

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER PARISH

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PALM

SUNDAY

Hosanna!

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

April 5, 2020

Mass Intentions For The Week



**NO MASSES WILL BE SAID UNTIL
FURTHER NOTICE**

**No group rosary, prayer or devotions
during Private Prayer**

Saturday, April 4, 2020

Robert T. Eye, Jr. requested by Jeanne Jones
(after 5 p.m. Palm will be available to pick up at St. Ann Church)

Sunday, April 5—Palm Sunday

8:30 AM John F. Bolinsky requested by wife, Linda

10:30 AM Alice Oshman requested by Mary Kohan

Monday, April 6

7:30 AM NO MASS

Tuesday, April 7

7:30 AM Deceased members of the Harviletz Family

Wednesday, April 8

7:30 AM NO MASS

Thursday, April 9—Holy Thursday

7:00 PM Living & deceased members of Scheuren & Monahan Families requested by Annette

Private prayer from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

Friday, April 10—Good Friday

3:00 PM Friday of the Passion of the Lord

Private prayer from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, April 11—Holy Saturday—Easter Vigil

8:00 PM For all living & deceased parishioners of
(Parish Hall) St. Joseph the Worker Parish

Private prayer from 12 noon to 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, April 12—Easter Sunday

8:30 AM For all living & deceased parishioners of
(Parish Hall) St. Joseph the Worker Parish

10:30 AM For all living & deceased parishioners of
(Parish Hall) St. Joseph the Worker Parish

PRAY FOR:

All those in need. Especially those who are sick, are feeling weak or lonely. Increase their faith and assist them in knowing that they are not alone and all they need comes from You.



CANDLE OFFERINGS

The **Vigil Light at the Statue of the Sacred Heart** burns as a memorial for Stanley F., Ann and Stanley G. Rakowsky as requested by Andrew & Michelle Smarkanic and Family.

The **Vigil Light at the Statue of the Blessed Mother** burns in memory of Eva Kubeyka requested by Children and Grandchildren.

The **Vigil Light at the Statue of the Blessed Mother** burns in memory of Joseph Arcuri requested by wife, Kathleen.

The **Vigil Light at the Statue of the Blessed Mother** burns in memory of Joseph Alshon requested by wife, Eve & family.

The **Vigil Light at the Statue of the Blessed Mother** burns in memory of Francis Goncalves by wife, Mary.

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. Anthony** burns for a Special Intention requested by TMS.

The **Sanctuary Light** burns for a Special Intention by Mary Jane Recla.

WEEKLY CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Saturday: 3:15 p.m. & Sunday: 8:05 a.m.,

Thursdays: 7:30 p.m.—7:55 p.m.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Chapel & Youth Center at 27 South Broad Mountain Avenue, Frackville. **Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday from 1 to 4 p.m.** Every **Thursday from 8:00 a.m. to 8 p.m.** (Silent) Adoration in St. Ann Church. **7:30 p.m. Confessions, 7:55 p.m. Benediction.**

The Divine Mercy Chaplet will be said at 3:00 p.m. during the Chapel Adoration.

HOLY HOUR—The Pro-Life Holy Hour takes place the second Sunday of every month at 5:00 p.m. in the Chapel.

Anyone wishing to commit to thirty minutes or an hour may call 570-874-3001. Please remember there is always a substitute available, if you are unable to make your designated time.

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

Bereavement Ministry is available for those needing assistance in planning a funeral service and to provide grief support. Your option of a call or visit. Call **Parish Office 570-874-0610** if you wish to be contacted. For help in planning the funeral Mass go to https://www.stjoesfrackville.com/funeral_planning.

RCIA- If you know anyone who is interested in becoming Catholic, please contact Fr. Miller at the Parish Office 570-874-0610.

WEEKLY COLLECTION

Sunday Collection: March 15, 2020:

Second Collection: March 15, 2020:

PARISH NEWS



LITURGY OF THE WORD - FOR CHILDREN—"ALLELU"

Allelu! — Children's Liturgy of the Word—is available every other Sunday at the 10:00 a.m. Mass. All parish children ages Pre-school through second grade are welcome to attend.

