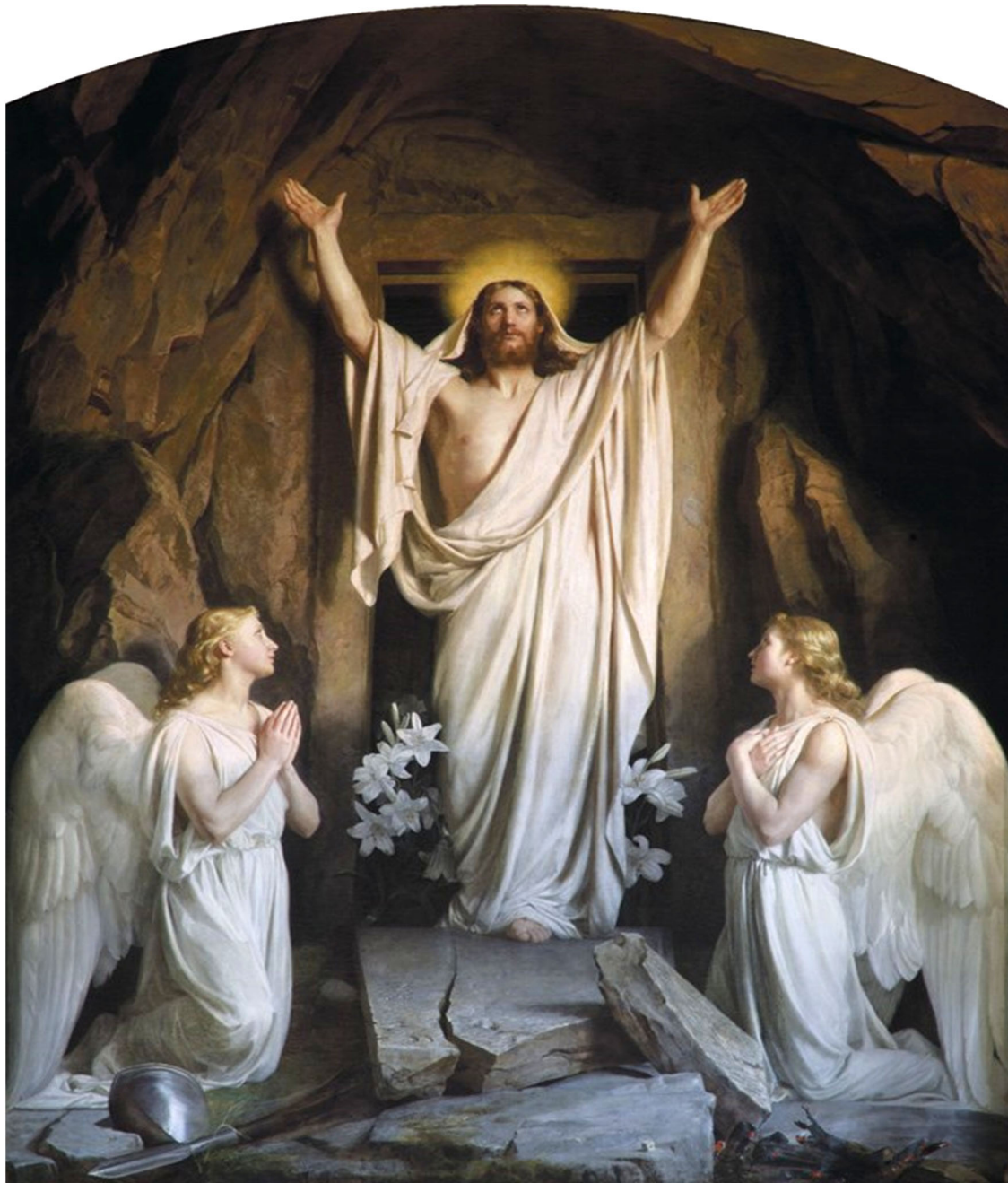


# ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER PARISH

FATHER BRIAN M. MILLER, M.DIV., M.A.-- PASTOR



*He is Risen!*  
*HAPPY EASTER!*

# EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

## APRIL 21, 2019

### Mass Intentions For The Week



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#### Saturday, April 20, 2019-Easter Sunday (Parish Hall)

