

Masses for the Week

SATURDAY VIGIL - FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

4:00 PM ☩ Thomas Perez (Perez) - Roz

SUNDAY, JULY 14 - FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 AM Special Intention - Roz
+9:45 AM Special Intention of Deacon Paruso - Sahd
11:30 AM People of the Parish Living and Deceased - Sahd

MONDAY, JULY 15 - SAINT BONAVENTURE, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

6:30 AM ☩ Msgr. Cletus Wagman

TUESDAY, JULY 16 - OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

9:00 AM ☩ Raye Canepa (Blaustein)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 17 - WEEKDAY

9:00 AM ☩ Doris Zakiah Azizkhan (Dsouza)

THURSDAY, JULY 18 - WEEKDAY; SAINT CAMILLUS DE LELLIS, PRIEST

8:30 AM ☩ Eugene Hager (Keller)

FRIDAY, JULY 19 - WEEKDAY

6:30 AM Special Intention of David Sheranko (Smith)
9:00 AM ☩ Meg Itle Scott (Repetz)

SATURDAY, JULY 20 - WEEKDAY; SAINT APOLLINARIS, BISHOP AND MARTYR

8:00 AM Special Intention

SATURDAY VIGIL - SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*4:00 PM ☩ Joseph Shaughnessy (Esposito) - Sahd

SUNDAY, JULY 21 - SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 AM People of the Parish Living and Deceased - Roz
+9:45 AM ☩ Anna Sylvio (Landry) - Roz
11:30 AM ☩ Maureen Coyne (Delaney) - Sahd

+ Mass in American Sign Language (ASL) ♪ Choir Present *Baptism at Mass

There is always a possibility that one of our priests will be called to assist at other parishes, which would unexpectedly affect the weekend celebrant schedule here at our parish.

Today in Our Parish Welcome Sunday

9:00 AM Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessional) - Roz
9:45 AM Children's Liturgy of the Word (Lee Horan Rm.)
7:30 PM Over 30-Men's Basketball
(Parish Life & Ed. Ctr. - Gym)

After All Masses Coffee and Donuts (Brindle Hall)
Welcome Table (Narthex)
Grocery Gift Cards (Narthex)

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

MONDAY - Exodus 1:8-14, 22; Matthew 10:34-11:1
TUESDAY - Exodus 2:1-15a; Matthew 11:20-24
WEDNESDAY - Exodus 3:1-6, 9-12; Matthew 11:25-27
THURSDAY - Exodus 3:13-20; Matthew 11:28-30
FRIDAY - Exodus 11:10-12:14; Matthew 12:1-8
SATURDAY - Exodus 12:37-42; Matthew 12:14-21
SUNDAY - Genesis 18:1-10a; Colossians 1:24-28; Luke 10:38-42

The Week Ahead

MONDAY

6:00 PM Summer Furniture Move (Parish Life & Ed. Ctr.)

TUESDAY

9:30 AM Divine Mercy Chaplet (Sanctuary)
1:00 PM Senior Leadership Team Mtg. (John Paul II Rm.)

WEDNESDAY Parish Office Closed

11:30 AM Vibra Life Mass (Special Intention)
7:00 PM Legion of Mary (John Paul II Rm.)

THURSDAY

10:00 AM Senior Leadership Team Mtg. (Lee Horan Rm.)
1:30 PM Bethany Towers Mass (☩Ronald Rebuck)
7:00 PM Women's Group Abiding Together (John Paul II Rm.)

