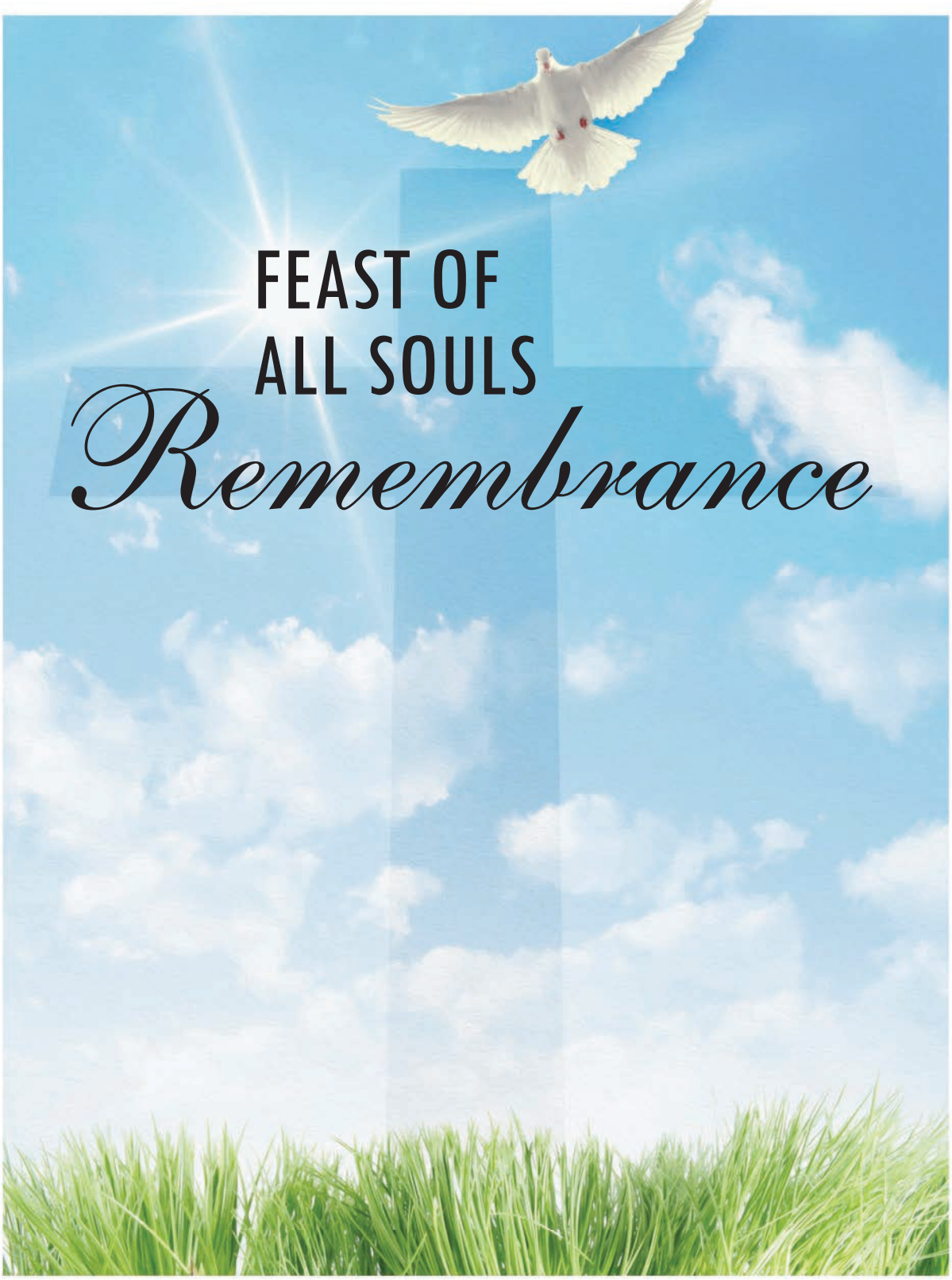


FEAST OF ALL SOULS

Remembrance

Saint Joseph the Worker
Bonneauville, Pennsylvania

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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

