

St. Stanislaus Cathedral

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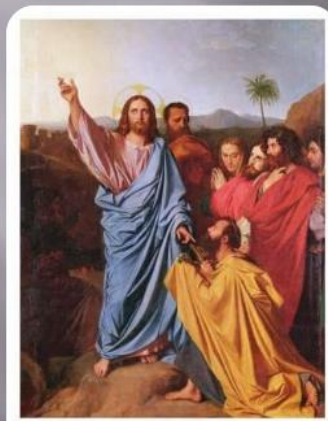
The Reverend Janusz A. Lucarz, assistant pastor – frjanusz@saintstanislauspncc.org

Peter Picerno, DMA – Organist / Director of Music

Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 27, 2017

Matthew 16:18



And so I say to you, you are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church, and the gates of the netherworld shall not prevail against it.

Masses: 8:00 am – Traditional Holy Mass **9:30 am** – Contemporary Holy Mass

11:15 am – Traditional Holy Mass, Our Savior Chapel, Tripp Park

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TODAY

Bishop Bernard is at St. Valentine's Parish for confirmation in Philadelphia.

11:00 am - 3:00 pm Annual Flea Market

SATURDAY, September 2nd

1:00 pm – 3:00 pm – One Hot Meal

NEXT SUNDAY, September 3rd, Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

MUSIC NOTES – We welcome Mr. Raphael Micca to the organ loft this Sunday. Mr. Micca, a native of Shickshinny, graduated from Marywood University and presently is music faculty member at Good Shepherd Academy in Kingston. He also serves as Dean of the Northeast Pennsylvania Chapter of the America Guild of Organists.

SPECIAL MEETING – On Sunday, October 8th, a special meeting of the congregation will be convened to consider further the expansion of the Youth Center with a storage space added to it on its scoreboard side.

THE PRAYER SHAWL AND BLANKET MINISTRY will meet on Wednesday, September 13, at 6:30 p.m. in the church library. Would you like to do something for some person in need? Would you like to make some person happier? You can do this by becoming a member of this ministry. Why don't you give it a try?

CHICKEN BBQ RESULTS – We would like to express our sincere thanks to all the parishioners who supported our very successful, recent Chicken BBQ. A special word of thanks to our dedicated and hardworking volunteers, without whom this event would not be the success it has become. The BBQ was the most successful we've had since it began three years ago. Our net income, after expenses, was \$1,548.00. **Our 4th of the season BBQ will be held on Saturday, September 9th from noon until sold out. Please mark your calendars. A pre-order sheet will be available in the parish hall on Sunday, August 27th.** Thanks again. Paul & Sylvia Kowalski.

PLEASE HELP! – The Adoration Society will be sponsoring their annual Harvest Dinner October 22, 2017. WE are in urgent need of helpers beforehand, during the dinner and especially afterwards. Many hands make the work lighter. Please consider volunteering. Sign-up sheets are located in the lower hall.

ANS "BASKET RAFFLE" – The Adoration Society will be hosting a "Basket Raffle" at our Harvest Dinner on Oct. 22, 2017. Presently we are looking for donations of monetary donations, and/ or

Lectors:

8/27 – 8:00 – K. Michalina

9:30 – J. Scheuneman & L. Pfohl

11:15 – L. McConlogue

9/3 – 8:00 – R. Seliga

9:30 – J. Snyder & M. Stankowski

11:15 – L. McConlogue

certificates from any businesses: such as grocery stores, restaurants, retail shops, etc. The Basket Raffle prizes will only be available at the Harvest Dinner. Donation letters are available upon request from Debbie Godek. With your help we can make this fundraiser a huge success! Any questions please contact chairperson, Debbie Godek at 570-689-4069.

HARVEST DINNER – The Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament Society will be sponsoring a “Homestyle Roast Pork Dinner” on October 22, 2017 in our Youth Center. Chairperson, Connie Tellep along with her right-hand helper, Marie Gorgol will have tickets for you to purchase. Tickets will be \$12.00 for adults and \$6.00 for children. Please see any member of our Society to purchase your tickets before they are “sold out”. Take outs will be available from 10:30 am until 11:45 am. Sit down dinner will follow thereafter.

