



Divine
Mercy

Sunday

Jesus,
I trust
in you.

Saint Joseph the Worker
Bonneauville, Pennsylvania



**ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER CHURCH
MISSION STATEMENT**

We, the members of this Christian Catholic Community of St. Joseph the Worker Church in Bonneauville, Pennsylvania, endeavor to live the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ and practice the teachings of that same Gospel in our worship, our beliefs, what we learn, and the way in which we serve others.

As a Catholic Community of Faith, Hope, & Love, we invite others to join us in our goal of renewal and welcome them into our gospel fellowship.

Mass Intentions

Second Sunday of Easter

Saturday, April 11

4:00 PM – Rosary

4:30 PM – John & Barb Clabaugh

Sunday of Divine Mercy

Sunday – April 12

7:30 AM – Adoration/Rosary

8:00 AM – Int. of Dale & Judy Keller & Family

10:00 AM – Rosary

10:30 AM – People of Parish

1:00 PM – 3:00 PM – Divine Mercy Devotions

Tuesday, April 14

7:30 AM – Adoration/Rosary

8:00 AM – Tony Weaver

Wednesday, April 15

6:30 PM – Adoration/Rosary

7:00 PM – Helen Little

Thursday – April 16

7:30 AM – Adoration/Rosary

8:00 AM – Jim & Rose Hartnett Sr.

Friday – April 17

7:30 AM – Adoration/Rosary

8:00 AM – Julie Eckenrode

Third Sunday of Easter

Saturday, April 18

4:00 PM – Rosary

4:30 PM – Vonnie Orndorff

Sunday – April 19

7:30 AM – Adoration/Rosary

8:00 AM – People of Parish

10:00 AM – Rosary

10:30 AM – Int. of Folk Group

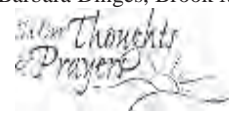


IS ANYONE SICK AMONG YOU?

Please notify **Fr. Benny 717-334-2510** of any parishioner admitted to the hospital. Call the Office to arrange for the Anointing of the sick of the parish.

Barbara Dinges, Brook McMaster, Maureen Johnson, Elizabeth Fetter, Emily Elizabeth Schmidt, Rick Phillips, Michael Clabaugh, Bill Orndorff, Rose Weaver, Kim, Ann, Nancy Myers, Virginia Schriver, Pam Lambert, Wyatt

Esworthy, Lisa Barefoot Waggoner, Mike Shanebrook, Brad Clabaugh, Lorine Schwab, Michael Franek, Don Moser, Dave Weishaar, Raymond McMaster, Betty Clabaugh, Deacon Rich, Rich Faloon, Dale Keller, Shirley Bowman, Marilyn Wells, Jeremy Onorato, Mary Lee Noel, Kathi Barefoot, Cindalee Notich, Elizabeth Weishaar, Kim Beitler, Mary Bechtel Arvin, Darlene Long, Sally Irwin, Jane Irwin Hollabaugh, Mike Farrell, Nora Keller, Rebecca Weaver, Arthur Hammett, Rich Shaffer, Barbara Onorato, Anna Sneeringer, Bob Clabaugh, Helen Sneeringer, Jasmine, Margaret Heintzelman, Dean Drawbaugh, Diana Pfaff and all the rest of our brothers and sisters in need of healing of mind, body and spirit. Please call the parish office to add a name to our prayer list. Help us to keep our list current by letting us know when we may remove a name. **If you would like to be part of the Parish Prayer Line call Lisa Barefoot Waggoner @717-465-7568 for more information.**



SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER or SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY

First Reading: Acts 2:42-47

In the early days of the Church in Jerusalem, the faithful listened intently to the teachings of the apostles. They lived a communal life, sharing all property in common and praying and taking their meals together.

Second Reading: 1 Peter 1:3-9

In this first letter from Peter, he speaks to the Christians with great joy and confidence, reminding them that through Christ's resurrection, they have been given a new birth and are heirs to the kingdom of heaven.

