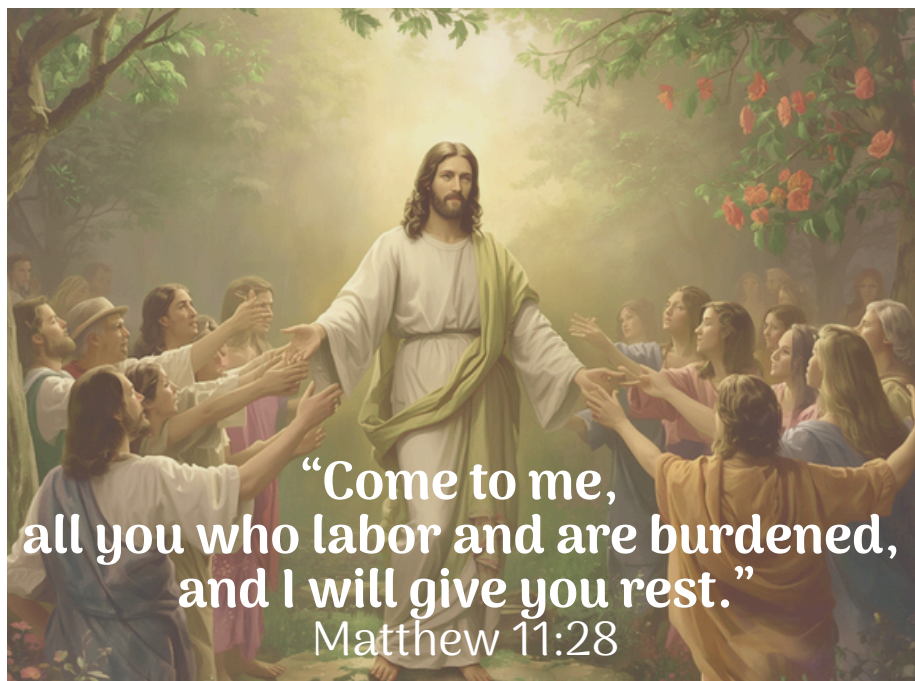


Saint Joseph Parish

Saint Joseph Church- 600 Pennsylvania Avenue West - Warren, PA 16365

Saint Luke Church- 420 North Main Street - Youngsville, PA 16371



**“Come to me,
all you who labor and are burdened,
and I will give you rest.”**
Matthew 11:28

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Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday: 8:00 AM-12:00 PM & 1:00 PM-4:00 PM

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Parish Office: 814-723-2090
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Our mission is to encourage all of our brothers and sisters to share the valuable gifts that each person has to offer our parish community and to invite everyone to participate more fully through prayer, worship, education and fellowship as we proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ under the guidance of the Holy Spirit.

Liturgy Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 PM (St. Joseph)

Sunday: 8:00 AM (St. Luke)

10:00 AM (St. Joseph)*

*May 1st through Labor Day Weekend

10:45 AM (St. Joseph)**

**September through April

Daily Mass: See Schedule inside

Holy Days: See Schedule inside



Hearing
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Available

Sacraments

Baptism- Call the Parish Office

Attendance at Baptismal Preparation Program is required for both parents.

Reconciliation- Saturday: 4:30 to 5:15 PM & by appointment.

Marriage- Diocesan Common Policy requires six months prior notification.

Parish Membership

The faith community of St. Joseph welcomes everyone to our parish especially those who are joining us in worship for the first time or after a long absence. If you wish to become part of our parish family, please register at the Parish Office.

Prayer Chain

For prayer requests, please call Charmell Feaster at 814-726-0455 or Evelyn Stufflebeam at 814-563-4326

Bulletin Deadline

Tuesday Morning in writing

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Readings for the Week

Mon: Hosea 2:16,17c-18,21-22 Gospel: Matthew 9:18-26
Tues: Hosea 8:4-7,11-13; Gospel: Matthew 9:32-38
Wed: Hosea 10:1-3,7-8,12; Gospel: Matthew 10:1-7
Thurs: Hosea 11:1-4,8e-9; Gospel: Matthew 10:7-15
Fri: Hosea 14:2-10 ; Gospel: Matthew 10:16-23
Sat: Isaiah 6:1-8; Gospel: Matthew 10:24-33
Sun: Isaiah 55:10-11; Romans 8:18-23;
 Gospel: Matthew 13:1-23

Masses and Events:

