

# ***Saint Joseph Catholic Parish***

**Saint Joseph Parish  
Rev. William Barbee, Pastor  
721 Monroe Street  
Berwick, Pennsylvania 18603  
October 3, 2021**

**Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary time**

**Rossello Parish Office  
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**Office hours Monday Thru Thursday  
9:00AM to 4:00PM**

**2021 THE YEAR OF SAINT JOSEPH**



## **27<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

He said to them in reply, "What did Moses command you?" They replied, "Moses permitted a husband to write a bill of divorce and dismiss her." But Jesus told them, "Because of the hardness of your hearts he wrote you this commandment. But from the beginning of creation, God made them male and female." - Mk 10:3-6

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Berwick is a great place to raise a family. It has all the charm of a small town, and at St. Joseph's, St. Mary's, and Ss. Cyril & Methodius Ukrainian Catholic Church for the family to participate in the sacramental life of the Church.

What does a Catholic family look like?

John Paul II Renewal Center list five marks of a Catholic family:

(<https://jp2renew.org/five-marks-of-a-catholic-family/>)

1. Catholic Families Worship Together
2. Catholic Families Pray Together
3. Catholic Families are Called to Intimacy
4. Catholic Families Put Family First
5. The Catholic Family is a Witness and Sign

A Prayer for our families:

We bless your name, O Lord,  
for sending your own incarnate Son,  
to become part of a family,  
so that, as he lived its life,  
he would experience its worries and its joys.

We ask you, Lord,  
to protect and watch over our families,  
so that in the strength of your grace  
its members may enjoy prosperity,  
possess the priceless gift of your peace,  
and, as the Church alive in the home,  
bear witness in this world to your glory.  
We ask this thought Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Your Pastor,  
Father William Barbee

**Starting in October there will be an increase for the Sanctuary and Vigils candles.**

**Sanctuary Lights \$12.00 and**

**Vigil Lights \$ 7.00**

**Thank you !**

The Diocese of Harrisburg Women's Conference will be Saturday, OCT 16th, from 7:00 AM - 4:15 PM. The keynote speaker will be Theresa Farnan, PhD. The theme is: Catholic Motherhood: Life-Giving Love. It will be held at Bishop McDevitt High School, [1 Crusader Way, Harrisburg, PA 17111](#). The registration deadline is WED, OCT 13<sup>th</sup>, by 11:59 PM. You can register at <https://www.hbgdiocese.org/event/womens-conference/> and click REGISTER ONLINE. The registration fee is \$35 or same day/on-site registration is \$50. Lunch is provided.

Parish Staff : Phone # 570-752- 7000

**Rev. William Barbee, Pastor ext. 104**

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Offertory collection **Sept.27, 2021**

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2nd collection 25.00

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Vigil 89.00

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**Please pray** for the safety of our men and women in the armed forces whether home or abroad.

**Steven Huntz, Holly & Joe Gilliam,**  
U.S. Air Force

**Ryan Kowalski, Jamie Ferraro** U.S. Navy,  
**Victor (JR) Rosati, Ben Brown,**

U.S. Army National Guard

**Vincent Rosati,** U.S. Marines.

**Dylan Everett,** U.S. Army.

**Jonathan Barbee,** U.S. Active  
Guard & Reserves



Starting in October we will have flags available for display with the name of your active duty or veteran military member. Please stop by or call the office at St. Joseph's or St. Mary's and submit the name or names you would like to have displayed. We are asking for a five-dollar donation. Proceeds will go to The Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA.\*





**Mass Schedule:**

**Mon. Oct. 4 Saint Francis of Assisi**

**Masses at Immaculate Conception Church**

**Tues. Oct. 5 Weekday  
8:30 AM + Robert Samsel**

**Wed. Oct.6 Weekday  
8:30 AM + Weaver & Picarelli Family**

**Masses at Saint Joseph Parish**

**Thurs. Oct.7 Our Lady of the Rosary  
8:30AM + Alfred & Evelyn Guarino / Anna**

**Fri. Oct. 8 Weekday  
8:30 AM + Paul Levitski / CCW**

**Sat. Oct. 9 Weekday  
Confessions 3:00 PM to 3:30 PM  
4:00 PM + Steve DiPippa / Pam Davenport**

**Sun. Oct.10 Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
8:30 AM People of the Parish  
The Rosary is prayed before each mass.**