FRIDAY

7:00 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament/Evening Prayer
Adoration continues (Sanctuary)
8:30 PM Benediction (Sanctuary)

SATURDAY

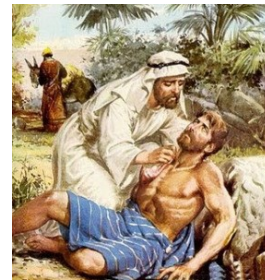
6:30 AM That Man Is You (Brindle Hall)
3:00 PM Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessional)-Roz/Sahd

After Mass Grocery Gift Cards (Narthex)
Dynamic Catholic (Narthex)
Kentucky Home Mission Trip (Narthex)

NEXT SUNDAY

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Please note: The Parish Office will be closed all day on Tuesday, July 17, 2019 and from 9 AM to Noon on July 24, 2019, for staff training at the Diocese. We appreciate your kind understanding with this.

REST IN PEACE

Please pray for those who have recently died,
may they rest in peace, especially:

Judith Flannery
Phyllis Miller
Lucian Spataro





Liturgical Ministries

We are putting a call out for liturgical ministers. We are in need of more parishioners assisting in various ways with our weekend liturgies. We are looking for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Lectors, Altar Servers, Ushers and Greeters. If you would like to offer your service to our parish, please call the office or email officemanager@stjosephmech.org. There will be training sessions scheduled, and if you want to be an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, the Diocese requires attendance at a diocesan training session. We are also in need of Ministers of Holy Communion to visit our parishioners in their homes and in nearby nursing facilities. Your service in all of these ministries assists in helping us foster the presence of Christ in many ways. We appreciate your participation in this aspect of the life of Saint Joseph Parish. Many of our younger parishioners would especially make good Lectors and Altar Servers, so please contact us!



Welcome to Saint Joseph Parish! To register, you have several options available to you: There are forms in the narthex of the church, ask any Usher for assistance in locating them; visit our website: www.stjosephmech.org to download the Parish Registration Form and return it to the parish office; or stop by the parish office and our staff will be happy to assist you. Current parishioners, if you have any updates, please contact us as soon as you can, in order to keep your information current.

Also, we invite everyone to visit the **FORMED** THE CATHOLIC FAITH. ON DEMAND. www.FORMED.org website and use our **Parish code 3G2H34** to start watching Catholic videos, movies, and formation information. There is no cost to you. This is Father Rozman's gift to all our parishioners. Check out all the great information, movies and books available for free!!! What a great way to learn more about being a disciple for our Lord, Jesus Christ!

We welcome the following who received the Sacrament of Baptism - June 2019



Jonathan Jennings - son of Michael and Mary Jennings
Lukas Gomez - son of Daniel and Karla Gomez
Natalie Guy - daughter of Jeffrey and Emily Guy
Meadow Messick - daughter of Michael and Mary Messick
Kassidy Myers - daughter of Justin and Linnet Myers
Camden Prangel - son of Matthew and Heather Prangel

We Remember

TABERNACLE FLOWERS: (1) In loving memory of Edna Joan Walker, my beloved wife and our beloved mother and grandmother
(1) In loving memory of the deceased members of the Simon and Staub Family.

ALTAR FLOWERS: In loving memory of the deceased members of the Simon and Staub Family.

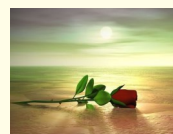
RED SANCTUARY CANDLE: Special Intention.

TABERNACLE CANDLES: Special Intention of Hansie.

ALTAR CANDLES: In memory of my wife, Shirley Valetske, from husband Charlie.

AMBO CANDLES: Good health, Joan Wallace, from your twin, Charlie.

PRO-LIFE ROSES: Special Intention.



\$100 Donation for Tabernacle, \$50 Altar, Ambo, & Divine Mercy Flowers, \$10 Donation for candles, \$5 Donation for Pro-Life Rose



SAVE THE DATE for our Annual Parish Picnic!
Sunday, August 11, 2019, from 1:00 - 4:00 PM
in the Saint Joseph Parish Life and Education Center!

We are serving:

BBQ chicken, Hamburger sliders, and Hot dogs

Folks attending please bring a side dish or dessert to share

\$3 per person, children under 5 free

Enjoy Children's games and Adult bingo!!!

