

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER PARISH

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Office Hours:

Monday through Friday—8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

PARISH OFFICE

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www.stjoesfrackville.com (NEW)

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

The office is closed for federal holidays/holydays.

PARISH REGISTRATION AND SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Please call the Parish Office and we will assist you in this process.

REGIONAL SCHOOLS

Trinity Academy at the Father Walter J. Cizek, SJ,
Sr. Margaret M. McCullough, Principal
233 West Cherry Street, Shenandoah, PA 17976
Telephone: (570) 462-3927,
www.TrinityMatters.com

Marian Catholic High School
Mrs. Jean Susko, Principal
166 Marian Avenue, Tamaqua, PA 18252
Telephone: (570) 467-3335, Website:
www.mariancatholics.org

Nativity B.V.M. High School
Lynn Sabol, Principal
One Lawtons Hill, Pottsville, PA 17901
Telephone: (570) 622-8110, www.nativitybvm.net

St. Joseph Center for Special Learning, Inc.
2075 West Norwegian Street, Pottsville, PA 17901
570-622-4638 Fax: 570-622-3420 www.stjosephctr.com

St. Joseph Parish Complex Locations

49 North Line Street &
33 S. Broad Mountain Avenue

SACRAMENTS

Sacrament of Baptism- The sacrament of Baptism is ordinarily celebrated immediately following the 11:30 a.m. Mass on Sundays. Please call the Parish Office at least two months in advance in order to make arrangements. Parents must be registered in the parish and active for at least three months prior to the Baptism.

Sponsors must be canonically eligible.

Certificates of Eligibility- sponsorship at Baptism or Confirmation requires that a person be an active, registered member of the parish three months prior to receiving the certificate of eligibility. Please contact the Parish Office for more information.

Sacrament of Marriage- Please call the Parish Office at least 6 months before the proposed marriage dates in order to arrange for the necessary preparation. An appointment is necessary before a wedding date may be scheduled. Parish and Diocesan pre-marital classes are required. Only parish guidelines will be followed in planning the marriage ceremony.

Order of Christian Funerals- At the time of death, contact the funeral home of your choice.

DIOCESAN VICTIM ASSISTANCE COORDINATOR

Ms. Wendy S. Krisak, M.A., NCC, LPC

DIRECT Phone line: (800) 791-9209

www.victimassistance@allentowndiocese.org

DIOCESAN SAFE ENVIRONMENT COORDINATOR:

Sister Meg Cole, S.S.J., MS, LMFT

Phone: (610) 332-0442, Ext. 2019

mcole@allentowndiocese.org

The Diocese of Allentown provides assistance to anyone who, as a minor, was sexually abused by a priest, deacon, or employee/volunteer of the Diocese/Parish. Parents, guardians, children, and survivors of sexual abuse are invited & encouraged to contact the Diocese of Allentown for more info about this program.

The fullness of compassion should be extended to these victims by the Church. To learn more about the Diocese of Allentown's Youth Protection Programs, Sexual Abuse Policy, & Code of Conduct, please visit www.allentowndiocese.org & click on "Youth Protection" in the upper right hand corner of the page. www.allentowndiocese.org go to "Youth Protection" to learn more about Diocese's Youth Protection programs.

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

November 3, 2019

Mass Intentions For The Week



Saturday, November 2, 2019

4:00 PM Joseph J. Anthony requested by Louis Anthony

Sunday, November 3

8:30 AM Mary McAndrew-Shenandoah requested by daughter, Helen Kuzma

10:00 AM Ed Wascavage requested by the Honorable John & Mrs. Domalakes

11:30 AM Helen Wayne requested by Bob & Mary Burns

Monday, November 4

7:30 AM NO MASS

Tuesday, November 5

7:30 AM NO MASS

Wednesday, November 6

7:30 AM NO MASS

Thursday, November 7

7:30 AM NO MASS

Adoration after 8:00 a.m. Mass until 8:00 p.m. in St. Ann Church—No Confessions/Benediction

Friday, November 8

7:30 AM NO MASS

Saturday, November 9

4:00 PM Janet Marie Covelusky requested by Joanne Salconis

Sunday, November 10

8:30 AM Special Intention requested by Joseph & Mary Jane Recla

10:00 AM Jeanne McGinn requested by Helen Bosevich

11:30 AM Robert Alexander requested by Mother

NOTE: Father Miller and Father Francis will be away at the Convocation during the week; therefore, no daily Masses will be celebrated.

