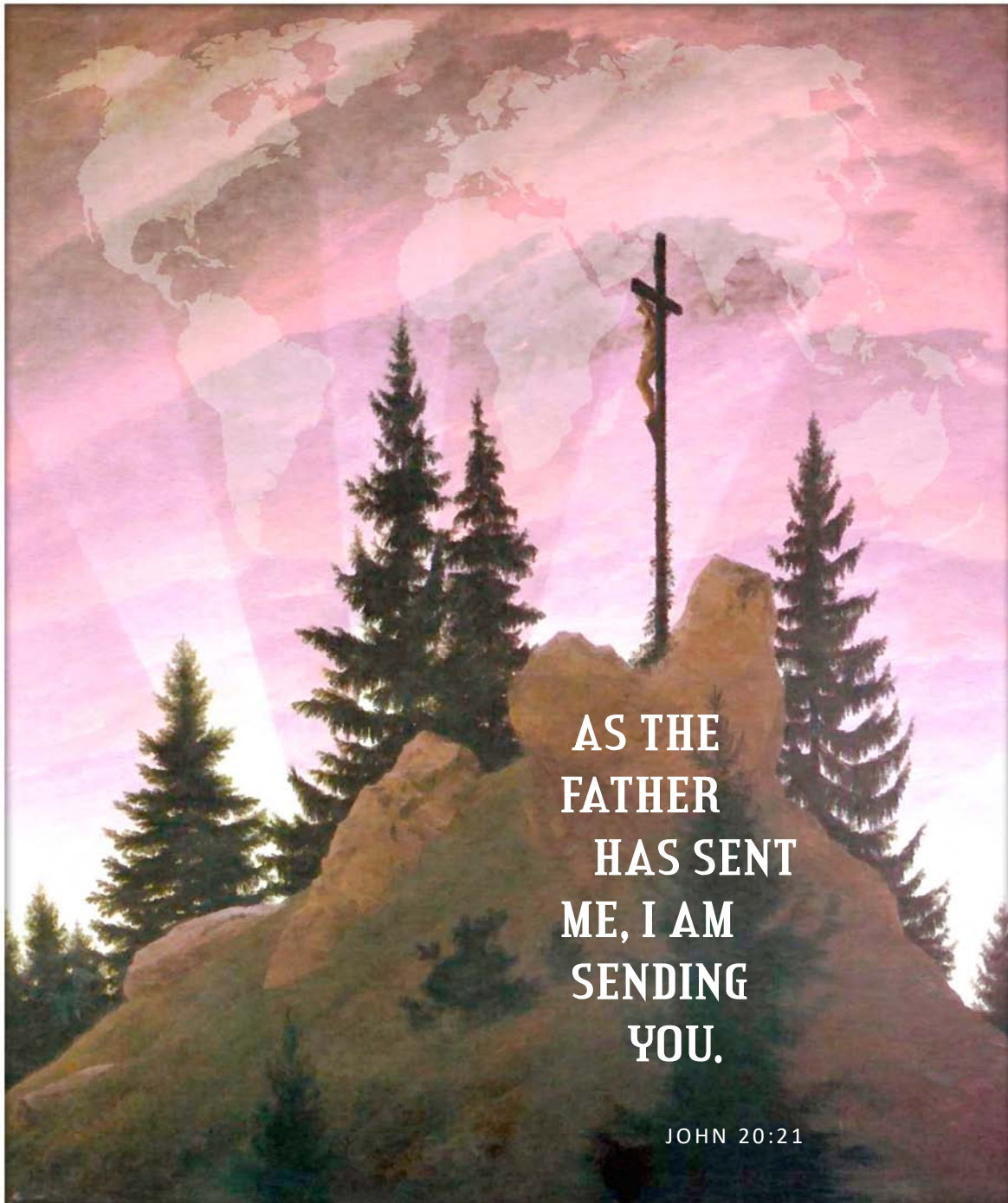


World Mission Sunday



**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

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, October 17

World Mission Sunday

4:00 PM – Rosary

4:30 PM – Jim Gleason

Sunday – October 18

7:30 AM – Adoration/Rosary

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

10:00 AM – Rosary

10:30 AM – People of the Parish

Tuesday, October 20

NO MASS

Wednesday, October 21

NO MASS

Thursday – October 22

NO MASS

Friday – October 23

NO MASS

Saturday, October 24

NO MASS

Twenty-thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, October 24

4:00 PM – Rosary

4:30 PM – Sandra (Clabaugh) Sherman

Sunday – October 25

7:30 AM – Adoration/Rosary

8:00 AM – Int. of Kevin Crone & Family

10:00 AM – Rosary

10:30 AM – People of the Parish

Fr. Benny will be attending the Annual Priests' Continuing Education Workshop from October 19th to October 23rd. there will no Masses during that week. Mass is available at the following Churches: Hanover, Saint Joseph Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday - 9:00 a.m. Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. Hanover, Saint Vincent de Paul Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday - 8:00 a.m.

