



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.

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 29, 2022

MASS SCHEDULE



Saturday, May 28, 2022

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

Sunday, May 29

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

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

Monday, May 30—Memorial Day

8:30 AM NO MASS
St. Ann

Tuesday, May 31

8:30 AM NO MASS
St. Ann

Wednesday, June 1

8:30 AM For all SJWP Parishioners
St. Ann

Thursday, June 2

8:30 AM Special Intention of Mary Ann Deebel
St. Ann requested by son, Brian Deebel

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

Friday, June 3

8:30 AM NO MASS
St. Ann

Saturday, June 4

8:30 AM Martin & Mary Kerrigan requested by
St. Ann Helen Gownley

5:30 PM Blozousky Family requested by Blozousky
St. Ann Family

Sunday, June 5

8:00 AM Thomas Haminchik requested by Pat
St. Ann Kuppell

11:00 AM Dale Overly requested by Family
St. Ann

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 Anne Freiler by Don & Linda Lindenmuth.
The **Vigil Light at the Statue of the Blessed Mother** burns in memory of Rose Marie and Andrew Kergick by Darlene and Dennis.
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 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 10, 2022—\$7,426.00

Easter (updated)— \$8,234.00

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

Ministry Schedule—June 4—5

Servers:

5:30 p.m. Janelle & Jacob Ziegmont
8:00 a.m. Claire & Alyza Kowalonek
11:00 a.m. Emily and Johnny Walsh

Lectors:

5:30 p.m. Marlene Borzok
8:00 a.m. Joe Babatsky
11:00 a.m. Larry Domalakes

Eucharistic Ministers:

5:30 p.m. Marlene Borzok **Choir:** Tom Sullivan
8:00 a.m. Joe Babatsky **Choir:** Mary Lou Michaels

Nursing Home: not until further notice

11:00 a.m. Larry Domalakes **Choir:** Jerry Campomizzi

When Communion can be brought to the Nursing Home, please note that after the 8:00 a.m. Sunday Mass is the time in which to leave to go to the Nursing Home. This gives them time to be ready for you when you arrive. Thank you for your understanding.

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Vacation Bible School pre registration is now open.

There are also envelopes if you would like to donate towards the VBS materials in the vestibule. Just drop in the collection basket. You can sign up by texting Siobhan Walsh at 570-449-7229. It is very important to pre register so we can order accurately.

The dates for this year's Vacation Bible School will Be June 20 through June 23, 2022 from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Any questions contact Siobhan at 570-449-7229.



ALLELU-CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

This program is offered at the 11:00 a.m. Mass each Sunday. Alleluia is for children in preschool thru 2nd grade. Children leave Mass after the Entrance Hymn and work in the former preschool until the Offertory Hymn. Children hear the same readings from the children's Lectionary and then work on a small craft to help them understand God's Word. This week—*"Jesus prays for us to the Father....."*
Jn 17:20-26

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS LADIES' AUXILIARY, COUNCIL
#2580, FRACKVILLE—FOOD TRUCK SALE

We are now taking orders for our Rolling Mac-A-Roni Truck Fund-raiser. Items are chicken pot pie, \$9.00/quart, and macaroni and cheese, \$8.00/quart. Pickup only at the Social Room at 34 South Line Street, Frackville, between 3:00 and 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, June 29, 2022. Order date deadline with payment is Sunday, June 12, 2022. If you wish to order, please contact Carole Syzdek at 570-467-3744, Mary Goncalves at 570-874-4307 or Mary Ann Hauser at 570-874-2757.

We continue to seek new members. For consideration for membership, you must be a spouse or child, 18 years of age or older of a Knights of Columbus members and Catholic in good standing with your church. For more information, please contact Carole Syzdek at 570-467-3744.

FATHER'S DAY SPIRITUAL BOUQUET—If you would like to remember your father, grandfather, uncle or any man in your life, there are envelopes in the vestibule. Just complete and put in the collection basket. The intentions will be placed on the altar for the month of June.

ST. JOSEPH the WORKER PARISH UPCOMING EVENTS

**June 1—Friends of St. Joseph the Worker Parish Meeting
in Social Room on Line Street 6:00 p.m.**

June 2—Adoration 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. SA Church location.

**June 4—First Saturday Mass in St. Ann location
at 8:30 a.m. (last one in Frackville for 2022)**

June 5— Allelu during 11 a.m. Mass

SAVE THE DATES of Tuesday, August 2 and Wednesday, August 3 at 5:00 p.m. in the grove for set up for the Annual Festival. The more people that help the easier and more quickly we can complete the set up.

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER ANNUAL PARISH FESTIVAL

We will be hosting our Annual Parish Festival on Friday, August 5 and Saturday, August 6, 2022.

