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SUNDAY BECOMING JUST ANOTHER DAY

24/7 culture brings change for traditional day of rest.

REMEMBER THE
SABBATH DAY
BY KEEPING IT HOLY.

EXODUS 20:8

On the second **Sunday of October** our church celebrates the **Feast of the Christian Family** and why the family should worship as a **complete unit**.

Once, within living memory, **Sunday** was a day set apart in many places; a **24 hour stretch of family time** when **liquor** was not available, **church** was the rule, **shopping** was impossible and weekend staples like **tending the lawn** met with **disapproval**.

But America changed, and it dragged Sunday along.

Though **Sunday** still means **worship** and **family time** for millions of Americans, today it also means other things - **12 pack of beer**, the **football on TV**, **catching up with errands**.

"Today, for a lot of Americans, **Sunday's just another day** when many people have to work," says a labor historian at Lebanon Valley College.

In a land where the **pursuit of happiness** is a part of the national charter, evolution attests to Americans' both **harried lives** and **determination to wring every drop out of every day**.

The Protestant notion of **Sunday** began to change in the 1800s with immigrant laborers. Many were devoted to "a **Sunday** that took a very different shape - **church in the morning** and **leisure in the afternoon**," says Alexis McCrossan, author of "Holy Day, Holiday: The American Sunday."

The 21st century brought pushes toward a shorter work week. At the same time **commercial culture** really took hold.

These days, it's unimaginable to many Americans: A mall closed on **Sunday**? The supermarket unavailable?

The words in the left column of this article - "Remember the Sabbath Day by keeping it Holy" - Exodus 20:8. It has some merit.....

article by Ted Anthony

+ PARISH FAMILY MASS SCHEDULE FOR OCTOBER +

Sunday, October 3 at 9:00 a.m. - +Thomas E Vassil Sr. & Daniel P. Krzysyniak offered by family
 Sunday, October 3 at 9:00 a.m. - + Richard and Barbara Plahanski, offered by son David
 Sunday, October 3 at 9:00 a.m. - +Anthony, Katherine and Frank Kot, offered by son and brother Joesph
 Sunday, October 10 at 9:00 a.m. - +Frank and Laura Placek, offered by daughter Jeraldine Placek Cwikla and family
 Sunday, October 10 at 9:00 a.m. - +Stanley Podkusi, offered by daughter Terri Podkusi Miller
 Sunday, October 17 at 9:00 a.m. - +Beverly Nowakowski, offered by son Edward and Family
 Sunday, October 17 at 9:00 a.m. - +Lisa Sobiech, offered by Fred and Wanda Daszewski
 Sunday, October 24 AT 9:00 a.m. - +Mae Raychel, offered by Terri Miller
 Sunday, October 24 at 9:00 a.m. - +Genevieve Lupinsky, offered by son Peter and Family
 Sunday, October 24 at 9:00 a.m. - Mildred Wilkins, offered by Vincent Sperski
 Sunday, October 31 at 10:00 a.m. Confirmation Sunday

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

Ed & Jeanette Samuelson
 Wanda Raychel Broczkowski
 Michael Cushner
 Dave & Pamela Kelley
 Dolores Butora Duke
 Robert Blakeslee Sr.
 Gary & Pamela Colleta Himko
 Cliff Butler Sr.



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

*From
The
Pastor's
Desk*



I thank the following who through their donation of time, labor and material offerings have been helpful to our parish:

- ☺ to Grace Fell for her \$50.00 church donation
- ☺ please remember All Souls Prayer requests are due by October 29
- ☺ please remove all spring and summer flowers on graves and start to prepare for winter
- ☺ we're still compiling information for parish notification system - please submit your info
- ☺ a big thank you to those of the parish family and friends who have been supporting the parish financially either in person or through the mail.



The following activities have become casualties of the pandemic and other obstacles:
 Fall Chicken Barbecue and Rummage Sale has been rescheduled to the spring 2022
 Men's Society Turkey Party has been rescheduled to fall of 2022
 There are other circumstances besides the pandemic that have led to these decisions; namely, cost of food products and the need of people to help and assist at these functions.



As a parish family community project, we will be collecting needed supplies for the Broome County Humane Society, but please no fifty or forty pound bags of food. 25lb. bags are easier to handle. There is also their wish list of needed items on the table in the vestibule.

Bins have been placed in the vestibule and we will be collecting from October 17 until Sunday, November 14.

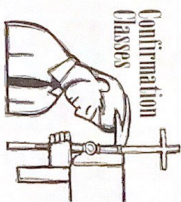
I am sure that we have many from the parish who have their favorite pet in their homes. Be compassionate and let's remember our furry friends who, just like humans, need outside help to survive from time to time.



As we begin October, the tenth month of the year, it is time to remind you about your 2021 parish membership. Membership for a married unit is \$175.00 and \$100.00 for a single unit.

These obligations may be taken care of on Sundays in the parish office. They may also be paid in installments from now to the end of the year.

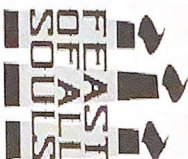
If anyone has a financial difficulty in meeting this obligation, please contact Fr. Ruda.



On Sunday, October 31 during the 10:00 a.m. mass, three young men of our parish will be receiving the sacrament of Confirmation through the hands of our diocesan bishop Rt. Rev. Bernard Nowicki, Bishop of the Central Diocese and Pastor of St. Stanislaus Cathedral in Scranton, Pa.

The three young men who will be receiving this sacrament of the church are:
Ryan Derkowski, Tyler Derkowski and Christopher Kozloski.

Please mark this date on your calendar and note the time change of the service.



Attached to this month's newsletter is an All Souls Day prayer request envelope. If you would like the souls of your departed loved one remembered on Tuesday, November 2, and Sunday, November 7 during reading of names after masses, please fill out envelope (please print your names) and hand it in by Friday, October 29. *Because of the lack of participation and interest there will be no cemetery service.*



At this time the status of our Sunday School/Religion classes is on hold on a monthly basis until the all clear is given.

However, this is not a free pass to not attend Sunday Mass, especially the children and teenagers. Parents are to be responsible in seeing that their children and teenagers, along with themselves, are present at Sunday Mass.



Our Men's Society would like to schedule an adult social evening for the parish family at Jonathan's Restaurant in Endwell. It most likely will be held this coming January. But before we can secure a date, we need a commitment from the parish family members.

Shortly, there will be an interest sheet posted in the vestibule. If there is enough of interest we will secure a date with the restaurant. As in the past, the Men's Society will treat the parish members with food, beer, wine and soda (any mixed drinks) will be the responsibility of the individual.

This event is not open to children and teenagers of the parish.

MUSIC MINISTRY

"O sing to the Lord a new song, for He has done marvelous things!" - Psalms 98:1

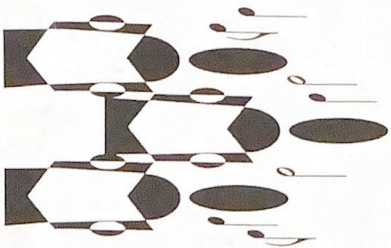
We are in need of choir members! Our weekly choir rehearsals are on Thursdays at 6:45 PM. If you like to sing for God and can carry a tune, just come to a rehearsal or contact Betty. Comfortable seats - good view.

The adult choir has been rehearsing music for October (including Confirmation) and all the way through the end of the year. We have many new, inspiring and exciting anthems for the congregation to enjoy!

Our Sunday School students music is still on hold because of health restrictions.

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.rt.com.



Music Ministry



Coffee Fellowship has resumed. 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.



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



October 2021

Events At All Saints



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