St. Stanislaus Cathedral

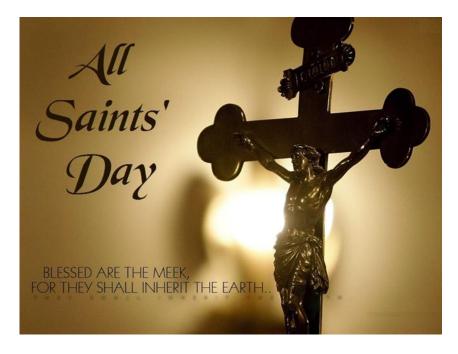
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The Right Reverend Bernard J. Nowicki, DD, pastor – bishop@saintstanislauspncc.org
The Reverend Janusz A. Lucarz, assistant pastor – frjanusz@saintstanislauspncc.org
Peter Picerno, DMA – Organist / Director of Music

Solemnity of All Saints November 1, 2015



Masses: 7:30 am – Traditional Holy Mass 9:00 am – Contemporary Holy Mass 11:00 am – Traditional Holy Mass, at Our Savior Chapel, Tripp Park

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TODAY, ALL SAINTS DAY, November 1st

WYPOMINKI – Remembrance Names – will be read before each Mass today.

Bishop Bernard is at Holy Cross Parish, Baltimore, MD to administer the sacrament of confirmation.

NO Handbell Choir rehearsal today,

NO SOCL – Next class is November 8th

11:00 am – 2:00 pm – St. Stanislaus UYA Craft Fair

MONDAY, November 2nd

10:00 am – Holy Mass, reading of names of the faithful departed, Wypominki

7:00 pm – Parish Cemetery ceremonies, Solemnity of All Souls

NO Bible Study, All Souls Day evening ceremonies

TUESDAY, November 3rd

7:00 pm – PTO Elementary School monthly meeting

THURSDAY, November 5th

6:30 pm - Cathedral Chorale rehearsal

SATURDAY, November 8th

NO Confirmation class

9:15 am – Communion class

10:00 am – private Confession

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm - One Hot Meal

NEXT SUNDAY, November 8th – The thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Holy Mass: 7:30 am Traditional – 9:00 am Contemporary – 11: 00 am Our Savior Chapel-Tripp Park

10:30 am – ANS monthly meeting, Chancery Building

10:30 am – 2:00 pm - Polish Platter Take-Out Dinner

2:00 pm – Pedals, Pipes and Pizza, Cathedral choir loft

Bishop Bernard will be on the Polish National Union convention cruise.

<u>MUSIC NOTES</u> – Daniel-Lesur (1908-2002) was a composer, teacher, and organist who spent his creative life in Paris. His *In paradisum* is a quiet, contemplative piece which is based on the funeral hymn *May the angels lead you into Paradise*. The hymn tune, which is Gregorian chant, pervades the beginning and end of the piece and is played on a quiet solo sound. The middle section is a short elegy

Lectors:

11/1 – 7:30 – J. Andrzejewski 9:00 – E. Hughes & J. Snyder 11:00 – L. Mc Conlogue

11/8 – 7:30 – K. Michalina

9:00 – P. Kowalski & L. Pfohl

11:00 – L. Mc Conlogue

which leads to a reprise of the Gregorian chant: the piece ends with very soft, ascending chords depicting the soul's entry to heaven. C. S. Lang's (1891-1971) *Tuba Tune* is a jovial piece for a powerful trumpet-like solo stop often named 'Tuba' on British organs. The piece mimics the style of the many English trumpet voluntaries of the eighteenth century.

FROM THE PARISH COMMITTEE - A parish meeting will be held Sunday, November 22nd after the 9 o'clock Mass. Over the past several years, our parish has experienced a difficult loss of parishioners and monies. The parish committee has discussed this situation in depth and reviewed the parish surveys submitted earlier this year to determine the issues facing our parish and corrective actions that might help. The decrease in parish members is our number one problem, followed by the age of our membership. In the past, the answer to balancing our financial records has been to increase dues, but this can no longer happen with the state of our economy, the number of members on a fixed income, and the difficulties our youth have in finding employment once graduating school. The parish committee will present a new direction on membership to our parish with a more acceptable means of contributing money for all individuals that will help continue the work of our parish including our two main ministries, clerical and musical, and the maintenance of our facilities for continued fellowship and worship. Please make time on your calendar to attend this very important meeting – whether you are current in your dues or not. We are all members of St. Stanislaus and want to hear from everyone as we look to move forward.

<u>A GREAT BIG THANK YOU</u> – There are wonderful people who touch our lives in meaningful ways.....their dedication, kindness & loveleave an imprint in ones' heart......

