

St. Stanislaus Cathedral

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The First Parish of the Polish National Catholic Church

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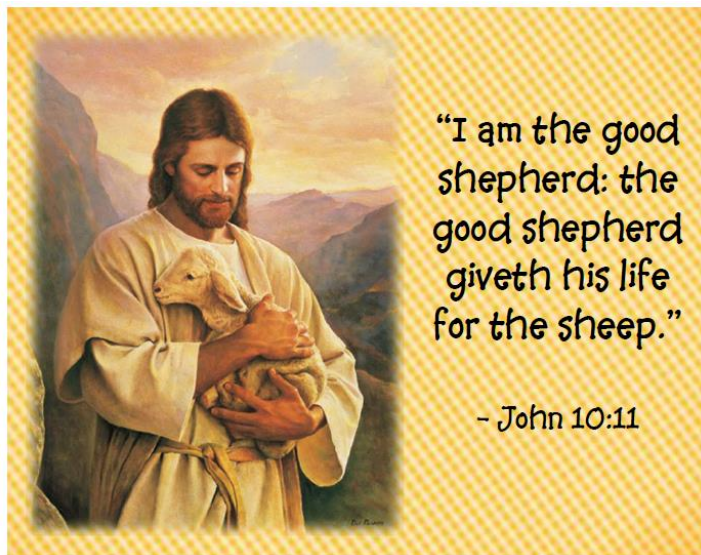
The Reverend Janusz A. Lucarz, assistant pastor – frjanusz@saintstanislauspncc.org

Peter Picerno, DMA – Organist / Director of Music

April 22, 2018

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Good Shepherd Sunday



“I am the good shepherd: the good shepherd giveth his life for the sheep.”

- John 10:11

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

Parish Office: 570-961-9231 – **Youth Center:** 570-961-8364

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TODAY

After Mass, Bishop Bernard is leaving for Buffalo, NY to attend the Supreme Council Meeting. He will also participate in the Mission and Evangelism Workshop in Carnegie, PA beginning on Friday.

SOCL following 9:30 mass

St. Stanislaus Hand bell rehearsal following SOCL Class

MONDAY, April 23rd

6:30 pm – Bible Study, Chancery conference room

THURSDAY, April 26th

6:30 pm – Cathedral Chorale rehearsal

SATURDAY, April 28th

NO Confirmation class

9:45 am – Communion class

10:30 am – Cathedral Young Choir rehearsal

NEXT SUNDAY, April 29th, Fifth Sunday of Easter

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

MUSIC NOTES – Searle Wright (1918-2004) was born in Susquehanna, PA, grew up, and later died, in Binghamton. He spent most of his career in NYC where, after organ studies there, he was organist at Columbia University’s St. Paul’s Chapel and also taught at Union Seminary. His prelude on *Brother James’ Air* is based on a hymn tune composed by James Leith Bain, a Scottish minister, mystic, and hymn-writer. The tune composed by Main and used by Wright as the basis for his composition has been associated with Psalm 23 ever since its inception and is currently published in over 40 different hymnals.

BLESSING of NEW OIL STOCK – This morning at the 9:30 Mass a large Chrism oil stock will be blessed and consecrated in memory of sp. Walter Loss offered by wife, Frances and daughters Wanda Donihoo and Carol Hurwich. This Chrism Oil stock will be used whenever the bishop celebrates Confirmation or any blessing which require Chrism.

FOUR NEW CATHEDRAL PARISH MEMBERS – The Parish Committee welcomes four newly accepted Parish members: Berit Nowicki, Amy Reap, Miranda Rybak and Peter Arvonio III.

ST. STANISLAUS YOUTH BASKETBALL DONATION – A recent donation of \$2100.00, proceeds from the 2018 season of St. Stanislaus Youth Basketball, earmarked toward Youth Center operational costs, is gratefully acknowledged. Due to overwhelming participation from our outside community, the league had 88 participants, ages 4 to 16, a wonderful outreach opportunity.

ANS UPDATES – The ANS will begin making their delicious homemade pierogi on Monday, April 23rd @ 9:00 a.m. in the Youth Center. We are asking for volunteers from our sodality members & parishioners to help us in this endeavor in preparation of our Flea Market in August. Come at your convenience. Perhaps bring a friend who would like to learn the art of making our Polish delicacy. There will be a sign-up sheet downstairs!!! Thank you & God Bless All, *Kathy Michalina*

THANK YOU – A very special “Thank You” to Eve Hughes for stepping forward with the help of our Flower Fund for Easter. Another Earth Angel that we are blessed to have as a faithful member!!

