday from 2:30 to 3:00 pm. We encourage your frequent reception of this sacrament of God's love. Make an appointment at any time.

Sacrament of Matrimony:

The couple must speak with the parish priest at least six months before the wedding.

Anointing of the Sick: In case of emergency, notify the rectory any hour - day or night. If Holy Communion is requested at home, call the office during office hours. Please notify the rectory when parishioners are in the hospital.

St. Joseph Catholic School

1 Monroe Street, New York, N.Y. 10002



APOSTLES OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS
Sr. Deborah Lopez, A.S.C.J., PRINCIPAL

School Office Hours:

Monday - Friday: 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

School Office: (212) 233-5152

School Fax: (212) 267-4357

Convent: 83 Madison Street, (212) 233-5670

Religious Education: The Sacramental Preparation for children's reception of the Sacraments of Reconciliation, First Eucharist, and Confirmation consists of a two-year program. Please call the school or rectory for further information.

Parish Registration: We welcome new parishioners and ask that they register at the Parish Office.



Mon., January 2nd – St. Basil the Great & St. Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops & Doctors

8:00 a.m. For a Special Intention by Qui Hua Zhang

Tues., January 3rd – The Most Holy Name of Jesus

7:10 a.m. Donors For Christmas Flowers

8:00 a.m. In Honor of St. Ann by Nettie La Fauci

Wed., January 4th – St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Religious

7:10 a.m. Memorial Mass

8:00 a.m. Alfred Nota by Gomez Family

Thurs., January 5th – St. John Neumann, Bishop

7:10 a.m. For All Non-Practicing Catholics

8:00 a.m. Frank & Mary Pagano by Anne & Michael Galletta

Fri., January 6th - Blessed Andre Bessette, Religious

8:00 a.m. Special Intention by Qui Hua Zhang

8:30 a.m. Alfred Nota by Diane Costello & Family

Sat., January 7th – St. Raymond of Penyafort, Priest

8:00 a.m. Richard Nemer Sr. by Family

Saturday, January 7th – Vigil of the Lord's Day

5:15 p.m. Louis Guglielmetti by Ann, Collette & Gus Parisi

Sunday, January 8th – Epiphany

9:00 a.m. Michael Lombardi by Mom & Brother

10:30 a.m. For the People of the Parish

12:00 Noon Rose Betro by Rose Piscopo Maniscalco

3:00 p.m. In Thanksgiving by Theresa Wu

ALTAR SERVERS FOR THE WEEKEND

January 7/8

5:15 p.m. Michelle, Stephanie & Kristina Valentino

9:00 a.m. Mass: Sara Teevan & Nicole & Juliana Molinelli

12:00 noon Mass: Gina Patti & Destini Torres

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, AND OCTAVE OF CHRISTMAS

Our New Year, 2006, begins with a solemn feast honoring, Mary, Mother of God, nourishing us in our spiritual journey for the whole of this New Year. Like the shepherds, we should go out to others, glorifying and praising God for the birth of the Savior. Like Mary, we should learn to reflect in quiet moments of the events in our lives. Mary's reflection and prayer lead to action and helped her understand what her son's mission would become.

Each of us will be on a spiritual journey this year. It will be a journey of ordinary days with many expected and a few unexpected happenings. Let us go to Mary, asking her to help us do as she did, keeping all things in our hearts that may occur, reflecting on them and praying for guidance. Mary, be our model for listening and for action. Be our comfort and our challenge.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Mon., Jan 2nd: Bingo in the parish hall at 7:00 p.m.

Tues., Jan 3rd: School Re-Opens

Wed., Jan 4th: Senior Citizens Club at 1:15p.m.

Thurs., Jan 5th: Confession for St. Joseph School Students

Fri., Jan. 6th: First Friday Mass at 8:30 a.m.

Communion to Homebound

First Friday Prayer Service at 7:00p.m.

Cub/ Boy Scouts at 6:00 p.m.

Sat., Jan 7th: Bingo in the parish hall at 7:00 p.m.

BREAD AND WINE

In Memory of Louis Pasini by Daughter, Joan

SANCTUARY LAMP

In Memory of Alfred Nota by M/M Bruno Maschi

ALTAR CANDLE

In Memory of Louis Santorella by Rose Lovetro & Children

ALTAR CANDLE

In Memory of Raymond Rotolo by Vera Porcello



There will be a farewell reception honoring our Pastor, Rev. Lydio F. Tomasi, on Sunday, January 9th, 2006, after the 12 Noon Mass in the Church Hall. All are invited.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

From all the Clergy at the Church of St. Joseph: We extend to each and every parishioner our best wishes for a blessed and healthy New Year, filled with the peace that only Christ can give.

A WORLD OF THANKS

Our sincere thanks to all our parishioners and friends who made a gift to the Church at Christmas, or sponsored the flowers which decorated the sanctuary.

Also, we would like to thank Debra Di Blase and Carol Banome for donating the two beautiful wreaths for the Church entrance.

Our heart felt gratitude to Thomas and Danielle Cristiani, Ben Del Percio, and Debra Di Blase for decorating the Church for Christmas as well as the lectors, singers, ushers and Altar Servers who contributed to make our liturgy more meaningful.

We owe a great debt of gratitude to Vanella's Funeral Chapel, Inc. for sponsoring once again the beautiful 2006 Religious Art Calendar for the Church of St. Joseph.

JOURNEY TO JUSTICE

The 25th Anniversary observance of National Migration Week will be held January 8-14, 2006. The theme for 2006 is **Journey to Justice**, a journey which each of us is called to make in solidarity with migrants, immigrants, refugees, human trafficking victims, and other people on the move seeking justice and peace.

“From its founding to the present, the United States remains a nation of immigrants grounded in the firm belief that newcomers offer new energy, hope and cultural diversity. Our common faith in Jesus Christ moves us to search for ways that favor a spirit of solidarity. It is a faith that transcends borders and bids us to overcome all forms of discrimination and violence so that we may build relationships that are just and loving.” You can find out more about the campaign at: www.justiceforimmigrants.com

APPRECIATION BREAKFAST FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS (GRADES 7-12)

The Catechetical Office invites you, Catholic public school teachers, Grades 7-12, to join us for an Appreciation Breakfast at the RIVERVIEW in Hastings-on-Hudson, NY on Saturday, January 21st from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. We welcome the opportunity to celebrate the good you do and your Catholic presence in our public schools. Bishop Brucato will join us and will give the keynote address. Registration forms may be picked up at the rectory and should be mailed to the address indicated. For more information please call Mrs. Kathleen Alonzo at 212-371-1000 ext. 2864 or Joanie Sepulveda ext. 2822. Registration will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend – 44 hours of quality time together, away from pressures and hectic schedules. If you'd like greater intimacy, communication and joy in your marriage, register for the February 10-12 weekend at Don Bosco Retreat Center, Stony Point. For registration or info contact; 212-371-1000x3190; 718-317-5881; 845-635-8566.



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