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FALL KICK OFF SUNDAY

First there was Memorial Day, then June, Fourth of July, and now August is gone.

Now it is time to start up again after the dog days of summer have gone by.

I'm hoping the summer months gave everyone a chance to rest the body and mind somewhat.

Here at the church, the summer months had an abbreviated schedule - the schedule was pretty light.

But now with the month of September ahead of us, things will pick up in pace and activity, and the summer will just be a pleasant memory.

On Sunday, September 9, Craft Classes will begin this year's 2018/2019 Sunday School year. Confirmation classes will start on the last two Sundays of September, and all societies and the parish council will be meeting as usual according to their schedules.

I would like to see a "FULL CHURCH SUNDAY" on September 9. Knowing that people need their personal time and space, I do not push very hard during the summer months. But now as the time of relaxation is behind us, I do hope that everyone will get into gear and frame of mind again and gather for worship as we kick off on Sunday, September 9.

As we resume our normal schedule, keep your eyes and ears open to those who are looking for a spiritual home for their religious needs. Invite them to our church for worship and to be a part of our vibrant parish family. - FDR

T PARISH FAMILY MASS SCHEDULE FOR SEPTEMBER T

- Sunday September 2 at 9:00 a.m. +Chester Sr. & Stella Socha, offered by Joe Kot
Sunday, September 2 at 9:00 a.m. +Paul Duke, offered by wife Dolores and sons
Sunday, September 2 at 9:00 a.m. +Eugene Laskowski Jr., offered by Rev. Dennis & Betty Ruda
Sunday, September 9 at 9:00 a.m. +Ray Bagan offered by wife Barbara and children
Sunday, September 9 at 9:00 a.m. +Andrew Stasko Sr. & Karen Rose Blanford, offered by Sophie Stasko
Sunday, September 9 at 9:00 a.m. +Mike, Helen, Michael & Andrew Mnahoncak, by Bob & Joanne Mnahoncak
Sunday, September 16 at 9:00 a.m. +Departed members of the Gazda Family
Sunday, September 23 at 9:00 a.m. +Irene Ruda, offered by Family
Sunday, September 23 at 9:00 a.m. +Julie Zalaffi, offered by husband Peter and children
Sunday, September 23 at 9:00 a.m. +George Kolba Sr. offered by Family
Sunday, September 30 at 9:00 a.m. +Jadwiga Sperka, offered by son Vincent
Sunday, September 30 at 9:00 a.m. +Lyn Podkulski, offered by Terri Miller

Please remember the following in your prayers, with a card or call:

Florence Ottman
Mae Raychel at St. Louise Manor
Emil Kotasek at Ideal Living Center
Wanda Raychel Broczkowski
Edward and Vicky Ambrose
Alice Spach
Dave & Pam Kelley

Genevieve Lupinsky
Peter Zalaffi
Ed Samuelson
Jean Chapin
David Laskowski
Steve Falvo

*Privacy laws do not allow hospitals or nursing homes to inform priests of admission.
Family members must make this notification to the priest.*



Words of sympathy are extended to the Nosal Family on the passing of Joseph Nosal on June 12.

Joe was a dedicated member of our parish family and supported the parish greatly.
May he rest in peace.

I acknowledge the following who have given of themselves in time, labor and material offerings to our parish:

- ☺ to Charlene Laskowski/Laskowski Funeral Home for her \$200.00 church donation.
- ☺ to Andy Stasko/AMS Electric for his time, labor and materials helping around the church.
- ☺ to Joe Kot for his time and labor helping at the parish cemetery
- ☺ ☺ to Jeanette Samuelson and Christina Dyman for their time and labor serving as the Fathom Organists several Sundays this past July in Betty's absence.



To our young adults who are finished with their schooling and gainfully employed: You are encouraged to take a parish membership and become a productive member of the parish family of All Saints. The parish needs your energy and support!

Young Adults Membership



Our 2018/2019 Sunday School year will begin on Sunday, September 9, following the 9:00 a.m. mass. Classes will be held every Sunday beginning at 10:00 a.m. with hot chocolate and treats.

This year we have changed the structure of the classes. On the first Sunday of the month students will have a full thirty minutes of music, on the second Sunday of the month they will have crafts, on the third and fourth Sundays they will have Sunday School class and there will be Confirmation class for the older students. If there is a fifth Sunday in the month, a video will be shown.

