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# Solemnity of Pentecost May 19, 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**

We welcome Father Tom Basta as our guest celebrant at the 9:30 Mass

10:45 am – Special Parish Meeting

10:45 am – SOCL Classes

#### Lectors:

**5/19** – 8:00 – John Andrzejewski

9:30 – Patrick McHugh

11:15 – David Rychleski

**5/26** – 8:00 – Kathy Michalina

9:30 – Eve Hughes

11:15 – David Rychleski

## Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>

7:00 pm – Marian Devotions with Litany, Supplication and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

## Thursday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>

6:30 pm – Cathedral Chorale rehearsal

#### Saturday, May 25<sup>th</sup>

10:00 am – Confirmation class 11:00 am – First Communion class

## Next Sunday, May 26<sup>th</sup> – Solemnity of the Holy Trinity

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

<u>Calling All Graduates</u> – We will be honoring all high school and college graduates from 2024 this year on **Sunday, June 16**<sup>th</sup> during the 9:30 Mass. Please contact the parish office (570-961-9231) or by email (office@saintstanislauspncc.org) with the students' name, name of the high school or name of the college and degree, and their future plans. You could also write the information on paper and place it in the collection basket. Please let us know as soon as possible so we can make preparations for the day.

Memorial Day Mass will be celebrated on Monday, May 27<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am at the cemetery - rain or shine. Rainy day venue: Park pavilion. Join us this solemn day of remembrance at Holy Mass and honor those who died serving in the United States Armed Forces.

<u>Scranton Seniorate Corpus Christi</u> – The annual Scranton Seniorate Corpus Christi celebration will be held at Holy Mother of Sorrows parish in Dupont on **Thursday, May 30** at 7:00 pm. Refreshments will be served after the service. All parishioners and friends from our Seniorate are welcome and invited to attend.

Honor Your Father — We pray for all fathers both lay and clergy, past and present, to express our gratitude, remembrance, and love for all they have done for our families and for our Church. For continued support of our Clergy Pension Fund and to acknowledge ALL FATHERS, we will publish in the June issue of God's Field — Rola Boża your name and the name of the father you wish to acknowledge or remember. For each acknowledgement or remembrance, we are requesting a minimum donation of \$25.00, payable to the Clergy Pension Fund P.N.C.C. We feel that this will have a two-fold affect, by acknowledging or remembering OUR FATHERS, LAY OR CLERGY, for all they have done for us and also to bolster our Clergy Pension Fund in order to show our continued support for our Clergy/our Church Fathers who make so many sacrifices each day in service to our Church. All donations received go toward the Clergy Pension Fund of the Polish National Catholic Church. Please complete the form on the last page and submit it prior to June 1, 2024, along with your minimum donation of \$25.00 per name to: Clergy Pension Fund 1006 Pittston Avenue Scranton, PA 18505 Please make checks payable to the "Clergy Pension Fund P.N.C.C."

Let's 'Start the Party'! – Jesus gives us the most important reason to party! 'Start The Party' Vacation Bible School 2024 will be from 6pm until 8pm on July 29th, 30th, 31st, August 1st, and August 2nd! Join us in the Youth Center to learn about friendship, belonging, forgiveness, abundant life, and purpose while completing projects, engaging in fun physical activities, listening to stories, and jamming out to music. Light refreshments will be provided for children. Interested in joining us? Fill out the registration form located in the Parish Hall! We look forward to celebrating Jesus and all his wonderful works together at 'Start the Party'!

<u>Flea Market</u> – Our Giant Flea Market this year will be on **July 19 and 20**. When you're Spring cleaning, if you find any unwanted but still usable items, please consider donating them to the Flea Market. Also, if you know anyone who is moving or downsizing and has good usable items that they no longer want, we would be happy to accept them for the Flea Market. **We'll take just about anything** except mattresses and clothing.

**Pick-up can be arranged** by calling the Parish Office at (570) 961-9231 any time between now and July 13. Also, items can be dropped off at the Youth Center July 7 through 13.

Giant Flea Market and Bake Sale – Providence of God Parish at 1743 N. Sumner Ave., Scranton, will hold their Giant Flea Market and Bake Sale on Friday, May 31st 9:00 am – 4:00 pm and Saturday, June 1st 9:00 am – 4:00 pm. There's something for everyone!

<u>Altar Flowers</u> – The floral pieces at the high altar today are offered to the glory of God and in memory of Prime Bishop John Swantek offered by wife Arlene & family.

<u>Altar Flower Fund</u> — What a gesture of affection it would be to make a donation for flowers in honor of or in memory of a loved one! To follow through on exactly that, please contact Connie Tellep at 570-222- 4409. A donation of \$60 would cover the cost for a Sunday. Of course, a donation of any amount to the fund is always welcomed. Simply send a check made payable to ANS Flower Fund, to the Parish office or just drop the envelope in the collection basket. Thank you for your help in bringing beauty in glorifying God.

YMS of R Grove Rental – Hurry, hurry, hurry, reserve your day at the YMS of R grove for 2024! If you would like to reserve the YMS of R Grove for a summer outing, please contact Artie Golembeski at 570-575-5231 or via email at artbowl@msn.com. Spots are filling up fast. So if you have a family reunion or a birthday party coming up, why not reserve the grove for the day.

#### THIS WEEK'S LITURGIES

Monday, May 20

8:30 am – Holy Mass

Tuesday, May 21

8:30 am - Holy Mass

Wednesday, May 22

8:30 am – Holy Mass

Thursday, May 23

8:30 am – Healing Mass

Friday, May 24

8:30 am - Holy Mass

Saturday, May 25

8:00 am – Holy Mass

#### **SAVE THE DATE**

May 27th – Memorial Day Mass at the Cemetery

10:00 a.m.

**May 29 – Marian Devotions** 

7:00 p.m.

May 30<sup>th</sup> – Solemnity of Corpus Christi

7:00 p.m. at Holy Mother of Sorrow's, Dupont, PA

**June is Clergy Appreciation Month** 

June 1st – One Hot Meal

Noon – 1:00 p.m.

June 9th – First Holy Communion

June 12th – 15th Bishop Bilinski Memorial Men's

**Spiritual Retreat in Waymart** 

June 16th Father's Day

Honor Graduates during 9:30 am Mass

