St. Stanislaus Cathedral

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The Right Reverend Bernard J. Nowicki, DD, pastor – bishop@saintstanislauspncc.org
The Reverend Janusz A. Lucarz, assistant pastor – frjanusz@saintstanislauspncc.org
Ms. Rebecca Elfman – Organist / Director of Music

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 15, 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

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

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Thursday, September 19th

6:30 pm – Cathedral Chorale rehearsal

Saturday, September 21st

10:00 am – Annual Scranton Seniorate Meeting, see announcement

Lectors:

9/15 – 8:00 – Kathy Michalina

9:30 – Maria Hughes

11:15 – David Rychleski

9/22 – 8:00 – John Andrzejewski

9:30 – Eve Hughes

11:15 - David Rychleski

Next Sunday, September 22nd – Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

<u>Special Parish Meeting</u> – There will be a special parish meeting on **Sunday**, **September 22**nd following the 9:30 am Mass to elect two delegates to the 14th Central Diocesan Synod.

Annual Scranton Seniorate Meeting – The Annual Scranton Seniorate Meeting will be held on Saturday, September 21, 2024 at 10:00 am at the Providence of God Parish in North Scranton. The main purpose of this meeting is to elect delegates from our Seniorate to the Diocesan Council for the next term (2024-2028).

<u>The Chairs Are Moving Again!</u> – The bureaucratic morass that held our chairlifts motionless for low these many months has now been cleared. This excruciating slog through the swamp of red tape has successfully resulted in our ability to continue to have our 'ups and downs' (in the best sense of that phrase), and to begin, once again, to enjoy many moving experiences.

Income vs Expenditures for April 2024 St. Stanislaus, PNC Cathedral – Thank you to all of our faithful members' patience while we are working on delivering this important information in a more timely manner. As with any new endeavor there are administrative hiccups that can cause delays. However, in an effort to provide accurate information concerning our beloved Cathedral's fiscal health, the Parish Committee has authorized the publication of the following:

April 2024

Income \$24,825.00 Expenses \$52,431.25 Net Loss -\$27,605.35 <u>Fundraiser to Support One Hot Meal</u> – One Hot Meal will sponsor a **Pasta and Meatball Dinner** on **Saturday**, **October 26**, 2024 at 5:30 pm in the <u>Youth Center</u>.

This fundraiser is of vital importance to ensure that this community outreach program will continue.

Cost: \$20.00 Adult - \$10.00 Child

Reservation signup sheets are located in the Church Auditorium.

For more information, please contact Carol Nasser at 570-840-5502 or Linda Seliga at 480-329-7021.

We thank you for your support.

<u>Sign up for Catechism and SOCL Classes</u> – It is time to begin signing up for Catechism classes for First Holy Communion and Confirmation. Children for First Holy Communion must be 8 years of age when receiving the Sacrament and 14 years of age when receiving Confirmation. If your child or grandchild is ready for these Sacraments, please contact the parish office at 570-961-9231.

Classes will begin on Saturday, October 5th, 2024.

- Confirmation class every Saturday at 10:00 am
- First Communion class every Saturday at 11:00 am

You are encouraged to sign up your child or grandchild for School of Christian Living Classes by calling the parish office as well. Come join the fun and plant the roots of a Christian Education.

300 Club Tickets Still Available! – St. Stanislaus PNCC is hosting a 300 Club drawing.

Drawings start TODAY and run through November 17th.

The cost is \$20.00. Everyone is eligible for all drawings all (10) weeks.

7 Cash Prizes weekly: 1 - \$100.00; 2 - \$50.00; 4 - \$25.00

For tickets, please see any Parish Committee member, contact the Parish Office at 570-961-9231, or call Debbie Godek 570-689-4069. Come join in the fun. Drawings will be held after 9:30 am Mass each week during coffee hour.

<u>Blood Drive</u> – The Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament Society will be sponsoring a BLOOD DRIVE at our **Youth Center on Wednesday, October 23rd.**

Please stay tuned for more information.

Your support is most definitely needed in this worthy cause. The Red Cross blood bank donations are unfortunately very low.

September 28th from Noon to 3:00 PM (Take-Out) at 515 Mary Street in Dickson City. Call Mike Shiner at (570) 947-2333 if you would like to reserve a dinner in advance. Donation is \$15 and includes chicken, baked potato, green beans, a roll, and dessert. A variety of delicious baked goods will also be available for purchase.

<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 – Reserve your day at the YMS of R grove for 2024! If you would like to reserve the YMS of R Grove for a fall 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, September 16

8:30 am – Holy Mass

Tuesday, September 17

8:30 am – Holy Mass

Wednesday, September 18

8:30 am – Holy Mass

Thursday, September 19

8:30 am – Healing Mass

Friday, September 20

8:30 am – Holy Mass

Saturday, September 21

8:00 am – Holy Mass

When you pray
God listens.
When you listen
God talks.
When you believe
God works.
Amen.