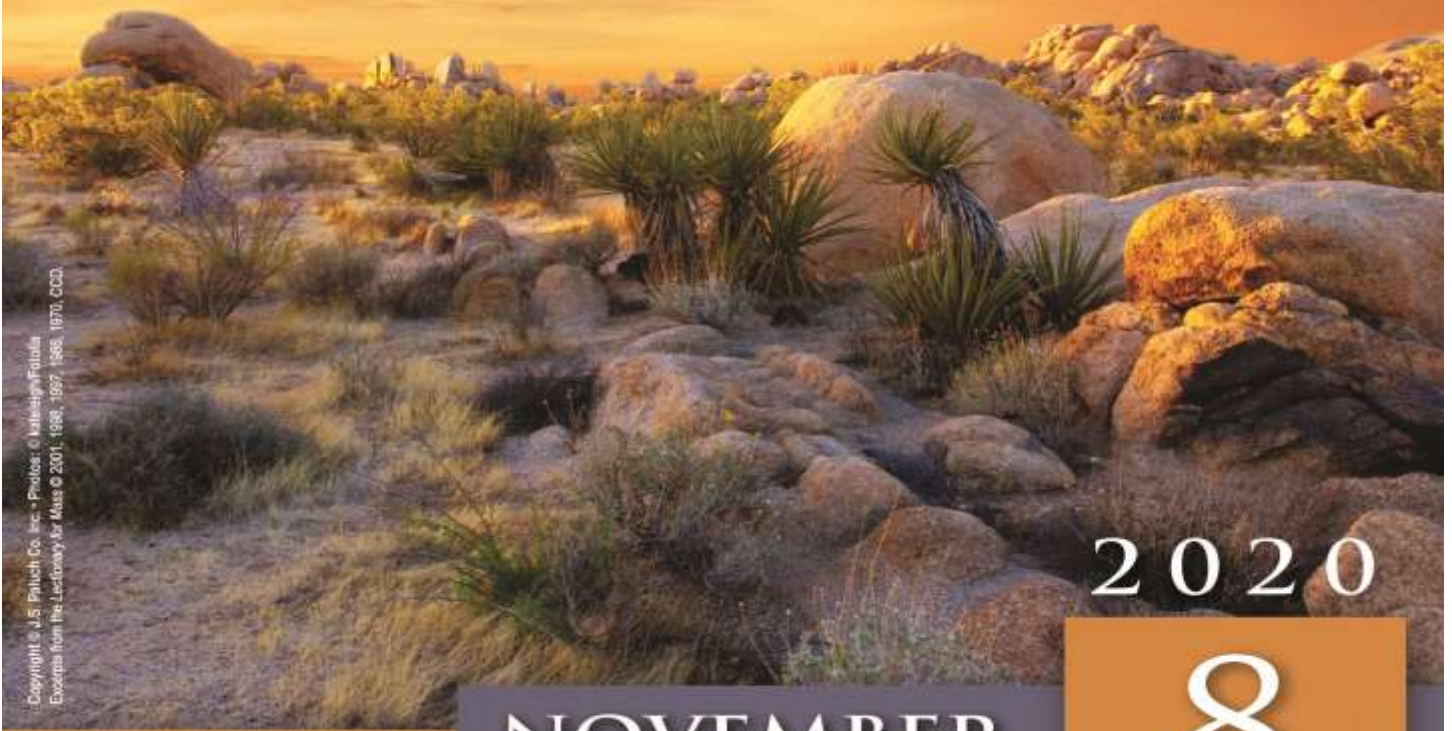


St. Joseph Parish

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*O God, you are my God whom I seek;
for you my flesh pines and my soul thirsts
like the earth, parched, lifeless and without water.*

Psalm 63:2



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NOVEMBER

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Mass Schedule

Saturday

5:00 p.m. Vigil

Suspended till further notice

Sunday

Mass on the Grass

8:30 a.m.

