

FATHER



Thank you, friend Jesus, for my father who loves me, for my grandfather who cares for me and for God, my eternal father, who made me and is always with me. How blessed I am! Amen

**Saint Joseph the Worker
Bonneauville, Pennsylvania**



TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ✕ JUNE 21, 2026

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

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, June 20

Catholic Communication Campaign

4:00 PM – Rosary

4:30 PM – Francis & Patricia Shanebrook

Sunday – June 21 – Father's Day

7:30 AM – Adoration/Rosary

8:00 AM – Bob Clabaugh Sr.

10:00 AM – Rosary

10:30 AM – People of the Parish



Tuesday, June 23

7:30 AM – Rosary

8:00 AM – Vonnie Orndorff

Wednesday, June 24

6:30 PM – Rosary

7:00 PM – Helen Little

Thursday – June 25

7:30 AM – Rosary

8:00 AM – Int. Msgr. Edward Filardi

Friday – June 26

7:30 AM – Rosary

8:00 AM – Int. of Fr. Benny & Seven Sisters

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, June 27

4:00 PM – Rosary

4:30 PM – Bob Weaver

Sunday – June 28

7:30 AM – Adoration/Rosary

8:00 AM – Int. of Rosemarie (Gebhart) Herman
& Family

10:00 AM – Rosary

10:30 AM – People of the Parish



Starting July 4th we will have Mass on Saturday mornings at 8:00 AM.

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, 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, Bob Dempsey, Annette Farrell Kennedy, 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.**



TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Jeremiah 20:10-13

Because the prophet Jeremiah foretold disaster for Jerusalem, he was denounced. But Jeremiah trusted in the Lord and overcame his persecutors.

Second Reading: Romans 5:12-15

Paul explains to the Romans that Adam's sin brought death to all, but Christ's gift of himself brought grace and life.

Gospel: Matthew 10:26-33

In authoritative and encouraging words, Jesus urges the apostles to fear nothing -- only him who can destroy the soul. Telling them "every hair of your head has been counted," he promises that "Whoever acknowledges me before men I will acknowledge before my Father in heaven."



This weekend, we will be taking up the collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign. Your

support helps the CCC connect with people to Christ, in the United States and around the world, through the internet, television, radio, and print media. Half of the funds we collect remain here in the Diocese of Harrisburg, to support local efforts. Be a part of this campaign to spread the Gospel message. Support the collection! To learn more, visit www.usccb.org/ccp.

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“For if by the transgression of the one the many died, how much more did the grace of God and the gracious gift of the one man Jesus Christ overflow for the many....Sing to the Lord, praise the Lord, for he has rescued the life of the poor from the power of the wicked.”

How beautifully St. Paul weaves together two truly essential elements. He speaks of grace, God’s gift of His very self, His life dwelling in us, and he refers to it as a gift, something not earned but available for us at this very moment. But even more, overflowing for us. We are reminded to seek, to ask for it.

For this reason we turn to Jeremiah, praising God for His effort in our behalf.

HIS WORD TODAY

BY REV. WILLIAM J. REILLY

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON
THE SUNDAY READINGS

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God

FINANCIAL REPORTS

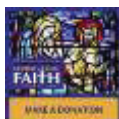
For the weekend of June 13/14, 2026

Adults	\$2,778.00
Loose	172.00
On-Line Giving	1,570.00
Total	4,520.00
Budgeted - \$4,160.00 over	360.00
Poor of the Parish	120.00
Father's Day	60.00

**62 of 298 Adults used envelopes
28 Online Giving**

**Next second collection is "Catholic
Communication Campaign" the weekend of
June 21/22, 2026**

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENT



**The Diocesan Annual Campaign
"Faithful Stewards"**

**The Diocesan Annual Campaign We have
already raised \$22,628.00 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.****

400 CLUB Week 6

32	Kay Smith	Kay Smith
113	Mary Flook	Mike Shanebrook
244	Bob Weishaar	Cindy Hartlaub
261	Donna Sanders	Cindy Hartlaub
334	Jim Glenny	Kay Smith



**SAVE THE DATE: ST.
JOSEPH THE WORKER
PARISH PICNIC WILL BE
HELD ON SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 13TH
IN THE PARISH CENTER. FUN, FOOD
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Please remember the following
parishioner that has gone to their
eternal life, **Niles (Jack) Martin**. In
your charity; please pray for him
and his Family.



The **baby bottle drive** will be ending
on June 21st. Thank you for those who
have already donated.

**THE FORTY EIGHTH ANNUAL MEN'S
RETREAT** will be held on July 1- Aug 2 weekend
on the campus of Mount Saint Mary's University, in
Emmitsburg, MD. It is open to all men in the
Diocese, age 14 and older. Father Dennis Gill,
Pastor, Cathedral Basilica of St Peter & St Paul,
Philadelphia will lead us this year. Total cost
including room and food is \$250. Reservations
require a \$60 deposit, the balance of \$160 is due by
the day the retreat begins. For more information,
please contact Steve
Arthur sgma963@gmail.com or 717-465-0097 or
check out the retreat web
page <https://cburgcatholic.org/mensretreat>.

