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The First Parish of the Polish National Catholic Church

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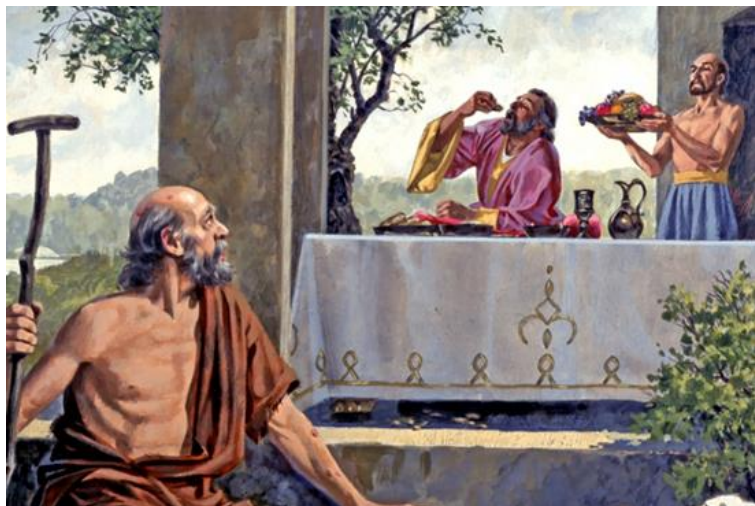
The Reverend Janusz A. Lucarz, assistant pastor – frjanusz@saintstanislauspncc.org

Peter Picerno, DMA – Organist / Director of Music

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Spójnia Sunday

September 25, 2016



The rich man and Lazarus.

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

School Information

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TODAY, September 25th

Congregational Meeting following 9:30 am Mass

MONDAY, September 26th

6:30 pm – Bible Study, Chancery conference room

THURSDAY, September 29th

6:30 pm – Cathedral Chorale rehearsal

SATURDAY, October 1st

10:00 am – Animal blessing (see announcement)

10:30 am – Cathedral Young Choir rehearsal

1:00 pm to 3:00 pm – One Hot Meal

NEXT SUNDAY, October 2nd – The Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

MUSIC NOTES – Jean Langlais (1907-91) was one of a handful of Parisian organists who had a profound influence on organ playing and organ composition in the twentieth century. Langlais toured the USA extensively giving both concerts and classes. He also taught many American organists who went to Paris to study with him, and his prolific compositions both for organ and for choir had an influence on modern liturgical music. His *Pièce en mode de ré* (*Piece in the dorian mode*) is a meditative work written in a ‘mode’ which was a form of the scale used in Western music which predated the scale (doh-re-mi, etc) that we now use. A *Pasticcio* is, besides being a description of food, a word to denote a hodge-podge, a medley, or a collection of fragments. Langlais uses the term here to indicate a piece of music composed of various diverse themes.

PRIME BISHOP’S PRESENTATION – on the Solemnity of the Christian Family will be available live on line on Wednesday evening, October 5th at 7:00. As the date nears, the link to Prime Bishop Anthony’s presentation will be available in the bulletin. **We hope to have a group viewing in the lower Cathedral auditorium as last year** for those who are unable to view it via computer. Please plan to view this address on October 5th.

SPOJNIA SUNDAY – is the day set aside to remember our sister organization, the Polish National Union of America. Organized more than 100 years ago, the PNU has supported and continues to support the Church immensely as an important financial arm of the Church giving loans, for example, to church/parish projects when other lenders will not. As an integral part of our larger PNCC family, the PNU has initiated the clergy insurance plan making no return on that plan in order to provide the optimum premium. Remember, too, the PNU is offering a higher rate on clergy annuities passed at the 2014 General Synod as a part of our required clergy benefit package. The PNU continues to be there for us, our parishes and the Church, and, therefore, deserves our continued and enthusiastic

Lectors:

9/25 – 8:00 – J. Andrzejewski

9:30 – E. Hughes & P. Kowalski

10/2 – 8:00 – J. Andrzejewski

9:30 – M. Stankowski & M. Hughes

11:15 – L. McConlogue

support. Please pray for the growth and further development of the Polish National Union of America today and always.

