



St. Joseph the Worker Parish

FATHER BRIAN MILLER, M.DIV., MA.A. ~ PASTOR

PARISH OFFICE

Seven South Broad Mountain Avenue
Frackville, PA 17931-1800

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- Ext. 4--Parish Secretary;
- Ext. 5--Mass Schedule;
- Ext. 6--Holy Day Mass Schedule;
- Ext. 7--Confession/Adoration Schedule;
- Ext. 8--Emergency

Email: frackvillerc3@verizon.net

Parish web site: www.stjoesfrackville.com

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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

Office closed daily from 12 noon to 1:00 p.m.

The office is closed on federal holidays/ holydays of obligation.

ST. JOSEPH COMPLEX LOCATIONS

49 North Line Street & 33 South Broad Mountain Avenue

PARISH REGISTRATION AND SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

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

REGIONAL SCHOOLS

Assumption B.V.M. School

112 South Seventh Street, Pottsville, PA 17901

Telephone: (570) 622-0106

www.assumptionbvmschool.net

Marian Catholic High School

166 Marian Avenue, Tamaqua, PA 18252

Telephone: (570) 467-3335,

www.mariancatholics.org

St. Jerome Regional School

50 Meadow Avenue, Tamaqua, PA 18252-4313

Telephone: (570) 668-2757~ www.sjrschool.com

Nativity B.V.M. High School

One Lawtons Hill, Pottsville, PA 17901

Telephone: (570) 622-8110,

www.nativitybvm.net

St. Joseph Center for Special Learning, Inc.

2075 West Norwegian St., Pottsville, PA 17901

Telephone: 570-622-4638 Fax: 570-622-3420

www.stjosephctr.com

SACRAMENTS

Sacrament of Baptism- The sacrament of Baptism will be celebrated on Saturdays either 11 a.m. or 12 noon. Other day/time can be arranged. 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. The funeral home will then contact the Parish Office.

DIOCESAN VICTIM ASSISTANCE COORDINATOR

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

DIRECT Phone line: (800) 791-9209

www.victimsassistance@allentowndiocese.org

DIOCESAN SAFE ENVIRONMENT COORDINATOR:

Pamela J. Russo, MSW, MS, Secretary for Youth

Protection, Diocese of Allentown, 1515 Martin Luther

King, Jr. Drive, PO Box F, Allentown PA 18105-1538

Phone: (610) 871-5200 ext. 2204 * FAX: (610) 871-5211

prusso@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. Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service. If you have an allegation of abuse against a bishop, please contact the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service at www.ReportBishopAbuse.org or by calling 1-800-276-1562.

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 22, 2022

MASS SCHEDULE



Saturday, May 21, 2022

5:30 PM Debbie Thomas requested by Mom and
St. Ann Frank Kenesky

Sunday, May 22

8:00 AM Jonas Smith requested by Annie & Tom
St. Ann Hull

11:00 AM Deceased of Corrigan & Wayne Families
St. Ann requested by Karen Corrigan & Jeanette
Roscoe

Monday, May 23

8:30 AM NO MASS
St. Ann

Tuesday, May 24

8:30 AM NO MASS
St. Ann

Wednesday, May 25-Ascension of the Lord Vigil

8:30 AM NO MASS
St. Ann

7:00 PM Jonas Smith requested by Maryann Smith
St. Ann

Thursday, May 26-Ascension of the Lord

7:15 AM Francis Goncalves requested by Wife &
St. Ann Family

**ADORATION in St. Ann Church location from
after Mass to 8:00 p.m.**

Friday, May 27

8:30 AM NO MASS
St. Ann

Saturday, May 28

5:30 p.m. Living & deceased members of the Cardinal
St. Ann Brennan High School Class 1970

Sunday, May 29

8:00 AM Ann Freiler requested by Don & Linda
St. Ann Lindenmuth

11:00 AM Charles Scherer requested by Gloria Ann,
St. Ann Will and Shannon

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 as requested by Andrew & Michelle Smarkanic and Family.
The **Vigil Light at the Statue of the Blessed Mother** burns in memory of Joseph Alshon by wife, Eve and Family.
The **Vigil Light at the Statue of the Blessed Mother** burns in memory of Joseph Arcuri by wife, Kathleen.
The **Vigil Light at the Statue of the Blessed Mother** burns in memory of Rose Marie & Andrew Kergick by Darlene & Dennis.
The **Vigil Light at the Statue of the Blessed Mother** burns for Teri by a dear friend.
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. Joseph** burns in memory of Joseph, Albert & Margaret Geary by Darlene & Dennis.
The **Vigil Light at the Statue of St. Ann** burns for health, guidance and God's blessings for Kluss Family requested by El. and Dol.
The **Vigil Light at the Statue of St. Anthony** burns for a Special Intention requested by TMS.
The **Sanctuary Lamp** burns for Special Intentions by Mary Jane Recla.

WEEKLY CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00 to 5:25 p.m. (St. Ann Church)
Sunday: 7:30 to 7:55 a.m. (St. Ann Church)

Thursday prior to First Friday—7:15 to 8:00 p.m.
(St. Ann Church location)

The St. Ann Church location will be open Monday through Friday until 7:00 p.m. for those that want to visit and spend time with our Lord.

