

St. Joseph the Worker Parish

FATHER GIUSEPPE C. ESPOSITO, M.DIV., M.A.

PASTOR

Deacon John M. Sutter

SAINT

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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

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

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

JOSEPH
THE WORKER

PARISH OFFICE

Seven South Broad Mountain Avenue
Frackville, PA 17931-1800

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

Ext. 4--Parish Secretary;

Ext. 5--Mass Schedule;

Ext. 6--Holy Day Mass Schedule;

Ext. 7--Confession/Adoration Schedule;

Email: frackvillerc3@verizon.net

Parish web site: www.stjoesfrackville.com

PARISH REGISTRATION AND SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

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

ST. JOSEPH COMPLEX LOCATIONS

49 North Line Street &

33 South Broad Mountain Avenue

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.

302 Randel Street, Schuylkill Haven, PA 17972

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

www.stjosephctr.com

SACRAMENTS

Sacrament of Baptism- The sacrament of Baptism will be celebrated on Sundays after 11:00 a.m. Mass. 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

wkrisak@allentowndiocese.org

www.victimassistance@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.

THE THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 27, 2024



Saturday, October 26, 2024

5:30 PM Russell Brobst requested by Kraft Family
SJWP

Sunday, October 27

8:00 AM Deceased of Mohutsky & Malloy Families
SJWP & Nolan and Quinn requested by Dave & Melissa Malloy

11:00 AM Alice Oshman requested by Husband and
SJWP Children

Monday, October 28

8:30 AM Albert "Pork" Conapinski requested by
SJWP Mike Kost

Tuesday, October 29

8:30 AM **NO MASS**
SJWP

Wednesday, October 30

8:30 AM Carol Hubosky requested by Mary Lou
SJWP & Ed Michaels
 Adoration after Mass until 12 noon

Thursday, October 31

(Vigil Mass - All Saints Day-Holy Day of Obligation)

6:00 PM John J. O'Connor requested by Michelle
SJWP & Andy Smarkanic
 Adoration from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Friday, November 1

(All Saints Day—Holy Day of Obligation)

8:30 AM Mass at St. Charles Borromeo,
 Ashland

Saturday, November 2 (All Souls Day)

8:30 a.m. For all the Souls in Purgatory
SJWP Cemetery

5:30 PM Kull & Chrin Families requested by John
SJWP & Sharon Chrin

Sunday, November 3

8:00 AM Betty Luciani requested by Mike Kost
SJWP

11:00 AM Bob Gownley requested by John & Tina
SJWP Smolock



CANDLE OFFERINGS



The Vigil Light at the statue of the Sacred Heart burns for CCJJJ by Family.

The Vigil Light at the statue of the Blessed Mother burns in memory of John & Arlene Davis by Darlene & Dennis.

The Vigil Light at the statue of the Blessed Mother burns in memory of Florence Sienkiewicz by Family.

The Vigil Light at the Statue of St. Joseph burns in memory of Michael Kastroba by Chris.

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 the Kluss Family requested by El and Dol.

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

The Sanctuary Lamp burns for safety & blessings for Max by Mom, Dad and Toni.

WEEKLY CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:10 to 5:25 p.m. (SJWP)

Sunday: 7:45 to 7:55 a.m. (SJWP)

The St. Joseph the Worker Parish will be open Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. except Thursdays it is open until 4:00 p.m. for those that want to visit and spend time with our Lord.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Please remember that we have Eucharistic Adoration Wednesday after Mass until 12 noon and Thursday from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. in the St. Ann Church location. Please schedule some time with our Lord. Holidays and various other dates.....times may differ. The Church is open daily from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Vigil Lights \$9.00/week and Sanctuary Lamp \$12.00/week
 If you would like to reserve a candle, just please call the office or place request and money in the collection basket.

WEEKLY SUNDAY COLLECTION

October 6, 2024 — \$4751.55

Latin American Collection — \$423.85

Thank you for your continued support of your Parish and other collections.

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CEMETERY WEBSITE

Visit the newly refurbished cemetery website. It includes Annunciation BVM and St. Joseph Cemeteries. 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 website to find the link.

