

HOLY MOTHER OF THE ROSARY CATHEDRAL

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OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY thru FRIDAY 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM - WEDNESDAYS by Appointment Only Emergency Calls Anytime 901-7356

Sunday, September 20th, 2020 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 AM Holy Mass / Contemporary Group Lector: Tammy Lightcap

10:15 AM Adult Bible Class

Flowers at the Main
Altar are given to the
Glory of God and in Loving
Memory of Paul Kowalewski
(B.D.), By Parents Henry &
Geraldine and Sister Lynn
Kowalewski

Flowers at the Blessed Virgin Mary Altar are given to the Glory of God and in Loving Memory of Adam Papaj (B.D.), By Linda Krzyzanowski, Roger and Peggy Papaj and Family

Flowers at the Blessed Sacrament Altar are given to the Glory of God and in Loving Memory of Clara and Raymond Wegst, By Lee Nowicki

Monday, September 21st

Feast – Apostle & Evangelist Matthew 8:00 AM Mass of the Day 7:00 PM Harmonia Choir Practice

Tuesday, September 22nd

M. Maurice & Companions of the Theban League8:00 AM +Walter Szpylman,By Edward Wick

Wednesday, September 23rd

V.M. Thecla of Iconium 8:00 AM +Philip & Stella Otminski (Wedd Anniv.), By Grandchildren

Thursday, September 24th

Bp. M. Gerard 8:00 AM Mass of the Day

Friday, September 25th

Ab. Sergius of Radonezh 8:00 AM **No** Mass

Saturday, September 26th

M. Cyprian & Justina
8:00 AM +Stanley Skalecki (40th Anniv.),
By Family
5:00 PM Holy Mass

Lector: Christina Giczkowski

Sunday, September 27th
26th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Spojnia Sunday

9:00 AM Holy Mass

Lector: Anne M. Szpylman

10:15 AM Adult Bible Class



<u>MASS TIMES</u> SATURDAY - 5:00 PM SUNDAY - 9:00 AM

PARISH COMMITTEE COUNTERS MONTH OF SEPTEMBER

Dave Pecynski, Bob Giczkowski, Frank Russo, Richard Jones

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER



Lord, look upon our friends, family and caregivers with the eyes of your mercy and let your healing hand rest upon them, restoring them

to wholeness and strength for service in Your Kingdom.

Audrey Zygmunt, Charles Guarasci, Elaine Hoerner, Robert Ciszak, Craig Burlin, Marilyn Busch, Fr. Gus Sicard, Leo Majchrzak, Doreen Bush, Harry Garasz, Richard Jones, Joan Pepperday.

A Heartfelt Thank You

A heartfelt thank you to Bishop John and Sherry, and my parish family for all of your



prayers for my mother and my family before and after her passing. Also, thank you for the many cards of sympathy sent to me. Knowing such kindness

helps with coping and healing.

Carol Thompson





BLESSING OF ANIMALS

In honor and celebration of St. Francis of Assisi, bring your pets, large or small - to be blessed on Saturday, October 3 @ 10:00AM in front of the church. Invite your friends and family and join us for this special blessing.

ADULT BIBLE CLASS

The adult bible study resumes this Sunday, Sept. 20th following the 9:00 AM Mass @ approx. 10:15 am. Class is open to all. Please join us in the large classroom.



OCTOBER IS THE MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY

October is the month that we honor the Blessed Virgin Mary, the patroness of our Cathedral and Diocese. Her solemnity occurs on October 7th. Rosary

Devotions will be held every Monday evening at 7:00 PM during the month of October.



Congratulations are sent to **Lauren Lightcap** on her receiving a recent Music Scholarship from the National United Choirs of the PNCC. Lauren applied for the scholarship earlier this year and the results were just recently announced. (they were to have been announced at the 2020 Youth Convocation) Lauren received the Bishop Francis Bonczak Award. This money is to be used towards the cost of private lessons and music. We congratulate Lauren and wish her great success in her musical ability as she serves the PNCC through the ministry of music.

