# St. Stanislaus Cathedral

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# Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time August 25, 2019



Masses: 8:00 am – Traditional Holy Mass9:30 am – Contemporary Holy Mass11:15 am – Traditional Holy Mass, Cathedral Chapel, Our Savior, Tripp Park

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#### **TODAY**

Bishop Bernard is in Long Island to celebrate the sacrament of confirmation at St Francis Parish, East Meadow

**<u>TUESDAY</u>** 6:30 pm – Parish Committee monthly meeting

#### **THURSDAY**

6:30 pm - Cathedral Chorale rehearsal

## NEXT SUNDAY, September 1<sup>st</sup> – Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Holy Mass: 8:00 am Traditional 9:30 am Contemporary 11:15 am Cathedral Chapel, Tripp Park

<u>CHOIR REHEARSAL to RESUME</u> – Choir rehearsals will begin again on **Thursday, August 29<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm.** We would love to have new members, so don't be shy! You do not have to be a "great" singer to join a choir. Singers of all abilities can learn to blend and support each other. Do not MISS OUT on the blessing of singing in the choir. Speak to Beth if interested.

<u>APPARTMENT for RENT</u> – The **first-floor apartment** at 1115 Pittston Ave. is available for rent. 2 bedrooms/dining room/ kitchen & full bath. Off street parking available. Anyone interested please call Ed Borek at the Parish Office 570-961-9231.

<u>OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD</u> – It's never too early to think of Christmas presents for Operation Christmas Child! Because it's the perfect time of year to get some nice back-to-school bargains, St. Stanislaus UYA decided to gear up early with this annual project and to also work in conjunction with the PNCC's Future Direction Committee's 2019 Year of Discipleship with August's focus on CHILDREN.

If you would like to make a difference in the life of a needy child, please participate with us! We will have some shoe boxes (and a sample of a completed box) available every week after mass. Feel free to use your own shoe boxes, too: just make sure to wrap the lid and box separately. There are the easy-to-follow guidelines at <u>www.samaritanspurse.org/operation-christmas-child</u>. If you cannot fill a shoe box but would like to help, you can make a **\$9 contribution just for the shipping of a shoe box**.

We were blessed to be introduced many years ago to this awesome program by our late youth chaplain Bp. Stanley Bilinski. We started because *he* saw value in it; we have continued annually because *we* see value in it. Please consider joining forces with us to make this a record breaking year for our Operation Christmas Child project by helping us reach **our goal of 25+ boxes!** All filled boxes will be collected in the church hall now through November 17<sup>th</sup>.

Thank you for your continued support of our outreach efforts. The St. Stanislaus UYA

*Lectors:*  **8/25** – 8:00 – K. Michalina 9:30 – J. Scheuneman & R. Seliga 11:15 – L. McConlogue **9/1** – 8:00 – K. Michalina 9:30 – M. Stankowski & L. Pfohl 11:15 – L. McConlogue **<u>GIANT OUTDOOR FLEA MARKET</u>** will be held on the Parish grounds on Saturday, September 7, 2019 from 8:00 AM till 2:00 PM, **Holy Mother of Sorrows**, 212 Wyoming Ave., **Dupont**, **PA**. Polish foods will be available.

**POLISH HARVEST (DOŻYNKI) FESTIVAL** will be held on the parish grounds Sunday, September 8, 2019 from 12:00 PM till 6:00 PM, **Holy Mother of Sorrows**, 212 Wyoming Ave., **Dupont, PA**. Blessing of the harvest wreath at 12:00 PM. Live entertainment (Joe Lastovica and Polka Punch) from 2:00 PM – 6:00 PM. Homemade Polish Food (potato pancakes, pierogi, golabki, haluski, kielbasa as well as hamburgers, hot dogs, sausage, clam chowder, funnel cakes, baked goods. Basket raffles, jar games, instant bingo and more!

**POLISH NATIONAL UNION of AMERICA DISTRICT 1** is holding a Dine to Donate fundraiser at the Texas Roadhouse in Dickson City on Thursday, September 19 from 3pm-10pm. Texas Roadhouse will donate 10% of your total food bill to District 1 when you give them the invitation which can be found in the church hall. You could also show them the invitation on your phone. The invitation can be found on the Polish National Union of America Facebook page. Thank you for your support. See you then!

**2019 Education and Youth Commission Raffle** – The Education & Youth Commission of the Polish National Union of America is once again hosting a raffle to benefit our College Stipend Program. The raffle will be held on December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2019 @ the PNU Home Office, 1006 Pittston Avenue, Scranton, Pa. Donations for these tickets are \$5.00 each or 3 tickets for \$10.00.

First Prize – \$400 cash Second Prize – Amazon Echo Third Prize – \$100 cash

We greatly appreciate your support and generosity as we continue to support the ministries of this commission to benefit our youth. Monetary donations are always graciously accepted towards the funding for this stipend program, and can be mailed directly to the following address:

Education and Youth Commission of the PNU c/o Mary Ann Stankowski 1006 Pittston Avenue, Scranton, Pa 18505 (checks made payable to Education and Youth Commission).

Thank you, and if you are interested in tickets they are available in your parish halls, PNU Home Office, or just contact Mary Ann Stankowski at 570-341-0986, or eyc@pnu.org.

<u>YMS of R GROVE RENTAL</u> – Reserve your day at the YMS of R grove for 2019! If you would like to reserve the YMS of R Grove for a summer outing, please contact Artie Golembeski at <u>570-575-5231</u> or via email at <u>artbowl@msn.com</u>. Spots are filling up fast. So if you have a family reunion or a birthday party coming up, why not reserve the grove for the day.

**<u>FLOWER FUND</u>** – is accepting donations in memory of or in honor of a loved one. Checks should be made out to the ANS Flower Fund and can be dropped off in the Parish Office. Any questions contact Connie Tellep at <u>jtellep@nep.net</u> or <u>570-222-4409</u>.

**<u>FOOD PANTRY</u>** – Please bring **macaroni and cheese** on Sunday, **September 1** for our One Hot Meal Food Pantry. Thank you for your continued support of this important project.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY – Aug 21 – Paul Jr. & Amy Kowalski; Aug 26 - Richard & MaryAnn Segiel; Aug 27 – Carl & Grace Weaver; Aug 29 – Micah & Kimberly Shiner-Rathbun, Al & Ann Ankerway

<u>HAPPY BIRTHDAY</u> – Aug 16 – Craig Kowalski; Aug 25 – Ronald Kochan, Amanda Evans; Aug 26 – Christine Patrick, Grace Grotnik; Aug 28 – Amy Cadden, Aug 29 – Christine Gerardi, Laura Nitch

FRIENDS in the HOSPITAL – August 23<sup>rd</sup> – \*Mt. View: Rosalie Aebli, Paulette Wincovich

**FRIENDS RECOVERING at HOME** – Annette Cimino, Jean Cwynar, Joann Edwards, Ceil Gorgol, Josephine Kwiatkowski, Helen Lukasiewicz, Bob Matylewicz, Chet Nezelkewicz, Jean Sherman, Jake Stankowski. Please pray for them.

## THIS WEEK'S LITURGIES

Monday, August 26 8:30 am – Mass of the day Tuesday, August 27 8:30 am – Mass of the day Wednesday, August 28 8:30 am – Mass of the day Thursday, August 29 8:30 am – Healing mass Friday, August 30 8:30 – Mass of the day Saturday, August 31 8:30 am – sp. Robert Kurtz & Robert Kurtz, Jr. by James & Linda Kurtz