Tickets are available at the parish office during our open hours. Tickets available in the narthex on:
July 27/28 and August 3/4 after all Masses.

We look forward to seeing you there!!!!

Adoration with Upbeat Christian Music! On Sunday, Sept. 15, at 7 PM, our parish is hosting the 177 Project, which is an evening of Eucharistic Adoration and live music, provided by Christian music artist Lee Roessler. We hosted this event last fall, and many who attended asked if we could host the event again this year because of its uplifting music and prayerful atmosphere. Mark your calendars for **Sept. 15** - we welcome all to adore and praise Our Lord at this wonderful free and family-centered event.

THE 177 PROJECT

AN EVENING OF ADORATION AND MUSIC



Saint Joseph Catholic Church
410 E. Simpson St., Mechanicsburg, PA 17055
Sunday, September 15th @ 7pm
FREE ADMISSION. COME LET US ADORE HIM!

July 7, 2019

Weekly Offering: \$ 25,746.00 Offerings Year to Date: \$25,756.00
Weekly Budget: \$ 26,731.00 Budget Year to Date: \$26,731.00
Difference: -\$985.00 Difference: -\$985.00

Previous year offering (07/08/18) \$22,324.00

Additional offerings of \$1,955.00 for debt reduction and \$5.00 for Pentecost.

We received forty-eight (48) E-Checks totaling \$3,645.00, which made up 14.15% of our collection revenue for this past weekend.

Thank you for your continued generosity!!!

Automated Giving Option:



Perhaps your summer vacation is right around the corner!!! There is an easy option for you to remember your parish tithe while you are out and about enjoying all of God's wonderful and beautiful creations!!! Any questions, please contact our

parish Finance Manager at 717-766-9433 ext. 106 or email: finance@stjosephmech.org.

Saint Joseph Parish: MYPARISHAPP is for Apple and Android phones. There are two ways to get the myparishapp on your smart phone. **#1. You can download the app by texting the letters "A-P-P" to the phone number 88202.**

You will be texted a link to tap on, to download the app. **OR #2. You can access the internet from your phone and type in myparishapp.com then select INSTALL. If you receive a message to ALLOW access, please select ALLOW. If you receive a message to select YOUR PARISH enter the zip code 17055 and select: SAINT JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH.**



The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary - a Holy Day of Obligation

All are welcome as we celebrate the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Our Mass times are:

Vigil: Wednesday, August 14:
+6:00 PM

Holy Day: Thursday, August 15:
6:30 AM, 8:30 AM, &
6:00 PM

+ Mass in American Sign Language (ASL)



Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion Training

The following workshops for Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion training have been scheduled by the Office of Divine Worship at the Diocese of Harrisburg:

- July 23 and October 1, 2019 from 6:30 - 8:30 PM at Saint Joseph, Hanover

All workshops are for new and renewing ministers. If you would like to become a Minister of Holy Communion, or are interested in renewing your mandate, please call us at the parish office, 717-766-9433 and we will be happy to assist you.





Saint
Joseph
School



Interested in a Catholic education for your child/children? There is still time to register at Saint Joseph School for the 2019-2020 school year. Please contact Amanda Koerner, Director of Development, at 717-766-2564 to learn more and to arrange a tour of our school. The school office will be closed from July 12 to July 26, 2019. On Monday, July 29 summer office hours will resume, Monday-Thursday, 9AM to Noon. Closed on Friday.

The 8th grade class at Saint Joseph School is collecting used books and DVDs to sell during the Knights of Columbus yard sale on Saturday, September 7th. All proceeds will go towards the 8th grade class graduation and activity fund. Currently they are collecting gently used books (from children to adult), cookbooks, and movies on DVD (from children to adult). If you have any of these items that you would like to donate, please drop them off in the box outside of the school office until August 8th. Items can be dropped off on Mondays through Thursdays from 9 AM until noon. We ask that you do NOT donate

the following items: textbooks, yearbooks, encyclopedias, magazines, VCR tapes, video games or items containing offensive or inappropriate content. Children's books donated should be in great shape. Also, if you have access to sturdy paper boxes WITH LIDS and wouldn't mind dropping them off at school they come in handy for sorting and displaying the books. If you have any questions or need help transporting the books, please contact Maryann Karli at 717-697-9590 or karlitc@outlook.com.