8:00 PM For all living & deceased parishioners of  
St. Joseph the Worker Parish

#### Sunday, April 21-Easter Sunday (Parish Hall)

8:30 AM For all living & deceased parishioners of  
St. Joseph the Worker Parish

**10:30 AM** For all living & deceased parishioners of  
St. Joseph the Worker Parish

#### Monday, April 22—(Office Closed)

8:05 AM NO MASS

#### Tuesday, April 23

8:05 AM Jane Bukowski requested by Bob & Tina  
Ackell

#### Wednesday, April 24

8:05 AM John Klimko requested by Daughters

#### Thursday, April 25

8:05 AM Kenny Wayne requested by Helen Wayne

**Adoration from 8:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. in St. Ann Church**

#### Friday, April 26

8:05 AM Metro & Irene Pengrin requested by Pat  
Smarr and Family

#### Saturday, April 27

4:00 PM Jack Blickley requested by Family

#### Sunday, April 28

8:30 AM Intentions of Divine Mercy Sunday

10:00 AM Peter Miernicki requested by Teri Krolick

11:30 AM Ernest Joseph Adzentoivich requested by  
Frances Crosby

#### 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 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 St. Joseph** burns in memory of Gaughan and Kneib Families by Peggy Gaughan.

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, Frackville. **Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday from 1 to 4 p.m. Every Thursday from 8 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.

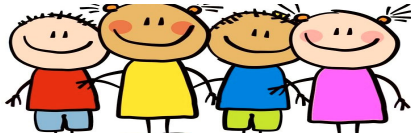
### WEEKLY COLLECTION

**Sunday Collection: April 7, 2019: \$6,426.28**

**Second Collection: April 7, 2019: \$278.90**

*Thank you for your continued support of your Parish.*

# PARISH NEWS



## LITURGY OF THE WORD - FOR CHILDREN—"ALLELU"

Allelu! — Children's Liturgy of the Word—is available every Sunday at the 10:00 a.m. Mass. All parish children ages 4–second grade are welcome to attend.

**CHILDREN'S CHOIR-** All parish children are welcome. Practices are Sundays (prior to CCD) from 5 to 6 p.m. in Annunciation BVM Church. Please encourage your child to join us.

**Adult Confirmation at the Cathedral on Pentecost Sunday**  
Bishop Schlert will celebrate the Noon Mass on Pentecost Sunday, June 9<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at the Cathedral of Saint Catharine of Siena, Allentown, within which he will confirm adults of our Diocese. *Those to be confirmed are those adults (eighteen years of age or older) who were baptized in the Roman Catholic Church, received their First Holy Communion, are catechized, but never confirmed.* Please contact your local pastor to discuss registration details.

### St. Joseph the Worker Feast Day Celebration

On Wednesday, **May 1, 2019**, parishioners are invited to attend Mass at Annunciation BVM Church at 5:30 PM to begin the celebration of the feast of our parish patron, St. Joseph the Worker. Immediately following Mass, parishioners are invited to enjoy a pot-luck dinner in the hall. Chicken and meatballs will be provided. **The following are needed:** 6 people to donate hot potato dishes, 6 people to donate cold salads, 6 people to donate vegetable dishes, 10 people to donate desserts, 5 people to donate a case of canned soda or water. Please note that parishioners who donate food or drinks will need to take the left-overs from their donation home after everyone has finished eating. The dinner is free of charge and all parishioners are welcome. Please mark your calendar and be sure to sign-up on the sheets available in the vestibule of the church by **April 21, 2019**. Containers for donations will also be available in the vestibule. Contact the parish office at 570 874-0610 for additional information. **Sign up sheets and pans for donated food will be available in the entrance to the Hall (since all Masses until after Easter will be celebrated in the Parish Hall).**

### HEART OF THE NATION SUNDAY TV MASS

TV Mass for the homebound—WOLF channel 56 (Fox) at 8:00 a.m. For the faithful at home or in healthcare settings, the Heart of the Nation Sunday TV Mass brings spiritual comfort. Please invite anyone you know who cannot get out to church to tune in Catholic Mass on TV or watch online anytime on Sundays at [www.HeartoftheNation.org](http://www.HeartoftheNation.org)

## ST. JOSEPH the WORKER PARISH UPCOMING EVENTS

- April 23—"Consoling the Heart of Jesus" 9:30 a.m. in the Sixth Grade Classroom  
April 23—Faith Formation 6:00 p.m. in St. Ann Rectory  
April 24—Bible Study 6:00 p.m. in St. Ann Rectory  
April 25—Adoration 8:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. in St. Ann  
April 28—Devotions and Benediction in St. Ann Church at 3:00 p.m.  
May 1—Feast Day of St. Joseph the Worker Mass at 5:30 p.m. in BVM and Dinner following in Parish Hall  
May 4—First Holy Communion at 10:00 a.m. in St. Ann  
May 4—"Roofstock" Cinco de Mayo Doors open at 6:00 p.m. in Parish Hall

**GROVE CLEAN UP**—Please volunteer some time and come help clean up the St. Ann Grove on **Tuesday, April 30** beginning at 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Even if you cannot stay the whole day, a hour or two will help. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

### 2019 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL SIGN UPS

The Vacation Bible School sign-up sheets are in the vestibule of the church. Pre-school and elementary school children interested in attending should be listed on the sheet. Middle school children interested in helping as crew leaders should also sign up. A registration packet will follow in the mail closer to June. Sign-ups are available until Easter and are important for VBS prep and planning.