CALL for NATIONAL SYNODAL DELEGATES – The National Synod will be held at Our Lady of the Snows in Belleview, Illinois, October 1st, 2nd, and 3rd. We will be needing 6 delegates to this synod. If you are interested being a delegate, please contact the rectory or the parish office. The approximate cost for registration should be around \$200 and the rooms are \$79 per night per room. There are a limited number of rooms at the retreat /conference center. Others will be housed at a nearby hotel for the same room rate.

FIRST MEN’S SPIRITUAL RETREAT: THE MAKING of a GODLY MAN – The men of the United Y.M.S. of R. would like to formally invite you to the First Men’s Spiritual Retreat, “The Making of a Godly Man,” to be held May 17-19 at historic Spojnia Farm in Waymart, PA. Please Join Us!!! The cost is only \$100, and includes room and all meals. Registration deadline is May 13, 2018.

This retreat filled with spirituality and brotherhood, will provide many opportunities to grow personally and as a group. For more information contact Fr. Carmen G. Bolock at 570-457-2291, padrecarmen54@gmail.com. Registration Forms are available in the lower auditorium or on the PNCC website, www.pncc.org, under upcoming events.

YMS of R BOWLING TOURNAMENT ENTRY FORMS – Now that tax season is over and everyone mailed out their forms to the IRS, let’s get those entry forms in for the NEXT BIG THING! The YMS of R Tournament, in conjunction with the United YMS of R, is JUNE 8TH, 9TH AND 10TH. Hurry and get your applications in so we can get you setup for the tournament. **The entry deadline is April 30, 2018.** The committee has been working hard to get things ready and we are all set and excited to be hosting the tournament this year. Please see the following link for the forms on the [pncc.org](http://www.pncc.org) website. <http://www.pncc.org/?event=73rd-annual-y-m-s-of-r-bowlers-tournament> So hurry up and get the form filled out and sent in. We are looking forward to seeing everyone in June! If you have any questions, feel free to call me at 570-575-5231 or email me at artbowl@msn.com. Thanks, Andrew/Nick/Art

PAINTING PARTY CONTINUES – The painting of the downstairs of the Youth Center continues. 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.

SPRING YARD SALE – Sell your stuff. Shop for bargains. St. Mary’s Polish National Catholic Church will hold a Spring Yard Sale on SATURDAY APRIL 28th, 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM (rain or shine) at [200 Stephenson St., Duryea](http://200StephensonSt.Duryea). For \$10.00 you can rent an 8 foot by 2 foot table space (You must bring your own tables) to sell your un-wanted treasures. Set-up time 8:00 AM. VENDERS & CRAFTERS WELCOME. To reserve a table space phone [570-457-2291](tel:570-457-2291).

PROVIDENCE of GOD PARISH at 221 Oak St. in North Scranton is having a Pasta Dinner on Monday, May 7, 2018 from 4:00 to 7:00 PM in the Church Hall. The menu includes Pasta with sauce, homemade meatballs, salad, and Italian Bread. Home-made desserts, and coffee are included in the dinner. The price for a ticket is \$10.00 for adults and \$5.00 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.

UKRAINIAN FOLK DANCE – Scranton’s St. Vladimir Ukrainian Greek Catholic parish is sponsoring a performance by the Ukrainian Folk dance group “Barvinok” on Sunday, May 6, 2018 at 4:00 pm at its parish center 428 North Seventh Avenue. The highly acclaimed dance group which hails from the Metropolitan New Jersey/New York City area has appeared in numerous venues on the East Coast and in Ukraine where they took first place in an international folk dance competition. Under the direction of Mr. Gregory Momot, the troupe performs traditional dances from various regions of Ukraine while attired in colorful embroidered costumes. Mr. Momot was trained at the Kyiv Cultural University and danced with the world renowned Virsky Ukrainian National Dance Company. His energetic and intricate choreography along with beautiful regional costumes bring alive the electrifying spirit of Ukrainian dance. Tickets are \$10.00 in advance - \$12.00 at the door and can be purchased by contacting Kristen Waznak at 570 241-1223.

FOOD PANTRY – Please bring **canned vegetables** on Sunday, **April 29th** for our One Hot Meal Food Pantry. Thank you for your continued support of this important project.

THIS WEEK’S LITURGIES

Monday, April 23

8:30 am – Mass of the day

Tuesday, April 24

8:30 am – sp. Anna Stets by Mr. & Mrs. Artabane

Wednesday, April 25

8:30 am – Mass of the day

Thursday, April 26

8:30 am – Healing Mass

Friday, April 27

8:30 am – Mass of the day

Saturday, April 28

8:30 am – sp. Francis Blakiewicz by family

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY – **Apr 23** – David & Angela Ostrowski; **Apr 24** – Fred & Jennifer Aebli

HAPPY BIRTHDAY – **Apr 27** – Dr. Robert Sarnowski

FRIENDS in the HOSPITAL – **April 19th** – *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.