READINGS THIS WEEK

 Monday
 Proverbs 3: 27-34
 Luke 8: 16-18

 Tuesday
 Prov.21: 1-6, 10-13
 Luke 8: 9-21

 Wed.
 Prov.30: 5-9
 Luke 9: 1-6

 Thursday
 Ecclesiastes 1: 2-11
 Luke 9:7-9

 Friday
 Ecclesiastes 3: 1-11
 Luke 9:18-22

 Saturday
 Job 1: 6-22
 Luke 9:43-45

NEWS FROM THE POLISH NATIONAL UNION DISTRICT 4

PNU/SPOJNIA WEEKEND

Traditionally the last Sunday in September is designated Spojnia Sunday. A display will be located in the Church vestibule the weekend of September 26 with PNU information and a free gift. Please stop by and see what the PNU has to offer.

ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION



Most loving Jesus, I adore You in the Most Blessed Sacrament, in Which You are truly present. I

love You above all things and I long for You in my soul. Since I cannot receive You sacramentally, I ask You to come spiritually into my heart and heal my soul. I embrace You and unite myself with You; may I never be separated from You. Inflame my heart with the fire of Your love, my Lord and Savior.



Words of Thanks: During the past few months, with restricted activities in the hall, work priorities have shifted to allow some necessary restoration. The entire kitchen was thoroughly cleaned and painted, along with the hall and hallways by our maintenance staff. Thanks to Ed Dudek and the helpers from Matthew Russo's Boy Scout Troop 500 who pitched in with the "rolling" at the hall. Coordinating the hall help was part of the "Eagle Scout" requirement for Matt. Everything looks great!

BUS EXCURSION POSTPHONED

The Annual bus excursion to the casino set for October 24th has been postponed to a later date. Don Barnes



BABY ANNOUNCEMENT CONGRATULATIONS!

Sending congratulations and best wishes to Andrew and Brianna Mack in Pittsburgh, PA on the birth of Adeline Grace on September 14th.

7 ½ pounds and 19 inches long. Congrats to Grandparents: Bishop John & Sherry Mack, Kerry & Lori McGowne (Las Vegas) and Great-Grandmother: Barbara Berger-Hill

<u>PORK CHOP DINNER</u> AND RAFFLE

The PORK CHOP DINNER will be held **Sunday**, **October 25**th from Noon to 4PM. Tickets are \$12.00 PRE-SALE is recommended - **ON SALE NOW - UNTIL SOLD OUT.** The Pork Chop dinner includes: Breaded pork chop, mashed potatoes and gravy, sweet & sour cabbage, vegetable, roll and dessert. For ticket sales call the Parish Office at 685-5766.

RAFFLE TICKETS – Raffle prizes: 1st PRIZE – Dinner for Two at Russell's with a Jacuzzi Suite at Salvatore's Grand Hotel, 2nd PRIZE – \$100.00 Wegmans Gift Certificate, 3rd PRIZE - \$100.00 in Cash, 4th PRIZE - \$75.00 Gas Card and more!

*Ticket Donation: \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00. Tickets may be purchased by calling the Parish Office 685-5766.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday – Adult Bible Class every Sunday at 10:15 AM

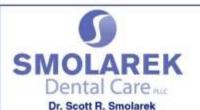
<u>Saturday</u>, <u>October 3RD</u> - Blessing of Animals, 10 AM

<u>Friday, October 9th</u> - Fish Fry, 4-7 PM <u>Wednesday, October 14th</u> - Parish

Committee Meeting, 7:00 PM

Sunday, October 25^{th –} Pork Chop Dinner and Raffle, Noon – 4PM

SUNDAY MASSES: 8 AM & 11 AM - DAILY 8 AM SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE: SATURDAY 5 PM & SUNDAY 9 AM



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