To; Our Clergy, Sisters of the Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament Society, the YMS of R, UYA, & members of this great cathedral, who offered their support, contributions & help in preparation of our Annual Turkey Dinner.....I would like to offer my deepest & sincerest thanks & praise to these awesome individuals!

To; Our guests & friends who patronized our most successful event.... a most grateful Thank You!

Much appreciation & gratitude to those who closed this dinner with clean - up detail!

Blessings & thanks to our lovely "Earth Angels" who hosted our Baked Goods Table....Jen Gerardi & Maria Hughes .

Acknowledging & offering a special Thank You to Don Blackledge, Paul Cimino, Frank Gerardi, Bob Hill, Josh Notari, Lorne Notari, Joe Ross & our young gents from our cathedral for their behind the scene labor that was duly noted & greatly appreciated. These men ARE a BLESSING......their loyalty & manpower....truly a gift from heaven.

Offering my heartfelt thanks & praise to the Holy Spirit for his guidance...for through "HIM" ...ALL WAS MADE POSSIBLE!

President of the ANS, *Kathy Michalina*

300 CLUB - TICKETS NOW AVAILABLE to purchase from any Parish Committee member or in the office. If anyone would like to sell tickets please see Debbie Godek or call 570-689-4069. Drawings will be held after the 9:00 am Mass on Sundays starting January 17, 2016 thru March 20, 2016. 1st Prize is \$100.00, 2nd and 3rd Prize \$50.00 each, 4th - 7th \$25.00 each. All Winners will be put back in and are eligible for all future weekly drawings. Everyone has 70 chances to win. Cost is \$20.00 per ticket.

SOCL'S "PRAYER-CROW" – Please take a look at SOCL's "Prayer-Crow" on the bulletin board in the parish hall. Jack, the Prayer-Crow's body parts and limbs are labeled with corresponding bible verses about heart, hands, feet, mind, etc... This was a bible scavenger hunt exercise. Ask the kids and they can probably tell you which parts they wrote about. Thank you to Miss Jessi and Mrs. Reed for all their help! *Mrs. Notari*

<u>CATHEDRAL BANNERS</u> – We're going to hang four 2 ft x 8 ft Christmas banners in the Cathedral this year. Each is \$90 and we're seeking donors for these seasonal adornments. Please call the rectory or stop into the Church Office to offer one or more of the decorative fabrics.

<u>ATTENTION LECTORS</u> – 2016 Lector Books have arrived! Please pick up your book in the parish office at your earliest convenience.

ST. STANISLAUS HANDBELL CHOIR – Rehearsals have resumed for the Handbell Choir on Sundays following the SOCL Classes. We are happy to acknowledge two new members who have joined our group, Jesse Notari and Brielle Reed. Due to some conflicts with church events, rehearsals will need to be cancelled some Sundays, so please watch the bulletin for those dates. As always we hope to continue our rehearsals and get back on track to participate in the musical part of our Sunday service for the upcoming months. We happily, would like to invite and encourage any other new members to join us (usually 4th grade and up). Thank you for your cooperation and dedication to those old and new members by keeping the handbells alive and ringing within our church community! Any questions please contact Mary Ann Stankowski @ 570-341-0986 or my4sons1023@aol.com.

<u>CARPOOLING</u> – We are going to attempt to develop a Carpooling Program for those parishioners who have no means of transportation to our services, are handicapped or wheelchair bound. Our plan is to make it convenient for those who have some type of disability to be able to attend our Sunday masses, as well as holidays. Once in church, they can use the chairlift to proceed to the nave or enjoy the service in the chapel. If you know of anyone who may fit into these categories and are willing to attend our services but cannot, please call Paul Kowalski at <u>570-842-8812</u>. Also, please call Paul if you are interested in driving in the carpool. Hopefully, this program will provide those with disabilities the opportunity to again enjoy our spiritual services.

<u>ST. STANISLAUS UYA CRAFT FAIR</u> – Join us today from 11:00 am – 2:00 pm at the St. Stanislaus Youth Center (530 East Elm St. Scranton). Enjoy a wide variety of talented local artisans,

crafters, and direct sales vendors at our annual holiday shopping event. Admission is only a \$1.00. Food and beverages are available for purchase.

<u>POLISH PLATTER TAKE-OUT DINNER</u> – The elementary school will be holding a Polish Platter Take-Out Dinner on Sunday, November 8th from 10:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Tickets are \$10.00 and may be purchased from any PTO member or at the door. You may also contact Mrs. Kaszuba at <u>570-342-2224</u>. Thank you for supporting the school!

