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Sunday, December 30th, 2018

Solemnity - The Humble Shepherds

Collection for the Seminary

8:00 AM Holy Mass/Collection for the Seminary

Lector: Suzanne Bett

9:15 AM Confirmation Class / SOCL

9:15 AM Coffee Hour

9:30 AM Adult Bible Class

10:30 AM Harmonia Choir – warm up

11:00 AM Holy Mass /Collection for the Seminary

Lector: Christine Rybczynski

Monday, December 31st

Bp. Sylvester of Rome

8:00 AM Mass of the Day

5:00 PM Vespers to conclude the year
(St. Sylvester)

7:00 PM **No** Choir Rehearsal

Tuesday, January 1st, 2019

Solemnity – Circumcision of our Lord

9:00 AM Holy Mass of the Solemnity

Wednesday, January 2nd

Solemnity – Holy Name of Jesus

9:00 AM Holy Mass of the Solemnity

6:30 PM New Horizon Meeting for Addiction

Thursday, January 3rd

V. Genevieve of Paris

8:00 AM Mass of the Day

Friday, January 4th

Bp. Gregory of Langers

8:00 AM Mass of the Day

Saturday, January 5th

H. Simeon the Stylite

8:00 AM Mass of the Day

Sunday, January 6, 2019

Epiphany of Our Lord

Collection for Missions

7:50 AM General Confession & Absolution

8:00 AM Holy Mass / Collection for Missions

Lector: Anne Szpylman

9:00 AM Coffee Hour Host: Open

9:30 AM Confirmation Class / SOCL Classes

9:30 AM Bible Study

10:50 AM General Confession & Absolution

11:00 AM Holy Mass / Collection for Missions

Lector: Jan McJury

12:30 PM Annual Parish Christmas Dinner

6:00 PM Bowling League (5:30 info meeting)

JANUARY PARISH COMMITTEE COUNTERS

8:00 AM Cindy Pecynski & Chuch Daehn

11:00 AM Frank Russo & Beverly Basinski

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER OUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS



Lord, look upon our friends and family 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.

Richard Kobza, Larry Nowicki, Richard Jones, Julie & Scott Lewis, Marie & Norman Gaca, Charlene Bielat, Linda Lemke, Alia Vohlstat, Laura Sabotka, Christine DiFonzo, Audrey Zygmunt, Pat Piotrowski, Larry & Lucy Kowalski, Carolyn Parisi, Joseph Ratke, Stella Jasiura, Dona Sobotka, Colleen Crane, Jean Salzman.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WESTERN NY LIVING, WGRZ CHANNEL 2 TV - will feature Bishop John on their Saturday, January 12th 2019 segment at 10AM. Watch for it!

DIACONAL ORDINATION of Corey Foegen – Sunday, January 13th at Holy Family Parish, N. Java, NY, 10AM.

ATTENTION: CATHEDRAL SENIORS

Our meetings/gatherings will resume on **January 20, 2019.**



To resume on January 7th, 2019

COFFEE HOUR VOLUNTEERS

We need volunteers to make coffee, pour juice, cut rolls and clean-up after Coffee Hour. You do not have to bake unless you want to and have the time. **Please** consider donating one Sunday to host Coffee Hour. If interested sign up is in the parish center hall.



God's blessing and a warm welcome to **Michael Kopacz** the newest member to our church family!



ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DINNER

Our Annual Christmas Dinner will be held on Sunday, January 7th, 2018 following the 11:00 AM Mass. All parishioners are invited to attend and we ask that you bring a dish or dessert to pass. The sign-up sheet is in the vestibule. Please include family name, number of persons attending and dish you plan on bringing.

REMINDER: PARISH BOWLING LEAGUE

The parish-bowling league will begin next Sunday, January 7th, @ Wimbledon Lanes in West Seneca. Please arrive by 5:30 for a short informational meeting. Any questions call Don Barnes @ 677-2705 or Bob Giczowski @ 783-9596.



HURRICANE MICHAEL RELIEF

Holy Mother of the Rosary is collecting donations for Hurricane Michael relief to benefit the **First Baptist Church, Port St. Joe** in the name of parishioner, Bonnie Shumaker. Hurricane Michael - the strongest hurricane to ever hit the Florida panhandle left a path of destruction in its wake and destroyed the church on 10/10/2018. The church is working out of tents and making sure no one goes hungry or sleeps in the streets. The donations are to feed and house as many as they can. Any assistance to help this church rebuild would be greatly appreciated. (pictures of the former church can be found on their website). Should you wish to donate indicate accordingly on your stewardship envelope or in a separate envelope.



2019 OFFERING ENVELOPES

The offering envelopes for 2019 are in the vestibule of the church. **Please pick them up** and begin using them in 2019.

HOLIDAY OFFICE HOURS

The office will be closed on Monday, December 31st and Tuesday, January 1st. For Emergencies, please call 901-7356 or 931-9693.

ADOPT - A - SENIOR

The Cathedrals Youth Group is attempting to **"link the generations"** by taking on this project. The description is in the form that is provided on the bulletin table. Simply fill out the form and we will match you with a youth from the parish. It's that simple!

EPIPHANY VISITS



As is the custom in the National Catholic Church, the Pastor makes himself available to bless homes following the Feast of the Epiphany. Please contact Bishop John if you wish to have your home blessed for 2019.

JOIN THE LECTOR MINISTRY?

A lector who prepares and proclaims the scriptures performs a ministry. With the help of the Holy Spirit you will grow in the loving knowledge of the scripture, Gods living Word. It is a ministry to be taken respectfully as you speak to your peers and friends who share the same belief. **Please consider joining our lector ministry** by contacting the parish office. Training will be provided.



UPCOMING EVENTS & MEETINGS

Wednesday, Jan. 9th - Parish Committee Meeting, 7PM

Friday, January 11th - Fish Fry 4 -7:00 PM

Sunday, January 20th - PNU Dist. 4 Meeting 9:30 AM / Seniors Christmas Dinner, 12:15 PM

Sunday, February 24th - Parish Annual Meeting, 12:30 PM.



CONFIRMATION CLASS PROJECT

Do you have any extra pennies laying around? We are collecting pennies until the end of May 2019. We are honoring the generous widow in the Gospel of Mark Chapter 12: 38-44. We will donate all that is collected to a local children's charity as we have in the past. Please put your pennies in the basket that is in the vestibule. Thanking you in advance for your donation.

PACZKI DAY



The Polish Heritage Dancers will once again present - WNY's Largest Pre - Lenten Paczki Day Celebration to be held March 3rd, 2019 in the Holy Mother of the Rosary Parish Hall. This is the dancers biggest fund raiser for the year. **Volunteers are needed to serve refreshments.** Please call Maura Krause at 825-3399 or call the parish office if you would like to volunteer for an hour or two.

UNITED YOUNG MENS SOCIETY OF THE RESURRECTION

FUND RAISER 90 FOR 90


The Manor at Waymart, in Scranton, PA used for the KURS Encampment for the Youth Retreat held yearly in July, is in need of repairs to include: Restoration of the in ground pool and the grounds. Donations can be made to the United YMS of R through to March 2019.



Janice Lisinski 1/2, Christina Giczkowski - 1/3,
Aubrieanna Alexandowicz - 1/3,
Jerome Noworyta 1/5

***For a Child is born to us, a son is given us;
upon His shoulder dominion rests. They
name Him Wonder-Counselor, God-Hero,
Father-Forever, Prince of Peace.***

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