

St. Stanislaus Cathedral

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Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 3, 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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MONDAY, July 4th

11:00 am – Holy Mass will be celebrated at Spójnia Farm in the Chapel (in the former Manor at Waymart). (see announcement)

WEDNESDAY, July 6th

6:00 pm – ANS monthly meeting (see announcement)

NEXT SUNDAY, July 10th – Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 am Holy Mass, The Grotto, Cathedral Cemetery, Minooka

MUSIC NOTES – The piece *I vow to thee, my country*, which is played for the prelude and sung as the offertory solo at 9:30, is a rare instance of a composition finding a new and very different life with the composer's help. Many times music is arranged for a different medium either after the composer is dead or without the composer's help or prior knowledge. In this case, the tune was originally part of the movement *Jupiter* from a large orchestral suite Gustav Holst wrote called *The Planets*. When Holst was asked to set the text *I vow to thee, my country*, written by Sir Cecil Spring Rice, to a tune, Holst, according to his daughter, was so over-worked that he was delighted to find that the text fit the 'Jupiter theme,' thus *I vow to thee, my country* was born and has had a long, famous, and beloved life. Rice's text (which is printed in the 9:30 Order of Worship) is very suitable for the observance national days since it expresses the combination of loyalty both to one's homeland as well as to the kingdom of heaven.



4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION AT THE BISHOP HODUR RETREAT AND RECREATION CENTER

– In honor of Independence Day, Mass will be celebrated at 11:00 a.m. in the Chapel at the former Manor at Waymart. Prime Bishop Mikovsky will be the principal celebrant of the Mass and the homily will be offered by Fr. Jim Konicki, Chaplain for the Kurs. A picnic will follow mass. Great Food and Activities. Polish Favorites; Potato Pancakes, Piggies, Kielbasa, Pierogies, Haluski, and American Food-Hot Dogs, Hamburgers, French Fries. Entertainment: Raffles and Kids Games, Bounce House Obstacle Course, Cotton Candy and Fellowship. Come and enjoy the day at Spojnia Farm!

JULY PICNIC – SECOND SUNDAY – is cancelled this year. Mass that day will be celebrated out of doors at the Grotto of Christ Benign on our cemetery. One Mass for the Cathedral Parish at both locations in town will be offered at 10:00 am using the Traditional form with time for fellowship and the coffee hour afterwards at the pavilion. The coffee hour for that day is being arranged by our YMS of R.

VENUE FOR SECOND SUNDAY MASS – The weather predictions are PERFECT for Mass at the cemetery on July 10th. **However, if there is a question for the location of the Mass, please call the parish office at 570-961-9231 from 8:00 pm NEXT SATURDAY, July 9th.** The voicemail announcement will inform you whether the Mass will be celebrated at the cemetery or in the Cathedral. Greeters will be at the cemetery to inform people to return to the Cathedral in case of rain.

THANK YOU – The St. Stanislaus Handbell Choir would like to graciously "Thank" our congregation for their generous donations during our coffee hour held on June 26th, 2016. We appreciate those who so kindly put a little extra in our basket as well as those who baked or brought a little extra something for us. Thank you to the members of the handbell choir and their families for bringing the necessary items to make this event successful. All proceeds from this coffee hour will go into our treasury so we can purchase music, save for the refurbishing of the handbells, as well as any other items we may need. It was greatly appreciated and as always we thank our church community for their support and dedication to our organization. Thank you! *Mary Ann Stankowski*

CHICKEN BBQ – Our church held another very successful, second of the season, Chicken BBQ on Saturday, June 25th. The net income, after expenses, was \$1,211.72. We would like to acknowledge the following volunteers who took time out of their busy schedules to help make this a great outreach event; Marianne Adams, Fred Aebli, Chris Arheart, Don Blackledge, Ed Borek, Mary Lou Crispino, Frank, Nick & Jacob Gerardi, Paul Kowalski, Jr., Krystian Mays, Jack & Henrietta Ostroski, Kevin Pfohl, Bob Seliga & Leon Gorgol, Jr., who resides in Florida and was visiting local relatives. Thanks to all of our parishioners who supported this event and especially to our Hispanic neighbors, who probably accounted for 50% of our customers. Our next BBQ will be on Saturday, August 20th. If you missed the past two, you missed some excellent summer food. Please join us in August. THANK YOU! *Paul & Sylvia Kowalski.*

ANS NOTES – The ANS would like to extend our sincerest thanks & appreciation to our sister, Jennifer Gerardi for June Altar Care. May the Holy Spirit bestow his blessings on this special "Earth Angel"!

