

St. Stanislaus Cathedral

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Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 27, 2019



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

Bishop Bernard is at St. Stephen's Parish in Reading, PA to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation.

9:30 am Holy Mass will be celebrated by **Father John Kowalczyk of St. Michael the Archangel Parish, Cedar Lake, IN.** Father John participated in the Special Synod on Friday and will remain in Scranton through Monday for the National Liturgical Commission meeting. Welcome to our cathedral parish, Fr. John.

10:45 am – SOCL Classes

11:00 am - Adult Forum

11:00 am - St. Stanislaus Handbell rehearsal

MONDAY, October 28th

NO Bible Study today

THURSDAY, October 31st

6:30 pm - Cathedral Chorale rehearsal

FRIDAY, November 1st

12:00 noon – All Saints Day Holy Mass in the Cathedral

7:00 pm – All Saints Day Holy Mass in the Cathedral; Wypominki – remembrance names – will be read at the conclusion of this mass

SOLEMNITY OF ALL SOULS, November 2nd

9:30 am – Confirmation class

10:30 am – First Communion class

12:00 noon – Holy Mass, reading of names of the faithful departed, Wypominki

1:00 – 3:00 pm – One Hot Meal

7:00 pm – Ceremony of All Souls, Parish Cemetery

NEXT SUNDAY, November 3rd – Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

ALL SAINTS DAY: A HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION – Our holy days of obligation are our most important feast days. In addition to all Sundays as holy days of obligation, they are the principal liturgical feasts that honor the mysteries of the Lord, the Virgin Mary, and the saints. The best way to celebrate them is to celebrate Holy Mass. We call these feast days *obligations* because celebrating them is a part of the minimum level of commitment to worship in the Catholic faith.



St. Stanislaus Hand Bell Choir News!



Our hand bells are all refurbished and ready to be played. The only thing we need is more participation. If you think you aren't musically inclined you are wrong, it is not as hard as it sounds. We have been very fortunate to have a wonderful and talented group of young individuals play amongst us, but unfortunately some of them have moved onward with their education, employment, etc.

We would love to have some new faces and talent join us on Sunday, following the adult forum classes (11:00-11:30). No matter what your age status (preferably 3rd grade & up) – as long as you can determine the distinction between pink and blue dots and count – YOU'RE GOOD!! (Parents and other adults are welcome to come and help point for those younger members too.)

Not only will you have a great time but you will become a part of the wonderful music ministry here at the Cathedral. If you have any questions, please contact Mary Ann Stankowski @ 570-341-0986.

With the support from our Parish Community donations (especially Mr. Gantz), and through the very generous donations made in loving memory of Annette Cimino, I was researching information which will enable us to purchase a set of hand chimes, which will enhance our choir with a different sound.

I look forward to welcoming everyone on Sundays.

Thank you,
Mary Ann Stankowski, Hand Bell Director

ALL SOULS DAY REMEMBRANCES – Wypominki – Please prepare your lists of loved ones for inclusion in the reading of the names of departed loved ones on November 1st and 2nd. Wypominki envelopes are available in the lower narthex of the Cathedral.

2020 LECTOR BOOKS have arrived and are available for pickup in the Parish Office.

ROSE VESTMENTS – We are grateful to Mrs. Deborah Bilinski for offering to our Cathedral Parish the rose colored liturgical vestments of her late husband, Bishop Stanley Bilinski. They are a welcomed addition to the Cathedral's collection of liturgical vesture.

ANS FUND RAISERS “UPDATE” – Our Cathedral Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament Society will be sponsoring a Basket Raffle Drawing of approximately 3-5 baskets. This drawing was scheduled to be held on Friday, October 25th. However, due to the enthusiastic feedback from all, and awaiting for additional generous donations to complete our baskets, the date of the drawing will now be held on Sunday, November 3rd! Contributions for these baskets may be made from among any on the following categories: Cash, Gift Cards, Liquor or Lottery Tickets. Perhaps a business is known to you that would be inclined to donate towards this effort as well. If so, please

contact, Debbie Godek, Eve Hughes or Kathy Michalina with this information. ALSO, our Adoration Society will be holding a **300 CLUB DRAWING** at \$20 per ticket **beginning December 1, 2019** through February 2, 2020 after each 9:30 Mass. Eligibility is for 10 weeks regardless if you win on any given week. Weekly Drawings are: 1 @ \$ 100.00 – 2 @ \$ 50.00 – 4 @ \$ 25.00.

APPARTMENT for RENT – The **first-floor apartment** at 1115 Pittston Ave. is available for rent. 2 bedrooms/dining room/ kitchen & full bath. Off street parking available. Anyone interested please call Ed Borek at the Parish Office 570-961-9231.

PORK LOIN DINNER – **Providence of God Parish** on Oak St in North Scranton is having a Pork Loin Dinner on **Monday, November 4, 2019** from 4:00 to 7:00 PM in the Church Hall. The menu includes pork loin, homemade red beets, small red potatoes, baby carrots, apple sauce, homemade desserts, and coffee. The price for a ticket is \$12.00 for adults and \$6.00 for children. Take outs are available. You can make reservations or get tickets from Janet Kelly at 570-347-8904 or Father Walter at 570-388-6061.

ALTAR FLOWERS – The floral pieces at the high altar today are offered to the glory of God and in memory of Walter & Stella Pron offered by their daughters.

FLOWER FUND – is accepting donations in memory of or in honor of a loved one. Checks should be made out to the ANS Flower Fund and can be dropped off in the Parish Office. Any questions contact Connie Tellep at jtellep@nep.net or [570-222-4409](tel:570-222-4409).

FOOD PANTRY – Please bring **canned fruit** on Sunday, **November 3rd** for our One Hot Meal Food Pantry. Thank you for your continued support of this important project.

THIS WEEK'S LITURGIES

Monday, October 28

8:30 am – Mass of the day

Tuesday, October 29

8:30 am – Mass of the day

Wednesday, October 30

8:30 am – Mass of the day

Thursday, October 31

8:30 am – Healing Mass

Friday, November 1

All Saints Day Mass

12:00 noon - Cathedral

7:00 pm – Cathedral

Saturday, November 2

12:00 noon – All Souls Day Mass

7:00 pm – Parish Cemetery

HAPPY BIRTHDAY – **Oct 27** – Joyce Pietrzykowski; **Nov 1** – Walter Gantz; **Nov 2** – Clara Carey, Olivia Pfohl

FRIENDS in the HOSPITAL – **October 24th** – *Mt. View: Rosalie Aebli, Paulette Wincovich

FRIENDS RECOVERING at HOME – Jean Cwynar, Joann Edwards, Ceil Gorgol, Josephine Kwiatkowski, Helen Lukasiewicz, Bob Matylewicz, Chet Nezelkewicz, Jean Sherman, Jake Stankowski. Please pray for them.

