

# St. Patrick & St. Joseph



**St. Patrick**



**St. Joseph**

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**Parish Office Hours**  
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday  
9:30am to 1:30pm

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## Worship Schedule

### Saturday Vigils

St. Joseph	4:00pm
St. Patrick	5:30pm

### Sunday

St. Joseph	8:30am
St. Patrick	11:00am

### Daily Liturgy

St. Joseph	Monday & Thursday	12:00pm
St. Patrick	Tuesday & Wednesday	12:00pm

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

St. Joseph - Saturday	3:00 - 3:30pm
Monday & Thursday	upon request
St. Patrick - Tuesday & Wednesday	11:30am before Mass and Saturday following 5:30 Mass

### Adoration

St. Joseph	11:00am-12:00pm
Thursday	
St. Patrick	11:00am-12:00pm
Wednesday	

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***The Most Blessed Sacrament is reserved in our church***

*We respectfully ask that all observe a reverent silence and appropriate dress*



# The Catholic Community of St. Joseph

MINISTRY SCHEDULE  
June 10/11

<b>Saturday 4:00pm</b>
<b>Lector</b> <i>Anna Blackman</i>
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b> <i>Chuck Pike</i>
<b>Sunday 8:30am</b>
<b>Lector</b> <i>Diana Sierra</i>
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b> <i>Linda Romano</i>
<b>Milford Senior Care</b> <b>June 18</b> <i>Carol Cordova</i>

*June 4- June 10*  
*The Sanctuary Candle*  
*burns For*  
*The*  
*Special Intentions*  
*of Our*  
*Confirmation Class*

Weekly Offering

*May 21, 2023*  
*May 28, 2023*

*\$TBA*

***Thank you for your  
generosity!***

## CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR CONFIRMATION CLASS!!

*Nathaniel Carso, Killian Case, Cole Corcoran, Vanessa Dispoto,  
William Fells, Emily Ford, Genevieve Gumaer, Meghan Haggerty,  
Aidan McDonald, Jack Montgomery, Kiera Mulzet, Rylee Nitecki,  
Shannon O'Leary, Megan Ross*

**ALTAR AND ROSARY:** Our next meeting will be Wednesday, May 31 at 2pm. Come join us to say the Rosary followed by an Afternoon Tea. Please bring a snack to share.

**BIBLE STUDY - PRESENCE:** The Mystery of the Eucharist with FORMED.ORG

Session 4 Tuesday 6/6 2pm at St. Joseph's, 7pm at St. Patrick's  
Exceptional program! Come and see. All are welcome.

### **TRI-STATE PREGNANCY CENTER "BABY BOTTLE FUNDRAISER"**

This year our Parish will once again be participating in the Tri-State Pregnancy Center's baby bottle fundraiser. The fundraiser is simple and fun! Please consider picking up a baby bottle from the display Fill it with loose change over the next few weeks, and return it on Father's Day. The Tri-State Pregnancy Center is located in Milford, PA and has helped support women in crisis pregnancies and families in need for over 25 years.

### **COFFEE SOCIAL**

Our next coffee social will be Sunday, June 25th immediately following the 8:30am Mass. Freshly baked goods will be available including everyone's favorite **Bagels!** There will also be individually wrapped treats, fresh fruit, Coffee, tea, juices, and bottled water and at least one sugar-free item!

### **FATHERS DAY ENVELOPES**

Extra Fathers Day Mass Intention Envelopes will be placed on the Altar for the month of June. Additional envelopes are available at all entrances to the Church for anyone who may need one.

**WEEKLY ADORATION:** is held every Thursday from 11:00am—12:00pm

**PRAY THE ROSARY:** Every Monday at 11:30am. In the Church

**ST JOSEPH'S PRAYER CIRCLE:** Anyone who wishes to have prayers said for themselves or another may call Anne Zimmermann @ 570-491-5216. If you wish you may also send the name via email to [zimmermann@stifel.com](mailto:zimmermann@stifel.com)

### **GREATER MILFORD SOCIAL CLUB**

Will have our June dinner on Thursday, June 8th, starting at 6pm. Shannon Wisniewski the Milford outpatient supervisor of Carbon, Monroe, Pike Drug and Alcohol Commission will be speaking. We will have soup, salad, baked ziti, and more. All are welcome and please bring friends. If you would like to help or have any questions please contact Tony, 845-943-0035.

