

# ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER PARISH

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**Father Robert Finlan, M.Div., M.A., M.Ed.**

**Pastor**



*Saint Joseph the Worker*

## PARISH OFFICE

Seven South Broad Mountain Avenue  
Frackville, PA 17931

Telephone: (570) 874-0610—Fax: (570) 874-0969

Mass Schedule: Ext. 5, Parish Office: Ext. 1, Parish Secretary Ext. 4

Confessions/Adoration Ext. 7, Holy Days Ext. 6,

Bookkeeper Ext. 3

In case of emergency, dial Ext. 8 for immediate response

Email: [frackvillerc3@verizon.net](mailto:frackvillerc3@verizon.net)

Parish web site: [www.frackvillecatholic.org](http://www.frackvillecatholic.org)

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday: 8:30 AM-3:30 PM

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. Judith Kathleen Knowlton, Principal

233 West Cherry Street, Shenandoah, PA 17976

Telephone: (570) 462-3927,

[www.TrinityMatters.com](http://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](http://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](http://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](http://www.stjosephctr.com)

## St. Joseph Parish Complex Locations

49 North Line Street

37 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.

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.victimassistance@allentowndiocese.org](mailto:www.victimassistance@allentowndiocese.org)

## DIOCESAN SAFE ENVIRONMENT COORDINATOR:

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

Phone: (610) 332-0442, Ext. 19

[mcole@allentowndiocese.org](mailto: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](http://www.allentowndiocese.org) & click on "**Youth Protection**" in the upper right hand corner of the page.

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# FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## JULY 16, 2017

### WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS all Masses at St. Ann complex unless noted

#### Saturday, July 15, 2017

5:00 PM Walter Borzok requested by CCD Teachers

#### Sunday, July 16

8:30 AM Joseph & Amelia Recla requested by Joseph & Mary Jane Recla

10:00 AM Marilyn Hudack requested by Joe & Ann  
**ABVM** Vebrosky

11:30 AM Fred Kushawarra requested by M/M Steven Rennick

#### Monday, July 17

8:05 AM Marge Borzok requested by Family

#### Tuesday, July 18

8:05 am Geraldine Wolfe requested by Anthony & Brophy Families

#### Wednesday, July 19

8:05 AM Bernard Brutto requested by Betty Ann Bugden & Staff

#### Thursday, July 20

8:05 AM Andrew Martin requested by Carol Brinsko

#### Friday, July 21

8:05 AM **NO MASS**

#### Saturday, July 22

5:00 PM Marie Pelko Haas requested by Will Pelko

#### Sunday, July 23

8:30 AM Connie & "Cam" Cameron requested by Family

10:00 AM Susan Berezwick requested by Mary F. Zack and Family  
**ABVM**

11:30 AM Mary Stank requested by M/M Charles Thomas of St. Clair

#### 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.

#### HOMBOUND PARISHIONERS

If you know someone who is homebound or temporarily unable to attend Mass and would like to receive Communion on a monthly basis, please contact our Parish Office and we will set up a visit from one of our Eucharistic Ministers. Parish Office number is 570-874-0610.

### CANDLE MEMORIALS

#### SAINT JOSEPH the WORKER PARISH

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 as a memorial for Edward Sklaris from his sweetheart, Mary.

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

The **Vigil Light at the Statue of St. Ann** burns in memory of John & Arlene Davis requested 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 Arcuri requested by wife, Kathleen.

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

The **Sanctuary Lamp** burns for a Special Intention.

#### WEEKLY CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:15 p.m. and Sunday: 8:05 a.m.

#### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

##### **Chapel & Youth Center**

at 27 South Broad Mountain Avenue, Frackville.

**TIME: Monday through Friday from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m.**

The Divine Mercy Chaplet will be said at 3:00 p.m.

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.

#### HOLY HOUR

The Pro-Life Holy Hour takes place the **second** Sunday of every month at 5:00 p.m. in the former Annunciation BVM Convent.

#### ST. JOSEPH PARISH

##### WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

**Sunday, July 2, 2017: \$7,270.25**

**Second Collection: July 2, 2017: \$285.50**

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

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#### PARISH DONATIONS ON LINE

SECURE ONLINE DONATIONS— did you know that you can now use your credit card or PayPal account to make Secure Online Donations to St. Joseph the Worker Parish through our website ([www.frackvillecatholic.org](http://www.frackvillecatholic.org)). Just look for the **"Donate"** button directly beneath the Mass Schedule.