Parish website: www.stjoesfrackville.com

510-874-0610 ext. 4

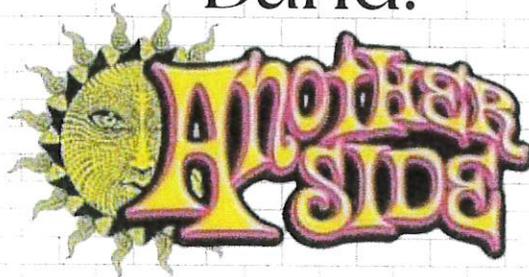
Fall Roofstock



2024



Band:



Saturday, November 16, 2024 ~ 7 to 11 p.m.

St. Joseph the Worker Parish Hall (Annunciation BVM)
Nine South Broad Mountain Avenue, Frackville, PA

Advanced Tickets: \$10

At the door: \$15

Refreshments and adult beverages will be available for purchase

Must be 21 years or older



Remembrance Day

for both St. Charles Borromeo and
St. Joseph the Worker

Date:

Tuesday, November 12, 2024
6 p.m.

Location:

St. Charles Borromeo Parish
Ashland, PA



Anyone that would like a memorial gift for someone they have lost in the last year, kindly text Tim from the Sullivan Funeral Home at 570-573-4288 with their loved one's information and picture.

PARISH NEWS

Ministry Schedule—November 2—3 St. Joseph the Worker Parish

SERVERS:

Saturday, November 2

5:30 p.m. Janelle and Jacob Ziegmont

Sunday, November 3

8:00 a.m. Rocco and Lucia Sanfilippo

11:00 a.m. Maria, Mark and Matt Monahan

LECTORS:

Saturday, November 2

5:30 p.m. Marlene Borzok

Sunday, November 3

8:00 a.m. Joe Babatsky

11:00 a.m. Peggy Fetterolf

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS:

Saturday, November 2

5:30 p.m. Carolyn Tenaglia **Choir:** Marlene Borzok

Sunday, November 3

8:00 a.m. Joe Babatsky **Choir:** Bernard Bruni

Nursing Home: Bill Rowan

11:00 a.m. Maggie Scherer **Choir:** Any EM Available

NURSING HOME EM —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.

ALL SAINTS DAY (Holy Day of Obligation)

MASS TIME/LOCATIONS:

Thursday, October 31, 2024

SJWP—Frackville 6:00 p.m. (a change from schedule)

Server: Helena Jacobs

Lector: Larry Domalakes

EM: Maggie Scherer **Choir:** Larry Domalakes

SCB, Ashland 8:30 a.m.

Friday, November 1, 2024

ALL SOULS DAY MASS

Saturday, November 2, 2024

Time: 8:30 a.m.

Location: St. Joseph the Worker Cemetery, Frackville

(bring your own chairs—If inclement weather, Mass will be celebrated at SJWP.)

SECOND COLLECTION—This year we will continue to raise money for community Thanksgiving dinner from Holy Apostles Church in St. Clair. We will be baking and donating pumpkin pies for those in need of a Thanksgiving meal. In order to offset costs and assist with donating toward the dinners, a **second collection will be taken this weekend October 26/27**. More information will follow if anyone is in need of a meal on Thanksgiving.

If all costs are offset the surplus of monetary donations will be given to the Thanksgiving Community Dinner being held on November 24 in the Parish Hall. You need to register for a dinner/information. Email frackvillecares@gmail.com or call/text Wendy at 570-617-9085.

ST. JOSEPH the WORKER PARISH

October 30—Pick up hoagie orders between 3 & 5:30 in Social Room on Line Street.

November 3—Kid's Choir 5:00 to 5:45 p.m. in BVM Church

November 3—PREP at 6:00 to 7:30 p.m.

November 6—Adoration after Mass until 12 noon

November 7—Adoration from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

November 1—Office Closed in observance of All Saints Day

TEXT ALERTS—Anyone that would like to be notified of a change in Mass or cancellations due to weather and other unforeseen events, kindly text @stjosephfr to 81010. This is for anyone who has not yet signed up for **Remind**. When Father needs to change anything you will be notified on your cell phone by a text message.

