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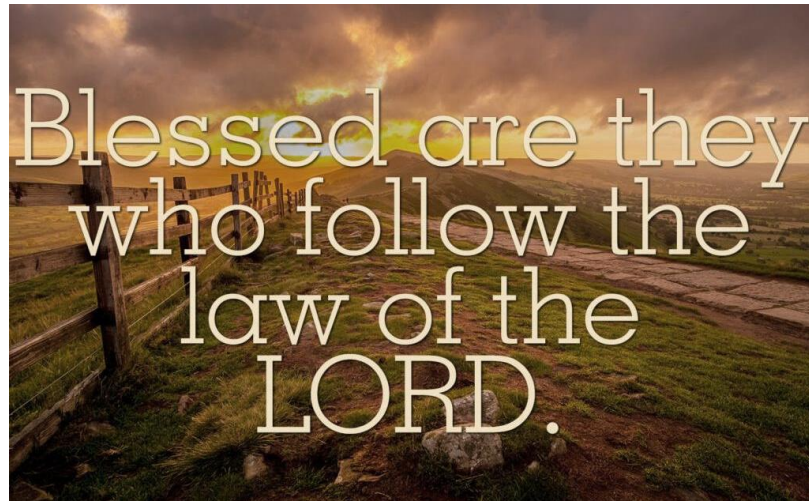
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Ms. Rebecca Elfman– Organist / Director of Music

Septuagesima Sunday February 5, 2023



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

10:45 am – SOCL Classes

Thursday, February 9th

6:30 pm – Cathedral Chorale Rehearsal

Saturday, February 11th

10:00 am – Confirmation Class

Next Sunday, February 12th – Sexagesima Sunday

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

11:15 am Cathedral Chapel, Tripp Park

The Season of Pre-Lent Begins Today, February 5th – The celebration of this season is a preparation for Holy Lent. The three Sundays of Pre-Lent come seventy, sixty and fifty days before Easter. The liturgical color of this season which prepares us to anticipate the spiritual rigors of the Lenten Season is rose. Lent then takes on the somber hue of purple signifying the seven-week period of penitence and introspection and our conversion of heart.

During Pre-Lent the Alleluia heard before the proclamation of the Gospel is eliminated from the Mass and will continue to be so through Lent until Easter morning. In place of the Alleluias, we will hear only a mournful chant called the Tract. Also begun in Pre-Lent is the elimination of the singing of the Gloria which will remain silenced through the Lenten season until the Resurrection of Jesus is proclaimed on Easter.

Floral adornments of the high altar are still appropriate through Shrove Tuesday, the day before Ash Wednesday, though such adornment may be abandoned if so desired.

Scout Sunday will be observed in our Parish on **February 12th at the 9:30 Mass** with guest scouts in attendance and prayers for the occasion.

Apartment for Rent – The first floor apartment at 1115 Pittston Ave. is for rent. It is a 5 room, 2 bedroom apartment with off-street parking, washer & dryer hook up and heat and water included. Monthly rent is \$910. If you know of anyone who may be interested, please contact the parish office at 570-961-9231.

Lectors:

2/5 – 8:00 – J. Andrzejewski
9:30 – B. Seliga & M. Hughes
11:15 – D. Rychleski
2/12 – 8:00 – K. Michlina
9:30 – T. J. Notari
11:15 – D. Rychleski

Annual Parish Meeting – The annual parish meeting is being scheduled for its usual time on the first **Sunday in March, March 5th**.

There will only be one mass on that Sunday at 9:00 a.m. and the annual meeting will commence after mass in the parish hall. Annual reports will be placed in the parish hall for all parishioners to obtain. They will be available in the later part of February before the meeting.

One important item on the agenda will be a change to the amount of dividends and interest that can be drawn from the Endowment Fund.

If anyone is interested in joining the parish committee for this year please contact Carol Nasser (570-840-5502), Linda Vitcavage (480-329-7021) or the parish office 570-961-9231).

Please keep this date open to participate in this important meeting.

YMS of R Hoagie AND PIZZA Sale – Branch 1 YMS of R will be holding a fundraising Hoagie and Pizza Sale on Sunday, February 12, 2023. We will be making 12” Italian or turkey hoagies, as well as take and bake plain and pepperoni square pizzas. Pick up will be that day, in the Youth Center, from 10:30 AM to 12:00 PM, JUST IN TIME FOR THE NFL SUPER BOWL GAME AND PARTIES!

The price for the hoagies will be \$10.00 each, which includes lettuce, tomato and onion, as well as condiments (oil/vinegar, mayo or spicy mustard), all prepackaged on the side. Pizzas will be 12-cut square and are \$17.00 for plain and \$20.00 for pepperoni.

The deadline for orders is Tuesday, February 7, 2023 using the signup sheet in the lower church hall or by calling Frank at (570) 587-3672. Please indicate the type and number of pizzas and/or hoagies desired (as well as the appropriate number and types of condiments for any hoagies). Thanks in advance for your support.

THIS WEEK'S LITURGIES

Monday, February 6

8:30 am – Holy Mass

Tuesday, February 7

8:30 am – Holy Mass

Wednesday, February 8

8:30 am – Holy Mass

Thursday, February 9

8:30 am – Healing Mass

Friday, February 10

8:30 am – Holy Mass



SAVE THE DATE

Sunday, February 5th

Three week Pre-Lent Season Begins

Sunday, February 12th – Scout Sunday will be observed in our Parish following 9:30 Mass

February 16th – Anniversary of the Death of Bishop Hodur

10:00 am – Holy Mass

February 22nd – Ash Wednesday

12:00 pm and 7:00 pm – Holy Mass and distribution of ashes

During Lent:

Wednesdays – Stations of the Cross with Benediction

7:00 pm – Cathedral

Fridays – Stations of the Cross

12:00 pm – Lower chapel

Saturday, March 4th – One Hot Meal, Take out only

12:00 – 1:00 pm

Sunday, March 5th – Annual Parish Meeting

Following 9:00 am Holy Mass ONE MASS THIS DAY

Saturday, March 18th – Scranton Seniorate Lenten Retreat

11:00 am – Providence of God Parish, North Scranton