Please notify **Fr. Benny 717-334-2510** of any parishioner admitted to the hospital.

In Our Thoughts & Prayers

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, Pam Lambert, Wyatt Esworthy, Lisa Barefoot Waggoner, Mike Shanebrook, Brad Clabaugh, Lorine Schwab, Don Moser, Dave Weishaar, Raymond McMaster, Betty Clabaugh, Deacon Rich, Rich Faloon, Dale Keller, Shirley Bowman, Marilyn Wells, Jeremy Onorato, Kathi Barefoot, Kim Beitler, Mary Bechtel Arvin, Darlene Long, Sally Irwin, Jane Irwin Hollabaugh, Mike Farrell, Nora Keller, Rebecca Weaver, Arthur Hammett, Barbara Onorato, Anna Sneeringer, Bob Clabaugh, Helen Sneeringer, Jasmine, Margaret Heintzelman, Diana Pfaff, Bob Dempsey, Annette Farrell Kennedy, Sherry Deardorff, Dean Drawbaugh, Gary Wilson, 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.**



TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Isaiah 45:1, 4-6

Cyrus, King of Persia and friend to the Jewish people, becomes the Lord's anointed one, and through God's intervention, returns the Jews to their own country.

Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 1:1-5b

Paul rejoices that the Thessalonians, newly converted to Christianity, are displaying remarkable constancy in their new-found faith.

Gospel: Matthew 22:15-21

Seeking to entrap Jesus in his speech, the hostile and hypocritical Pharisees ask him this dangerous question, "Is it lawful to pay tax to the emperor or not?" Realizing their treacherous motives, Jesus asks for a Roman coin, and pointing to the inscription of Caesar's, he answers, "Give to Caesar what is Caesar's, but give to God what is God's."



This weekend, October 17/18 every parish across the globe joins together for the only **worldwide collection** mandated by Canon Law- **World Mission Sunday**. Your generosity today supports the **Pope's Missions** in more than **1,124 territories** where the Church is young and struggling. This year's theme is "Missionaries of Hope among the Peoples".

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“I have called you by your name, giving you a title, though you knew me not. I am the Lord and there is no other, there is no God besides me. It is I who arm you, though you know me not, so that from the rising and the setting of the sun people may know that there is none besides me.”... “Then repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God.”

On the day of my baptism, I was called by name and began my relationship with God. Since then, I ask myself, ‘how well do I know my loving God?’ For many we know about God but our goal and task is to know Him personally, to foster that relationship when He first called me. May I find Him in the scripture, in the sacraments, in His quiet voice in my prayer today.

HIS WORD TODAY

BY REV. WILLIAM J. REILLY

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON
THE SUNDAY READINGS



God
is
LOVE

FINANCIAL REPORTS

For the weekend of October 10/11, 2026

Adults	\$ 1,634.00
Loose	277.00
On-Line Giving	2,385.00
Total	4,296.00
Budgeted - \$4,160.00 over	136.00
Poor of the Parish	45.00

**50 of 195 Adults used envelopes
29 Online Giving**

**Next second collection is
"World Mission Sunday" October 17/18, 2026**

**PARISH
ANNOUNCEMENT.**



SAVE THE DATE: THE PARISH 40 HOURS DEVOTION WILL BE HELD ON OCTOBER 25TH, 26TH, AND CLOSING ON THE 27TH. REV. FR. KEITH CARROLL, PASTOR OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BVM CHURCH, NEW OXFORD, WILL BE THE HOMILIST. EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS AND EXTRA EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS PLEASE JOIN FOR THE CLOSING PROCESSION OF 40 HOURS ON TUESDAY EVENING. We hope you can make time to attend these Eucharistic Devotions. A sign-up sheet for Adoration during Forty Hours is available in the vestibule.



Anyone who would like to sponsor **ALTAR FLOWERS** in memory or honor of a living or deceased loved one, please put an envelope in the collection basket marked for altar flowers and the weekend you would like them, they are \$80.00 for two.

NOTICE: If anyone is interested we have someone in the Parish who is replacing their furnace. They have about a hundred gallon of fuel oil which they are giving away. You will have to drain it out of the tank which is in the basement. The tank is also available for free. It also must be taken out of the basement. If anyone is interested in the oil or the tank contact Mike Shanebrook at 717-476-8205 with any questions.



The **Knights meeting** will be held on Sunday October 18 at 7pm.



THE 4TH DEGREE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will be having a fundraiser for the Wounded Warriors of PA on Wednesday, October 21st at Jersey Mike's, Gettysburg (NEXT TO GIANT). For more information call Mike Farrell at 717-337-3407.