# PARISH NEWS

## NOVENA TO ST. ANN

The novena to St. Ann will begin on Tuesday, July 18 through and including July 26. There will be Mass on **Wednesday, July 26**, the Feast of Sts. Joachim and Anne, at 7:00 p.m. in the St. Ann's Church. There will be no morning Mass on Wednesday, July 26. Please come and celebrate this Feast Day.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #2580 — HOAGIE SALE

The Knights of Columbus will be having their monthly hoagie sale on **Thursday, July 27, 2017**. Hoagies come in a variety of configurations and may be ordered by calling **Joe Recla at 570-874-1673** on or before July 24, 2017. Cost is \$4.50 and for pick up only in the former St. Ann Pre School on July 27. The Knights of Columbus thank you for supporting this fund raiser.

## TRINITY ACADEMY HAS JOB OPENINGS

Employment opportunity: teaching position available at Trinity Academy beginning the 2017-2018 School Year. It is departmentalized—Grades 5 & 6 Language Arts, Grades 5 & 6 Reading, Grade 6 Religion, Grade 7 Social Studies, Grade 6 Homeroom. Those interested should send resume, attention Sue Klinger, Trinity Academy School, 233 West Cherry Street, Shenandoah, PA 17976 on or before July 2, 2017. Teacher application and other pertinent information is available on the Diocesan website: [www.allentowndiocese.org](http://www.allentowndiocese.org) at the bottom of this page there is a blue bar, click on **employment** and scroll down until you see Schuylkill County. Sister Judith Knowlton will be recuperating at Camilla Hall and not returning to Trinity Academy as principal. The new principal is Sister Margaret McCullough. Sister will be arriving in early August. Until that time, direct questions to Miss Sue Klinger, 570-462-3927. St. Teresa of Calcutta Pre School is relocating to Trinity Academy. We are thrilled to have Pre School return to Trinity. Mrs. Sharon Tobin will join us as Pre School teacher. Particulars about Pre School will be announced as soon as possible. Call the office to register your four year olds. (570-462-3927).

ADVANCEMENT DIRECTOR—to plan coordinate, manage, and execute marketing, enrollment and fundraising programs. This is a full time, 12 month position. The Advancement Director will have the following responsibilities: enrollment management, development, marketing, communications and strategic planning. This position reports to the Principal and serves as the liaison to the Board of Limited Jurisdiction. Bachelor's Degree preferred with 2-4 years experience in enrollment, development, sales, marketing or a related field. Must be willing to work some nights & weekends. Please see our website [trinitymatters.com](http://trinitymatters.com) for complete job description. Interested candidates should email a cover letter, current resume & salary requirements by July 14, 2017. to [kzagrosky@trinitymatters.com](mailto:kzagrosky@trinitymatters.com) or mail to: Trinity Academy, 233 West Cherry Street, Shenandoah, PA 17976.

## MID-SUMMER FESTIVAL

St. John's Church in Pottsville will host its **MID-SUMMER FESTIVAL on Saturday, July 15 from 5 to 9:30 p.m. on the parish grounds** at 9th and Schuylkill Avenue in Pottsville. Great food, varied games of chance, children and teen games, Pot Luck Stand, Theme Baskets and "*Splash the Clown*", balloon making, face painting, and much, much more. Music each night, shaded seating area...come and join the fun!!!



## ST. JOSEPH the WORKER PARISH UPCOMING EVENTS

**July 18**—Meeting in Social Room for upcoming event at 6:00 p.m. (See below)

**July 18**—Festival Meeting in St. Ann Social Room at 6:30 p.m.

## 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.

## MEETING FOR THE UPCOMING GRANDPARENT/GRANDCHILD EVENT

A special grandparent/grandchild event is being planned for **Saturday, September 16**. Grandparents and grandchildren will be invited to attend mass together and then join us in the large parish hall for a light dinner and a special evening of Bingo. There is a planning meeting scheduled for Tuesday, July 18 at 6:00 p.m. in the social room at 34 North Line Street. Everyone is welcome to attend the meeting and assist with the planning. *For info, contact Carolyn Tenaglia via email ([carolyntenaglia@yahoo.com](mailto:carolyntenaglia@yahoo.com)) or by phone 570-874-2093.*

## ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER ANNUAL FESTIVAL 2017

Become a sponsor—Minimum \$25.00. This helps to defray the cost of items needed for the Festival. Also, please let us know when and where you would like to volunteer your time during the Festival. *We need all ages and types of workers for the Festival*. Sign up sheets are in the back of the St. Ann Church. We will also have our Themed Basket Auction in the Social Room of the St. Ann Church—start thinking now about a new theme and work with a friend or other family members to put together a basket. Value of the basket should be at least \$25.00. If we work together as a Parish Family we can accomplish great things. If you have any questions, please contact the Parish Office at 570-874-0610. **Dates of the picnic are:**

**Friday, August 4, Saturday, August 5 and Sunday, August 5**



## PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN PROGRAM

If you plan to volunteer within the Diocese of Allentown, for your parish, etc. you need to take the Protecting God's Children Program which is being offered (**Free**) at **St. Patrick's Center in Pottsville on July 31, 2017 at 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.** Call to register at 570-622-1802. **This is for all volunteers over the age of 18 years.** You will receive a certificate when completed. You will need to show this certificate prior to volunteering. Thank you.

## EASTERN & CENTRAL EUROPE COLLECTION

This week, our second collection will be for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. Your donation today helps restore the Church and build the future in 20 countries, many of which still struggle to recover in the aftermath of Soviet rule. Funds from this collection help support reconstruction, education, formation, and poverty outreach. For more info, please visit: [www.usccb.org/ccee](http://www.usccb.org/ccee). Thank you for your generosity.

## 2017 FESTIVAL SUPPLY DONATIONS

9 INCH PAPER PLATES

6 INCH PAPER PLATES

NAPKINS

ALUMINUM FOIL (12 INCH)

PAPER TOWELS

DISH DETERGENT

BOTTLED WATER

KETCHUP

SODA ONLY PEPSI & COKE PRODUCTS (COKE, DIET COKE, SPRITE, PEPSI, DIET PEPSI, 7-UP)

PLEASE DEPOSIT DONATIONS IN MARKED BINS IN VESTIBULE OF CHURCH OR DROP OFF AT PARISH OFFICE.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION.

## **2017 ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER**

### **FESTIVAL SPONSORS**

**NAME:**

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Vebrosky	\$25.00
Elizabeth Niedzwiecki	\$25.00
In memory of Lisa Hepler	\$25.00
In memory of Molly Maguire--Beth & Charlie Becker	\$50.00
Domalakes Insurance	\$100.00
In memory of Kevin, Ed and John Holleran from Clare	\$150.00
John Cooney	\$25.00
Mary Lou Michaels	\$25.00
Teresa Szott	\$25.00
In memory of Joseph Arcuri by Kathleen Arcuri	\$35.00
Vinski Family -- In memory of Bernie Vinski	\$25.00
In memory of Rose Marie Kergick	\$25.00
Tom, Mary Ellen and Seth Lowe	\$25.00
Mary Posack and Daughters	\$25.00
Helen Miernicki, Realtor-- Realty World-We Get Results	\$100.00
Dolores Wasilewski	\$25.00
M/M Curt Ziegmont & Family	\$25.00
In memory of Ann Berencsi	\$300.00
Pizza Place	\$25.00
William Cickavage	\$50.00
Duke Tomko	\$35.00
In memory of Rosemary Tomko	\$50.00
In loving memory of Charles Yonalunas requested by Wife, Daughters and Families	\$100.00
In memory of Deacon Joseph Costa	\$25.00
In memory of Tom Pacenta by wife, Marie	\$25.00
Tom and Marianne Biscoe	\$25.00
Mary Therese Bernadyn	\$25.00
Joe & Judy Kovach	\$25.00
In memory of Kathleen Moran by Jack Moran	\$25.00
Robert J. & Erma D. Zelechowski	\$25.00
"The Deebel Family"	\$25.00
John & Tina Smolock	\$50.00
John & Lisa Tarson	\$25.00
In memory of Freiler & Lindenmuth Families	\$25.00
Gerald C and Kathleen Campomizzi	\$40.00
Joseph Sadowski	\$50.00
Monahan Family	\$50.00
In memory of Hubert & Catherine Wolfe by daughter, Regina	\$25.00
In memory of our grandson, Edward M. Wascavage	\$25.00

**ANYONE CAN BE A SPONSOR MINIMUM IS \$25.00 FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE  
CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE AT 570-874-0610. THANK YOU TO ALL OF OUR SPONSORS.**