Join Us for
*Advent Wreath
Making*

Pre-registration
is required by:
Nov 19th



Saturday,
November
30th
9:30 AM

\$20 Includes all supplies

Families and Individuals Welcome
Parish Hall 9 South Broad Mountain Ave Frackville
Register Today!
Call the Parish Office
570-874-0610 or Sign up in the Church Vestibule

In order to prepare for Advent, we will be having an Advent Wreath Making Workshop on Saturday, November 30th at 9:30 a.m. in the Parish Hall. Wreaths take about an hour to make. This is a great opportunity for both families & individuals to make an Advent wreath to take home as we prepare our hearts for Christmas. Cost will be \$20 which includes a base, candles, live greenery, and an Advent Wreath Prayer to be used throughout the season. Please bring clipping shears with you. Please call the Parish Office 570-874-0610 ext. 4 or sign up in the church vestibule to register no later than November 19th. **PRE-REGISTRATION IS A MUST!!!**

ST. NICHOLAS SCHOOL MINERSVILLE—hosting the 24th Annual Basket Auction Sunday, November 3 at St. Nicholas Hall, Primrose. Great Prizes...Great Food!!!

Shop & Drop: Thursday 10/31 from 4 to 7 p.m.

Friday 11/1 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Saturday, 11/2 from 4 to 7 p.m., and

Sunday, 11/3 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

Tickets pulled at 1:00 p.m. Kitchen open Friday evening, Saturday and Sunday. More info call 570-544-2800.

Hope to see you there!

BUY YOUR TICKETS NOW AND SAVE!!!

Fall Roofstock 2024 Dance

BAND

ANOTHER SIDE

Saturday, November 16 from 7 to 11 p.m. in St. Joseph the Worker Parish Hall (Annunciation BVM)
Nine South Broad Mountain Avenue, Frackville, PA

Advance tickets \$10.00 and at the door \$15.00

Tickets will be available after Masses and in the Parish Office.

Food and beverages will be available for purchase.

Must be 21 years of age or older.

(tickets are on sale after Masses and also available in the Parish Office)

BECAUSE WE ARE CATHOLIC

DAILY MASS WITH BISHOP SCHLERT

Monday, October 28 at 6:00 p.m. at St. Theresa of Calcutta Church, Mahanoy City, PA 17948

REMEMBRANCE DAY MASS FOR BOTH ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER & ST. CHARLES BORROMEO

Day: Tuesday, November 12, 2024

Time: 6:00 p.m.

Location: St. Charles Borromeo, Ashland

Anyone wanting a memorial gift for someone they have lost in the past year,
kindly contact Tim from Sullivan Funeral Homes by texting him at 570-573-4288.

Leave your loved one's name and information along with a picture.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY 2024

On behalf of the Pontifical Mission Societies, we extend our heartfelt gratitude for your generous support on World Mission Sunday. Your contributions will help sustain the Church's missionary work and bring the light of Christ to those who need it most. Let us continue to pray for our missionaries and the people they serve, and may we always be mindful of our call to be missionaries in our own lives. Thank you.

HOLY FAMILY PARISH OF MINERSVILLE

CITY CHICKEN DINNER—SUNDAY, November 3rd. \$12 includes 3 pieces of City Chicken, mashed potatoes, coleslaw, roll & green beans or corn. Additional city chicken available for \$2 a piece. **This is preorder only sale on or by Sunday, October 27th.**

Please call Rosalie at 570-544-2172 or Jean at 570-640-0140 to place your order

Also they are holding their annual **Turkey Bingo on Sunday, November 10th.** Doors open at 11 a.m. & bingo begins at 1 p.m. at the Parish Center at Hillcrest. This is a great family event as tickets are \$5 for 20 games. There will also be specials, a 50/50 drawing, other prize drawings and the kitchen will be open!!!