400 CLUB Week 6

85	Mike Danny	Kim Beitler
103	Bill Weaver	Weavers Hardware
242	Donnie Clabaugh	Cindy Hartlaub
247	April Phillips	April Phillips
352	Gina Gebhart	Gina Gebhart

LAND OF PEACE – October 31st –November 1st - our brothers and sisters representing the Land of Peace Mission- a nonprofit organization will be with us speaking about the Christian situation in the Holy Land and selling Crucifixes, religious art work, and rosaries- all made of olive wood which is native to Israel and Bethlehem.. It is for a good cause and also a help to your personal devotion. See Website: www.landofpeace.org



Our next potpie dinner will be Sunday, October 25th, from 7 am – 1 pm with Take out only. A list of volunteers is in the bulletin this week. **We are also in need of people to cook chickens for the dinner. If you can call Karen Bollinger at 717-476-5108. There is no potpie dinner in November or December.**

Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish & Boy Scout Troop 127 presents VETERANS DAY DINNER AND PROGRAM. Saturday Nov. 14 start at 6:15 PM. Traditional style Turkey & Ham Dinner. Adults: \$10/Children (age 5-16) \$5. Veterans attend as guests! All proceed benefit PA Wounded Warriors. Must fill out form in the vestibule if you plan to attend. Return by Nov. 1st.



Faith Formation News

October 18, 2026
29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"THE PHARISEES went off and plotted how they might entrap Jesus in speech."

Christ's response to the false dilemma put to him by the Pharisees reveals that, though we owe obedience to just laws and rightful authority, we must also give to God what belongs to God. And what does belong to God? Our very lives. The effects of original sin entice us to withhold some part of ourselves from God, but Saint Paul reminds us: "You were chosen by God our Father." And the Lord says: "I have called you by your name, though you knew me not. I am the Lord and there is no other." Thus, the one to whom we owe everything is not a tyrannical ruler, but our Creator who loves us.

World Mission Day was first established by Pope Pius XI, beginning in October 1927. This year the Church celebrates the 100th World Mission Day on Sunday, October 18, 2026. As the Church prepares to celebrate this day, Pope Leo XIV calls us to unity in Christ, love, and renewed missionary commitment "with joy



and zeal in the Holy Spirit" in his first World Mission Sunday Message: **"One in Christ, united in mission."** "But I'm not trained to be a missionary!" I hear this occasionally from committed Catholics who feel ill-equipped to evangelize. If we remember that the mission starts with "making Christ's love visible" in the world, then we realize that we are all better equipped than we might think. From his fullness we have all received (Jn 1:16). For Christ Jesus has given us a share by baptism, confirmation, and the Holy Eucharist in what Peter, James, and John glimpsed at the Transfiguration, and in what John and the Blessed Virgin drank in at the foot of the cross. And like the first disciples after Pentecost's gift of the Holy Spirit, we can cultivate this gift, fan it into flame, so that our everyday gestures of compassion, generosity, justice, and mercy might break through and make Christ's love, his glory, visible in the world. Simply and consciously to bear witness to Christ's freedom from the resentments of the age, the anger and selfishness that were evident in his time and are evident in ours, is a radical way of "making Christ's love visible." The charity of Christ urges us (2 Cor 5:14). Simply to defend the poor and outcast as Jesus did, both in word and deed, is an evangelizing sign. And those who have eyes prepared by Christ will see something of his glory

there. We have the graced ability to: -Visit the sick, befriend the friendless, embrace the leper (as Saint Francis did). -Make the sign of the cross before the plane takes off. -Avoid a useless argument. -Help someone without transportation get to Mass. -Take food to an elderly neighbor or to one whose family is going through a crisis. All these things, and so many others, are from the Lord, and make Christ's love visible; they share in the charity that is his glory. And by the grace of his life in us, these things advance the Kingdom he died and rose to inaugurate. (*Most Reverend Daniel E. Flores*)

BIBLE STUDY

SLOWING DOWN to the SPEED of JOY

Tuesday, OCTOBER 13, at 6:30 PM in the Parish Center.

Contact Clare Crone:

ccrone2@gmail.com or the Parish Office 717-3342510.



This study is ideal getting us to think about preparing for the mad rush of the Holidays before us.

Books are available at the front of

the Church on the Kiosk for anyone who is interested in getting JOY back into their LIFE! First come, first serve! If you would like to join the group just come in and take a seat. No expectations! :)

"Joy erupts within us when we allow an experience to touch the very depths of our souls. That cannot be rushed. It's time to slow down to the speed of joy."

GOLF TOURNAMENT: We are looking for a committee to help with the annual golf tournament. Anyone interested may talk to Fr. Benny or call the parish office. Your help is greatly appreciated.

Thank you for your service to the parish – Parish Choir Members
Brian Smith - Organist

Stephen Arthur

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