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## Sunday, November 21<sup>st</sup>, 2021 Solemnity - Christ the King

8:30 AM Harmonia Choir – warm up

9:00 AM Holy Mass

**Lector: Richard Jones**

10:15 AM Adult Bible Class

**Flowers at the Main, Blessed Sacrament and Blessed Virgin Mary Altars are given to the Glory of God and in Loving Memory of Joseph and Helen Swendra**

## Monday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>

*Solemnity – Presentation of BVM*

9:00 AM Solemnity Mass

7:00 PM Harmonia Choir Practice

## Tuesday, November 23<sup>rd</sup>

*Bp. Edmund of Abingdon*

8:00 AM **No** Mass

*If you cling to your life, you will lose it; but if you give up your life for Me, you will find it.*  
— Matthew 10:39

## Wednesday, November 24<sup>th</sup>

*M. Chrysogonus*

8:00 AM Mass of the Day

## Thursday, November 25<sup>th</sup>

*V.M. Catherine of Alexandria*

**"Happy Thanksgiving Day"**

10:00 AM Mass of Thanksgiving

**Lector: Janice Jones**



## Friday, November 26<sup>th</sup>

*Bp. Conrad of Constance*

8:00 AM Mass of the Day

## Saturday, November 27<sup>th</sup>

*Bp. Maximus of Riez*

8:00 AM Mass of the Day

5:00 PM Holy Mass / Advent 1

**Lector: Michael Pokriki**

## Sunday, November 28<sup>th</sup>, 2021

**First Sunday of Advent**

8:30 AM Harmonia Choir – warm up

9:00 AM Holy Mass

**Lector: Anne Szpylman**

10:15 AM Adult Bible Class

## NOVEMBER PARISH COMMITTEE COUNTERS

Richard Jones, Christina Giczkowski,  
Norman Glowka, David Bett



### PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER OUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS

*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.* Gerald Ruzsala, Galina Berger, Estelle Graczyk, Richard Gramza, Lee Nowicki, Carolyn Tucholski, Patty T., Margaret K., James Dillon, Kathy Peters, Brian Kingston, Joann Hooftallen, Audrey Zygmunt, Pat Drzewiecki, Irene Sikora, Jeanne Karlinski, Kathy Cherico, Chuck Kibby, Gert Janicki, Charles Guarasci, Fr. Gus Sicard, Doreen Bush, Richard Jones, Joan Pepperday

## THANK YOU!

A very special THANK YOU to all of you who took the time to call and write me a get well wish. This certainly lifted my spirits during my recovery period. Would also like to thank Bishop Mack and Fr Nadeem for spending some time with me prior to my operation.

Look forward to seeing everyone soon.

**Thanks, Jerry Ruzsala**

### READINGS FOR THIS WEEK

Mon - Presentation of the BVM (from Sunday)  
Daniel 7:13-14 Rev 1: 5-8 John 18: 33-37  
Tues Daniel 2:31-45 Luke 21: 5-11  
Wed Daniel 5:1-6,13-17,23-28 Luke 21:12-19  
Thurs Daniel 6: 12-28 Luke 21:20-28  
Fri Daniel 7: 2-14 Luke 21:29-33  
Sat Daniel 7: 15-27 Luke 21:34-36

**Wishes to you and your family for a very Blessed Thanksgiving!**



## ADVENT RETREAT



An Advent Retreat will be held on **Saturday, December 11<sup>th</sup>** from 9 AM – 3 PM. We will begin with an Advent Penitential Service entitled **"Hope and Advent."** The retreat will follow. The cost for the retreat is \$13 which includes materials, lunch and a small gift. A Sign-up sheet is located in the vestibule. Please register by December 5th.

Thank-You. **Fr. Nadeem Yaqoob**

## PARISH BUDGET AND CALENDAR MEETING

The Parish Budget and Calendar meeting will be held **Sunday, December 12<sup>th</sup>** at 10:30 AM to approve the 2021 budget and discuss future events. Please come with your ideas and questions! Should you like to add a tentative event date to the calendar prior to the meeting contact the parish office.