**VBS is scheduled for June 17-21.**

### ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER PARISH DANCE

Our Parish will be sponsoring a dance—"ROOFSTOCK" — **Cinco de Mayo featuring Another Side & Broken Spell on Saturday, May 4 from 7 to 12 a.m. Doors open at 6 p.m. 21 years and older only. Tickets \$10 presale and \$12 at the door.** Food and drinks will be available for purchase. Tickets can be obtained at the Parish Office during normal hours. Dance will be held in the Parish Hall at Nine South Broad Mountain Avenue, Frackville.

#### **SPONSORS NEEDED:**

**We are also looking for sponsors for the dance (both individuals and businesses). Any amount is acceptable. Donations can be either put in an envelope and placed in the collection basket at weekend Masses, sent or dropped off at the office.**

**Dance benefits St. Joseph the Worker Parish Building Maintenance Fund.**

### PARISH'S NEW WEB SITE:

The Parish has a new web site and the address is as follows: [www.stjoesfrackville.com](http://www.stjoesfrackville.com). Please check it out.

**NO FAITH FORMATION ON TUESDAY, APRIL 23 AS INDICATED IN THE BULLETIN.** Thank you!

**PIEORIGE SALE**

Pierogie sale brought in \$1,721.00 from the kitchen at St. Ann. Thank you for all those who put in time and effort in making and selling the pierories. May God bless you and your families.

**KNIGHT OF COLUMBUS MONTHLY HOAGIE SALE**

The Frackville Knights of Columbus #2580 will hold their monthly hoagie sale on **Thursday, April 25**. Pick up only in the former St. Ann Pre School. Hoagies come in many configurations and can be order by **calling Joe at 570-874-3577 or Frank at 570-467-3744 on or before Monday, April 22**. Cost is \$4.50 each. Thank you for supporting this important fund raiser.

**ST. PATRICK PARISH CENTER, POTTSVILLE**

**ALL YOU CAN EAT HOMEMADE SPAGHETTI DINNER**

**Sunday, May 5, 2019** from 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. in St. Patrick Parish Center, 319 Mahantongo Street, Pottsville. Eat in or take out. Adults-\$8.00 and children-\$3.50

**MOTHER'S DAY PAINT AND SIP**

**Saturday, April 27, 2019** at 6:00 p.m. in St. Charles Borromeo Parish Hall, 1115 Walnut Street, Ashland, PA. **Cost: \$40.00**—includes supplies and light refreshments. **Event is BYOB**. For more information or to register, please call the Parish Office at 570-875-1521.

**OFFICE FOR MINISTRY WITH PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES**—If you have received an adverse Prenatal Diagnosis...You are not alone. There is help. The Diocese of Allentown has a network of concerned parents and professionals who have experienced or worked closely with issues surrounding adverse prenatal diagnosis. **For support contact:** Sr. Janice Marie Johnson, [jjohnson@allentowndioese.org](mailto:jjohnson@allentowndioese.org) or 610-289-8900 ext. 2280.

**WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND**—REJOICE! HE IS RISEN! HAPPY EASTER! Resurrect the romance in your marriage by attending a **.WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND** For information call **1-732-904-9636** or visit: [www.aweekendforyourmarriage.org](http://www.aweekendforyourmarriage.org).

**MAHANAY CITY BLESSED TERESA GOLDEN AGE BUS TRIP**

Sponsoring a trip to Pigeon Forge and Gaitlinburg, TN. July 14-19, 2019. Cost \$859.00 double occupancy. Includes: 5 breakfasts, 3 dinners, and 4 shows. Admission to Dollywood and boxed lunch on the Smoky Mountain Railroad. **Call Elizabeth at 570-773-1753.**

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**TOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:** “Faith in the resurrection of Jesus says that there is a future for every human being; the cry for unending life which is a part of the person is indeed answered. God exists: that is the real message of Easter. Anyone who even begins to grasp what this means also knows what it means to be redeemed.”  
—**Pope Benedict XVI**

# Roofstock

Cinco de Mayo

Featuring

## Another & Broken Side & Spell

Saturday May 4<sup>th</sup>  
7PM-12AM  
Doors Open 6pm  
21+ ONLY

\$10 Presale  
\$12 at the Door  
570-874-0610

Food & Drinks  
Available for  
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Saint Joseph the Worker Parish Hall  
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