The **Annual Raffle tickets** have been mailed. We ask that you kindly sell or purchase the 15 raffle tickets. If you need more or do not receive them, please call the Parish Office 570-874-0610 ext. 4. With the tickets, will be a letter with info and a place to fill out if you would like to become a **Sponsor (minimum \$25)**. This helps to defray the cost of items that must be purchased for the Festival. Each sponsorship will be published in the weekend bulletin. We will also be having our **Themed Basket Auction** and would like to have as many baskets as possible. If you feel you are not good at putting together a basket, you can simply purchase a gift card. All baskets/gift cards may be dropped off at the Parish Office.

Sign up sheets for working at the Parish Festival will soon be in the vestibule of the church. Please fill in where and when you would like to work. We cannot rely on only a few....please make time to do your part.

A list of items that can be donated for the Festival will be on the bulletin board and also in the bulletin. These items may be dropped off at the Parish Office or vestibule of church.

Please show your support for our Parish by helping in whatever way you can to make our Parish Festival a success. Thank you!

If you have any questions, please contact the Parish Office.

**Your continued support and love your for your
Parish is greatly appreciated.**

LIST OF ITEMS THAT MAY BE DONATED FOR THE FESTIVAL:

Cases of soda (Pepsi, Coke, Sprite, or diet of these varieties). Paper towels, napkins, dishwashing detergent, ketchup, and mustard. Please drop off at Parish Office during normal business hours or in the vestibule of the Church.

FRIENDS OF ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER continue to meet every Thursday at 6:30 p.m. in the St. Ann Church location to pray the rosary. We encourage you to join us.

We have the special intention of peace in the Ukraine but now we are adding more intentions. We would like to pray for your special intentions, as well. To add your intentions, please call Kathy Stettis at 570-874-1499. We will pray for your intention the following Thursday.



REMEMBER YOU CAN WATCH WEEKEND MASS ON FR. MILLER'S YOUTUBE PAGE. IT IS LIVE STREAMED AT 4:00 or 5:30 P.M SATURDAYS. (THERE MAY BE EXCEPTIONS TO THESE TIMES)

PARISH NEWS

A GATHERING FOR FR. BRIAN MILLER

We will have a gathering on Sunday, June 19 after the 11:00 a.m. Mass in the Hall located Behind the St. Ann Church location to wish Fr. Miller blessings and best wishes on his new assignment. Light refreshments will be served. Please plan to attend.



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@mariancatholichs.org or call 570-467-3335 ext. 116

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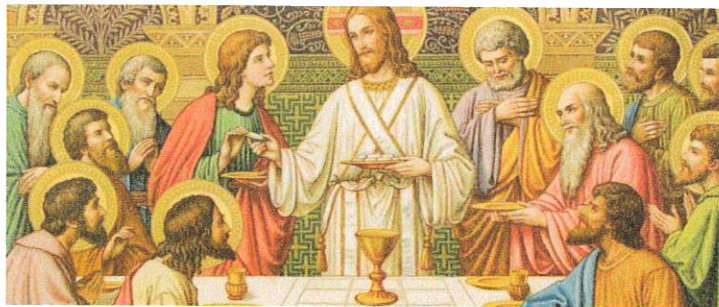
SWAHILI CATHOLIC MASS

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

**2022--ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER
ANNUAL PARISH FESTIVAL
SPONSOR SHEET**

NAME:

Larry and Anna May Domalakes	\$150.00
Friends of St. Joseph the Worker Parish	\$25.00
In memory of Pete Miernicki	\$100.00
Curt and Jen Ziegmont and Family	\$50.00
Valerie and John Bukowski	\$25.00
In memory of Michael Kastroba by Dolores	\$25.00
Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Vebrosky	\$25.00
Pizza Place	\$25.00
Mary Lou Michaels	\$25.00
T. Szott	\$25.00
Irene Chaya	\$25.00
In memory of Ann Berencsi	\$100.00
Elizabeth (Betty) Niedzwiecki	\$25.00
In memory of Thomas J. Pacenta by wife, Marie	\$25.00
Mary Anne Little	\$25.00
In memory of the Ross and Kulesza Families by M/M Cyril Ross	\$25.00
In memory of Rich Kemmery by wife, Kathy and Family	\$25.00
In memory of Steve and Pauline Plasksia by Paula (Plasksia) Fronczak	\$25.00
In memory of Edward and Julia Fronczak by Walter Fronczak	\$25.00
Hon. and Mrs. John E. Domalakes	\$100.00
Lou and Liz Welikonich	\$25.00

St. Joseph the Worker Parish Festival

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 5, 2022 FROM 3 TO 10 P.M.
KITCHEN CLOSSES @ 9 PM**

SAKES ALIVE - 7 TO 10 PM

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 6, 2022 FROM 12 NOON TO 11 PM
KITCHEN CLOSSES 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**