Music, Crafts and Classes will be conducted from 10:15 a.m. to 10:45 a.m., on their designated Sundays through the month of April 2019, with some scheduled breaks.

Hopefully, we will once again have the cooperation and support of parents, teens and children of our parish.

The following children and teens are eligible and should be a part of the Sunday School / Confirmation program. Also, these students represent 100% of our parish's student population.

Gianna Harrington, Katie Derkowski, Riley Fiacco, Christopher Kozloski, Tyler Derkowski, Ryan Derkowski.

A parish Sunday School Program cannot be productive or successful unless there are dedicated people who are willing and cooperative in helping to make it successful and beneficial. We are very fortunate that we have people willing to give of their time and efforts for the future of our parish and church.

Let me introduce you to this year's Sunday School staff:

Terri Kozloski, Teacher

Shirley Michno, Teacher

Mary Perkins, Crafts

Betty Ruda, Music

Tracy Cooper, Treasurer

Fr. Ruda & Fr. Chapin always on standby

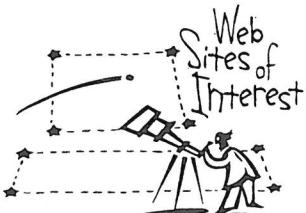
If anyone else is interested now or in the future to be helpful with our Sunday School Program, you are always encouraged and welcomed.



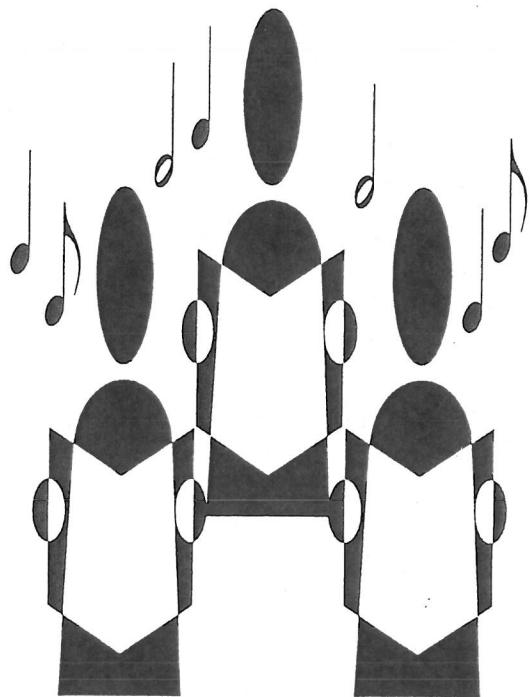
The following are church web-sites that you might be interested in exploring:

National Catholic Church : pncc.org - Central Diocese of the NCC: centraldiocesepncc.org,

All Saints Parish: allsaintsncc.org - Polish National Union: www.pnu.org.



MUSIC MINISTRY



"It is good to give thanks to the Lord, to sing praises to His name"
- Psalms 92:1

Weekly Thursday choir rehearsals have resumed, following the summer hiatus. We welcome anyone who would like to join us. If you like to sing for God and can carry a tune, just come to a **rehearsal at 6:45 PM**. Comfortable seats - good view.

With the start of **Sunday School**, our students will begin rehearsals for an **October 7** performance with the adult choir, and also for several future masses.

You will notice many new hymns being introduced. These are traditional hymns, but unfamiliar to many of you. They will be printed on the back of the Mass program sheets, as always.

MUSIC DONATIONS

Please **contact Betty Ruda** if you'd like to donate a piece of music, either from yourself, for a memorial, or for an acknowledgment of a special occasion. **Cost is \$25 each**. Your name will be printed on the front of each piece, in the monthly newsletter, and on the weekly Mass music program. You will also receive a copy of the music to keep. **Phone or text 607-759-9202, or email liz@stny.rr.com.**



As our **summer season** comes to an end soon, I pray that those of you who took a vacation (and probably rightly deserved) from **Sunday worship will return to the fold again**. Presently, there is much discord in the world. Many people are seeking new spiritual homes for one reason or another. **Visitors** who might attend one of our services and see a lack of attendance might think that the spirituality of our parish is at a low level, or that there are internal problems etc., **so your attendance is always important and vital not only for the parish family but for your own spiritual well being**. **September is here** and I pray that once again **our pews will be filled with parish family members** thanking and praising God for all the good and positive things we have.