LEARN ABOUT AND PLAY THE ORGAN AT A FREE PROGRAM HERE! People of all ages will have an opportunity to listen to, learn about, and play the pipe organ at the upcoming "Pedals, Pipes, and Pizza" program sponsored by the Pennsylvania Northeast Chapter of the American Guild of Organists. The free event will be held on Sunday, November 8 at 2:00 p.m. here at St. Stanislaus Cathedral. Participants will go behind the scenes and explore how the pipe organ works, listen to a demonstration of the instrument by chapter members, and have an opportunity to play the organ themselves. There will be musical games for children. Pizza will be served. The event is free and open to people of all ages. No musical experience is required to attend. Young people are especially welcome and will be given a free book and information on scholarships for organ study. For more information, or to register for this free event, contact Raphael Micca at 570-301-9253 or visit www.agopane.org.

<u>CHRISTMAS CANDY</u> – The elementary school is now taking orders for Gertrude Hawk Christmas Candy. A parent from the PTO will be in the church auditorium taking orders. If you are interested in ordering candy, please find the sign after church.

MAINES FOOD & PARTY WAREHOUSE. A great way to save on groceries and benefit our church. Fill out a Maine Saver Give Back Membership Application that is available in the church office. Take it to the customer service desk at the store and they will provide you with a Maines Source Card, to be used for all your purchases at Maines Food & Party Warehouse located on Davis Street in South Scranton. Our church will then receive a 5% rebate, twice during the year, on all member purchases tracked when using your Maines Source Card. When vising our cemetery, take time to shop at Maines Source, only a few, short blocks away. If you have any questions, please call Sylvia Kowalski @ 570-842-8812. Thanks for your ongoing support of our church.

PROVIDENCE OF GOD PARISH – on Oak St. in North Scranton is having a Stuffed Pork Loin Dinner on Monday, November 9, 2015 from 4:00 pm to 7:00 p.m. in the Church Hall. The menu includes stuffed pork loin, homemade red beets, oven roasted red potatoes, baby carrots, apple sauce, home-made desserts, and coffee. The price for a ticket is \$13.00 for adults and \$6.00 for children. Take outs are available. You can make reservations or get tickets from Janet Kelly at 570-347-8904 or Father Walter at 570-388-6061.

<u>THE MASK AND HAMMER DRAMA CLUB</u> – at Forest City Regional is presenting "Murder at the Banquet". Jessica Notari will be performing on stage as Mrs. Preakness, and Joshua Notari will

be working back stage and in the tech booth. Show dates and times: Friday Nov 6 at 7 pm, Saturday Nov 7th at 7:00 pm, and Sunday Nov 8 at 3:00 pm.

<u>FOOD PANTRY</u> – Please bring **peanut butter and /or jelly** on Sunday, **November 8**th for the One Hot Meal Pantry. Thank you for your continued support of this important project.

<u>ALTAR FLOWERS</u> – The floral pieces at the high altar today are offered to the glory of God and in memory of Sharon Ann Matylewicz Birthday offered by Mom, Dad and Family.

<u>FLOWERS</u> – There are many opportunities and dates to offer flowers for display during Sunday Mass and other liturgies. Please contact the parish office or Connie Tellep at 570-222-4409 or <u>jtellep@nep.net</u>.

<u>HAPPY ANNIVERSARY</u> – Extended to: Nov. 3 – Jonathan & Amanda Evans; Nov 5 – Donald & Sally Blackledge; Nov 6 – Jerome & Christine Patrick

<u>HAPPY BIRTHDAY</u> – Nov. 2 – Clara Carey; Nov. 4 – Lisa McConlogue; Nov. 5 – Catherine Korgeski, Mark Matylewicz; Nov. 6 – James Merkel, Noah Purvis

FRIENDS IN THE HOSPITAL – October 30th – *Geisinger CMC Scranton: Chester Nezelkewicz; *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 – Virginia Meyer – Ann Seig – Donny Godek – Mary Szajna

THIS WEEK'S LITURGIES

Monday, November 2

10:00 am – All Souls Day Mass 7:00 pm – Parish Cemetery ceremonies, Solemnity of All Souls

Tuesday, November 3

8:30 am – Elementary School Mass

Wednesday, November 4

8:30 am – Healing Mass

Thursday, November 5

 $8:30 \ am$ – Mass of the day

Friday, November 6

8:30 am – Elementary School Mass

Saturday, November 7

8:00 am – Sp. Departed Bishops &

Priests of the PNCC

8:30 am – Sp. All Departed

Parishioners of St. Stanislaus

Cathedral

 Art Schmidt Jr. – Ann Stets – Jean Cwynar – Josephine Kwiatkowski – Jeanne Kowalski - Romaine Thomas. Please pray for them.