**Week of October3, 2021**

**Sanctuary Light: + Pauline DeFelice / Family  
Vigil Intentions**

**Saint Anthony +Rose Miller/ Kathie DiPippa  
Sacred Heart of Jesus: + Rose Berlin/  
Tony & Francine Silvetti**

**Infant of Prague: + Luis Pardo/ Ross & Janet Trapano  
Our Lady of Fatima: Honor Mary Knorr / Frances Zinich  
Saint Therese : Honor Helen Dalberto/ Dolores Norce**

**Parish Prayer List**

Stewart Anderson  
Bonnie Anderson  
Jennifer Kocela Baur  
Wendy Bokrosh  
Florian Bacon  
Phquita Balderson  
Judy Cerasoli  
Vincenzo Cerasoli  
Brian Cole  
Margaret DiBattista  
Elaine DeFinis  
Helen Dalberto  
Dorothy Dalessandro  
Jane DeFebo  
Nancy DeMarco  
Gloria Dendler  
Millie Descul  
Patricia Eckrote  
Sophia Esposito  
Steve Felix  
Peter Ferro  
Mallory Frye  
Colleen Gallick  
John Getty  
MaryLouis Gombos  
Robert Gombos  
Diane Howell  
Rosemary Hrusko  
Jolene Hueholt  
Beverly Hufford  
Richard Kessler  
Joyce Kishbaugh  
Mary Knorr  
Dorothy Koscie

Diane Kowalski  
Ryan Kowalski  
Betty Krepich  
Tyler Labus  
Michael Labus  
Ed Larlick  
Stephen M. Lazar  
Kelby Linsey  
Tim Legg  
Edith Marsicano  
Nicole McCloskey  
Debbie Modlesky  
Marie Montecalvo  
Lori Moran  
Jeremy Moyer  
Ryan Musser ( child)  
Betty Penles  
Carol Phillips  
John Petruzella  
Jerry Prushinski  
Karleen Smith  
Beth Snyder  
C.J. Stalega  
Christine Strohl  
Jeannete Tomassacci  
Alice Thomas  
Ruth Ann Traugh  
Christopher Turner  
Christopher Urban  
Nester Urban  
Phyllis Urban  
Lucy Volpicelli  
Mariann Waselus  
Linda Whitner  
Kathe Wunder  
Frances Zinich

**In the charity of your prayers,**

Kindly remember the happy repose  
of : **Father Andrew Marinak**  
Past Priest of  
Saint Joseph Parish.  
May he rest in peace, Amen.



*The Council of Catholic Women is still offering  
Saint Joseph rosaries for sale. You may purchase  
them at the office or by contacting any member of  
the Ladies Council. What a great gift.*

**Save the Date**

**CCW meeting Monday, Oct 4th, 6pm in the Church Hall**

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**2021 Public Rosary Crusade**

**Please join us in praying for our nation :  
October 16 @ 12:00 noon. Please bring a chair.**

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**Saturday Oct 16th and 17th @ St Joseph Church Hall  
" The Voice of John" @ 10:00 am**

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**Fall Craft Show, Saturday Nov. 6,  
from 9 AM to 2 PM St. Joseph Church Hall**

**UPDATE YOUR INFORMTION** *Have you moved, changed your  
address, phone number or email address or made any other  
changes in your household ? Are you new to our area and  
need to register? Are you recently married or would like to  
have your child baptized? Have you stopped receiving envel-  
opes ? Please call the parish office at 570 752 7000 to have  
your records updated. Thank you !*



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