

St. Stanislaus Cathedral

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The First Parish of the Polish National Catholic Church

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Peter Picerno, DMA – Organist / Director of Music

Passion Sunday

March 13, 2016



Masses: 8:00 am – Traditional Holy Mass **9:30 am** – Contemporary Holy Mass
11:15 am – Traditional Holy Mass, at Our Savior Chapel, Tripp Park

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TODAY, March 13th

Breakfast Buffet with the Easter Bunny following 9:30 mass

11:30 am – Monthly ANS meeting, Chancery

MONDAY, March 14th

6:30 pm – Bible Study, Chancery conference room

WEDNESDAY, March 16th

7:00 pm – Stations of the Cross, Cathedral Chorale readers

7:45 PM – Tenebrae Choir

THURSDAY, March 17th

6:30 pm – Cathedral Chorale rehearsal

6:30 pm – Cathedral Handbell Choir rehearsal

St. Stanislaus Youth Basketball practice

6:30 - 7:15 – Pre-k – 5th grade

7:15 - 8:00 – 6th grade and up

FRIDAY, March 18th

12:00 pm – Stations of the Cross, chapel

7:00 pm – Stations of the Cross, Tripp Park

St. Stanislaus Youth Basketball games →

SATURDAY, March 19th

9:10 am – Confirmation class

10:30 am – Youth Choir rehearsal, lower auditorium

9:30 am – Communion class

NEXT SUNDAY, March 20th – Palm Sunday

Holy Mass: **8:00 am** Traditional – **9:30 am** Contemporary – **11:15 am** Our Savior Chapel-Tripp Park

MUSIC NOTES – Among Bach’s many organ works is a large body of chorale preludes which is music based on hymnody. These pieces are the compositional equal of any music that he wrote since they are often full of musical symbolism reflecting the hymn texts. *O man bewail* is a lament for our sins and is cast as a highly ornamented melody which is accompanied by accompaniment which contains many ‘sigh’ motifs. *Our Father* is a compositionally austere setting of a hymn based on The Lord’s Prayer. The slow-moving texture represents the solemnity of the prayer while the hymn melody is presented in the top voice of the texture.

UPCOMING SPECIAL LENTEN SERVICES – (1) the Scranton Seniorate Lenten Retreat at the Cathedral on the day before Palm Sunday; (2) the Living Stations on Palm Sunday afternoon; (3)

Lectors:

3/13 – 8:00 – C. Ross

9:30 – M. Hughes & M. Stankowski

11:15 – L. Mc Conlogue

3/20 – 8:00 – J. Andrzejewski

9:30 – J. Ostroski & P. Kowalski

11:15 – C. Ross

Game times

Pre-k & Kindergarten – 6:15-6:45 p.m.

1st, 2nd & 3rd grades – 6:45-7:30 p.m.

4th & 5th grades – 7:30-8:15 p.m.

6th, 7th & 8th grades – 8:15-9:00 p.m.

9th grade & up – 9:00-9:45 p.m.

the Mass of Chrism at the Cathedral on Holy Tuesday afternoon; (4) the Rite of Tenebre on Good Friday evening.

SCRANTON SENIORATE LENTEN RETREAT – Saturday, March 19th, Cathedral in the lower auditorium in the Year of Reverence, 11:00 am – 1:30 pm: **Reverence in Our Life: Spiritual and Social. Please use the SIGN UP SHEET in the lower auditorium.**

HOMEMADE BREAD SALE – We will be making Homemade Easter bread on Saturday, March 19th, 2016. Those who placed orders can pick them up after 4:00 pm Saturday in the youth center or following the masses on Sunday, March 20th, 2016 downstairs in the church hall. Thanks again for your cooperation and supporting us for this fundraiser as we make plans to attend Convo 2016 this July.