Gospel: John 20:19-31

After his resurrection, Jesus appears to his disciples and gives them the power to forgive sins. Thomas, who is absent, sees Christ later and believes in His resurrection after feeling His wounds. Christ admonishes Thomas by saying, "You became a believer because you saw Me. Blessed are they who have not seen and believed."

PARISH WEBSITE: Scott Staub, our parish website administrator is looking for feedback on a new parish website. We are currently in the planning phase for a new design. Please take a few minutes to give us feedback and ideas for a new website by completing the St. Joseph the Worker Parish Website Survey. The link to the survey can be found on our website's homepage (www.stjosephtheworkerpa.org). Thank you.

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER or SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY

“Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ who in his great mercy gave us a new birth to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled and unfading, kept in heaven for you who by the power of God are safeguarded through faith to a salvation that is ready to be revealed in the final time. In this you rejoice... Although you have not seen him you love him...as you attain the goal of your faith, the salvation of your souls.”

A very long sentence from the pen of Saint Peter, on this Divine Mercy Sunday. As we look back to the events of the passion, death and resurrection, we should, in the words of Peter, keep our eyes ‘fixed on Jesus’, looking forward to the promised gift of salvation. The gift comes to us only through the mercy and love of God. May I repeat the simple prayer of the pilgrim ‘Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the living God, have mercy on me a sinner.’

HIS WORD TODAY

BY REV. WILLIAM J. REILLY

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON
THE SUNDAY READINGS





CCD NEWS
APRIL 11/12, 2026

CCD classes are held from 9:10 am to 10:15 am in the parish center.

May 3rd, Sunday – 10:30 AM – First Communion and May Crowning,

May 17th, Sunday – Last day of CCD

Please contact Steve Arthur 717-465-0097 in regards to any CCD inquiries. Thank you!

400 CLUB

The final drawing will be held on Sunday, April 12th from 12pm until 3 pm. A hot turkey meal will be served until 2pm. Please have your tickets with you. Ticket sellers can pick up their new tickets at that time. **NO CARRY OUTS ALLOWED.** Donations of deserts would be appreciated.

Week 14

137	Toby Myers	Cindy Hartlaub
148	Ann Barbagallo	Tom Gebhart
181	Susie F. Smith	Cindy Hartlaub
199	Rick Staub	Cindy Hartlaub
368	Jackie Walker	Cindy Hartlaub



The Diocesan Annual Campaign "Faithful Stewards"

The Diocesan Annual Campaign We have already raised **\$14,408.00** toward our goal of **\$33,526.00**. By doing our part to give generously to those who are in need and are suffering, we continue to share Christ's love by supporting the mission of the Church through this year's Appeal. **REMINDER: EVERY DOLLAR THAT WE EXCEED OUR GOAL IS REFUNDED TO OUR PARISH, UNRESTRICTED.**



The Parish will be selling discount tickets! Order forms are available in the vestibule of the church. Please drop order forms with payment to the parish office no later than April 17, 2026. Tickets will be available on or before May 18, 2026.

FINANCIAL REPORTS

For the weekend of March 28/29, 2026

Adults		\$2,735.00
Loose		250.00
On-Line Giving		995.00
Total		3,980.00
Budgeted - \$4,160.00	less	180.00
Poor of the Parish		14.00
Easter Flowers		55.00
Catholic Relief		50.00
Easter		350.00

69 of 298 Adults used envelopes

28 Online Giving

For the weekend of April 4/5, 2026

Adults		\$3,749.00
Loose		176.00
On-Line Giving		1,500.00
Total		5,425.00
Budgeted - \$4,160.00	over	1,265.00
Poor of the Parish		150.00
Easter Flowers		15.00
Holy Land		409.00
Easter		5,044.00
Loose		180.00
Online		260.00
Total		5,484.00
Rice Bowl		134.00

62 of 298 Adults used envelopes

37 Online Giving

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENT



Congratulations to the Second Grade students who will make their First Communion on May 3rd. **Addison Bollinger, and Liam Myers.** Please continue to keep them in your prayers.



