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The First Parish of the Polish National Catholic Church

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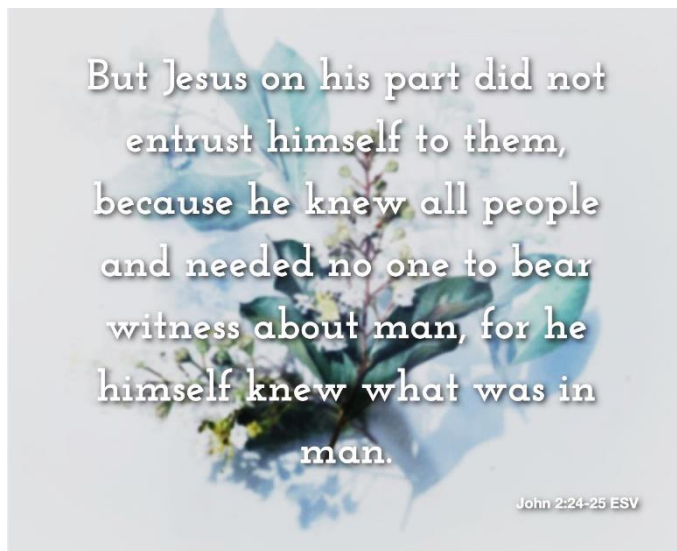
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Ms. Rebecca Elfman – Organist / Director of Music

Third Sunday in Lent

March 3, 2024



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

Annual Parish Meeting following Holy Mass.

Wednesday, March 6th

7:00 pm – Stations of the Cross with Exposition and Benediction

Stations readers – The Cathedral Chorale

7:45 pm – Tenebrae Singers rehearsal

Thursday, March 7th

6:30 pm – Cathedral Chorale rehearsal

Friday, March 8th

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

Saturday, March 9th

10:00 am – Holy Orders, Cleric Sean Dodd; see announcement

10:00 am – Confirmation class

11:00 am – First Communion class

Next Sunday, March 10th – Institution of the PNCC

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

Schedule of Readers for Stations of the Cross – **March 6th** – Cathedral Chorale; **March 13th** – UYA; **March 20th** – Parish Committee.

Calling all singers! – The Cathedral Chorale is rehearsing music for Easter. We'd love to have you join us! If you just want to come to the Easter part of the rehearsal, that begins at 7:10, but you are welcome to warm up and practice music for the upcoming Sunday at 6:30. Wine and cheese refreshments follow.

TENEBRAE CHOIR has begun to rehearse following Stations of the Cross each Wednesday. The music is simple but meaningful. More men are needed to really do justice to this special Good Friday liturgy. You do not have to know how to read music. The rehearsal lasts about half an hour, followed by wine and cheese.

Holy Order of Deacon – Cleric Sean Dodd will be ordained to the Holy Order of Deacon on Saturday, March 9, 2024 at 10:00 a.m. in the Cathedral.

A light luncheon will follow in the Parish Hall.

ANS Thank You – Thanking all ANS members, who once again, faithfully adored the Most Blessed Sacrament at two Masses, read for Stations of the Cross, and maintained Altar Care for the month of February.

God Bless each & every one of you for your dedication to our Cathedral, Society, and especially all for "JESUS".

President,
Kathy Michalina

Meal in the Upper Room – A program of melody, meditation, and meal will be conducted in conjunction with the Scranton Seniorate Lenten Retreat on Saturday, March 16, 2024 beginning at 10:00 am at St. Stanislaus Cathedral. The Lenten Retreat will also include our seasonal penitential preparations along with the opening meditation on the Upper Room Meal conducted in our lower Chapel preceding the Meal. Please plan to attend this very beautiful and inspiring presentation.

Seating is limited to 40 participants. Reservations are needed and can be made through June Sarnowski at (home phone) 570-586-1576. Reservations will be accepted through and including Wednesday, March 6th.

The FOUR LENTEN DISCIPLINES – Praying, Fasting, Almsgiving and Daily Bible Readings

PROCLAIM LIBERTY
Christ Sets Us Free

<i>Sunday</i>	Anointed to bring good news	Isaiah 61:1-3
<i>Monday</i>	Free in Christ	Galatians 5:1-6
<i>Tuesday</i>	A year of jubilee	Leviticus 25:8-12
<i>Wednesday</i>	The law of liberty	James 1:22-25
<i>Thursday</i>	Free indeed	John 8:31-32
<i>Friday</i>	Proclaim the Gospel	Romans 10:14-17
<i>Saturday</i>	Live as free people	1 Peter 2:13-17

Breakfast Buffet with the Easter Bunny sponsored by Branch #1 of the YMS of R takes place **Sunday, March 17th** after 9:30 a.m. Mass in the Parish Youth Center. **Tickets are: Adults - \$10.00; Children age 4-12 - \$5.00; Children ages 3 and under: Free.** Please make reservations in the Church Auditorium after 9:30 am Mass on Sundays or call Frank Gerardi 570-587-3672. A *limited* number of tickets will be available at the door, so please make your reservations by **Thursday, March 14th.**

Lenten Potato Pancake & Clam Chowder Sale

Friday, March 8, 2024
From 3 PM - 6 PM or until sold out
Takeout ONLY
Holy Mother of Sorrows
Frank Bednash Memorial Hall
212 Wyoming Avenue, **Dupont, PA**
Limit one dozen per sale
3/\$5 6/\$10 12/\$20
Pint of clam chowder for \$5

Easter Flower Donations – Please consider donating \$25.00 to the ANS Flower Fund in honor or memory of loved ones. Your donation will help beautify our Alters for Easter. Please make checks to ANS Flower Fund and drop in Offertory Basket or mail to 529 E. Locust St. Scranton, PA 18505 **by March 20th.** Please include names of loved ones. Any questions please contact Connie Tellep (570) 222-4409.

SAVE THE DATE

DURING LENT:
Wednesdays – Stations of the Cross with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament
7:00 pm – Cathedral
Fridays – Stations of the Cross
12:00 pm – *Lower chapel*
Saturday, March 16th – Scranton Seniorate Lenten Retreat
10:00 am – 12:00 pm – featuring the Meal in the Upper Room – St. Stanislaus Cathedral
Sunday, March 17th – Breakfast Buffet w/ the Easter Bunny
Following 9:30 am Holy Mass
Holy Tuesday, March 26th – Chrism Mass
Holy Thursday, March 28th – Eucharist’s Institution Mass
Good Friday, March 29th – daytime and evening services
Holy Saturday, March 30th – late afternoon service
Easter Sunday, March 31st – three morning Masses

THIS WEEK’S LITURGIES

Monday, March 4
8:30 am – Holy Mass
Tuesday, March 5
8:30 am – Holy Mass
Wednesday, March 6
8:30 am – Holy Mass
Thursday, March 7
8:30 am – Healing Mass
Friday, March 8
8:30 am – Holy Mass
Saturday, March 9
8:00 am – Holy Mass