And if by chance you see a new face or faces in church, do not be afraid to show them a smile and give them words of welcome.

As the illustration to the left shows a computer list of things to do, please be sure to have **Sunday worship and all the responsibilities it carries on your personal list**.



As a Sunday School community project, our Sunday School students along with the parish family's help will be collecting needed supplies for the Broome County Humane Society.

The list of needed supplies will be posted in the church vestibule. Bins will be placed in the vestibule September 9 until Sunday, October 28. On that day we will try to arrange a field trip to the Humane Society with the students to deliver the collected items.

I am sure that we have many from the parish who have their favorite pet in their homes. Be compassionate and let's remember our furry friends who just like humans need outside help to survive.

The Fall Rummage Sale sponsored by our Sunday School PTA will be held on Saturday, October 6, from 8:30 am to 12:30 pm and Monday, October 8, from 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., followed by clean up and putting away tables.

Our Rummage Sale and the Salvation Army will not accept the following items: underwear (men/women), wigs, used hygiene products, encyclopedias, broken furniture/broken household items.

This will be the only fund raiser for our Sunday School Program to purchase supplies and materials for the school year.

You may begin to bring your clean clothing and workable items to the parish center beginning on Tuesday, September 11 and every day thereafter from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.

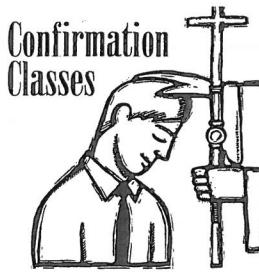
Setting up the sale will be on Thursday, October 4 at 5:30 p.m. WE NEED YOUR HELP!

P.S. Men will be needed after mass on September 9 to set up tables for the sale.

Fellowship hour
Coffee Fellowship will resume on Sunday, September 9, while Sunday School is in session.

Volunteers will be needed to donate goodies to go along with the coffee. If you are a participant of this coffee hour fellowship please take your turn and sign your name to the sheet posted for goodies in the parish center kitchen. Stop over for a cup of coffee and some interesting discussion. There is never a charge for Coffee, Tea, Hot Chocolate or goodies.





Classes for preparation to receive the **Sacrament of Confirmation** will begin in September, with the new structure of our Sunday School/Religion program. Classes for Confirmation will be held on the last two Sundays of each month. Students must participate with their attendance at Sunday mass and activities also on the first two Sundays of each month and be helpful at parish functions.

HELP WANTED!!!! ALL SAINTS NEEDS YOU !!!!!

Volunteer Opportunities



Prayerfully, your parish is asking those who are physically able to make your parish more of a part of your routine above and beyond the one hour a week you attend mass. The parish is asking, begging, entreating those of you from the parish family to become more involved in the life of the parish if you have not been. There are many ways you can help, regardless of your age. The **success and growth of our parish depends on those who volunteer their help.** God has given all of us special talents; we each need to find the time to give back to God, and you can do that through your parish participation with the following: ★attendance at mass, ★being a part of the Parish Choir, ★Mens Society, ★Sunday School teacher/helper, ★Altar Server, ★Parish Council, ★Lay Reader during Advent and Lent, ★helping at Fund raisers, ★church greeters.

We do a lot as a parish - but there is so much more we could do as a parish family if we had more help.

The Polish National Union was founded **110 years ago** in Scranton, PA, by the late Prime Bishop Francis Hodur and his co workers. The PNU is our Church's **Fraternal Insurance Company** which is the **oldest form of insurance on record..** People of similar religions, beliefs, occupations, or heritage banded together for self protection in the form of a Fraternal Insurance Company. They were the first to insure the common individual, they were the first to insure women, and they were the first to insure children.

In today's world, the PNU finds that it has become a niche or specialty insurance company. We try not to be everything for everybody but what we do, we do very well.

Some of the benefits offered to our members include membership in our Credit Union, educational stipends, educational scholarships, support of the church seminary, and various other local church/civic events. You may contact parish family member **Mark Broczkowski** who is our local agent for the Church Fraternal Insurance Organization. Call him at **723-0302**. Mark is also a licenced agent for Commercial Medicare Supplement Insurance.

Joining Forces

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