Congratulations to our Confirmation Candidates, **Rosalyn Barnes, Elizabeth Lawrence, Chase Neumayer, Myles Sponseller, Caroline Raver, Sam Rios, Karson Wolff** who will be confirmed on April 12th by Bishop Ronald Gainer at Sacred Heart Basilica, Hanover. Please continue to keep them in your prayers.

POT PIE DINNERS

Our last potpie dinner until September will be held on Sunday, April 26th from 7 am to until sold out, with take out only. Volunteers are always welcome; the spring raffle will be chanced off at the dinner. If you have raffle tickets sold or unsold please return them in the collection basket.



SAVE THE DATE!!!

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY, April 12 – St. Joseph the Worker will be hosting Divine Mercy Sunday beginning at 1:00 PM

with The Chaplet of the Precious Blood, the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary, Litanies, Reflections and the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00 PM following with veneration of the Divine Mercy Image. There will be no Confessions available due to the Confirmation Class with the Bishop at Sacred Heart Basilica. Please join us for part or all of the day calling upon God’s Mercy, His greatest attribute.

Promises:

Our Lord asked St. Faustina to pray and work towards establishing a Feast of The Divine Mercy on the Sunday after Easter. He told her: *On this day, the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon souls who approach the Fount of My Mercy. The soul that will go to Confession* (can be done before or after the feast day) *and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment.* (Diary, 699). It is a day that would celebrate the paschal mystery with the focus on God’s covenant of mercy. It would be a day of complete forgiveness and pardon, like the day of atonement in the Old Testament (see LV 16) – all our sins and the punishment due to them would be atoned for! In preparation for Divine Mercy Sunday, the Lord asked St. Faustina to make a novena (meaning 9) of prayer from Good Friday to the following Saturday. Our Lord gave St. Faustina a different intention for each of the nine days. Our Lord told her: *I desire that during these nine days you bring souls to the fountain of My mercy, that they may draw there from strength and refreshment and whatever grace they have need of in the hardships of life, and especially at the hour of death.* (Diary, 1209)

St. Vincent's Indoor Yard Sale is at April 18th, 8 a m until 12 Noon. G otwalt Hall, 65 South St. Hanov er 50 Tables o f treasures! Kitchen Open for Breakfast and Lunch, Soup Sale, Bake Sale and Raffle Tables!

Immaculate Conception B.V.M. Church in New Oxford will hold their monthly “Take-Out” Turkey Dinner on April 19th in the Parish Center Cafeteria (located behind the church), from 11:00 AM until 1:30 PM. Cost is \$10.00. Thrift Shop is also open.

Retrouvaille – Hope for a Better Marriage

Does your marriage feel distant, strained, stuck, or even in crisis? Do you look perfect on the outside but are not perfect on the inside? Retrouvaille can help. The Retrouvaille Marriage Program has helped thousands find new hope, better communication, and a deeper connection. Talk to someone now at 717-356-2185 or visit HelpOurMarriage.org

You can have a better marriage. Don't wait.

Our next weekend will be May 1st-3rd, 2026.

Little Squires Club members and their families are invited to our free **Take Me Out to the Ball Game** event on **April 22** at 4 p.m. (weather permitting). Join us for games, snacks, and activities! Watch our varsity Squire baseball and Squirettes softball teams take on Fairfield High School. Stay after the games to meet the players and run the bases!

Not a member of the Little Squires Club yet? Register your PK4 through Third Graders at www.DeloneCatholic.org/LittleSquiresClub.

Delone in the Dark | Calling All 6th–8th Graders!

The Squire Ambassadors invite all local middle schoolers to explore Delone Catholic in a whole new light on **Friday, May 1**, from 6:30–9 p.m. This free event is open to everyone, whether you currently attend a Catholic school or not. Join us for our famous flashlight scavenger hunt, games, crafts, dancing, karaoke, food, and prizes! Admission is free, but please register by **April 24** at DeloneCatholic.org/deloneinthedark. Contact Mr. Andrew Cox at 717-637-5969 ext. 216 or admissions@delonecatholic.org with any questions.

There are still tickets available? To purchase a ticket call Peg Shaffer @ 717 632 6347.





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