ONE HOT MEAL – October’s One Hot meal is sponsored by Joan and Joan Marie Scheuneman in memory of their husband and father, Fred Scheuneman. Thank you for your support and generosity.

SOCL FORMS – can be found in the parish hall. Please fill them out for students that will be attending SOCL for the 2016-17 year and leave them in the basket.

THE CATHEDRAL YOUNG CHOIR – is for anyone from grade 3 up. It will have its first meeting on Saturday, October 1st at 10:30 at the Cathedral. For more information please see Dr. Picerno or Dr. Nowicki.

THE CATHEDRAL CHORALE – welcomes *all* singers at our regular rehearsals on Thursdays, at 6:30 PM here at the Cathedral. It is not necessary to be able to read music or to have had musical training but simply a desire to serve the Church through its Ministry of Music.

A HEARTFELT THANK YOU – to the members of the ANS who shared in bidding their final adieu to our Dear Sister of the Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament Society....Donna Kolwicz. Blessed with her presence as an "Earth Angel", answering the call ... she now climbs the Stairway to Heaven. Undoubtedly, she will receive her "angel wings" from our Lord Jesus Christ & will soar the heavens above us. Praise be to our Clergy, Choir & Organist who conducted a most beautiful spiritual farewell to this lovely lady of our cathedral. May she Rest in Peace...knowing she was loved, admired, & respected by all. *Respectfully, President of the ANS, Kathy Michalina*

ANIMAL BLESSING – In honor of Saint Francis of Assisi, we will be blessing your beloved pets on Saturday, October 1st at 10:00 a.m. on the Cathedral piazza.

POLISH PLATTER DINNER – St. Stanislaus Elementary School PTO is sponsoring a Polish Platter Dinner on Sunday, October 2nd, from 10:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. The Dinner is **Take Out Only**. Cost for the dinner is \$10 and tickets may be purchased after church on Sunday or by calling [570-342-2224](tel:570-342-2224) and we can reserve you a ticket. Thank you for supporting the elementary school.

ANS UPDATES – Wednesday, Sept.28th @ 10 a.m. the ANS will begin preparation for our Roast Pork Dinner, beginning with the making of Homemade Applesauce. Anyone wishing to offer their help in doing so will be most appreciated. For more information please call or see any board member of the sodality.

ATTENTION / CORRECTION – Members who are currently selling **raffle tickets** or those who may have already made a purchase....please note.... a discrepancy on the ticket. **There are "FOUR" prizes. The 4th prize is a \$100 Gas Gift Card.** We apologize for the error or any confusion.

DEADLINE DATE – for **purchasing dinner tickets will be October 13th.** Please include both totals of take-out dinners & dining in tickets.

PLEASE NOTE – The next scheduled ANS Meeting will be Sunday, October 9th. Time & place will be announced.

ANS "BASKET RAFFLE" – We will be hosting a "Basket Raffle" at our Roast Pork Dinner on Oct. 23, 2016. Presently we are looking for donations of gift certificates and/ or monetary donations from any businesses: such as grocery stores, restaurants, retail shops, etc. The Basket Raffle prizes will only be available at the Roast Pork 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.

ANS "RAFFLE TICKETS" – are now available!!!!

FIRST PRIZE: Electric Start Gas Snow Blower, **SECOND PRIZE:** Propane Gas Fire Pit, **THIRD PRIZE:** Night out for "Two" Scranton Cultural Center and Dinner at "POSH", **FOURTH PRIZE:** \$100 Sunoco Gas Card. Drawing will be Sunday, October 23, 2016 at the Roast Port Dinner Sponsored by the Adoration Society. Donation cost per ticket: \$3.00. Contact any ANS member to purchase your tickets before they are all gone.

