

St. Stanislaus Cathedral

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The First Parish of the Polish National Catholic Church

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TBA – Organist / Director of Music

Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 2, 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

Special Congregational Meeting following 9:30 Mass

NEXT SUNDAY, September 9th, Solemnity – Brotherly

Love

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

11:15 am Cathedral Chapel, Tripp Park

Lectors:

9/2 – 8:00 – J. Andrzejewski

9:30 – M. Stankowski & R. Seliga

11:15 – L. McConlogue

9/9 – 8:00 – K. Michalina

9:30 – J. Snyder & L. Pfohl

11:15 – L. McConlogue

FLEA MARKET THANK YOU – A very sincere and heart filled thank you to all of our ladies, gentlemen, parishioners, and friends that helped to prepare our Giant Flea Market and make it a huge success once again. I personally had a lot of fun and laughs working with all of you this year and look forward to doing many more events with everyone. My family and I cannot thank you enough for your support. I look forward to seeing you at more up and coming events. To those of you who could not join us this year at the flea market, please keep in mind that there are many more great things coming and your help is always needed and appreciated, even if it's only for 20 minutes. *Sincerely, Lorne Notari*

SCHOOL of CHRISTIAN LIVING – **Registration** for School of Christian Living **begins this week.**

We hope that all children of the parish from toddlers through high school will register, soon, so that we can gather the proper materials for teaching.

All families with children should have received a registration form in the mail. There is a table in the vestibule with forms, as well. Just place the form in the box. There is open enrollment, so if your child cannot make the start of classes, they are welcome to begin at any time in the year. (It would be helpful if you fill out a form with that information.) Participants in the adult class do not have to register, but we hope to see you there!

Classes begin on September 23rd, and will run from **10:45 till 11:30**. Toddlers (three years and up) and adults will meet in the parish hall area and all others will gather downstairs in the Youth Center.

We have a wonderful team of teachers, but we could use a few more volunteers to act as assistants. We also are in need one more teacher. You will have plenty of help! It will be a rewarding experience. Not sure? Want more information? See one the SOCL team members. Teachers include: Christina Thomas, Tera Notari, Jessica Notari, Kim Herrera, Miranda Rybak, LuAnn Kaszuba and Barbara Nowicki. Carol Nasser and Michelle Reed, Teacher Assistants. . Won't you consider serving?

CHICKEN BBQ – Our church will be holding its 4th of the season Chicken BBQ on **Saturday, September 8th beginning at noon til sold out**. The menu again includes; 1/2 chicken, baked potato w/butter, vegetable, roll w/butter, dessert and bottled water. Cost is \$10. Take outs only with ample parking and drive thru service. Advance order sheets are available in the church hall or call Paul and Sylvia Kowalski @ 570-842-8812. Thank you to all our parishioners who supported our last event. In spite of the weather, we sold out in a little more than an hour. Our three BBQ's this season have generated a net income of a little more than \$4,200.00 after expenses.

MASS on the CORNER for ALL to SEE - ONE MASS at 9:30 am for all Cathedral **and** Cathedral Chapel parishioners **and** members of the community in the Pavilion on our corner lot at Elm Street and Pittston Avenue. This Mass on **Sunday, September 16th** is celebrated outside the Cathedral on the Cathedral campus as a witness to the community of our ministry and mission and presence within it. In the coming weeks, please respond affirmatively with a resounding *“Of course I’ll help”* to requests for assistance in the preparations and offering of this event in the grass on the corner in our town.

ANS FALL DINNER – It’s that time AGAIN!!! I would like to announce that on **Sunday, October 21st** we will be hosting our delicious “Home Style Roast Pork Dinner!” There will be **One Seating @ 12:30 p.m.** **Take outs** will be available **from 10:30 – 11:45 a.m.** Tickets are now available & may be purchased from sodality members of The Adoration of The Most Blessed Sacrament Society!!
Thank you & God Bless, President, Kathy Michalina

OUTDOOR FLEA MARKET will be held on Saturday, September 8, 2018 from **8 AM till 2 PM** under the big tent on the Holy Mother of Sorrows church grounds. **To reserve a table call Lois McHugh** at 570-603-9633. Table rentals cost \$15 each and are supplied by the church. Only 40 tables are available for rent – first come first served. All reservations must be prepaid prior to the flea market (checks made payable to Holy Mother of Sorrows and mailed to 212 Wyoming Avenue Dupont, PA 18641). Various Polish foods (pierogi, potato pancakes, haluski, golabki, etc.) will be available for purchase during this event.