Solemnity of All Saints
Saturday, October 31- Daylight Saving Time Ends
4:00 PM – Rosary
4:30 PM – Geraldine Shanebrook
Sunday – November 1
7:30 AM –Adoration/Rosary
8:00 AM – Rose Weaver
10:00 AM – Rosary
10:30 AM – People of the Parish

Monday – November 2 – All Souls' Day
6:30 PM – Rosary
7:00 PM – Anna Golden
Memorial Service in Cemetery
Tuesday, November 3
7:30 AM –Rosary
8:00 AM – Julie Eckenrode
Wednesday, November 4
6:30 PM - Rosary
7:00 PM – Jim Gebhart
Parish Council Meeting
Thursday – November 5
7:30 AM –Rosary
8:00 AM – Mike Weishaar
First Friday – November 6
7:30 AM – Rosary
8:00 AM – Living & Deceased Members of
George & Marie Long & Family
First Saturday, November 7
7:30 AM - Rosary
8:00 AM – Rose Weaver

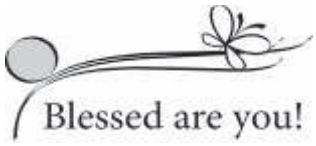
Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Saturday, November 7
4:00 PM – Rosary
4:30 PM – Brian Arentz
Sunday – November 8
7:30 AM –Adoration/Rosary
8:00 AM – People of the Parish
10:00 AM – Rosary
10:30 AM –Jim Gleason



First Friday Adoration
8:00 AM – Mass
8:30 AM – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
3:00 PM – Divine Mercy Chaplet,
Followed by Benediction.

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, 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 Beachtel 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.**



ALL SAINTS

First Reading: Revelations 7:2-4, 9-14
John recounts for us the details of his vision. An angel bearing the seal of the living God demands that the land and sea not be destroyed; huge crowds stand before the throne of the Lamb crying out that salvation comes from God; angels gathered round and praised God; an elder questions John and explains that those dressed in white are the ones who have survived the great period of trial.

Second Reading: 1 John 3:1-3
Once again John speaks to us of love. He points out to us the great love that the Father has for us by allowing us to be called children of God. John explains that the world doesn't recognize us because it never recognized Jesus. Our future will be revealed to us and in that light we shall see him as he is.

Gospel: Matthew 5:1-12a
When Jesus saw the crowds of people he went up to the mountainside gathered his disciples around him and began to teach them. This lesson in love has come to be known to us as the great "Sermon on the Mount" or "The Beatitudes."



ALL SOULS DAY, NOVEMBER 2ND, we will have Mass for All Souls' Day on Monday at 7:00 PM followed by a Memorial service in the cemetery. **All Souls** envelopes will be placed on the altar for the month of November and prayers and masses will be offered for loved ones.

ALL SAINTS

“Beloved, we are God’s children now; what we shall be has not been revealed. We do know that when it is revealed we shall be like him, for we shall see him as he is. Everyone who has this hope based on him makes himself pure, as he is pure”... “Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven.”

Why do we shy away being known as a saint? This is our goal, our destiny. This is the reason for our hope. Spend a moment, reflect on the beatitudes and see if you are poor in spirit, seeking God humbly and justly, laboring for justice, especially looking for holiness and even offering your hurts and trials to the Lord. These are the steps we take for becoming saints. Try it, you’ll like it.

HIS WORD TODAY

BY REV. WILLIAM J. REILLY

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON
THE SUNDAY READINGS



FINANCIAL REPORTS
For the weekend of October 24/25, 2026

Adults		$ 2,465.00
Loose		157.00
On-Line Giving		835.00
Total		3,457.00
Budgeted - $4,160.00	**less**	703.00
Poor of the Parish		30.00

57 of 195 Adults used envelopes
26 Online Giving

Next second collection is
"MATTHEW 25 COLLECTION ON NOVEMBER 21/22

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENT.