ROAST PORK DINNER – The Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament Society will be sponsoring a "Roast Pork Dinner" on October 23, 2016 in our Youth Center. Tickets will be \$12.00 for adults and \$6.00 for children. Tickets for dinner must be purchased ahead of time. Please see any member of our Society to purchase your tickets before they are "sold out". Take outs will be available from 10:30am until 11:45am. Sit down dinner will follow thereafter. Along with our dinner we will also be featuring a "BAKED GOOD'S TABLE" along with our Raffle and Basket prize tables. We would appreciate any donations of homemade goodies. Thank you! We look forwards to seeing you all.

APPARTMENT FOR RENT – The third-floor apartment at 1115 Pittston Ave. Is available for rent. 5 rooms/2 bedrooms w/closets, \$675.00 per month, including gas heat, water, sewer, and garbage. Also, 2 window air conditioners, refrigerator, stove w/exhaust fan, full bath with tub and shower. Laundry room with washer, dryer, & utility sink. Off street parking available. Security deposit required, 1 month's rent. Must have 2 references. Anyone interested please call Ed Borek at the Parish Office 570-961-9231.

2016 PNU EDUCATION AND YOUTH COMMISSION RAFFLE – to raise funds for our College Stipend Program. The raffle will be held on **November 30, 2016 at the PNU Home Office, 1006 Pittston Avenue. Tickets are \$5.00 each or 3 tickets for \$10.00. First Prize** – New iPad **Second Prize** – Apple TV **Third Prize-** \$100 cash.

Through your support of this effort we hope to continue to encourage our youth to become leaders within our church community and the Polish National Union of America.

Also, any monetary donations offered for this stipend program are always welcomed and very needed. Such offerings can be mailed directly to: **Education and Youth Commission, c/o PNU of America, 1006 Pittston Avenue, Scranton, Pa 18505 Please make checks payable to: Education and Youth Commission.** Mailing envelopes are located downstairs in the church hall.

Direct any questions to Mary Ann Stankowski @ 570-341-0986, or Carol Mikovsky @ 570-344-0916, Education & Youth Commission, EYC@pnu.org.

FOOD PANTRY – Please bring **tooth brush** on Sunday, **October 2nd** for the One Hot Meal Food Pantry. Thank you for your continued support of this important project.

ALTAR FLOWERS – The floral pieces at the high altar today are offered to the glory of God and in memory of Irene and John Janusewski offered by Lorraine Pacheco and Allison Houlrogd.

FLOWER FUND – 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 jtellep@nep.net or [570-222-4409](tel:570-222-4409).

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY – **Sept 25** – Thomas & Lynn Oliver; **Sept 28** – Jerry Pritchett & Josephine Kwiatkowski, Edward & LuAnn Lednovich

THIS WEEK'S LITURGIES

Monday, September 26

8:30 am – Mass of the day

Tuesday, September 27

8:30 am – Elementary School Mass

Wednesday, September 28

8:30 am – Mass of the day

Thursday, September 29

8:30 am – Healing Mass

Friday, September 30

8:30 am – Elementary School Mass

Saturday, October 1

8:00 am – Mass of the day

8:30 am – sp. Robert Schuster, Jr.

(Birthday) by his mother Eleonore

Schuster

HAPPY BIRTHDAY – **Sep 26** – Chet Nezelkewicz, Raymond Godek; **Sep 27** – Joseph E. Ross, Justin Toler, Ann Marie Liska; **Sep 28** – Carl Kaszuba; **Sep 29** – Nicholas Osterstrom; **Sep 30** – Robert Matylewicz, Francis Lyckowski; **Oct 1** – Bernie Kalteski, Carol Seletyn, John Jankowski

FRIENDS IN THE HOSPITAL – **September 23rd** – *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, Timothy Meleski, Chester Nezelkewicz, Art Schmidt Jr., Ann Seig, Donna Shouten, Ann Stets, Mary Szajna, Joann Valvano, Wendell Williams. Please pray for them.



Please keep in your prayers this Spójnia Sunday:
Spójnia, the Polish National Union,
her leaders and members

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