PRAY FOR:

All those in need. Especially those who are sick, are feeling weak or lonely. Increase their faith and assist them in knowing that they are not alone and all they need comes from You.



CANDLE OFFERINGS

The **Vigil Light at the Statue of the Sacred Heart** burns as a memorial for Stanley F., Ann and Stanley G. Rakowsky requested by Family.

The **Vigil Light at the Statue of the Sacred Heart** burns in memory of Rose Marie & Andrew Kergick by Darlene & Dennis.

The **Vigil Light at the Statue of the Blessed Mother** burns in memory of Eva Kubeyka requested by Children and Grandchildren.

The **Vigil Light at the Statue of the Blessed Mother** burns in memory of Joseph Alshon requested by wife, Eve and Family.

The **Vigil Light at the Statue of the Blessed Mother** burns in memory of Joseph Arcuri requested by wife, Kathleen.

The **Vigil Light at the Statue of the Blessed Mother** burns in memory of Francis Goncalves by wife, Mary.

The **Vigil Light at the Statue of St. Joseph** burns in memory of Gaughan and Kneib Families by Peggy Gaughan.

The **Vigil Light at the Statue of St. Anthony** burns for a Special Intention requested by TMS.

The **Vigil Light at the Statue of St. Ann** burns in memory of Robert and Anna Smith requested by Family.

The **Sanctuary Light** burns for a Special Intention requested by Mary Jane Recla.

WEEKLY CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Saturday: 3:15 p.m. & Sunday: 8:05 a.m.,

Thursdays: 7:30 p.m.—7:55 p.m.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Chapel & Youth Center at 27 South Broad Mountain Avenue, Frankville. **Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday from 1 to 4 p.m.**

Every Thursday from 8:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. (Silent) Adoration in St. Ann Church. 7:30 p.m. Confessions, 7:55 p.m. Benediction.

The Divine Mercy Chaplet will be said at 3:00 p.m. during the Chapel Adoration.

HOLY HOUR—The Pro-Life Holy Hour takes place the second Sunday of every month at 5:00 p.m. in the Chapel.

Anyone wishing to commit to thirty minutes or an hour may call 570-874-3001. Please remember there is always a substitute available, if you are unable to make your designated time.

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

Bereavement Ministry is available for those needing assistance in planning a funeral service and to provide grief support. Your option of a call or visit. Call **Parish Office 570-874-0610** if you wish to be contacted.

RCIA- If you know anyone who is interested in becoming Catholic, please contact Fr. Miller at the Parish Office 570-874-0610.

WEEKLY COLLECTION

Sunday Collection: October 20, 2019: \$5,044.50

Second Collection: October 20, 2019: \$266.00

PARISH NEWS

LITURGY OF THE WORD - FOR CHILDREN—"ALLELU"



Allelu! — Children's Liturgy of the Word—is available every other Sunday at the 10:00 a.m. Mass. All parish children ages Pre-school through second grade are welcome to attend.

Next Allelu today, Sunday, November 10

Ministry Schedule—November 9-10

Servers:

4:00 p.m. — Emily Walsh
8:30 a.m. — Matthew & Katherine Dimmick
10:00 a.m. — Heplers
11:30 a.m. — Shane & Caelan Quick

Lectors:

4:00 p.m. — Diane Rowland
8:30 a.m. — Mary Lou Michaels
10:00 a.m. — Mary Jo Jones
11:30 a.m. — Peggy Fetterolf

Eucharistic Ministers:

4:00 p.m. — Teri Krolick **Choir:** Ron Whalen
8:30 a.m. — Mary Lou Michaels **Choir:** Joe Babatsky
Nursing Home: Frank Susan
10:00 a.m. — Angela Pyzowski **Choir:** Patti Domalakes
11:30 a.m. — Gerald Campomizzi **Choir:** Bridget Quick

PIEROGIES will be made Wednesday, November 6 and 13 beginning at 8:00 a.m. in the Kitchen located behind St. Ann Church. Please come to assist in making the pierogies. Help is urgently needed.

