

# St. Stanislaus Cathedral

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**The First Parish of the Polish National Catholic Church**

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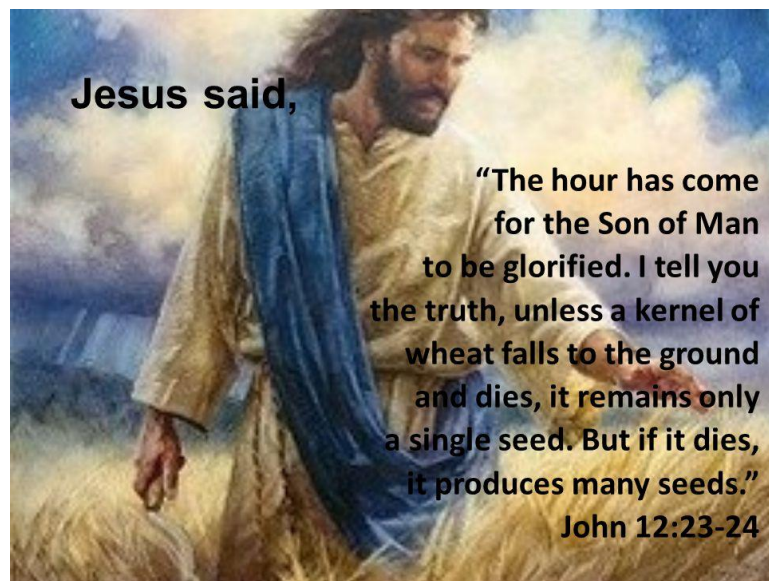
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## Passion Sunday

**March 18, 2018**



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

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### TODAY

Installation of Parish Offices before 9:30 mass

### MONDAY, March 19<sup>th</sup>

6:30 pm – Bible Study, Chancery conference room

### TUESDAY, March 20<sup>th</sup>

6:30 pm – Parish Committee monthly meeting

### WEDNESDAY, March 21<sup>st</sup>

7:00 pm – Stations of the Cross, UYA, readers

7:45 pm – Tenebrae Singers rehearsal

### THURSDAY, March 22<sup>nd</sup>

6:30 pm – Cathedral Chorale rehearsal

St. Stanislaus Youth Basketball practice

6:30 - 7:00 pm - Pre-k - 2<sup>nd</sup> grade

7:00 - 7:30 pm - 3<sup>rd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grade

7:30 - 8:00 pm - 9<sup>th</sup> - 11<sup>th</sup> grade

### FRIDAY, March 23<sup>rd</sup>

12:00 noon – Stations of the Cross, lower Cathedral Chapel

St. Stanislaus Youth Basketball games →

### SATURDAY, March 24<sup>th</sup>

9:30 am – Confirmation class

9:45 am – Communion class

10:30 am – Cathedral Young Choir rehearsal

### NEXT SUNDAY, March 25<sup>th</sup>, Palm Sunday

Holy Mass: **8:00 am** Traditional **10:00 am** Contemporary **11:15 am** Cathedral Chapel, Tripp Park

**4:00 pm** – Living Stations, Cathedral UYA Presentation

#### *Lectors:*

**3/18** – 8:00 – J. Andrzejewski

9:30 – J. Ostroski & P Kowalski

11:15 – L. McConlogue

**3/25** – 8:00 – K. Michalina

10:00 – J. Scheuneman & J. Snyder

11:15 – L. Mc Conlogue

#### **Friday Game times**

6:00-6:30pm - Prek & Kind

6:30-7:00pm – 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> grade

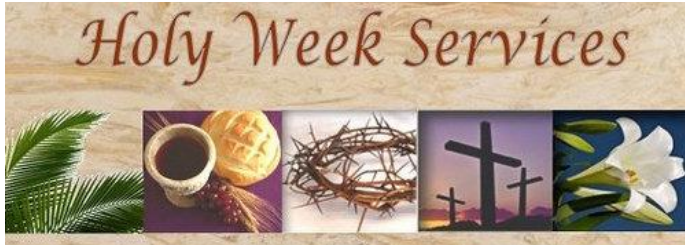
7:00-7:40pm – 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> grade

