

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH 309 AVENUE F, MATAMORAS, PA 18336 PH 570-491-2618 or 570-491-4404
 EMAIL: stjosephchurch@optonline.net OFFICE HOURS MONDAY & THURSDAY 10:00am – 2:00pm

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Monday	12:00 PM	May 31	Rosemarie Havlicek requested by Rosemary & Steve Babey
Tuesday		June 01	NO MASS
Wednesday		June 02	NO MASS
Thursday	12:00 PM	June 03	Salvatore Prisco Jr. requested by Maureen & Jim Farr
Friday		June 04	NO MASS
Saturday		June 05	Helen "Honey" Hess requested by the Family
Sunday	8:30 AM	June 06	Father's Day Intentions
Sanctuary Candle		05/30 – 06/05	In Memory of Eleanor Roll requested by The Bensley Family

IN MEMORIUM: Please remember in your prayers *Eleanor Roll* who passed away. May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

NEW MASS GUIDELINES: Effective immediately all FULLY-VACCINATED individuals are not required to wear masks while attending Mass or receiving Holy Communion. You are welcome to wear your mask if desired. If you are NOT FULLY-VACCINATED you must continue to wear your mask during Mass and Holy Communion. Pews and floors are no longer marked for social distancing. We ask that you please try to maximize the use of space as much as possible. The definition of FULLY-VACCINATED is: two weeks after your second dose of Pfizer or Moderna Vaccines or two weeks after your single dose of the J&J Vaccine. **If you are experiencing any Covid-19 symptoms PLEASE DO NOT ENTER THE CHURCH.** Thank you for your patience!

LISTENING IN THE PARKING LOT: We will no longer be offering to listen to Mass on the Radio in the parking lot as of June 1st. Weekend Mass will still be available for viewing on our website www.stjosephsmatamoras.com

CONFESSIONS RESUME: Confessions will be heard in the Confessional on Saturdays from 3 – 3:30pm.

FATHER DAY INTENTION ENVELOPES: Additional Father's Day Intention Envelopes are available at each entrance to the Church. These envelopes will be placed on the Altar for the entire month of June to remember your loved ones.

TRI-STATE PREGNANCY CENTER FUNDRAISER "BABY BOTTLE BOOMERANG": This is a simple, fun and easy way to support our local Tri-State Pregnancy Center. Take an empty bottle home with you and fill it with your loose change from now through Father's Day. Empty Baby Bottles are available at all entrances to the Church.

QUO VADIS DAYS 2021: will be held June 20-22 at Marywood University, Scranton. This camp is for young Catholic men in High School (who were in 9-12th grade during the 2020/2021 school year) to deepen their faith, learn more about all vocations, and better discern God's call in their lives. The camp will feature dynamic talks, prayer, games, sports, activities, music and more. Participants will have the opportunity to meet Bishop Bambera, priests and seminarians of the Diocese of Scranton. Online registration is now open at vocations.dioceseofscranton.org. For more information, call 570-207-1452.

11th ANNUAL DIOCESE OF SCRANTON VOCATIONS GOLF CLASSIC: To benefit our future Priests! Monday, July 12th Captain & Crew, Blue Ridge Trail Golf Club, Mountain Top, PA 10:00am Registration 11:00am Lunch, Noon Shotgun Start. Reception and dinner following golf. Visit dioceseofscranton.org/vocations-golf or call 570-207-2250 for more info.

WEBSITE: Please visit our website, www.stjosephsmatamoras.com for the most recent announcements, spiritual references and updates. You can also follow us on Facebook at [@stjosephsmatamoraspa](https://www.facebook.com/stjosephsmatamoraspa) and on Twitter [@stjosephs_pa](https://twitter.com/stjosephs_pa) Also visit our Diocesan website, www.dioceseofscranton.org for more spiritual resources.

ONLINE GIVING: If your circumstances permit, we ask you to kindly continue your generous support of our parish during the Pandemic. Your offerings make a huge impact on being able to pay our monthly bills. If you are interested in online giving, please visit our website and click on WeShare. We are grateful to you for your continued generosity.