The ANS will hold its monthly meeting on Wednesday, July 06th @ 6 p.m. @ the YMSR Park (weather permitting...?) Our theme.... "Picnic in the Park"! "WE" would like to extend an invitationto be "OUR GUEST"....to those considering joining this awesome sodality. Looking forward to spending some sisterly fellowship with present & future members of this society! Thank You & God Bless, *Kathy Michalina*

THE CATHEDRAL CHORALE – is now in 'summer mode' which means that they are taking a well-deserved break from regular rehearsals and are singing from the (cooler) main floor of the nave. We express our gratitude to them for regularly attending rehearsals throughout the 'choral season' as well as being in the choir loft 'on duty' for regular Sunday Masses as well as the many extra Masses and Services throughout the year. They will resume regular rehearsals, as well as singing from the choir loft, in September.

FLEA MARKET NEWS – Our annual Flea Market will be held July 22-24. This event continues to be one of our most successful fund raisers, thanks to your generosity and support. We are accepting drop-offs Mon-Fri from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM. The absolute last day for drop-offs is Fri Jul 15. For more info or to arrange a large item pick-up, call Bernie Kalteski @ [570-842-4261](tel:570-842-4261). Please consider volunteering this year.

53RD ANNUAL OPEN PIT CHICKEN BARBECUE – sponsored by the Young Men Society of Resurrection will be held on Saturday, July 16, 2016 on Holy Mother of Sorrows church grounds from 12 to 6:00 PM. Donation is \$12. Dinner includes half a chicken, coleslaw, French fries, roll, cake and beverage.

YMS OF R GROVE RENTAL – Hurry, hurry, hurry, reserve your day at the YMS of R grove for 2016! If you would like to reserve the YMS of R Grove for a summer outing, please contact Artie Golembeski at [570-575-5231](tel:570-575-5231) or via email at artbowl@msn.com. 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.

FOOD PANTRY – Please bring **pasta** on Sunday, **July 10th** for the One Hot Meal Food Pantry. Thank you for your continued support of this important project.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY – **July 3** – Carl Weaver, Sylvia Kowalski, Ann Kazmierczak (101); **July 4** – Nicholas Gerardi, Nancy Schuster, Ceil Ostrowski; **July 6** – Jacob Stankowski; **July 7** – Dorothy Andrzejewski; **July 8** – Frances Loss, Annette Cimino; **July 9** – Joseph Wedlock

THIS WEEK'S LITURGIES

Monday, July 4

11:00 am – Independence Day
Mass at Spójnia Farm, Waymart

Tuesday, July 5

No Mass

Wednesday, July 6

No Mass

Thursday, July 7

8:30 am – Healing Mass

Friday, July 8

8:30 am – Mass of the day

Saturday, July 9

8:00 am – Mass of the day

FRIENDS IN THE HOSPITAL – **July 1** – *Allied Rehab Hospital: Ceil Gorgol; *Abington: Ann Kazmierczak; *Mt. View: Amelia Liska, Paulette Wincovich; *Wayne Woodlands: Ed Solosky; *St. Mary's Villa: Clara Zlotowski

FRIENDS RECOVERING AT HOME – Jean Cwynar, Wanda Dusko, Joann Edwards, Josephine Kwiatkowski, Timothy Meleski, Chester Nezelkewicz, Art Schmidt Jr., Ann Seig, Donna Shouten, Ann Stets, Mary Szajna, Joann Valvano, Wendell Williams. Please pray for them.