Daily Mass (M-F)

8:00 am

Suspended till further notice

Reconciliation

Saturdays

4:00-4:45pm

**By the East Church Door
parking lot**

Eucharistic Adoration

**No Adoration till
further notice due to church
being closed due to
Covid-19**

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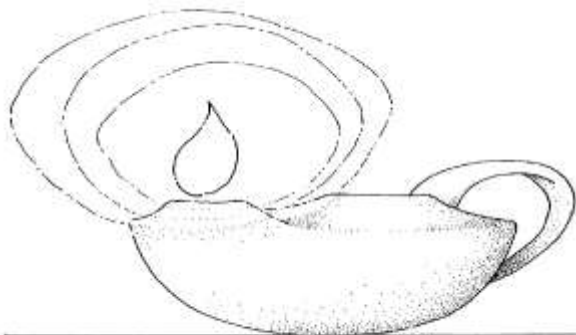
Welcome

Dear Parish Family:

During this month of November, the church commemorates the Feasts of All Saints and All Souls! During these weeks let us lift up to the Lord, all those who died this past year, including all of those who passed away from Covid-19, especially those who were not allowed to have their family and friends gathered around them.

Let us lift up to the Lord, our St. Joseph Parishioners who left us this past year, including:

- + Ron Steiner
- + Frances Stickney
- + Jennifer Imzie
- + James Lavia
- + Krystyna Rusinek
- + Florian Huber
- + Elizer Calvario
- + Pat Cullen
- + Karen Muccino
- + Eileen Bentley
- + Marlene Muccino
- + Jean Longaberger
- + Gerard Petitt
- + Jean Kumashiro
- + Donald Ensich



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**Thirty-second Sunday
in Ordinary Time
November 8, 2020**

Stay awake, for you know
neither the day nor the hour.

— *Matthew 25:13*

Faith Formation & Ministries

2020-21 High School Confirmation Registration

High School Confirmation 1 Registration Forms for new students can be downloaded from the parish website (Scan Code to the right with your cell phone camera). Workshops will be offered online until in person instruction is allowed. Current High School Confirmation 2 families please turn in the Orange registration form that were mailed to you in July, or call Michelle at (562) 598-0519 to request a new form.

SCAN ME



2020-21 Faith Formation Registration

Registration for the 2020-21 Faith Formation Classes is now open. Classes will be offered online until in person instruction is allowed. Registration forms for new students for continuing education and/or sacrament preparation for :

Early Childhood (Ages 3-5)

Elementary (Grades 1-5)

Junior High (Grades 6-8)

can be downloaded from the parish website (Scan Code to the right with your cell phone camera). Current RE families please turn in the Green registration form that was given to you on March 15, 2020 or call Michelle at (562) 598-0519 to request a new form. Register Today!



SCAN ME



Movement for a Better World

“Be not afraid. I go before you always.” Jn 6:20

Homeless Kit Drive, Thank you!! The parish contributed 475 kits and \$3,328 toward our October 3-4 Homeless Kit Drive!

Kits were distributed in Long Beach to Catholic Charities, the Multi-Services Center, and St. Lucy Church. With cash donations, we assembled 185 additional kits and purchased \$1,200 in clothing and other hygiene supplies for the homeless patrons of the Multi-Services Center. A \$1,000 donation will be provided to Catholic Charities Community Services of Long Beach.

Sandwich Ministry: In response to critical need and made possible by your on-going support, we have increased our donation of sack lunches and sandwiches to Catholic Charities by 25%. Every Wednesday morning, we prepare 325 for the very grateful homeless patrons of Catholic Charities.

Nov. 7-8, New Blanket Drive: Drive-through collection of new blankets for the families we will support through our Thanksgiving Food and Blanket Distribution.

Nov. 21-22, Thanksgiving Food and Blanket Distribution: Yes, we will!!! Stay tuned for more information about our COVID-redesigned outreach to 75 families in great need!

Dec. 19-20, Christmas Food and Gift Distribution: an online method to select children for our Christmas Present Drive will be available.

Skip-a-Meal Donations: Please be especially mindful during the holiday season when our needs are greatest. For many fulfilling ways to serve, please call **Tim Clark** (562) 431-4385