7:40-8:20pm – 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, & 8<sup>th</sup> grade

8:20-9:00pm – 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> grade

9:00-9:40pm – 11<sup>th</sup> grade

**MUSIC NOTES** – Today’s prelude and postlude are based on the opening hymn. The text comes from a Medieval Latin poem possibly written by a Belgian monk. The original tune was composed by Hans Leo Hassler in 1600 for a love song but was adapted for the sacred text by Johann Crüger in 1656 when it became a standard part of German Hymnody. It is often called the “Passion Chorale” because J. S. Bach used it five times in his large musical setting of the St. Matthew Passion. Bach also set it as an organ chorale, as it heard in today’s prelude. The melody is presented in an ornamented version on a solo sound. Johannes Brahms sets the hymn as a large texture where the melody is alluded to throughout the dense texture of the piece.



**Palm Sunday – March 25<sup>th</sup>**

- 8:00 am – Holy Mass with blessing of Palms
- 10:00 am** – Holy Mass with Liturgy of the Palms: blessing, solemn procession
- 11:15 am – Holy Mass with blessing of palms, Cathedral Chapel, Tripp Park
- 4:00 pm – Living Stations, new format

**Holy Tuesday – March 27<sup>th</sup>**

- 4:00 pm – Chrism Mass, Cathedral

**Holy Thursday – March 29<sup>th</sup>**

- 7:00 pm – Mass of the Institution of the Eucharist

**Good Friday – March 30<sup>th</sup>**

- 12:00 pm – Holy Hour
- 1:00 pm – Litanies of the Passion and of Our Holy Mother of Sorrows
- 2:00 pm – Mass of the Pre-Sanctified
- 3:00 pm – Reflections on the Seven Last Words of Christ followed by opening the symbolic tomb of Christ

**Good Friday – March 30<sup>th</sup>**

- 7:00 pm – Tenebrae, chanted, gentlemen of the Cathedral

**Holy Saturday – March 31<sup>st</sup>**

- 9:00 am, 1:00 pm, 2:00 pm - Blessing of Easter foods, Cathedral
- 3:00 pm - Blessing of Easter foods, Cathedral Chapel, Tripp Park
- 4:00 pm – Vigil of the Risen One, Blessing of Easter foods following the service

**EASTER SUNDAY – April 1<sup>st</sup>**

- 8:00 am** - Solemn Procession and Holy Mass of the Resurrection with Cathedral Chorale, Hand bell Choir and Instruments
- 10:30 am** - Holy Mass of the Resurrection
- 11:15 am - Holy Mass of the Resurrection, Cathedral Chapel, Tripp Park

**MASSES OF PALM SUNDAY and EASTER SUNDAY** – Please note carefully the change in the scheduled hour of the second Masses on these two days: **10:00 am** on Palm Sunday and **10:30 am** on Easter.