Sun. 7/5
 8:00am Mass @ St. Luke
 10:00am Mass @ St. Joseph
Mon. 7/6 **Parish Office Closed**
 9:00am Daily Mass
Tues. 7/7
 9:00am Daily Mass
 4:00pm-5:00pm Saint Joseph Soup Kitchen take out meals
Wed. 7/8
 9:00am Daily Mass
Thurs. 7/9
 9:00am **NO Daily Mass**
 3:30pm Rosary @ St. Joseph
Fri. 7/10
 9:00am **NO Daily Mass**
Sat. 7/11
 4:30pm Confession
 5:30pm Mass @ St. Joseph
Sun. 7/12
 8:00am Mass @ St. Luke
 10:00am Mass @ St. Joseph

Father on Vacation No Daily Masses @ St. Joseph

There will be no daily masses at Saint Joseph from:
 Thursday 7/9 through Thursday 7/23.
 Daily Mass will resume on Friday 7/24.

Mass Intentions

*Weekend mass intentions, family/friends can bring gifts up to the altar during mass: please let an usher know prior to mass

Sun. 7/5 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 (St. Luke) John & Mary Morgan by Phil & Judy Bosko
 (St. Joseph) Florence Scalise by Jan Graziano & Family
Mon. 7/6 Weekday
 Amanda Hackett by Chuck & Diane Hayes
Tues. 7/7 Weekday
 John Loranger by Patricia Loranger
Wed. 7/8 Weekday
 Richard Whiting by Mary Beth
Thurs. 7/9 Weekday
No Daily Mass
Fri. 7/10 Weekday
No Daily Mass
Sat. 7/11 St. Benedict, Abbot
 Thomas Fadale by Family
Sun. 7/12 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 (St. Luke) The People of St. Luke & St. Joseph
 (St. Joseph) Brian Robeson by Gary & Donna Kephart



A Family Perspective

Today's gospel emphasizes the call to be missionaries. Just as Jesus accepted his mission, parents embrace the mission of raising a family. This exhausting and challenging vocation is not one they face alone. Jesus invites us to find solace in Him, saying, "Come to me, and I will give you rest."



Catholic Services Appeal Update

Our total pledges are \$90,715, \$29,583 over our goal which means the total cost of the Mother's Chapel floor \$19,590 has been paid for. The new floor is beautiful and truly enhances our worship space. Any additional funding will also stay at the parish to support any additional needs the parish may have throughout the year. If you have not made a pledge to the CSA yet, it's not too late. Thank you for your generosity towards the 2026 CSA Appeal, your continued support for our parish community is amazing!



Through the waters of baptism we welcome:
Finley Allen Nuhfer

Son of:
Kevin & Rachel



Marriage Moment

"I love you" are such easy words to say. The almost automatic reply is, "I love you too." But words can sound cheap if too often said casually. Say "I love you," once, with heart, to your spouse today.



The St. Joseph picnic will be on August 30. We will once again picnic on the beautiful grounds of St. Luke. Mass will be celebrated at 10AM in St. Luke Church followed by food and games. Please bring a dish to share. Hamburgers and hotdogs will be provided. There will be NO Sunday Mass at St. Joseph. Signups will be in the coming weeks.



Soup Kitchen Adult Volunteers Needed

Following this year's audit by the PA Department of Agriculture we were notified that the Soup Kitchen is **now required** to serve dine in meals. In order to serve dine in meals we need additional volunteers each week to help serve and clean up. To volunteer please call the parish office or Pat Baily at 814-723-1040.



Works of Mercy AMERICA 250

Thank you to everyone who donated so generously to the St. Joseph Soup Kitchen as part of the America 250 Works of Mercy. Your gifts of dried foods help stock the pantry for several meals!



Wedding Anniversary Celebration

Saint Leo Church in Ridgway, PA will be hosting a mass for couples celebrating any year of marriage on Aug. 30, 2026, at 2:00pm. Come celebrate with Msgr. Richard R. Siefer, the Episcopal Vicar of the East and The Very Reverend Justin Pino. If you would like to attend please contact their parish office at 814-772-3135.