42ND ANNUAL POLISH HARVEST “DOŻYNKI” FESTIVAL will be held on Sunday, September 9, 2018 from 12:00 PM to 7:00 PM (Holy Mother of Sorrows grounds) 212 Wyoming Ave., Dupont, PA. Blessing of the wreath will be held in the Dozynki Tent at 12:00 PM. Live music for your entertainment and enjoyment from 1:30 PM till 5:30 PM. Raffle drawings at 6 PM. Polish and American food will be available for purchase all day long.

SPAGHETTI DINNER – Holy Cross Church in Wilkes Barre will be holding their Annual Spaghetti Dinner on Saturday, September 15th, from 4 to 7 PM in their church hall. Full course dinner with salad bar, dessert, beverage, as well as a basket raffle. Cost is \$10. Address; 23 Sheridan Street, Wilkes Barre, PA 18702. Phone; 570-823-3025.

B-I-N-G-O! – The Scranton High School Knight Rhythms/Show Choirs will host their 2nd Annual Designer Purse Bingo in the Youth Center on Sunday, Sept. 30th. Doors open at 11:00 am and games begin at 1:00 pm! 16 regular games, 4 special games, 50/50, Basket Raffle and Homemade food! Tickets are \$20 in advance and \$25 at the door, but there is a limited number available, so gather your friends and family and get your tickets now! We will be happy to reserve a table for your group! Contact Lisa McConlogue at 570-267-5233 for tickets! We hope to see you there :)

SPOJNIA SUNDAY – September 23, 2018 shall commemorate the historic association of the PNU and Polish National Catholic Church and serve as reaffirmation of the commitment of the PNU in the many fields of Christian endeavor. *Article XXVI, Section 2 of the Constitution and By Laws of the Polish National Union.*

As the PNCC celebrates Spojnia Sunday – let us always remember to support the efforts of our sister organization as the PNU continues to support the members, clergy and parishes of the PNCC. For more information on the Polish National Union please contact your PNU Branch Secretary, visit the web site www.pnu.org, or call the PNU Home Office at 800-724-6352 for more information.

CELEBRATING 100% PNU FAMILIES – This year’s Spojnia Sunday contest will celebrate our 100% PNU families and aligns to the PNCC 2018 Future Direction “Year of the Family.” Send us a family photo where everyone in the picture is a PNU member. It can be any combination of your family and extended family, but the photo must contain two or more people and PNU members only. Social membership counts as PNU membership. Provide the full names for everyone shown in the photo and mail the photo to: Kathy Nemkovich, 37 Winthrop St., Fall River, MA 02721, or email to kathynemkovich@gmail.com. Deadline to receive photos is November 1, 2018. All photos will be entered into a drawing to win \$250 and may be used in future PNU materials. The drawing will be held in December at the PNU Board meeting.

If you are not yet a 100% PNU family, you can sign up for PNU membership on Spojnia Sunday or at any time before November 1, 2018 by contacting your Branch Secretary or District Director, visiting us online at www.PNU.org, email us at info@pnu.org, or call the home office at 800-724-6352.

ALTAR FLOWERS – The floral pieces at the high altar today are offered to the glory of God and in memory of the early parishioners & organizers of the Polish National Catholic Church.

FOOD PANTRY – Please bring **instant oatmeal** on Sunday, **September 9th** for our One Hot Meal Food Pantry. Thank you for your continued support of this important project.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY – **Sept 2** – Joseph & Christine Ross; **Sept 7** – W. Michael & Linda Umerich; **Sept 8** – Vito & Christine Gerardi, Stephen & Brenda Karsnak

HAPPY BIRTHDAY – **Sept 2** – Janet Meleski; **Sept 4** – Samuel Raub; **Sept 5** – Jennifer Gerardi, LuAnn Lednovich; **Sept 6** – Christine Ross; **Sept 7** – Deborah Godek. Amy Reap

THIS WEEK’S LITURGIES

Monday, September 3
8:30 am – sp. Eleanor Zackoski by sons and family

Tuesday, September 4
8:30 am – Mass of the day

Wednesday, September 5
8:30 am – Mass of the day

Thursday, September 6
8:30 am – Healing Mass

Friday, September 7
8:30 am – Mass of the day

Saturday, September 8
8:30 am – sp. Eileen & John Boczar by Matza family: Kate, Mike, & Juliane

BELATED BIRTHDAY WISHES – **Aug. 20** - Chester Lukasiewicz

FRIENDS in the HOSPITAL – **August 31st** – *Mt. View: Rosalie Aebli, Amelia Liska, Paulette Wincovich; *St. Mary’s Villa: Clara Zlotowski

FRIENDS RECOVERING at HOME – Annette Cimino, Jean Cwynar, Joann Edwards, Ceil Gorgol, Josephine Kwiatkowski, Helen Lukasiewicz, Bob Matylewicz, Chester Nezelkewicz, Stanley (Ozzie) Ocwieja, Jean Sherman, Jake Stankowski, Mary Szajna. Please pray for them.