GIANT OUTDOOR FLEA MARKET – (under the BIG TENT) - Saturday, September 9, 2017 from 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM on Holy Mother of Sorrows church grounds, 212 Wyoming Ave., Dupont, PA. Vendors are welcome to participate. If you are interested in renting a table, \$10.00 (tables are provided) please call Julie Slezak at [570-655-9359](tel:570-655-9359) or email; pookeyjas@aol.com or call Alex Dubeck at [570-954-0476](tel:570-954-0476) or email at ajdubeck@gmail.com; All reservations **have to be prepaid** (make a check payable to Holy Mother of Sorrows & mail it to 212 Wyoming Ave.; Dupont, Pa 18641)

41st DOZYNKI /HARVEST FESTIVAL – Sunday, September 10, 2017 (10:00 AM - till Dusk) on Holy Mother of Sorrows church grounds, 212 Wyoming Ave., Dupont, PA. Blessing of the Harvest Wreath Ceremony – 2:00 PM. Live music by Joe Lastovica & The Polka Punch from 3:00 - 6:00 PM. Variety of ethnic foods (homemade): pierogi, potato pancakes, gołąbki, kluski, kiełbasa, sausage, soups, funnel cakes, etc. as well as American foods (hot dogs, burgers). Homemade Baked Goods – pies, cakes, etc. will be available. 50/50 Bingo: Big Raffle, Chinese Auction, etc.

YMS OF R GROVE RENTAL – If you would like to reserve the YMS of R Grove for a summer outing, please are filling up fast. If you have a family reunion or a birthday party coming up, why not reserve the grove for the day.

FOOD PANTRY – Please bring **canned vegetables** on Sunday, **September 3rd** for our One Hot Meal Food Pantry. Thank you for your continued support of this important project.

HOW THE PNU HAS HELPED YOU Contest - In conjunction with the 2017 celebration of Spojnia Sunday, the PNU is sponsoring a contest and we would love to hear “how the PNU has helped you!” Think of the many benefits the PNU has offered through the years and come up with a creative way to show others “How the PNU Has Helped You.” Create a short video, photo collage, musical performance, poster, or some unique way for you to demonstrate the benefit you’ve received as a member of the PNU. Participate as an individual, a family, a group, a branch of the PNU, or a parish of the PNCC. **Be creative!** The winner will receive \$500 and the runner-up will receive \$250. Deadline for submission is October 16th, 2017. Send your entry to Spojnia Sub-committee, c/o Kathy

Nemkovich, via email at kathynemkovich@gmail.com, or mailed to 37 Winthrop St., Fall River, MA 02721. Winners will be announced in November 2017.

Be sure to check out the Spojnia Sunday 2017 Facebook page!

ALTAR FLOWERS – The floral pieces at the high altar today are offered to the glory of God and in honor of the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Richard & MaryAnn Segiel on August 26th.

FLOWER FUND – is accepting donations in memory of or in honor of a loved one. The cost of Sunday flowers is \$60. 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 ANNIVERSARY – **Aug 26** - Richard & MaryAnn Segiel (50th); **Aug 27** – Carl & Grace Weaver; **Aug 29** – Micah & Kimberly Shiner-Rathbun, Al & Ann Ankerway; **Sept 2** – Joseph & Christine Ross

HAPPY BIRTHDAY – **Aug 28** – Amy Umerich, **Aug 29** – Christine Gerardi; **Sept 1** – Joshua Notari, Alfred Ankerway; **Sept 2** – Janet Meleski

FRIENDS IN THE HOSPITAL – **August 25th** – *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, Joann Edwards, Ceil Gorgol, Josephine Kwiatkowski, Bob Matylewicz, Chester Nezelkewicz, Stanley (Ozzie) Ocwieja, Jake Stankowski, Ann Stets, Mary Szajna. Please pray for them.

THIS WEEK'S LITURGIES

Monday, August 28

8:30 am – Mass of the day

Tuesday, August 29

8:30 am – Mass of the day

Wednesday, August 30

8:30 am – Mass of the day

Thursday, August 31

8:30 am – Healing Mass

Friday, September 1

8:30 am – Mass of the day

Saturday, September 2

8:00 am – Mass of the day