300 CLUB WINNERS - WEEK 7 – March 6, 2016 - \$100.00 - Helen T. Pron; \$50.00 - Stankowski Boys, Dorothy Andrzejewski; \$25.00 - Sammy Raub, St. Stanislaus PNCC, Frances Owcarz, Paul Kowalski, Jr.

The FOUR LENTEN DISCIPLINES – Praying, Fasting, Alms Giving and Daily Bible Readings

Let's live Lent as People of the Resurrection.....

....following our Saviour as he takes up his cross. We repent of our sins. We live Lent knowing the end of the story. Our sins are forgiven, washed away in Jesus' blood. The promise of the empty tomb is the promise of paradise!

PRAISE THE LORD

Praise the God of our salvation

Sunday	My strength and my song	Exodus 15:1-6
Monday	Praise His name	Psalm 149
Tuesday	Sing psalms and hymns	Colossians 3:12-17
Wednesday	It was fitting to celebrate	Luke 15:11-32
Thursday	Celebrate God's mighty deeds	Psalm 150
Friday	Rejoice always	1 Thessalonians 5:16-22
Saturday	A sacrifice of praise	Hebrews 13:12-16

WE COULD USE – your still usable refrigerator and other large kitchen appliances for our Pittston Avenue property. Please contact Ed Borek at 570.587.2925 the availability of your items for us.

APARTMENT SPRUCING-UP HELP NEEDED – on the second floor of our Pittston Avenue property. We need helpers to paint walls, clean rugs and tidy up before it can be rented as an income source for our Parish. Please contact Ed Borek at [570-587-2925](tel:570-587-2925) to volunteer for even a few hours on even only one day - or more, if possible, because it all helps.

THE BISHOP HODUR RETREAT AND RECREATION CENTER – Looking for a rental place for a graduation party, birthday party, family reunion or just an outing with your parish? The Bishop Hodur Retreat and Recreation Center offers one day outing for member of the PNCC or PNU for only \$225. This includes the use of the pavilion, kitchen and pool with lifeguard. If you are interested in overnight stays you can find rates on our website. http://www.pncc.org/?page_id=22 for inquires or questions please contact Stacey Shrive at 570-840-9108.

FOOD PANTRY – Please bring **Spaghetti's** on Sunday, **March 20th** for the One Hot Meal Pantry. Thank you for your continued support of this important project.

THE FLOWER FUND – is currently accepting donations for Easter Flowers. Your donation will add to the beauty of the Cathedral during this most Holy Season.

FLOWER FUND – is accepting donations in memory of or 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 jtellep@nep.net or [570-222-4409](tel:570-222-4409).

HAPPY BIRTHDAY – **Mar 13** – Angela Ostrowski; **Mar 14**- Jean Cwynar; **Mar 16** - Wanda Duszko; **Mar 17** - Marcus Dermont; **Mar 18** - Jean Pucher, Kathy Meyers, Lindsey Jenkins; **Mar 19** - Gretchen Middleton

THIS WEEK'S LITURGIES
Monday, March 14
 8:30 am – Mass of the Day
Tuesday, March 15
 8:30 am – Elementary School Mass
Wednesday, March 16
 8:30 am – Mass of the day
Thursday, March 17
 8:30 am – Healing Mass
Friday, March 18
 8:30 am - Elementary School Mass
Saturday, March 19
 8:00 am – sp. John Halko by Mr. & Mrs. Frank Desano & family

FRIENDS IN THE HOSPITAL – March 11 – *Abington: Ann Kazmierczak; *Mt. View: Amelia Liska, Marie Marcinkowski, Paulette Wincovich; *Wayne Woodlands: Ed Solosky; *St. Mary's Villa: Clara Zlotowski

FRIENDS RECOVERING AT HOME – Jean Cwynar, Wanda Dusko, Joann Edwards, Donny Godek, Josephine Kwiatkowski, Virginia Meyer, Chester Nezelkewicz, Art Schmidt Jr., Ann Seig, Ann Stets, Mary Szajna, Romaine Thomas. Please pray for them.