Mass Times for Traveling Catholics at www.MassTimes.org - Don't forget to include Mass in your travel plans. Weekend, week day and Holy day Mass times for virtually all U.S. parishes and those in many other countries are listed. When you are planning your travels go to www.MassTimes.org and enter a zip code, city, state, country or area code for Catholic Church locations and Mass times.

Help Needed! As we create the schedule for next year, we are in need of **Building Monitors** to assist guests at the Parish Life & Education Center. This volunteer ministry assists on **Tuesdays - Thursday evenings 6:00 - 9:00 PM**; and is essential for keeping the building a safe place for all who use it in the evening! Sign-up with a friend and catch up while doing our parish a service! Any time you can give is appreciated. Orientation is provided. Please contact the parish office at 717-766-9433 or email: officemanager@stjosephmech.org to volunteer for this ministry!

JOIN US!

Are you interested in
learning more about the
Catholic faith?

Were you baptized in the Catholic Church, but did not receive the Sacraments of First Eucharist or Confirmation? We offer a year-round opportunity to begin the journey into being received into the Catholic Church. Please contact the Coordinator of Evangelization: Suzanne Bruzga 717-766-9433, ext. 108 or evangelization@stjosephmech.org



School Office Summer Hours - The Main Office will operate on summer hours and is open from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM and will be closed on Fridays.

Trinity is seeking a Concession Stand Manager. To submit your resume or for other inquiries, please contact Gary Bricker, Athletic Director at gbricker@thsocks.us.



LAST FURNITURE MOVE FOR THIS SUMMER - if you need service hours!!! **Monday, July 15 at 6 PM** volunteers are needed to **help move classroom furniture**, as we conclude our summer floor cleaning project. Safety First: friendly reminder, please wear sneakers or closed-toed shoes with back. Please no flip flops, sandals, clogs, etc. **Thank you to all who have helped thus far. We simply function so much better with your service!!!**

We Honor Our Heroes!!!

In the Narthex of the church we are proud to display pictures of parishioners who are on active duty serving in the military. You may have noticed the board missing from the wall! We are currently updating our military parishioners and if you have a family member who is currently on active duty, and would like them included in the display, please send us their picture, including their name, branch, and where they are serving. You can submit these electronically to bulletin@stjosephmech.org or drop off the photo. Please keep these parishioners and all current or former members of the military in your prayers!



Annual Saint Joseph Parish Yard Sale

Sponsored by The Knights of Columbus
in the Parking Lot of
Saint Joseph Parish Life & Education
Center
420 East Simpson Street, Mechanicsburg,
PA 17055

Saturday, September 7, 2019
8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Cost? 11' x 17' Space Donation \$10 (Rain or Shine)
Restrictions? **NO SALE OF FIREARMS, DRUGS, DRUG
PARAPHERNALIA OR PORNOGRAPHIC MATERIAL**
FOOD AND BEVERAGES AVAILABLE!

Pre-registration and additional information call:

Dan Uhaize
921 Eppley Rd.
Mechanicsburg, PA 17055-9746
717-574-7458

YARD SALE SPACE REQUEST

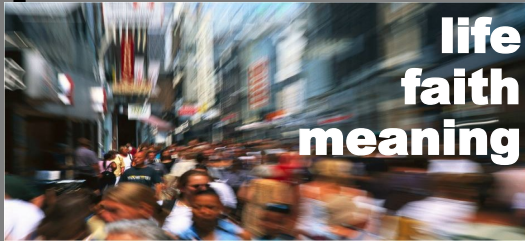
NAME: _____

PHONE: _____

I request _____ space(s) at \$10 each. Total \$ _____

(Make checks payable to Saint Joseph Council 12788)

explore



Try ALPHA !