This Week the Sanctuary Candles
 Are In Memory of:
**Rae Kujawa
 & Raffaella Lewis**
 by: Cindy & Holly Zaffino



Liturgical Ministers

Saturday July 11th 5:30PM

Lector- Marlene Sandberg

EMHC- Kirsten & Chris Darling*, Pat Bailey*

Altar Servers- Pete & Josie Bailey

Greeters- Mike & Barb McAvoy

Music- Fran & Georgi

Sunday July 12th 8:00AM St. Luke

Lector- David Markley

EMHC- Bob Pangallo

Ushers- Dave Lang

Sunday July 12th 10:00AM

Lector- Lucy Harrison

EMHC-Denise Pusateri, Patty Rickert, John Rickert*

Altar Servers- Harrison Amsdell, Kenton McGraw

Greeters- Sabina Snyder, John Rickert

Music- Mary Ann & Mary Beth

D.O.G.- Denise



Parenting Pointers

Perhaps you've heard of "The Power of Half" where a wealthy family decides to move to a house half the size and give the proceeds to a hunger cause. This is good but many families don't have the luxury of downsizing this dramatically.

My hope is that families can enter the spirit of such downsizing by jointly deciding what to give away. See, Letting Go of Stuff for ideas.



Snowball Mountain Challenge

August 3rd- 7th 8:30 am- noon
each day at Holy Redeemer Center

The week of VBS we will need about four to five melon ballers. If you have one and are able to let us borrow it, please let Jennifer know at 814-688-3842.

We also will need 12 dozen of a specific sugar cookie so if you are able and willing to bake for us that week, please also let Jennifer know and lastly we need someone to do a small project for us.

This would require a steady hand and patience.

If you are up for the task, please also let Jennifer know.

Thank you... snow grateful for you!

Register your age 3- fifth grader here.

<https://form.jotform.com/260763342465156>

Grades 6- adults please help lead.

Sign up at synergyff@outlook.com

or text Jennifer at 814-688-3842. Thank you!



St Joe's is open for pre-school enrollment

3-year-old & Pre-K.

Call or email the school office for information.

(Enrollment is available for some other grades as well.)



Faith Formation Office in July

Jennifer will continue to work remotely. If you need to meet with her, please call or text to schedule a meeting and know that it will take place outside around the fire pit at Holy Redeemer or by the Mary statue at Saint Joseph.

Thank you for your understanding.

Nicole continues to be available Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays for any questions about faith formation or VBS.

August 11 - Discover a Unique Way Children Ages 3-6 Encounter God

Parents, grandparents, and parishioners of young children (ages 3-6) are warmly invited to a special

"Come & See" evening to experience Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) on Tuesday,

August 11 from 6:00-7:00 PM at St. Mark Catholic Center, 429 E. Grandview Blvd., Erie.

This evening is designed to give adults a glimpse into the peaceful, prayerful environment of the Level I Atrium, where young children encounter Scripture, liturgy, and the love of Jesus, the Good Shepherd, in a deeply personal way. Guests will experience a short Atrium presentation, explore some of the hands-on materials used by the children, and learn how CGS helps children listen for God's voice and grow in relationship with Him. The evening will also include information about CGS opportunities this fall and ways to support the ministry through prayer and financial giving. All are welcome to come and see why Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is unlike any other formation experience for young children. More information and registration can be found at www.eriecd.org/familylifeoffice Registrations are not mandatory, but help us plan well.



St. Joseph Catholic School 15th Annual Golf Scramble Aug. 22nd

Join us for a 4 person scramble to benefit St. Joseph Catholic School.

\$320 per team, includes green fees, cart, beverages, & lunch. Event will be at Blueberry Hill.

If you can't play, but would like to sponsor a hole, scan the bar code or the registration forms can be found at doors of the Church or Parish Office.



Movie Matinee

Join us for THE LAST RODEO

on Monday, August 10th at 2:00 pm at Holy Redeemer.

The Last Rodeo follows a retired bull-riding champion who enters a high-stakes competition to save his grandson, confronting past mistakes and rebuilding family bonds.

Blending sports drama with themes of redemption, faith, and perseverance, it delivers heartfelt performances and old-fashioned charm.

Popcorn and drinks will be served.

Bring your friends!



St. Joseph Parish Weekly Offering June 28th

Saint Joseph Church Weekly Offering-\$4913

Saint Luke Church Weekly Offering-\$770

Thank You for Your Generous Gifts



Saint Joseph Cemetery Donations Needed

The cemetery is looking for donations to help feed the volunteers at the cemetery. Donations of water, Gatorade, snacks, cookies, lunch meat, bread, hot dogs, hamburgers and buns. Donations can be dropped off in the Saint Joseph Parish Office or at the Cemetery Office.

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