**Harrisburg Diocesan Council of Catholic
Women: 14th Annual Weekend Retreat. Retreat
Theme: Mary's Yes: Trusting God in every
Season of Life. Mt. Saint Mary's University,
Emmitsburg, MD. June 12-14, 2026 (Friday
evening till Sunday noon). Retreat Master, Rev.
Matthew E. Cannon, Pastor of Saint Paul the
Apostle Parish, Annville, PA. Contact Jeanne
Warren at 7817-503-9429 for Registration Form or
visit www.harrisburgdiocesancw.com and click on
Retreat.**

The Upper Room Prayer Group,
a charismatic prayer group,
is meeting in Immaculate Conception Church (New
Oxford)

Monday July 20, 2026 at 2 pm
to give praise, honor, and glory to God.
??? Contact Janet 717-259-7798.
Praise God!!

FATHER'S DAY BREAKFAST BUFFET:
Catholic War Veteran's, 28 Hickory Avenue,
Sunday, June 21st from 8am to 11am. Cost: Father's
(\$5.00) Adults: \$10.50. Children under 12 (Free)



Faith Formation News
June 21, 2026
12th Sunday in Ordinary
Time

The most commonly repeated phrase in the whole Bible, in both the Old Testament and

the New Testament, is **“Fear not!” or “Have no fear!” or “Do not be afraid!” or “Be not afraid!”**

Surrendering Our Fears to God

The great effort of prayer is to return repeatedly to the silent depths of our heart where all acts are purer.... A longing to cast ourselves completely before him and give all to him is what carries us into these depths of silent self-forgetfulness.... But the surrender of our soul only takes on a deeper reality when it enters a garden much like Gethsemane, where the night is cold and the winds cast twisting shadows among the gnarled trees. There the soul must expect no rescue but from God himself. The great need in our own Gethsemanes is to discover the prayer of Jesus being prayed secretly in our soul: *Not my will, but yours, be done*. This word of surrender does not come to the help of prayer as though providing an answer to solve a problem. An act of surrender may not remove a tension felt within our soul. Rather, what may happen is that a sense of his strength, of his promise to take care of everything, may pierce a mysterious depth within our soul. The surrender to God in a brief phrase becomes suddenly, not our prayer alone, but Jesus' words to his Father spoken again from a concealed depth within our soul in that hour. This is the nature of a true spiritual fire that must invade our desire for God in prayer. Only when prayer over time carves a fire of deep surrender to God inside the deeper layers of our soul does a passion for God truly inflame our soul. *Father Donald Haggerty serves at Saint Patrick's Cathedral in New York City. / From The Hour of Testing: Spiritual Depth and Insight in a Time of Ecclesial Uncertainty. © 2025, Ignatius Press, San Francisco, CA. www.ignatius.com. Used with permission.*

A Father's Blessing



On the Love of a Father
 My father and I were very different, and often at odds. It took me decades to learn that a father's love is a hard love, because a father is rarely understood by his son until the son too is a father. So often a child sees no further than a father's discipline. But ask around: Fathers want to be loved, and too often they're lonely. My wife and I have been blessed with a marriage of fifty-five years. I'm the father of four and grandfather of eleven these days. Our middle son, John, is a civil engineer now with his own beautiful family. But we too were very different, and often at odds. I couldn't sell water in a desert. John could sell sand in a desert and leave his customers laughing. Here's the irony: John and my own dad would have been thick as thieves. Children and their grandfathers share some secret; some sameness or bond of understanding that fathers, because of the

responsibilities they carry, just never figure out. But I think God made it this way for a reason. The role of the father is to give; and through that giving to overcome, little by little, the selfishness and ingratitude that come so easily to every child. That's the kind of father God is to all of us. That's the kind of father God put into my own life. So while it's decades late to say it, though it's overdue and not enough, I'll say it anyway: Thanks, Dad. *Francis X. Maier is a senior fellow in Catholic Studies at the Ethics and Public Policy Center and the author of True Confessions: Voices of Faith from a Life in the Church (Ignatius).*

June is the month of the Most Sacred Heart of

Jesus. It is the perfect time to rekindle this devotion in our own hearts and to review the great graces He desires to give us.



Jesus' Heart is the very image of His burning love for us. It is aflame with love, crowned with the thorns that pierced His Sacred Head during His Passion, wounded by the spear that drew out the very last drops of His

Precious Blood. This divine Heart beats now, at this very instant, with love for *you*, for *me*, and for all men. It calls to us constantly to return His love—and indeed, who could turn away from such utterly complete, self-donating, and uncompromising love? In addition to the infinite treasures of His love and the salvation that He won for us, Our Lord offers **12 extraordinary promises** to those who devote themselves to His Sacred Heart. Revealed to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque in the 17th century, these promises show us in no uncertain terms just how much Our Lord desires this devotion:

- I will give them all the graces necessary in their state of life.
- I will establish peace in their homes.
- I will comfort them in all their afflictions.
- I will be their secure refuge during life, and above all, in death.
- I will bestow abundant blessings upon all their undertakings.
- Sinners will find in my Heart the source and infinite ocean of mercy.
- Lukewarm souls shall become fervent.
- Fervent souls shall quickly mount to high perfection.
- I will bless every place in which an image of my Heart is exposed and honored.
- I will give to priests the gift of touching the most hardened hearts.
- Those who shall promote this devotion shall have their names written in my Heart.
- I promise you in the excessive mercy of my Heart that my all-powerful love will grant to all those who receive Holy Communion on the First Fridays in nine consecutive months the grace of final perseverance; they shall not die in my disgrace, nor without receiving their sacraments. My divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in this last moment.



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