Alpha is a series of interactive sessions where people have an opportunity to explore life and the Christian faith in a friendly, open and informal environment.

Each of the sessions includes a meal, a short talk, and discussion. Topics include: "Is there more to life than this?", "What does the Holy Spirit do?", "How does God guide us today?"

Give Alpha a "test run" by attending the first session. No commitment necessary. If you like it, come back the next week! After 3 sessions, you can decide if you want to complete the series, which runs through November.

Two scheduling options to choose from:

- Dinner sessions Tuesdays, 6:30 PM beginning 9/10
- Lunch sessions Wednesdays, 11:00 AM beginning 9/11

There is no fee to attend, and walk-ins are always welcome, but we appreciate pre-registration to help us plan for seating and food.

Contact Mary at adultformation@stjosephmech.org or 717-766-9433 for more information.

ALPHA

Submit completed form to the Parish Office or drop it in the collection basket at Mass.

Name _____

Phone _____

Email _____

I will attend: (check one)

- ☐ Tuesday, Sept 10 dinner at 6:30 PM
☐ Wednesday, Sept 11 lunch at 11:00 AM

Optional demographic info:

Were you raised in any religion? No Yes

If yes, what religion? _____

Do you currently practice any religion? No Yes

If yes, what religion? _____

Marital Status (circle one):

Single Married Widowed Divorced Separated

Age (circle one): 18-25 26-35 36-45 46-59 60+

Food allergies/sensitivities _____

Come try our parish's
women's group

Abiding Together!

Thursdays at 7 PM in the
John Paul II room of the Parish

Office. Each week we have a
different stand-alone topic, so you
can drop in any time. We listen to

an episode of the Abiding Together podcast, then discuss
how the ideas presented can enrich our lives. There is no
cost to attend, but your RSVP will help us plan for seating.
Contact Mary at adultformation@stjosephmech.org or
717-766-9433.



Providing a place of
connection, rest and
encouragement for
women who are on the
journey of living out their
passion and purpose in
Jesus Christ.

Hope you can join us!!

Want a preview? Listen to the podcast for free
using your favorite podcast app (iTunes, Stitcher, Spotify,
etc.) or by visiting <https://abidingtogether.fireside.fm/>

Please mark your calendars for the 5th Annual Diocesan Women's Conference at Bishop McDevitt High School, October 12, 2019, from 7 AM - 4 PM. Keynoter is Helen Alvare---popular speaker, author, and Catholic personality. There will be 30+ workshops, Confession available, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with Benediction, beautiful music, many vendors, good food, Mass celebrated by Bishop Gainer, and fellowship with up to 1,000 women.

Registration information coming soon!!!

Charismatic Day of Renewal – This year's theme is *The Beginning and the End: The Healing of Past Soul Wounds* with the Keynote Address by Fr. Paul C.B. Schenck, EdD. The Day of Renewal will be held on Saturday, September 21, from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM at the Diocesan Center 4800 Union Deposit Road, Harrisburg. A breakout session is also planned: "Unleashing the Gifts of the Holy Spirit". Registration includes lunch and is \$20 per adult and \$10 per student (age 16 through college). Register online at www.hbgdiocese.org/renewal. Questions, please contact Joyce at 717-308-7245.

On Tuesday, August 6, at 7:00 PM there will be a Charismatic Mass with prayers for healing at Saint Theresa Church 1300 Bridge St., New Cumberland. Reverend Dwight D. Schlaline, Pastor, Our Lady of the Visitation parish in Shippensburg and Campus Ministry Shippensburg University, will be the celebrant. All are welcome. For information, please call Mary Ann at 717-564-7709.

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK

We would like to thank:

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for sponsoring an advertisement in our parish bulletin.
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