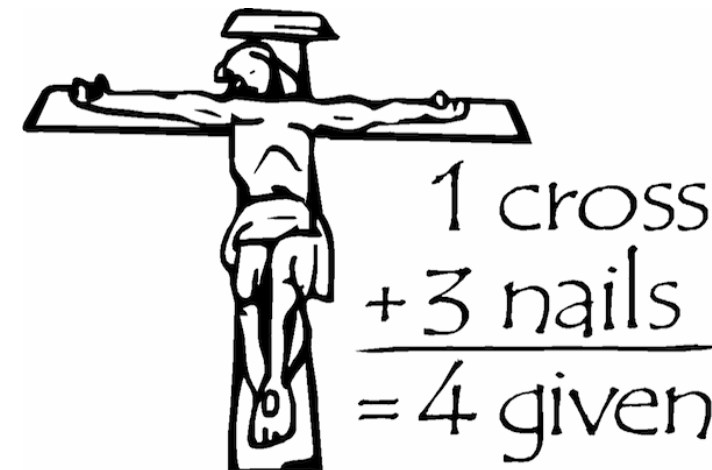


**The FOUR LENTEN DISCIPLINES** – Praying, Fasting, Alms Giving and Daily Bible Readings

**PRAISE THE LORD**

*Praise the God of our salvation*

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



**PAINTING PARTY HAS BEGUN** – The painting of the downstairs of the Youth Center has begun and will continue for the next two weeks. If anyone is interested in helping out please talk to Ed Borek after church on Sunday or call the Parish Office. Many hands makes the task seem lighter! For those who help at 2 work session, you will be entitled to a Pizza Party with a beverage of your choice.

**CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT COMMITTEE** – At the annual Parish Meeting it was decided to form a Capital Improvement Committee. Lorne Notari has volunteered to head the committee. If anyone would like to be on this committee, please contact Lorne at [570-840-2108](tel:570-840-2108) or contact the parish office by phone or email which is in the bulletin.

**CATHEDRAL YOUTH GROUP NEWS** – The St. Stanislaus Youth Group will once again be making their “Homemade Bread” for the Easter Holiday. Orders can be placed downstairs in the church hall, for Plain or Raisin, at a cost of \$10.00 per loaf, or contact Timmy, Jacob, or Mary Stankowski @ 570- 341-0986. **Deadline for all orders will be March 18<sup>th</sup>, 2018 (may be earlier if quota is reached sooner, so please place your orders early). The bread will be available for pick-up on Saturday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2018, after 3:30 p.m. (in the Youth Center), or following the 8:00 & 9:30 a.m. mass on Sunday, March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2018 (downstairs in the church hall). Since a limited amount of bread will be made we request all orders, especially plain should be placed as soon as possible.** Once again we would like to “thank you” for your continued support of our organization and as always for making this fundraiser such a great success! All proceeds from this event will go towards our Convo 2018 expenditures.

**EASTER FLOWER DONATIONS** – Please help adorn our Alters for Easter by donating a minimum of twenty dollars in memory or honor of a loved one. Donations must be made by **March 23<sup>rd</sup>**. Any questions, please contact **Eve Hughes** at **(570) 457-6937** or [ehughes@janney.com](mailto:ehughes@janney.com).

**EASTER EGG HUNT** – PNU District 1 will be sponsoring an Easter egg hunt Saturday, March 24, 2018 at St. Stanislaus Cathedral, 529 East Locust Street, Scranton, PA at 2:00 pm. This is a free event for PNU or PNCC members, however reservations are required. Please contact Joan Scheuneman at the Polish National Union of America [\(570\) 344-1513](tel:570-344-1513) to make your reservation prior to March 19, 2018. Come join the fun.

**OLD PALMS** – Please bring your old blessed palms and drop them off in the church hall over the next few weeks as we will properly dispose of them.

**FOOD PANTRY** – Please bring **shampoo** on Sunday, **March 25<sup>th</sup>** for our One Hot Meal Food Pantry. Thank you for your continued support of this important project.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** – **Mar 18** - Jean Pucher, Lindsey Jenkins; **Mar 19** - Gretchen Middleton; **Mar 20** - Katie Tempaugh, Susan Nitch; **Mar 21** - John Kotula; **Mar 23** - Deanna McConnell

***THIS WEEK'S LITURGIES***

**Monday, March 19**

8:30 am – Mass of the day

**Tuesday, March 20**

8:30 am – Mass of the day

**Wednesday, March 21**

8:30 am – Mass of the day

**Thursday, March 22**

8:30 am – Healing Mass

**Friday, March 23**

8:30 am – Mass of the day

**Saturday, March 24**

8:30 am – sp. Thomas Repecki by family

**FRIENDS IN THE HOSPITAL – March 15<sup>th</sup>** – \*Mt. View: Rosalie Aebli, 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, Mary Szajna. Please pray for them.