Women's Advent Retreat

The Bishop's Commission for Women invites all women of the Diocese to a peaceful morning of community, prayer, and reflection this Advent season. Join us on **Saturday, December 14, 2024**, at St. Francis of Assisi Parish in Allentown from 9:00am - 1:00pm. In honor of the Jubilee Year of Hope, our keynote speaker, Fr. John Frink, will offer a talk on how to find hope through the practice of prayer. Bishop Alfred Schlert will celebrate Mass, and a continental breakfast will be provided. Registration is open until Tuesday, November 26, 2024. Space is limited, so please register early at <https://www.allentowndiocese.org/catholic-life/resources-women/finding-hope-through-prayer>

EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2025 NEW MASS SCHEDULE

CONFESSIONS:

St. Charles Borromeo—Saturday 3:30 to 3:55 p.m.
St. Joseph the Worker—Saturday 5:00 to 5:25 p.m.

St. Charles Borromeo—Sunday 8:30 to 8:55 a.m.

St. Joseph the Worker—Monday 5:10 to 5:25 p.m.

WEEKEND MASSES:

St. Charles Borromeo—Saturday 4:00 p.m.
St. Joseph the Worker—Saturday 5:30 p.m.

St. Charles Borromeo, Sunday 9:00 a.m.

St. Joseph the Worker, Sunday 11:00 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES:

St. Joseph the Worker—Mondays 5:30 p.m., Wednesdays, 8:30 a.m.

St. Charles Borromeo—Tuesdays 8:30 a.m., Fridays 12 noon

Second Annual

FREE Event



Frackville Community Thanksgiving DINNER



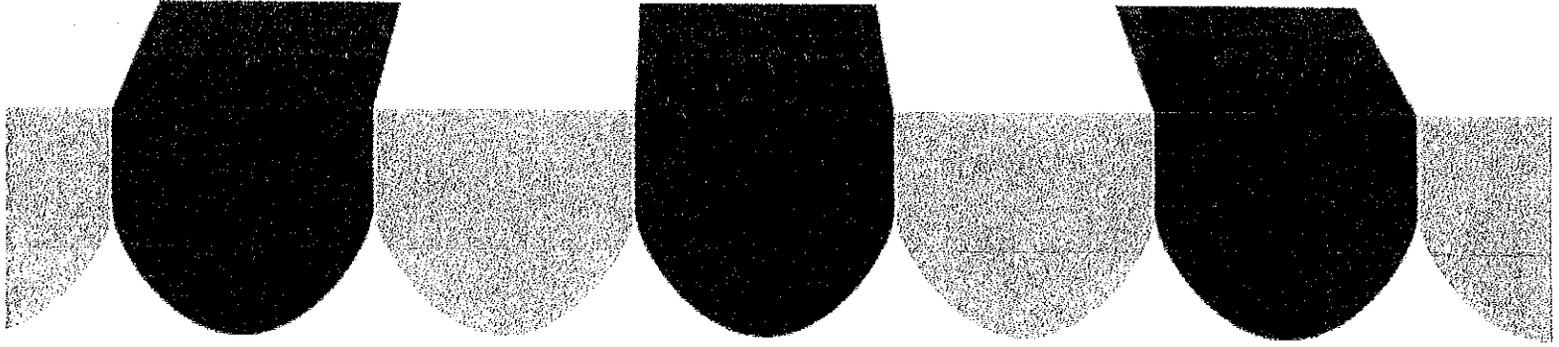
JOIN US FOR GOOD FOOD,
FELLOWSHIP AND TO GIVE THANKS

November | 24 | 3-6pm

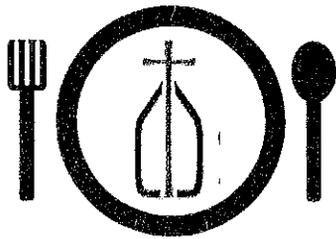
St. Joseph the Worker Parish Hall
9 S. Broad Mnt. Ave. Frackville

Hosted by St. Joseph the Worker Parish &
The Frackville Police Dept.

Please pre-register by e-mail
frackvillecares@gmail.com or call/text
Wendy at 570.617.9085



Catholic Charities
Diocese of Allentown



Community Cafe



**Come hungry and ready
to enjoy a meal on us
from the food truck.**

We can't wait to meet you!



Thursday, November 21, 2024

8 AM to 9:30 AM

**In Partnership with St. Joseph the Worker
Rear 49 North Line Street
Frackville**