The PCCW next meeting will be Monday, November 9th at 7:00 pm in the parish center. All women from the parish are invited to attend.

POT PIE DINNERS

Back Door Sales	$ 12,439 00
Expenses	$ 1,882.35
Profit	$ 10,556.65

Thank you to all the volunteers who helped in any way with this fundraiser. There is no Potpie in November or December. Happy Holidays!

400 CLUB
Week 8

37	Jim Smith	Kay Smith
91	PCCW	Sue Miller
199	Rick Staub	Cindy Hartlaub
208	Wayne Smith	April Phillips
302	Nora & Mike Keller	April Phillips

The Knights will be having a Sub/Sandwich sale. The orders and money will be due on Monday November 9th and the Subs/Sandwiches can be picked up on Tuesday November 17th. If you have any questions contact Mike Shanebrook at 717-476-8205.



Do your **Christmas shopping** early; forms for extra gift cards are available in the vestibule of the church and on the parish website. Please return them by: November 29th.

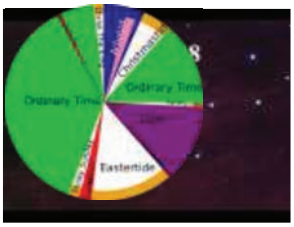
ADVENT BIBLE STUDY



Beginning Tuesday, November 24 at 6:30 PM in the Parish Center Contact Clare Crone: ccrone2@gmail.com or the Parish Office 717-334-2510.This Advent Study will be from Fr. John Nepil's book, *ILLUMINATE* based on the Gospel of John by Ave Maria Press. "Advent is a journey into darkness. It is a liturgical reflection upon a planet's ever-so-gentle tilt away from the sun. The climactic moment, known as the winter solstice, is the celebration not simply of the presence of darkness but of the coming of the light. It was not a coincidence, nor pagan appropriation, that settled the festivity of Christmas on the short day of midwinter; it was the reality of the light, manifested fully and anew in the revelation of the God. *"This is the message we have heard from Him and proclaim to you, that God is light and in Him is no darkness at all"* (1 John 12:46

Thank you for your service to the parish:
Patsy Mills – for her work with the Children's Choir.
Gina Gebhart – for mowing and keeping the grounds looking good.
Mike Clabaugh – for your work in the Cemetery and plowing the snow**.**
Bob Funari, Jim Hartnett, Joe Eckenrode, Bob & Frances Weishaar, Ed Kremzier, Lynn Smith and Laura Dehoff for taking care of the flower beds around the church and rectory.

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

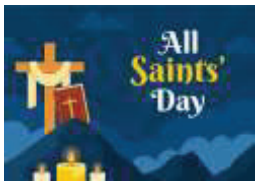


Faith Formation News
November 1, 2026
31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

"I, JOHN, SAW another angel come up from the East, holding the seal of the living God." "The vision of heaven described in the first reading is very beautiful: the Lord God, beauty, goodness, truth, tenderness, love in its fullness. All of this awaits us. Those who have gone before us and who have died in the Lord are there. They proclaim that they have been saved not through their own works, though good works they surely did, but that they have been saved by the Lord: 'Salvation comes from our God, who is seated on the throne, and from the Lamb!' It is he who saves us, it is he who at the end of our lives takes us by the hand like a father, precisely to that heaven where our ancestors are…. Today is a day of hope. Our brothers and sisters are in the presence of God and we shall also be there, , through the pure grace of the Lord, if we walk along the way of Jesus" (Pope Francis).