NOTE: No PREP classes on **Sunday, November 10, 2019.**

Thanksgiving Prayer Service will be held on **Sunday,**

November 24 in Annunciation BVM Church. Please join us as we give thanks to God for all the blessings He has bestowed upon us

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CHILDREN'S CHOIR

Next practice, Sunday, November 3. The choir is open to all parish children grades 1 through 8th. Practices are held on Sunday evenings when PREP is in session. Practice is scheduled for 5:00—6:00 p.m. in Annunciation BVM Church. Students in PREP will remain for class; members not in PREP are dismissed at 6:00 p.m. Choir sings once monthly—the last Sunday of the month—at the 11:30 a.m. Mass. Please encourage your children to check it out.

GIRLS' JOURNALING- This faith-based group is for girls in grades 4 through 8. There is no fee & the group meets twice monthly. The meetings are held on the second & fourth Wednesdays at the Chapel/Youth Center-27 S. Broad Mtn. Avenue, Frackville. The meetings start at 6:00 and end at 7:00 p.m. **Next Journaling session, November 13.** Questions? Need more info? Contact Carolyn Tenaglia 570-874-2093 or Siobhan Walsh 570-449-7229.

ST. JOSEPH the WORKER PARISH UPCOMING EVENTS

November 4—Friends of St. Joseph Meeting 6:30 p.m. in Social Room off Line Street
November 5—Next session of Wisdom & Works of Mercy (Prayer Study) in Grade 6 of Parish Center at 9:30 a.m.
November 6—NO Bible Study
November 7—Adoration 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
NO confessions/Benediction
November 16—"Roofstock" Another Side & Sakes Alive in Parish Hall

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL WHO RECEIVED CONFIRMATION ON OCTOBER 23, 2019



Zachary Michael Artz, Olivia Anne Burke,
Taylor Gianna Conti, John Paul Dimmick,
Matthew Andrew Dimmick,
Haley Martha Frantz, Morgan Anne Kelly,
MacKenzi Elizabeth McCabe,
Tyler Michael Mistishen,
Joseph Nicholas Noraka,
Collin Sebastian Stanakis, and
Taryn Anne Teasenfitz.

May the Holy Spirit give them the increased ability to practice their Catholic faith in every aspect of their lives and to witness Christ in every situation. ... A closer bond with the Catholic Church.

**The Next "Roofstock Dance" is being held on
Saturday, November 16, 2019 in
our Parish Hall.**

Doors open at 6:00 p.m.

Dance 7:00 to 12:00 a.m.

**Another Side and Sake's Alive
will be playing.**

**Tickets are now available at the
Parish Office—presale \$10/door \$12
Food/beverages will be available, also.
Benefits St. Joseph Building/
Maintenance Fund**

EAGLE SCOUT PROJECT

Our parishioner, Ryan Evert is repurposing the area around the St. Joseph the Worker statue at the St. Ann Church complex into a prayer garden for his Eagle Scout project. He is looking for donations to offset the cost of materials. Donations of any denomination can be put in the Sunday collection in a separate envelope marked Ryan Eagle Project. Checks can be made payable to **St. Joseph Parish.** Donors of \$50.00 or more can have a personalized garden stone added to the garden in memory of, or in honor of a loved one (slips for personalizing the stones will be in the vestibule of the church). **Thank you to all who have already given so generously towards Ryan's Eagle Project.**

ALL SOULS DAY-November 2, 2019—Envelopes to remember your loved ones are available in the vestibule of the Church. Please fill out and place in the Collection basket anytime between now and November 2. The envelopes with the names of your loved ones will remain on the altar for the month of November.