EASTER SUNDAY—PARISH HALL Ministry Schedule—April 11—12

Servers:

8:00 p.m. Abbey & Emily Artz, Kerrigan & Abbey Digris
8:30 a.m. Kylie Meskunas, Claire & Alyza Kowalonek
10:30 a.m. Johnstones and Dimmicks

Lectors:

8:00 p.m. Ron Whalen and Tim Sullivan
8:30 a.m. Mary Lou Michaels
10:30 a.m. Larry Domalakes

Eucharistic Ministers:

8:00 p.m. Teri Krolick, Ron Whalen
Choir: Tom Sullivan
8:30 a.m. Mary Lou Michaels, Angie & Joe Babatsky
Choir: Jean Dando
Nursing Home: Mike Boychak
10:30 a.m. Joe Bane, Gerald Campomizzi & Bill Rowan
Choir: Larry Domalakes

Holy Thursday—7:00 p.m.

Servers—Emily & Johnny Walsh, Alyza & Claire Kowalonek, Megan Bane

Lectors—Carolyn Tenaglia

Eucharistic Minister—Ron Whalen, Carolyn Tenaglia, Tom Sullivan, Marlene Borzok, Teri Krolick **Choir:** Sr. Patricia

Good Friday—3:00 p.m.

Servers—Maria & Mark Monahan, Janelle Ziegmont, Abbey & Kerrigan Digris

Lectors—Angela Pyzowski and Larry Domalakes

Eucharistic Ministers—Angela Pyzowski & Larry Domalakes

PALMS/HOLY WEEK

Saturday, April 4 after 5:00 p.m. palm will be available at the St. Ann Church complex. The Church will be open for a few hours for you to come and take some palm. Please pick up a bulletin, as well.

Thank you for your patience during this difficult time.

CHURCH VISITATION HOURS:

HOLY THURSDAY—"Private" Prayer from 8 a.m. to 11 p.m. (no group rosary, prayer or devotions).

GOOD FRIDAY— 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. (no group rosary, prayer or devotions).

HOLY SATURDAY— 12 noon to 7:00 p.m. (no group rosary, prayer or devotions).

Masses are still suspended until further notice. Check our webpage for the latest www.stjoesfrackville.com.

ST. JOSEPH the WORKER PARISH UPCOMING EVENTS

April 5—NO PREP Classes 6:00 to 7:30 p.m.

April 5—NO Kid's Choir practice 5:00 p.m. in BVM

April 5—Bible Study on web page
www.stjoesfrackville.com

April 9—See below

April 22—Next VBS meeting at 6:00 p.m. in Social Room

April 25—"Roofstock" Dance with Another Side and Sake's Alive in the Parish Hall

PLEASE NOTE:

All Mass intentions that were scheduled prior to the suspension of Masses will be rescheduled as soon as public Masses resume.

The candles that people have requested are continuing to be lit in the church.

Please visit our web page at www.stjoesfrackville.com for Mass videos and daily homilies. Check under Sunday Mass tab or Fr. Miller tab.

You may leave message at the Parish Office at ext. 4 or if you have a true emergency press ext. 8.

Someone will be periodically checking the messages.

PIEROGIES will not be made until Wednesday, April 1, 2020 in the St. Ann Church complex.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL SIGN UPS—This year's theme is **Rocky Railway: Jesus' Power Pulls Us Through.** Sign up sheets are in the vestibule of the church. There are envelopes in the pews and in the vestibule for anyone that would like to donate to defray the cost of VBS. Just place your donation in the envelope and place in the collection basket. VBS will be held in the Parish Hall on June 15 through June 19. **Questions, please contact Siobhan at 570-449-7229.**

FREE Balance, Dizziness, and Fall Prevention Workshop
April 20, 2020 at 11:00 a.m. at the former St. Ann Pre School located behind the St. Ann Church Complex. The workshop is for those who have fallen, are uncertain about their balance, or experience dizziness or spinning. It is also for parishioners who may be concerned about their loved ones with similar challenges. You will learn **WHY** you are losing balance and **WHAT YOU CAN DO** to improve it at ANY age, **WHY** you might have dizziness or vertigo, and how to **GET RID OF IT**. Presented by fellow parishioner, Joel J. Digris, Physical Therapist of Achieva Rehabilitation. **Please pre-register by calling 1-888-929-7677. All are welcome!**

TRINITY ACADEMY 14TH ANNUAL BASKET AUCTION at St. Joseph the Worker Parish Hall, Nine South Broad Mountain Avenue, Frackville. **Shop & drop on Friday, April 17 from 5 to 9 p.m. and Saturday, April 18 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.** Drawing begins at 3:15 p.m. Winners do not have to be present! Kitchen and bake sale items available for purchase. Look for us on Facebook....Trinity Academy 14th Annual Basket Auction.