**DISTRIBUTION OF PRECIOUS BLOOD:** We will resume the practice of Distributing the Precious Blood to the faithful at Mass on the Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christie) June 10th & 11th and thereafter on the 1st weekend of every month at St. Patrick's and the 3rd weekend of the month at St. Joseph's. For the last three years, the distribution of the Precious Blood at Mass has been suspended out of an abundance of caution to protect the health and safety of the faithful. The faithful will once again have the option to receive Holy Communion under one or both species. Please understand that those who receive only one species are not deprived in any way of the fullness of the Lord's presence.

## OUR MISSION STATEMENT

We, the parish of St. Joseph's, in union with our Holy Father, our bishop, and our pastor, seek to grow in holiness as a welcoming and caring family reaching out to all. As a faith-filled community celebrating the Eucharist, we strive to enrich our spiritual lives by cultivating a deeper relationship with Christ through the sacraments. We are united in faith and find unity in diversity as we pray for the grace to use our gifts and talents to promote the knowledge of God's love.



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## MINISTRY SCHEDULE

June 10/11

<b>Saturday 5:30pm</b>
<b>Lector</b> Jack Boyle <b>Eucharistic Minister</b> Janey Finnerty
<b>Sunday 11:00am</b>
<b>Lector</b> Karen and Guilanna Demaio <b>Eucharistic Minister</b> Kate Burns
<b>Children's Faith Formation:</b> For information please contact Jack Boyle, DRE at 908-451-1206 or jackb18337@gmail.com.
<b>CCD IMPORTANT DATES:</b> Deacon Cliff Golf Outing- June 12 Vacation Bible Camp- June 26th- June 29th

**June 4—June 10**

*The Sanctuary Candle  
burns*

*In Memory of*

**Robert Kyle**

**By**

**The Kyle Family**

**Weekly Collection**

May 28th, 2023

TBA

**Mortgage Offertory**

May 28th, 2023

TBA

**Thank you for your generosity!**

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**DEACON CLIFF GOLF OUTING:** Please join us for the 2nd annual Deacon Cliff golf outing at the beautiful Lords Valley Country Club on Monday, June 12th! An unforgettable day at this championship golf course features a continental breakfast, access to driving range, putting greens and golf shop, great prizes, cart snacks, \$10,000 Hole in One, and a fabulous Awards Buffet immediately following at Jorgenson's at the Dimmick Inn! Reservations and Sponsorship opportunities are available now at 908-451-1206 or jackb18337@gmail.com. The outing supports Saint Patrick's adult and children's faith formation programs and people helping people.

**VACATION BIBLE CAMP:** Children in First grade through Fifth grade are invited to Vacation Bible Camp, June 26th- June 29th. You'll learn about our faith and have lots of fun doing it! The cost of VBC is a bottle of juice and a box of cookies. We are looking for volunteers from 6th and 7th grades to help run the activities. Contact Shannen Borris (570) 296.7451 in the parish office for more information.

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**PRESENCE, THE MYSTERY OF THE EUCHARIST:** explores the truth and beauty of Christ's real presence in the Eucharist from its origins in Sacred Scripture, to its profound role in the life of the Church and her members. It is the crescendo of the entire story of salvation Join us to watch the series and experience the power of God's mercy in a new way. Tuesday June 6th at 7pm in the Church Hall. Please call Mark Costello at 646-831-9069 with any questions.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO THE CONFIRMATION CLASS!** Christopher Alfaro, Brendan Baird, Harrison Bixby, Samuel Carlozzi, Alyssa Donatone, Olivia Coe, Matthew Ertola, Jack Gagnon, Sara Gagnon, Matthew Marotta, Jack Morris, Alexandra Morton, Sophia Mullen, Isabella Oliveira, Lucas Pardon, Emily Sullivan, and Robert Young received their confirmation on Saturday May 20th. Please keep them in your prayers.