ALL SAINTS DAY, November 1

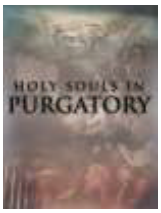
The Joy of the Saints



The joy of the saint transcends that of all other men. Inevitably, he is as his divine Lord was, a man of sorrows. But the joy of all other men, and the glory of all other loves, is as pale as the flame of a candle in the sunlight, beside the joy of the saint on earth. For his life is the experience in his own soul of the unutterable bliss of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit in their knowing and loving one another. When Christ bowed his head and slept the sleep of consummated love, deep in the black bowl of the darkest night arose the morning star. And when he came forth out of the tomb to the splendor of his risen life, Christ came forth to ascend to his Father; the dawn of everlasting day had come silently upon earth, the spring of immortal life had put forth its flower unnoticed. The shame and sorrow of Christ with the guilt of the whole world upon him had been seen by the eyes of the world, but the exquisite secret of the first breath of his risen life was kept. He went up to his Father and sent the Paraclete to flood the heart of man with his risen life. When the saint wakens from that dark night of love in which self has died, he too comes forth, he too knows the wonder of the Trinity in himself. Christ has risen in him, Christ is formed in him, the Holy Spirit descends upon him and his life is the breath of the Spirit of love. Sanctity is man's integrity, the fullness and the wholeness of his humanity; in it suffering and joy are one thing, love; and love is Christ.*Caryll Houselander († 1954) was a British author, poet, and spiritual teacher. / From Guilt. © 2022, Cluny, P.O. Box 1664, Providence, RI. Used with permission*

ALL SOULS DAY, November 2

It Is Love That Purifies



Do many attain holiness in this life? We have Jesus' answer that few find the straight road to life (Mt 7:14); and holiness is life, eternal life with the Father here in this world…. Although it seems that few find the road to perfect union within the span of their lifetime, some do find it before they die, at the end of that span. Old age with its "undoing," as well as illness, can prove an effective instrument in God's hands with which to complete his purifying work….What if the work is not complete before physical death?… The Catholic instinct has always held on to the notion of purgatory; it has shrunk from the easy assumption that most people at death "go straight to heaven"; a healthy realism keeps it in this position…. To posit a purification after death is no insult to God's mercy nor to the power of redemption. Mercy, ever poured out in lavish flow, must be received. If we have not allowed it to wash over us in life, and if we are to reach our perfect fulfilment and happiness in God, which is his dearest wish, then we must consent to be drowned in these purifying waters after death.

Both in life and after death, it is love that purifies. If in life we allow God to come close to us in love, to take us in his arms and hold us fast, this inevitably means pain, simply because we are so twisted, hard, and unyielding. If we submit, his love softens us, straightens us out, transforms us into his own likeness. The pain of purification is the direct effect of love. And this is the same after death. *Sister Ruth († 2023) was a Carmelite nun at Quidenham in Norfolk, England, and the author of a number of bestselling books. / From To Believe in Jesus. Copyright © 2010 by Ruth Burrows.*

At the end of this month we begin a new Liturgical Calendar year, Year B.

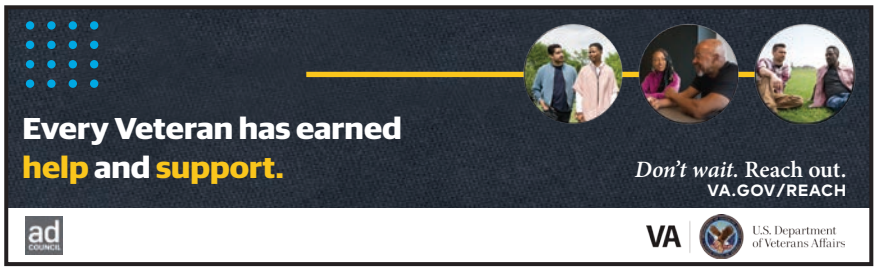
In the month of November, the Liturgical calendar is packed full of Feast Days and Celebrations. Of course on Sundays we celebrate Jesus and the Resurrection and almost every single day we honor those who have gone before us. Plus the end of the month ADVENT begins! Rejoice! Prepare the way of the Lord in your hearts for His coming! This week in addition to ALL SAINTS and ALL SOULS, there is St. Martin de Porres, St. Charles Borromeo, and Saturday, the Blessed Virgin Mary.

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