SCHUYLKILL COUNTY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS TURKEY DINNER—The Schuylkill County Knights of Columbus Councils will be delivering a Turkey Dinner complete with turkey, filling, yams, gravy, vegetable and dessert to all residents of Schuylkill County who are in need of a meal for this Thanksgiving Day (November 28, 2019). **If you know of a person who is in need of a meal, or if you are a person who is in need of a meal, please call either 570-628-3333, 570-617-5771 or 570-516-9514 and leave the following information if no one answers the phone (Name & Phone number) and we will get back to you.** You can also contact us at KofC431@yahoo.com. The only requirement we have for the meal is that the person be home. **Closing date to order is Friday, November 22, 2019 at 5:00 p.m.** in order for us to order the required items for the meal. Thank you.

ST. CHARLES BORROMEIO-ASHLAND VENDOR SHOW/SATURDAY, November 9, 2019

We are excited to announce that all 51 of the available spaces at the upcoming Home and Craft Show have been filled!!!! Our show will be featuring vendors such as "Doggy Do's Grooming and Crafts", "Farm Country Soap", "Origami Owl", and many, many more! This is a great opportunity to get a jump start on those Christmas gifts. We are looking forward to a good time and hope to see you there! The event runs from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, November 9. Any questions, kindly contact Clare Schachte at 570-391-8144 or clareschachte@gmail.com.

ST. MICHAEL'S ELECTION DAY PORK & SAUERKRAUT!—Tuesday, November 5th from Noon to 6:00 p.m. Eat-In or Take-out.

St. Michael the Archangel Church Parish Center Cafeteria, 538 Sunbury Street, Minersville. **(Use rear entrance on Lewis Street)** **Cost:** adult \$9.00 and Child (under 10 yrs.) \$5.00. **Dinner includes:** Pork n Kraut, mashed potatoes, green beans, apple sauce, roll, beverage & dessert. **Tickets at Church starting October 12th or call Jean 570-544-6853.**

NATIVITY BVM HIGH SCHOOL—on Sunday, November 17th, Nativity will be hosting an Open House Event for 7th and 8th grade parents and students beginning at 6:00 p.m. at the school. Nativity BVM administration faculty, staff, students, parents and Board members will be on hand to discuss specific information about academics, financial aid, guidance services and opportunities for students. This information will be particularly helpful for incoming freshmen, transfer students, new students and potential host families. We invite you and your family to join us for this event. No pre-registration is required. All are welcome! Please contact the school at 570-622-8110 or jldaubert@nativitybvm.net with any questions. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at 570-622-8110. Thank you for your continued support!

CHOSEN, BLESSED, SHARED—Please Support the Annual Fund for Retired and Infirm Priests of the Diocese of Allentown

Please take advantage of the opportunity to offer support to the retired priests of our Diocese by helping provide for their care in retirement! Your donation will help serve those who have faithfully served us. Brochures and giving envelopes will be available in the vestibule, and you will be receiving a request letter in the mail within the next few days. You may return your gift in the mail or drop it in the collection basket at Mass. Thank you in advance for your generous support!

ALL YOU CAN EAT HOMEMADE SPAGHETTI DINNER—sponsored by St. Patrick Church on Sunday, November 3, 2019 from 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. **Location:** St. Patrick Parish Center, 319 Mahantongo Street, Pottsville. Eat in or take out.



**St. Joseph the
Worker Presents**

Roofstock

ANOTHER SIDE

SAKES ALIVE

**Presale \$10 | At Door \$12
21+ ONLY
570-874-0610**

**16 NOV 2019
7PM - 12AM Doors Open at 6PM
Annunciation Hall, Frackville
9 South Broad Mountain Ave**

**LIVE MUSIC
DANCING
FOOD**

Benefits St Joseph Building and Maintenance Fund