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**FESTIVAL SPONSORS**



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**NAME:**

Dave & Cindy Leibig	\$25.00
Thomas and Francis Gaughan	\$25.00
Irene and Joe Chaya	\$25.00
Hon. and Mrs. John Domalakes	\$50.00
Charlie & Mary Ann Hauser	\$25.00
Joe, Tracy, Owen & Evan Yutko	\$25.00
In memory of M/M Edward Fronczak & M/M Stephen Plaskia by Walter & Paula Fronczak	\$25.00
In memory of Joseph Meade from Dorothy & Family	\$25.00
Tony & Carolyn Tenaglia & Family	\$25.00
Frank & Jean Kenesky	\$50.00
Ashland Downtown Motors LLC (The Gownleys)	\$50.00
Valerie & John Bukowski	\$25.00
Mrs. Eva Ladick	\$40.00
Joe & MaryEllen Bane & Family	\$50.00
Dianne Decker	\$50.00
Betty Lou Decker	\$30.00
Mr. John O'Connor	\$200.00
In memory of Peg Chaklos	\$50.00
Stephen & Antoinette Wonchalk	\$25.00
Pam & Edward Chizauskie	\$25.00
Capone Family	\$25.00
The Kemmery Family	\$25.00
In memory of Wapinsky & Homa Families by Dolores Wapinsky	\$25.00
The Little Family	\$25.00
In loving memory of Bernard M. Brutto by Tanya Brutto & Family	\$25.00
Mary Lou and Jim Barry	\$25.00
Claire Dura	\$25.00
In memory of Joseph V. Gudonis & Paul B. Kowalick, Sr.	\$25.00
Joseph & Irene Kamarousky	\$25.00
Mary & Joe Kostingo	\$25.00
In memory of Rich Hartz & Cori Kushwarra by Bob & Marianna Hartz	\$25.00
John & Barb Petrus	\$25.00
Charles McElhenny	\$25.00
Carole and Frank Syzdek	\$50.00
John and Martha Bozena	\$25.00
Rosemarie F. Grubb	\$25.00
Frank & Mary Mekailek	\$25.00
In memory of Raymond O'Donnell	\$25.00
Adam F and Linda Sedar	\$25.00
In memory of Andy Gergal - Love, Marge, Scott & Family	\$25.00
Rick's Refrigeration & Heating, Inc.	\$100.00
Joseph & Mary Jane Recla	\$25.00
In memory of Muñoz Family by Mike & Eve Macker	\$25.00

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### FESTIVAL SPONSORS

**NAME:**

In memory of deceased members of the Wislosky & Sajone Families	\$50.00
Joanne Pleva	\$25.00
Bob and Christine Steiff	\$50.00
Betty Luciani	\$50.00
Jon, Diana and Genny Lightstone	\$25.00
Paul and Bev Treshock and Family	\$25.00
Deceased of Kost and Stetts Families	\$50.00
In memory of Hede & Collins Families	\$25.00
Marianne K. O'Connor	\$125.00
Ed and Lynda Halaburda	\$25.00
John and Sharon Chrin	\$25.00
Osilka Family	\$25.00
In memory of our parents requested by Shirley & Dorothy	\$25.00
Tony and Terri Reilly	\$25.00
Broad Mountain Landscaping	\$50.00
In memory of the Collins Family	\$100.00
Knights of Columbus #2580	\$500.00

**47TH ANNUAL SUMMER PICNIC**—The Men of Marian cordially invites everyone to the 47th Annual Summer Picnic of the school's booster organization. The event will be held at the Marian High School property in Hometown. A huge flea market will be a part of the picnic. Plenty of traditional foods, games, prizes. Refreshments and entertainment. **Friday, Saturday & Sunday, July 28, 29 from 5—10 p.m. and Sunday, July 30 from 4 to 9 p.m.** Friday, July 28—"Jean & American Dream", Saturday, July 29—"Nite Flyte" and Sunday music by "The Tones". For more info, contact Development Office 570-467-0641 or 570-582-0021.

**FREE HOT MEAL EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM 4:00 TO 4:30 P.M. IN THE  
REA OF BALLIET AND CHESTNUT STREETS, FRACKVILLE.**

***IF A PRENATAL DIAGNOSIS IDENTIFIES A POSSIBLE DISABILITY... 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 a poor prenatal diagnosis. For support, contact: Sr. Janice Marie Johnson, [jjohnson@allentowndiocese.org](mailto:jjohnson@allentowndiocese.org) or 610-289-8900 ext. 42.

### THOUGHT OF THE DAY

"If you wish to go to extremes, let it be in sweetness, patience, humility and charity." —St. Philip Neri