WEEKLY SUNDAY COLLECTION

—April 3, 2022—\$6,460.75

Thank you for your continued support of your Parish.

RCIA- If you know anyone who is interested in becoming Catholic, please contact Fr. Miller by calling the Parish Office at 570-874-0610 ext. 4

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Please remember that we have Eucharistic Adoration Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. in the St. Ann Church location. Thursdays Adoration is from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Please schedule some time with our Lord. Holidays times may differ.

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CEMETERY WEBSITE

Our newly refurbished cemetery website is
back up and running.

It has been expanded to include more information
about our deceased loved ones.

The web address is

www.sjwcemeteries.org or you

can go to our parish website to find the link.

Parish website: www.stjoesfrackville.com

PARISH NEWS



MARIAN CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

Information Session, Monday, June 6th from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m.

Come take a tour of the school, meet some students and staff, and get all your questions answered.

Transfer grants available for incoming sophomores and juniors. Please call or email Mary Milosh to RSVP.

mmilosh@mariancatholic.org or call 570-467-3335 ext. 116

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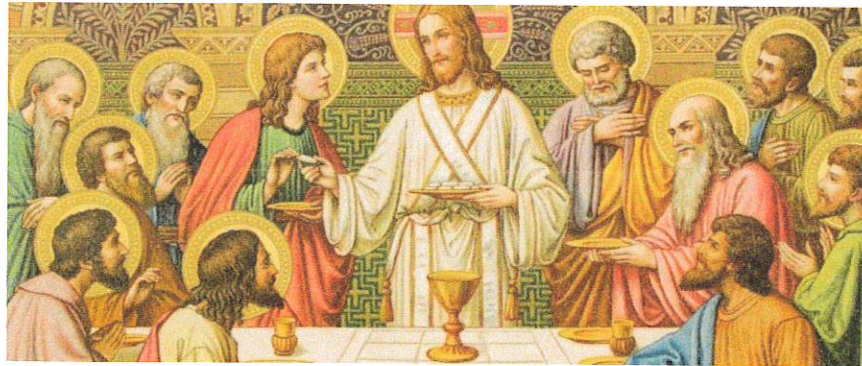
SWAHILI CATHOLIC MASS

Fr. Barnabas Shayo, A.J., will celebrate a Swahili Catholic Mass on June 5 at 2:00 p.m. in St. Patrick Church. All are welcome to experience the African way of celebrating Mass. There will be African food, soft drinks, and banana beer at the Parish Center following Mass. To be able to plan well for this event, **please RSVP by May 23 by calling Debbie at 570-622-1802, ext. 0.**

EVERY WEDNESDAY, starting May 11, at 6:00 p.m. Fr. Barnabas will offer classes on several parts of the Swahili Mass to help attendees be able to participate fully during Mass.

Location: St. Patrick Parish, 319 Mahantongo Street, Pottsville, PA 17901

ST. PATRICK CHURCH, POTTSVILLE presents TRIVIA NIGHT on Wednesday, June 15. Doors open at 6:30 p.m.; Trivia starts at 7:00 p.m. in St. Patrick Parish Center (313 Mahantongo Street, Pottsville). \$250 for the winning team. Tickets (per person): \$10 in advance; \$15 at the door. BYOB. Refreshments available for purchase. Please call Debbie at 570-622-1802, ext. 0 for tickets or more info.



Location: Holy Family Parish, 538 Sunbury St Minersville, PA 17954

<http://minersvillecatholic.com/>

“Saints and Scholars” Dinner and Discussion”

June 2, 2022 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

What is the Real Presence? How do we know it is *really* Jesus? What does it mean to you? Join us for this *free* event! As we break bread together, we will come to better understand the Bread of Life! All are welcome to this *free* event featuring dinner, presentation, and discussion. The program for the event will be:

6:00 PM Welcome, Introduction and Dinner

6:45 PM Presentation on Real Presence

7:30 PM Q&A

7:45 PM Conclusion

If you have any questions about the event, please contact Jessica Edris at jedris@allentowndiocese.org or PHONE: [610-871-5200](tel:610-871-5200)



St. Joseph the Worker

Parish Festival



FRIDAY, AUGUST 5, 2022 FROM 3 TO 10 P.M.

KITCHEN CLOSES @ 9 PM

SAKES ALIVE - 7 TO 10 PM



Themed Basket Auction

Money Raffle Tickets \$1.00 each

Ethnic Foods: pierogies (fried and boiled), bleenies, bandukies, halupkies, haluskie, bean soup, hot dogs, baked goods and more!

Beverages: soda, water, beer, wine coolers and more



SATURDAY, AUGUST 6, 2022 FROM 12 NOON TO 11 PM

KITCHEN CLOSES 9:30 PM

Ticket Booth will stay open until 10:00 p.m. for Bar Sales only

ANOTHER SIDE - 7 TO 11 P.M.



St. Joseph the Worker Grove
(located behind the St. Ann Church location)
rear of 49 North Line Street, Frackville

License number: 9012