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## MAKING NUT ROLLS TO SELL FOR THE HOLIDAYS

The week of November 29<sup>th</sup> we will be making Nut Rolls to sell for the Holidays! We will need the most help that Friday & Saturday December 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>. Please give us a hand to benefit our church. ~There is a sign-up sheet for the different areas of preparation that are needed and the day of the jobs in the church vestibule. Thank you! Sherry Mack



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**LUNCH WITH SANTA**

**Sunday, December 5<sup>th</sup> from noon – 3 pm)** Bring the kiddies to “Meet Santa” and take memorable pictures in your **Christmas PJ’s or Festive Holiday Outfit.** Enjoy a free luncheon of Macaroni and Cheese & Chili! Ho, Ho, Ho!



**CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE**

The Christmas Giving Tree will be going up right after Thanksgiving in the church vestibule. This tradition will help support the **Lancaster Youth Bureau** in their yearly labor of love – giving Christmas gifts and spreading cheer to the children and families in our community who are less fortunate than us. The Youth Bureau asked that we **do not wrap the gifts** but rather place them in gift bags along with a gift tag from our Giving Tree. The families will be given wrapping paper and they will in turn wrap their own gifts for their children. The **deadline** to place your unwrapped or bagged gifts under the Giving Tree is **Monday - Wednesday, December 13 – 15<sup>th</sup>.** The gifts will be distributed in plenty of time for Christmas by the Lancaster Youth Bureau.



**COMMUNITY EVENT**

**Sat. Dec. 4<sup>th</sup>, “WIGILIA” 6 pm.** The Chopin Singing Society will hold their annual “Wigilia” to be held @ Millennium Hotel, 2040 Walden. Come and enjoy a recreation of the Christmas Eve Tradition. Tickets are \$40 per person and may be ordered from the Chopin Singing Society by calling 633-1755.

**YMS of R X-MAS PARTY & MEETING**

YMS of R, X-Mas Party and Meeting – Friday, Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup> @ 6:00 PM. Catered dinner & short meeting to follow. Wives and significant other invited. Sign-up sheet is in the church vestibule. Thanks,  
Chuck Daehn

**PNU DISTRICT 4 MEETING NOTICE**



We welcome all PNU Policy Holders and Social Members to attend the District 4-year end reorganizational meeting Saturday, December 4, 2021 in the Fellowship Hall at 3:30 PM. Come and hear about the new and exciting promotions the PNU is offering in 2022. We look forward to seeing you!

**CATHEDRAL USHERS  
CHRISTMAS PARTY**

**Friday, Dec. 17, 2021**



Wives, husbands and significant other invited 6 pm Cocktails, 6:45 Dinner. Sign up sheet is in the Church Vestibule. Thank you, Roger Papaj

**YMS of R  
Annual Clothing Drive**

United YMS of R’s Winter Clothing Drive is ongoing and will conclude on Sunday, November 28, 2021. We are looking to gather Coats, Hats, Gloves, Pants, Sweatshirts, Sweaters, Socks, and T-Shirts for local people in need. These are articles of clothing to help dull their Winter Chill. A good deed will reflect our Love of Jesus. Thanking you in advance for your generous donations.



**PARISH BOWLING LEAGUE**

The parish-bowling league is looking for interested bowlers! The league will begin Sunday, January 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022 and continue for 10 sessions every other week at the Wimbledon Lanes in W. Seneca. Price to be determined. Come join us for fun and fellowship during the long winter months! The sign-up sheet is in the vestibule. Any questions call Don Barnes @ 677-2705 or Bob Giczowski @ 359-6645.





**MASS SCHEDULE – DAILY 8 AM**  
**WEEKEND: SATURDAY 5 PM & SUNDAY 9 AM**



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