## **St. Patrick's Parish Mission Statement:**

*As the presence of the Catholic Church in a diverse and vibrant area of northeastern Pennsylvania. As disciples, we dedicate ourselves to hearing, learning and sharing the good news of God's Word as we reverently celebrate the presence of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. Together, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, we seek to know, love and serve God. We strive to promote a culture of love and respect for all human life and for the beautiful world in which we live. We welcome all people to participate in the spiritual and social life of our parish family.*



## RememöERING

June 5– June 11

Monday

12:00pm (SJ)

Gertrude Smith

Jim &amp; Maureen Farr

Tuesday

12:00pm (SP)

Barbara Devito

Irene Devito

Wednesday

12:00pm (SP)

Charlotte Dean Bush

Bette Eagan

Thursday

12:00pm (SJ)

Helen "Honey" Hess

Clementina Hess

Friday

NO MASS

Saturday

4:00 PM (SJ)

Mary &amp; Charles Dymeck

Deacon Tom

5:30 PM (SP)

Theodore Kuykendall

Bette Eagan

Sunday

8:30am (SJ)

For the People of  
St. Joseph's Parish

11:00 (SP)

Michael Daniels

The Reilly Family

## Weekly Prayer

## Sunday's Readings

## First Reading:

"The LORD, the LORD, a merciful and gracious God,  
slow to anger and rich in kindness and fidelity."  
(Ex 34:6)

## Psalm:

Glory and praise for ever! (Dn 3:52b)

## Second Reading:

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ  
and the love of God  
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with all of  
you. (2 Cor 13:13)

## Gospel:

For God did not send his Son into the world to  
condemn the world,  
but that the world might be saved through him.  
(Jn 3:17)

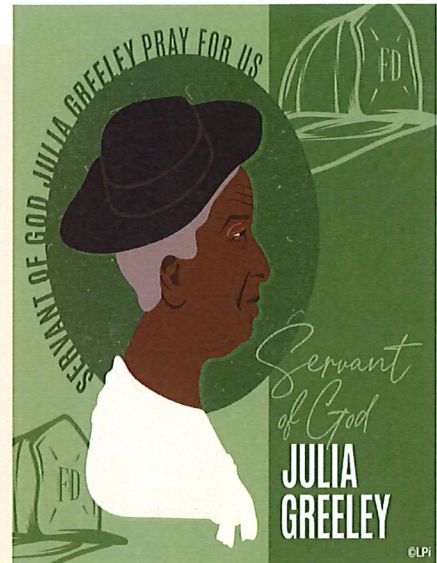
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Live The Liturgy  
Inspiration of the Week

On this Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, we  
are reminded to encourage one another, to show  
affection and support. Can we do it? Can we do  
it in our daily interactions, in our families? Can we  
even do it on social media?

Observances for the week of  
June 4, 2023

- Sunday:** The Most Holy Trinity  
**Monday:** St. Boniface, Bishop and Martyr  
**Tuesday:** St. Norbert, Bishop  
**Friday:** St. Ephrem, Deacon and Doctor of the Church  
**Next Sunday:** The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ



## Saint of the week

Servant of God Julia Greeley, Denver's  
Angel of Charity, was born into slavery and  
emancipated after the Civil War. She spent  
her life serving the poor with a special  
devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus  
and a love for children and praying for the  
city's fire fighters.

## Prayer

Heavenly Father, Your servant Julia  
Greeley dedicated her life to honoring  
the Sacred Heart of Your son and to the  
humble service of the poor. Grant to me a  
generous heart like Your son's, and if it be  
in accordance with your holy will, please  
grant this favor I now ask through Julia's  
intercession (insert intention).

I pray this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

(Prayer Source: Julia Greeley Guild, 1535 N. Logan  
St., Denver CO 80213.)